

# The Old Gal Gazette

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## National News

### **DISTINGUISHED SERVICE AWARD ANNOUNCED**

One of the highest honors an alumnus in Alpha Sigma Phi can receive is the Distinguished Service Award. Trusten P. Wadsworth (California '17), Berkeley, CA, has been named the 1982 recipient of this prestigious award.

The award will be presented to Brother Wadsworth by Grand Councilor Edmund Hamburger (Brooklyn Poly Tech '45) at the annual Founders Day Banquet of the Bay Area Alumni Council, on December 7 in San Francisco.

"Tux" Wadsworth served as HSP of Nu Chapter in 1924, and has served as Secretary, Editor, Treasurer and President of the Bay Area Alumni Council. He is recognized for developing and maintaining the Bay Area Alumni Council's strength through leadership, hard work, and sound example. He is honored as well for his outstanding leadership in re-establishing Nu Chapter of Alpha Sigma Phi at the University of California, Berkeley. He received the Delta Beta Xi Award in 1975.

The Fraternity expresses its most sincere congratulations and appreciation! Causa Latet Vis Est Notissima!

### **1982 DELTA BETA XI CLASS ANNOUNCED**

In 1864, Alpha Chapter of Alpha Sigma Phi Fraternity at Yale University successfully met the challenge of imminent suppression which threatened the young society. By their adoption of a tri-lateral alias, Delta Beta Xi was born and thus Alpha Sigma Phi was permitted to live. For eleven years, from 1864 to 1876, the traditions of Alpha Sigma Phi were continued on the Yale campus by successive sophomore classes who operated under this mask but who secretly pledged their allegiance to the Fraternity which Delta Beta Xi was created to perpetuate.

The Grand Council selects no more than ten men yearly to receive the Delta Beta Xi Award, in honor and recognition of loyal and distinguished service to the Fraternity.

Four alumni brothers have been named to the 1982 Delta Beta Xi Class. They are Donald Morgan (Purdue '57), the current Grand Marshal; Charles J. ("Bushy") Fox, (Cornell '09); Dr. Larry Spees (Ohio Wesleyan '57), GCA for Delta Epsilon Chapter and current Grand Province Chief for Province VI; and Charles R. McLean (Ohio State '53), former president of the Zeta Chapter Alumni Corporation. All awards will have been presented by the Grand Council (or their official representatives) by December 7. Complete information on the recipients will be included in the winter issue of The Tomahawk. Congratulations!

### **NUMBER 137**

Alpha Sigma Phi, a leading men's national fraternity, will celebrate the 137th anniversary of its founding on December 6, 1982. Several chapters are planning celebrations appropriate to the occasion.



## The Chapters

### **DELTA DELTA CHAPTER, Slippery Rock State College**

Members of Delta Delta sold balloons at the college's Homecoming festivities. All proceeds were donated to the Children's Hospital - money was raised for a good cause, and the chapter received some good publicity.

- Reported by Steven Karcewski

### **BETA DELTA CHAPTER, Marshall University**

The fall pledge class of Beta Delta took on celebrities from a local radio station, known as the "Jox Socks," in a basketball game on November 22. The game took place before the opening exhibition game of the Marshall University varsity team. All proceeds were given to Ramey Children's Home in Ashland, Kentucky.

- Reported by Robert Carl

### **BETA EPSILON CHAPTER, Lehigh University**

Lehigh fraternities are allowed to have three campus parties per semester. The Alpha Sig lineup for the fall semester included a "Hawaiian Party," complete with carved coconuts for glasses, Hawaiian punch, and outdoors decorations; an "Endless Summer" party featuring sand in the social room with a pier and a lifeguard stand; and a "Space Party" with rolls of aluminum foil, window painting, black light decor, etc.

- Reported by John Burke

### **GAMMA PSI CHAPTER, Lawrence Institute of Technology**

The chapter announces that plans are under way to celebrate the chapter's 50th anniversary. Gamma Psi had its beginnings as a chapter of Alpha Gamma Upsilon in 1933, and became part of Alpha Sigma Phi as a result of a merger in 1968.

Plans call for a formal celebration in December, 1983. The chapter is working now to update alumni address lists and "get the word out."

- Reported by Robert Vieracker

### **GAMMA DELTA CHAPTER, Davis & Elkins College**

A new idea for a little sister rush event was a bonfire party. The brothers and pledges served cheese, crackers, dip, a vegetable tray, punch and beer. That nice warm fire felt great on a cold West Virginia evening.

- Reported by David Brown

### **BETA MU CHAPTER, Wake Forest University**

It was a long trek from the Virginia-North Carolina border to Winston-Salem, but all members of Alpha Sigma Phi's Beta Mu Chapter made the run while rolling an empty beer keg. The reason? To raise money for charity. Money pledged totaled nearly \$900.00, and the event proved to be one of the best activities of the fall!



## Odds & Ends

### ANOTHER ALPHA SIG ACRONYM

Regular **Gazette** readers will remember the article a few weeks back on Hartwick College's acronym for Alpha Sigma Phi. Gamma Omicron Chapter at Tulane University used this acronym in recruitment flyers. The result was 15 new pledges.

A - is Alpha Sigma Phi  
L - is learning - to be a better man  
P - is parties - we have our share  
H - is heritage - ours is proud  
A - is action - key to a dynamic chapter

S - is scholarship - keeping strong academically  
I - is incredible - which we are  
G - is Great - Alpha Sigma Phi!

## Pledges



**NU CHAPTER, University of California, Berkeley:** Mark Lindley, November 15, 1982.

**UPSILON CHAPTER, Pennsylvania State University:** Douglas Haling, Patrick Foley, Mark Rabens, Michael Renzo, Jon Stennett, Thomas Netscher and Andrew Krupp, November 3, 1982.

**ALPHA PI CHAPTER, Purdue University:** Richard Barr, James Fitzgerald, David Howard, Craig Mech, Thomas Mikayawa, Dempsey Nugent, William Piepmeyer, Craig Plummer, Jeffrey Rogers, Joseph Schwartz, Michael Swinney, Carl Van Rijk and Jeffrey Witter, October 18, 1982.

**ALPHA PSI CHAPTER, Presbyterian College:** Rick Betts, Eric Cape, Peter Crocker, David Hanlon, Joseph Howe, Fredrick Hulett, Edgar Hunt, John Janes, Szalez Mayer, Roderick McLain, Todd Overton and Harry Petersen IV, September 30, 1982.

**BETA CHI CHAPTER, The American University:** Neil Caricofe, Bill Nelson, Mark Jones and Christopher Boni, October 20, 1982.

**GAMMA THETA CHAPTER, University of Miami:** Mitchell Goldstein and Everisto Moseley, October 17, 1982.

**GAMMA XI CHAPTER, Widener University:** Joseph Powell, Chris Cassidy, Thomas Mullin, Pete Mancuso, Bill Powers, Todd Patterson, John Buckley, Mark Stubits, Gary Marshall, Chris Ritter, Steve Jones and Pete Barry, October 12, 1982.

**DELTA KAPPA CHAPTER, Francis Marion College:** Howard Nettles, Salvador Pontaro, William Stafford and John Morrison, October 26, 1982.

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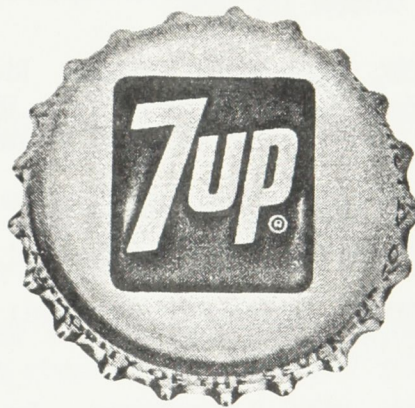
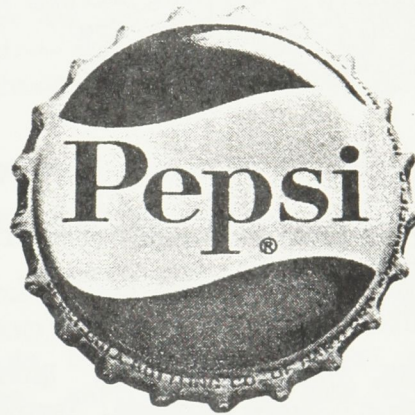
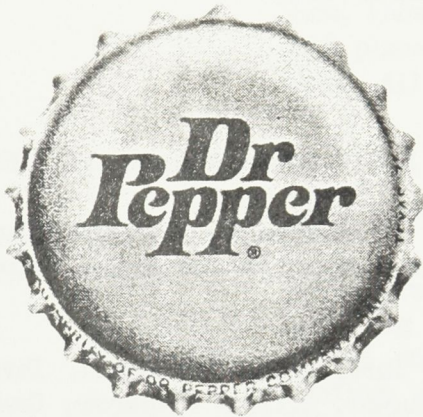
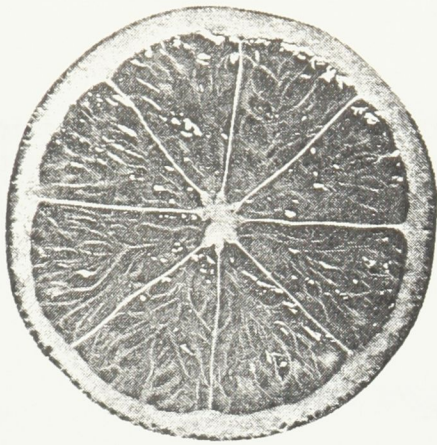


**UPSILON CHAPTER, Pennsylvania State University:** John Ingros and Kurt Knappman, November 7, 1982.

**BETA DELTA CHAPTER, Marshall University:** David Adams, Donald Brooks, William Durstein, John Holmes, Scott Mathisen, Michael Morris, Eric Shelburne and Joseph Yeager, December 3, 1982.

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**Except driving.**