

Plans Announced for Educational Conference

"Education for Excellence" will be the theme of Alpha Sigma Phi's 1967 Educational Conference at Purdue University August 23-26.

Chairman of the Conference is Brother Robert E. Miller, Connecticut '49, administrator for men's affairs at the University of Connecticut and a

Brother Follis Retires

The retirement of R. G. Follis, California '19, from chairman of the board and a director of the Standard Oil Company of California was announced in December.

An important voice in the petroleum industry for two decades, Brother Follis was chief executive officer of the company for 17 years, during its period of greatest growth.

He joined Standard in 1924 after graduating from Princeton with a major in physics and geology. By 1940 he had advanced to general manager of manufacturing, and by 1945 to president and director of the company. Three years later he was elected vice chairman of the board, and on Jan. 1, 1950, chairman.

As Standard's chief officer, Brother Follis directed expansion and development of the company from a predominantly Western concern to an international giant, ranking ninth in total assets among U. S. industrial corporations. Earnings of the company increased threefold during his tenure, with sales approaching three billion dollars.

Intensely interested in research, he was instrumental in the formation of Chevron Research Company, present centralized research arm of the company, and became its first chairman. He also played a leading role in establishing Standard's Chevron Chemical Company, an international subsidiary.

member of the Fraternity's Grand Council.

Alpha Sigma Phi has charted an ambitious course for the years just ahead. Goals include the strengthening and improving of existing chapters, as



BROTHER MILLER

Named Vice President



MANSON

Division maintains plants at Boonton and Succasunna, N. J. Brother Manson has been with Measurements since 1957 as assistant division manager, and has been acting division manager since Jan. 1, 1966.

He started his career with the Edison Company in 1935 and worked in its Storage Battery and Voice-Writer Divisions before joining Measurements.

well as the establishment of new ones across the country.

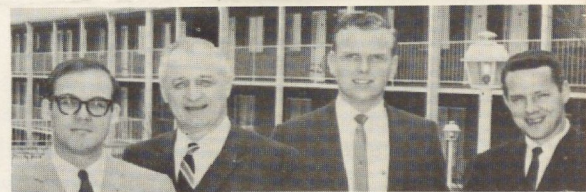
"In order to realize these objectives — in order for chapters to achieve excellence — we must have the best leadership available," Brother Miller explained, in announcing the Conference theme. "The purpose of an educational conference is to bring together promising leaders, selected by their chapters for training in the various aspects of chapter management.

"This includes scholarship, achieving educational objectives, rushing, pledge training programs, financial affairs, housing, alumni, and public relations."

Faculty members for the Conference are outstanding leaders in their fields, and the seminar approach will be designed to encourage active participation by all who attend, Brother Miller said.

Brothers of Alpha Pi Chapter will host the Conference in their brand new chapter house where all delegates will be lodged. Meetings will be held in the air-conditioned Purdue Memorial Union and Center. Guest facilities are available at the Union.

New MIFCA Officer

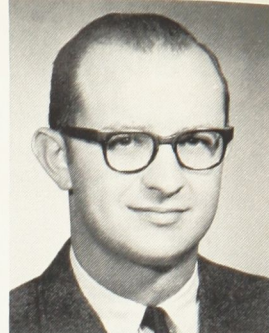


ROBERT SONNABEND, a member of Alpha Sigma Phi's undergraduate chapter at Missouri Valley, has been elected Missouri vice president of the Midwestern Interfraternity Council Association, which represents universities with 15 or fewer fraternities, in a 15-state area. Left to right at a MIFCA meeting are Brother Sonnabend; Alpha Sigma Phi Executive Secretary Ralph F. Burns; Roger Slead, Missouri Valley '59, newly-appointed assistant extension chairman for the midwest; and Richard Weiss, secretary-treasurer of Beta Sigma Psi, men's national Lutheran fraternity. Administrative secretary, Edward Madison also participated. Host for the meeting was the Kansas State Teacher College (Emporia) IFC. Approximately 25 National Fraternity Secretaries and College Deans attended.

Province Chiefs

William C. Kegel Chief, Province VII

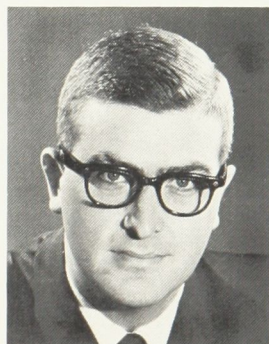
Newly appointed Province VII chief is William C. Kegel, general manager of the Ellwood City (Pa.) Ledger, a daily newspaper, and secretary of the Citizens Publishing & Printing Company. Currently serving for the sixth year as president of Westminster's Alpha Nu alumni association, he was chairman of the building committee during extensive remodeling of the house.



BROTHER KEGEL



BROTHER WARD



BROTHER BUTLER



BROTHER BERRY



BROTHER GIBBS

William R. Ward Chief, Province XI

Tufts University Graduate William R. Ward of Medford, Mass., continues to serve as Province XI chief, as well as a director of the Tufts Alpha Sigma Phi Association. Manager of trade and community relations for the B. F. Goodrich Company's Footwear Division, Watertown, Mass., Brother Ward is active in the Tufts Alumni IFC, Greater Boston Chamber of Commerce, Rotary Club, Medford Civic Association, and a director of the West Medford Cooperative Bank.

James A. Butler Chief, Province V

A graduate of the University of Toledo, Brother James A. Butler recently was appointed Province Chief. He currently is serving also as president of the Toledo Alumni Chapter, vice president of the House Corporation, and Undergraduate Chapter advisor. Brother Butler is supervisor of the Connecticut Mutual Life Insurance Company office in Toledo.

Joseph H. Berry Associate Chief, Province I

Former Province I Chief Joseph H. Berry presently is serving in the position of Associate Chief. He also is treasurer of Psi Association, the Oregon State alumni group. Brother Berry, whose home is in Corvallis, Oregon, was a 1965 recipient of the Delta Beta Xi award.

Richard R. Gibbs Associate Chief, Province II

Self employed as a manufacturers' representative in Tulsa, Okla., Richard R. Gibbs continues to serve as Associate Province II Chief. As an undergraduate at the University of Oklahoma, where he received a degree in mechanical engineering, Brother Gibbs was elected to membership in several honor societies.

Greeks in Congress

Sixty-six percent of the new senators and 32 percent of the freshman representatives in the 90th U. S. Congress are members of college fraternities.

The figures come from a survey of college alumni serving in Congress made by Stewart Howe Services, an agency which directs alumni support programs for university organizations across the nation.

Among all personnel of the 90th Congress, 76 percent of the senators and 38 percent of the representatives are affiliated with Greek-letter societies.

The survey was made to ascertain how effectively college fraternities and sororities are preparing and stimulating members to enter politics and serve in public offices. The results show that fraternity graduates are participating in above-average proportion, because some 10 percent of the senators and more than 20 percent of the representatives have had no higher education, or only a brief collegiate experience.

In addition, some college-educated representatives come from institutions which do not have fraternities.

Opportunity Available

Alpha Sigma Phi is accepting applications for the staff position of field representative. The position offers challenging opportunities for an outstanding brother with broad officer and chapter experience.

For complete details write to Edward J. Madison at the national office (address in necktie announcement below).

NEW NECKTIE PRICE

Your official Fraternity necktie now is available at the price of \$3.50. The tie is a pure-silk repp with regimental-stripe design featuring the cardinal and stone colors on a rich black background.

To get yours postage paid, just send \$3.50 (check or money order — no C.O.D.'s to Alpha Sigma Phi Fraternity, 24 West William Street, Delaware, Ohio 43015.

Law Student Honored

George Lord, Ohio Wesleyan '61, a senior in the Ohio Northern University College of Law, has been selected by the U. S. Attorney General's Office to work in the Department of Justice as a Civil Rights attorney.

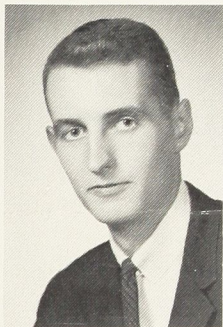
Brother Lord, a field secretary for Alpha Sigma Phi from 1963-64, is the number two man scholastically in his class, and only the second in the history of the Ohio Northern Law School to be accepted in the honors program.

He is one of 88 law school students throughout the nation to be selected. Scheduled to begin his assignment immediately after graduation, he will travel around the country, investigating Civil Rights violations.

Brother Lord has won several college honors and recently was named to the 1966 edition of "Who's Who Among Students in American Colleges and Universities." He is a member of Delta Theta Phi national law fraternity, the Junior Bar Association, and works as a reporter for the student law newspaper.

Seminar Participants

Newest developments in policyowner service, life insurance programming, and other phases of life underwriting were studied by two Alpha Sigma Phi alumni brothers at an intensive study program sponsored by National Life Insurance Company of Vermont.



CARD

Robert W. Card, Wayne '60, and Gerald T. Fenby, Wayne '59, were among eighth associates from the firm's field force to take part in the series of seminars, lectures, conferences, drills, and sales demonstrations.

Both men are with National Life's Detroit general agent, Austing A. Kante. Both also are members of the company's President's Club, which includes agents with outstanding client-service and sales records.

What they are saying about the new album

SONGS OF ALPHA SIGMA PHI

"Most certainly Brother Lowell Riley deserves a vote of thanks and sincere congratulations for such a fine job of arranging and directing the production which is so professional in its presentation."—Myron C. Higby, Stanford '18, Hollywood, Calif.

"It is, indeed, a very splendid arrangement and such a fine chorus! Mrs. Hartshon and our friends have enjoyed hearing the songs too."—Gordon W. Hartshon, Pennsylvania '25, Greeneville, Tenn.

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Brother Hansen Leads Busy Life

Iowa's newest highway commissioner, John R. Hansen, Iowa '26, leads a life that leaves little time for doing nothing. Brother Hansen, who returned recently from a two-year term in the U. S. House of Representatives, has a slate of activities that includes civic organizations as well as charitable and public service groups.

In his hometown of Manning, Commissioner Hansen is a member and past president of the Manning General Hospital Board, an elder of the First Presbyterian Church, a charter member and past president of Rotary Club, a member and past secretary of Lions Club, a member of the Izaak Walton League, and past president of the Manning Chamber of Commerce.

His record of civic service is not limited to the local level for he has donated time and energy to activities throughout the state and nation. From 1962-64 he served as Western Iowa area manager of the Savings Bond Division of the U. S. Treasury Department; for three years he was on the Iowa Board of Control of State Institutions; he is a former member of the Iowa Executive Council of the Gover-

nor's Commission on Alcoholism and the Iowa Commission on Interstate Cooperation; and he has been active in such organizations as the Boy Scouts and the Red Cross.

Brother Hansen currently is a member of the Iowa Mental Health Association, the Board of Trustees of the Osteopathic College of Medicine and Surgery of Des Moines, the Embassy Club of Des Moines, the Masons Consistory, and Shrine.

Help Encourage Scholarship
and Leadership

Among Undergraduate Brothers

contribute to the

Alpha Sigma Phi

Memorial Fund

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Delta Beta Xi Keys Awarded

Two more names have been added to the distinguished list of Alpha Sigma Phi's recipients of Delta Beta Xi awards.

They are The Rev. William T. Heil, Wagner '26, and Norman Lee Etheridge, Atlantic Christian '58. Both received Delta Beta Xi keys, symbolic of distinguished service to the Brotherhood.

Brother Heil was presented his key at a dinner given in his honor by the Wagner College chapter.

Brother Etheridge was honored last year at a banquet of the Atlantic Christian chapter. When the chapter joined Alpha Sigma Phi in 1958, Brother Etheridge, known by his many friends as "Tweeie," became a charter member. As an alumnus, he was instrumental in obtaining the present fraternity house, and he has remained close to all the undergraduate brothers, serving as head of house finances.



BROTHER ETHERIDGE

Delta Beta Xi awards were established in 1938 to honor Brothers who have made outstanding service contributions to the strength of the Fraternity.



DELTA BETA XI key is presented to Brother William Heil, Sr., left, by Brother Adolph Stern, former dean of Wagner College and himself a holder of a Delta Beta Xi award. At the right is Dr. Arthur O. Davidson, president of Wagner College.

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Alumni Briefs

ROGER D. WIEDENBECK, Purdue '58, currently is serving as director of sales activities for the Johnson Corporation of Michigan, which manufactures steam handling equipment.

STANLEY E. CROWL, Coe '59, Omaha, Neb., recently was promoted to assistant trust officer at the First National Bank of Omaha. Brother Crowl joined the bank in 1965 after receiving his J. D. Degree in law from the State University of Iowa. He was married to the former Patricia Ann Carrier Feb. 12, 1966.

DR. GEORGE R. COWGILL, Yale '19, is co-author of a new book, "The Art of Predictive Medicine," published by Charles C. Thomas. Brother Cowgill, a professor emeritus of nutrition, Yale University, is adjunct professor of biochemistry and nutrition at the University of Southern California. He and his wife attended the International Congress on Nutrition in Hamburg, Germany, last summer, and he currently is working with a heart specialist on a book which will be concerned with the history of coronary disease.

CHARLES R. LANGDON, American '63, has been promoted to producer of FM at WTOP Radio (CBS) in Washington. He is in charge of the Washington facilities of the new multi-million-dollar CBS "Sound of Youth" programming schedule.

ROBERT W. MAERCKLEIN, Wisconsin '37, chairman of Maercklein Advertising, Inc., has been elected president of The Wisconsin Club, one of Milwaukee's oldest clubs (established in 1891).

THOMAS C. WAJNERT, Illinois Tech '61, who received his M.B.A. in marketing at Southern Methodist University last year, lives in St. Louis, where he is a professional representative for the Hospital Products Division of The Kendall Company. Brother Wajnert will be married Sept. 10 to Amanda Kienly of Chicago.



WAJNERT