

National Housing Committee Meets; There'll be Some Changes Made



At the National Housing meeting (l. to r.), seated: Adam Di Vincenzo, Joseph Scotti, Dr. Horace Goffredo, and Vince Muffoletto; standing: Prof. Anthony Sarno, Trent Ciarrocchi, Dr. Walter Primerano, and Stan Raffa.

The meeting of the National Housing Committee of Alpha Phi Delta Fraternity was held on Saturday, May 8, 1971 at the Sheraton LaGuardia Airport Hotel in New York City. Trustees present included Joe Scotti, Chairman; Adam DiVincenzo, Secretary; Permanent Members Dr. Horace Goffredo, PNP Trent Ciarrocchi and Dr. Walter Primerano; and elected members Prof. Anthony Sarno and PNP Vincent J. Muffoletto. Also present was the National President, KLEOS Editor Santo Barbarino, 3D Governor Al Palazzo, and undergraduate members from Beta Lambda, Beta Omicron and Beta Xi.

Both Beta Lambda and Beta Omicron objected to the increase imposed on them at the last meeting of the corporation in Tamiment. While Beta Lambda's protest was nevertheless accompanied by the full rental, the trustees did not look kindly on Beta Omicron's position of withholding the increase and imposed severe action if the conditions were not met by May 15.

Beta Xi, anxious to vacate its present quarters presented its case to close down the chapter house by the end of May and place it up for sale while efforts are made to obtain another house. (This latter is dependent upon the sale of the present house and/or the potential raising of monies to afford a down payment for another house.) The trustees were in full agreement.

The Chairman noted that although he had been instructed to sell the Pi House in Morgantown, W. Va., some favorable arrangements had been arrived at, particularly by the assistance of Anne Dinardi, Housemother of the chapter. Arrangements will be made this month to assure that the house will be on a paying proposition starting this fall. At this meeting, the Chairman was instructed to accept the offer made for the original Beta Lambda property in Loretto and to place the Xi House (Columbus) for sale immediately.

The committee voted favorably on a number of constructive recommendations made at the close of its meeting. They include the following:

— that henceforth, any increases in rent be made at the mid-year meeting to become effective the fall

semester, thereby giving the chapter an opportunity to establish its house budget with sufficient notice;

— that rental will be collected a full semester in advance, consistent with current school and dormitory practices;

— that Central Office will act as the central collecting agent so as to maintain immediate knowledge on the status of each house;

— that attendance by chapters who have houses is mandatory at the Housing Corporation Meetings and Housing Seminars to be held at National Conventions;

— that agreements be prepared for each house describing the responsibilities of both the chapter and the Housing Corporation in providing for the maintenance of the House;

— that information and advice be prepared in the interest of the chapters on recommended incomes required to support the house as well as other useful hints on house operation.

It was evident from the meeting that most chapters did not understand the basis on which their rents were established at the last convention and that the suddenness of the changes took them by surprise. The basis was explained to the delegates present and while this didn't lower any rents it was at least better understood.

Grand Knight Ciarrocchi

Trent J. Ciarrocchi of Weirtonian Lodge, Weirton, West Virginia, has been elected to the office of Grand Knight of the Monsignor D.P. Murphy Council No. 3734 of the Knights of Columbus in Weirton, West Virginia. This Council, the largest in the State of West Virginia, has a membership of more than 700.

Brother Ciarrocchi is one of the Charter members of the Weirtonian Club and served as its Treasurer. He and his wife, Helen, son David, and Mrs. Assunta Ciarrocchi, his mother are all members of the Weirtonian Lodge.

Brother Ciarrocchi was National President of Alpha Phi Delta Fraternity and serves presently as an executive member of the National Housing Corporation of the fraternity. He is employed as Vice President by Weir-Cove



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Raffa Installs L.I.A.C. Leaders

On Friday evening, June 11, 1971 at the Hempstead Elks Clubhouse, the 1971-72 elected officers of the Long Island Alumni Club were installed by our National President Stan Raffa. It was a gala event with a fine talk by the Honorable Frank Gulotta (Columbia, Beta '29), Justice of the Appellate Court of the State of New York. In addition, the Association of Teachers of Italian of America presented their award to the finalist in a national competition in the field of Italian language. Miss Vivian Cora won a trophy sponsored by the L.I.A.C. in cooperation with the Italian Teachers Association on a local level and \$500 for the national prize. She was accompanied by her parents as well as her high school principal and several officers of the Italian Teachers Association.

National President Stan Raffa administered the oath of office to John Palermo, Beta Pi as president, Joseph Incandela, Eta, as vice president, Gene Sorisi, Beta Pi, as treasurer, Vinnie Mazzola, Beta Pi, as secretary, Joe Fabrizi, Beta Pi, as historian, Frank Ambrosio, Delta, as chaplain, and Tom Musacchio, Delta, as trustee. As is the custom with the L.I.A.C. each of these brothers moved up from their previous position as officers of the L.I.A.C. The experience of these men will certainly be helpful in the administration of the affairs of the L.I.A.C. for 1971-72.

More than 75 persons heard National President Raffa make his usual witty remarks and the talk in Italian by the president of the Italian Teachers Association was another milestone in the efforts of the L.I.A.C. to become involved in cultural matters of our Italian heritage.

The parents of both John and Ginger Palermo were also present at this outstanding event chaired by Brother Gene Cassiano, who did a magnificent job in planning the affair. Among the many persons at the Induction Dinner were Past National President John Pasta and his wife Lillian, Past National President Frank Paladino and his wife, Mary, and Brother John Coletti and his wife Anne (the Coletti's flew in from Florida, where they now reside.)

Moving and Storage Company, one of the Tri States' largest motor freight and steel carriers and haulers.

He lives at 100 Bellview Drive, Weirton, West Virginia with his wife the former, Helen Czerepack, one daughter Gloria Jean, who is a Dental Hygienist in Pittsburgh, and son David employed at Weirton Steel Company in Weirton.

LARGE CROWD EXPECTED TO FLOOD THE GRANIT FOR FRATERNITY'S 1971 NATIONAL CONVENTION

ALPHA PHI DELTA FRATERNITY
1971 NATIONAL CONVENTION

The 1971 National Convention will be at the Granit Hotel & Country Club, Kerhonkson, N.Y., Monday, August 30 — Friday, September 3, 1971.

The cost will be \$100.00 per adult, \$65.00 per child over 12, and \$50.00 per child under 12 in same room with parents.

Reservations received (envelope postmark) by June 1, 1971 rate is \$95.00 per adult.

Special Rate for Undergraduates is \$90.00 per (three to a room).

Special attention should be made for the Masquerade and Skit Night. Since it has been falling off in the last few years, we request and urge all entities, Alumni Clubs and Chapters, to prepare a skit for the convention. Let's make this one of the highlights of the convention.

All reservations will be sent to Brother John Palermo, 15 Wellbrock St., Lindenhurst, N.Y. 11757. Checks made payable to Alpha Phi Delta Fraternity.

PROGRAM

Monday, August 30:

9:00 a.m. — 9:00 p.m. Registration
2:00 p.m. — 5:00 p.m. Executive
Committee Meeting
9:00 p.m. Cocktail Party
11:00 p.m. Splash Party — Indoor Pool

Tuesday, August 31:

9:00 a.m. Credentials Committee Meeting
10:00 a.m. National Convention Meeting
11:00 a.m. Fashion Show & Tea — Ladies
2:00 p.m. Workshops
7:00 p.m. prompt Dinner
8:00 p.m. Buses leave for Monticello
Raceway. Show in Nightclub for
those not going to the Raceway.

Wednesday, September 1:

9:30 a.m. Memorial Service
10:00 a.m. National Convention Meeting
11:00 a.m. Miniature Golf
Tournament — Ladies
2:00 p.m. Softball Game — Alumni
vs Undergrad
9:00 p.m. Masquerade & Skit Night.
Late Show in Nightclub.

Thursday, September 2:

10:00 a.m. National Convention Meeting
2:00 p.m. Workshops
2:00 p.m. Golf Tournament
7:00 p.m. Cocktail Party
8:00 p.m. Awards Dinner followed by the
Convention Ball.

Friday, September 3:
Farewell Breakfast.

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In The Mail . . .

Founder Di Bartolo

Praises Pres. Raffa

(N.B. The following letter was sent by one of Alpha Phi Delta Fraternity's Founding Fathers, Ferdinand F. Di Bartolo. The letter makes reference to an article in the March, 1971 issue of the Kleos.)

March 9, 1971

Dear Brother Raffa,

May I express to you my sincere thanks for your kind report of our meeting in Buffalo as expressed in the article that appeared in the Kleos as well as in the letter that followed your welcomed visit. It is flattering, to be sure, but who doesn't fall for flattery?

My copy of the Kleos has just been forwarded to me and I have made a special note of the last paragraph in the article. I shall hold you to the promise that you will return to Buffalo in the Spring. It will be a rare pleasure to welcome you to our home — we are planning to leave Florida after the end of April.

We marvel at your unbound enthusiasm and resourcefulness in the discharge of your duties as National President of Alpha Phi Delta. In these trying times that are threatening the very existence of all National Fraternities your substantial contribution in raising the hope that our beloved organization will not become extinct is very timely and necessary.

Edith joins me in extending to you best wishes.

Fraternally
(signed)

Ferdinand F. Di Bartolo

Beta Sigma 1970 - 1971

At the end of another collegiate year at St. Francis College, Brooklyn, it comes time to report once again the news of Beta Sigma Chapter. As Roger Grimsby would say, here now the news.

Returning for a moment to 1970, the Fall Pledge Period of Beta Sigma was held over a period of six weeks. On December 5, five new brothers were added to the ranks of Alpha Phi Delta Fraternity, Beta Sigma Chapter: Gerard Bruce, Salvatore Caccavale, Anthony Cutaia, John Javaruski, and Thomas Oftring. This pledge group, the eighteenth in Beta Sigma's history, copped the Third District Award for the best pledge group skit on November 27 at the annual Third District Smoker, held in 1970 at St. Francis College. In attendance at the affair were National President Stan Raffa, Third District Governor Albert Palazzo, National Chaplain Brother Camillus Casey, O.S.F., who is also moderator of Beta Sigma, and KLEOS Editor Santo Barbarino.

Social functions abounded during the month of December. For the first time in a few years, the brothers held a Christmas Party at the Fraternity House. On December 31, the brothers "danced" their way out of 1970 at their annual New Year's Eve Party.

The brothers of Beta Sigma were able to begin Fraternal Year 1971 by doing something fraternal for a fellow Third District chapter. Beta Beta Chapter, Manhattan College in the Bronx, asked Beta Sigma if they could hold their induction ceremony at Beta Sigma's Fraternity House. Thus, on January 5, in the presence of National President Stan Raffa and Third District Governor Al Palazzo, three new brothers were inducted into our beloved Fraternity, and into Beta Beta Chapter in particular. The ceremony, held at Beta Sigma's house in Brooklyn, allowed the brothers of Beta Sigma to actively participate in another chapter's induction ceremony, and this event seemed to personify the "fraternal

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Creston Re-elected as Beta Rho Hosts 5-D Convention

Beta Rho Chapter, Gannon College, hosted this year's Fifth District Convention on April 24, 1971. In attendance were at least thirty undergraduates, including all Chapter Presidents and various other officers. Also present were National President Stan Raffa, National Treasurer Joseph Scotti and his son Vincent, and Fifth District Governor Joseph Creston, who officiated.

Every Fifth District chapter and alumni club was represented with the exception of the Weirton Alumni Club. On many counts, this district may stand proud.

This year, for example, Pi Chapter, West Virginia U. was resurrected with the tremendous help of Psi Chapter, Duquesne U. and Beta Lambda Chapter, St. Francis, Loretto. When one considers that Psi Chapter itself was resurrected from near death only two years ago, these results are extraordinary.

Scholastically, Psi won the IFC Award at Duquesne for highest quality point average this year; Beta Lambda has won the scholastic award at St. Francis twice in the past three years; and Beta Rho has won the scholastic award six of the seven years that the award has been made at Gannon. The chapters have also maintained an active program in sports, socials and other campus activities.

The alumni are also doing very well. The Pittsburgh Alumni Club presently boasts of 51 active members. Not only does the P.A.C. run monthly meetings regularly highlighted by guest speakers, but in between, the Executive Board meets to prepare for the regular monthly meeting. The Erie Alumni Club, the Fraternity's youngest entity, is also on the upswing.

At the convention meeting Joseph Creston, who has done a magnificent job as District Governor, was re-elected to his post.

Beta Rho Chapter was very hospitable. The brothers of Beta Rho have re-papered the main hall and have done a complete renovating job in the kitchen with wood panelling and a dropped ceiling. They also put out an excellent luncheon spread following the meeting in addition to accomodating all of the visiting undergraduate brothers over the weekend.

From P.A.C. To Psi

The Pittsburgh Alumni Club of Alpha Phi Delta Fraternity had one of its very special meetings on Friday evening, October 2, 1970 at Dels Restaurant in Pittsburgh. The main purpose of this regular meeting was to honor the undergraduates of Psi Chapter of Duquesne University and the receiving of the National Award of Most Improved Chapter at the 1970 national convention.

The evening was started with cocktails, followed with dinner. Following the good fellowship and



Mike Schichittano, Chi President, addresses the brothers at the Fifth District Convention.



It's time out to eat at the Fifth District Convention held April 24, 1971 at the Beta Rho House.

mixing during the cocktails and dinner President of the Pittsburgh Alumni Club Roger Lorenzini opened a brief speaking program. He thanked the chairmen of the affair Paul Fabrizio, Psi for doing such a fine job in arranging the affair. After disposing of the regular business of the meeting President Lorenzini introduced Julius J. Zangrille, Jr., National Vice President from Pittsburgh to make a few remarks. After declaring the program as set forth by the newly elected President he said "during the next year Stan and I are not interested in going to social affairs but want to visit each entity and talk with the boys and go over some of the items which they want to talk about." Finally he officially presented the Most Improved Chapter award to the President of Psi Chapter John Brown.

Following his remarks brother Brown made a presentation to 5th District Governor, A. Joseph Creston stating "that without Joe's untiring efforts and Most Improved Award would not have been possible." President John Brown also informed the more than 60 persons present for the meeting that Psi Chapter during the past week was awarded a plaque for having the outstanding booth in the Duquesne University Carnival which was a week long celebration of the D.U. Campus. Besides members of the Pittsburgh Alumni Club there were brothers from Nu Chapter and Beta Theta Chapter. Also present for the activities were: A. Joseph Creston, 5th District Governor, Adam Di Vincenzo, National Secretary, Joseph V. Scotti, National President, Frank E.

Costanzo, Past National President and Anthony R. Scotti, first president of the Pittsburgh Alumni Club.

Englewood G.O.P.

Chooses Boemi

Over Incumbent

The Republican organization of Englewood, New Jersey has nominated Councilman-at-Large Henry R. Boemi, Delta '42 to run for mayor, thus turning its back on Mayor Ned Feldman.

Boemi, elected to the Council as Feldman's running mate in 1969, said the Mayor has failed to stabilize soaring tax rates:

"Englewood's cost-per-pupil ratio is the highest in the state and one of the highest in the country," Boemi said. "It doesn't make sense for us to be No. 1 to the detriment of thousands of taxpayers."

Boemi, 53, is president of Albert Fentzlaff, Inc., a firm of consulting engineers. He is council administrator of the departments of public works, fire, building, and engineering, and he serves on the city's Board of School Estimate and Planning. He lives at 200 E. Hudson Ave., in the 3rd Ward, with his wife and three children.

JOSEPH A. DE GUGLIELMO, ASSOCIATE JUSTICE OF THE MUNICIPAL COURT OF BOSTON



Governor Frank Sargent (right) of the State of Massachusetts swears in Joseph A. De Guglielmo as Associate Justice of the Municipal Court of the City of Boston. Over 500 people crowded the State House to witness the ceremony. A buffet luncheon followed.



Joe De Gug, wearing a mock Cavalier of the U.S.S.R. badge which was given to him as a gag from the Boston Alumni, explains to his audience why this Testimonial Dinner is long overdue as his wife Angie looks on.



Take a look at De Gug's face as he first realizes that the Beta Sigma brothers came to Boston not only to congratulate him but also to sell some chance books.



At left is Mary Rubino (Steve's wife) asking Angie De Guglielmo (Joe's wife): "Do you think these free loading out-of-towners will ever leave?"

On Saturday, March 6, 1971 all roads led to Boston. The occasion was a Testimonial Dinner at the Cakely Country Club honoring Judge Joseph A. De Guglielmo, P.N.P. Brothers and wives from New York, New Jersey and Pennsylvania, including fourteen undergraduates from Beta Sigma, St. Francis College, Brooklyn, N.Y. joined the alumni of Boston, Mass. to pay tribute to Joe De Gug. Joe was appointed an Associate Justice of the Municipal Court of the City of Boston by Governor Sargent of the State of Massachusetts.

Many members of Alpha Phi Delta's National Executive Committee attended the affair, including President Stan Raffa, Secretary Adam Di Vincenzo, Treasurer Joseph Scotti, Chaplain Brother Camillus Casey, O.S.F., First District Governor Stephen Rubino, Third District Governor Albert Palazzo and Editor Santo Barbarino.

Perhaps Joe De Gug's appointment served merely as a somewhat official excuse for Alpha Phi Delta Fraternity to take time out and honor one of her most loyal supporters. Since his induction into Upsilon Chapter, Harvard University on December 10, 1928, Joe has maintained a record of Fraternity service perhaps unequalled. Serving as First District Governor, National President, National Secretary (fifteen years in this capacity), Chairman of the National Housing Committee, and Chairman of the National Convention Corporation, Joe discharged the duties of his many positions in a style all his own. Anyone who has seen him on the National Convention floor or at a Committee meeting could easily recognize and at the same time be readily entertained by his experience in Fraternity business and his technique in parliamentary procedure.

Joe De Gug's political career includes the following positions: Assistant City Solicitor of the City of Cambridge, 1937-1941; City Council of the City of Cambridge, 1945-1963; Mayor of the City of Cambridge, 1952 and 1953; Assistant District Attorney, Middlesex County, 1956-1958; City Manager of Cambridge, 1965-1967; and finally to the present Judgeship.

Following the affair, which was chaired by Americus D'Agostino, some of the brothers and their wives went to the De Gug's home, where Joe and his wife Angie served after-dinner cocktails unlimited. The next morning came rather quickly and the out-of-towners could be found at the home of Steve and Mary Rubino. With a breakfast which included home made Italian sausage and bread, Steve and Mary served enough food to keep Frank Cavallaro happy for three hours.



How's this for a gem. That's right — Joe De Gug at his First Communion. It has been reported that Joe is not holding a prayer book, but a book of Canon Law. (Sorry about this one, Joe.)



This picture is an A.P.D. special. Representing countless years of Fraternity service, they are, 1. to r., Carlo M. Vannicola; Joseph Scotti, National Treasurer; Adam Di Vincenzo, National Secretary; and Joseph De Guglielmo. Carlo and De Gug served as Treasurer and Secretary respectively before our present officers took their posts in 1960. All are Post National Presidents with the exception of Joe Scotti, who is the Chairman of the National Housing Foundation.



Mr. and Mrs. Joseph A. De Guglielmo.



Carlo M. Vannicola, P.N.P. delivered the toast, wishing De Gug the best of luck as he judges "the living and the dead."

Psi Takes Leads at Duquesne U.

Psi chapter has had one of the most award studded years of its 42 year history at Duquesne University and it is mirrored in the spirit of the chapter's brotherhood.

The brothers started the year off officially in September with Carnival. Carnival at Duquesne is just that; 4 nights of celebration before the start of the serious business of school work. This year under the direction of Salvatore Aloe, Psi erected the Cave. They sold pizza, sausage sandwiches and a special drink while the music-major brothers pounded out the entertainment. Bros. John Nychis, Mike Caporizzo, Al Meixner, Kenn Werner, and Vito DiSalvo formed a spur-of-the-moment rock group called the Many Stones and out in front of the Cave as many as a hundred people at a time could be found dancing to their beat. Needless to say, they won the Best Booth Award and at the presentation of the award the Dean of Students congratulated them for bringing back the spirit of Carnival. Also helping out was Mike Zerega who did all the Bartering. Their afterball found them in McKees Rocks until 5 a.m. at another of their Social Chairman's Ron Ricci Productions.

As many may know, Duquesne University faced at the beginning of this year a grave financial problem. The students of Duquesne took it upon themselves to save the school that they love and Psi was a part of this also. The Third Alternative (the name of the students' drive) had as treasurer Bro. Anthony Carfagnio who also happened to be our treasurer. In addition to donating so much of one of their officers, they also donated the entire fraternity to go around house to house canvassing. Psi chapter led all the Greeks in money collected.

Next in the year was Homecoming. Again we find Sal Aloe, Special Events Chairman, co-ordinating their belated float with the brothers at 6:30 in the morning at National Office in Manchester. They may not have won for their float — even if it was Tony Gallagher's MGB — but Psi's Sweetheart Carol Seamans, out of a field of 15 girls, came in 1st runner up in the race for Homecoming queen.

After Homecoming Psi's next project was to give their annual Christmas Party at the Holy Family Orphan's Home which is always a great time. Sal Aloe was Santa Claus again this year. This is a favorite with this group because everyone gets together to get toys and it gives the pledges something to work on.

After Homecoming and most of the normal business of the fraternity is over with all thoughts turn to the biggest thing they do all year and, indeed, next to nothing, the biggest social event on Duquesne's Campus. This is The Valentine Ball. From October to

February 12th, the night of this year's ball, every brother is out on the street digging up the advertisements necessary to put together their super-successful Valentine Ball Program Booklet. This year's Chairman was Ed Comas and enough can't be said for the work Ed did. Hours spent on the road and in general the expense of personal time puts Ed in Psi's debt of gratitude. The Ball, all together, cost \$2,000. No expense was spared to show the campus the best time ever, and they did it. The 2 music groups picked with the help of Bro. Parris Westbrook and Aquarian Associates electrified the audience and made the evening. In attendance also were several members of the Pittsburgh Alumni Club including P.A.C. president Roger Lorenzini and special guest Bro. Joe DeNardo, Psi's very own weather man. Bob Bickerton's great afterball found all the brothers nodding or asleep because of the great amount of energy expended during the day. All in all about 300 people attended the Ball and all had a hellishly good time.

Just before the Ball, elections were held and President John Brown was succeeded by Bro. Rick Kimmins as president of Psi. Other new officers are Sal Aloe, vice-president, Mike Zerega, sec., Don Reddinger, treas., Panfilo DiCenzo and Robert LePore, pledgemasters and Tony DiGirolamo, social chairman.

Bro. Thomas Mattei, a doctor teaching at the school of Pharmacy at Duquesne and a Psi '68 graduate, is the new faculty moderator. He succeeds Father Niehaus who died last year.

On March 28, Psi won the trophy for Greek Sing. With an original composition by Panfilo DiCenzo and the hard working direction of John Nychis Psi came up with the most original show of the night. Piano virtuoso Vito DiSalvo helped them along as accompanist and Bro. Claude Neidlinger kept time with the best bass playing in the school.

In addition to the Greek Sing Trophy Psi had an added surprise. IFC, that night, also announced the winner of the Academics Trophy for the fraternity with the highest Q.P.A. Any of your readers who are familiar with Psi Chapter's track record in academics will be shocked to hear that this chapter took that award also.

Another recent development which will be beneficial to Psi is the election of Salvatore Aloe to the post of Carnival Assistant Chairman which means that Sal will inherit the important post of Chairman in his senior year for the whole university.

Psi's only weakness is the procuring of new brothers and this is a problem shared by all fraternities on this campus and many chapters in this fraternity. All in all this year was one of the best ever both materially and spiritually for Psi Chapter, Duquesne U.

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closeness" that exists among the chapters of Alpha Phi Delta Fraternity. After the ceremony, National President Raffa treated all the gathered brothers to an informal dinner at a local Brooklyn restaurant.

January is the month when Beta Sigma changes its "top brass". Elections held by the chapter on Sunday, January 10, provided the following results: the Presidential reins were handed to Michael Polito, while Vincent Pitta became Vice-President; the task of "keeping those minutes" went to Joseph Ippolito, while Anthony Communiello was chosen as the new Treasurer; the task of orienting and guiding the pledges of 1971 fell to the new Pledgemaster, Paul Schietroma; Timothy Mulvey copped the position of House Chairman, while "party planning" became the job of the new Social Chairman, Stephen Maltese; finally, the new Historian of the chapter became William Weber, and Salvatore Caccavale was elected Chaplain. These men will lead Beta Sigma Chapter until January, 1972.

On the following evening, January 11, the brothers of Beta Sigma threw a surprise Homecoming Party for their moderator, Brother Camillus Casey, O.S.F., who is also National Chaplain of Alpha Phi Delta. Brother Camillus had spent much of the Christmas season in upstate New York, and was very elated to re-join the brothers of his chapter. "What can I say? I love you all" best expresses Brother's feelings that night.

Saturday night, April 3, found the brothers of Beta Sigma sponsoring their annual Alumni Party. At this time, the current undergraduates of the chapter honor those people who have served Beta Sigma with severe zeal in preceding years. Although the alumni turnout was sparse, a good time was had by all. Again National President Stan Raffa "made the scene".

Sunday, April 18, was the date of the chapter's Parents' Party. The parents of each of the brothers were treated to a catered affair at which time they got to meet each other on an informal basis. Brother Camillus Casey, O.S.F., graced the large gathering with his piano-playing.

A pledge period was held in the Spring Semester. After seven weeks of work and sacrifice, four new brothers took the oath of Alpha Phi Delta Fraternity on Saturday, April 24: Anthony D'Anna, Charles Garbarino, Donald Pisani, and Gary Vitta.

Two functions charmed the Third District Calendar this spring, and Beta Sigma was well represented at both. On Saturday, March 27, the Third District Communion Dinner was held in Ridgewood. Mr. Joseph A. DeGuglielmo, former chairman of the National Housing Committee, was the guest speaker for the event. During the course of the evening, Mr. Michael Polito, President of Beta Sigma Chapter, presented "Joe DeGug" with a plaque from Beta Sigma, in appreciation of all he had done for the chapter during the dark hours of the 1970 National Convention at Tamiment in the Poconos. Stephen Orr of Beta Sigma Chapter was chairman of the successful affair. After the dinner, all returned to the Beta Sigma Fraternity House for some "extra drinking and socializing".

The annual Third District Outstanding Alumnus Dinner was held on Saturday, May 1. At the dinner, Mr. Robert Chevy of Beta Eta Chapter, Brooklyn College, was honored as the 1971 Outstanding Alumnus of the district. The brothers of Beta Sigma, in addition

to honoring Bob at that affair, had elected him as an "honorary brother" of the chapter, the fourth in Beta Sigma's short history, at their April business meeting.

Saturday evening, May 22, Beta Sigma held its annual "Italian

Night". Each brother of the chapter must bring something "italiano" to the affair: the dishes ranged from lasagne to veal and peppers, while the wines ranged from chianti, to burgundy, to a "not-so-italian" spanada.



Who said Bro. Camillus only helps the Beta Sigma undergraduates? Here he is feeding a Beta Sigma alumnus — Dr. John Rollino.



At the Third District Communion Dinner, held March 27, 1971, Joe De Gug receives a plaque from Mike Polito, President of Beta Sigma. Joe is telling Mike: "The least you could have done was spell my name correctly!"

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Dancing in the streets in front of Psi Chapter's "Cave," at Duquesne University' Carnival.