

John A. Notte, Jr., Elected Governor of Rhode Island

Brother John A. Notte, Jr., Mu, was elected Governor of the State of Rhode Island during the recent elections held last November. Notte, a Democrat, was formerly Lieutenant Governor of the State.

Brother Notte, 51, received his A.B. from Providence College in 1931. He then attended Cornell University and received his LL.B. from the Boston University School of Law in 1935. He was admitted to practice before the Rhode Island Bar in 1936 and later admitted to practice before the United States Supreme Court. He was Town Solicitor of North Providence from 1937-1942. In 1943 he entered the armed forces, serving as gunnery officer aboard ship in the United States Navy. He was released from active duty in December, 1945 with the rank of Lieutenant.

In 1948, he was appointed Chairman of the Rhode Island Veterans' Bonus Board by then Governor John O. Pastore. He served on the staff of U.S. Senator Theodore F. Green for nine years, 1948-1957. In 1956 he was elected Secretary of State of Rhode Island, and in 1958, Lieutenant Governor.

Active in community affairs, Brother Notte is active in many associations including the American Legion, Disabled American Veterans, Italian American World War Veterans, Aurora Club, Italo-American Club, Knights of Columbus, the Providence Lodge of Elks No. 14, and the Metacomet Golf



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Club. His legal affiliations include membership in the Rhode Island Bar Association and the American Bar Association. He has also served as chairman of the North Providence Democratic Town Committee (1948-58) and is a past President of the Young Democrats of Rhode Island.

Brother Notte is married to the former Marie Huerth of Belmont, Massachusetts and a graduate of Portia Law School. They have two children, son John A. Notte, III, age 25 and a second-year student at Boston University School of Law, and daughter, Joyce, 17, a senior at North Providence High School. His mother, Mrs. John A. Notte, Sr., survives and lives in Providence.

Alpha Phi Delta extends its heartiest congratulations to Bro. Notte and wishes him the greatest success for his administration.



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CONVENTIONEERS MEET SEPT. 4-8 AT LAKE TARLETON CLUB; NEW HAMPSHIRE RESORT OFFERS FACILITIES, ACTIVITIES, VARIETY

All arrangements for Alpha Phi Delta's 41st National Convention have been completed, reports Convention Committee Chairman Joseph DeGuglielmo, PNP. As reported in the last issue of the KLEOS, this year's site is the Lake Tarleton Club, located in the White Mountains at Pike, New Hampshire, on Labor Day Week. Activities start after dinner on Monday, September 4th and continue through breakfast Friday morning, September 8th. As usual, the Executive Committee will meet one day earlier, Labor Day, September 4th.

Club Facilities



Activity points to all directions at the Lake Tarleton Club

Alpha Phi Delta has had some memorable conventions during the past dozen years or so of resort conventions. Which is your favorite? Is it the first Magnolia Convention of 1951 with its yet to be surpassed food? Is it the first Youngs Gap Convention of 1954 where APD enjoyed the most genial hospitality ever accorded its conventioners? Is it the Searoom Manor Convention of 1957 where conventioners mingled with the glamour of movies and even participated in the filming of "Marjorie Morningstar"? Or is it the Galen Hall Convention of 1959 which produced the greatest turnout of APD men and their families?

Whichever is your favorite now, it is quite possible that the forthcoming convention at the Lake Tarleton Club may take its place, for the Convention Committee together with the Club management have arranged a terrific program. Here are just some of the highlights:

Monday, September 4th, Wel-

come Refreshments and get-together; Tuesday, a cocktail party followed by a Lobster Shore Dinner; Wednesday, Dinner Luau, a complete Hawaiian dinner with Leis and all the Hawaiian trimmings, followed by past conventioners' most popular activity, a Masquerade. Thursday, the Grand Ball and Banquet, and presentation of awards. In addition there will be music and dancing to two orchestras and an all star show every night at the Club.

Daily activities will include games, contests, golf, tennis, swimming and handball tournaments and special games for the ladies and prizes for the winners. Convention sessions will be held in the morning so that everyone will be able to make the most of their stay at the Tarleton Club.

In addition to all of the planned activities, conventioners will have the many club facilities for their enjoyment. The Lake Tarleton Club boasts of 5 lakes on its 5500 acres, plenty of room for the water bugs to enjoy boating, water-skiing, and fishing. Its grounds include an excellent 18-hole golf course, two putting greens, seven tennis courts, and numerous other facilities.

Prices for this year's Convention are \$65 per person and \$45 for children that sleep in the same room as their parents. Any child that has a separate room will be considered an adult. The price includes the use of all club facilities but it does not include gratuities. There will be no discount for early reservations. You are urged, however, to make your reservations now. Mail your check to the new Central Office address: Alpha Phi Delta Fraternity, 1459 Woodruff Avenue, Pittsburgh 20, Penna. Please list the names of all who will attend, including children, and the arrangements you wish to make for their accommodations.

Alfred E. Santangelo Re-elected to Congress

Brother Alfred E. Santangelo, Eta, was re-elected to the 87th Congress of the U.S. last November. As noted in our last issue of the KLEOS, this is the third time his constituents of the 18th Congressional District, N.Y.C., have elected him as their representative to the national office closest to the people. As in previous years, Bro. Santangelo, a Democrat, swamped his Republican and Liberal opponents.

Brother Santangelo was born on June 4, 1912 in New York City and was educated in the public schools there. He was later graduated from the College of the City of New York where he received a degree of B.A., and from Columbia Law School, with a degree of LL.B. A brilliant student, he was awarded the Dante Literature Prize while a student at CCNY and later served as 3rd District Governor for two years (1935-37).

He was admitted to the bar in April, 1939. In 1945 he served as an Assistant District Attorney of New York County, attached to the Homicide Bureau. He represented his district in the State Senate, 1947-1948, 1949-1950 and was again elected in the 1952 and 1954 elections. In 1955 he was appointed by Governor Harriman to serve as one of the nine commissioners which made a state-wide study on Youth and Juvenile Delinquency. He was also ranking Democratic member of the Joint Legislative Commission on Labor and Industrial Conditions.

In 1956 he was elected to the 85th Congress after a hardily contested primary fight and general



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election. He was re-elected to the 86th Congress in 1958 and to the 87th Congress in 1960. In his first year in Congress, he was appointed to the House Committees on Post Office and Civil Service, and Merchant Marine and Fisheries. After one year, he was promoted to the House Committee on Appropriations on which he presently serves.

A member of the Speakers Bureau of Tammany Hall, Bro. Santangelo is also a member of the Board of Governors of the Pocasset Club and of the Grand Street Boys. He is also the Executive Director of the Pocasset Club and a leader of the 16th Assembly District South of the New York County Democratic Organization. He is President of the Federation of the Italian-American Democratic Organizations of the State of New York, Inc. He is also a Fourth Degree member of the Knights of Columbus, an executive member of the Manhattan Council, Boy Scouts of America, and a member of the

Elks. He was Vice-chairman of the Lexington District, Boy Scouts of America. He has been active in many charitable and civic drives in his city.

In recognition of his many civic works, Bro. Santangelo has been the recipient of many awards including the Interfaith Award, the Lido Civic Club Award (Washington, D. C.), Service-in Congress Award (Italian American Federation), ESCA Award (ESCA Club, Bronx, N. Y.), and the Columbian Society, Department of Correction, Award (N. Y. C.). He is presently active in a crusade against the practice of certain television programs which poorly reflect the character of Italian-Americans in general. His efforts in this area have been considerably successful, his fight having resulted in certain concessions on the part of the network relative to the contents of the program.

Bro. Santangelo was formerly associated for many years with his brother, Justice Robert V. Santangelo (Beta, PNP) in the law firm of Santangelo and Santangelo, with offices at 51 Chambers Street, and now is engaged in the practice of law with the firm of Santangelo, Morrison and Martorano at 280 Broadway, N. Y. C. Married to the former Betty L. Rao of New York City, they have four daughters, Mary Jo, Eileen, Betty Jane and Patricia Ann, and one son, Charles.

Heartiest congratulations to Bro. Santangelo from Alpha Phi Delta and best wishes for his continued success.

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Simple Pleasures

Another Fraternal year has come to a close. Has it been a successful one for Alpha Phi Delta? Perhaps, and then perhaps not. Central Office is presently closing out its books, weighing the credits against the debits, not only monetarily, but also spiritually. The results will be announced at the forthcoming Executive Committee meeting, and a full printed report will be distributed to all the chapters, alumni clubs and life members.

But has it been a successful Fraternal year for you in Alpha Phi Delta? Did you derive the full benefits that your Fraternity offers? If not, don't blame your Fraternity, blame yourself. The chances were all around you; you just didn't take advantage of them.

For example, where were you at the last Convention? Had you been there you would have reaped the simple pleasures of associating with your Brothers and their families, renewing old acquaintances and making new ones, enjoying yourself as you would at a large family gathering.

Where were you at the last Alumni Club meeting? Had you been there you would have enjoyed the simple pleasures of men gathering under the banner of their Fraternity, talking about old times, planning for the future, even arguing its course, but striving to further strengthen the bond that joined them together.

Where were you at the last Chapter initiation? Had you been there you would have enjoyed the simple pleasures of watching the Fraternal family grow and with much the same pride and enjoyment you would have watching your own family grow.

And where were you at the last Christmas Dance, or the last Benefit, or the last Honorary Dinner? Had you been there, you would have derived the simple pleasures that come from helping others and honoring others.

And so, as the Fraternity closes its books on another year, let each of us arrange our own balance sheet. Does it show that we have availed ourselves of these simple pleasures? Have we derived the fullest benefits of our Fraternity? Do we fall short of the success that comes with hard work?

If you have fallen short why not make the next Fraternal year different. As a start, why not make it a point to attend the next National Convention? Attend the meetings; become a member of a committee; run for office! Become active in your Fraternity.

Success comes with hard work; the simple pleasures in life come only with participation!

Wined and Dined



Following the Executive Committee meeting, the members and their wives were the guests of the Philadelphia Alumni Club at a buffet hosted by Bro. and Mrs. Nardone and prepared by the Ladies Auxiliary. Gathered upstairs at the Nardone's are Mary Primarano, Anne Cavallaro and Eleanor Costanzo attending from New York and Pittsburgh, and members of the Ladies Auxiliary of Philadelphia, Mary Goffredo, Helen Nardone, Susan Armiento and Rose Angelone, along with Miss Rose Nardone. Meanwhile, downstairs, genial host Dr. Anthony Nardone fills Adam DiVincenzo's cup with elixir while 2nd District Governor Ernie Coletti and Joseph D'Urso, PNP, await their turn.

Exec Committee Meets; Weirton A. C. Formed

The Executive Committee of Alpha Phi Delta Fraternity held its annual mid-year meeting Saturday, February 18th, at the Sheraton Hotel, Philadelphia, Pa. A meeting of the National House Fund Trustees followed immediately thereafter.

The Executive Committee, consisting of the National Officers and the District Governors, met to review the progress and activities of the Fraternity since the National Convention last September. District, Chapter, and Alumni Club status was reviewed and various committee reports were presented. One of the highlights of the meeting was the announcement of the formation of a new Alumni Club, in Weirton, W. Va. Petition for formal recognition was accepted by the body subject to the Club meeting all of the Constitutional requirements. Other highlights included the following:

Central Office reported excellent response to the circulation for the directory. Over 400 responses, together with remittances of two dollars have been received thus far. In addition, nearly \$1000 in alumni dues have been received. Central Office also reported that the new Fraternal headquarters in Pittsburgh are beginning to shape up, thanks to the assistance and cooperation of many individual Brothers (see page 3).

Expansion Committee Chairman Frank Cavallaro reported that he was in contact with 21 different groups for potential expansion, citing also the difficulties and problems entailed in bringing a new entity to fruition. In order to further expand the efforts of this committee, National President Carlo Vannicola appointed past National President Frank Costanzo as co-chairman of the committee. Cavallaro and Costanzo now share responsibility, Cavallaro to concentrate on the first four districts and Costanzo on the fifth, sixth and seventh.

Convention Committee Chairman Joseph DeGuglielmo reported on the continuing plans to make the forthcoming convention at the Tarleton Club, Pike, New Hampshire, the finest convention ever held. It was later suggested by KLEOS Editor Stan Raffa that plans start now for the celebration of Alpha Phi Delta's Golden Anniversary in 1964. A Coordinating Committee For the Fiftieth Anniversary of Alpha Phi Delta was suggested to include the Convention Chairman, the KLEOS Editor and any other members necessary to make special arrangements befitting the occasion.

A meeting of the National House Fund Trustees was called to order by Chairman Joseph Deguglielmo immediately following the conclusion of the Executive Committee Meeting. Physical and financial conditions at each house were reviewed and the necessity for housing at other chapters were discussed. In particular, the possibilities of a house for Chi Chapter (Penn State University) and a request for assistance in obtaining a house for Beta Xi Chapter (Newark College of Engineering) were considered. The Beta Xi request was made personally by three representatives of the Chapter who came prepared with facts and figures.

Following the business sessions, the Executive Committee and National House Fund trustees were the guests of the Philadelphia Alumni Club and the Ladies' Auxiliary at a buffet supper held at the home of Brother Anthony Nardone. The Ladies put out quite a



Above, the Executive Committee gathers for its semi-annual review of Fraternity affairs. Below, the National House Fund Trustees meet to consider petitions for Chapter Houses.

delicious spread which included Italian sausages, veal, pizza pie, potato salad and home-made cake. A highly enjoyable evening was had by all, made more hilarious by the kind of entertainment spontaneously produced by the Brothers themselves, forever ready to indulge in some good-natured ribbing of one another.

Present at the midyear conclave were National President Carlo M. Vannicola, presiding, National Vice-president Joseph Scioscia, National Secretary Adam DiVincenzo, PNP, National Treasurer Joseph Scotti, District Governors Steve Rubino (1st), Ernest Coletti (2nd), Gaspar LaSala (3rd), Mario DiGiuseppe (4th), Julius Zangrille (5th), KLEOS Editor Stan Raffa, Expansion Committee Co-chairmen Frank Cavallaro, PNP, and Frank Costanzo, PNP, House Fund Trustee Chairman and Convention Committee Chairmen Joseph DeGuglielmo, PNP, House Fund Trustee Secretary-Treasurer Dr. D. A. Macedonia, PNP, House Fund Trustee members Dr. Horace Goffredo

and Dr. Walter Primerano, Past National Presidents Frank Travalline and Joseph D'Urso, Brothers D'Agostino (Boston Alumni Club) and Armenti (Philadelphia Alumni Club), representatives of Beta Xi Chapter and several members of the Philadelphia Alumni Club.

John and Dick



Richard M. Nixon congratulates John F. Kennedy on the occasion of... Whoops! Wrong foto. The handshakers are Dr. Robert F. DiSipio (left) of the Philadelphia Alumni Club and 1st District Governor Steve Rubino. The navy banner fooled us.

Beta Omicron Men Tops on Campus

The Brothers of Beta Omicron Chapter, Youngstown University, are making quite a name for themselves on the campus both individually and as a group. One Brother has been making national news. He is Brother (Butch) Morelli, star fullback at Youngstown U., who has just signed with the Washington Redskins of the National Football League. We should be hearing quite a bit from Brother Morelli from now on.

Three more Brothers have received recognition on campus. Dave Colson received the Gold Achievement Medal, the highest honor given to a member of the Pershing Rifles, a military fraternity, affiliated with the R.O.T.C. Brother Muzzy Muzzacco was unanimously elected Recording Secretary of the Inter-Fraternity Council. Chapter President Brother Sam Lalama, the Fraternity's Most Outstanding Un-

dergraduate of last year, has attained the highest office on campus, that of Senior Class President. Many other Brothers have been showing the Alpha Phi Delta spirit on the campus.

The Brothers of Beta Omicron have initiated a new idea in parties. Each party is given a theme and everyone dresses accordingly. So far the themes have ranged from Beatnik, Roaring Twenties, and Arabian. The Chapter's latest party had a Hillbilly theme. The idea adds a little more zest to the party and helps maintain the Chapter as the leading Fraternity on campus. The boys also led the way by acquiring new jackets, soon followed by the other Fraternities.

Beta Omicron recently initiated twelve new Brothers and are presently pledging eighteen men, giving the Chapter great hope of doing even better in the future.

Eta Chapter Enters 40th Year

The big news at Eta Chapter this year is forty; that's the number of years APD's representative on the College of the City of New York campus has been functioning. The second oldest active Chapter in the Fraternity, it has survived two wars, a depression, and a post-war upheaval in American social life to maintain a high standard of activity both on and off the campus.

To celebrate its fortieth anniversary, Eta Chapter plans to hold a gala celebration possibly in connection with the forthcoming national Convention in September. It hopes to draw as many Brothers as possible to lend a proper atmosphere to forty years of history which is so much a part of the lives of all of its Brothers.

With the end of another school semester in this 40th year, the men of Eta can look back to the fine showing they have made in carrying on a fine tradition. Topping off a good semester, Eta initiated five new Brothers: Ronald Bovi, John Brineho, Joe DiProsimo, Michael DiVincenzo, and Patrick LaRusso. Meanwhile, the Chapter lost four Brothers to graduation: Anthony Mattered, James Tarangelo, Carlo Venditti, and Chuck Rizzuti. With Eta scheduled to lose more of its Brothers this June, the new Brothers will constitute an especially important core of the Chapter. Upon their shoulders will fall the responsibility of keeping Eta up to par with past performances and furthering the ideals of Alpha Phi Delta.

As an integral part of the Third District, Eta Chapter supported many of the District's social functions last semester. The Chapter's representation at the Annual Barn Dance filled up almost two buses and contributed greatly to the affair. Eta also had a big representation at the Annual Christmas Dance held at the Essex House. The Chapter is presently planning an affair in conjunction

with Beta Eta Chapter at Brooklyn College. The affair, the "Spring Hop", will be held at the Imperial Mansion, Brooklyn, on April 7th with tickets going at \$1.50 per person.

Pi Takes Top Scholastic Honors at W. V. U.

Pi Chapter, scholastic champs of West Virginia University this year, attained the highest active average among Fraternities on the campus. Their average was a respectable 2.77. Leading Pi Chapter was Frank Fuscald, Jr., with a perfect 4 point average.

An event that made Pi Chapter even prouder was the naming in Morgantown of their House Mother, Miss Ann Dinardi, as Woman of the Year, 1960. Miss Dinardi has been House Mother for Pi Chapter for many years. (More about Miss Dinardi in a later issue.)

The Chapter welcomed its newly appointed faculty advisor this fall. He is Rocco Basil from Follansbee, W. Va. Mr. Basil is a graduate of West Liberty College and is now attending West Virginia University in the capacity of graduate assistant in Speech Therapy.

On the campus, Pi's representative for the West Virginia University Yearbook Queen is among the five finalists. She is Brenda Booth, a junior majoring in Physical Education. The Chapter will hold its Annual Spring Formal on April 29, 1961 at the Mount Chateau Lodge. It will be a dinner dance featuring the music of Don Hamilton.

Pi concluded its fall semester pledge period with a formal initiation held February 5th. The new neophytes welcomed into Alpha Phi Delta were Angelo Vianni and Joseph Cinalli.



This year's group of Eta men claims to be as lively and alert as their counterparts of 40 years ago. The CCNY Chapter is celebrating its 40th year.

Adam Di Vincenzo, National Secretary
Joseph Scotti, National Treasurer
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Dear Brothers,

Enclosed is my check for \$5.00 for my 1961 Alumni Dues. Please send me my Good Standing Card.

Name Chapter

Address

A LOOK AT NEW CENTRAL OFFICE HEADQUARTERS:

ACTIVITY AND HARD WORK TO BUILD UP AN EFFICIENT ORGANIZATION FOR APD



Top left: New headquarters for Alpha Phi Delta; Central Office at 1459 Woodruff Ave., Pittsburgh. Top right: A mailing is made; folding and inserting are National Treasurer Joe Scotti, Pittsburgh's Outstanding Alumni last year, Sid Aurelio, Central Office Secretary Arthur Raffaele, and National Secretary Adam DiVincenzo. Below, Raffaele DiVincenzo and Scotti attending to various phases of their work.

Its been nearly a year now since the new Central Office Team of Adam Divencenzo, Secretary, and Joseph Scotti, Treasurer, moved lock, stock and fraternity records from its old headquarters in Cambridge, Massachusetts to its new premises at 1459 Woodruff Avenue, Pittsburgh 20, Penna. What's it like to be the administrative servants of a National Fraternity? Take it from the present occupants of the office (and the past too) it's not easy.

To begin with, there was the "simple" matter of moving all the records from Cambridge. It took a truck and a couple of days (together with a hair-raising experience on the road) to make the move. Once in the new quarters in Pittsburgh, and surrounded ceiling high with boxes and files of records and assorted equipment, the boys hardly knew where to start. It took months to sort out the various papers and give the office some semblance of administrative order.

Meanwhile, there were the normal day-to-day matters of the Fraternity to take care of: regular correspondence with the Chapters, the distribution of forms, correspondence with the schools, the NIFC, the various committees, and in addition, several circularizations of the Fraternity which included three

for the KLEOS, two for the Directory, another one for the Convention, all of which require a mailing of 5000 or more. At the same time there was the job of keeping up with the Fraternity: maintaining an up-to-date listing of the members, death announcements, pledge pins, initiation pins and certificates, attending initiations, making visitations and just plain keeping the house in order.

One would think that Central Office would never be able to keep up with itself. However, hard working Adam and Joe, together with Central Office Secretary Arthur Raffaele, NVP Joseph Scioscia, PNP Frank Costanzo, Pittsburgh Alumni President Sid Aurelio, and many other Brothers in the Pittsburgh area, have managed to maintain excellent correspondence with the Fraternity throughout the year, and to organize an efficient administrative headquarters.

No, it is not an easy job and Brothers Adam and Joe are not doing it to shed glory upon themselves. Dedicated Fraternity men that they are, they have joined their efforts for the glory of Alpha Phi Delta. They ask only one thing: that Brothers everywhere join them in the same cause.

Campus Activities Keep Beta Theta on Top

Beta Theta, College of Steubenville, commenced its pledge period with a smoker on February 10, 1961 at the Weirton Lion's Club in Weirton, West Virginia. The Chapter was privileged to have Alpha Phi Delta's National Vice President, Bro. Joseph Scioscia, as a speaker at the smoker. Also present were Sixth District Governor Bro. Steve Cocumelli, and Past National Vice-President, Bro. Frank Tosi, who showed slides of past national conventions.

On the following Monday, Beta Theta pledged nine to the oath of Alpha Phi Delta. Brother Bob Battista, pledge chairman, was in charge of the 'swearing-in' ceremonies.

Beta Theta has had a very active year. The annual Homecoming Parade for the Barons basketball team was held in conjunction with the Steubenville Chamber of Commerce Christmas Parade which

was held on December 3, 1960. Beta Theta entered a float with the theme of "Jingle Bells". Bro. Paul Tripodi was float chairman and was ably assisted by all the Brothers of Beta Theta in assembling the float.

The Chapter held its annual Christmas Party on December 18, 1960. Entertainment was provided by a gift exchange among the Brothers which added to the delightful evening. Their annual New Year's Eve Party was also a huge success, Bro. Joseph Tripodi handling all the affairs.

On February 1 to 10, Beta Theta held a display in the College of Steubenville Library depicting the accomplishments of the Chapter. The Chapter display consisted of trophies, awards won, and various events at the College of Steubenville sponsored by the Fraternity. In charge of the display were Brothers Domanico, Batista and Tripodi III.

A Post-Valentine's Party was held by Beta Theta on February 18 at the Weirton Lion's Club. Entertainment was provided by the pledges and Bros. Tripodi III and 'rolago, W. J.

The Chapter's next big event is the annual Appreciation Banquet which they are sponsoring for the 6th consecutive year for the College of Steubenville basketball "Baron". The banquet honoring the team is considered to be one of the outstanding sports affairs in the Ohio Valley. Principal speaker for this year's affair will be Mr. Al DeLuca, head football coach at St. Vincent's College, Latrobe, Penn.

In sports, Beta Theta is striving for a successful basketball season and is off to a good start by winning their first three games. The Chapter's bowling team is also off to a good start with a victory in their first outing. The team consists of Bros. Diomed, DiPaolo, Battista, DiLoreto and Mascio.

APD's Youngest, Beta Rho, Is Gannon's Most Active

AlphaPhiDelta's baby Chapter, Beta Rho, has just completed its second fall semester, finishing first as the most active Fraternity on the Gannon College campus.

The Brothers of Beta Rho assumed the job of organizing the freshman orientation and were rewarded by the college administration by allowing them to sponsor a "1920 Hallowe'en Dance". The following week the Chapter held its first spaghetti dinner. The mothers of the Brothers spent all weekend preparing the food and cooking in the kitchen. The Brothers and their girls worked the rest of the afternoon and evening serving and cleaning up. The mayor of Erie, two councilmen, the President of the College and the deans of the departments attended. Over eight hundred people were served before the sauce ran out and the doors had to be closed turning away at least a hundred hungry people. The affair netted the Chapter a fine profit, mainly due to the fact that most of the food was donated. The biggest part of the burden was carried by Mr. Charles Orlando, importer of New York City, and father of Brother Nick Orlando. Mr. Orlando donated 250 lbs. of spaghetti and 40 gallons of tomatoes.

November 5th was the anniversary of the founding of Alpha Phi Delta and a private champagne party was held at which the Brothers renewed their oaths and reviewed the history of the Fraternity. Three days later a party was held in the Commons celebrating the initiation of the Chapter into the bond one year ago. At this party, a huge purple and white cake was put on display and later cut by the Dean of Men. Also present were the Vice-President of the College, the Dean of Student Ac-

tivities, the Deans of the various departments, the Fraternity Chaplain and Advisor, and other fraternity Presidents and Chaplains. Coffee and cake was distributed to everyone eating lunch in the Commons that day.

At the College's first major dance of the year, the "8 Ball", the Alpha Phi Delta candidate, Miss Mary Renderly, was elected Queen and was presented with a purple and white septor, topped with a large white orchid.

At the College's annual Christmas Carnival, Beta Rho's booth was rated second best by the judges. Just before the Christmas holiday the Chapter held a party for the orphans of Erie. The pledges put on skits and the local merchants donated a lot of toys which were happily received by the youngsters. This party rated a column in the Erie Times.

After initiation, the Chapter tendered its new Brothers a dinner. Attending was the President of the College, the Dean of Men, National Vice-President Joseph Scioscia, and Fifth District Governor Julius Zangrille.

In athletics, the Chapter football team finished second, while the basketball team finished only two games away from the championship.

Beta Rho ended its semester with the election of new officers for the year 1961. They are: Nick Defazio, President; Joe Chessario, Vice-President; Lou Grignol, Treasurer; Ron Bischoff, Secretary; Al Franco, Historian; and Chuck Champaign, Pledge Master. Joe Leon and Carl Gionelli were elected to "Who's Who in American Colleges and Universities". Gionelli was also elected President of the Interfraternity Council on campus.

Third District Holds Tenth Annual Communion Breakfast

The Catholic Brothers of the Third District held their 10th Annual Communion Breakfast on Sunday, February 26, 1961. The Brothers, their families and friends participated in the celebration of 9:00 A.M. Mass at St. Patrick's Cathedral and then gathered at the Waldorf Astoria Hotel to break bread and to listen to some of the finest speakers ever assembled for these affairs.



On the dias, left to right: Rev. Donald Licata, 3rd District Chaplain, Mr. and Mrs. Gaspar LaSala, 3rd District Governor, Rev. Frederic P. Gehring, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Cavallaro, PNP, and Prof. and Mrs. Anthony Sarno.

Guest speakers included Rev. Donald B. Licata, Third District Chaplain, Bro. Anthony Sarno, Dean of Men at St. John's University, and Rev. Frederic P. Gehring, C.M., the "Padre of Guadalcanal" and now on the faculty of St. John's University. Rev. Licata spoke on Love, "the all-embracing word", and the Fraternity of God; Bro. Sarno noted the need for fraternal leadership on the campus; Rev. Gehring, as main guest speaker spoke on the Spirit of Fraternity: "looking after your fellow man."

In his intensely interesting and vivid address, Rev. Gehring drew upon his own experiences in World War II at Guadalcanal. It was there that he was given the enviable title "Padre of Guadalcanal" becoming the first naval Chaplain to receive the Legion of Merit from the President of the U. S., as well as receiving the Presidential Unit Citation for his heroic work. He

noted that nowhere else was the Spirit of Fraternity more evident than in the foxholes of Guadalcanal and urged that that same spirit be a guide for all men through life. Rev. Gehring recently served as a technical advisor for the film "The



Reverend Frederic P. Gehring, "The Padre of Guadalcanal", main speaker at the annual 3rd District Communion Breakfast.

Gallant Hours" based on the life of Admiral Halsey. His work at Guadalcanal was also noted in the film. He is presently writing a book on his experiences.

Also present were all Third District Officers. Besides those previously mentioned (LaSala, Cavallaro, McCallin) were Robert Schiraldi, Secretary, and Stan Raffa, KLEOS Editor and 3rd District historian.

The Catholic Brothers were greeted at the Breakfast by Gaspar LaSala, Third District Governor. Toastmaster was Frank Cavallaro, PNP. Edward McCallin, Beta Pi, was chairman of the affair.

Delta, APD's Oldest Active In New Successes at B'klyn Poly

Delta Chapter, at the Polytechnic Institute of Brooklyn, began its 41st year in Alpha Phi Delta with new found initiative and activity. The Chapter has found overwhelming success in all its recent undertakings.

During the Third District's annual Christmas Journal and Dance, held at the Essex House in N.Y.C., an award was presented to President Joseph Costa for Delta's outstanding contribution to the Christmas Journal.

On the evening of Feb. 10th, the Chapter held its Annual Dance in conjunction with Dove House, a girls' House Plan from Brooklyn College. This affair, which has always been the most successful event of the social year at B.P.I., saw 450 people spending an enjoyable evening at the Imperial Mansion in Brooklyn.

Scholastically, this year, Delta ranked high among the other campus fraternities with forty percent of its Brothers on the Dean's List.

The Chapter doubled its number of Brothers this semester when on March 2nd, eight new Brothers were initiated. After taking the inspiring oath in the Brotherhood of Alpha Phi Delta, the new Brothers, (Guy Tom Pumo, Benjamin Ruggiero, Charles Russo, Michael Cacioppo, Mauro Pierucci, Pasquale Razzano, Domenick Sinacore, and Al Simonetti) were taken for dinner at Monte's Venetian Room in Brooklyn by the older Brothers.

The first week of March also

marked the election of new officers to lead Delta to even more outstanding achievements. Elected were: Louis Spadaccini, President; Joseph Agro, Vice-President; Gaetano Esposito, Treasurer; Mauro Pierucci, Recording Secretary, and Pasquale Razzano, Corresponding Secretary.

Michael Ogliaruso, who graduated from B.P.I. as the No. 1 man in the Chemistry Department, has received a much coveted fellowship to the Graduate School at Poly. Teaching Freshman Chemistry now, Mike will receive his Masters Degree in Chemistry in June.

Although anxiously awaiting graduating, a feeling of remorse is evident among the three prospective graduates of Delta. Former President Joseph Costa and Brother Sal Lafata have recently been inducted by the ROTC for two years as Second Lieutenants in the U. S. Army. Former Vice President Jack Conte is eager to launch his career in the metallurgical industry in June.

Delta, Alpha Phi Delta's oldest active Chapter, inducted April 28, 1918, is sponsoring a 41st Anniversary Party to commemorate the occasion. Another outstanding feature on the Chapter's list of "coming events" for the remainder of the semester is its annual Parents Party. This affair, held early in May, gives the parents of the Brothers a chance to get to know their son's Fraternity Brothers and also the function and character of Alpha Phi Delta.

Stuebenville A. C. Celebrates 20th Anniversary

The Stuebenville Alumni Club celebrated its Twentieth Anniversary with a dinner dance at the Steubenville Elks Ballroom on Feb. 4, 1961. The elaborate affair was attended by over 150 Brothers and their guests. Featured speaker for the affair was past National President Dr. D. A. Macedonia.

Brother Macedonia read letters of congratulations from all the national officers for the fine job that the club has done through the years. Brother Macey then traced the Club's past history which all began in the basement of Brother Steve Cocumelli's home in October of 1939.

The Steubenville Alumni Club has been one of the most successful clubs in the Fraternity. Among the Club's many achievements are: formulation and development of the Steubenville College Chapter, Beta

Theta; assistance in the development of the Canton, Youngstown and Columbus Alumni Clubs as well as the development of the Youngstown University Chapter, Beta Omicron; and assistance in the development of APD's latest entity, the Weirton Alumni Club. In 1947, the Steubenville Club initiated the Ohio Development Fund which led to the purchase of a Chapter House. The Ladies Auxiliary annually has promoted the Iris Ball, the proceeds of which are to be used for a future home for Beta Theta Chapter.

The Steubenville Alumni Club is also active in civic affairs in the community; the club presents a language award annually to two Steubenville schools and also an award to the College of Steubenville senior who graduates "number one" from the College.

The SAC is one of the largest clubs that has met consistently for



Steubenville Alumni Club Officers, Vice President, Pat DeLuca, President Frank Mazzo, Secretary-Treasurer Tony Sharpe, and Chaplain John Sellaroli.

the past twenty years and congratulations to their "twenty-year men" are in order. They are: Steve Cocumelli, 6th District Governor, Dr. D. A. Macedonia, PNP, Dr. John Smarella, Dr. V. J. DeLuca, Dr. Frank Tosi, PNVP, Hugo Alexander, Tony D'Aurora, Sam Gaylord, and James Muscato.



Twenty-year members in attendance at the Steubenville Alumni Club 20th anniversary Dinner Dance included, left to right, Brothers Steve Cocumelli, Dr. D. A. Macedonia, Dr. John Smarella, Dr. V. J. DeLuca, Hugo Alexander, and Dr. Frank Tosi. Their wives in attendance included, left to right, Mrs. V. J. DeLuca, Mrs. Hugo Alexander, Mrs. D. A. Macedonia, Mrs. Steve Cocumelli, and Mrs. Frank Tosi.

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