



PHI ALPHA DELTA

LAW FRATERNITY, INTERNATIONAL

THE HISTORY CONTINUES...

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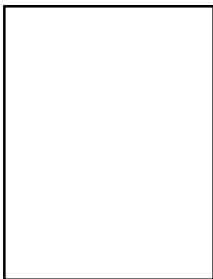
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The Justices 1902 - 2002

From the founding of Phi Alpha Delta in 1902 until 1908, the chief executive officer of the fraternity was designated by the title, 'Chief Justice'. In 1908, this title was changed to 'Supreme Justice'. Three Supreme Justices have been elected to a second term: Lawrence W. Ledvina, John Doyle Carmody, and Douglas L. Edmonds. Three Supreme Justices have had their term of office extended by external circumstances - George L. Stewart by World War I; Allan T. Gilbert by the Great Depression; and J. Harry LaBrum by World War II.



Roland M. Hollock
1902 - 1903



William C. Healion
1904



Waldemar C. Wehe
1904 - 1905



Paul C. Meier
1905 - 1906



Thomas P. Octigan
1906 - 1907



Lawrence W. Ledvina
1907 - 1908, 1908 - 1909



Samuel H. Roberts
1909 - 1910



John Doyle Carmody
1910 - 1911, 1911 - 1912



Edward J. Hess
1912 - 1913



James P. Aylward
1913 - 1914



Edgar Jonas
1914 - 1915



George L. Stewart
1915 - 1919



August A. Rendigs, Jr.
1919 - 1921



Frank L. Fawcett
1921 - 1923



George E. Fink
1923 - 1925



Rex Hardy
1925 - 1927



John J. Nangle
1927 - 1930



Allan T. Gilbert
1930 - 1934



William S. Culbertson
1934 - 1936



Dwight H. Green
1936 - 1938



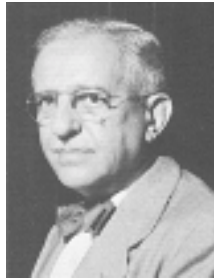
J. Harry LaBrum
1938 - 1946



Frank M. Ludwick
1946 - 1948



Douglas L. Edmunds
1948 - 1950, 1950 - 1952



Anthony P. Savarese
1952 - 1954



Robert D. Jackson
1954 - 1956



Elwyn Thomas
1956 - 1958



John L. Griffith
1958 - 1960



Anthony A. DiGrazia
1960 - 1962



Alfred P. Murrach
1962 - 1964



Elden S. Magaw
1964 - 1966



Robert E. Redding
1966 - 1968



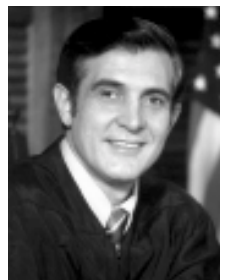
Henry C. Rohr
1968 - 1970



Alex A. Hotchkiss
1970 - 1972



Matthew S. Rae
1972 - 1974



C. Raymond Judice
1974 - 1976

In 1976 the titles of the elected officers of the Fraternity were changed from "Supreme" to "International". In 1985, International Vice Justice Jack L. Miller succeeded to the position of International Justice upon the death of the incumbent International Justice, Stanley Kohn. Miller was thereafter elected to a full term of office in 1986.



Don Hutson
1976 - 1978



Frank J. McCown
1978 - 1980



Steve Clark
1980 - 1982



Charles H. Taylor
1982 - 1984



Stanley H. Kohn
1984 - 1985



Jack L. Miller
1985 - 1988



Larry J. Crigler
1988 - 1990



Homer Taft
1990 - 1992



Norman M. Owen
1992 - 1994



Fredric H. Pearson
1994 - 1996



Clifford S. Schechter
1996 - 1998



Joseph E. Deems
1998 - 2000



Shelley A. Weinstein
2000 - 2002

THE FOUNDERS

LAW STUDENT LEAGUE
1897

LAMBDA EPSILON FRATERNITY
1898

PHI ALPHA DELTA LAW FRATERNITY
1902

The Founders of Phi Alpha Delta Law Fraternity

Alfred Thompkins	H.W. Bloomingston
Sidney B. Meyer	Paul C. Meier
Shelley B. Neltnor	M.B. Schuster
George B. Watson	J.M. Prentiss
A.F. Holste	Fred L. Nees
Mark H. Bell	C.D. Daly
Elias Mater	S.T. Sutton
E.G. Henkel	James R. Garrett
S.N. Sherburne	Asahel W. Gage



THE PROLOGUE - 1897-1902

- *What is Phi Alpha Delta?*
- *Where did it start?*
- *Did it always espouse the goals we value today?*

The Beginning

Phi Alpha Delta has grown to its size and structure today from a series of events that commenced in 1897. The location was the Chicago Law Institute Library located in the county courthouse. At this time Arthur C. Ford was paying his way through night law school at the Chicago College of Law by working as an assistant in the library. Asahel W. Gage, another law student, frequently made use of the library where he and Arthur Ford “put their heads together” on many legal problems.

Soon a strong bond developed between them, not only due to their joint studying, but also because of their previous relationship as undergraduate members of Phi Gamma Delta social fraternity. Later, other students were invited into their select camaraderie and informal meetings were held. An early report of their activities states:

“In the early days, they met many times in the office on Clark Street just across from the courthouse where John A. Brown was employed by a law firm. Others in the group were E. N. Sherburne, James R. Garrett, Sherwood, and Sherratt.”

The all-important catalyst that welded together these law students suddenly appeared in November 1897. At that time the Supreme Court of Illinois, without prior notice, adopted “Rule 39” which required all candidates for admission to the Bar to be graduates of a high school, followed by a study of the law for three years, and then successfully complete a bar examination. In addition, these new regulations were made retroactive to include all students who were then in law school or who had otherwise begun the study of the law.

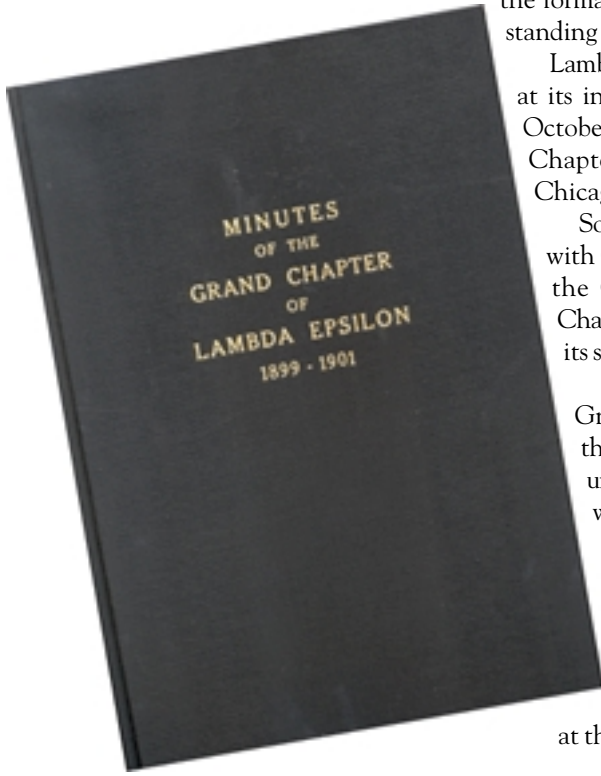
Suddenly this group of law students had a cause! They quickly began mapping plans to have the rule modified to exclude those who had begun the study of law before the adoption of this rule.

Law Student League

The group formed the Law Student League to seek an exemption from the provisions of this new rule for those students who had commence their legal education prior to its adoption. The result was passage by the Illinois Legislature of an act exempting the students from the effects of Rule 39 if they had commenced the study of law before to its adoption. However, this first success was quickly undone by the Illinois Supreme Court which refused to recognize the legislative exemption, holding that it alone had the inherent and exclusive jurisdiction to establish qualifications for admission to the bar of that state. This holding was soon thereafter confirmed by the test case of *In Re Application of Henry M. Day, et al*, 181 ILL. 73.

Where direct combat with the Supreme Court proved to be a tilting at windmills with efforts ending in frustration, the creation of the League was not altogether in vain. Experience gained in the league afforded an opportunity for law students to see first hand that valuable friendships and relations were a natural result and that strength lay in organization of people with similar goals. The students quickly determined to preserve these new relationships in a more permanent organization.

Lambda Epsilon is Born



Conceived in such an environment, the natural result was the formation of a law fraternity, Lambda Epsilon; Lambda standing for "law" and Epsilon standing for "equity."

Lambda Epsilon was born twins, there being two chapters at its inception: Kent Chapter which was established in October, 1898, at Kent College of Law, and Blackstone Chapter which was established in February, 1899, at Chicago College of Law.

Soon thereafter, Kent College of Law was consolidated with Chicago College of Law, the new school becoming the Chicago-Kent College of Law. Similarly Kent Chapter merged into Blackstone Chapter, thereby losing its separate identity.

The newly merged chapter was designated the Grand Chapter. It was to be the supreme authority of the Fraternity and its membership was not to be altered until twelve subordinate chapters had been established within the Fraternity.

Creation of the first subordinate chapter was not long in materializing. In June 1899, Story Chapter was authorized for the Illinois College of Law. Records indicate that so secretly was Story Chapter organized that, for many years, its existence was unknown to either the faculty or the other students at the law school.

First Convention of Lambda Epsilon

Soon after the chartering of Story Chapter, records indicate that a meeting of the Grand Chapter was held in the Tacoma Building in Chicago. Here, a call was issued for a convention of Lambda Epsilon Fraternity to convene later in the year to adopt a constitution for the Fraternity. Subsequently, the first convention of Lambda Epsilon was called to order on Monday, December 4, 1899, in the Sherman House, Chicago, Illinois.

Rapping the first gavel was the Right Honorable Chief Justice A. C. Ford, acting as temporary chairman of the convention. He soon relinquished the chair to Brother Chester W. Church of Blackstone Chapter, the first elected chairman of a convention of law students which was to subsequently blossom into Phi Alpha Delta. Other officers elected to serve during this convention were: Brother E. N. Sherburne of Kent Chapter, who was elected Secretary; Brother Paul C. Meier of Story Chapter, Assistant Secretary; and Brother William R. Anderson of Blackstone Chapter, Sergeant-at-Arms.

Delegates to this first convention included: (from Blackstone Chapter) Henry J. Frercks, Noel B. Palmer, Albert W. Hawkes, Chester W. Church, William R. Anderson, and George A. B. Pfuhl. Alternates were Louis O. Karuse, Fred W. Kraft, Ernest W. Woll, and John J. C. Mandiomi. Delegates from the Kent Chapter were Albert B. Nelson, E. N. Sherburne, M. W. Noel, R. H. Warfield, Fred Mercer, and James Hiaye. Story Chapter delegates were Martin H. Foss, Shelley B. Neltnor, Paul C. Meier, Mark H. Bell, John F. Hagey, and John A. Brown. Alternates were Augustus C. Babize, Bertram W. Edwards, DeGoy B. Ellis, Melvin C. Moyer, and Harry O. Rhodes.

This first convention then turned to the matter of adopting convention rules and the appointment of committees on ritual, membership pins, banquet, and an appropriate Fraternity headquarters, and then, of course, the consideration and adoption of a constitution for the Fraternity.

After considerable give and take (after all, these were budding lawyers!), the fledgling Fraternity adopted the following preamble:

We, the brothers of Lambda Epsilon, being desirous of forming a more perfect law fraternity, of improving ourselves, morally, mentally, and for the betterment of our social conditions, of inciting the desire among us for the attainment of a worthy and just fame and of aiding each other to the accomplishment of these ends, do ordain and establish this Constitution of the Fraternity of Lambda Epsilon.

Next, the supreme legislative power was vested in a convention to be held biennially, with each college and graduate chapter entitled to three delegates. Officers of the Grand Chapter were to be a Right Honorable Chief Justice, a Right Honorable Chancellor of the Exchequer, a Right Honorable Custodian of the Rolls, a Right Honorable High Sheriff, and a Right Honorable High Bailiff. The subordinate chapters to have corresponding officers, deleting however, the word "Right" from the officers' titles.

Members of the Fraternity were to be chosen with "reference to moral, intellectual, and social worth, gentlemanly deportment, and a fine sense of honor; who were rightly matriculated male students of the institution where the chapter initiating such persons was located." Subordinate chapters were limited to a maximum membership of thirty students each at any one time.

An eight-point gold star with a raised center field of white, surrounded by a circle of black, upon which was engraved the Greek letters of the fraternity was adopted as the fraternity pin. Scarlet was chosen as the Fraternity color. The official flag was designed as a scarlet field with a center circular field of white surrounded by a circle of black; on the field of white in gold were the Greek letters of Lambda Epsilon.

The first convention then elected the following officers to serve for the ensuing biennium: Brother A. B. Pfuhl of Blackstone Chapter as the Right Honorable Chief Justice; Brother A. W. Gage as the Right Honorable Chancellor of the Exchequer; Brother John F. Hagey of Story Chapter as the Right Honorable Custodian of the Rolls; Brother James Hiaye of Kent Chapter as the Right Honorable High Sheriff; and Brother Chester W. Church as the Right Honorable High Bailiff. The retiring Right Honorable Chief Justice A. C. Ford performed the installation of the new officers.

The new officers immediately embarked upon the duties of their offices, holding frequent meetings, encouraging expansion, and adopting fraternity insignia. Expansion possibilities were soon explored at the Universities of Wisconsin and Indiana and were a major topic of discussion at the first meeting of Grand Chapter II that was held on January 15, 1900.

This same meeting produced a formal statement of expansion policy:

"It is the sense of the Grand Chapter of Lambda Epsilon that each and every member of our worthy order seek to enlarge the interest and expand the beautiful fraternal relations, as established in our order, among institutions worthy of recognition by Lambda Epsilon."

Subsequently, the sixth meeting of Grand Chapter II saw the adoption of the certificate of membership and of the Great Seal. The Fraternity pin was adopted at the ninth meeting of Grand Chapter II on March 9, 1900.

The tenth meeting of Grand Chapter II convening on March 16, 1900 featured the consideration of a petition from seven students at Northwestern University seeking a Lambda Epsilon chapter charter. Approval of the petition was followed by the initiation of the seven petitioners and the new chapter was designated as the Fuller Chapter.

On June 3, 1901, the official call for the second biennial convention of Lambda Epsilon went out. The convention was slated for June 29-30, 1901 at Brown Lake, Lake County, Illinois.

This convention turned out to be a memorable one for most of the delegates. Minutes indicate that the delegates shared their tents with “ravenous mosquitoes”, and the heat was “intense”. But, perhaps compensating somewhat, were “nearby fine fishing, boating, and bathing,” which, one note indicates, “may have accounted for the apparent lack of business activities.”

Nevertheless, the delegates appeared to find time to consider suggestions to publish a fraternity newspaper (defeated), and several amendments to the constitution (postponed for later action).

Officers elected at this convention included: Brother Asahel W. Gage as Right Honorable Chief Justice; Brother Shelley B. Neltnor as Right Honorable Chancellor of the Exchequer; Brother James R. Garrett as Right Honorable Custodian of the Rolls; Brother Edward N. Sherburne as Right Honorable High Sheriff; and Brother John A. Brown as Right Honorable High Bailiff. The convention then adjourned to reconvene at the call of the chairman of the convention.

What was the size of Lambda Epsilon during these formative years? The first Lambda Epsilon Directory, published by Right Honorable Chief Justice Gage soon after his election, contained the names of 115 members, considered at that time to be a healthy number.

But, ironically, a gray period for Lambda Epsilon was right around the corner.

The Special Session of the second Biennial Convention was held on April 26, 1902 to consider the proposed constitutional amendments. The call for this special session specifically indicated that only the same delegates who had attended the June 29-30 session would be accredited as delegates to this session. Records of this convention indicate that “no action was taken” and one report indicated that “something was wrong with Lambda Epsilon, though no one seemed to know the real trouble.” Talk was heard about “reorganizing” and “going about it differently.” And, several officers reportedly felt that the organization was not a “real fraternity.”

During this period, Grand Chapter III endeavored to “save” the Fraternity. A new chapter, Daniel Webseter, was chartered at Chicago Law School. And, in the “doctoring” process, the Right Honorable Chief Justice determined to call another Convention to work on the problems at hand.

The Final Convention for Lambda Epsilon

This called convention was the sounding of the death knell for Lambda Epsilon. Convention headquarters was the Colonial Tavern in South Haven, Michigan. Delegates later reported that they met in the cupola of a small tower above the main building, “the hottest place in all creation.” Delegates attending this convention and others present included: Alfred Tompkins, Sidney B. Meyers, Shelley N. Neltnor, George B. Watson, A. F. Holste. Mark H. Bell, M. B. Schuster, Fred L. Nees, Simond Sutton, Asahel W. Gage, Ellis Mayers, E. G. Henkle, E N. Sherburne, Roland M. Hollock, Paul C. Meier, H. W. Bloomington, J. M. Prentiss, Charles L. Daly, and James R. Garrett.

The assembled delegates quickly elected Roland M. Hollock as Chairman and Simond Sutton as Secretary of the convention. Hollock was later elected as the first Chief Justice of the newly reorganized Phi Alpha Delta, indicating a continuing confidence in his abilities as presiding officer.



An informal photo from the 1902 Lambda Epsilon Convention.

July 27, 1902 was the last day of the convention. It was also the last day of existence for Lambda Epsilon. Minutes of the Convention state:

"It was apparent that the spirit of dissatisfaction had spread since the last convention; and every delegate was prepared for something radical. No one hesitated to express himself without reservation during the deliberations of this convention. After many speeches had been made, a resolution dissolving Lambda Epsilon Fraternity was unanimously adopted."



Early photo of the Brothers.

Lambda Epsilon, with all of its troubles, was no more. However, it had not lived in vain as its work provided the groundwork for the creation of Phi Alpha Delta.

The First Initiate

In an article published in the May, 1937, issue of *The Reporter*, Brother DeGoy B. Ellis offered his recollections as follows: " My recollection regarding the first initiation in Lambda Epsilon, from which Phi Alpha Delta was originated, is as follows: Arthur C. Ford, who was a student at either Kent College of Law or Illinois College of Law, worked out the entire ritual and

got a few of us boys together in a room at the old Sherman Hotel. It was decided by this small group of five or six that I should be initiated, and I was accordingly initiated. I cannot tell whether at this time I was a student at Illinois or Kent, but I think this occurred in 1898. My recollection is that John H. Brown (who now has offices on LaSalle Street) was one of this group, but I am not sure, and I think this was the first regularly organized Chapter of Lambda Epsilon, that I had heard of, though I believe that J. M. Kirkwood, Morris W. Loel, D. M. Howe, W. A. White, Robert Shaw, Arthur C. Ford, and Ben C. Nelson, and possibly some others, had held a preliminary meeting, but I am sure that I was told at the time that I was the first person to be initiated."

The First Woman Initiate

The Thirty-Eighth Biennial Convention in 1970 authorized the induction of women members into Phi Alpha Delta. According to the records maintained by the Executive Office, the first woman officially to become a member of the Fraternity, following this authorization, was Anna Carolyn Fox Hinds of McReynolds Chapter.

The Name Selected...

Why the Name “Phi Alpha Delta?”

While the information concerning the selection of the name of our Fraternity is included in the text of this history covering the period of 1976, the author believes that it is of sufficient interest to our members to be included here also, at the beginning of this history. This chapter contains greater detail concerning the research than that found in a later part of this history.

With the adoption of a revised ritual in 1976, the Supreme Executive Board addressed a recurring question: Why the name “Phi Alpha Delta”? What was the purpose of our founders in selecting this particular name? The only thing that is certain is that they are the twenty-first, first, and fourth letters of the Greek Alphabet.

In researching the history of the Fraternity for the first edition published in 1967, the author of this history visited with Brother John Brown, then the sole surviving founder of our Fraternity, to discuss this matter with him. Due to his advanced age, however, Brother Brown could not recall the significance of the selection of these three particular letters of the Greek Alphabet.

Extensive research into the available early records of both Lambda Epsilon Fraternity and Phi Alpha Delta did not prove particularly enlightening regarding the choice of Phi Alpha Delta. However, it did reveal that the name Lambda Epsilon was chosen with “Lambda” standing for “Law” and “Epsilon” for “Equity”.

It is known that the names of many fraternities were chosen from selected passages of Greek classic literature. To ensure secrecy, the first letters of the key words in the passage were then selected as the identification for the organizations.

The author of this history did discover a reference to the phrase “Fond of One’s Brother” in an early edition of the ritual of the Fraternity. However, this reference is not specific, and it could not be determined if it was a quote from a classic work of Greek literature. Another reference was found to “Philos Adelpheos,” which we know is a reference to “Brotherly Love.” Hundreds of letters were written to all members who were members of the Fraternity for forty years or more seeking information concerning this matter. While a number of members did respond to this request, none were able to document with certainty the specific reasons for the selection of the name of our Fraternity. However, many did indicate that a reference was made during their initiation to the phrase “Fond of one’s brother” or to “Brotherly Love.”

Brother Horace V. Condit (Magruder’24) submitted the following “I remember very well the reference in the ritual to the phrase ‘Fond of One’s Brother.’ It was preceded by a statement to the effect that it was a translation of the Greek words ‘Philos Adelpheos.’ My Latin Dictionary by Charlton T. Lewis. Ph.D. (American Book Company, 1918) lists the word ‘Adelphi’ as the plural form of the Greek word meaning ‘Brothers’. This was the name of a Greek work written by P. Terentius Afer, a friend of Scipio and Laelius.”

Brother Frank E. Chalfant (Dunbar) wrote “My memories of the lessons in honor, fidelity, and fraternity are still bright after 56 years.”

Brother Edwin C. Patzlaff (Webster’17) stated “(I) was initiated into Webster Chapter in late 1917 just before entering military service...the expression ‘Fond of One’s Brother’ was impressed on the candidate during our initiation.”

Brother Leon T. David (Holmes’23) indicated “when I was initiated by Holmes Chapter in 1923, the derivation of ‘Phi Alpha Delta’ was explained as a code name, as it were, for ‘Philos Adelpheos’-from the same derivation as Penn’s Philadelphia.”

Brother Philip G. Brennan (Story) obtained the letter reproduced below from his brother-in-law, the Reverend Stephen E. Donlon, S.J. of Loyola University, Chicago, who has a Master's Degree in Greek (Classic) as well as Latin. Brother Charles C. Montgomery (Ross) wrote a very interesting letter, which is reproduced in its entirety.

In another vein, Brother Freeman Crampton provided: "I remember it was said around Ann Arbor when I was in school there, 1924 et seq., that Phi Alpha Delta was founded in most part by those who were members of the social fraternity, Phi Gamma

Delta, and that in choosing a name for their professional group they merely substituted the word 'Alpha' for 'Gamma'." (Also see the reference to Phi Gamma Delta on the first page of the prologue of this history)

The author expresses his sincere appreciation to all those members who responded to the request for information, those listed above as well as to: Brothers George W. Robertson (Gunter '24); James D. Gray (Watson '25); Glenn A. Davis (Hammond); Newell A. Lamb (Ryan); B. K. Roberts (Fletcher '28); F. Ryan Duffy (Ryan); Paul N. Kirk (Reese '24); A. C. Postel (Temple'16); Harry G. Waltner (Benson '28); Homer A. Dodge (Benson'22); John R. Ober (Campbell'12); Tom Constable (Rapallo'09); Eugene J. Conroy (Wilson '27); Emory M. Schulze (Magruder '26); M. Clarence Crowder (C. Clark '23); Thomas S. Stone (Ryan '34); O. A. Ehr Gott (Magruder '15); Le Roy W. Dahlberg (Marshall '30); Eugene S. Sanden (Marshall '22); Merritt W. Oldaker (Gunter '24); Bernard McDevitt (Blackstone '25); John W. Gillon, Jr. (Clay '25); and O. E. Bradley (Green '24).

The information provided by the aforementioned members was of great help to the author not only in researching the early history of the Fraternity but also as an important source of information to the International Executive Board in making the necessary decisions concerning the revision of the Ritual of the Fraternity.

Exhaustive research having failed to discover the exact intention of the founders in selecting these particular letters of the Greek alphabet for our name, the International Executive Board, in adopting the newly revised edition of the Ritual of the Fraternity pursuant to the action of the Forty-First Biennial Convention in 1976, and after giving

due consideration to the information supplied by our early members determined that henceforth the phrase "Phi Alpha Delta" will connote the Greek phrase "Philos Adelfhos Dikaios":

"Philos" meaning "Love," "Fondness," and "Affection"

"Adelfhos" meaning "Brother" and, in its broadest sense, "Humanity" and

"Dikaios" meaning "Justice".

In arriving at this determination the Board decided that, translated into our contemporary language, "Philos Adelfhos Dikaios" will hereafter connote the phrase, "Love Of Humanity Ensuring Justice For All." Thus, our name signifies the two basic precepts upon which our Fraternity is founded: Fraternalism - the joining together of dedicated people in a common spirit to promote the improvement of humanity; and, Justice, that ideal which we who have chosen the legal profession must preserve by exemplifying the principles of Integrity, Compassion and Courage.

THE FORMATIVE YEARS - 1902-1916

Lambda Epsilon Fraternity has ceased to exist. But its death did not signal an abandonment of the close friendships that had developed during its tumultuous years.

On the day following the demise of Lambda Epsilon, members who were determined to re-group and try again formed a close nucleus and held their first session to reorganize at the Colonial Tavern (more particularly, the Bridal Suite of the tavern!) in South Haven, Michigan, the same location as the recently concluded final convention of

Lambda Epsilon.

After “considerable discussion and debate” (once again a meeting of lawyers and law students!) “The Committee” (as it called itself) prepared and submitted a plan of organization entitled “Articles of Organization” which later became known as the “Articles of South Haven.” These articles, signed the day following the dissolution of Lambda Epsilon, subsequently were to serve as the foundation of Phi Alpha Delta. The contents of this founding document reads as follows:

Articles of South Haven

This Association shall be composed of men who subscribe to the Articles of Organization, and such other white men as may be invited by name by the directors herein provided for.

The officers of this organization shall be a president, a secretary, and a treasurer.

There shall be elected a board of directors to be composed of the officers and three other men.

The board of directors shall submit a constitution for this association, and shall recommend a name and a plan of organization providing for the establishment of branches in the law schools in America.

Only graduates or students at law schools shall be members of this association.

The Articles carried the signatures of the following organizers: Alfred Thompson, Sidney B. Meyer, Shelley B. Neltnor, A. S. Holspe, Mark H. Bell, Elias Mayer, E. G. Henkle, E. N. Sherburne, Roland M. Hollock, Paul C. Meier, H. W. Bloomington, M. B. Schuster, J. M. Prentiss, Fred L. Ness, C. L. Daly, S. T. Sutton, James R. Garrett, Asahel W. Gage, and George B. Watson.

A new organization had been born, out of the ashes of a proud but troubled past!

But it was truly an infant, with no name or scope beyond the ideas and idealism of the re-groupers of the fragments of Lambda Epsilon. Desire existed in abundance among these founders and they were determined to succeed with a “true fraternity.”

Minutes from the organizational meeting indicate that three months were devoted to detailed planning, thorough discussions, and many meetings. The office of Elias Mayer, 1215 Association Building in Chicago, was the scene of many of the meetings.

Attending the first board meeting of the as yet unnamed organization were: R. N. Hollock, presiding, and Elias Mayor, S. N. Neltnor, M. B. Schuster, and H. W. Bloomington. These meetings saw the drafting of the first nine articles of a new constitution, and a meeting on August 12, 1902, featured the preparation of a ritual for the new organization.

The Founding of Phi Alpha Delta

The preliminary planning was soon to blossom into productive accomplishments. On Saturday, November 8, 1902, a “Meeting of the Fraternity At Large” was convened at De Jonghe’s Cafe, 45 Monroe Street, Chicago, Illinois. Minutes reflect that 40 to 50 members attended with R. M. Hollock presiding. The name “Phi Alpha Delta” was chosen for the new organization. The constitution, ritual, and fraternity rules were adopted. A comprehensive plan for governing the new fraternity was adopted, providing for a “National Council”, to be composed of two representative from each chapter of the Fraternity. National officers were to be elected by the National Council from among its members and national conventions were to be held on an annual basis.

[Because of the work accomplished at this meeting, it has become recognized as the date of the founding of the Fraternity.]

The second “Meeting of the Fraternity at Large” was held on the following Saturday, this time at Northwestern University Law School, with approximately 30 members in attendance. The chapters from the various law schools nominated the following delegates to constitute the newly established National Council: Northwestern, A. F. Tompkins, and R. M. Hollock; Chicago-Kent, John P. Floan and H. M. Heller; and from Illinois College of Law, H. W. Bloomington and Simond T. Sutton.

That same evening, the National Council of Phi Alpha Delta met at the Chicago Press Club and elected Roland M. Hollock as Chief Justice, John P. Floan as Vice Justice, Simond T. Sutton as Recorder, and Herbert W. Bloomington as National Treasurer.



Another early photo of the Brothers.

Phi Alpha Delta Is Established And On Its Way!

Soon student chapters were chartered. Illinois College of Law became the site of Story Chapter. Northwestern hosted Melville W. Fuller Chapter. Blackstone Chapter was chartered at Chicago-Kent. As the Charters for each of these original chapters were dated November 15, 1902, it appears that the founders of Phi Alpha Delta considered the chapters of Lambda Epsilon to be continuing in existence as separate entities following its dissolution, and automatically becoming chapters of Phi Alpha Delta.

At year’s end, the founders wrote that Phi Alpha Delta was established “far better” than Lambda Epsilon could ever have been. Harmony and enthusiasm was the general rule with dissension the minor exception.

Smoothing out the few remaining wrinkles in the constitution was the next item on the agenda for the founders of Phi Alpha Delta.

The minutes of the first National Council meeting indicated that once chapters were established in the law schools of Chicago, the next most important work was to give the fraternity a good constitution, which would give every chapter a voice in the government of the fraternity.

The First Convention as Phi Alpha Delta

The fourth national convention (the first for Phi Alpha Delta) undertook the task of revising the constitution, as called for by the National Council at its first meeting. At the initial meeting of the convention, held at Pistakee Bay, Fox Lake Station, Illinois, Brothers John A. Brown, Robert E. O'Brian, Charles L. Daly, Louis C. Garver, and Paul C. Meier were appointed to begin revision chores. Their efforts were rewarded when the proposed revisions were adopted in 1903 at the meeting of the adjourned fourth convention, held this time at Northwestern University in Chicago.

Pending the report of the Constitutional Revision Committee, the National Council deferred election of National Officers, and organized by electing John C. Witt as Acting Chief Justice and Paul C. Meier as Acting Recorder.

The fourth convention then elected to national offices the following (apparently the constitutional amendments adopted at this convention provided for a different election procedure for national offices): William C. Healion, Chief Justice; Paul C. Meier, Vice Chief Justice; Hugo L. Pitts, Recorder; Robert E. O'Brien, National Financial Secretary; and August H. Schroth, National Treasurer.

A major accomplishment of this administration was the establishment of the first chapters outside of the City of Chicago. The newcomers were Ryan Chapter at the University of Wisconsin and Magruder Chapter at the University of Illinois. Upon the installation of these new chapters, banquets became the order of the day. At the banquet commemorating the chartering of Ryan and Magruder chapters, Brother G. C. Schmitt of Marshall Chapter was presented with a jeweled Phi Alpha Delta watch fob, the first such presentation.

Constitutional changing continued to be one of the most common tasks of early conventions, and records of the fifth convention indicate no exception to this practice. At this convention, the venerable National Council was abolished. This convention elected and installed the new national officers, consisting of: Waldemar C. Wehe, Chief Justice; George M. Clendenin, Vice Chief Justice; Lewis C. Garver, National Recorder; Charles L. Daly, National Financial Secretary; and August H. Schroth, National Treasurer. Brother Schroth later resigned as National Treasurer and was replaced by Paul C. Meier.

The sixth convention of Phi Alpha Delta, convening in July, 1905, welcomed the newest chapter, James V. Campbell Chapter at the University of Michigan. Charter members were Paul W. Boehm, Clark B. Montgomery, Harry F. Hamlin, Clark A. McMillian, Homer C. White, Henry Miltner, and E. M. Halliday. National Officers elected by the delegates from the eight chapters attending this convention were: Paul C. Meier, Chief Justice; Paul W. Boehm, Vice Chief Justice; Thomas P. Octigan, National Recorder; Edward L. McConaughty, National Financial Secretary; and Charles E. Varley, National Treasurer.

“Far Distant Chapters”

On April 28, 1906, the Fraternity chartered its first chapter at a significant distance from its original roots in Chicago. On that date, the Augustus Hill Garland Chapter was chartered at the University of Arkansas, in Fayetteville, Arkansas.

Close on the heels of the Arkansas expansion came John Hay Chapter, chartered on June 16, 1906, at Western Reserve University in Cleveland, Ohio.

Establishment of these “far distant” chapters in Arkansas and Ohio caused difficulties, however. A side notation entered by a conscientious secretary on the minutes of the national board meeting indicates that “expenses” were substantial in establishing the “distant” chapters, and the national officers were successful in obtaining half-fare railroad tickets when traveling to install chapters at “far distant locations.”

At the seventh convention held at the Sherman House in Chicago, on May 5, 1906, the subject of a Fraternity magazine emerged, and soon thereafter the infant idea blossomed into The Phi Alpha Delta Quarterly magazine. Instrumental in founding this publication were Charles H. Wilbert, Richard J. Finnegan,

and W. Crown Smith, members of the first Board of Editors. This same convention elected national officers as follows: Thomas P. Octigan, Chief Justice; Story J. Maxwell, National Recorder; David M. Taylor, National Financial Secretary; and Lawrence W. Ledvina, National Treasurer. On July 6, 1907, Thomas H. Benton Chapter was chartered at the Kansas City Law School in Kansas City, Missouri.

The eighth convention of the Fraternity was convened in Madison, Wisconsin, on May 11, 1907. Elected to national offices were: Lawrence W. Ledvina, Chief Justice; Charles H. Wilbert, Vice Chief Justice; Richard J. Finnegan, National Recorder; Douglas Heard, National Financial Secretary; and George E. Fink, National Treasurer. The tenure of these officers featured the installation of the Charles L. Capen Chapter at Illinois Wesleyan University in Bloomington, Illinois; Salmon P. Chase Chapter at the Cincinnati Law School in Cincinnati, Ohio; and the George H. Williams Chapter at the University of Portland, Oregon.



Supreme Officers, 1907-1908.

“Supreme” Officer Titles

The ninth convention, held once again in Chicago, in May 1908, saw radical changes in the constitution. The titles of the national offices were changed to include the title “Supreme” as a prefix to each office and the new offices of “Supreme Historian” and “Supreme Marshal” were added. In addition, a “Board of Tribunes” was established to hear all appeals from decisions of the chapters.

This convention also was marked by another first. Brother Lawrence W. Ledvina was re-elected to the highest office of the Fraternity, the first time that had occurred in the short history of the Fraternity. Elected to serve with Supreme Justice Ledvina were: William Prentiss, Jr., Supreme Vice Justice; Samuel H. Robert, Supreme Recorder; Harry P. Dolan, Supreme Treasurer; Edward J. Thelin, Supreme Financial Secretary; Paul C. Meier, Supreme Historian; and Harry C. Morgan, Supreme Marshal.

During this administration, the fraternity expanded at a rapid pace, with six new chapters being installed. The new chapters were: William C. Hammond Chapter at the University of Iowa; John D. Lawson Chapter at the University of Missouri; Charles A. Rapallo Chapter at New York University; William Howard Taft Chapter at Georgetown University; John C. Calhoun Chapter at Yale University; and James Wood Green Chapter at the University of Kansas.

The tenth convention was also held in Chicago and those in attendance wrote that it was the best convention in fraternity history. Three new chapters were reported chartered in the preceding year, and the National Treasurer reported that the financial assets were in “outstanding” condition.

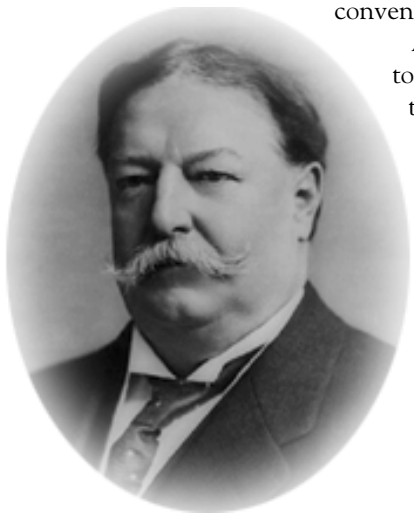
New chapters continued to be installed: the Thomas Jefferson Chapter at the University of Virginia, the Julius C. Gunter Chapter at the University of Colorado, and the Hannibal Hamlin Chapter at the University of Maine. National officers elected at the tenth convention included: Samuel J. Roberts, Supreme Justice;

Edward J. Fleming, Supreme Vice Justice; William Prentiss, Jr. Supreme Recorder; Thomas Lindskog, Supreme Financial Secretary; John D. Carmody, Supreme Treasurer; Paul C. Meier, Supreme Historian; and Noah Gullett. Supreme Marshal.

...And Now for Some Levity

(which we do not recommend!)

Many years after this convention had become history, George E. Fink, a former Supreme Justice, wrote the following in his column for *The Reporter*, "Twenty-Five Years Ago" about this tenth convention:



President William Howard Taft.

At the Banquet, the tables were arranged so that each chapter might be together, and it seemed that those at each table tried to outdo the others in the amount of noise that could be made.

Brother John A. Bloomington was toastmaster. Previous to the dinner Brother Fink had shown him a letter from William Howard Taft, then President of the United States, and a member of the Taft Chapter, regretting his inability to attend the convention.

Brother Bloomington, knowing that the press was well represented, embraced the opportunity and pretended to quote from the President's letter of regrets as follows:

'I earnestly ask you to hold your next meeting here in the White House with me, and it shall be a grand meeting of our fraternity.'

This was greeted with vociferous applause, and as soon as the toastmaster could secure order, he said:

'If this meeting is held at the White House, it surely will mark an epoch in the history of fraternities in the United States and possibly in the world. It is the greatest honor that can be conferred on any body of

men and surely is a tribute to the strongest and best law fraternity in existence. We thank Brother Taft, and will meet with him in his own home in 1910.'

At this the applause broke out afresh. The representatives of the press were duly impressed, and put in a hurry call for photographers. The banquet went on but after the photographers arrived the necessary time was given over to the taking of flashbulbs.

Next morning the Chicago newspapers came out with pictures of the banquet, with bold headlines extending across the top of the page, reading:

**Taft Invites Fraternity to White House.
Phi Alpha Delta, of which President is a Member,
predicts great session in 1910.**

Referring to President Taft's letter the paper said: The letter was read by Toastmaster John A. Bloomington and the prompt acceptance by the 200 delegates present was incorporated in a telegram sent to the President at the close of the meeting.

Of course, the newspapers later discovered the hoax and made appropriate corrections, but needless to say, in small type and at less conspicuous places in the columns.

Less than a year after its chartering, Jefferson Chapter initiated Governor Woodrow Wilson of New Jersey, former President of Princeton University and future President of the United States. In the same year, Senator

Robert La Follette of Wisconsin was initiated by Ryan Chapter. Subsequently, Phi Alpha Delta chapters were named after both of these initiates.

The Eleventh Convention, meeting a year later, amended the constitution by adding two new national offices - a Supreme Second Vice Justice and an Editor-in-Chief for the fraternity publications. The convention then elected as the national officers: Supreme Justice John D. Carmody; Supreme First Vice Justice Edward J. Fleming; Supreme Second Vice Justice J. F. T. O'Connor; Supreme Recorder Edward J. Hess; Supreme Financial Secretary James McKeag; Supreme Treasurer Frank G. Adams; Supreme Historian Paul C. Meier; Editor-in-Chief Oscar W. Hoberg; and Supreme Marshal Paul D. Higbee.

The Twelfth Convention was labeled, by some delegates, "The Insurgent Convention." Dissidents of the status quo condition of the constitution introduced a rash of amendments - but all went down to defeat except three. Those adopted were: the right to vote in conventions granted to alumni chapters; a requirement that only one alumni chapter could be chartered in any one city; and, a provision that members who dropped out of law school and afterwards returned could resume active status in the fraternity.

After disposing of the constitutional change movement, the delegates heard Supreme Justice Carmody report that four new active chapters and four new alumni chapters had been chartered during the preceding year. Added to the active chapter roster were: Corliss Chapter at the University of North Dakota, Ross Chapter at the University of Southern California, Holmes Chapter at Stanford University, and Temple Chapter at the University of California. The alumni chapters were chartered in Chicago, New York, Portland, Oregon, and Washington, D.C. The Twelfth Convention re-elected John D. Carmody as Supreme Justice, only the second time a Justice had been elected to a second term.

Incorporate or not?

That was the main topic of the thirteenth convention of Phi Alpha Delta when it convened in the summer of 1912 in Chicago. Committeemen appointed at the prior convention to study this question recommended that incorporation should be undertaken on an individual chapter basis, with the basic fraternity structure incorporated under the laws of Illinois. Whether these suggestions were carried through to completion by the individual chapters was not reported, although it does appear the Phi Alpha Delta Law Fraternity did, in fact, incorporate in Illinois during this period of time.

Whether the ritual needed revising also occupied the efforts of the delegates of the thirteenth convention. Solution? Appoint a committee, a popular course of action even in 1912.

Additionally, the convention was informed that Staples Chapter had been chartered at Washington and Lee University in Lexington, Virginia and that an alumni chapter had been chartered at Kansas City, Missouri. The convention adjourned following the election of Edward J. Hess as Supreme Justice.

The fourteenth convention was called to order at the Hotel Sherman in Chicago in June 1913. Here a major change in the constitution was enacted. Specifically, the power of any one chapter to veto the petition of a student group applying for a charter was changed to a more lenient requirement which required the votes of three chapters dissenting against a petitioning group before their application for a chapter could be denied.

In other matters before the fourteenth convention, a proposal was introduced which sought to bar from membership in the fraternity anyone who had been a member of a high school fraternity. Minutes stated that this proposal was defeated, but that its proponents were successful in obtaining the adoption of a resolution condemning high school fraternities.

Additional steps toward revising the ritual "more accurately in line with the views of lawyers and literary students" were taken at this convention. Minutes reflect that "nothing was done, except the general discussion of the merits and demerits of the existing ritual."

This convention also devoted many hours of discussion to The Phi Alpha Delta Quarterly, the application for a charter from a group at the University of Oklahoma, and charter applications from several "minor"

colleges. The applications from these “minor” colleges were denied because scholarship standards at those schools were deemed not to meet the minimum standards that were set for schools having Phi Alpha Delta Chapters.

The convention next received a report indicating that the Fraternity was in the “very best condition that could be desired.” Immediately prior to its adjournment, the convention elected James Aylward as Supreme Justice of the Fraternity.

Regional Organization of the Fraternity

The fifteenth convention of Phi Alpha Delta, meeting a year later, featured the creation of “sections” of the Fraternity, and each of these “sections” into “divisions.” Additionally, this convention voted to change the national conventions into biennial meetings instead of annual ones and elected Edgar A. Jonas as Supreme Justice.

Delegates from three new chapters attended this convention: Clay Chapter at the University of Kentucky, Kent Chapter at the University of Idaho, and Dunbar Chapter at the University of Washington. A side note on the fifteenth convention indicated that at this time Phi Alpha Delta boasted 29 active (i.e., law school) chapters and nine alumni chapters.

The call to order of the sixteenth convention of Phi Alpha Delta - the last of the annual conventions - came in August 1915, in San Francisco. Chroniclers wrote that it was “the most strongly attended convention ever held.”

Unworthy of the sixteenth convention was the mode of transportation used by most of the attending delegates - a train. But not an ordinary train. Especially for the sixteenth convention, a specific train was designated, and delegates from across the country assembled in Chicago to board en-masse the “Phi Alpha Delta Express” for the trip to the West Coast, stopping en route to pick up additional delegates.

Delegates wrote that once in San Francisco “...it was a wonder that so much work was accomplished. The brothers on the Pacific Coast had set themselves to make a record, which they did. San Francisco was at its

height, with its lure, charm, and fascination.”

In addition, the convention coincided with the Panama-Pacific Exposition, which was being held in San Francisco to celebrate the opening of the Panama Canal.

The flavor of this convention can be ascertained more clearly by the following report:



Charter members of the San Francisco Alumni Chapter, 1914.

“...after the din of the outings on Mt. Tamalpais, Muir Woods, Tates, Pisco John’s, The Pub, The Bucket of Blood, The Manger, and the Barbary Coast had settled, the new officers took up their duties.”

Some of the “duties” eventually tended to by the delegates during the San Francisco Convention included providing for “district assemblies” to convene biennially, alternating with the national conventions. The following district officers were appointed by the Supreme Justice to effect more permanent district organizations: Central District, John E. Timm; Eastern District, John H. Rainsberger; Western District, Frank M. Ludwick; Atlantic District, William S. Culbertson; and Pacific District, Rex Hardy. The convention concluded with the election of George L. Stewart as Supreme Justice.

Expansion and Revamping

Following the sixteenth convention, Phi Alpha Delta entered a period of further expansion and the revamping of existing chapters. In February, 1916, Williams Chapter was ordered transferred from the University of Oregon to Northwestern College of Law, due to the removal of the University of Oregon to Eugene, Oregon, but leaving in Portland its law school under the new name of Northwestern. Later, the Williams Chapter was transferred to Eugene when the law school was subsequently moved from Portland to Eugene and reincorporated into the basic university system.

Soon thereafter, Jackson Temple Chapter, chartered at Hastings Law School, University of California in San Francisco, initiated a group of 21 men from Boalt Hall, at the University of California at Berkeley. From 1916 to 1923 Temple Chapter functioned in two divisions, one at each of the separate locations. In 1923, this arrangement was deemed no longer necessary and Berkeley was granted a separate charter to be known as Field Chapter.

May 1916, saw the installation of three new chapters: John Marshall Harlan at the University of Oklahoma; James Clark McReynolds at the University of Tennessee; and Robert W. Livingston at Columbia University.

The years 1916 and 1917 continued as years of progress for Phi Alpha Delta. In early 1917, Supreme Historian Joseph P. O’Connell printed a Phi Alpha Delta Directory, hailed by members as the most complete directory ever prepared.

The fall of 1916 and the winter of 1917 featured the first district assemblies as authorized by the fifteenth convention. Reports state, “The results of these meetings were anxiously watched by the entire Fraternity, and while they accomplished much by way of fraternal contact and associations, many defects in the system became apparent. Two of the important ones were that the districts were powerless to do anything but make recommendations, and, simultaneously, they were without funds to finance their district operations.”

Attempts were made to provide for district dues, but this proved unsatisfactory because it conflicted with the collection of the dues of the Supreme Chapter and further the districts were powerless to enforce payment of these dues.

Basically, though, Phi Alpha Delta was in good shape. It was composed of 37 active law school chapters and 15 alumni chapters. It was well administered and its finances were in satisfactory condition. The expansion program was being successfully promoted and the future looked bright. Such a healthy condition was to stand the Fraternity in good stead in the weary war years that were right around the corner.

THE WAR YEARS AND RECOVERY - 1917-1930

The March 1917 issue of *The Quarterly* contained the first indication of the rocky road soon to loom in front of Phi Alpha Delta. Here, Supreme Justice George L. Stewart forecast the entrance of the United States into the World War and pointed out the duty of the Fraternity to the country. He suggested several approaches by which members could best serve their country. Indirectly, Supreme Justice Stewart hinted at the resultant problems likely to befall Phi Alpha Delta because of these conditions. Perhaps his concerns were predicated on the U. S. Army's calling up of Supreme Recorder C. G. Roads to serve on the Mexican border. In Brother Roads' absence, Supreme Justice Stewart appointed Brother George S. Myer acting Supreme Recorder.

Soon thereafter, Brother Stewart's fears and prognostications materialized. The United States declared war on the Central Powers and Phi Alpha Delta was immediately plunged into chaos. For many chapters, entire memberships quickly donned uniforms. Thoughts of the study of the law and of Phi Alpha Delta become secondary to thoughts of the war effort.

The November, 1917, issue of *The Quarterly* reported, "Just as we go to press, we receive official notice of the death of Brother Stanley H. Smith (Clay), the first member of the Fraternity to lose his life in the service of our nation in the present war, so far as official information discloses. The government reports that Brother Smith was... 'lost overboard from a submarine chaser somewhere in the Atlantic.' Brother Smith had enlisted last April, and at the time was Clerk of the Clay Chapter."

On the national level, Fraternity funds became scarce. The *Quarterly* was reduced to pamphlet size. National conventions were not held and supreme officers, elected in 1915, were destined to serve until a postwar convention could be held. Supreme Financial Secretary Glenn E. Miller resigned in 1917 and was succeeded by Frank E. Rutledge who in turn was succeeded by Brother George K. Brasher.

Post-war Recovery

Then, in early 1919, with the cessation of hostilities, members who had entered military service and who had not made the "supreme sacrifice" began returning from Europe and from camps in the United States. Chapters began to reorganize and the few remaining national officers, originally elected in 1915, encouraged recovery efforts by the chapters as well as preparing for a postwar convention. A concerted effort toward reorganization materialized at the seventeenth convention, which was held in Chicago in December, 1919. Reports state that the convention took several giant strides toward repairing the war effects on the Fraternity, perhaps the most important being the adoption of a new constitution for the Fraternity.

The new constitution was considered by many to contain radical changes. Specifically, it substantially reduced the number of national offices and the size of the Supreme Executive Board. In the early days of the fraternity, as new chapters were added new offices were added on the national level so that a member from each chapter would hold a national office. Soon, the Fraternity became top-heavy with national officers. The constitutional revisions of the seventeenth convention eliminated a number of national offices, abolishing the extra vice-justice positions, and combining the offices of Supreme Financial Secretary, Supreme Recorder, and Supreme Treasurer into the newly created office of General Secretary. Then this office was later renamed the Supreme Secretary to conform to the titles of the other offices.

This convention declared Hamlin Chapter at the University of Maine inactive, a move necessitated by the discontinuance of the law school at that university.

Delegates to this convention directed that an Honor Roll of the members killed in the war be prepared.

Final action of the convention directed the investigation into establishing a standard fraternity pin, writing fraternity songs, and preparation of a new ritual.

As later outgrowths of the convention, the newly elected officers adopted a post-war policy of extreme leniency toward chapters, which under previous policies, would have been considered delinquent. Additionally, the national officers began a program of visits to the active chapters, providing firsthand encouragement in the post-war rebuilding process.

The year, 1920, opened with 18 active Chapters and a national treasury of \$132 and unpaid bills aggregating \$440. But, the rebuilding process was to be effective. In addition to the currently active chapters, fourteen other chapters soon were to recover. A new chapter, John Jay Chapter, was installed at George Washington University in June 1920, and in February 1921, the St. Louis Alumni Chapter was established. During that same month another new active chapter was installed, the Alfred W. Benson Chapter at Washburn College, Topeka, Kansas. Then in quick order, new chapters were installed at the University of North Carolina (Thomas Ruffin Chapter), Drake University (Chester C. Cole Chapter), and Vanderbilt University (Horace H. Lurton Chapter.)

A startling comeback was obvious when the gavel fell, calling to order the eighteenth national convention in Kansas City, Missouri in December 1921. At that time Phi Alpha Delta listed on its rolls 41 active chapters and 16 alumni chapters. Financial reports were good. The official membership pin was designated and a new official pledge pin was adopted. A standing committee on ritual was appointed and instructed to prepare a pledge ceremony. The General Secretary was instructed to prepare a uniform system of reports and accounting. Fraternity songs were adopted and prizes awarded to their composers. The preparation and printing of a new directory was ordered. After concluding these numerous tasks, the convention elected Brother Frank L. Fawcett as the Supreme Justice.

The convention was followed by the rapid chartering of four new chapters: the Topeka, Kansas Alumni Chapter; The John Tyler Morgan Chapter at the University of Alabama; the Champ Clark Chapter at Washington University, St. Louis, Missouri; and the William Mitchell Chapter at the University of Minnesota.

To the White House (This time for real!)

The summer of 1922 featured the initiation of a special person: The President of the United States.

President Warren G. Harding had pledged to Phi Alpha Delta during the fall of 1921. His formal initiation into the Fraternity then followed, attended by approximately 50 members of the Fraternity, and was conducted by Supreme Justice Frank Fawcett. Chief Justice William Howard Taft of the United States Supreme Court and General John J. Pershing were present to witness President Harding take the oath of membership, which was administered in his presidential office in the White House. Also present at this august occasion were former Supreme Justices August A. Rendigs and John D. Carmody, and Editor-in-Chief Harry W. Humble.

Two more new chapters were then to follow. In April 1923, the Oklahoma City Alumni Chapter was chartered and a charter was granted to the Philander C. Knox Chapter at the University of Arizona during the following month.



*Initiation of
President Harding
into Phi Alpha
Delta at the White
House, May 24,
1922.*

INITIATION OF PRESIDENT HARDING INTO
PHI ALPHA DELTA LAW FRATERNITY
THE WHITE HOUSE - MAY 24 1922

Particular attention was given to Fraternity publications during this period. Seven issues of *The Quarterly* were published, and alumni subscriptions solicited. A complete and accurate Fraternity directory was published, and for the first time an attempt was made to publish the history of the fraternity. Also during this period, the Fraternity assisted substantially in the defeat of anti-fraternity legislation that had been introduced in several states.



Charter petitions from the 1920s.

Forward strides in the publications were the direct result of the actions of Editor-in-Chief Harry W. Humble. Brother Humble was a faculty member of the University of Kansas and had the university press at his disposal. While he urged that the name of *The Quarterly* be changed, his suggestion was not adopted.

The nineteenth convention of Phi Alpha Delta convened in December 1923 at the Wardman Park Hotel in Washington, D. C. Among those in attendance at this convention were Chief Justice Taft of the United States Supreme Court, Major General Hanson E. Fly, and Judge Arthur J. Tuttle of the U. S. District Court in Detroit. Delegates from 42 active chapters and seven alumni chapters attended this convention.

Prior to the adjournment of this convention, the delegates created a new Board of Trustees to

administer a national endowment fund to be used in assisting local chapters in purchasing or remodeling chapter houses. This convention abolished the district meetings, expressing the view that the widely separate district assemblies placed needless expense on the individual chapters. Brother George E. Fink was elected Supreme Justice

During the interval between the nineteenth convention in 1923 and the twentieth in 1925, five new chapters were chartered. These included the Duncan U. Fletcher Chapter at the University of Florida; The Francis X. Martin Chapter at Tulane University; the William P. Willey Chapter at West Virginia; the David T. Watson Chapter at the University of Pittsburgh; and the Woodrow Wilson Chapter at Cornell University.

When Supreme Justice George E. Fink called the Twentieth Biennial Convention to order in December 1925, at the Chase Hotel in St. Louis, Missouri, the delegates were informed that the Fraternity was in sound condition, financially and otherwise. Active chapters numbered 48, complemented by 18 Alumni Chapters.

A New Ritual

The 1925 convention featured a model initiation, a “convention first,” and the convention adopted this new ritual as the official ritual for the Fraternity. The adoption of this new ritual climaxed a move begun

sometime before the nineteenth convention. A committee had been appointed prior to that convention to study and propose changes to the ritual. When the work of that committee was presented to the convention, the proposals were considered so “radical” that it was referred to a new committee. This new committee presented its proposals to the subsequent meeting of the Supreme Executive Board. However, the Board objected to “the great length and amount of detail as well as the ‘radical changes’ from the old ritual.” and rejected the proposals. The Board then summarily issued its ideas for revision with orders to the committee to re-draft accordingly. The ritual adopted by the twentieth convention was the result.

This convention rejected a proposal that compulsory life subscriptions to *The Quarterly* be required of each new initiate. The convention closed with the election of Rex Hardy as Supreme Justice.

Following the close of the convention, the Fraternity was to see two new chapters and a reactivated chapter added to the fraternity roster. But during this same time, the Fraternity lost two existing charters. The charter of the John Lawson Chapter at the University of Missouri was revoked (it was later reinstated). The Capen Chapter at Illinois Wesleyan University was declared inactive when the law school was abolished (this charter was later transferred to the University of San Francisco where its name was still later changed to Matt Sullivan). By a strange coincidence, Brother Charles Laben Capen, the namesake of the Capen Chapter, died during the very hours of a banquet which toasted farewell to the abolished alma mater.

New charters were granted to the George Sutherland Chapter at the University of Utah and the William Albert Keener Chapter at Emory University in Atlanta, Georgia. During this same period the Augustus H. Garland Chapter at Fayetteville, Arkansas was reactivated. At this time Phi Alpha Delta had 50 active chapters and 18 alumni chapters.

The Gibson Hotel in Cincinnati, Ohio, was the scene of the Twenty-first Biennial Convention. This gathering featured a change in

convention timing: now national conventions were required to meet in even numbered years, with the attendant provision that the conventions would meet during the summer months. The convention delegates heard a glowing report on financial increases in the fraternity’s endowment fund, and the delegates voted to allow the Fraternity to affiliate with the Conference of Law Fraternities. The previously defeated proposal



Fish Chapter Installation, March 3, 1928.

to require lifetime subscriptions to *The Quarterly* from all new initiates was again defeated, but this time by only a single vote. The convention elected Brother John J. Nangle as Supreme Justice.

Growth for the Fraternity continued during this period. In May 1928, the William Hansel Fish Chapter was chartered at Mercer University in Macon, Georgia. The L. Q. C. Lamar Chapter was chartered at the University of Mississippi in June 1929, and the Madison Alumni Chapter was chartered in Madison, Wisconsin. The first Fraternity songbook was published. Prepared under the direction of Brother Frank E. Aschemeyer, it was 51 pages long and contained 34 songs, 16 of which were exclusively Phi Alpha Delta songs.

The 1927 meeting of the Supreme Executive Board was noted for its concern with the condition of several chapters. McReynolds Chapter, having failed to comply with the requirements of the Twentieth Convention which had placed it on probation, was suspended for 60 days. Gunter Chapter was likewise suspended for the same period. Calhoun Chapter at Yale also came in for some attention from the Board. The consensus of the board was that the members of Calhoun were overly concerned with the “Book and Gavel Club” to the detriment of Phi Alpha Delta and Calhoun Chapter. The District Justice was ordered to make a complete inspection and to report to the Board on the conditions prevailing there. (The author of this History found a similar situation there when he visited the chapter in 1963, only now it was the “Knife and Fork Club”, an eating club, that occupied the time of our members.) A similar inspection was ordered for Reese Chapter, and the Board expressed “its regrets that the members of Ryan Chapter were not upholding the standards of the Fraternity in scholastics.”

August 1930, was the time of the Twenty-Second Biennial Convention, the first under the previously mandated “even-number year” rule. Delegates heard reports of continued strong financial assets and the details of a proposed national employment bureau. Again the proposal of requiring new initiates to subscribe for lifetime to *The Quarterly* came before the delegates and this time met with success. (However, due to the economic conditions of the country, this was a short-lived requirement.) Brother Albert T. Gilbert, who had served three terms as Supreme Historian, was elected Supreme Justice by this convention.

The Quarterly Changes

As far back as March 1920, comments were prevalent suggesting a name change for *The Quarterly*. The editor of the publication in 1920 had suggested that the name should be changed to *The Inner Temple*, which he described as “a term of great ritualistic connotations.” Later in the November 1920, issue

the editor indicated that he had decided to rename the publication *The Shield and the Sword*. However, apparently nothing became of this plan because no issues carried that name.

Then, in 1930, with the election of Brother Earl H. Hatcher as Supreme Editor, the name of the publication was changed to *The Reporter*. A short announcement in the October 1930 issue stated, “It is the idea of your editor that the publication should have a short, descriptive, name. We have discussed this matter with perhaps



a dozen brothers and got 24 suggested names. We chose the name The Reporter and await with considerable interest your reaction in this matter." Apparently the change met with the general approval of the fraternity because the name has remained the same since that time.

Four new chapters were chartered during the next two years. The Pittsburgh Alumni Chapter, The Twin Cities Alumni Chapter in Minneapolis-St. Paul, Minnesota, the Roger Brooke Taney Chapter at Southern Methodist University in Dallas, Texas, and the Dallas Alumni Chapter in Dallas were all chartered during this period.

THE YEARS OF ADVERSITY: Depression and War - 1931-1946

Phi Alpha Delta was now to enter a period of troubled years, due to external forces over which it had no control. The economic conditions during the Great Depression, followed almost immediately by the outbreak of World War II severely tested the mettle of the fraternity.

Later, after all of these troubles had passed, members were to look back and appreciate the basic strengths of the Fraternity that enabled it to survive this period of greatest adversity.

Economic conditions in the United States during the depression were so severe, followed by the war years, that only four chapters were chartered during the period from 1933 to 1946. The war years devastated the established active chapters, with the vast majority of them becoming inactive because of the sparse enrollment in the nation's law schools.

Because of the biting effects of the depression, the 1932 convention, scheduled for Los Angeles, was summarily cancelled. In early 1933, a mail ballot vote was taken of the chapters to determine if they desired to schedule a convention for 1933. The returns favored further postponement almost unanimously.

Common occurrences were bank failures dragging with them all of the financial resources of local chapters, and in many instances, the personal resources of the individual members as well. These failures included the Bank of Hollywood in which the general funds of the fraternity were deposited. However, there was little lost to the Fraternity "due to the small amount of money on deposit."



Webster Chapter, 1933.

In 1933, the Supreme Executive Board directed each national officer to personally visit chapters within their locale. Proposals were discussed to reduce expenses of the national fraternity while maintaining good services to the chapters and their members. Accordingly, the annual dues were reduced from \$7.00 to

\$5.00, and adjustments were made to extend chapter debts that were near delinquent. In a 1933 issue of *The Reporter*, the Supreme Secretary issued a call for everyone in the fraternity to observe the 35th birthday of the fraternity by mailing in a financial gift of not less than three cents for every year of the fraternity's existence.

Phi Alpha Delta Night

Two Fraternity highlights of 1934 were the National Phi Alpha Delta Night, and one month later, the George E. Fink Night. Both events were designed to bring brothers together during this period and to promote fellowship and fraternalism. Accordingly, all chapters, active and alumni, were encouraged to hold a meeting of some sort on January 20, 1934. Then, from a national broadcast company messages to Phi Alpha Deltas everywhere would be broadcast. The plan met with success. In Los Angeles, both actives and alumni met at the Los Angeles University Club and listened to speeches, followed by the University Band of the University

of Southern California accompanying Lorraine Bridges singing the “Phi Alpha Delta Sweetheart” song. Then, the program was closed by the assembled brothers singing “True to Thee, Phi Alpha Delta.” The entire event was broadcast over radio station KMTR. Further north, in the San Francisco area, local members met and jointly listened to Phi Alpha Delta radio programs emanating from Seattle. In Salt Lake City, Judge William H. Folland of the Utah Supreme Court spoke over radio station KSL, and chapter members at the University of Idaho, University of North Dakota, University of Oklahoma, and the University of Nebraska joined with their fellow members from the University of Utah to listen to the program.

In the South, Morgan Chapter in Birmingham, Alabama, and Martin Chapter in New Orleans, reported listening parties “in full swing.” In Tallahassee, Florida, Governor David Smith and State Treasurer J. Edwin Larsen spoke about Phi Alpha Delta and all area chapters, Brewer, Fletcher, Keener, Fish, and Atlanta Alumni, tuned in.

In Chicago, U. S. Attorney (Brother) Dwight H. Green told area radio audiences “there never was a time when our courts and other institutions had so much need for support from all sides.” The speech carried such an impact that every Chicago newspaper commented editorially upon it the next day.

The Tribute to George Fink

A month later, members throughout the country joined to publicly honor a stalwart of the Fraternity, Brother George E. Fink. The evening of February 20, 1934 was designated “George E. Fink Night” and members from across the country toasted Brother Fink’s good deeds for the Fraternity.

The March, 1934, issue of *The Reporter* was dedicated to him and praised him as the member who has “so loyally served our Fraternity.” The article continued “On Tuesday Night, February 20, over 100 members of the Chicago Alumni Chapter gathered at the Hamilton Club for the regular monthly meeting. Prior to the meeting, Brother Fink had been asked to talk on the early history of the Fraternity, this to ensure his attendance at the meeting. Following the disposition of the business of the meeting, the Justice of the Chapter announced that the meeting was in honor of Brother George Fink. Brother Fink was deeply moved and acknowledged this tribute in words of gratitude to Phi Alpha Delta. He spoke of the early days of the Fraternity and of the many conventions he had attended.

“As to his service to the Fraternity,” the article continued, “Brother Fink, a member of Story Chapter at DePaul University in Chicago and Campbell Chapter at the University of Michigan, was a delegate to conventions in 1907, 1908, 1912, and 1921 and has attended every national convention, except for one, since 1907. He was elected National Treasurer in 1907, a member of the Board of Tribunes in 1921, Supreme Justice in 1923, Chief Tribune in 1926, and a member of the Board of Tribunes in 1930.”

Among telegrams of greetings sent to honor him were those received from Allen T. Gilbert, Frank Ludwick, August A. Rendigs, Jr., John Doyle Carmody, Rex Hardy, Sam Roberts, Dwight H. Green, and Roland M. Hollock, all of whom had served or would serve, as Supreme Justices of the Fraternity. Not the least of Brother Fink’s services was his column, “Twenty-Five Years Ago,” published in *The Reporter*, which recalled events of the early days of the Fraternity.”

Weakened Financial Conditions

It was in a weakened financial condition that the Twenty-Third Biennial Convention was called to order in August 1934 at the Drake Hotel in Chicago. Thirty-two active and ten alumni chapters were represented. The financial plight of the Fraternity was the prime topic of discussion and records indicate that talk about revoking the charters of delinquent chapters was popular. In the end, however, the delegates decided that “no immediate steps” should be taken toward revoking any charters, as the end of the depression appeared to be in sight and the word “revocation” should be replaced by the word “rehabilitation.”

On the brighter side, the committee on expansion reported that many schools in the country were suitable for expansion, including, among others: Indiana, Catholic University, Detroit, Duke, Louisiana State, Louisville, Loyola of Chicago, Marquette, Maryland, Montana, Pennsylvania, Richmond, St. Louis, South Carolina, South Dakota, Syracuse, and Texas.

Perhaps the first step toward the development of a firm Fraternity policy on non-fraternity politics was conceived at this convention. A committee recommended that the national fraternity remain absolutely free from partisan politics, and that no national policy be adopted to either encourage or discourage active and alumni chapters from supporting a brother who was engaged in a political contest. However, the records are unclear as to whether this recommendation was acted upon by the convention.

For extra-curricular activities, the delegates attended "The Century of Progress" World's Fair, which was taking place in Chicago at the same time of the convention. Brother Harry E. Rice, commodore of the fair's fleet, surrendered his fleet to the delegates for a boat trip around the fair area. The day the delegates attended the fair was designated Phi Alpha Delta Day and featured a nationwide N.B.C. radio broadcast of the address of the Supreme Justice preceded by the singing of the "Phi Alpha Delta Sweetheart Song." Brother William S. Culbertson was elected Supreme Justice prior to the adjournment of this convention.

Soon after the conclusion of this convention, word was received of the death of Brother Roland M. Hollock, the first Chief Justice (Supreme Justice) of the Fraternity. He had been living in retirement from the United States Army in Washington D. C.

A year after the first "Phi Alpha Delta Night", which had been successful, the second night was scheduled. The Reporter called the event the "second effort to have the 16,000 members of our fraternity to sit down together and review the splendid record of Phi Alpha Delta, to live once again the glorious days of fraternal life, to draw new inspiration from this meeting, and to carry Phi Alpha Delta on to greater heights."

Again, every chapter was encouraged to schedule an event for that evening and to jointly tune into radio broadcasts dedicated to the fraternity. The Reporter stated that "the second 'Phi Alpha Delta Night' was a greater success than the original occasion."

Continuing the move to combat the economic conditions of the country, the Supreme Executive Board, meeting in September 1935, at the home of Supreme Justice William S. Culbertson in Charmin, Pennsylvania, reduced the annual subscription rate of

The Reporter from \$2.00 to \$1.50 and the compulsory life subscription to the official magazine was eliminated.

Additionally, alumni dues and alumni fees were suspended for 1935 and 1936 and the annual per capita chapter tax was reduced from \$8.00 to \$5.00. As a result of the austerity program



of financial belt tightening, the financial picture of the Fraternity was starting to brighten.

On November 1, 1935, the Williams Chapter at the University of Oregon was reactivated. A month later, Rapallo Chapter at New York University was also reactivated. Also in 1935, a new chapter was installed at the University of Louisville. The Horace H. Lurton Chapter, earlier having become inactive at Vanderbilt University, was transferred to the University of Louisville. (Later the Lurton Chapter was retransferred to Vanderbilt and the Louisville Chapter was renamed the Fred M. Vinson Chapter.)

Continuing this uphill turn, the Twenty-Fourth Biennial Convention in Washington, D. C. in February, 1936 was called "outstanding." Making appearances or mounting the Speakers

Rostrum during the convention were Chief Justice William Howard Taft, Senator Millard E. Tydings, Senator F. Ryan Duffy, Senator Alben W. Barkley, and General Brien McMahon (later to be a United States Senator). The incumbent Supreme Vice Justice, Brother Dwight H. Green (later to be Governor of Illinois) was elected Supreme Justice of the Fraternity.

The following year, with the Fraternity continuing its comeback from the depression, Hamlin Chapter was transferred from the discontinued University of Maine Law School to Loyola University School of Law in Los Angeles. Subsequently, Hamlin Chapter was renamed the William Joseph Ford Chapter.

[There is a simple explanation for the transfer of a charter from one school to another. At this time there was a one-time chartering fee of one hundred dollars for each new chapter - not an inconsiderable sum at this time of economic crisis in the country. Thus, by transferring a previously chartered, but inactive, chapter to the new location this charter fee was not applicable. Later, if students at the original school wanted to reactivate their chapter, it was a simple matter to retransfer the charter and to rename the chapter at the second school. Likewise, if the students at the school to which a charter had been transferred wished to change the name of the transferred charter, this could be accomplished after the chapter had been installed without the payment of the chartering fee.]



Magruder Chapter, 1937.

Clouds of War Loom

The Twenty-Fifth Biennial Convention opened in Kansas City in 1938 on a continued note of optimism. The country was thought to be recovering from the depression and hopes were high that the Fraternity would regain a solid economic footing side by side with the nation's recovery. A new chapter was installed at Temple University in Philadelphia. The William H. Fish Chapter, originally chartered at Mercer University in Macon, Georgia, in 1928, had become inactive and therefore was transferred to the new chapter at Temple University. Two years later the Fish Chapter was transferred back to Mercer and the chapter at Temple was named the Owen J. Roberts Chapter.

With the Fraternity not fully recovered from the devastating effects of the Great Depression, war clouds loomed on the horizon, and the delegates did not know that this convention would be the last one for eight years or that the officers elected at this convention would serve until 1946. J. Harry LaBrum was elected Supreme Justice by this convention and would serve through the war years and until the first post-war convention in 1946.

The storm of war finally broke through in 1939 when Hitler began his intensified march across Europe. The war soon became a reality for American law students as well as all other able-bodied men. And again - as had occurred in World War I - American men put aside their academic thoughts and began picturing themselves in uniform.

Correspondingly, Phi Alpha Delta was to take a back seat to the war effort.

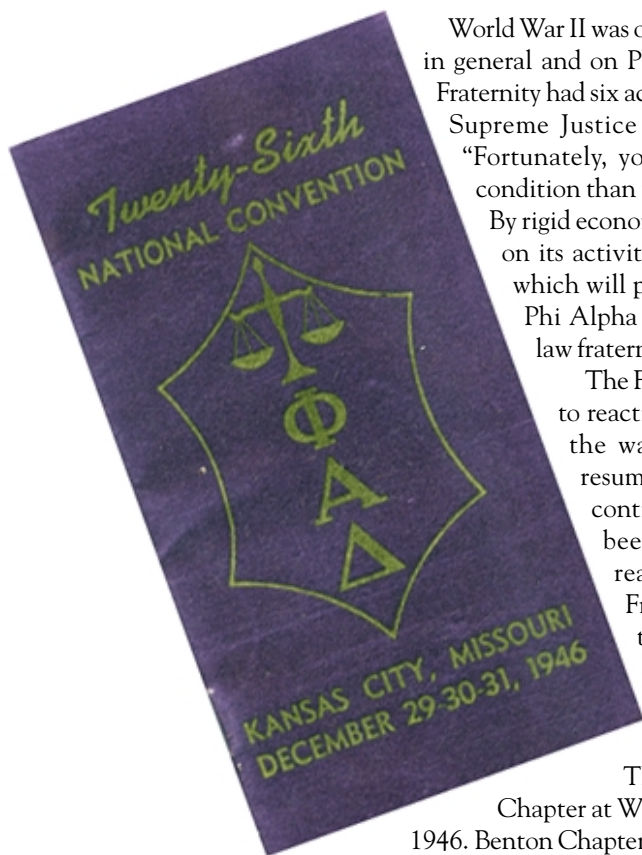
History had taught Phi Alpha Delta a lesson, though. The national officers anticipated the effects of this new crisis and began a "buttoning up" of Fraternity loose ends. This attitude was to serve the fraternity well during the war years and in the rebuilding of the Fraternity when peace returned. The twenty-sixth biennial convention (scheduled for 1940) was postponed until 1941, and in 1941 was again postponed, this time indefinitely by the Supreme Board. During the war years, the national officers endeavored to keep Phi Alpha Delta in the public eye. The future President of the United States, Senator Harry Truman, was initiated into the Fraternity as were Francis Biddle and Tom C. Clark, both whom served as Attorneys General of the United States, and Associate Justice Robert H. Jackson of the U. S. Supreme Court.

The New York Alumni Chapter had dinners in honor of William O. Douglas and Wiley B. Rutledge, both Justices of the Supreme Court. The Chicago Alumni Chapter honored former Supreme Justice Dwight H. Green on his election as the Governor of Illinois. Interest was kept alive in other parts of the country through visitations by the national officers.

Other activities engaged in by Phi Alpha Delta during the war years were the establishment of a placement center, celebration of a national Phi Alpha Delta Day at the San Francisco exhibition in 1939, preparation and distribution of a historical sketch of the Fraternity, holding district conclaves in Kansas City and New York, active support of the defense program promulgated by Brother Robert H. Jackson, then Solicitor General of the United States, support of and cooperation with the American Bar Association special committee on national defense, and the pledging of assistance and services of Phi Alpha Delta to the United States Attorney General's Office.

Internally, steps were taken to conserve the Fraternity's limited financial resources. In 1941 the Supreme Executive Board discontinued the salary of the Supreme Secretary and in 1942 the Supreme Secretary discontinued charging secretarial expenses. Such steps were to pay high dividends later when the Fraternity was to begin rehabilitation after the war.

THE YEARS OF CHALLENGE: Postwar Recovery and Growth 1946-1951



World War II was over. But it had left behind deep scars on mankind in general and on Phi Alpha Delta in particular. At war's end the Fraternity had six active chapters remaining on active status. But the Supreme Justice issued words of optimistic encouragement: "Fortunately, your Supreme Chapter is in a better financial condition than that which marked its position after the last war. By rigid economy, your Supreme Chapter has managed to carry on its activities and still maintains, and adds to, a nest egg which will provide the financial nucleus for a resurgence of Phi Alpha Delta which will demonstrate its leadership in law fraternity circles."

The Fraternity then embarked on a concentrated drive to reactivate chapters that had become inactive during the war years. The Supreme Executive Board, in resuming publication of *The Reporter*, decided to continue using the same newspaper format that had been in use temporarily during the war years, reasoning that the lower cost would allow the Fraternity to mail copies to all members, and thereby to help re-ignite fraternal interest among members who had been away for so long.

Reactivation of Chapters

These efforts met with immediate success. Benson Chapter at Washburn University was reactivated on April 16, 1946. Benton Chapter at the University of Missouri at Kansas City had remained active during the war and bounced back with new life. Blackstone Chapter at Chicago-Kent had also remained active, and quickly experienced a resurgence in chapter activities. Capen Chapter (later to be renamed the Matt L. Sullivan Chapter) at the University of San Francisco was reactivated on May 23, 1946. Chase Chapter at the University of Cincinnati likewise was quickly reactivated, on April 3, 1946.

Clay Chapter at the University of Kentucky was guided back to full active status through the organizational talents of Brother George W. Evans, the only chapter member to return from military service. Simultaneously, reactivation occurred for Corliss Chapter at the University of North Dakota, and Dunbar Chapter at the University of Washington. Fletcher Chapter at the University of Florida was reactivated in March 1945, by Brother Harry P. Edwards, the first chapter member to return from military service. Ford Chapter at Loyola University of Los Angeles had survived the war with flying colors, maintaining an average chapter roster of 25 members throughout the war years. Garland Chapter likewise survived the war in good shape, as did Green Chapter at the University of Kansas. Reactivation was necessary for Fuller Chapter at Northwestern University, Gunter Chapter at the University of Colorado, Harlan Chapter at the University of Oklahoma, Hay Chapter at Western Reserve University, Holmes Chapter at Stanford, Hughes Chapter at Denver University, Jefferson

Chapter at the University of Virginia, and Kent Chapter at the University of Idaho - all of which were successfully accomplished. Also reactivations were accomplished at Knox Chapter at the University of Arizona, Lamar Chapter at the University of Mississippi, Magruder Chapter at the University of Illinois, Martin Chapter of Tulane, and Morgan Chapter at Alabama, Lurton Chapter at the University of Louisville, and Rapallo Chapter at New York University. Reese Chapter at the University of Nebraska had remained active throughout the war and now experienced a renewal in chapter activity.

Shortly thereafter, Ross Chapter at the University of Southern California, Ryan Chapter at the University of Wisconsin, Sutherland Chapter at the University of Utah, Taft Chapter at Georgetown University, Temple Chapter at Hastings College of Law, Watson Chapter at Cornell University, and Willey Chapter at the University of West Virginia, were all reactivated. Plans were made to reactivate other chapters and new chapters were installed at Duke University (Rutledge Chapter) and the University of Miami (Rasco Chapter).

National officers were justly proud when delegates from 50 chapters registered for the Twenty-Sixth Biennial Convention, meeting at the President Hotel in Kansas City, Missouri, on December 29, 1946. Coincidentally, the convention was convened eight years to the day from the last pre-war convention, in the same city, at the same hotel, and in the same meeting room!

Wasting no time, the delegates rolled up their sleeves and plunged into the work at hand. First, the wartime newspaper format of *The Reporter* was formally approved and plans for a new directory were considered. The delegates directed the Supreme Executive Board to submit to the appropriate committees in Congress a plan that provided for separating military Courts Martial from the control of the commanding officers of the armed forces of the United States and simultaneously establishing an independent staff of professionally trained lawyers under the Judge Advocate's Office.

Next, the delegates turned their attention to the internal governing body of the Fraternity. The supreme officer positions were realigned to include a Supreme Justice, Supreme Vice Justice, Supreme Second Vice Justice, Supreme Secretary, Supreme Treasurer, Supreme Historian, and Supreme Marshal. The Supreme Executive Board was required to meet at least once a year. Brother Frank M. Ludwick, who had served as Supreme Secretary continuously from 1921, was elected Supreme Justice. And Brother Jack Keller Dahme was appointed as a full-time Executive Secretary to serve under the supervision of Supreme Justice Ludwick. (As the Supreme Secretary of the Fraternity, Brother Ludwick had long performed the duties and responsibilities that now would be the responsibility of a paid staff.)

Following the close of the convention, Phi Alpha Delta was to welcome into the brotherhood three well known political figures. In January 1947, Lurton Chapter initiated Kentucky Governor Simeon Wallis. Several months later, Rutledge Chapter initiated then United States Congressman Richard M. Nixon (who was later to be President of the United States and who after resigning from that office also resigned as a member of the Fraternity.) Then in April 1947, Taft Chapter at Georgetown University initiated U. S. Senator Robert A. Taft, the son of the chapter namesake. Four new charters were granted. These included Alexander H. Stephens Chapter at the University of Georgia, Tom C. Clark at the University of Texas, Edgar W. Timberlake Chapter at Wake Forest College of Law, and Charles A. Halleck at Valparaiso University.

Another high point for Phi Alpha Delta during 1947 was the presentation by President (and Brother) Harry Truman of the Congressional Metal of Honor to LCDR Arthur Murray Preston (Jefferson, '36). Brother Preston was cited for rescuing a Navy pilot who had been shot down in Wasile Bay, Halmabera Island, less than 200 yards from a formidably defended Japanese position.

Two new chapters of Phi Alpha Delta and one reactivated chapter completed major accomplishments prior to the upcoming Twenty-Seventh Biennial Convention. Reactivated was Cole Chapter at Drake University. Chartered were Hamill Chapter at the University of Indiana, and Patrick Henry Chapter at the University of Richmond.

The Twenty-Seventh Biennial Convention convened in March 1948, in Los Angeles. Delegates from 56 active and alumni chapters were in attendance. The post-war recovery was nothing short of astonishing!

At the direction of the Twenty-Sixth convention, the Supreme Treasurer had considered the question of incorporation of the Fraternity. At this convention, the Supreme Treasurer recommended that the fraternity be incorporated in Illinois. After considerable discussion, the convention declined to order such incorporation, but rather referred the matter to each individual chapter for confirmation or rejection.

Membership Qualifications Debated

This convention considered what was probably the most controversial constitutional amendment ever presented to a Fraternity convention. This amendment, submitted by Holmes Chapter, proposed to eliminate the words “of the Caucasian race.” from the constitutional provisions for membership. The Constitution and By-Laws Committee, chaired by former Supreme Justice Rex Hardy, considered this proposal at some length and reported its recommendations to the convention as follows:

“...of the twelve members of the committee, eight signed the majority report which recommended that this proposal be submitted to a plebiscite of all of the members of the Fraternity; the minority report, signed by three members, requested immediate convention consideration of this proposed constitutional change; one member abstained from signing either report.”



*Twenty-Eighth Biennial Convention, French Lick, Indiana
July 31-August 2, 1950.*

Both reports, majority and minority, were debated at great length by the delegates in open session. After a luncheon recess, the convention resolved itself into a Committee of the Whole to further consider the matter. After reconvening as a convention, the majority report was adopted and the Supreme Executive Board was directed to conduct a plebiscite of all members of the Fraternity. A summary of the arguments as expressed at this convention was to accompany each ballot. The results of this plebiscite, as reported in the March issue of The Reporter were:

As to the first proposition, "Shall the words 'male' and 'Caucasian' be eliminated from the constitution where each word appears as a qualifying factor for membership in Phi Alpha Delta Law Fraternity?"

Yes-747; No-2,068.

As to the second proposition, "Shall the word 'Male' be eliminated from the constitution wherever such word appears as a qualifying factor of membership in Phi Alpha Delta Law Fraternity?"

Yes-719. No-2,005.

As to the third proposition, "Shall the word 'Caucasian' be eliminated from the constitution wherever such word appears as a qualifying factor of membership in Phi Alpha Delta Law Fraternity?"

Yes-1,198; No-1,645.

The total number of votes cast out of a mailing of 15,580 was 3,298 or about twenty percent. (It is interesting to note that the subsequent convention, in 1950, did in fact remove the 'Caucasian clause' from the constitution and twenty years later the Thirty-Eighth Convention, in 1970, removed the "male clause" from the constitution. Thus, Phi Alpha Delta was again leading the way by opening its membership rolls to all.)

Following the Los Angeles convention, at which California Supreme Court Justice Douglas Edmonds was elected as Supreme Justice, the Washington offices of the Fraternity were closed and moved to Los Angeles. Jack K. Dahme, the first full time Executive Secretary of the Fraternity, resigned and Frank E. Gray, who had served as Justice of the Ford Chapter and Vice Justice of the Los Angeles Alumni Chapter, was appointed to replace him. Matthew S. Rae, a former Justice of Rutledge Chapter and former District Justice of two separate Fraternity Districts, was appointed to the new position of National Field Representative. This newly created position was to provide liaison between the active and alumni chapters, law school administrations, and the Supreme Executive Board.

Growth was to continue for Phi Alpha Delta. The Field Chapter at the University of California at Berkeley was reactivated in 1949. The John L. Sullivan Chapter was installed at St. Louis University. The Cordell Hull Chapter was installed at Cumberland University in Lebanon, Tennessee, (this law school later became part of Samford University and was relocated to Birmingham, Alabama.) and the R. E. B. Baylor Chapter was installed at Baylor University in Waco, Texas. Also, the Martin Chapter at Tulane University was reactivated, and the Tall Corn Alumni Chapter in Des Moines, Iowa was installed. The Charles Cotesworth Pinckney Chapter was installed at the University of South Carolina on November 30, 1949.

The following year was equally active. Champ Clark and McKinley Chapters, at Washington University in St. Louis and Ohio State University, respectively, were reactivated. Two new charters were granted: on March 30, 1950, to St. Thomas More Chapter at Creighton University in Omaha, Nebraska, and on April 21, 1950, to Theodore Brantly Chapter at the University of Montana. Three new alumni chapters were installed: in Atlanta, Denver, and Milwaukee.

Clerkship Program at the Supreme Court

The Twenty-Eighth Biennial Convention opened on a crisp autumn day in the Fall of 1950 at French Lick, Indiana. Sparking the convention was an address by Associate Justice Tom C. Clark of the United States Supreme Court. During this address, he announced the establishment of a Phi Alpha Delta clerkship program at the Supreme Court. Under this clerkship program, the Fraternity would set up a selection process to select three qualified members for presentation to Justice Clark who, in turn, would select one of his three clerks from among the names so submitted.

Next, the convention undertook the question of the removal of the racial restriction on eligibility for membership. Lengthy debate and discussion on the proposal, including consideration of the recent plebiscite on this topic, resulted. It quickly became obvious that many delegates were voting in conformity with

instructions from their chapter membership, indicating a healthy debate among the individual chapters during the interim since the last convention and the mailing of the plebiscite, something that had been hoped for. After all arguments, both for and against, had been heard, a vote was taken. Of the total of 138 votes cast, 97 voted to remove the restriction and 41 voted to retain it - the amendment was adopted and Phi Alpha Delta was again leading the way!

Curiously, of all the nominees for national offices proposed by the Nominating Committee, none were elected to the office for which they were nominated. Rather, most were re-elected to their existing positions. Leading this trend was Supreme Justice Douglas L. Edmonds, who was re-elected as Supreme Justice, a rather rare occurrence in Fraternity history.

Growth and progress continued following this convention. The 72nd active chapter was chartered at the University of California at Los Angeles as the Joseph McKenna Chapter. The Livingston Chapter at Columbia University, the John C. Calhoun Chapter at Yale, and the Washington D.C. Alumni Chapter were all reactivated during this same period.

The First International Episode

It was during this period that an event occurred that was to prove prophetic of the future international character of our fraternity. Some thirty years after the event *The Reporter* (December, 1979; February, 1980; April, 1980; and June, 1980) published the following account of this significant event, written by the member who lived it. [Edited]

Brother E. A. (Bert) Taylor served from 1946 to 1952 as a member of the Supreme Executive Board. He has been a member of Phi Alpha Delta for 60 years and was 91 years of age at the time this article was published in 1979. For many of those years he remained active, locally and nationally, in the affairs of the Fraternity, and loved Phi Alpha Delta deeply for all that it is. This member of Phi Alpha Delta has some vivid memories of those years. A few of these recollections may be of interest to any of his contemporaries living, and possibly to some of the younger members who now bear the responsibilities, guide the destinies, and share the benefits of Phi Alpha Delta Law Fraternity, International.

This Recollection, entitled "Phi Alpha Delta Goes International," is a brief account of the event that may have been prophetic of the future international character, scope, and outlook of our beloved Fraternity. It goes back some thirty years to a brilliant October day when, in Kansas City, Missouri, for the first time in its history, so far as this member is aware, Phi Alpha Delta actually went international. It was then a bold and innovative move.

Phi Alpha Delta Goes International - By, E. A. (Bert) Taylor

My part in the event was incidental entirely to the office in the Fraternity which I happened to hold at that time. The memorable event itself is one never to be forgotten.

From 1946 to 1952, Miguel Aleman Valdes, or as he was more popularly known, Miguel Aleman, was President of the Republic of Mexico. Well educated and legally trained, he was a successful lawyer, had been Governor of his native State of Vera Cruz, and Minister of the Interior in the Cabinet of his immediate Presidential predecessor,

Manuel Avila Camacho. Senor Aleman was a distinguished statesman, a popular leader of his people, and a good friend to The United States at a critical time in the relationship between the two great North American Republics.

For all these reasons it was thought fitting by the faculty and the trustees of the University of Kansas City, now the University of Missouri at Kansas City, to confer on this good neighbor across the Rio Grande, the honorary academic degree of Doctor of Laws. Agreeable to the Mexican President, the necessary arrangements

were made, plans completed, and the date announced.

At the Law School of the University the active chapter of Phi Alpha Delta was the Thomas Hart Benton Chapter, named for Thomas Hart Benton, the great early day United States Senator from Missouri. The officers of the chapter conceived the idea that it would be fitting also to simultaneously confer on the Mexican Chief of State, honorary membership in Phi Alpha Delta. Would not this, in addition to bringing the Fraternity a distinguished lawyer and statesman, also make a further contribution to the "Good Neighbor" policy of the government of The United States toward the government of the people of Mexico?



*Miguel Aleman Valdes
President of Mexico (1946-1952).*

At the time I was the Supreme Vice Justice of Phi Alpha Delta and a member of the Supreme Executive Board which alone could authorize that action by the local chapter. As such national officer and as a former Justice of the active chapter I was asked to endeavor to obtain from the Supreme Executive Board the required approval. Having been heartily in favor of the idea when it had first been suggested to me, I readily accepted the task.

The membership of the Supreme Executive Board then, as now, was scattered to the four corners of the nation. By telegrams and telephone calls, urging the approval of the proposed action, speedily obtained that approval and the chapter was authorized to proceed with its plans. The Thomas Hart Benton Chapter lost no time in acting on the authorization given it.

Through the proper diplomatic channels, with the timely assistance of Congressman Jasper Bell, a loyal and enthusiastic PAD, formerly an active member of Benton Chapter, the invitation was extended. It was graciously accepted by El Presidente with an

assurance of his great pleasure and delight.

University Cooperation

The Chancellor of the University also of course had been consulted regarding the proposed plan to initiate into honorary membership in the Fraternity the President of Mexico. Phi Alpha Delta was by far the largest and most active Law Fraternity on the campus of the University and the Chancellor had unhesitatingly approved the plan. It had been suggested that this ceremony might be had on the same day, at the same place, and as a part of the same program of conferring the academic honor on the same honoree. The amiable Chancellor saw no conflict in the suggested dual arrangement, and quickly gave it his endorsement.

As Supreme Vice Justice of Phi Alpha Delta, I had been requested by the active chapter to represent it in the necessary conferences with the University authorities to work out all the arrangements, and to preside over the actual ceremonies conferring in the name of the chapter and the Fraternity honorary membership on our guest of honor. I was likewise designated by the Supreme Executive Board to represent it and to confer, in the name of the Fraternity, such honorary membership on President Miguel Aleman of Mexico. It would be an auspicious occasion, a memorable day in the history of the Fraternity for Phi Alpha Delta would be going International.

With pleasure and pride I had accepted the assignment. I immediately contacted the Chancellor and we set up an appointment for a discussion of the necessary details of the plan. The esteemed Chancellor was most cooperative. It was obvious that he knew a great deal about Phi Alpha Delta and that he was pleased with what he knew. He liked the idea of a simultaneous investment ceremony. He thought that our participation

in the activities of the day would not in any way detract from the significance of the occasion but that it would in fact add to that significance. He casually inquired if I would be agreeable to serving on the special Reception Committee of the University, to meet, greet, and welcome the honored guest of both the University and the Fraternity. I replied that I would deem it an honor. The appointment was made and my name appeared in proper alphabetical order on the published list of those on the Official Welcoming Committee.

Much newspaper publicity was given to the announced plan to confer honorary membership in a nationally known Law Fraternity on the President of a foreign country, probably the first time that such a thing had ever been proposed, or done. This publicity inevitably resulted in an unusually large attendance from Missouri, Kansas and other States in the surrounding area, and a spectacular gathering of members of the Fraternity from all over the two States, and even beyond. The active chapter and I, with much consultation and care, prepared studiously for the unusual event. There appeared to be no serious problems but one difficulty presented itself. The Chancellor of the University had advised us that it and we had a common problem, the language barrier.

The Language Barrier

Well schooled as he was, and as long as he had been in politics in his own country and to some extent dealing with other countries, Señor Aleman neither spoke nor understood with any degree of efficiency the English language. My education in Spanish had, I regret to say, been totally neglected. Of course the obvious solution would be the employment of a competent interpreter. Fortunately, an excellent one was quickly found. A handsome young law student at the University, a good PAD, a native American of Mexican parentage Fil Munoz whose native tongue was English, also understood and spoke fluently the Spanish language of his parents and of generations of Mexican ancestors.

The stage was set. Fraternal history was about to be made. A large National Fraternity was about to become International. The carefully planned initiation was scheduled for ten o'clock on the morning of the eventful day. It would be, after the first preliminary greetings, the initial activity of the day, a situation not exactly calculated to make less nervous the representatives of Phi Alpha Delta. It would precede the conferring on the same distinguished candidate, of the honorary academic degree by the Chancellor of the University. On the tight schedule of that day only thirty minutes could be, and had been, allotted to Phi Alpha Delta for its part in the ceremonies. The arrangement had one advantage. Our part would be over quickly.

Nature's Cooperation

The day arrived. It was a perfect day in October. The beautiful tree covered campus of the University was a riot of color, pale green, golden orange, flaming yellow but there was no oppressive heat. The sky was a deep and cloudless blue. The autumn air was crisp and exhilarating. Nature's cooperation, not always to be depended on even in October, was nothing short of perfect.

The main Hall, setting for the ceremonies, had been decorated with the Mexican national colors, red, white, and green. Mexican and American flags were arranged around the walls. Facing each other, above the main entrance, soared bronze replicas of the noble eagles of the two neighboring Republics.

With restless anticipation the milling throng, admitted by ticket only, awaited the zero hour. That gathering was made up of leading citizens of the twin cities of Kansas City, Missouri, and Kansas City, Kansas, and smaller surrounding communities. There were public officials from both sides of the state line, chief among the Governors of the two States and the Mayors of the two cities. Sundry prominent business and industrial leaders and politicians, well-known educators, and other dignitaries, taxed the limited capacity of the Hall.

The Man of the Hour

At a few minutes before ten o'clock, remarkably punctual, the Presidential entourage arrived, bearing El Presidente, and his retinue of attendants, some in the brilliant and colorful uniforms of the Mexican Military, others like the President himself in impeccable morning attire. The winding train of Cadillacs, Lincolns, Imperials, and other motorized luxury status symbols drew up at the north entrance of the red brick, ivy covered Administration Hall.

With leisurely dignity the occupants stepped out of their coaches as doors were held open by liveried footmen. The more important headed by the President were followed by other members of the colorful cast, presumably in the order of their rank.

Inconspicuous but there was the Secret Service, reinforced by selected Kansas City Police. No chance could be taken. No harm, attempted harm, indignity or discourtesy of any kind could be permitted to mar the visit, on American soil, of the Chief of another country.

None did.

The visitors were cordially greeted and welcomed by the Reception Committee, headed by the Chancellor of the University whose guests they were. The National Anthems of the two Republics were played by the Wentworth and Kemper Military Academy bands from Lexington and Bonneville, Missouri.

The Presidential party was ushered into the Hall in which was assembled as distinguished a group of men and women as probably could have been brought together in the Middle West, or possibly anywhere else in America. The hour had struck.

Meeting the President of Mexico

Through our official interpreter, the Chancellor formally presented me to His Excellency, the President of Mexico, informing the guest of honor that I was the ranking official of the Phi Alpha Delta Law Fraternity present, and the one officially designated to confer upon him honorary membership in the Fraternity. Most cordially and graciously, President Aleman acknowledged the introduction, extending his hand in a friendly gesture and smiling appreciatively. I had come to the University directly from my downtown law office. If my plain and neat, but relatively inexpensive, Midwestern business attire did not match the sartorial elegance of the President, and it certainly did not, he appeared not to notice.

The Magic Word

With our interpreter, who had also been introduced to His Excellency, standing at attention and keeping the President continuously informed in Spanish what I was saying in, I hope, acceptable English, the high and unprecedented honor was mine, of admitting the illustrious President of Mexico into the membership of our fraternity.

Face to face with His Excellency, and entirely oblivious of any other presence though painfully conscious of the solemnity of the occasion, and addressing my remarks to El Presidente alone as if there had been no other presence in that room, I spoke very deliberately and with such calm dignity and clarity as I could command, the studied words of the ceremony. What I said, translated by Brother Munoz, was certainly attended throughout by Señor Aleman with all the grave and appreciative concern befitting the solemn occasion.

At the conclusion of my short speech, with our right hands clasped with exactly the correct meaningful pressure, I leaned forward and behind a carefully cupped left hand, whispered into the Presidential right ear, one short word, my only communication with him not heard by any other, and not translated by an interpreter. For the first time since our introduction, the President smiled a broad and completely relaxed smile of pleased comprehension as he vigorously shook my hand.

Language Barrier Broken

The Presidential gratification was obvious to all who could see his face. No translation had been necessary. No interpretation had been required. The language barrier had been broken. In English or in Spanish, that magic word had the same meaning. The Spanish speaking, understanding and thinking President of the Spanish speaking, understanding and thinking land of Mexico had understood perfectly that one word. It was Latin.

Fraternity Key Presented

The presentation of the Fraternity Key, handsomely wrought in gold and appropriately inscribed, was made. The newest member of Phi Alpha Delta Law Fraternity responded briefly in his own beautiful and musical tongue. The eloquent sincerity of that response, translated into English warmed our hearts and made Señor Miguel Aleman our brother and our friend.

That was it. The brief and simple ceremony had been concluded well within the half-hour allocated us. I thanked the President and the Chancellor, turned away and melted into the crowd.

The rest of that October day was devoted to the main program of the University of Kansas City. There was laudatory speeches of praise and prophecies of continued international goodwill, but none of these appeared to bring quite the same effortless smile of understanding and appreciation over the somewhat wearied face of the President of Mexico as that one short Latin word quietly whispered in his ear.

That word, of course, as they say in diplomatic circles, is classified, "Top Secret."

THE GOLDEN YEARS - 1952-1962

Building on the giant strides of the postwar rebuilding successes, the decade of 1952-1962 was to see Phi Alpha Delta gain its destined preeminence within the legal fraternity community. The work of rebuilding following the ravages of World War II was now complete. Most of the Chapters which had become inactive during the war years had been reactivated, and the growth of the Fraternity continued at an accelerated pace with the installation of new chapters at approved law schools throughout the country.

This rapid growth was in direct contrast to the experience of the other two major legal fraternities, one of which suffered a decline while the other one experienced a much more modest increase in new chapters. In addition, during this same decade, our individual chapters were strengthened considerably, primarily through the guidance and assistance from the national officers and of the new Executive Secretary, Fredrick J. Weitkamp.

The Golden Anniversary

The Golden Anniversary Convention, celebrating fifty years of fraternal brotherhood, became a reality with the call to order by Supreme Justice Douglas L. Edmonds on August 28, 1952, in the East Lounge of the Edgewood Beach Hotel, in Chicago, Illinois.

This convention was convened in the city of the birth of the Fraternity. It was on November 8, 1902, in the Gold Room of DeJonghe's Cafe, at 45 Monroe Street, Chicago, Illinois, that the constitution, by-laws, and ritual of Phi Alpha Delta were adopted.

Records state that it was truly a momentous and heartwarming experience when the surviving founding fathers of Phi Alpha

Delta were introduced to the convention. As this small group approached the podium, a rousing ovation greeted them, and the delegates rose in recognition of these Founders of our Fraternity whose vision, many years ago, had led to this day.

After the applause subsided, Supreme Justice Edmonds introduced Brother Sidney B. Meyer, who in turn introduced Paul C. Meier, a former Supreme Justice and one of the Founders of Phi Alpha Delta.

Brother Meier told of some of his recollections of the founding, and introduced his co-founders who were present at this convention: Brother Asahel W. Gage (Blackstone), Brother John A. Brown (Story), Brother Richard B. Finn (Story), Brother John M. Bryant (Fuller), and Brother Sidney B. Meyer (Fuller). Another founder, Brother Morton B. Schuster was unable to attend but sent a telegram of greetings to the Fraternity.



Banquet at the 29th Biennial Convention, 1952.

Brother Meier commented on the three other survivors who were Brother Stephen Malo, Brother Shelley Neltner (who was living in West Chicago), and Brother Fred W. Kraft (who was retired and living in California). Brother Meier presented to the Fraternity several historical documents of Phi Alpha Delta, including applications of different petitioning groups and photographs of several of the founders, and minutes of the meetings of Lambda Epsilon Fraternity.

Supreme Justice Edmonds then recognized Brother John A. Brown, who told an interesting story of the early days of the Fraternity. He sketched the incidents leading up to the actual founding of Phi Alpha Delta.

SUPREME JUSTICE EDMONDS:

My Brothers, these are the founders of our fraternity fifty years ago. I am going to ask Brother Sidney Meyer to introduce them to you and to say a word or two about each one of them. Brother Sidney Meyer! (Applause)

BROTHER SIDNEY B. MEYER:

I am here primarily to really present to you a brother whose name is spelled a little differently than mine, who in 1905, was elected Supreme Justice of this Fraternity. Prior to that time, he was the Supreme Historian. He has collected and brought along with him some very interesting data and has a complete and concise knowledge of the events that led up to the foundation of this fraternity, and it is with a great deal of pleasure that I present to you Brother Paul Meier, Past Supreme Justice of Phi Alpha Delta. (Applause)

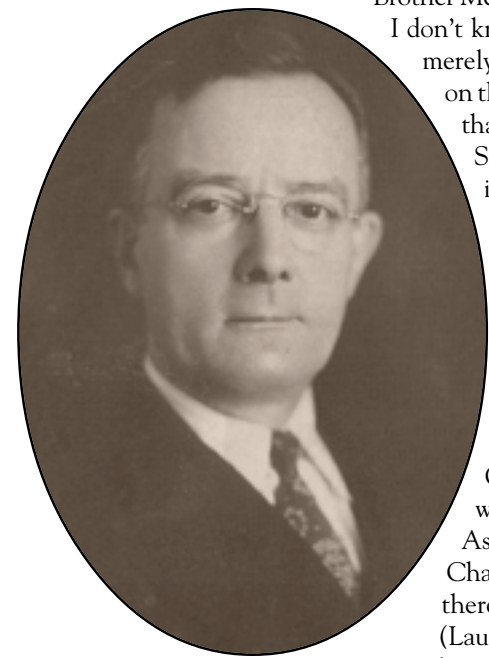
BROTHER PAUL MEIER:

Brother Meyer, Brother Douglas Edmonds, and fellow Phi Alpha Deltans:

I don't know why this hullabaloo about Paul Meier. Paul Meier was merely one of a group, no more active than any of the others you see on this platform and those who are no longer with us. It so happens that I was the scrivener who drew the Articles of Organization at South Haven. They tell you that I wrote the articles. Well, I did, in so far as I took pen and ink and put the words down on paper. That is all the credit I claim.

Lambda Epsilon, as you have read from the program, was rather a loose organization, and some of us did not think it was a real fraternity. There was a convention of Lambda Epsilon at Round Lake, Illinois in June of 1901. All three chapters of Lambda Epsilon were represented, and that convention was the last one Lambda Epsilon ever put on.

We elected officers of Lambda Epsilon - then called the Grand Chapter of Lambda Epsilon. I have a request to make with reference to those officers. At that convention, Brother Asahel was elected the Right Honorable Chief Justice of Grand Chapter III. Where are you, Bill? (Applause). Brother John Brown, there he is (Applause) was elected Right Honorable High Bailiff. (Laughter). I know these things because I still have the records. I happened to be the Right Honorable Chief Clerk of the Rolls (Applause.) Then, at that convention, to be frank with you, and as



Paul C. Meier

Brother Gage admits, we began to conspire for the meeting at South Haven. We had that meeting in South Haven; all of you know the result, and I want to tell you that meeting in South Haven and the subsequent efforts by us would not have been successful if the Grand Officers of the Grand Chapter of Lambda Epsilon

had not conspired with us. Brother Gage was there and signed the Articles, as did Sid Meyer. Brothers Brown, Bryant, Finn, and other brothers of Lambda Epsilon who were not able to attend the meeting join with us immediately. So they are charter members along with us. Shelley Neltner who is unable to be here today also signed the articles. Martin Schuster who was at South Haven, and who, incidentally, was the secretary of the interim organization after South Haven, sends me the telegram:

CONGRATULATIONS TO THE BROTHERS OF PHI ALPHA DELTA ON OUR GOLDEN ANNIVERSARY. MY SISTER'S DEATH YESTERDAY PREVENTS MY COMING. SINCE I WAS THE TEMPORARY SECRETARY OF THE ORIGINAL AND SIGNER OF THE ARTICLES OF ORGANIZATION, IT WOULD PLEASE ME TO ATTEND. ALL BEST WISHES FOR CONTINUED SUCCESS- MARTIN B. SCHUSTER.

Stephen Malo, another Epsilon who became a charter member of Phi Alpha Delta, is unable to be here today. And Shelly Neltner, a signer, is getting along to the point that he does not even come down to his office on regular days during the week. He lives in West Chicago. Fred W. Kraft, another Lambda Epsilon who became a charter member, is retired and living in California.

I have now accounted for the survivors. I'm still here, too. (Laughter)

Something was said yesterday about the young men in the Fraternity. We were all young men. We were young men who had just been admitted to the Bar. We were the well-known struggling young attorneys who had plenty of time on their hands, so we were able to give time to Phi Alpha Delta. Then we were also all bachelors and that gave us more time to give to the Fraternity. We had no past to go by. So we had only the future to consider.

As history tells you, we labored for three months, and I want to say daily, until we succeeded in hammering out a constitution and set of by-laws, a plan of organization, and a ritual. And, in November of 1902, we were ready. We took in a new chapter before we even had agreed upon a name, and before we had even agreed upon an emblem. Marshall Chapter of the then newly organized law school at the University of Chicago came in. Those boys ought to be given a great deal of credit.

John Brown was one of those who helped to keep the local interest alive. He always insisted upon a table, eating at the same place and getting together every day, or as often as we could. Sidney Meyer played a leading part in the adoption of the Fraternity Pin. I really believe that these brothers who held office in Lambda Epsilon at the time Phi Alpha Delta was organized ought to have the same courtesies as though they had held these offices in Phi Alpha Delta.

I have here some applications for charters. I don't recall how they came into my hands, but I am one of those fellows who never lets anything go once it falls into my hands. Here is the application of Henry Clay Chapter, dated February, 1914. Here is the application of the James Kent Chapter, also dated February 1914. Here is the application of Walter Staples Chapter, October 1911. Here is a group photograph of the applicants attached to the Staples Chapter. These are some of the papers which the brothers from those chapters may be interested in seeing. I am turning them over to the Fraternity because they really are Phi Alpha Delta files. I also have here a complete set of minutes of the meetings of Lambda Epsilon and of its last convention. There are some interesting things in these minutes. I don't know whether I ought to tell you about them or not.

I note here that we met at Round Lake at eight o'clock in the evening and immediately adjourned until the next morning at nine-thirty. The convention finally was called to order at ten o'clock. And then we adjourned and managed to meet again at four o'clock in the afternoon.

Here is a report from Brother Gage, who, up to that time, had been the Grand Chancellor of the Exchequer. He reported a balance of \$20.64 (Laughter) but the convention did not approve it because he had not

produced an audit. (Laughter and Applause)

Brother Douglas, here also are some snapshots that Bill Gage took at that Round Lake Convention. Here is John Brown in his bicycle knickers and his bicycle cap standing beside his bicycle. Here is the Committee to Investigate. Here is Shelly Neltor with the derby hat and wing collar and Sam Sutton wearing high button shoes. Mind you this is a convention. Here is Chester W. Church who was Speaker of the Illinois House of Representatives, a Republican Leader riding a donkey. Here is Herbie Bloomington on a road out of Round Lake with his bicycle, and I see that he couldn't ride his bicycle down the road. The road was so rugged he was leading his bicycle.

I am turning these pictures over now for the Supreme Historian. And, Brother Douglas, I am turning over to you, at this Fiftieth Anniversary Convention, the records of Lambda Epsilon Fraternity. Thank You. (Applause)

SUPREME JUSTICE EDMONDS:

Thank you very much, Brother Meier. I am sure that these records and documents will be cherished possessions of our fraternity, and we say to you that we recognize that the present organization which we have is due in no small measure to those founders of the fraternity fifty years ago, who had the vision and the courage and the foresight to start an organization of this kind.

With the somewhat chronic suspicion of a judge, I am just wondering if our leg isn't being pulled a little, and I am glad that Brother Meier has recorders to substantiate it because these fellows do not look to me as if any of them is old enough to have been on the founding of Phi Alpha Delta. But we invite you all to the centennial celebration that will come pretty soon, and we will be glad to greet you at that time.

I understand that Brother Brown has an interesting story that bears upon the early days of the fraternity. Brother Brown! (Applause)

BROTHER JOHN A. BROWN:

Mr. Chairman, Brothers, Members of the Fraternity: I was asked this morning if I would say a few words in regard to the beginning of the fraternity and some of the real reasons therefore. Perhaps I can give you an idea as to why there was a fraternity formed.

We young men entered into the classes of the Chicago schools here with the expectation that at the end of the two year period our certificate of graduation from college would entitle us to admission to the Bar of Illinois. There were a great many young men in those classes in those days, some 250 or 300 students in the Chicago College of Law, and about the same number in Kent. After we had been studying for a year and a half, the Supreme Court passed down a new rule. We never forget the number. It was Rule 39 - "Rule 39" required that we should spend three years in the study of law before we could get our certificates, and no more would anyone be admitted (directly to the Bar) upon the certificate of the college from which he graduated.

I want to tell you that that caused a stir among the law students of this state, not alone in Chicago, but throughout the State, and the result of it was that we formed an organization for the purpose of seeing if it were possible to get the Supreme Court to allow us fellows who had spent two-thirds of the required time to finish our course that year and get our diplomas and be admitted without the formality of spending another year in school and then having to take an examination.

It was a pretty strenuous thing for a lot of young men, and the result of it was that many of them dropped



John A. Brown

out when, after our committee had been formed, some of us, including a couple of judges in town here, went down to Springfield and I will say "begged" because really, gentlemen, that was just what we did. We begged the Supreme Court not to discourage these boys who put in so much time trying to become Attorneys-fellows who were living almost from hand to month, some of them, and trying to get through the law colleges and get their degrees and be admitted to the bar. We did everything we could do, but the Supreme Court refused to grant any relief, bad or indifferent.

The results of that gathering were that the boys in the various schools got together and we became pretty well acquainted. We worked out all kinds of schemes that might or might not be to our benefit in being admitted, but they were to no avail. But out of that organization that was formed and headed by some of the boys, I think Brother Gage was one of them, we formed kind of a close community among the boys in the different law schools. The result was that later on some of us fellows who had an ambition to continue the fraternal spirit of the men whom we met from other law schools, as well as our own, worked out the idea of forming a fraternity. And, that was the beginning of the Lambda Epsilon Fraternity.

(The Supreme Court did allow one exception to Rule 39. It gave one year's credit of the three required years of law school if the applicant had worked for two years in a law office - and as Brother Brown fit into that exemption he was allowed to take the Bar Examination without the required three years of law school. He successfully took the second examination given under the new rule but returned to finish his second year of law school.)

Those of us who were able to get through in that way to pass the examination, and were admitted still stuck to the idea and stuck to our colleges until we finished that year's course. And, that of course, brought the students closer together because we had something in common there. Out of that organization grew the fraternity, Lambda Epsilon.

You have heard Brother Meier tell you about the conditions that existed with Lambda Epsilon. We found that it was a rather loose organization, and it wasn't to our liking as a fraternity.

We worked long and earnestly to build up and outline the forming of a fraternity that would make good, and little did we dream, gentlemen and brethren, that we would ever see today, the leading legal fraternity of this country! There are chapters scattered from ocean to ocean and from the border to the Gulf. Little did any of us realize that some day we would address some of you gentleman some fifty years later as a result of the efforts we made way back then to form an organization.

That is all I have to say on that part of it. But I will say that out of that organization we have had some of the finest lawyers, and the finest judges, who have ever turned out. Our members are scattered throughout this country, and we find them here, there, and everywhere. It is a great pleasure always, when going into any new locale, to look for the men who are listed as Brothers of Phi Alpha Delta. I try cases all over this country and have done so for the last fifty years. I have yet to receive anything but the warm hand of friendship from any member of Phi Alpha Delta that I have every called upon in any city, or any country town, or any place. And this reception makes me glad that I was one of the fellows who had a small part in forming our Fraternity.

I want to leave you with this as a guidepost as you begin the practice of law - and I have been practicing fifty-four years now:

*We have fought the battles,
And have led the band,
And we have made life easier.
For many a younger man -
And he shall do tomorrow
Some task to earn his pay.
Because some old timer thought it out
And tried it yesterday.*

I thank you. (The audience arose and applauded)

Might I say that I came some 1300 miles last night in order to be here today.

BROTHER ALLAN T. GILBERT:

I would now like to present the “wet nurse” of Phi Alpha Delta, former Supreme Justice George Fink.

GEORGE E. FINK:

I presume some remarks may be expected of me. However, I want to say that I was a member of the Law Student League which Brother John Brown asked me to join, and we fought long and hard in our efforts to see that there was accorded to the law students in schools then the rights which they felt they had entered into as a contract between the schools and themselves, that they would receive their degrees after two years of study and then be admitted to the Bar. The Supreme Court very suddenly changed the rules, and we carried on a fight as best we could, in the legislature and before the court itself. The history of Phi Alpha Delta is really found in a report of the Illinois Supreme Court, and if any of you are interested in perusing that interesting subject, I would refer you to the case entitled *In the Application of Henry M. Day, et al*, 181 Ill. 73. The opinion is dated June 19, 1899 and rehearing denied on October 6, 1899.

That gives the history of things. It has always been a matter of pride to me to feel and to know that Phi Alpha Delta is the only law fraternity that has its foundation, its roots, in a legal controversy.

As has been said many times, Lambda Epsilon might have been the mother of Phi Alpha Delta. If that



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remise is correct, then I could say that the Law Student League was the mother of Phi Alpha Delta. My association and work with the Law Student League was close and very friendly. We got very well acquainted. But my acquaintance and association with Lambda Epsilon, of which I was not a member, was neither close nor intimate, much

to my regrets. I was one of those fellows who, after completing my two years of law schooling, was told “No, you have to take another year.” So I went over to Michigan and took another year. So, with my credits from Michigan, I turned then in to the Illinois College of Law and got a master's degree. There the boys picked me up and made me a member of Phi Alpha Delta, for which I have always been very grateful. The benefits I have received from the Fraternity down through the years are so innumerable that I cannot even remember them all. I had never expected, and neither did the founders of this great Fraternity expect to see Phi Alpha Delta grow as it has grown down through the years.

We have definitely forged ahead of all other law fraternities and I don't believe that they are able to do the good for their individual members that Phi Alpha Delta has always done. Today a call of the roll of chapters, active and alumni, would be around 96, I believe, and it would take longer to call the roll of the chapters and of the delegates than it would take to call the roll at either the Republican or Democratic National Conventions.

Gentleman, I thank you very, very much for this opportunity to address my Fraternity Brothers, who are so close to my heart. (Applause).

This, then, was the foundation of brotherly and fraternal sentiments upon which the work of the Golden Anniversary Convention proceeded. Later, the convention adopted extensive revisions and reclassifications of the Constitution and National By-Laws.

One of the most important changes adopted by this convention gave each member of the Supreme Executive Board one vote at each convention. The Board of Trustees was abolished and its duties were transferred to the Supreme Executive Board. This convention removed the specific designations of the country into geographic districts from the National By-Laws and transferred this authority to the Supreme Executive Board. A proposal to liberalize the voting procedure for membership was defeated after extensive debate.

Spirited electioneering was prevalent for all national offices, except for that of Supreme Justice, which was filled by Judge Anthony P. Savarese. For all other offices, the delegates refused to be bound by the recommendations of the nominating committee.

Of the seven board members elected, three were nominated from the floor. At the conclusion of the election, it became apparent that for the first time in post-war years, no student delegate had been elected as a supreme officer of the Fraternity.

A motion to direct the Supreme Executive Board to move the Executive Offices to a more central locale was defeated, bringing to a close the Golden Anniversary Convention.

New Executive Secretary Appointed

The election of the incumbent Executive Secretary as Supreme Secretary, required the Supreme Executive Board to appoint a new Executive Secretary. After consideration of many candidates the Board appointed Brother Fredrick J. Weitkamp as the new Executive Secretary (apparently a wise choice as Brother Weitkamp served in this capacity, whose title was later changed to Executive Director, for over forty years!). On May 1, 1955, the Executive Offices were moved to Granada Hills, California, just north of Los Angeles and remained there until 1999 when it was transferred to the newly purchased building in Baltimore, Maryland.

October 1952 saw clouds of death again hover over the Fraternity with the death of former Supreme Justice John Doyle Carmody. But, again death gives rise to birth, as two years later the Carmody Chapter was chartered at Syracuse University.

The February, 1953 issue of *The Reporter* contained an article on the Calhoun Scholarship Fund of Phi Alpha Delta. This fund of \$13,285.86 represented contributions by members of the Calhoun Chapter at Yale University for the purpose of erecting a suitable fraternity house on the campus. Because of the many changes at the law school it became impractical to use this fund for the purpose for which it was collected so it was turned over to the law school to be used for scholarships.

Maintaining the momentum of the Golden Years, Phi Alpha Delta was continuing to expand at a rapid clip. Abraham Lincoln Chapter was chartered in April 1953, at the John Marshall Law School in Chicago. A month later the George Wythe Chapter was chartered at William and Mary University in Williamsburg, Virginia. Chapter visitations by national officers were now a common occurrence. In 1953, Executive Secretary Weitkamp visited Pinckney at the University of South Carolina, Clay at the University of Kentucky, Champ Clark at Washington University in St. Louis, John L. Sullivan at St. Louis University, More at Creighton University in Omaha, Reese at the University of Nebraska, and Sutherland at the University of Utah.

Far-reaching planning and decision-making by the Supreme Executive Board now became commonplace. At its meeting in 1953 the Board approved the chartering of the Arkansas Alumni Chapter. Next, the Board decided that the Fraternity should participate in the annual meetings of the Association of American Law Schools. The Board decided to suspend dues obligations for alumni members who were serving on active duty

in the United States military forces. The Board also approved the issuance of membership cards. Finally, the Board scheduled the 1954 biennial convention in Des Moines, Iowa.

The year 1954 featured several important events for the Fraternity. The Summers Hardy Chapter was chartered at the University of Tulsa on January 30, 1954. The Alabama Alumni Chapter was chartered on April 30. Brother Goodwin Knight became the Governor of California. Brother Thomas A. Burke, Mayor of Cleveland was named to succeed Brother Robert A. Taft in the United States Senate. Brother M. T. Phelps was named the Chief Justice of Arizona. During this same year Asahel W. Gage, one of the founders of the Fraternity and a member of Blackstone Chapter, died.

The Thirtieth Biennial Convention convened in September 1954, in Des Moines, Iowa. The Keynote speaker was Judge Elwyn Thomas of the Florida Supreme Court, who urged the delegates to pursue the proper administration of justice, and “to present cases concisely to the court so that the salient points will stand out against a background of concisely stated facts.” Judge Thomas also spoke of his long standing experience within the Fraternity “I am tempted to indulge considerably in what I like to call ‘nostalgia’ Thirty-nine years ago I attended the Phi Alpha Delta Convention in San Francisco, and I well remember some of the things that happened there. I remember a song about Frank Angellitto: ‘Angellitto. He’s a damn fine man. Isn’t he a dandy? He sets them all a-crazy. Eins, zwei, drei, vier, Andei’s going to buy the beer. Rah for Angellitto; he a damn fine man!’

“I remember Edgar A. Jonas, Supreme Justice of the Fraternity at the time, and George L. Steward, who succeeded him; I remember David Schultz, who came to our state from Yale University, and to the amazement of everyone managed to establish a chapter of Phi Alpha Delta. At that time, I think, the nearest chapter was at the University of Virginia. Dave was a great promoter and he promoted himself right into the Governor’s chair in Florida.”

Later the delegates turned to the business at hand; a new directory of members was formalized, advertising was to be excluded from future issues of The Reporter, and the policy of mailing out copies of The Reporter to all members was ordered continued. Executive Secretary Weitkamp conducted a model initiation and the awards to increase interest and enthusiasm in the Fraternity were adopted as follows: Outstanding Active and Outstanding Alumnus Awards, and an award to the outstanding chapter in the nation. The constitution was amended to authorize the appointment of an alumnus advisor for each active chapter. The social highlight of this convention was attendance at the Iowa State Fair, the “granddaddy” of state fairs.

Prior to the convention Charles Tom Henderson had served two terms as Supreme Vice Justice and many assumed that he would be elected to the top spot. However Brother Robert D. Jackson was elected Supreme Justice. True to his loyal feelings for our Fraternity, Brother Henderson returned to Florida and continued his devoted and loyal service to the Fraternity in innumerable ways. Because of his continued loyal service to the Fraternity, he was among the first three members elected to the Distinguished Service Chapter of the Fraternity.

Fraternity Activities Continue

More new chapters were right around the corner after the convention adjourned. Syracuse University was the site of the chartering of John Doyle Carmody Chapter in October 1954. Soon thereafter, the Fredrick L. Hoffman Chapter was installed at Chase College of Law in Cincinnati, Ohio, and the Robert H. Jackson Chapter was installed at Rutgers University, on May 18, 1955. In the same year, the John Marshall Chapter, one of the Fraternity’s oldest, was reactivated at the University of Chicago. The year 1955 also saw the Owen J. Roberts Chapter at Temple University receive the first award presented for the most outstanding chapter of the Fraternity.

The Thirty-First Biennial Convention was called to order on June 21, 1956, in Cleveland, Ohio. A high point was the attendance of a founder of the Fraternity, Sidney Meyer, who reminisced over his many years of active service to the Fraternity.

One accomplishment of the convention concerned finances. Initiation fees which had been \$22.00 were increased to \$25.00 and alumni dues were increased to \$5.00 per year from the previous \$3.00. The delegates also voted to liberalize the pledging and initiation requirements. Specifically, individual chapter were authorized, by a two-third vote, to adopt a procedure different from the unanimous vote previously required of candidates for pledging or initiation, provided that no more than five percent of the active members nor more than two of the active members present vote against such pledging or initiation.

The convention also amended the constitution to provide that any male graduate or any male law instructor of any school accredited by the American Bar Association or the Association of American Law Schools would be eligible for active membership in the Fraternity if voted into membership by an Active Chapter. Previously, only males who were in attendance, or male law instructors or male graduates of law schools where a chapter of the Fraternity was established were eligible for membership. Brother Elwyn Thomas, Supreme Vice Justice of the Fraternity, and Chief Justice of the Florida Supreme Court, was elected Supreme Justice of the Fraternity by the Thirty-First Biennial Convention.

The Fraternity was saddened in 1957 by the deaths of four stalwarts of the fraternity. Brothers Sidney Meyer and Martin Schuster, both founders of the fraternity, and Brothers George E. Fink and Frank M. Ludwick, both known as pillars of the fraternity for their exhaustive work. But in the same year, two new chapters were chartered: deBracton Chapter at St Johns University in Brooklyn, New York on June 8, 1957, and the Syracuse Alumni Chapter on March 15, 1957.

The following year former Supreme Justice Dwight H. Green passed away. He was well known as the “crime-busting prosecutor” who convicted ‘Scarface’ Al Capone. During the famous trial Capone was quoted as remarking about Brother Green, “ If I had that guy defending me, I wouldn’t have a worry in the world.” Following the 1931 conviction, Brother Green was named United States Attorney for the Northern District of Illinois, the youngest man ever named to this office. He was elected Governor of Illinois in 1940 and reelected in 1944. Again, though, with the passing of one life, new life springs into being; - the Clarence Darrow Chapter was chartered at the University of Maryland, on May 29, 1958. Later, the Baltimore Alumni Chapter was chartered and charters were given to the Barton Alumni Chapter in St. Petersburg, Florida, the

Piedmont Alumni Chapter in Winston-Salem, North Carolina, the Hawkeye Alumni Chapter in Iowa City, Iowa, and the San Diego Alumni Chapter.

The Thirty-Second Biennial Convention, held in Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania in September, 1958, saw two major Fraternity activities come before the delegates for scrutiny. First, the question of appointing a placement coordinator to further implement the established placement program came up for discussion. This proposal was adopted. Second, the Endowment Fund was examined with an eye toward possibly increasing it and making it more meaningful. The convention adopted a policy to

increase the fund, and recommended that alumni members in practice less than five years be required to contribute two dollars per year into the fund, and those in practice more than five years be



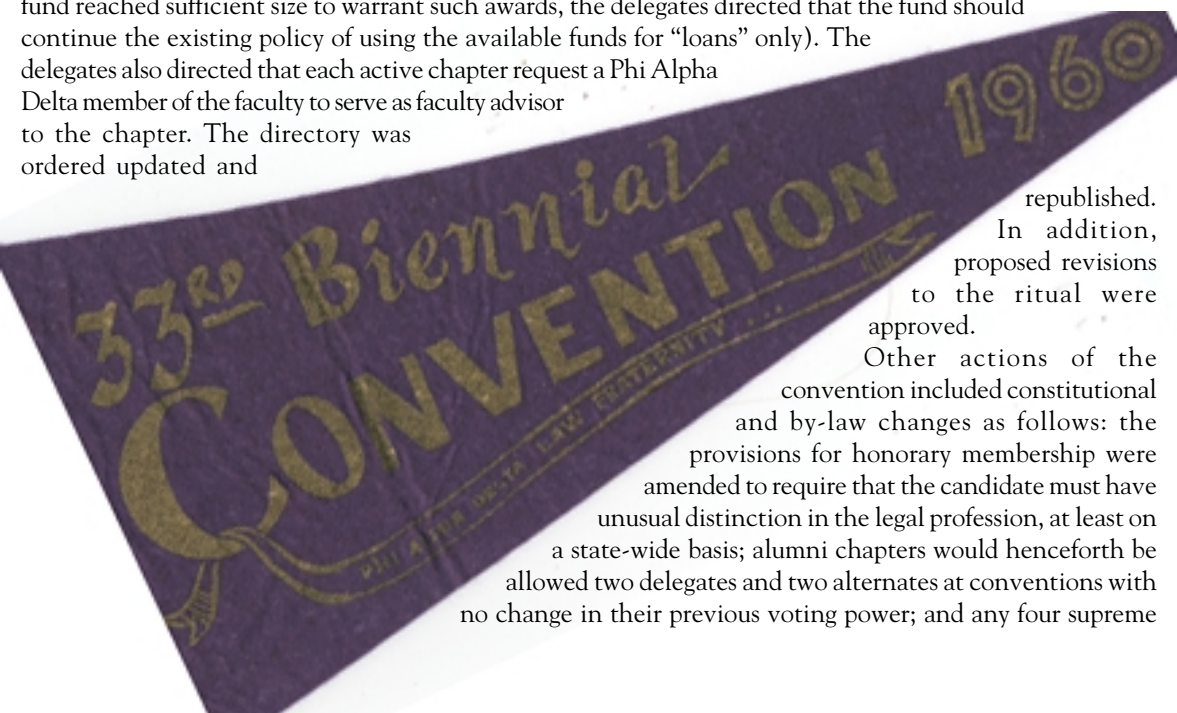
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required to contribute three dollars a year. Further, the convention defeated a proposed amendment that would have allowed more adverse votes in the pledging and initiation of new members. It likewise defeated a proposal to allow Alumni Chapters to initiate new members. It did amend the constitution to grant each district justice a vote on every question coming before the convention. It adopted an amendment that more clearly defined the duties of the district justices. It defeated a proposal that would have required every chapter to have a chapter faculty advisor. The convention reduced the chapter charter fee from \$100.00 to \$25.00. It defeated a By-Laws change that would have allowed the chartering of chapters outside of the United States. Finally, it adopted a By-Laws change that required each district to hold a district conclave every year unless excused by the Supreme Executive Board for good cause shown.

Champ Clark Chapter at Washington University in St. Louis was again reactivated in 1959. The Samuel Houston Chapter at South Texas College of Law in Houston was chartered on May 30, 1959. The Thomas Cooley Chapter at Wayne State University in Detroit was chartered on May 16, 1959. Likewise, the Houston Alumni Chapter was chartered in 1959.

In February 1960, the Golden Anniversary Dinner of the New York Alumni Chapter honored eight brothers who had been members of the Fraternity for fifty years or more and coincided with the 51st anniversary of the chartering of the Rapallo Chapter. The eight fifty-year members included Mortimer B. Burnside, Thomas W. Constable, James E. Farrell, Louis F. Rebori, Harry A. Black, J. Laurens Elmore, Edward E. Fay, and Charles J. Kennedy. The Edward Coke Chapter was formally installed in March 1960, at the University of Toledo. Soon thereafter, the new chapter established a "wives' auxiliary," which according to the chapter members, proved to be "most helpful" to the chapter in its formative years. The Frank B. Willis Chapter at Ohio Northern University in Ada, Ohio was chartered on June 4, 1960 and the Louis D. Brandeis Chapter at American University in Washington, D. C., was chartered on December 17, 1960.

Miami Beach was the scene of the call to order for the Thirty-Third Biennial Convention in August 1960. To ensure that contributions to the Endowment Fund would be tax deductible, the By-Laws were amended to delete the provisions which allowed loans to chapters in time of distress. The new stated purpose of the fund was "to provide a program of scholarships, fellowships, and awards to members." (But until the endowment fund reached sufficient size to warrant such awards, the delegates directed that the fund should continue the existing policy of using the available funds for "loans" only). The delegates also directed that each active chapter request a Phi Alpha Delta member of the faculty to serve as faculty advisor to the chapter. The directory was ordered updated and



republished. In addition, proposed revisions to the ritual were approved.

Other actions of the convention included constitutional and by-law changes as follows: the provisions for honorary membership were amended to require that the candidate must have unusual distinction in the legal profession, at least on a state-wide basis; alumni chapters would henceforth be allowed two delegates and two alternates at conventions with no change in their previous voting power; and any four supreme

officers would henceforth constitute a quorum to do business at any regularly called meeting of the Supreme Executive Board.

The convention discussed at length expansion possibilities, and ultimately decided to direct each district justice to regularly survey and report to the Supreme Executive Board any law school in their district that was “worthy” of expansion. The convention also directed a study on expansion possibilities beyond the borders of the United States (but refer to the action of the previous convention that defeated a proposal to allow such expansion!). The convention also directed that efforts be made to reactivate chapters where sufficient interest has been indicated.

The year 1961 saw Phi Alpha Delta add only one new chapter to its rolls, the Chattanooga Alumni Chapter. But the 1962 expansions compensated for this lag as six new active chapters and three new alumni chapters were chartered. Alumni chapters went to the Orange Coast Alumni Chapter in Santa Ana, California, the Palmetto Alumni Chapter in Columbia, South Carolina, and the Valley of the Sun Alumni Chapter in Phoenix, Arizona. New active chapters chartered were: the Charles R. Grant Chapter at the University of Akron on February 27, 1962; the Campbell E. Beaumont Chapter at California Western University in San Diego on April 13, 1962; the David C. Meck Chapter at Cleveland-Marshall Law School in Cleveland, Ohio on April 29, 1962; the Benjamin M. Cardozo Chapter at Catholic University of America in Washington, D. C. on June 8, 1962; the Paul J. McCormick Chapter at the University of San Diego on May 12, 1962; and the Pierce Butler Chapter at William Mitchell College of Law in St. Paul, Minnesota on May 12, 1962.

The 1962 convention of Phi Alpha Delta - the Thirty-Fourth - was called to order in August 1962 in Denver. Immediately on the agenda was a tribute to three former Supreme Justices who had died in the proceeding two years. A moment of silence honored Brothers John Nangle, Edward J. Hess, and Douglas L. Edmonds.

Next, the convention recognized Reese Chapter at the University of Nebraska, which was recently reactivated; formally adopted the ritual changes proposed by the previous convention; amended the constitution to limit the period of pledgship to one year; and adopted an amendment allowing expansion outside of the continental United States. Judge Alfred P. Murrah, Chief Judge of the United States Court of Appeals for the Tenth Circuit, was elected Supreme Justice of the Fraternity.

Keynote Address by Judge Alex Hotchkiss

It was at this, the Thirty-Fourth Biennial Convention, on August 30, 1962, that one of the most fraternal and inspiring keynote addresses was delivered by Judge Alex Hotchkiss. Judge Hotchkiss became a member of Benton Chapter at Washburn University in Topeka, Kansas in 1923. He served as chapter clerk and justice of his chapter, as a convention delegate in 1925, and as justice of his alumni chapter in Topeka. Professionally he served as county attorney, mayor, state senator, and state judge. This speech is excerpted from the transcript of that convention.

Keynote Address At The Thirty-Fourth Biennial Convention By Judge Alex Hotchkiss

“You know, after hearing our Supreme Justice speak of my background in Phi Alpha Delta, I am beginning to feel something like a senior citizen because those who spoke before me today about their connection with our fraternity all came after my time.



Judge Alex Hotchkiss

“Last night I visited in this room with the Wythe Chapter delegation and a little bit later with some alumni, and I begun to feel like the principal character in a story told by one of our members. It is a story about an old member who was admonished by his doctor to cut down on his drinking. He asked the doctor how much he should cut down and the doctor replied, ‘not more than a pint a day.’ In reply the old member said, ‘Hell. Doc, I spill more than that with each drink!’ (Laughter)

“I was impressed by the comments of Brother Johns, who indicated that it was possible to be admitted to practice in this state for one day only, and I assume by that that if you get into trouble you could represent yourself. But, if you do, remember the old saying that he who represents himself has a fool for a client — and a half-wit for a lawyer! The brother who represented the City of Denver took a slightly different approach by saying that if you get into trouble we will make the jail as comfortable as possible - by this I take it ‘you’re on your own!’ - Thank you very much. (Laughter)

“It has become the custom in legal circles to indicate, at the outset of any speech, something about the scope of the address. So with that in mind, I should indicate what is in store for you today.

“We meet here today as members of our Fraternity, and as law students and as members of the legal profession. Whenever such men gather to listen to someone who is a ‘little’ beyond the age of law students, it seems appropriate that some comments should be made of the personal observations of the speaker, by way of counsel and advice, and I have some of that in mind today. But most of all I want to talk about Phi Alpha Delta, our great brotherhood of the legal profession.

“You know the story is told of two friends who were walking down the street one day and they came across another man who was hurrying by, putting on his coat. ‘Who is that,’ one said to the other and the other replied ‘That is a member of the International Civic Club on his way to a luncheon meeting.’ The first man asked “What do they do?”

And the second man replied “they eat and belch and run.” (Laughter)

“Don’t let this crude illustration apply to us - don’t let us ever get to the place where we permit our Fraternity to become nothing more than a mere name and a mere membership with no substance to it.

“So, in talking about Phi Alpha Delta, I will speak of matters that most of you already know. Some of it might be repetitious, but I would be remiss in my duty today, if at a national convention, of all places, I did not recount and recall the principles of our Fraternity. So, in conformity with the duty I have on this program, I hope that I am able to make suggestions that will guide you in your deliberations during this convention and perhaps take home with you. Even though there may be some repetition, I hope in re-telling I may be able to give you some fresh interpretation of why we are together here in this fraternal gathering.”

“It seems to me that we are met with two questions. The first is, ‘Can we do that which is expected of us in Phi Alpha Delta?’ And the second is, ‘Where do we start?’ To answer the latter, a simple illustration comes from one of our oldest eastern schools, which was celebrating three hundred years of its existence. In connection with that celebration they had a reunion of all of the classes. They planned a march of all of these classes and asked each to make a banner setting forth their ideas of hope and achievements. So, from the tottering oldest class to the newest, down the street they came, each class carrying their banner, each indicating something of the inspiration and enthusiasm they individually felt. But the one that won the prize, that of the newest class, had on its banner the simple words: ‘For 300 years you have been waiting for us.’

“So, I say, that is the way with Phi Alpha Delta. All of the energies and interests and efforts which have gone before are now focused on this very assembly, the very next class, the very next group of initiates, as the most immediate prospects to have the most immediate impact to renew, to strengthen, and to implement the principles and purposes of our fraternity.

“But that is not all. In order to flourish and maintain itself with vigor, it is not enough that we replenish our Fraternity in numbers; it must be replenished in the practice of its precepts and the tenets. And this can only be done by the members who compose it. So, here we have a twofold responsibility, both the old and the new

members must become imbued with those things we hold dear as the ideals and the precepts of Phi Alpha Delta.

“I think these ideals and precepts fall into three general categories and I would like to review with you something of the traditions and tenets and convictions that are included.

“The first is historical, an interesting and tremendous history that cannot be too often recalled. First of all, there is an unusual circumstance that led to our founding. In 1897, a group of law students, much like you today, at the law schools in Chicago, were having some difficulties about obtaining admittance to the Bar. So they formed the Law Student League to plea their cause. Out of that unity and commonness of purpose came an organization by the name of Lambda Epsilon, with the Greek letters standing for Law and Equity. Some difficulties beset them, so after four years they met in South Haven Michigan, in July of 1902, and dissolved the organization. But they realized that the unity and brotherhood they had developed should be maintained. And so they appointed a committee - remember these were law students and young lawyers, (Laughter) - to develop an organization to hold together their unity and friendships. After some considerable effort and hard labor, such as this fine group up here seems to be always performing, our present day Phi Alpha Delta Law Fraternity became a reality.

“In short order there came along Blackstone, Story, Fuller, Webster, and Marshall Chapters. By 1910, there were twenty-three chapters. Since that time our Fraternity has withstood all of the vicissitudes and ravages of two world wars, the great depression, and all of those other things that interfere with law schools and the essentials that are required for the continuation of such an organization as ours.

“So, today we now have ninety chapters and over 40,000 members. From our history, I recall what are two important things. They are first, there is a place and purpose for a law fraternity in the scheme of things in legal education. And, second, to belong to Phi Alpha Delta is no light or trifling matter. When you belong to this fraternity, in addition to that which you have in your local chapter, you belong to something that is important and outstanding on a national scale, and which will be with you throughout your legal career.

“The second thing has to do with the standing, or lack of standing, that lawyers have in the eyes of the public. And, you know, we heard such stories as the one about the lawyer who was very ill and the doctor was called to his bedside - that was when doctors still did such things (Laughter) - and someone said ‘He is lying at death’s door’ and the reply was, ‘Just like a lawyer - at death’s door and still lying.’ (Laughter) Or we heard of such tales as the two contending parties, and one of them said to the other, ‘If you don’t do as I say, I’ll see you in court.’ And the other said ‘Well, my lawyer and I will be there.’ The first party responded ‘If you beat me in the trial court. I’ll see you in the appellate court.’ And the second party said ‘Well, my lawyer and I will be there.’ So the first party said ‘If you beat me on appeal, I’ll see you in hell.’ And the second party said ‘In that case, my lawyer will be there.’ (Loud Laughter).

“Now, it is a poor group of people who cannot withstand the fun and jokes that are pointed at them. Perhaps there are some natural weaknesses within our profession, although I say it isn’t so. Collectively we have the esteem and affection of the general public, and that brings me to the manner in which we designate our chapters. I think that it is a wonderful idea that we name our chapters after distinguished members of the legal community, instead of using Greek letters as the social fraternities do. Recently, I was invited to give a talk at a chapter and I took the opportunity to study the background of the men after whom some of the nearby chapters were named. It gave me the breadth and scope of our Fraternity because while all of them were outstanding members of the legal community, one was outstanding in the private practice of law, one was an outstanding judge, and the third was a recognized law educator. This brings to my mind that in our roster of great lawyers, they have one thing in common. To the general public they represent the law and its interpreters, and in a favorable light. The general public wants to feel that the thing that governs and controls and regulates persons and property and offenses is something good and free from causing them pain. And, to the public, these men, I think, exemplify that aspect. I think that every chapter and every member of Phi Alpha

Delta, should know the history and the career and the life of their chapter namesake. In this way, we can emulate them and thus earn the esteem and respect and the confidence of the public that they enjoyed, and thus help to erase what I consider to be an unwarranted blot on the legal profession.

“A few years ago, the University of Chicago selected a series of books which they called ‘The Great Books of Western Civilization.’ Close upon that came a study by Mortimer Adler in which he identified what he considered the 102 Great Ideas of Western Civilization. It was not intended, nor was it claimed, that all of the great ideas of the world were embodied in those 445 books. There have been a lot of ideas over the years, and Phi Alpha Delta, too, is an idea. But, we don’t have to go to 445 books to find out about the ideas or precepts of Phi Alpha Delta because our founders have provided them to us in the Declaration of Purpose of our Constitution. And, I think it would be well for us, here in convention assembled, to recount and remember again something of the ideas that our founders left for us.

“First, our Declaration states “to aid in the development of fraternal and brotherly sentiments.” Is that not a recognition that inherent in all of us is the manifest desire for people to get together? Even primitive man gathered together for defense against common enemies, for food gathering, yes, even for social activities. How much greater reason we have, with our commonness of purpose in the study of law, to get together in fraternal and brotherly interest?

Connected with that, I like to think of the words that we find in the basic root of our name, Philos Adelpbos. I think you recognize the root word denoting the City of Philadelphia, which was given its name to typify the purpose of its founders as the “City of Brotherly Love.” But we, in our own work, give it a little alliteration, ‘Fond of one’s brother.’ The French Revolution had a great cry: ‘Liberty, Equality, Fraternity,’ which has lived through the ages. But they found that they had difficulties in the realization of the first two precepts and that it was only in the power of man to control and receive the third one - the practice of and the receiving of fraternity among mankind. In our conventions and in our chapters and alumni organizations, we give effect to this great precept of our Fraternity.

“Another is ‘to promote social intercourse among its members.’ Many of you traded a social fraternity for a law fraternity when you entered law school. That does not mean that you should abandon a very natural element of human endeavor, the desire of people to have social relationships. Study groups, informal meetings, banquets and just good companionships and conversations are still ideals to be practiced by our Fraternity.

“Still another purpose declares ‘the promotion of intellectual intercourse among its members.’ Now, that is just another way of saying that we approve of good scholarship. I think I am going to take advantage of you for a few minutes, since I find myself among the older generation, and discuss some personal matters. When I was admitted to the bar, there were some lawyers whom I would characterize as the old time practitioners. At that time there were little or no academic requirements to gain admission to the bar, or at least it was not a requisite. As a result, many men were admitted with little or no training as such. Many of these men thought that a canon of ethics was some sort of military weapon. (Laughter) As a result, we automatically developed those kinds of things that brought discredit to the bar. But that is no longer the case. Today, the present lawyer must have a high quality of scholarship and ethics to gain admission to and to retain membership in the bar. And that, my brothers, is what our Fraternity is telling us with this precept.

“Now, coupled with that is a second significance. When I was admitted to the bar, Justice William Hutchinson, a member of the bar examiners, stated that when he started practicing law, he had only two books, one was the Kansas Statutes and the other was Blackstone’s Commentaries. The lawyers then were outstanding because they had to do for themselves what law schools do today, that is learn the law on their own. That reminds me of the Kansas farmer who met a salesman who was trying to sell him a book on agriculture. The farmer wanted to know why he should buy the book. And the salesman replied that it would teach him how to be a better farmer. ‘With the knowledge contained in this book, you will raise two bales of wheat where you raised only one before, you hogs will become fatter and faster, you will be able to get your

cattle to market faster - in fact, you could farm twice as good as you do now.' And the farmer replied 'Shucks, I'm not farming half as good as I know how, now.' (Laughter) I think illustrates one of the difficulties we have concerning lawyers and law books today. Here our Fraternity is telling us that not only must we be outstanding in scholarship but that we must utilize that knowledge to its utmost capacity.

"There are three things that will aid a lawyer to become truly successful. The first is a knowledge of the classics, good literature. I know of no better way to communicate with a jury, with the court, with your opposing council, or with your client. There you will find some quote or statement about the subject you must effectively convey - but I warn you to be careful in using quotations from the classics. Don't do like one lawyer, who, in making what he thought was an eloquent plea to the jury, misquoted the classic 'the poorest man may, in his cottage, bid defiance to all of the forces of the crown. His cottage may be frail, its roof may leak, the wind may blow through it, the storm and rain may enter, but the king may not. All of the mighty forces of the King may not enter the humblest tenement of one of his subjects.' And here this lawyer, in all of his eloquence, looked the jury right in the eyes and said 'A man's home is his castle, the King may not enter.' (Laughter)

"The second thing necessary to being a good lawyer is a knowledge and understanding of human nature. During a trial, a lawyer was badgering a witness who said he saw the defendant bite off another man's ear. During the vigorous cross-examination the witness admitted that he had not fully seen it. The lawyer said 'Now, how do you know that he bit off the man's ear if you did not see it?' the witness replied 'Well, I did not see him bite it off, but I saw him spit it out.' (Laughter)

"The third thing is to be complete and thorough. Don't stop until you have exhausted the subject, whether it is legal research or during a trial. A railroad superintendent was commending one of his employees for his steadfastness in adhering rigidly to testimony that was vital to the case on trial. The employee said, 'That's O.K. but I sure was scared.' The superintendent said, 'You just got up and insisted that you waived the lantern back and forth, kept waiving back and forth all the time as the car kept approaching and finally collided with the train.' The employee replied, 'I know, but all the time I was afraid that he was going to ask me if the lantern was lit.' Now, don't let that happen to you. Ask questions until you have exhausted the subject completely!

"Another precept contained in our Declaration of Purpose is 'to foster under intimate friendships those principles that tend to form a higher type of manhood.' Now, that is just another way of saying that we believe in legal ethics. You know, something has happened to our profession. The term 'profession' used to refer to one of the four "learned professions" the clergy, teachers, doctors, and lawyers. Somewhere along the line, it came to mean anything someone did, from ditch digging to sports. Not that any of these are bad, most are honorable, as long as they entail honest toil. But even in ancient times the wearing of the cloak and of the robe was a sign to distinguish the literate man, to identify those who were entrusted with deciding the problems of the people. The robe is a symbol of great learning and wisdom, and I am glad to see that the wearing of a robe, which had fallen into disfavor, except maybe among the clergy, has become more acceptable today in academic circles and by the judiciary.

"Consider now the 'fee' by which we all earn our keep. The background of the fee was not a mere commercial charge. Rather, it was a symbol of tribute and respect to the learning and knowledge of the recipient. So keep in mind that by accepting a fee your client is entitled to all of your learning and knowledge, and not sharp practices and unethical conduct.

"Under this precept, I would like to make one more brief comment concerning another area that I think is important to our Fraternity. Think back to your own experiences, whether they be individually or with your family, or with your community, on things that are emotionally significant to you, that give you some sentiment, that add to your field of living, and you will recall those customs and traditions of your own individual and family and community life and background. So it is with Phi Alpha Delta. Naturally, we tend to think of our



Members of the Benton Chapter proudly display the Bovine Scoop in 1956.

own experiences in this area. You each have had unique experiences in your chapters. I fondly recall the Order of the Bovine Scoop in my own experiences. Over the fireplace mantel in our chapter house was the biggest shovel I had ever seen and every year the chapter would select a member whose name would be added to it, one who during the year had provided the chapter with the greatest amount of verbiage, commonly called shooting the bull, among the less educated. Now, among the chapter members it was considered to be a high honor to receive this Order of the Bovine Scoop! I am sure that with your creativeness and ingenuity that you can devise something of the same kind for your individual chapter that will give strength to those who receive it and to those who give it. These special awards, such as the scholarship award, outstanding active and alumni awards, and others, all of those things our founders and later developers have set in place for us, are things that make membership in our Fraternity something great and worthwhile.

“Still another precept is ‘to foster a close link between the law school and the former students.’ I like the cordial relationships we encourage between our law students and our alumni, no matter under what circumstances it occurs. But I think that too many times it is just a fleeting and passing thing. So this moving force between chapter and alumni needs work and development and I hope that you will fill this void. Encourage it. Stimulate it. Develop it. And begin it, if you will. This I think is the great key to the continued success of our Fraternity.

“Finally, there is the purpose ‘to foster and develop the interchange of business and matters of common interest among the members of our Fraternity.’ It is impossible to index and catalog the multitude of things that are done in this area. The Reporter for life to every member, the professional Business Reference Directory, insurance programs that are found in only limited areas, among others. In our complex society, with the explosion in the laws of our nation, the law schools are pressed to provide the academic training so necessary

to the development of a competent lawyer. It is impossible for them to equip the lawyer for the practical aspects of practice. And so our Fraternity, through its active chapters, provides a vehicle and the methods by which the chasm may be crossed, in a multitude of ways, by providing professional development programs for our student members.

“So, you see, a great opportunity, and a grave responsibility, is ours. I am sure that you will fulfill it as those in the past have. In closing, I would like you to join with me in the spirit of our great Fraternity Toast, I remember so well after these four decades:

Here's to Phi Alpha Delta
Here's to the Purple and the Gold.
Where friendships are always warmest
And hearts are never cold.
It's a Fraternity of Friendship
It will never lose its hold
SO SING FOR PHILOS ADELPHOS
And the Purple and the Gold

The convention arose for prolonged applause.

ACCENT ON PROFESSIONALISM - The Sixties

The decade of the sixties found Phi Alpha Delta in a position of preeminence among the legal fraternities. Growing from a tiny nucleus at the turn of the century, originating in a legal controversy, Phi Alpha Delta had survived the adversity of two world wars and a major worldwide depression. It had bounced back from each challenge with renewed vigor and growth.

Now, having strong chapters at most major law schools, Phi Alpha Delta was to shift emphasis toward greater promotion of professionalism and professional development programs for its members. Late in this decade, several events occurred which served this new emphasis on the professionalism aspects of the Fraternity.

March 1963 featured the initiation into Phi Alpha Delta of Associate Justice Arthur J. Goldberg of the United States Supreme Court. (Justice Goldberg would later become the United State Ambassador to the

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Present for his investiture as a member were Supreme Court Justices Tom C. Clark, William O. Douglas, Hugo L. Black, Harold H. Burton, and Stanley E Reed (retired), all members of Phi Alpha Delta.



Charter members of the John P. Egan Chapter, 1963.

The largest number of initiates at the chartering of a

new chapter, to date, occurred on May 5, 1963 when the Edward Douglas White Chapter was chartered at Louisiana State University in Baton Rouge, Louisiana. During this period charters were also granted to the John E. Hickman Chapter at the University of Houston on May 11, 1963, to the John P. Egan Chapter at Duquesne University in Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania on March 21, 1963. In addition, the Akron, Ohio Alumni Chapter was chartered.

New York City was the site of the Thirty-Fifth Biennial Convention in 1964. Justice Tom C. Clark was the keynote speaker. The convention featured a general revision of the constitution and national by-laws. A Phi Alpha Delta scholarship award was established. The convention defeated a proposed amendment to allow women into membership of the Fraternity.

100th Chapter Chartered

The year 1964 saw the chartering of the 100th active chapter of Phi Alpha Delta. The William Paterson Chapter at Seton Hall University in Newark, New Jersey received this honor when 59 men received the oath of membership, a new record number for a chartering, on May 7, 1964. Included in the chartering group was

law school Dean John T. Loftus who was very helpful with the preliminary work for the new chapter. The William Mitchell Chapter at the University of Minnesota was reactivated and the Maurice Wormser Chapter at Fordham University was chartered the same year.

The following year was equally noteworthy for Phi Alpha Delta. A highlight was the simultaneous chartering on May 8, 1965, of three separate chapters in Boston: the Harold E. Burton Chapter at Boston University; the Felix M. Frankfurter Chapter at Suffolk University, and the Boston Alumni Chapter. First Joint Meeting

During the summer of 1965, another Phi Alpha Delta first occurred. New Orleans, Louisiana was the site of the first joint meeting of the Supreme Executive Board, the Supreme Tribunal, and the District Justices during a non-convention year. The purposes of this meeting were to review the operation and programs of the Fraternity, to exchange ideas on methods for improving the services of the Fraternity, and to plan and implement programs for the ensuing year. The officers spent three full days in committee meetings and plenary sessions. The results of this meeting proved to be extremely beneficial to the Fraternity and the practice of conducting such meetings during non-convention years continued for many years.

New Chapter has Exemplary Programs

A new chapter of the Fraternity was installed on February 26, 1966, at Indiana University in Bloomington, Indiana, as the John Adams Chapter. Thirty-three second and third-year law students were initiated as charter members and forty-eight freshman students were pledged as members of the first pledge class of the new chapter. While still a colony awaiting formal installation, the members of the Adams Chapter, during the period of September, 1965 to February, 1966, prepared a law school library guide and distributed copies to all incoming freshmen; when the bookstore was unable to obtain sufficient copies of the Remedies course textbook, the members obtained copies from students who had previously taken the course and had them placed on reserve in the library for those students who were unable to purchase copies for themselves; they set up a series of review sessions for the freshmen courses offered during the fall semester; while planning what proved to be one of the best organized and professional installation of a chapter, they conducted a rush function ten days before the chartering and obtained forty-eight pledges, all against the competition of a competing law fraternity which had been operating at this law school for some time! Nor did our new members rest on their laurels. At the formal installation, plans were announced for future programs of the chapter including: scheduling a series of speakers on various aspects of law practice, planning and establishing a legal aid society for the Bloomington area, developing a program which would enable law students to spend several hours each week in a lawyer's office to obtain practical experience, implementing a summer placement program in conjunction with the University Business Placement Office, and formulating a voluntary student ethics program to better prepare the law student for the practice of law. In a short period of time, the charter members of Adams Chapter certainly perfected a record of professional programs that would be difficult to match!

Soon after we acknowledged the death of Brother Harold Burton, we welcomed into our ranks a number of distinguished jurists when on April 11, 1966, all of the justices of the Supreme Judicial Courts of Massachusetts and Maine, and of the Supreme Court of New Hampshire, received the oath of membership from Supreme Vice Justice Tom C. Clark. The ceremony was conducted in the Supreme Judicial Courtroom of Massachusetts and was attended by members of the three Phi Alpha Delta chapters in Boston: Burton, Frankfurter, and Boston Alumni. The ceremony was followed by a reception and dinner at the Union Club of Boston.

Within the two-month period extending from March 22 to May 28, 1966, four new chapters were chartered. The Douglas L. Edmonds Chapter was chartered at Santa Clara University in California, the Robert M. LaFollette Chapter at Marquette University in Milwaukee, the Kenneth Douglas McKellar Chapter at

Memphis State University, and the Theodore Frelinghuysen Chapter at Rutgers University School of Law, Camden Division, Camden, New Jersey. Unfortunately, the same year was to see the deaths of two former Supreme Justices of the Fraternity, Albert T. Gilbert and William S. Culbertson.

Contingency Fund Strengthened

The Thirty-Sixth Biennial Convention was described by the delegates as a “tremendous success.” The 1966 Kansas City gathering was officially preceded by a meeting of the Supreme Executive Board during which a report stated that the Fraternity was in the strongest financial position in its history. And the Board felt that at times such as this “funds should be set aside to protect the Fraternity against the risk of a financial reversal such as that suffered during the depression of the thirties and the war years of the forties.” For this reason the Board resolved to maintain cash reserves in the general and contingency funds in an amount equal to at least the expenditures of the last fiscal year, in addition to the reserves for the convention, directory, and directory supplement. It was during this biennium that the Supreme Executive Board, under the guidance of Supreme Justice Robert E. Redding, began to utilize a highly structured committee system, targeting specific, key aspects of Fraternity operations for review, analysis, and action. The success of this type of structure became readily apparent and it continued to be effectively utilized for more than two decades. Many professional programs were also instituted during this period.

Distinguished Service Chapter Established

At the suggestion of Supreme Vice Justice Tom C. Clark, this pre-convention meeting also established the Distinguished Service Chapter to “recognize members who had contributed outstanding service to the Fraternity.” This program proved to be very popular in that it provided a vehicle to recognize those members who had made long, effective, and dedicated service to the Fraternity, many of whom would not have been formally recognized otherwise.

Convention Workshops Established

The official opening of the Convention was sparked by the keynote address of The Honorable (Brother) Charles E. Whittaker, Associate Justice of the United States Supreme Court. This convention witnessed the first Convention Active Chapter Workshops which proved to be such an outstanding success that they were adopted as a permanent feature for future conventions. Decisions of the Convention included the following: deleting the office of Supreme Second Vice Justice and replacing it with the office of Supreme Advocate; limiting tenure on the Supreme Executive Board to eight consecutive years; raising the maximum amount for student loans from \$500 to \$1,000; and urging law schools to uniformly adopt the Juris Doctor degree for law graduates possessing baccalaureate degrees.

Phi Alpha Delta Day at the Supreme Court

Monday, May 20, 1967, marked the first Phi Alpha Delta Day at the Supreme Court. On that day, thirty-eight members of the Fraternity from nineteen states gathered in Washington, under the auspices of the Fraternity, to be admitted to practice before the United States Supreme Court. Mr. Justice (Brother) Tom C. Clark hosted a reception for the admittees and their families in the West Conference Room of the Supreme Court Building prior to their presentation to the court. He also formally moved their admission before the court. As with so many other innovative programs developed by the Fraternity, the Phi Alpha Delta Day at the Supreme Court has become an annual tradition for the Fraternity.



Attendees of the first Phi Alpha Delta Day at the Supreme Court, May 20, 1967.

Inns of Court

It was during this same period that the Inns of Court program was inaugurated. This program was designed to enhance the professional conduct of lawyers by encouraging the highest ethics in legal proceedings - both in court and out of court; to emphasize the teaching of legal ethics in law schools; and to provide a forum for the teaching of proper courtroom conduct and ethics. The first "Inns of Court" program was held on October 28, 1966. Brothers Edward Bennett Williams, noted criminal trial lawyer, and Samuel Dash, Director of the Institute of Criminal Law and Procedure at Georgetown University Law Center, were the speakers, while Judge (Brother) John J. Sirica of the United States District Court served as the moderator. [It is interesting to note that both Brother Dash and Judge Sirica later played significant roles in the Watergate hearings involving unethical conduct on the highest level of the Executive Branch of the Federal Government. Later Brother Williams served as counsel to the President of the United States William Jefferson Clinton in another ethics investigation.]

Memorial Plaque

The sixty-fifth anniversary of the Fraternity was marked by a significant event. On November 8, 1967 a bronze memorial plaque commemorating the founding of Phi Alpha Delta was dedicated. The auditorium of the Chicago-Kent College of Law in Chicago was the setting for the ceremony at which the plaque was presented to the law school.

The plaque was accepted by the President of Chicago-Kent, E. Douglas Schwartez. In his acceptance he recalled the active participation of Phi Alpha Delta in the life of Chicago-Kent and mentioned that he had been a pledge of Phi Alpha Delta while a law student but had not been able to join due to an inability to raise the initiation fee, and how proud he was to have finally become a member through the Blackstone Chapter, just forty years after he pledged the Fraternity. As part of the presentation ceremony, a sealed time capsule was placed behind the plaque, not to be opened until the year 2020.

Justice Tom C. Clark Room Established



Dedication of the Tom C. Clark Room by Phi Alpha Delta at the University of Texas, School of Law, December 15, 1967.

Supreme Justice Robert E. Redding, Mr. Justice Tom C. Clark, Supreme Vice Justice, and Dean Page Keeton, University of Texas, School of Law.

1966. John A. Brown had been a member of the Law Student League, one of the original members of Lambda Epsilon Fraternity, and a founder of Phi Alpha Delta. He maintained an active interest in our Fraternity throughout his life and was one of the major speakers at the Golden Anniversary of the Fraternity. Probably the best epitaph that can be afforded to our dedicated member is to quote a short portion of his speech on that occasion:

“I try cases all over the country. I have done so for the last fifty years and I have yet to receive anything but the warm hand of fellowship from members of Phi Alpha Delta wherever I go. It kind of makes you feel happy to have had even a small part in creating a fraternity whose members are that outstanding.”

To mark the retirement of Justice Tom C. Clark as Associate Justice of the United States, the Fraternity arranged for the establishment of the Tom C. Clark Room at the University of Texas School of Law. Funds for this project were raised by Phi Alpha Delta law school chapters located in Texas and Louisiana and the room was dedicated on December 15, 1967.

Brother Clark, who was then serving as Supreme Vice Justice of the Fraternity, was present to receive this “Living Tribute” to him. Among the items placed on permanent exhibit in the room were an oil painting of Justice Clark, a bronze bust of the Justice, the chair he used in chambers for many years and which had previously been used by Mr. Justice McReynolds on the bench, many of Brother Clark’s decisions, and pictures and cartoons depicting his long tenure in public service.

A grave milestone for the Fraternity occurred on December 29, 1967. On that date, Brother John A. Brown, the last surviving founder of Phi Alpha Delta, died. Brother Brown was in the private practice of law in Chicago from 1898, when he was admitted to the Illinois Bar, until his retirement in

The Fraternity continued to progress during this period with the chartering of Connelly Chapter at Gonzaga University School of Law at Spokane, Washington on January 27, 1968; developing plans for the Thirty-Seventh Biennial Convention to be held in Washington, D.C. during August, 1968; sponsoring the now Annual Phi Alpha Delta Day at the Supreme Court on June 3, 1968; Professor Samuel Dash of Georgetown University, a recognized leader in the field of Criminal Law (and who was to gain additional fame during the Watergate hearings) was initiated by the Taft Chapter; Mr. Justice Tom Clark became the first director of the newly created Federal Judicial Center; Livingston Chapter initiated Congressman Emanuel Celler, a member of the Congress for over forty years; the active and alumni chapters throughout the country sponsored numerous professional functions; the fifteen recipients of the Phi Alpha Delta Scholarship Awards were announced; and two additional active chapters were installed within a day of each other: Frank Murphy Chapter at Detroit School of Law on May 17, 1968, and William Glenn Terrell Chapter at Florida State University on May 18, 1968.

A record number of delegates from 97 active chapters and from alumni chapters registered for the Thirty-Seventh Biennial Convention in Washington, D.C., August 28-31, 1968. The Convention convened in the historical Mayflower Hotel, scene of a number of prior Phi Alpha Delta functions as well as the site of numerous historical events in national and world history.

Brother Warren E. Burger, then Judge of the United States Court of Appeals for the District of Columbia, and later Chief Justice of the United States, delivered the keynote address of the Convention. The formal Convention Reception featured the induction into the Distinguished Service Chapter of former Supreme Justice J. Harry LaBrum and the presentation to Executive Director Fredrick J. Weitkamp of an official officer's robe by the members of the Supreme Executive Board. Later during the Convention, Dean William B. Lawless of the University of Notre Dame School of Law was formally initiated into the Fraternity.

First Published History and Supreme Gavel

The Convention also witnessed the presentation of the first published history of the Fraternity written by the then Supreme Historian, C. Raymond Judice. It also adopted as the "Supreme Gavel of Phi Alpha Delta," a magnificent hand-carved gavel, which was presented as a gift to the Fraternity jointly by the Supreme Historian and the Samuel Houston Chapter of South Texas College of Law. The large gavel contains the names of the founders of Phi Alpha Delta, the Great Seal of the Fraternity and the official Coat of Arms, all carved into the head of the gavel. The handle contains a carving of a mace, the recognized symbol of authority throughout history, the handle of the "Sword of Retribution of Justice" and an outline of the Membership Key of our Fraternity. Designed by and executed under the direction of the Supreme Historian, the gavel was carved by a world-renowned sculptor.

Some of the more important decisions of this Convention included the adoption of a resolution urging the Selective Service Administration to allow enrolled law students to complete their education before being called into service. It approved support by the Fraternity of the adoption of a Code of Honor for law students. It adopted a resolution supporting legislative reform designed to eliminate pre-trial detention and the use of professional bondsmen. It also approved the principle that legal education should move



The Supreme Gavel of Phi Alpha Delta, presented to the Fraternity by Supreme Historian C. Raymond Judice during the Thirty-Seventh Biennial Convention in 1968.

towards the functional approach instead of the traditional case method of study and adopted a resolution urging law schools to attract students from all segments of society. The convention once again failed to adopt a proposed amendment to the constitution to admit women to membership. (Although this proposal failed to attain the necessary two-thirds vote to amend the constitution, it did receive a majority of the votes of the delegates.)

Hero of the Convention

The concentrated deliberations of the Convention were disrupted at one point by an unusual event. While the attention of all delegates was directed towards an important matter on the convention floor, loud and raucous sounds of a skirmish were heard in the hotel corridor adjoining the convention hall. Brother Matthew Kennedy of Webster Chapter, who was serving as a convention marshal, bolted into the hallway to quiet the noise and discovered members of the local police chasing a fugitive robbery suspect. Perhaps taking his duties as a convention marshal a little too seriously, he joined in the chase and soon found himself staring down the barrel of a .38 revolver. Fortunately, the gun misfired, and Brother Kennedy was able to corner the suspect in a basement men's room and hold him there until the pursuing, out-of-breath, police arrived to make the arrest. Upon his return to the Convention Floor, Brother Kennedy was greeted by a loud roar of approval and designated the "Hero of the Convention."



The Thirty-Seventh Biennial Convention, Washington, D.C., August 28-31, 1968.

FULFILLING THE PROMISE: Professionalism, Expansion and Recognition - 1969-1972

Phi Alpha Delta, having secured its position of pre-eminence among the law fraternities, was now in a position to reach out and fulfill its goal of providing professional development programs for its members and to aid the legal profession in its goal of encouraging the ethical conduct of all members of the legal profession. Even the widespread anti-establishment attitude among students of this period, generated in large measure by the highly unpopular war in Vietnam, was unable to detract for any extended period of time, from the inevitable march of Phi Alpha Delta toward its goals.

International Attainment, Expanded Membership, and Merger

Three significant events occurred during this period, which once again proved that Phi Alpha Delta was indeed the leader of the law fraternities. In 1969, the Fraternity realized a long-cherished goal: the establishment of its first active chapters outside of the boundaries of the continental United States with the chartering of the MacDonald Chapter in Canada and the de Diego Chapter in Puerto Rico. In 1970, the Thirty-Eighth Convention amended the constitution to allow women law students and lawyers to become members of Phi Alpha Delta, culminating a long struggle within the Fraternity. With this significant action, Phi Alpha Delta became the first major law fraternity to admit women to membership and the other law fraternities soon followed our lead in this regard. Two years later, after extensive study and negotiations between our Fraternity and Phi Delta Delta Law Fraternity, International, the leading women's law fraternity, the Thirty-Ninth Convention adopted a merger agreement, and 5,000 leading women law students, lawyers, judges and other members of the legal profession became members of Phi Alpha Delta. Again Phi Alpha Delta was leading the way!

[The use of the term "fraternity" here is correct in that the official name of Phi Delta Delta incorporated that term in its name and the members referred to their organization as a 'fraternity' and not a 'sorority']

While work and effort always will be with us to ensure that Phi Alpha Delta remains a viable and relevant organization, surely the milestones reached during this era will serve as a challenge to future generations of our members. True to this spirit of dedicated work, the Fraternity continued to grow and prosper during this period.

On December 6, 1969, eight Justices of the Supreme Courts of Rhode Island and Vermont were initiated into the Fraternity. Mr. Justice Tom C. Clark administered the oath of membership to Chief Justice Thomas H. Roberts, Associate Justices Thomas J. Paolino, Alfred H. Joslin, Thomas F. Elleher of the Supreme Court of Rhode Island, and to Justices Albert D. Barney, Jr., Percival L. Shangraw, Milford K. Smith, and F. Ray Keyser of the Supreme Court of Vermont.

The next day witnessed the installation of the Carlos C. Alden Chapter at the State University of New York at Buffalo. Joining the thirty-six students as charter members were Dean William D. Hawkland (Magruder), Assistant Dean George P. Smith, III (Hamill), and Professor John Hollands. This was soon followed by the installation of the Rutherford B. Hayes Chapter on February 22, 1969, at Franklin Law School of Capital University in Columbus, Ohio.

The Supreme Executive Board, meeting in Houston on January 24, 1969, authorized the Executive Director to order an additional 2,000 copies of the Phi Alpha Delta History. It adopted an official flag of the Fraternity and approved official officer robes for members of the Supreme Tribunal. It directed the development of plans for the preservation and display of Phi Alpha Delta items of historical importance at the Executive Office. It adopted new Fraternity policies that henceforth the name of any person who was a member of

another law fraternity would not be approved as a chapter name and disapproved of multiple honorary initiations in a single ceremony except the en banc or substantially en banc initiations of members of a particular court. It approved a substantial expansion of the fraternity insurance program. The Board adopted specific criteria which alumni chapters must meet to qualify for formal seating at future conventions. In an action strongly supported by law student members, it adopted a resolution recommending that the Selective Service delay the induction of recent law school graduates until the day following the last day of the next state bar examination. A permanent committee on Equal Justice Under Law was established and a committee to study and make recommendations on the use of law students for indigent defense was authorized.

International Expansion

On March 14, 1969, the Fraternity realized a long-cherished goal: the establishment of the first active chapter outside the boundaries of the United States. On this date, the Sir John Alexander MacDonald Chapter was chartered at the University of Windsor Faculty of Law in Ontario, Canada. With the establishment



Charter Members of the DeDiego Chapter, 1969.

of this first Canadian chapter, the Fraternity became truly an international organization. Then, on April 25, 1969, the Jose de Diego Chapter was chartered at the Catholic University of Puerto Rico at

Ponce. This new status was recognized by the Thirty-Eighth Biennial Convention when it voted to include the word "International" in the official name of the Fraternity.

Fifty-one members of the Fraternity from 22 states were sworn in as members of the Bar of the United States Supreme Court at the annual Phi Alpha Delta Day at the Supreme Court, June 2, 1969. Three weeks later, the Honorable Warren E. Burger (Jay), Chairman of the Phi Alpha Delta Inns of Court Program and keynote speaker at the 1968 Biennial Convention, was sworn in as the Chief Justice of the United States.

First Joint Meeting

New Orleans was the site of the Fraternity's first-ever joint officers' meeting. In August 1969, the members of the Supreme Executive Board, the Supreme Tribunal, and the District Justices met in joint session to develop plans for future Fraternity operations. During this meeting, the Supreme Executive Board authorized the publishing of the 17th Edition of the Phi Alpha Delta Professional Directory. This directory contained over 70,000 names of members of the Fraternity residing in the United States, and 41 other countries of the world. Thirteen thousand copies were ordered for free distribution to each active chapter, every law school library, and all current dues paying alumni members. Other action taken at this meeting included the adoption of a new catastrophe accidental death insurance plan to complement the insurance programs already offered to our members; adoption of revisions to the ritual; adoption as Fraternity policy the presence of student observers at future board meetings; creation of the Delinquent Chapter Trust Fund to be used for the purpose of granting relief to financially delinquent chapters; and establishment of special scholarships to be awarded annually by the Fraternity's three most outstanding chapters to members that they select.

The Sam Rayburn Chapter at Texas Tech University and the Lubbock Alumni Chapter were installed on September 6, 1969, and forty-four charter members were initiated into the Fraternity. Named after the long-

time Speaker of the U. S. House of Representatives, the new active chapter was formally chartered

in the courtroom of the local District Court, while the Lubbock Alumni Chapter was installed that

evening at a reception welcoming the students into

membership in Phi Alpha Delta. Three months to the day later, another new chapter was chartered

when, on December 6, the Richard Theodore Greener Chapter was

chartered at Texas Southern University in Houston and Phi

Alpha Delta welcomed into its ranks thirty new members. [The name of this chapter was later changed to Barbara C. Jordan Chapter.] The impressive ceremonies were conducted in Brother John V. Singleton's Federal Courtroom in Houston.

Charter members of the Sam Rayburn Chapter, 1969.

Expanded Membership Study

The Supreme Executive Board meeting in February, 1970, reviewed at considerable length the actions of earlier conventions on the subject of the admission of women into the Fraternity and directed the standing Constitution and By-Laws Committee to draft a proposed amendment to the constitution which, if adopted, would allow the admission of women into the Fraternity. It further determined that this amendment would be proposed by the Board to the next convention in the event that such was not proposed by an active or alumni chapter in proper form and within the time limitations, to allow consideration of this important subject at the 1970 Biennial Convention. The Board also authorized the appointment of a special committee to study all aspects of conversion of the Fraternity into a male-female organization should such an amendment be adopted.

On April 4, 1970, Phi Alpha Delta suffered a tragic loss with the death of J. Harry LaBrum. Known as "Hap" to generations of members, he served as the Supreme Justice of the Fraternity for a longer period than any other person, serving from 1938 to 1946 during World War II. It was largely his stewardship and vision which enabled the Fraternity to make such rapid strides in recovering from the effects of World War II. Brother LaBrum enlisted in the U.S. Army as a private in World War I, and was discharged as a sergeant. During World War II, he served as a Signal Corps officer, and retired in 1962 as a Brigadier General. Following his wartime service he practiced law as a senior partner in the law firm of LaBrum and Doak in Philadelphia. In 1968, during the biennial convention in Washington, he was invested as a member of the Distinguished Service Chapter of the Fraternity.

Historic New Orleans, Louisiana, was the site of the Thirty-Eighth Biennial Convention in 1970. This Convention can only be described as “The Historic Convention” of the Fraternity for the enormous amount of work that was accomplished during its sessions. In addition, this convention was the first to utilize the newly codified “Phi Alpha Delta Rules of Convention”. These accomplishments were achieved in spite of the large number of tourist attractions that New Orleans had to offer the delegates.

Women are Admitted to Membership

The subject of admission of women to membership in Phi Alpha Delta had long been discussed and had been formally proposed at a number of previous conventions. This amendment was first offered in 1948 at the Los Angeles convention by Brother William B. Robertson (Taft), who was later to serve as a member of the Supreme Tribunal and a member of the Distinguished Service Chapter. This proposal had failed to attain the necessary two-thirds vote at the two immediately preceding conventions. Now, in 1970, its time had arrived. With national television news cameras recording the scene from the rear of the convention hall, a roll call vote was taken on the question: “Whether the constitution of Phi Alpha Delta shall be amended to allow women into membership.” When it was announced that the amendment had received the necessary two-thirds vote for adoption, Brother “Robbie” Robertson was there, leading the cheering for a proposal finally adopted twenty-two years after he had first proposed it.

Having now taken this historic action, the Convention proceeded to a number of significant steps. The word “International” was added to the official name of the Fraternity. The official “Declaration of Purpose” of the Fraternity was amended to reflect a modernization of its wording. The term “pledge” was changed to “associate.” The voting procedure for election to membership in the Fraternity was changed from a required unanimous vote of the chapter to a two-thirds vote. The same provisions were adopted for election of future “associates” to membership by a chapter. Another amendment was adopted to authorize any active chapter, by a two-thirds vote, to waive the associate procedures and to elect an individual directly to membership without the necessity of a prior associate status. The name of the pledge manual was changed to the Phi Alpha Delta Handbook, and it was ordered revised and updated before its next publication. The Convention next directed a substantial expansion of the placement service and established the new position of National Placement Director to be appointed by the Supreme Executive Board.

Turning to matters of pressing current interest to society in general, the Convention adopted a resolution stating in part: “it is morally right and consistent with all we believe that the Fraternity assist the law schools in seeking every available means of increasing, substantially and rapidly, the participation of minority groups and economically and culturally disadvantaged people in the life of legal profession.” To aid in the accomplishment of the above principle, the Convention instituted a new program entitled the Phi Alpha Delta Fellowship Program which provided at least “six annual \$500 awards for disadvantaged, minority-group, entering law students, who need not be members of the Fraternity.”

It also directed the Supreme Executive Board to explore all avenues possible to secure the necessary funds to increase to \$1,000 the student loans available to members. The Convention next directed the establishment of a special committee to study the feasibility of the establishment of an intern clerkship program. This committee was to submit recommendations on whether such a program should be made a mandatory requirement of the law school curriculum or for admission to the Bar, and whether such a clerkship program should be integrated into the current law school curriculum or required as an addition thereto.

Obviously, this was a hardworking Convention, but the social side was not neglected. The Convention Reception, on the night preceding the formal opening of the Convention, was proclaimed as the best ever held. A magnificent carved ice swan served as the centerpiece of the main table, which was overflowing with food of all types. At one end of the reception room was a piroque (a flat-bottom boat used to navigate the shallow bayous of Southern Louisiana) filled with iced oysters in their shells. Many delegates were converted

to this Louisiana delicacy of raw oysters on the half-shell at the function - indeed some delegates were so fascinated by the oyster-barmen opening the oysters that that area of the room was soon filled to overflowing! On another night City Park, with its noted oak trees overhung with Spanish moss, hosted the "Creole Soiree" which provided an informal atmosphere for the delegates to get acquainted. Nor were the attractions of the "Vieu Carrie" (the French Quarter and entertainment center) ignored - any number of delegates were seen hurrying back to the hotel after the sun had risen, just in time to grab a quick shower and change before the opening gavel sounded to begin the morning session of the convention.

The newly elected Supreme Executive Board met on the day following the adjournment of the convention. The ritual was ordered revised to conform to the convention action admitting women into membership, and the Executive Director was directed to obtain information on all law fraternities and sororities having exclusive women membership to enable the board to investigate merger possibilities. The Board also increased the maximum amount of endowment loans to \$1,000.

Soon after the convention, two new chapters were chartered: John Nance Garner Chapter at St. Mary's University in San Antonio on November 8, 1970 (the sixty-eighth anniversary of the founding of our Fraternity) and Arthur Sammis Chapter at Southwestern University School of Law in Los Angeles. The news article in The Reporter concerning the installation of the Sammis Chapter, contained the phrase "On Saturday, December 5, 1970, a group of forty-six men and women were initiated..." thus indicating that the admission of women into the Fraternity had become not only an accepted fact but also a normal occurrence. The same issue of The Reporter contained a news article that Lawson Chapter of the University of Missouri, a chapter then having ninety-eight members, had elected one of its eight women members as Justice of the Chapter. By December, 1970, the Executive Director reported that approximately three hundred and fifty women law students had been initiated as members of the Fraternity, thus indicating a widespread acceptance of our new membership criteria.

Merger Talks Begin

During its meeting in Kansas City in December 1970, the Supreme Executive Board met with a committee of Phi Delta Delta Law Fraternity, International in exploratory talks concerning a possible merger between the two fraternities. Phi Delta Delta was at that time recognized as the leading law fraternity for women and had a membership in excess of 5,000 members. The talks proved to be encouraging and the Supreme Justice was authorized to appoint a committee to negotiate a possible merger with Phi Delta Delta.

The merger committees of the two fraternities met at the Executive Offices of Phi Alpha Delta on May 15, 1971. Negotiations proceeded for two full days and resulted in a "Memorandum of Agreement" which was to be submitted to the governing boards of the respective fraternities and thereafter to the individual chapters each fraternity. It was also recommended, should both Fraternities agree in principle to the proposed merger as outlined in the memorandum, that each fraternity schedule its 1972 convention at the same time and in the same city to enable each fraternity to consider the proposed merger simultaneously.

May 15, 1971

MEMORANDUM OF RECOMMENDATIONS

Later to be known as Memorandum of Agreement

On May 15, 1971, a meeting was held at the Executive Office of Phi Alpha Delta Law Fraternity, International, in Granada Hills, California, between representatives of Phi Delta Delta Legal Fraternity and Phi Alpha Delta Law Fraternity, International. Representing Phi Delta Delta were Enid Williams Ross of British Columbia, Katherine Hall of Pasadena, California, and Margaret Laurence of Washington, D.C. Representing Phi Alpha Delta were Matthew

S. Rae of Los Angeles, California, Don Hutson of Kansas City, Missouri, and Fredrick J. Weitkamp of Granada Hills, California.

The purpose of the meeting was to consider and discuss the possibility of a merger of the two organizations. It was unanimously agreed that there was merit in proceeding with such merger. To that end, the representatives in attendance agreed to recommend the following to their respective Boards:

1. That if a merger is accomplished, the name of the merged organization shall be Phi Alpha Delta Law Society, International, * and the name of Phi Delta Delta shall be preserved on all publications and materials for a period of ten years.

2. The membership of the governing Board of the merged organization shall be increased from seven to nine for a period of two years and the two added positions shall be occupied by members of Phi Delta Delta. These positions shall be designated as Supreme Second Vice Justice and Supreme Assistant Treasurer. The selection of the two persons from Phi Delta Delta shall be in accordance with the determination of the governing Board of Phi Delta Delta.

3. If the respective Boards approve the recommendations herein set forth, appropriate materials detailing the agreement of merger shall be prepared and submitted to all chapters of the two organizations for a mail ballot at the earliest practical time. If the chapters approve the general terms of merger, then the following procedures shall follow:

a. The Boards of the two organizations shall hold a joint meeting.

b. Joint committees shall be appointed to work out all details and steps of implementation (in this regard it is anticipated that committees will be formed on Constitution, Ritual, Finance, Membership, Districts, Memorabilia, etc.).

c. The two organizations shall hold concurrent Conventions at the Town & Country Hotel in San Diego, California, August 8-12, 1972.

d. The operational date of the legal merger shall be the last day of the 1972 Convention of Phi Alpha Delta.

e. Each organization shall seek legal counsel on tax and procedural matters.

f. All chapters shall forthwith be urged to cooperate on program planning on a local level.

g. The members of the merged organization shall be the existing members of Phi Alpha Delta and the existing members of Phi Delta Delta who shall automatically become members of the merged organization and shall be entitled to privileges of membership in Phi Alpha Delta.

h. When the merger is accomplished, all active and alumni chapters shall automatically be merged into one organization. Where Phi Delta Delta has chapters and Phi Alpha Delta does not, such chapters shall automatically become chapters of Phi Alpha Delta.

4. In the event that the vote of either organization shall be less than a majority vote, negotiations toward merger shall be terminated for the time being.

**[Editor's note: while the merger was accomplished at the concurrent conventions in 1972, the name of the merged organization retained the word 'Fraternity' in its title instead of 'Society' as proposed in the first clause of this memorandum.]*

New Chapters Installed

Supreme Justice Alex Hotchkiss presided at the installation of the Raymond Watkins Chapter at North Carolina Central University on April 24, 1971, when forty-eight law students were initiated into the Fraternity. In February 1972, the Fraternity welcomed the Hugo L. Black Chapter of Arizona State University and the Benito Juarez Chapter of the University of California at Davis. The Juarez installation was a most unusual one. On the date of its installation, the Supreme Executive Board was meeting in San Francisco, a short distance away. Faced with a long agenda but desiring to attend the installation en banc, the Board chartered a small bus and continued its deliberations on the bus during the trip to Davis, California — and following the installation,



Charter members of the Hugo L. Black Chapter, 1972.

once again convened during its return trip to San Francisco. Concerning this event, a student observer at this board meeting wrote to The Reporter: "This student observer can only state admiration for the perseverance, dedication, concern, and conscientiousness of the present board. Their adaptability has been illustrated as well as their deep deliberations on the issues concerning the Fraternity today." That same board meeting also witnessed the installation of the Everett Dirksen Chapter at Golden Gate College of Law. Juarez and Dirksen Chapters were the only two chapters to be installed by the entire Supreme Executive Board in modern Phi Alpha Delta history. Then, two months later the James F. Byrnes Chapter was installed at Lewis and Clark College in Portland, Oregon. (However, less than a year later, upon petition of the Chapter, its name was officially changed to the Karl N. Llewellyn Chapter, nunc pro tunc — much later a new chapter in Florida, the Mentschikoff Chapter of St. Thomas University in Miami, — was to be named after Professor Llewellyn's wife, the only occurrence in Phi Alpha Delta history where chapters were named after husband and wife.)

Special ceremonies were held in Topeka, Kansas, to commemorate the 50th anniversary of the chartering of the Benson Chapter. Former Supreme Justice (1962-1964) Alfred P. Murrah, Director of the Federal Judicial Center and former Chief Judge of the U. S. Court of Appeals for the 10th Circuit, was the main speaker. One of the highlights of the Founders Day activities was the presentation of a special tribute to Supreme Justice Alex Hotchkiss.

With the memories of the New Orleans Convention still fresh in the minds of Phi Alpha Delta members, San Diego, the site of the Thirty-Ninth Biennial Convention had a challenge — and it met the challenge with flying colors! Those who attended came away with a warm glow concerning the superb Southern California hospitality and weather. The hotel accommodations for this Convention were excellent in all details. Trips to the beach and to Old Mexico added to the enjoyment of this Convention. Informal receptions for delegates and caucuses on business matters pending before the convention occupied the evening and night hours of the delegates for each of the four nights of the Convention. Fortunately, the hotel was equipped with an indoor sauna bath and outdoor whirlpool bath, both of which were used to great advantage each morning to enable

the delegates to face another grueling day on the convention floor.

Merger of Phi Alpha Delta and Phi Delta Delta

Because the major issue to be determined was the proposed merger between Phi Alpha Delta and Phi Delta Delta, the two fraternities, as previously agreed, scheduled conventions at the same time and place. Before the conventions, the respective boards of Phi Alpha Delta and Phi Delta Delta had labored long and

hard in developing a proposed merger agreement between the two organizations. It was anticipated that, with the strong recommendations of both Boards, the proposed merger would be ratified with enthusiasm by each of the two Conventions. How wrong these assumptions were! During the respective conventions the delegates wanted to know "Why?" on every point; each item of the Memorandum of Agreement was dissected, discussed, debated, and reassembled at great length. The Convention committees considering the merger met during the day, and its members met in caucuses during the evenings with delegates from their own chapters and districts. The alumnae members of Phi Delta Delta wanted to know "Why?" - the student members of Phi Alpha Delta wanted to know "What's the advantage?" The debates continued in committees, in caucuses, and on the convention floor, until it appeared that the only action that would be

taken by the two conventions was the question of the merger. Finally, after all questions were answered and all doubts resolved, each convention voted a resounding "Yes." The merger was accomplished, and the two fraternities became one! (In the true spirit of fraternalism, the Phi Alpha Delta student delegate who had led the opposition to the merger proposed a toast to Phi Delta Delta and the merger at the concluding banquet, resulting in spontaneous standing applause by all in attendance!)

In effectuating the merger between Phi Alpha Delta and Phi Delta Delta, the agreement provided that the name of Phi Delta Delta would be preserved on all publications and materials of Phi Alpha Delta for a period of ten years. The positions of the Supreme Second Vice Justice and Supreme Assistant Treasurer were added to the Supreme Executive Board for a period of two years, which were filled by the nominees of the Phi Delta Delta Convention. Additionally the Convention directed the merger of all active and alumni chapters of the two fraternities chartered at the same law school or in the same geographical area into a single chapter, and that all members of Phi Delta Delta automatically become members of Phi Alpha Delta.

Interim Study on Annual Conventions Ordered

The Convention also directed that a special study be conducted on the feasibility of annual conventions and discontinuance of district conclaves. The Convention further directed that emphasis be placed upon programs designed to provide substantial aid to the greatest number of active members and in this regard directed the reduction of the number of scholarships from forty to seventeen (with a corresponding increase in loans to members) and recommended the establishment of a full-time Placement Director. The Convention defeated a proposal to provide for three Supreme Marshals, which would have been filled by student members, and also rejected a proposal to change the word "Fraternity" to "Society" in the official name of the Fraternity.

The concluding banquet of this Convention proved to be an extremely enjoyable one. After all the hard work of the Convention, the delegates were ready for relaxation and fun. The marriage of the Phi Alpha Delta and Phi Delta Delta had occurred - now it remained to be consummated. It was at this banquet, amidst howls of laughter from all sides, that a poem especially written for this occasion by two prominent members of Phi Delta Delta, was read.

“Resume of Past Events”

From Phi Delta Delta to Phi Alpha Delta,

By Elizabeth Gubring and Margaret Laurence

*A year ago and a month or two
You asked if WE would marry you.
This was a marriage of convenience -not passion
A prenuptial agreement was needed - in a fashion.
You considered the marriage with a view to your kids
We, to our elders, ‘cause they, too, blow their lids.
It’s not just that they wouldn’t agree —
But rather indignantly you didn’t ask ME!
But the terms were considered and broadcast by a vote
Hoping all your relatives would really take note.
And having done what we thought was our absolute best
We invited the families to meet in the West.
We came with our dowry . . . five thousand girls!
Our bank books, our banner . . . even our pearl.
The families were housed on alternate floors
Holding their meetings behind closed doors.
The ladies awaited a sign from the boys
Having fully exhausted all feminine ploys.
The “little old ladies” asleep in their beds
Had visions of merger going ‘round in their heads.*

*When lo and behold from above they did hear
Your young kids (after a quantum of beer)
Downgrading our dowry, our assets, our age
Opposing the marriage with outspoken rage!
But finally they thought the marriage had merit
And only had fears as to what they’d inherit.
We sat in the wings and patiently waited
Until all the furor had somewhat abated.*

*Then came the day of the crucial decision
And youth came thru with its usual precision.
But to assert their will (or get a laugh)
They cut the ladies’ vote in half.
Anyhow, here we are at the nuptial dinner
With both sides agreeing each is a winner
But . . . are we brothers, or sisters,
Or actually “bristers”?
Is it a fraternity, a sorority,
Or just a “fratority”?*

*Whatever we’re called -we give all we own
Plus this heartfelt blessing for our unified home.
From the little old ladies, who with sampler in hand
Stitched while they rocked to the “Mickey Finn” band.*

HISTORY OF PHI DELTA DELTA - 1910-1972

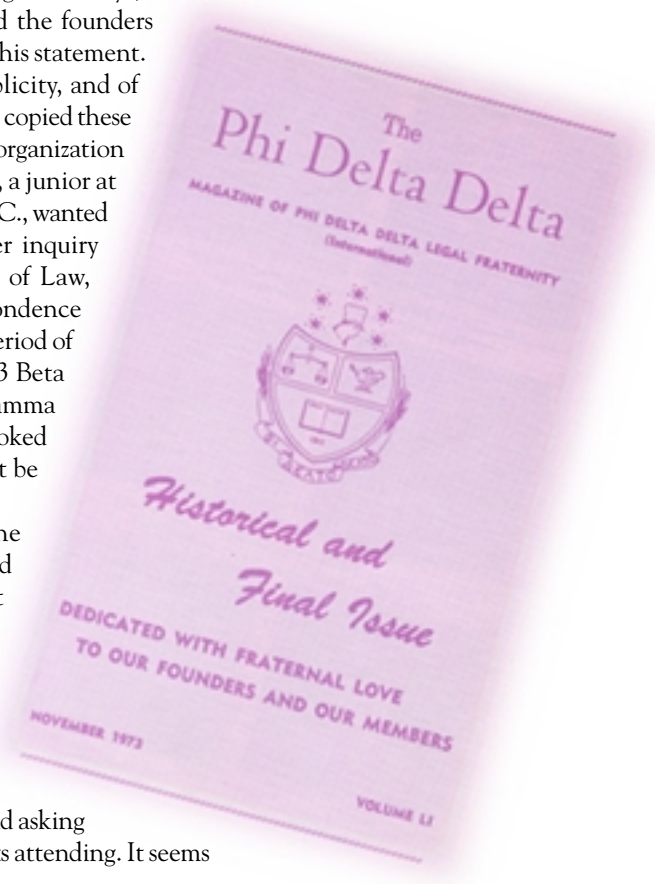
[Excerpted from “The Phi Delta Delta” magazine of Phi Delta Delta Law Fraternity (International) Historical and Final Issue, Volume L1, November, 1973.]

The very beginning of Phi Delta Delta dates back to the fall of 1910. Six women law students at the University of Southern California, Los Angeles, had formed a sort of sewing circle for the purpose of social intercourse and tea — mostly tea, and a meeting was held every two weeks throughout the school year. During these meetings, the seeds of founding a legal sorority were planted and a decision reached to take action the following year. During the months of September and October, 1911, these women law students “almost” lived at the public library absorbing every thing they could find on the organization of college fraternities. Numerous meetings were held during which notes were compared, suggestions exchanged, and decisions made. Articles of incorporation had to be drawn and filed at Sacramento, a name must be chosen, a pin designed, ritual, constitution and by-laws written, and there was the problem of expansion — for it was the intention of the founders to become a national fraternity as soon as practicable.

Founders and First Initiates — Alpha Chapter In 1912

On November 11, 1911, Phi Delta Delta Legal Sorority (as it was then called) had come into being, and the founders proudly displayed jeweled pins to substantiate this statement. The Los Angeles press was generous with publicity, and of course other newspapers throughout the country copied these items. As a result of this publicity, the fledgling organization had two “nibbles” from the East. Scotia Strack, a junior at the Washington College of Law, Washington, D.C., wanted to know what it was all about, and the other inquiry came from a local sorority at Kent College of Law, Chicago. This resulted in voluminous correspondence with these two “prospects,” extending over a period of many months, and finally in the spring of 1913 Beta Chapter was installed at Washington and Gamma Chapter at Kent. Gamma’s charter was later revoked due to dissension in the chapter that could not be amicably settled.

The fraternity had become national! The charter members were very gleeful over this, and rather self-satisfied, too, for they thought it would be only a matter of time until they would be deluged with an avalanche of inquiries. But this was not to be, and it became a painful duty to seek instead of being sought. The members wrote to the dean of every law school of standing in the country, setting forth the aims and virtues of Phi Delta Delta, and asking information as to the number of women students attending. It seems



incredible that in 1911 there were scarcely a dozen law schools in the United States with sufficient women students to support a chapter of the fraternity. There would be two or three women at nearly every school, but rarely more, and it took five to start a chapter! This was disheartening, for it made the national future seem so remote and uncertain. In the fall of 1914 an inquiry was received from a group of women at the College of Law, University of Oregon, Portland. Ina Jaqua, a senior there, conducted this correspondence and within a short time a petition was submitted. This resulted in Delta Chapter, which was installed early in 1915.

Shortly after this, a charter was granted to a petitioning group at the University of Washington Law Department in Seattle, and delegates were sent from Portland to take care of the installation of Epsilon Chapter. Zeta Chapter at George Washington University, Washington, D.C., was organized under the regime of the charter members, but was not installed until after the 1917 convention.

With five active chapters in existence, fears for the future of Phi Delta Delta as a national organization were at an end. Accordingly, the First National Convention was called to meet in Los Angeles, August 20-22, 1917, which was attended by delegates from three chapters: Alpha, Delta and Epsilon.

From the founding of Phi Delta Delta to the first convention, the five founders held the five national offices and the legal title was Phi Delta Delta Legal Sorority.

The first convention amended the constitution, by-laws, and ritual, changing the word "sorority" to "fraternity", and added the word "Grand" to the title of the Officers and of the Council. The second convention, July 20-22, 1922, passed amendments to change the word "Grand" to "National", "Grand Council" to "National Executive Committee," and the legal title became Phi Delta Delta Legal Fraternity. With the installation of Omega Chapter on January 30, 1926, at the Vancouver Law School, now the Law School of the University of British Columbia, Vancouver, British Columbia, Canada, and after the association of a number of foreign women lawyers, Phi Delta Delta became known as Phi Delta Delta Legal Fraternity, International, and the Officers were designated "International." Amendments to effect these changes were made at the fourth convention that was held on July 10-13, 1926, at Estes Park, Colorado.

From the early days of Phi Delta Delta it was the desire of the members to have a publication to bind together the organization that was spreading far and wide. At the first convention, a section was added to the constitution: "It shall be the duty of the editor of the Phi Delta Delta publication to edit and publish the fraternity publication in each scholastic year." At this convention Vere Radir Norton, Founder, was elected editor and May D. Lahey, Alpha, was elected business manager.

After this convention, the treasury of the fraternity was moved to Portland, Oregon. Shortly after this transfer the bank's doors were closed and the Phi Delta Delta treasury was frozen for a number of years. When final settlement was made only a portion of the treasury monies were returned. That is the reason there were no early publications and, also why the second convention was not called until July 20-21, 1922, in Los Angeles, California.

Phi Delta Delta's second convention ordered the publication of The Phi Delta Delta and elected two Zeta Chapter members, Lois Gates Borman, editor, and Harriet M. Barbour, business manager. Volumes I and II were published as semiannual publications. These were enjoyed by the members, and accomplished the desired purpose of bringing the fraternity together through its pages.

The third convention held in Washington, D.C. on July 3-5, 1924, elected Dr. Ione Weber, editor, and Amelia Dietrich Lewis, of Nu Chapter, Brooklyn Law School, New York, as Business Manager. Volumes III and IV were published as quarterlies from November, 1924 to June, 1926. Thereafter the editors were appointed by the Executive Committee, and the editors selected their own editorial and business staffs.

The existence of Phi Delta Delta covered a period of growth and accomplishment by women in the legal profession and its members contributed greatly to this progress.



Third Convention of Phi Delta Delta, July 3-5, 1924, Washington, D.C.

In the beginning, in 1911, there was but one chapter of Phi Delta Delta. By the time of the merger in 1972, sixty-eight active and ten alumnae chapters had been granted charters.

In 1911, there were five members of Phi Delta Delta. In 1912, there were eleven; in 1923 there were 198; in 1929 there were 800; in 1936 there were 1,511; in 1954 there were 2,660; in 1972 the membership roll contained 5,000 names.

In 1911, the treasury of Phi Delta Delta was zero. In 1972, after payment of all expenses, the payment of all costs

pertaining to the last convention held on August 9-12, 1972, in San Diego, California, and the payment of the expenses of the last Phi Delta Delta Breakfast held in conjunction with the American Bar Association Convention on August 14, 1972, in San Francisco, the general treasury amounted to \$25,282.82 and the endowment fund to \$17,107.45. This total of \$42,390.27 was transferred to the treasury of the merged fraternity with \$5,000 of the general treasury account being earmarked for the payment of the last issue of The Phi Delta Delta publication. The life membership fund was earmarked to honor the life memberships of the fourteen remaining life members of Phi Delta Delta. The Phi Delta Delta endowment funds were placed in the endowment fund of Phi Alpha Delta. In addition to those funds, an unknown amount was in the treasuries of the various local chapters, and it was agreed that these moneys should be used for purposes as prescribed by each individual chapter.

In 1911, only a few law schools admitted women. In 1972, women were admitted to all law schools in the United States, Canada, and Mexico, and women now have the opportunity to study law in all civilized countries of the world.

In 1911, many states in the United States did not admit women to the Bar; some states did not permit women to sit on a jury; no woman held a judicial position; no woman held a government position requiring a law degree; many of the states denied women property rights; and some states even denied women rights to their own children in certain circumstances! In 1911, women could not vote in the United States, except in one locale, (the Territory of Wyoming gave women the right to vote and hold office in 1896.)

The Woman Suffrage Amendment, the Nineteenth, was proclaimed a part of the Constitution of the United States on August 26, 1920. In 1972, the Equal Rights Amendment awaited ratification by the states. This proposed amendment said in total:

“Equality of rights under the law shall not be denied nor abridged by the United States or by any state on account of sex.” However, this proposed amendment failed to obtain affirmative votes in enough of states for ratification. (The amendment was vigorously opposed by a woman’s organization that felt that women would lose special protections then provided in various state statutes if the amendment was adopted.)

Phi Delta Delta has contributed greatly to the slow but sweeping advancements that have brought women to the point of achieving equal status within the legal profession.

Members of Phi Delta Delta have been the first women to serve in various avenues of the legal profession: the first to receive a law degree, the first admitted to a Bar, the first appointed as a jurist, the first appointed to a federal, state, county, or city office, the first to be elected to a legislative body, the first dean of a law school, the first law professor, and many, many, other 'firsts.' These pioneer women through their dignity, persistence, and meticulous hard work paved and smoothed the way for later women lawyers.

Phi Delta Delta fulfilled its fraternal goal to promote the highest standards of professional ethics and culture among women in law schools and in the legal profession, and to promote the professional achievement of its members. This was accomplished by the initiation of cultured women who were seriously interested in the law and who desired to be united in the endearing bonds of fraternalism in Phi Delta Delta.

And Now the Fulfillment

After great accomplishments Phi Delta Delta merged with Phi Alpha Delta on August 12, 1972 and became part of the largest professional law fraternity in the world. Two members who had previously served as International Officers of the now merged Phi Delta Delta were elected to the Supreme Executive Board of Phi Alpha Delta. Enid Williams Ross, who had previously served as Vice President of Phi Delta Delta, was elected Supreme Second Vice Justice and Dalphine MacMillian was elected Supreme Assistant Treasurer.

The Presidents of Phi Delta Delta

Annette Fillius Hunley	1911 - 1917
Hon. Orfa Jean Shontz	1917 - 1922
Mabel Walker Willebrandt	1922 - 1926
Hon. Edith Meserve Atkinson	1926 - 1928
Grace B. Knoeller	1928 - 1930
Eleanor L. Curnow	1930 - 1932
Dora Shaw Heffner	1932 - 1934
Florence M. Selander	1934 - 1936
M. Vashti Burr (Whittington)	1936 - 1938
Mildred P. Bergeron	1938 - 1940
Emilie Eisenahuer	1940 - 1946
Catherine L. Vaux	1946 - 1948
Berniece C. Merrill	1948 - 1950
Hon. Evangeline Starr	1950 - 1952
Margaret M. Curley	1952 - 1954
Sarah A. Perrin	1954 - 1956
Vera L. Jones	1956 - 1958
Elizabeth Ridnour Haak	1958 - 1960
Katherine Hall	1960 - 1962
Hon. Isla L. Lindmeyer	1962 - 1964
Mary Ellen McCorkle	1964 - 1966
Marie Whitesell Balboa	1966 - 1968
Kathleen Ruddell (Green)	1968 - 1970
Amelia T. Del Vecchio	1970 - 1972

GROWTH AND ACCOMPLISHMENTS: The Early 1970s

Pursuant to the action of the Thirty-Ninth Biennial Convention the position of International Placement Director was established effective January 1, 1973. This same period also witnessed the reactivation of James Kent Chapter at the University of Idaho in Moscow, the installation of the J. Harry LaBrum Chapter at the University of Baltimore, and the installation of the first international alumni chapter when the charter of the Toronto Alumni Chapter was formally presented by Supreme Treasurer Frank J. McCown. Members of the new alumni chapter were all alumni of the Macdonald Chapter at Windsor Faculty of Law and all of the past justices of the Macdonald Chapter became charter members of the Toronto Alumni Chapter. During this period, the Fraternity was feeling the full weight of the anti-establishment sentiments of many law students who were among the leadership of this attitude when they were undergraduate students in the 1960s. The "Message from the Supreme Justice," printed in *The Reporter*, reports on a conversation he had with a student who stated that his class "feels no loyalty to school, fraternity, or any organization." The picture painted was of a new generation of lone wolves, motivated solely by selfish interests. Participation, according to this student, could be achieved only with the promise of immediate benefit to the individual. The concepts of "Service" and "Tradition" were obsolete according to him. Thus, it is easy to understand that the actions of the Supreme Executive Board Meeting in December, 1973, were concerned primarily with the internal operations of the Fraternity. The principal item of business to come before the meeting was a complete in-depth review of all active chapters. The strengths and weaknesses of individual chapters were discussed at length and remedial solutions were developed to aid chapters in distress. During this discussion, the Board addressed the growing tendency of chapters to adopt a category of "local membership" without requiring the individual to become a member of the Fraternity. A special committee was appointed to review and study this problem and report back to the Supreme Executive Board with suggested solutions. Special visits by the Executive Secretary to several active chapters who were apparently violating the constitutional provisions regarding membership in this manner were directed. A complete redistricting of the Fraternity's Districts was adopted at this meeting which increased the number of districts to twenty.


Committees were appointed to develop methods of improving the use and effectiveness of alumni and faculty advisors and of the district justices. The concept of a "talent bank," containing the names of members of the Fraternity evidencing a continuing interest in Fraternity activities, was discussed. In other actions, the Board voted to submit to the next convention a proposed constitutional amendment that would make permanent the addition of the two positions that had been temporarily added to the Board by the 1972 Convention for a two-year period. Responding to the directive of the previous convention, the Board also voted to recommend that future conventions be held on an annual basis and that Supreme Officers be elected on an annual basis. (However, neither of these recommendations was adopted at the subsequent convention.)

The petition of the newly chartered James Byrnes Chapter for a change of name to that of Karl N. Llewellyn, nunc pro tunc, was granted. In granting this petition, the Board was careful to indicate that this was a very unusual situation and was not intended to establish a precedent. (Some of the chapter members expressed strong reservations concerning Mr. Justice Byrnes' decisions involving civil rights cases while he was serving on the United States Supreme Court.) To ensure that this message was conveyed to all concerned, the Board adopted formal rules of procedure for changing chapter names. Finally, an "Emergency Study Committee" was appointed to "review ways and means of maintaining fraternity stability and activities in periods of emergency."

The First International Convention

In 1974, the first Biennial Convention to be held outside of the continental United States was convened in Toronto, Ontario, Canada. Earlier, the international status of the fraternity had been recognized by the inclusion of the word "International" in the official name of the Fraternity and later the titles of the officers

were changed from "Supreme" to "International." A multitude of decisions involving far reaching consequences to the Fraternity and its future were made during this convention. A special welcome was extended to the nine active and eight



Fortieth Biennial Convention, August 6-9, 1974, Toronto, Ontario, Canada.

alumni chapters chartered during the last biennium. The opening session also featured a model initiation presided over by the members of the Supreme Executive Board.

Convention Chapter Workshops

One of the most interesting and effective aspects of this convention was the Chapter Workshops with the theme "The Effective Chapter." Four workshops were conducted simultaneously with all delegates being assigned to one of the four sections. Panels were composed of three fraternity members who were knowledgeable in the subject matter of each individual workshops and who made presentations to each of the workshops. The workshop subjects included: Chapter Organization and Programming; Building Chapter Strength; Chapter Finances; and Executive Office Liaison. A special workshop for Alumni Chapters was conducted at the same time. A social highlight of the convention was an interesting and enjoyable afternoon at Ontario Place, an area of forty-five acres of entertainment activities. On a more serious note, the finals of the Phi Alpha Delta International Oratorical Contest were held during the Convention Awards Banquet.

Formal action of the Convention included extensive recommendations to improve the placement service of the Fraternity; the constitution was amended to provide that no person can remain an associate for a period exceeding eight months, the alumni dues were increased, the proposal to change the frequency of conventions from biennial to annual was tabled, the previous temporary increase in the number of officers on the Supreme Executive Board from seven to nine was made permanent, and the Fraternity Scholarships were reduced from \$500 to \$50, with the monies saved from this reduction to be placed in the endowment fund to be available for loans to members. Attending this convention were the two newly appointed Executive Secretaries, James E. Freeman (Beaumont) and Joseph Rippinger (Beaumont), making their first official appearances as the newest members of the "Official Family." The Fraternity was to benefit greatly in future years from the sincere dedication and effective services of these two members.

The Convention was a success, as indicated in the following quote from The Reporter: "As we departed to return to our respective homes and places of business we left Toronto with fond memories of good times, warm friendships and a feeling of achievement."

Following this first “international convention” came the re-chartering of two dormant Chapters of Phi Delta Delta. Fifty-five years, to the day, after Eta Chapter of Phi Delta Delta was chartered, its successor, The Bertha R. MacLean Chapter of Phi Alpha Delta was chartered. The chapter’s namesake was a former Dean of Portia Law School, the predecessor of New England School of Law. Portia Law School was originally established as a law school exclusively for women at a time when few law schools would admit women as law students. Dean MacLean had been a charter member of Eta Chapter of Phi Delta Delta. An honored guest at this installation was Mrs. Richard E. Slowe who had been initiated by Eta Chapter during the 1930s.

Carlisle, Pennsylvania welcomed the one hundred and thirty-ninth chapter of Phi Alpha Delta when on March 7, 1975, the Mary Vashti Burr Chapter was chartered. Originally installed as Omicron Chapter of Phi Delta Delta Legal Fraternity on May 18, 1923, the Chapter had been inactive for a number of years. One of its members, in a fascinatingly humorous manner, relates how the Chapter came to be reactivated.

Zowee. This is how it all began, or so it is told. A group of staid and conscientious reprobates gathered in the winter of 1973 (it was cold because there was no fuel, right?) and determined to add a new facet to their lives as law students. It was Robert Sullivan who gave impetus to the group, so he’s responsible. Sully had just seen “Paper Chase” (*a movie concerning law students*) and realized that the study of law should be more than just contracts and torts and a 500-page property can. After all, Timothy Bottoms had found his Professor’s Daughter. Yes, in a hot flash, Sully realized that law school should be work and play, study and party; Sullivan knew that there was a place in law school for beer guzzling. Sullivan’s friends already knew this and were guzzling beer in the library as they paged through 12 S. 2d. 305,306. It is recorded in the ancient lore of Dickinson Law (*or is it the ancient law of Dickinson Lore?*) that when Sully made an observation to this effect his friend and constant companion, Phineas Phlagg, immediately suggested a social sort of organization, academically orientated, that could devote many and long nights to the lubrication of lupanars. (*He really talks this way. His mother was frightened by a decision of Judge Musmanno [a justice of the Pennsylvania Supreme Court noted for his elegant language] during her third trimester.*)

(It should be observed that Phineas only approved of the organization when he heard that there was a VICE justice, for which office he was eminently qualified.)

It is written that despite the frenzy of approval that greeted this suggestion, once the meeting had been explained, Bob Sullivan managed to prevail (or did he?) and formed the nucleus of this chapter from that stalwart lot (or is it lotwart stall) with their purpose being to provide an open forum for law students in which areas related to the law and beyond the immediate scope of course study could be explored.”

New chapters continued to be chartered and inactive ones reactivated during this period. On May 30, 1975, the Chester A. Arthur Chapter was installed at Vermont School of Law; the James Monroe Chapter at Midwestern School of Law was chartered on May 24, 1975; and on May 31, 1975, the Murphy Chapter at the University of Detroit and the Cooley Chapter at Wayne State University were reactivated.

PROSPERITY CONTINUES: The Mid 1970s

And the Fraternity continued to prosper. The December, 1975 issue of *The Reporter* reported that the deans of fifty-two law schools in the United States were members of Phi Alpha Delta, more than that of the other two major law Fraternities combined. This same issue reported the installation of three new active chapters and two alumni chapters, and the publication of the 18th Edition of the Phi Alpha Delta Professional Directory.

The Michigan Supreme Court was the setting for the installation of the Isaac Peckham Christianity Chapter on September 21, 1975, and the initiation of thirty-four charter members. On November 14, 1975, the Morrison Waite Chapter was installed at the University of Dayton, soon followed, on November 22, 1975, by the Thomas Farrar Fleming Chapter at Nova University in Fort Lauderdale, Florida. Across the

globe, the Aloha, Hawaii Alumni Chapter was formally installed in Honolulu, and the Puerto Rico Alumni Chapter was installed in the Caribbean. The installation of Fleming Chapter provided an interesting anecdote. The charter chapter justice arranged for the Supreme Justice and the Executive Secretary, who were there to install the chapter, to stay at a



Aloha Hawaii Alumni Chapter. The Aloha Hawaii Alumni Chapter was formally installed on July 28, 1975 with Associate Tribune Norman Owen as the Installing Officer.

motel owned by his parents. During the night following the installation a burglar entered the room occupied by the Supreme Justice and made off with all of his cash! Thankfully the new chapter justice prevailed upon his parents to cash an out-of-state check to enable the Supreme Justice to have some ready cash on his flight home!

Historical and Memorabilia Room Dedicated

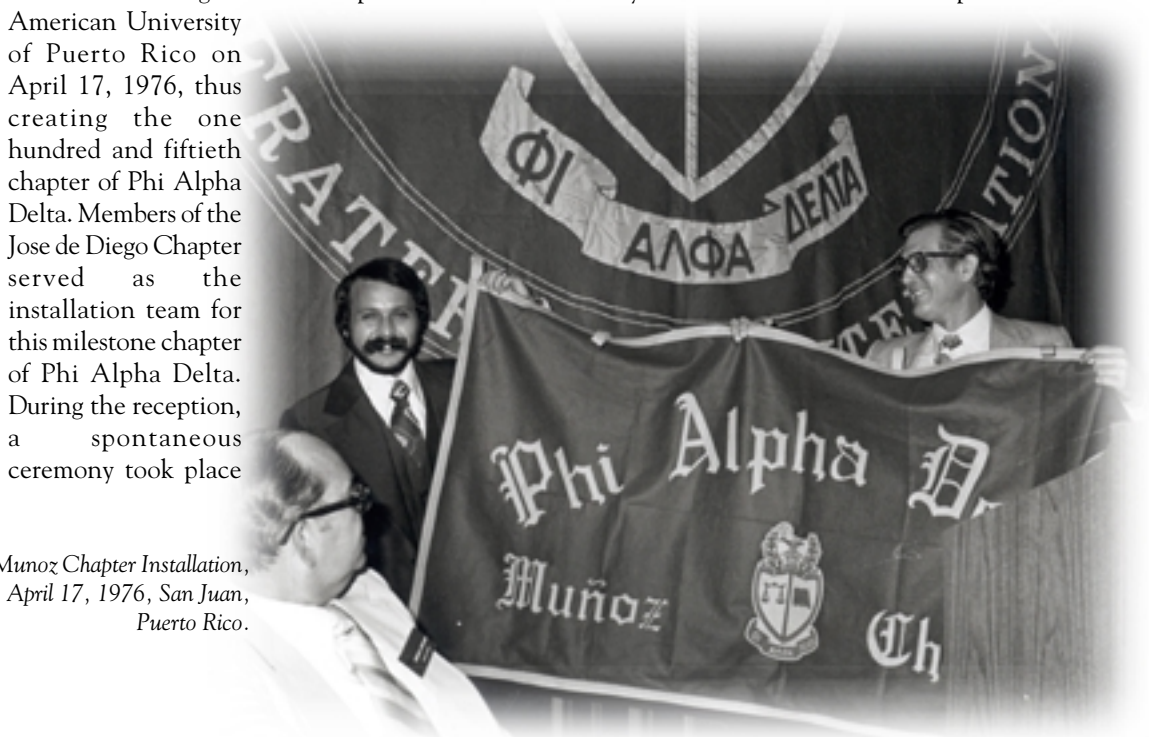
The meeting of the Supreme Executive Board held in Los Angeles during December 1975 featured a tour of the Executive Office of the Fraternity and the official dedication of the History and Memorabilia Room of the Fraternity. Many years in the planning stage, this room served as a depository and display area for the many historical documents of the Fraternity. Following this tour, the Board immediately set to work from early morning hours until long into the night. Fiscal matters and service to the members occupied a major portion of the agenda of this Board Meeting. The annual Audit Report and the Financial Report for the fiscal year were thoroughly reviewed. The 18th Edition of the Phi Alpha Delta Professional Directory was studied and discussed in detail to develop methods to improve future editions. The Phi Alpha Delta Purchase and

Discount Plan was discussed in considerable detail. Various proposals and facets of this new service for our members were proposed and discussed, and many policy decisions concerning the development of this new service to our members were made. (First proposed by Brother Don Hutson almost ten years before, the plan was finally nearing reality!) Methods to increase the available funds from the Endowment Fund for loans to members were next addressed and methods to accomplish this goal were discussed. The appointment of a committee to ascertain whether the Fraternity could develop a relationship with various charitable foundations to obtain additional monies for student loans was authorized.

Another committee was appointed to study the methods of several institutions identified as being extremely successful in raising such funds. Other committees were authorized to study ways and means of implementing a National Association of Law Clubs on the undergraduate level and a Para-Legal Association under the auspices of the Fraternity. The Executive Director was directed to explore the possibility of assisting the Order of the Coif whenever possible. Expansion of the Fraternity into Canadian and Puerto Rican law schools was established as a priority for the Executive Office Staff. Long-range planning and goals standards covering a period extending into the next five years were adopted. The proposal to establish a law interfraternity council, to supplement the general Professional Interfraternity Council, was approved in principle and appropriate action was directed to be taken to implement the creation of a "Law Interfraternity Council." Plans were developed for the observance of the Seventy-Fifth Anniversary of the Fraternity and the theme "Years of Professional Service" was adopted. Proposed Rules of Convention for the 1976 Convention were discussed, amended, and adopted. Finally the Supreme Justice was authorized to appoint a committee to review the Ritual of the Fraternity and recommend such amendments as might be indicated by the experience of having had women members initiated into the Fraternity during the last five years.

George Read, a lawyer and signer of the Declaration of Independence, a U. S. Senator, and the Chief Justice of Delaware, was the chapter namesake chosen by the forty-four charter members of our newest chapter at Delaware Law School, when it was chartered on November 15, 1975.

The chartering of Read Chapter was soon followed by that of the Luis Munoz Chapter at the Inter-American University of Puerto Rico on April 17, 1976, thus creating the one hundred and fiftieth chapter of Phi Alpha Delta. Members of the Jose de Diego Chapter served as the installation team for this milestone chapter of Phi Alpha Delta. During the reception, a spontaneous ceremony took place



*Munoz Chapter Installation,
April 17, 1976, San Juan,
Puerto Rico.*

when the Supreme Justice presented his personal Fraternity Pin to the newly installed Chapter Justice, Julio Vega, to be worn in trust and presented to the justice of the future two-hundredth chapter of Phi Alpha Delta. The genesis for the establishment of this newest chapter came about in an interesting way, which emphasizes the spirit of fraternalism among our members. While in Puerto Rico to preside over the induction of five justices of the Puerto Rico Supreme Court, the Supreme Justice had a conversation with Brother Tony Fuentes, then justice of the de Diego Chapter. During this conversation Tony invited the Supreme Justice to return to Puerto Rico, who responded that he would be extremely pleased to return to preside over the installation of a new chapter. A quick consultation with his calendar indicated that he could return in three weeks. Tony accepted the challenge, got to work and accomplished the almost impossible in that short time, and thus Munoz Chapter was born!

Phi Alpha Delta returned once again to Kansas City for its Forty-First Biennial Convention - the fourth time since 1939. In a break with recent Fraternity tradition, the Convention was held over a weekend, from Friday through Monday, July 30 to August 2. On Thursday evening, the Convention Reception was held at the poolside with the Barristers, a local band composed exclusively of attorneys, providing entertainment.

The convention was officially opened on Friday morning, with another Phi Alpha Delta "First" — a filmstrip depicting the history and growth through the years of Phi Alpha Delta. This pictorial history was produced by Executive Director Fredrick J. Weitkamp and directed by Bruce Kerner (Sammis) and John Weitkamp (Ford). The melodious voice of Supreme Vice Justice Don Hutson (Jay) narrated the film. This was followed by the keynote address by Hon. Tom C. Clark, a long-time devoted member of the Fraternity. During this address, he discussed the problems and failings of modern legal education and methods for improvements. As might be expected, the student delegates warmly applauded each criticism. He also challenged the Fraternity to get actively involved in aiding the law schools to develop more effective teaching techniques.

The Convention Chapter Workshops, now a permanent part of each convention program, were held on Friday afternoon and once again proved to be an outstanding feature, with chapter delegates loading up "on booklets and materials" to take back to their chapter.

Revised Ritual Adopted

A special revised ritual, authorized by the Board at its pre-Convention meeting for use this one time, was exemplified before the Convention delegates on Saturday morning. During this initiation, the husband of Supreme Parliamentarian Enid Ross, the wife of District Justice Steven Clark, and the law partner of Supreme Vice Justice Don Hutson were initiated into the Fraternity.

Following this initiation, questionnaires were passed out to all delegates requesting their comments and suggestions on the revisions. A special convention committee was appointed to review these questionnaires and to make recommendations on the revisions. The amended ritual met with the approval of the delegates, and the new International Executive Board, meeting immediately following the adjournment of the convention, officially adopted this newly revised ritual with a few minor changes suggested by the delegate's questionnaires and the special Convention Ritual Committee.

Why the Name “Phi Alpha Delta”?

[The detailed research material concerning the selection of the name of our Fraternity is included as a separate chapter at the beginning of this history. Not all of the information on this topic contained in that chapter is repeated here. However, the author believes that the selection of our name is of sufficient interest to the our members to make a second reference to it here, during this period when the questions were asked and the research done.]

With the adoption of the revised edition, the Board addressed a recurring question: Why the name “Phi Alpha Delta”? What was the purpose of our founders in selecting this particular name? The only thing that is certain is that they are the twenty-first, first, and fourth letters of the Greek Alphabet.

In researching the history of the Fraternity for the first edition published in 1967, the author of this history visited with Brother John Brown, then the sole surviving founder of our fraternity, to discuss this matter with him. However, due to his advanced age Brother Brown could not recall the significance of the selection of these three particular letters of the Greek Alphabet as the name of our Fraternity.

Extensive research into the available early records of both Lambda Epsilon Fraternity and Phi Alpha Delta did not prove particularly enlightening as to the name of Phi Alpha Delta. However, it did reveal that the name Lambda Epsilon was chosen with “Lambda” standing for “Law” and “Epsilon” for “Equity.”

It is known that the names of many fraternities were chosen from selected passages of classic Greek literature. To ensure secrecy, the first letters of the key words in the passage were then selected as the identification for the organizations.

The author of this history did discover a reference to the phrase “Fond of One’s Brother” in an early edition of the ritual of the Fraternity. However, this reference is unspecific, nor could it be determined if it was a quote from a classic work of Greek literature. Another reference was found to “Philos Adelphos,” which we know is a reference to “Brotherly Love.” Hundreds of letters were written to all members who were members of the Fraternity for forty years or more seeking information concerning this matter. While a number of members did respond to this request, none were able to document with certainty the specific reasons for the selection of the name of our Fraternity. However, many did indicate that a reference was made during their initiation to the phrase “Fond of one’s brother” or to “Brotherly Love.”

The information provided by the members who responded was of great help to the author not only in researching the early history of the fraternity but also as an important source of information to the International Executive Board in making the necessary decisions concerning the revision of the Ritual of the Fraternity.

Exhaustive research having failed to discover the exact intention of the founders in selecting these particular letters of the Greek alphabet for our name, the International Executive Board, in adopting the newly revised edition of the Ritual of the Fraternity pursuant to the action of the Forty-First Biennial Convention in 1976, determined that henceforth the phrase “Phi Alpha Delta” will connote the Greek phrase “Philos Adelphos Dikaios”:

“**Philos**” meaning “Love,” “Fondness,” and “Affection”

“**Adelphos**” meaning “Brother” and, in its broadest sense, “Humanity”

“**Dikaios**” meaning “Justice”.

In arriving at this determination the Board decided that, translated into our contemporary language, “Philos Adelphos Dikaios” hereafter would connote the phrase, “Love Of Humanity Ensuring Justice For All.” Thus, our name signifies the two basic precepts upon which our Fraternity is founded: Fraternalism - the joining together of dedicated people in a common spirit to promote the improvement of humanity, and Justice - that ideal which we who have chosen the legal profession must preserve by exemplifying the principles of Integrity, Compassion and Courage.

New Fraternity Logo Adopted

Another innovation of this Convention was the introduction of the new logo of the Fraternity. Based upon the design of the new hand-carved wooden podium plaque presented to the Fraternity by the retiring Supreme Justice, this logo met with instant approval. Indeed, the convention directed that it be used on all future Fraternity publications. This Convention also directed the preparation and sealing of a time capsule containing many items of significance to the Fraternity. The materials inserted into this time capsule were prepared in two sets of original documents. The time capsule is to be opened by the convention commemorating the One Hundredth Anniversary of the Fraternity and then to be resealed for the Two Hundredth Anniversary Convention. Items deposited in the capsule included an official greeting from the Seventy-Fifth Anniversary (the Forty-First Convention) of the Fraternity to the One Hundredth and to the Two Hundredth, translated into several languages, and signed by all delegates in attendance at the Forty First Convention. Other items sealed in the time capsule included a copy of the History of the Fraternity, the first pages of newspapers from major cities dated July 4, 1976, the Bicentennial of the United States, copies of each of the publications of the Fraternity and many similar items.

Changes

Once more the recurring proposal to change “Fraternity” to “Society” in the name of our organization was defeated - this time by the largest majority ever. (The anti-fraternity sentiments were apparently abating at law schools everywhere, and once again it was becoming “acceptable” to be a member of a professional organization!) However, other changes were in store — the term “Supreme” was changed to “International” wherever it was used previously in an official manner, by a constitutional amendment. The position of “Supreme Parliamentarian” was replaced by that of “International Proctor.” By another amendment, all past Presidents of Phi Delta Delta joined the former Supreme Justices of Phi Alpha Delta as members of the newly re-designated International Advisory Board. The Convention declined to adopt a proposed amendment that would have completely deleted the associate status as a step towards membership in the Fraternity.

This Convention was also concerned, as were the previous two, with increasing available funds for student loans to members. To this end, the Convention ordered the discontinuance of the Minority Fellowship Program, effective June 30, 1978, and directed the Board to “vigorously pursue additional sources of funds for the International Endowment Fund.”

The installation of the newly designated “International Officers” concluded the Forty-First Biennial Convention and the newly elected officers and the convention delegates departed for their homes, schools, and offices to begin the work of the new biennium, with the words of the newly installed International Justice: “Today we are 80,000 members strong with 150 law school chapters and 72 chartered alumni chapters, the acknowledged leader among law fraternities.”

CREATING NEW TRADITIONS: 1976 – 1986

The years 1976 through 1986 saw Phi Alpha Delta Law Fraternity, International prosper through a continued growth by building upon its history and strengths. But, probably more important, the Fraternity prospered by dealing effectively with its own problems in an atmosphere of benign adversity of the times which seemingly plagued other Bar-related organizations. Because of its own progressive changes, both pragmatic and philosophical, the Fraternity began to prepare itself for a dynamic and competitive future.

These years saw continued growth of new law school and alumni chapters. By July, 1984, the Fraternity had installed its 168th law school chapter at Georgia State University School of Law, the Richard B. Russell, Jr. Chapter. The number of Alumni chapters had also grown and numbered 83. There was the reactivation of numerous chapters, and the Fraternity by this time had grown to over 105,000 members. Moreover, the period saw the development and implementation of the Pre-Law Chapter program in undergraduate schools, a move undertaken in the 80s.

Publications

An important internal development and advancement the Fraternity made in these years was in the area of new publications and in the improvement of existing ones. By the year 1978, Phi Alpha Delta had developed and published the following new materials; the Professional Program Manual (which gives law school chapter officers step-by-step “how to do it” information on a multitude of professional programs); the Faculty Advisors’ Manual; the Fund Raising Manual; a Model Chapter Program Outline; Establishing a Legal Practice (a guide for the beginning practitioner); the International Board Members Manual; a District Justice Manual; and an International Tribunes Manual. In the area of revision and improvement of publications, the Fraternity completely re-designed and revised the Law School Chapter Rush Booklet; the Book of Ritual; and Phi Alpha Delta Facts Pamphlet.

Another significant step in the area of publications was the development of audio-visual materials and aids. The Fraternity developed a relationship with the Hastings College of Law of San Francisco, California, to secure and make available videotapes of prominent speakers who had participated in the Hastings College of Advocacy. This was the first phase of Phi Alpha Delta Visual Professional Programs. During this time the Fraternity also authorized the Historical slide presentation, introduced at the 1976 Convention, to be used by law student chapters. Pursuant to convention action, it developed a new logo, revised the Crest and the Great Seal of the Fraternity.

Phi Alpha Delta celebrated its 75th Anniversary, the Diamond Jubilee of its founding, with a banquet on February 18, 1977 in Chicago, Illinois. The function was held at the Palmer House, in conjunction with the Fraternity’s International Executive Board meeting and a social function attended by 200 members and guests.

On another note, the era was a financially difficult one for most organizations dependent on member contributions and the Fraternity did not entirely escape all financial binds. The ever-increasing rate of inflation burdened the Fraternity, which for many years was reluctant to increase its dues even though the cost of its services to individual members and chapters was vastly increasing. At the summer Executive Board meeting in 1977, held in Little Rock, Arkansas, the Board developed an austere budget for the coming year. Due to the increased costs of services provided by the Fraternity, it recommended to the 1978 International Convention an increase in initiation fees for law students and in annual dues for the alumni members. By meeting these financial and inflationary problems head-on as it did, the Fraternity weathered another storm, making it stronger than ever.

In June of 1977, the Fraternity lost one of its great leaders and a prominent member in the death of Supreme Court Justice Tom C. Clark. Brother Clark was truly a prestigious, loyal, and inspirational ambassador for our Fraternity. He served as a role model on all levels of professional endeavor, and a man whose words of wisdom were truly unquestionable.

Internal Operations

In the winter of 1978, the International Executive Board met in Atlanta, Georgia, where it approved many of the new Fraternity publications. It continued to deal with the financial problems facing the Fraternity and planned for the upcoming convention in Cleveland.

In August of 1978, the 42nd Biennial Convention convened in Cleveland. The convention delegates were faced with the responsibility of serious recommendations and proposals. Convention action increased the initiation fee to \$35.00; it approved a graduated program of increased alumni dues — \$15.00 for the first three years following graduations, \$25.00 for the next two years, and thereafter \$35.00.

The International Chapter adopted a program of granting ten \$500.00 loans to needy first year students without regard to membership in the Fraternity; it directed the International Executive Board to publish a supplement to the 18th edition of the Phi Alpha Delta Directory (to include all graduates since the publication cut-off date of that directory and all current dues-paying alumni members); it changed the designation of “active chapters” to the “law school chapters” in Fraternity Publications. Despite the atmosphere of the times, the Cleveland Convention voted down a proposal which would allow the chartering of chapters in law schools not on the approved list of the American Bar Association.

1978 was a very important year for two members who had devoted many significant years of their lives in service on behalf of Phi Alpha Delta: At the closing banquet of the 42nd Biennial Convention, Brother Fredrick J. Weitkamp, who had served as the Executive Director of the Fraternity for 25 years, and whose contributions were virtually legion in that capacity, was inducted into the Distinguished Service Chapter of Phi Alpha Delta. In October of that same year, Brother Matthew S. “Sandy” Rae, Jr., was also inducted into membership of the Distinguished Service Chapter. The former National Field Representative under Supreme Justice Douglas Edmonds he served as a District Justice on both East and West coasts, in every office of the Los Angeles Alumni Chapter, and in four offices of the Supreme Executive Board, culminating with the position of Supreme Justice in 1972. His induction took place in Los Angeles, among some of his closest friends in the Los Angeles Alumni Chapter.

In February of 1979, the International Executive Board met in Tampa, Florida, where the main thrust of the meeting was devoted to the “image of the Fraternity” and a concerted effort to improve the Fraternity’s financial and investment policies. Later that year, a federal grant was awarded to the Fraternity to aid in the development a program for juvenile justice and law-related education. As one of several grantees, Phi Alpha Delta undertook the responsibility of developing programs to help students understand and respect the laws and institutions of our nation in an effort to reduce juvenile delinquency across the country. Phi Alpha Delta was the only law Fraternity to receive such a grant at that time, thus adding a new facet of public service to the operations of the Fraternity.

Another International Expansion

In other activities, on October 5, 1979, the Fraternity installed its first Chapter in Mexico with the installation of Vallarta Chapter at Universidad Regiomontana of Monterey, Mexico. International Justice Frank J. McCown traveled to Monterey to install this new chapter. Continuing its interest in international arenas, the International Executive Board met in San Juan, Puerto Rico for its Board Meeting in February of 1980. While in Puerto Rico, the Board participated in the initiation of Carlos Romero Barcelo, Governor of



*Ignacio L. Vallarta Chapter installation team,
October, 1979.*

Puerto Rico. During this board meeting the final plans were made for the 43rd Biennial Convention to be held in Hot Springs, Arkansas.

On July 28, 1980, the 43rd Biennial Convention commenced with the International Justice's Reception at the Arlington Hotel in Hot Springs. This convention, ironically conducted at one of the oldest traditional hotels in the country, would move to set the tone for what was to become a progressive series of developments in the field of law fraternities.

The First Tom C. Clark “Equal Justice Under Law” Award

The immediate manifestation of this new direction was evidenced by the awarding of the first Tom C. Clark “Equal Justice Under Law” Award. This very prestigious honor was conferred upon the Hon. Kenneth D. Taylor, Canadian Ambassador to Iran, for his actions in saving American citizens when the American Embassy in Teheran was attacked and overrun in late 1979.

This award was instituted to recognize persons whose actions and accomplishments best exemplified the sterling qualities of Brother Tom C. Clark's many years of service to mankind and his adherence to the principle which is carved in stone above the entrance to the Supreme Court of the United States “Equal Justice Under Law”. This award also emphasizes the fact that our Fraternity is an organization that recognizes those who benefit their fellow man, and that all can learn and thus gain from such persons.

Subsequent to the Hot Springs Convention, International Justice Steve Clark, Attorney General of the

State of Arkansas, appointed a committee consisting primarily of the members of the International Tribunal to develop a program in Professional Responsibility for the Fraternity.

Pre-Law Program

Another result of the 43rd Convention was the implementation of what was to become known as the “Phi Alpha Delta Pre-Law Program.” The program, creating a new Fraternity program for those undergraduate college students who were contemplating law school, had the effect of opening the benefits of Phi Alpha Delta to thousands of students to enable them to learn and grow with the world's foremost law fraternity. The culmination of almost five years of planning finally occurred on April 24, 1981 with the chartering of the first Pre-Law Chapter at Southwest Missouri State College. This Chapter, the first of sixty-eight that existed by June of 1986, was one with a definite Fraternity legacy. John F. Weitkamp, son of the Executive Director and himself a District Justice, was then the Pre-Law Director and the person most responsible for the tenacious years of planning and development of the program. Jack Miller, the International Secretary, who aided in chartering of this chapter was himself an alumnus of the college where this first chapter was established.

Finally, the first President of the Chapter was Eric Hutson, son of Former International Justice Don Hutson, who was, at the time, serving as Chairman of the Pre-Law Committee for the Fraternity.

The 1980s also marked another point at which the results of previous decisions began to become apparent. By late 1983, twenty percent of our international officers were women - all of whom had been initiated into the Fraternity in the previous eight years. Moreover, a significantly greater percentage of chapter membership and officers were also women. There could be no question that Phi Alpha Delta was moving ahead in its quest to be the first and the best in its endeavors.

At the same time it was expanding into these other spheres, the Fraternity did not neglect its alumni members. At the 43rd Biennial Convention, a certified Continuing Legal Education program on "Preventing Legal Malpractice Claims and Practicing More Profitably" was presented. Additionally, the Fraternity organized and maintained a cassette lending library for its alumni. Under this program, members could receive any of more than 200 seminar and instruction tapes included in this library for only the mailing and handling costs.

Even with all the energy and activity channeled into this increasing scope, the Fraternity did not hesitate to pause for a moment to honor its own. The 43rd Biennium (1980-1982) was remarkable in that three new members were added to the rolls of the Distinguished Service Chapter, bringing its total membership to 13 out of the more than 105,000 members of the Fraternity. C. Raymond Judice, who served in many leadership roles in the Fraternity, including that of the last "Supreme" Justice, (1974-1976) and who authored many of the publications and designed much of the memorabilia of the Fraternity was inducted into the chapter during the 1980 Biennial Convention. John McAulay, Dean of the Loyola University School of Law in New



The 44th Biennial Convention. Delegates are seated in orderly rows to have their pictures taken as the 44th Biennial Convention, held on August 4-7, 1982 in St. Louis, Missouri comes to a close.

Orleans, was similarly inducted in December of that same year. Then in August, 1982, Don Hutson, the first "International" Justice (1976-1978) who had served for over twelve years in a number of leadership roles in the Fraternity was also inducted. All three continued their invaluable contributions to the Fraternity.

Not all of the accomplishments of our members occurred within the internal operations of the Fraternity. A most noteworthy contribution by a member during this time occurred in early 1981. Brother Warren Christopher (Holmes), who was then serving as Deputy Secretary of State, led the team of U.S. negotiators which was successful in obtaining freedom for the American hostages being held by the Iranian government for more than a year. Brother Christopher, who had served in 1948-1950 as an elected officer of the Fraternity, later served as U.S. Secretary of State. All of our members had good reason to be proud of his achievements.

The 44th Biennial Convention was called to order on August 4, 1982 by International Justice Steve Clark, with an impressive list of accomplishments behind it, and with new goals and challenges before it.

Judge John Minor Wisdom

The Tom C. Clark “Equal Justice Under Law” award was bestowed on August 7, 1982 on the Honorable John Minor Wisdom (Martin²⁷) of the U.S. Court of Appeals for the Fifth Circuit, in recognition of Judge Wisdom’s courageous work in enforcing and interpreting the desegregation decisions of the U.S. Supreme Court and the Civil Rights Act of 1964. The plaque awarded to Brother Wisdom noted that from his bench in New Orleans, Judge Wisdom and other Fifth Circuit Judges diligently applied the law and “fought the popular pressures at great personal sacrifice and discomfort.” Brother John Minor Wisdom truly exemplifies the words “Equal Justice Under Law.”

Subsequent to the 44th Biennial Convention certain occurrences took place that would help to maintain the Fraternity’s status as an innovator. First was the appointment of Ronald J. Winter (Alden) as the new Pre-Law Director. Brother Winter, who was concurrently serving as Executive Secretary of the Fraternity, planted the seeds of what was to become a major accomplishment of our Fraternity. Then, in 1983, former International Justice Frank McCown, of Ironton, Ohio was asked to replace Ron Winter as Pre-Law Director. With the same energy that he displayed during his eight years as an international officer (1972-1980) he took on the task and was personally responsible for adding almost 30 new pre-law chapters in one year. His contributions, without compensation other than the gratitude of his fellow members, are an unparalleled achievement.

However, the Fraternity was not without its losses during this time of expansion. Just prior to the St. Louis Convention, word was received that former Chief Tribune, Frank “Pancho” Worthington, had died. He had contributed decades of service to our Fraternity as District Justice, Alumni Chapter officer in the San Francisco Bay Area, and finally as Chief Tribune. Then on July 21, 1982, James P. Aylward, who had served eight years as a Supreme Officer, including 1913-1914 as Supreme Justice, died at the age of 96 in Kansas City, Missouri. There he was affectionately known as “Mr. Chairman” for his many years as Chairman of the State Democratic Party. Finally, on April 5, 1984, the Fraternity lost Brother John L. Griffith, who after serving for six years as a Supreme Officer of the Fraternity (1954-1960), with the last two years as Supreme Justice, returned to serve again in 1977-1978 as an Associate Tribune. These brothers who helped make our Fraternity what it is today will be missed, but never forgotten.

Despite these losses, our members around the hemisphere could feel optimistic about the future of the Fraternity as they readied for the 45th Biennial Convention. The 1983-1984 fiscal year resulted in the largest number of new initiates in our history, over 3,900, clearly outdistancing all other legal fraternities. The Public Service Center in Washington, D.C. received renewed federal grants to continue its work in law related education, and the Fraternity was preparing for participation in the Constitutional

Bicentennial of the United States. The Fraternity was also recognized for other contributions. In June of 1983, it was awarded the “George Washington Honor Medal for Excellence in Community Programming.” In making the award, Dr. Robert W. Miller, President of Freedom’s Foundation, commented that they sought to recognize the contributions of those who “build and do not tear down.”

These words perhaps best exemplify the goals of Phi Alpha Delta during this period of expansion of influence — to build new programs, new friendships, new ideas, and all the while maintain that which has always made our Fraternity special — the fraternalism which brought together the 19 who signed the “Articles of South Haven” in 1902, and which has sustained it as a leading force for good within the legal community.

The 45th Biennial Convention was opened on the evening of July 31, 1984, with the International Justice’s reception poolside in Miami Beach and yet another biennium of inspiration and excitement was commenced for a new group of convention delegates. As a matter of fact, few if any of the delegates present at this Convention would anticipate some of the events that would occur during the subsequent two years.

The Renaissance Hotel was a particularly good site for the Convention. It still housed the original theater and stage on which hundreds of episodes of the famous television program “The Honeymooners,” starring Jackie Gleason were filmed, adding a celebrity atmosphere to the event.

Voluntary Financial Contributions

With a virtual record pre-convention year of over 3900 new members, the Fraternity was still plagued with financial difficulties, caused primarily by the continuing increases in the cost of providing services to our members. This prospective shortfall and the consequent need to increase initiation fees resulted in an event of unprecedented emotional response that once again instilled in everyone the true sense of fraternalism. During the convention business session, following a vigorous debate concerning these fiscal matters, convention delegate Ed Faulkner (Madison Alumni) approached the microphone, pronounced his love for Phi Alpha Delta, and made a small cash contribution to the general fund of the fraternity. The emotional response to this was overwhelming. Within minutes it seemed like everyone present in the convention hall approached the microphone to make a donation or pledge to the Fraternity. While the entire process took almost two hours to record, in that short period of time the Fraternity was the beneficiary of over \$6,000.00 personally contributed by the delegates in attendance at the Convention.

As the 45th Biennial Convention progressed, the newly chartered chapters within the Fraternity were recognized. They were the Blume Chapter, University of Wyoming; Ramos Chapter, University of Puerto Rico; Russell Chapter, Georgia State University; and Touro Chapter, Touro Law School New York City;

likewise, the T. Ruffin Chapter at the University of North Carolina was recognized as having been re-activated since the 1982 Convention. New alumni Chapters also chartered during the period were Fort



Forty-Fifth Biennial Convention, August 1-4, 1984, Miami Beach, Florida.

Lauderdale, Broward County, Florida; Greater Albuquerque, Albuquerque, New Mexico; Long Island, New York, and Old Pueblo in Tucson, Arizona.

The Convention was not without its accolades. Brother Matthew S. “Sandy” Rae, was presented with an award for having set a new record — attendance at 20 consecutive Biennial Conventions since 1946, when he first attended as the Justice of the Rutledge Chapter at Duke University. Irene Bailie, the loyal Certified Court Reporter, whose professional skills had been soundly tested in reporting every Fraternity Convention from 1970 to 1984, was likewise presented with a plaque.

The prestigious Tom C. Clark “Equal Justice Under Law” Award was presented at the closing banquet to (former) United States Senator Claude Pepper. Senator Pepper, a member of the Fraternity, at the time 84 years of age, was widely known for his perennial commitment to concerns of the elderly and continued these efforts while serving as a member of the United States Congress. The Award was given by unanimous vote of the International Executive Board.

Keynote speaker of the Convention, the Honorable Howard T. Markey (Webster), Chief Judge of the U.S. Court of Appeals for the District of Columbia, delivered a message in which he said that if we could just infuse

our professional lives with some love, that when our time has run and our work is done, it will be said of us that freedom and justice were glad that we had lived. He suggested a subordination of the technical aspects of the profession to a higher priority of the humanitarian approach and the consequent contribution by lawyers as peacemakers.

Brother Markey was not the only prominent member to bring a message to the Membership. Messages received from United States Cabinet officials, Governors of numerous States, Senators, and other prominent members, brought home the impression of the positive contribution Phi Alpha Delta has made in their lives, and provided a glimpse of the fraternity's true involvement in the professional development of its members.

In addition to its usual standing committees, the Fraternity also hosted its second program in the area of Professional Responsibility and Ethics. Professional Responsibility, the subject of a rather intensive study and dissertation submitted a number of years earlier, was again a focal point of attention. Again, Phi Alpha Delta was the first to sponsor such a program. In the preceding Biennium, the International Chapter had dedicated the remaining portion of the decade to this subject.

In early 1985, District XXI (Arizona) Justice Stan P. Jones, an attendee at several recent conventions, suddenly passed away after a brief illness. A World War II veteran, Stan resided and practiced law in the Phoenix, Arizona area, where he maintained a near perfect District. He was the first District Justice to die in office in recent history. The Fraternity recognized his contributions by naming the Outstanding District Justice Award after him.

First Alumni Chapter Initiate

In the Spring of 1985, the Los Angeles Alumni Chapter became the first Alumni Chapter to initiate a person into the Fraternity. This was accomplished pursuant to the recent amendments to the International By-Laws, adopted at the 1984 Biennial Convention, which, for the first time authorized alumni chapters to initiate new members into the Fraternity

On October 17, 1985 the Tom C. Clark "Equal Justice Under Law" Award was presented to United States District Judge John J. Sirica, for his courage and tenacity in presiding over the famed Watergate hearings. In making the Award, the International Justice stated:

"United States District Judge John J. Sirica presided over the most important criminal case ever to be tried in an American court. It involved the most powerful men in government and precipitated a constitutional confrontation between the Executive Branch and the Judiciary more important than any other in history...Judge Sirica maintained full control of his courtroom and of the integrity of the judicial process of the United States of America. He dedicated five years of his professional life to insuring the Watergate defendants 'Equal Justice Under Law' at a great cost to himself."

In other events centering around our nation's capitol at that time, Brother Mark W. Cannon, Administrative Assistant to the Chief Justice of the United States since 1972, was appointed key coordinator in the Nation's Bicentennial commemoration of the adoption of the U.S. Constitution and Bill of Rights. Brother Cannon, a prominent speaker and journalist, authored a number of "Monogram Series" articles for the Fraternity. He was the first person ever appointed as Administrative Assistant to the Chief Justice. In the following year, Brother Justice Warren Burger would resign from the United States Supreme Court to assume the helm of the Bicentennial Program.

In August of that same year, Brother Donald R. Moore, former Supreme Vice-Justice, became the newest inductee into membership of the Distinguished Service Chapter. International Justice Stanley Kohn, who was elected as International Vice Justice in 1976 by defeating Brother Moore, presided over the ceremony in a true display of fraternal fellowship.



International Justice Stanley H. Kohn.

Following these advances for the Fraternity, Phi Alpha Delta was rocked by the news of the tragic and untimely death of International Justice Stanley H. Kohn on November 24, 1985, in Columbia, South Carolina. Only 54 years of age at the time, he was a creative and dynamic leader. His service to Phi Alpha Delta was impressive and inspiring.

Despite the shock and confusion caused by the unanticipated death of Brother Kohn, International Vice-Justice Jack Miller immediately stepped in and the Fraternity continued to function. The scheduled International Board Meeting took place with Brother Miller at the helm. The work of the Fraternity continued with planning for the 46th Biennial Convention scheduled for August 6, 1986 at the Omni International Hotel in Baltimore, Maryland. It was obvious that the Fraternity was in good hands with Brother Jack Miller at the helm. Phi Alpha Delta once again proved its tenacity and motivation to continue in the position of leadership it has earned within the legal profession.

TRANSITION AND CONTINUITY: 1986-1990

The 46th Biennial Convention was held in Baltimore, Maryland commencing on August 6, 1986. The theme for the convention was “Integrity: Phi Alpha Delta Makes a Difference.” Phi Alpha Delta, in recent years, had become a leader in the field of professional ethics and responsibility, and the theme of the convention was consistent with a continuation of that goal.

One of the highlights of the convention was a tour of Washington, D.C., which included a stop at the United States Supreme Court. The delegates attending the convention were especially pleased when Chief Justice Warren Burger addressed the delegates in the Supreme Court building.

The election of the International Officers at this convention was a landmark in two instances. Jack Miller, who had succeeded to the office of International Justice due to the murder of Stan Kohn was elected to a full term in that office — the first such occurrence since the 1950 re-election of Justice Douglas Edmonds. The election of Hector Mendez-Loucil, a resident of Puerto Rico, as Chief Tribune marked the first time in the history of the Fraternity that the Chief Tribune resided outside the continental United States. (However, he was not the first person residing outside of the United States to be elected as an international officer of the Fraternity. In 1972, at the merger of Phi Alpha Delta and Phi Delta Delta, Enid Williams Ross, a resident of Vancouver, British Columbia was elected Supreme Second Vice-Justice of the Fraternity, the first time that a person residing outside of the continental United States had been elected as an international officer. In addition, she and Dalphine MacMillian, who was elected as Supreme Assistant Treasurer, were the first two women elected as international officers of the Fraternity.)

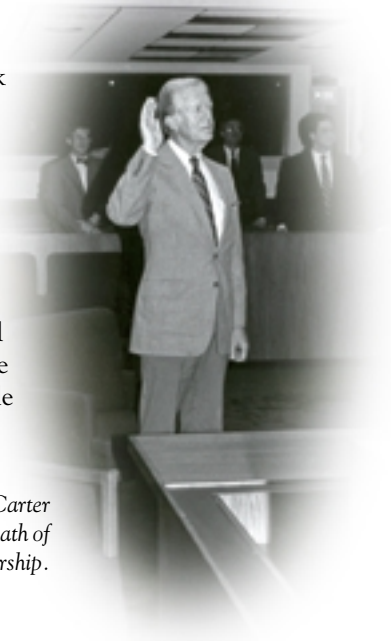
During 1987, the Fraternity also made substantial progress in the area of Professional Responsibility and Ethics. International Justice Jack Miller appointed two Professional Responsibility and Ethics Development Committees; a panel presentation to the American Association of Law Schools (AALS) was made; and the International Executive Board twice reaffirmed its commitment to the Professional Responsibility and Ethics Program.

President Jimmy Carter

On September 14, 1987, the Fraternity awarded the Tom C. Clark Equal Justice Under Law Award to Former President Jimmy Carter at the Carter Presidential Center in Atlanta, Georgia. The award to President Carter, who previously had been initiated into the Fraternity, marked the first time that a President of the United States was the recipient of the Fraternity’s most coveted award. President Carter was recognized for his outstanding commitment to Human Rights and for his extensive efforts to promote the rights of all the people of the world.

At the Board Meeting during the Summer of 1987, the International Executive Board also took action to redistrict the entire Fraternity. The redistricting decision was an important effort by the Fraternity to provide assistance to law school and alumni chapters throughout the Fraternity by a more efficient utilization of the district justice system.

On November 6, 1987, the Fraternity reached another milestone when the John B. McManus Chapter at the University of New Mexico was



*President Jimmy Carter
taking the Oath of
Membership.*

installed, as the 170th law school chapter. Sixteen charter members were initiated by the initiation team led by International Justice Jack Miller.

The Fraternity's Bicentennial Program received official recognition by the Commission on the Bicentennial of the United States Constitution, which recognized the program as one of exceptional merit with national significance and substantial educational and historical value.

The Fraternity continued to grow during the year 1988, and on May 5, 1988, the Fraternity's 171st law school chapter was installed at St. Thomas University School of Law in Miami, Florida. Thirty-seven persons were initiated as charter members of the chapter. The chapter was named Mentschikoff Chapter after the former Dean of the University of the Miami Law School, Soia Mentschikoff. (The Karl N. Llewellyn Chapter at Lewis and Clark College Northwestern School of Law in Portland, Oregon is named after Dean Mentschikoff's husband. Insofar as this author has learned, this is the only instance in Phi Alpha Delta history that chapters were named after a husband and wife.)

Professional Responsibility

During this same period, the Fraternity continued its progress in the area of Professional Responsibility and Ethics. A partnership was formed between the Fraternity and the Josephson Institute for the Advancement of Ethics. The Institute was founded by Michael Josephson, a professor at Loyola Law School in Los Angeles and the founder and former President of the Josephson Bar Review Course of America. The result of this partnership was the publication of "The Good Lawyer" - the first issue of which was distributed to all American Bar Association accredited law schools, as well as to all deans of those law schools. This new endeavor was an example of our commitment to the advancement of Professional Responsibility and Ethics. The partnership with the Josephson Institute further resulted in the first videotape provided by the Fraternity to all of its law school chapters. The video was entitled "Law School: Make It A Positive Experience — How to Avoid First Year Trauma and Come Out Smiling." The videotape was developed by Professor Josephson with the participation of our delegates during the 1988 Biennial Convention held in Scottsdale.

The two years between the 46th Biennial Convention held in Baltimore, Maryland, and the 47th Biennial Convention in Scottsdale, Arizona, marked a period of true progress into new areas for the Fraternity.

The 47th Biennial Convention of the Fraternity commenced on August 3, 1988, at the Registry Resort in Scottsdale, Arizona. This convention marked another milestone for the Fraternity when 346 persons registered, representing 171 law school chapters and 87 alumni chapters — an all-time high for the Fraternity.

The theme for the 47th Convention was "Fraternalism and Professionalism: The Phi Alpha Delta Distinction," continuing the tradition of promoting Professionalism.

Governor Rose Mofford of Arizona presented a well received "Welcome to Arizona Address" at the opening session. The keynote address was given by Brother Eugene C. Thomas, a former President of the American Bar Association.

The relationship with the Josephson Institute was further strengthened through the initiation of Professor Michael Josephson at the conclusion of the model initiation conducted during this convention.

During this convention Executive Director Fred Weitkamp received an award for his thirty-five years of outstanding service to the Fraternity and John Weitkamp, a former District Justice and Current Special Projects Consultant, received an award from International Justice Larry Crigler for his outstanding service to the Fraternity. The Outstanding Law School Chapter Award was presented to Kennedy Chapter at Hofstra University. Second Place in the Outstanding Law School Chapter Competition was awarded to Hull Chapter at Cumberland University, and Third Place was presented to Hardy Chapter at the University of Tulsa.

Convention Souvenir Journal

The Scottsdale Convention also marked the first issue of the Convention souvenir ad journal. The brainchild of International Proctor Clifford Schechter, the establishment of this journal produced significant revenues for the Fraternity which aided in deferring part of the cost of the Convention. More importantly, the ad journal provided each delegate attending the convention a reminder of the many new friends made.

The convention held in Scottsdale in August of 1988 was considered by many to be one of the most successful conventions of the Fraternity. In addition to the many outstanding social events held during the convention, many important issues were addressed including a directive that the efforts of the Fraternity in the area of Professional Responsibility and Ethics be continued.

On January 26, 1989, Minnesota Attorney General Hubert H. (Skip) Humphrey, III, was initiated by the James Monroe Chapter at Hamline University School of Law in St. Paul, Minnesota. Having achieved distinction as the Attorney General of Minnesota, the initiate is the son of former United States Senator and former Vice President of the



*Forty-Seventh Biennial Convention,
August 3-6, 1988, Scottsdale, Arizona.*

United States, Hubert H. Humphrey, II. The year 1989 marked a substantial loss for the Fraternity when Brother Claude D. Pepper, a recipient of the Tom C. Clark Equal Justice Under the Law Award and former United States Senator and United States Congressman, died on October 9, 1989.

The tradition of Phi Alpha Delta of providing national leaders was continued during this year when Brother Stanley L. Chauvin became President of the American Bar Association. The Fraternity held a reception in his honor during the International Board meeting in 1989 at Oakbrook, Illinois.

Thus did the decade of the 1980s close with the Fraternity in excellent condition.

BREAKING NEW GROUND: 1990-1995



48th BIENNIAL CONVENTION

August 1-4, 1990

Marriott Marina Hotel
Fort Lauderdale, Florida

*P.A.D. in the Nineties:
Breaking New Ground*

With the centennial year of the Fraternity's existence within reach, delegates gathered once again in 48th Biennial Convention which was called to order on August 1, 1990 in Fort Lauderdale, Florida with International Justice Larry J. Crigler presiding.

The keynote speaker was the Honorable Martha Layne Collins, former Governor of Kentucky, who had become a member of Phi Alpha Delta during a ceremony at the Kentucky Supreme Court, a highlight of the 1983 International Board Meeting in Lexington, Kentucky.

Newly chartered chapters in attendance at this convention included the Claude Pepper Chapter from Widener University and the New Hampshire, San Fernando Valley, Southwest Missouri and Springfield, Massachusetts Alumni Chapters. Law school chapters reactivated during the preceding biennium included Engle, Jackson, Terrell and Williams.

The business sessions of the convention proceeded in serious fashion with little time for levity. While the atmosphere was often tense and the discussion fiery, the spirit of fraternalism

governed the deliberations and enabled delegates to respectfully disagree with one another while not losing sight of that fraternal bond which is the essence of Phi Alpha Delta.

The nighttime activity provided a departure from the daytime "heated" debate of convention issues and also proved to be "hot" as well. This convention saw the debut of a new social activity, the Phi Alpha Delta Star Search 1990. A New Jersey alumnus scorched the crowd with his fire-eating act, while a male student delegate entertained the onlookers with an unabashed, R-rated, rendition of the infamous Chippendale dancers.

Election of Officers

Things heated up as well during the elections at that convention. The position of International Vice Justice, long considered by many to be the stepping-stone to the position of International Justice, was held by Homer Taft (Hay). However, the International Second Vice Justice, Norm Owen (Beaumont) found himself nominated by the convention's Nominations Committee for International Justice when the committee reported out on Friday. Thus began an unusually politically charged evening of meetings and debates, thinly disguised as partygoing, long into the night. By morning, the situation was anything but clear.

An amendment to the Constitution and By-Laws of the Fraternity adopted at the prior convention permitted, for the first time in the history of the Fraternity, candidates for office to directly address all of the assembled delegates during the election process. The candidates certainly took advantage of this new option, pushing the elections on into the late afternoon. The delegates, in a vote that was more decisive than anticipated, elected Homer Taft (Hay) as the new International Justice and Norm Owen (Beaumont) was elected as the International Vice Justice. Eric Hutson, whose father had served as the Fraternity's International Justice in 1976-1978, was elected as one of the Associate Tribunes. This marked the first time in the history of the Fraternity that a father and a son had both been elected to international offices with Phi Alpha Delta.

The Fraternity had the sad task of announcing the death of one of its former Supreme Officers during the early part of this biennium. Brother William O'Shea, active in both local and national Fraternity activities, died in his near North Side Chicago home. The Supreme Marshal of the Fraternity from 1934-1938 and Supreme Vice Justice from 1938-1946, Brother O'Shea was perhaps best known for composing the lyrics to "Phi Alpha Delta Sweetheart," which he was fond of singing at fraternity functions everywhere. He was the founder of the Brewers Association of America, a trade association for beer manufacturers.

Professor Barbara Jordan

In January, 1991, the Board met in Houston and on January 4th traveled as a group to the state capitol in Austin to bestow the Fraternity's prestigious Tom C. Clark "Equal Justice Under Law" award on former United States Representative Barbara C. Jordan. The presentation was made in the Lyndon B. Johnson Presidential Library in Austin, Texas. The event was covered by national wire services and the local television media. Barbara C. Jordan had been initiated into the Fraternity by the Greener Chapter of Thurgood Marshall School of Law, Texas Southern University in Houston. Subsequent to her death, the Greener Chapter was renamed the Barbara C. Jordan Chapter.

A champion of civil rights, Barbara C. Jordan was the first Texan to receive the Equal Justice Under Law Award. In 1972, she became the first southern African-American elected to Congress since Reconstruction. She subsequently rose to national fame during the Watergate hearings.

In accepting the award, Professor Jordan had these words for her audience, among them the entire International Executive Board and a number of distinguished alumni. "Equal justice, equal opportunity, equal justice under law. The threats to equality, the threats to justice would be enhanced, would be greater, if it were not for the rule of law. The threats to liberty are less because the rule of law is an ideal which this republic had at its founding and which it still honors. It is the law which keeps equal justice in place. It is the law which helped these ideas grow and develop and bear fruition. It is the law which secures the concept of equal justice. Tom Clark believed that and I'm delighted that he did because he handed down decisions that would comport with that belief. So yes, I am delighted to have the Tom C. Clark Equal Justice Under Law Award." [Edited]

Arrangements for the ceremony were made by Texas Supreme Court Justice Bob Gammage, former Supreme Justice C. Raymond Justice, and District Justice James Jonas. Only two days earlier, Justice Gammage had been ceremonially sworn into office by U.S. Supreme Court Associate Justice Antonin Scalia in the Texas Capitol's House of Representatives Chamber in Austin, where Professor Jordan had delivered the benediction at the invitation of Justice Gammage. (Actually, Brother Gammage, previously and privately, was sworn into office a day earlier by Brother Justice, who was then serving as the Administrative Director of the Texas Judicial System).

Twenty years earlier Justice Gammage had taken his first oath of office in that same Chamber as a member of the Texas House of Representatives. He later served as a Texas State Senator, and as a colleague of Barbara Jordan in the United States House of Representatives. Prior to his election as a Justice of the Texas Supreme Court, he served as a Justice of the intermediate Court of Appeals in Austin. A former District Justice of what was then District VIII (Texas and Mexico), Justice Gammage has remained involved in Fraternity activities. He was Vice Justice of the Tom C. Clark Chapter while a student at University of Texas School of Law and was a delegate to the 1968 convention in Washington, D.C.

Food Drive Program

The results of the first annual Food Drive program were announced in February 1991. This program was created and organized by Brother Alan Zerkowitz following his outstanding success with a similar program he founded while Justice of the Champ Clark Chapter at Washington University in St. Louis, Missouri. Brother Zerkowitz received the Judge Alex Hotchkiss Award in 1988 as the Outstanding Chapter Justice. The winner of the Small School category was Benton Chapter at the University of Missouri at Kansas City, which collected 836 cans of food for donation to Ronald McDonald House. Frelinghuysen Chapter at Rutgers-Camden won the Large School category with 600 cans. All told, thousands of cans of food were collected for donation to community food shelters from coast to coast.

Texas Attorney General Dan Morales became a member of Phi Alpha Delta in ceremonies presided over by International Advocate Joe Deems. Taking his oath of membership from Texas Supreme Court Justice Bob Gammage, Brother Morales commented "I am honored and humbled by the recognition that you bestow upon me. This fraternity represents the objective of placing our talents, our resources and our capacities toward the service of others. I look forward to working with the members of the Fraternity over the course of many years toward the accomplishment of mutual goals, mutual objectives."

The end of 1991 saw the prospect of a new business reference directory to be published in 1992, the first by the fraternity since 1975. This new publication had alphabetical and geographical listings of each member, as well as information concerning practice, chapter and year of initiation. Alumni dues payers received an expanded listing in bold typeface and a discount on the price of the directory.

Also that year, International Marshal George Cox of Myrtle Beach, South Carolina was elected to the office of President-Elect of the Professional Fraternity Association (PFA). He was first elected to the six-person PFA Board in 1987 and would now preside over that body in 1992-1993. PFA is composed of 34 professional fraternities representing nearly two million professionals in law, medicine, education and business nationwide. Previously, the long-time Executive Director of our Fraternity, Fred Weitkamp, had served as President of the PFA.

Executive Director Retires

News of the impending retirement of Executive Director Fred Weitkamp came as a shock to those who had known no other leader. How would the Fraternity go on? Who would be at his desk at 6:00 to answer the 9:00 a.m. telephone calls from the East? The man who had been at the helm of the ship since 1953, guiding the Fraternity with a steady hand for over forty years, was doing the inevitable. The search for a successor became real. And the plans for a retirement celebration at the next convention were begun. Fred Weitkamp presided over preparations for what he knew would be his last convention as Executive Director of the Fraternity that he loved so much. And, as usual, it was smooth sailing into the Registry Resort in Scottsdale for his last hurrah.

When the convention was officially called to order on August 5, 1992, the members in attendance knew that this convention would be special. Plans for "Big Daddy's Bash" began in earnest. There would be tributes, T-shirts and, yes, even a few tears. And a new Executive Director would have to be in place to learn from the master at this, his curtain call.

In all, over 375 delegates, by far the largest number of delegates ever in attendance at a biennial convention, attended and determined the course that the Fraternity would follow over the next biennium. Reactivated since the 1990 convention were Brandeis, Engle, Hammond, Jefferson, and Marshall chapters. Also in attendance for the first time was the newly chartered Palm Beach Alumni Chapter from Palm Beach, Florida.

"Phi Alpha Delta: A Lifetime of Service" was the theme of the convention which was called to order by International Justice Homer S. Taft. A videotaped greeting was received from President George Bush. In addition, letters of greetings were received from the Governor of Arkansas (and soon to be President of the

United States) Bill Clinton and his wife, Hillary, both members of the Fraternity, and from Stanley Chauvin, past President of the American Bar Association, also a member. Justice Bob Gammage of the Texas Supreme Court delivered the keynote address. In his stirring address Brother Gammage challenged the delegates to rededicate themselves to the basic principles of Phi Alpha Delta.

Before the opening ceremonies were completed, a distinction that had been previously bestowed upon only 15 members of the Fraternity in its history was given to Walter G. Bridges of Alabama. Election into the Distinguished Service Chapter of Phi Alpha Delta is by unanimous vote of the International Executive Board and is reserved for those persons who have achieved unusual and outstanding service to the Fraternity. Brother Bridges was initiated into the Morgan Chapter at the University of Alabama in 1950 and served two tours of duty as District Justice, from 1966-1970 and again from 1984-1986. Chapters in his district were twice named Outstanding Chapter of the Fraternity, and he received the Most Outstanding District Justice Award during that time, as well. Elected to the County Court of Bessemer in 1961, he was elevated to the post of State Circuit Court Judge in 1975, where he remained until his retirement in 1984. He was later pressed back into service as an “active retired” judge.

This convention also saw the presentation of a continuing legal education program at the convention designed for alumni participation. Entitled “Bedside Manner 101”, this special feature showcased fraternity members Jay Foonberg and Edward Poll in a program which focused on initiating and maintaining good client relationships, managing cash flow, and budgeting subjects that are not taught in law school.



At-Large Board Positions

One of the most pronounced changes to occur at this convention was the renaming of the positions on the International Executive Board. After wrestling with several proposals for amendments to restructure the voting procedure for international offices, the Constitution and By-Laws Committee ultimately proposed to the convention assembled that four named positions be replaced with “at-large” board positions. The change was adopted by the convention, and the positions of International Second Vice Justice, Historian, Marshal and Proctor vanished from the Constitution and International By-Laws of the Fraternity to be replaced by four “at-large” positions.

The then seven-member Supreme Executive Board of the Fraternity had become a nine-member body at the 1972 convention, following the merger with Phi Delta Delta. Added that year were the positions of Supreme Second Vice Justice and Supreme Assistant Treasurer. In 1974, the Assistant Treasurer position was replaced by one called Supreme Parliamentarian. Enid Williams Ross holds the distinction of being the only Supreme Parliamentarian in the history of the Fraternity, as that position became the International Proctor at the 1976 convention when all of the Board positions were renamed with the prefix “International” instead of “Supreme.”

Prior to 1972, the board consisted of various positions at various times, ranging from 5 to 9 members, with seven board members being the norm since 1934. At all times since the 1908 election, a Historian and a Marshal were elected to the Board of Phi Alpha Delta — until 1992.

Frederick J. Weitkamp

No discussion of the 1992 convention would be complete without mention of the farewell party for outgoing Executive Director Frederick J. Weitkamp. To say that he was beloved by all in the Fraternity is the greatest of understatements. It is a tribute to Fred that the 1992 convention was by far the best attended in the history of the Fraternity.



Frederick J. Weitkamp

Brother Weitkamp received his law degree from the University of Southern California in 1952, where he was initiated into the Erskine Ross Chapter on March 2, 1951. He did his undergraduate work at Occidental College, where he was involved in various student activities. He was instrumental in founding the Professional Fraternity Association (PFA), and served as President of that organization from 1978-1979. In 1990, Brother Weitkamp received that organization's highest honor, the Career Achievement Award.

He was likewise honored by Phi Alpha Delta with his election into the Distinguished Service Chapter at the 1978 Cleveland convention, a distinction that officially recognized his 25 years of service (at that time) as Executive Director.

Fred Weitkamp's accomplishments as Executive Director are too numerous to mention, but his guidance and leadership served as an inspiration to several generations of lawyers. His energy, enthusiasm and management skills have had an impact on literally thousands of members throughout the Fraternity.

Brother Weitkamp and his family were celebrated during a "roast" at the convention, dubbed "Big Daddy's Bash." Organized by his son, John, the activity was originally billed as the "Fiesta Dinner" and turned out to be a surprise farewell party for Fred. Well-wishers from throughout the Fraternity, in person and by mail, turned out to pay tribute to one who is a legend among his Fraternity family members. A special commemorative T-shirt was designed for the occasion and distributed to everyone in attendance at the convention.

Fred Weitkamp truly embodied the theme of this convention: A Lifetime of Service. For nearly half of the existence of the Fraternity from 1953 to 1992, Fred had been at the wheel, steering the fortunes of our Fraternity. Indeed, most of our members know no one else but Fred as the Director. Upon his retirement, the Board unanimously conferred the title of Executive Director-Emeritus upon him. Thus, with the retirement of Fred Weitkamp as Executive Director and the restructuring of the positions on the International Executive Board, the 1992 Scottsdale convention will no doubt be recorded in history as the "convention of change."

Following the convention, the new officers went to work on some new programs for the fraternity, unveiling them in the fall of 1992. Among them was a new long-distance advantage program designed to save members money on their residential and business telephone bills. For new members, the Fraternity adopted a policy to permit initiates to pay their initiation fee via Visa or MasterCard. And during this biennium, the Business Reference Directory, which was proposed during the previous biennium, was published.

News of the death of Judge John J. Sirica was received soon after the convention adjourned. A national figure during the



Image from the "Big Daddy's Bash" commemorative t-shirt given to all attendees of the 49th Biennial Convention in August, 1992.

Watergate years, he presided over the trials of high-ranking government officials for their participation in the 1972 break-in and cover-up of the burglary of Democratic National Committee Headquarters in the Watergate Hotel in Washington, D.C. Judge Sirica received the Tom C. Clark “Equal Justice Under Law” Award just a few years before his death.

The election of Bill Clinton as President of the United States brought another first to the White House; the President and First Lady were both members of Phi Alpha Delta. Named to the transition team were two other, well-known members of the Fraternity, Warren Christopher (Holmes) and Vernon Jordan (Langston).

January 1993 marked the kickoff date of the Fraternity’s new campaign to enroll members in association-sponsored insurance programs. Offering quality coverage at group rates, the Fraternity announced the availability of low-cost plans for life, medical, hospital, disability and office overhead. The Fraternity also offered its members tremendous savings on hotel rooms throughout the U.S. and around the world through its association with Quest International. This plan offers hotel savings, restaurant discounts and airline vouchers for one low price.

Sad news once again poured in from our nation’s capital with the announcement that Alice L. O’Donnell, retired Director of Interjudicial Affairs at the Federal Judicial Center and a longtime Assistant to Mr. Justice Tom C. Clark, had died. Alice O’Donnell, who as a member of Zeta Chapter of Phi Delta Delta became a member of Phi Alpha Delta with the merger of the two fraternities, had for years sponsored members for enrollment as members of the United States Supreme Court Bar as part of the annual “Phi Alpha Delta Day at the Supreme Court.” She was a tireless worker on behalf of the Fraternity in Washington, D.C.

Fraternity Awards

At the 1993 Board Meeting, decisions were made concerning recognition of the accomplishments of members and chapters. Alan Zelkowitz, District XI (Chicago) Justice, was the recipient of the Outstanding District Justice Award for the second consecutive year. District XI was selected as the Outstanding District, while District XXVI (Florida) was the most improved.

The Outstanding Chapter was Sutherland Chapter at the University of Utah, having grown from 13 to 53 members and providing many well-balanced professional programs. The Judge Alex Hotchkiss Award for the Best Chapter Justice was presented to Tamara Ashford, who had served two terms as Justice of Lurton Chapter at Vanderbilt, while William O. Douglas Chapter’s Allison Murchison was designated as the Fraternity’s most outstanding Chapter Clerk.

In an effort to provide improved services to the chapters, the Executive Office staff upgraded many of its publications, including the popular pamphlet, “This is Phi Alpha Delta”. In addition, chapter officer manuals and other useful chapter maintenance tools were revised and updated. But the big news out of the Executive Office was the completion and distribution of the 1993 Phi Alpha Delta Business Reference Directory. Listing all members alphabetically and geographically, this first-rate publication was the first of its kind to be available to our members since 1980.

The conclusion of the Board Meeting also brought with it the news that Conroe, Texas, a suburb of Houston, would be the site of the 1994 Convention. Plans were underway to finalize negotiations with the Del Lago Resort and Conference Center for the August 2-7, 1994 meeting of the International Chapter. “Strike Gold in Houston” became the rallying cry — and the convention theme.

Building Fund

The financial picture of the Fraternity took stage in 1993, as well, with news that the Building Fund had climbed to a respectable \$20,000. The creation of this separate fund was spearheaded by International Marshal Clifford Schechter and authorized by convention action in 1990, the Building Fund was designed to

make cash available to purchase a building or to build one, to permanently house the Executive Office. However, because of serious financial constraints during the first years of the decade, the Fraternity was forced to dip into that fund to maintain Fraternity services to the chapters. The new Board took steps to ensure that such a situation would not occur again by establishing a separate bank account for that fund, and monthly deposits into that account were reflected in the monthly financial reports to note those transfers.

The Board also set about improving the Endowment Fund and ensure that delinquent loans were brought up to date. The Fraternity has always been ready and willing to lend a hand to needy students of the law who require financial assistance to complete their education. Renewed efforts were made to increase collections on those loans that were not current so that additional funds could be made available to aid other needy student members.

As plans for the 1994 convention rolled along, the delegate incentive program moved into high gear. The idea was to encourage chapters to meet a specified goal of new initiates during the academic year and thus to obtain payment of expenses for the chapter's second delegate to the convention. A number of chapters were able to meet their goal and received additional travel expense reimbursement to the convention.

Convention Souvenir Journal

The Souvenir Ad Journal, which was first published for the 1988 convention, was again the topic of pre-convention news. This popular publication, full of information about the convention, the chapters, and the Fraternity, doubles as a treasured souvenir of the convention long after the final gavel has rapped. It served its purpose well during its brief existence, combining a piece of fraternity memorabilia while raising funds to offset the cost of conventions.

The 1994 Ad Journal was black on silver, with the date, place and theme of that convention — “Strike Gold in Houston!” — emblazoned on the cover. Odd that the reference to gold symbolic of the Fraternity's 50th Biennial Convention would appear on a silver cover? Not when one considers that the silver was representative of the 25th Anniversary of the Fraternity's expansion beyond the borders of the continental United States in 1969. Chapters in Canada and Puerto Rico, and later Mexico, marked the Fraternity's arrival as a truly “international” organization. And that expansion became even greater with the addition of the 28th district of the Fraternity - the country of Mexico - in 1994. Before then, Mexico had co-existed in a district with Texas. Now, each of them would be a separate district with individual District Justices.

Earthquake Strikes Executive Office

1994 was notable in several other ways as well, including a test of the Fraternity's resolve in the wake of Mother Nature's unleashed fury. On the morning of January 17, 1994, the Executive Office was rocked, as was much of southern California, by a tremendous earthquake that reduced much of the San Fernando Valley, and several freeways weaving across Los Angeles County, to rubble. The death toll was not higher largely because that Monday morning was a holiday for many, and so thousands who would have been traveling on those freeways at that hour were safe at home. Within days, the Executive Office staff was back to work, picking up the pieces and preparing for the needs of the chapters as they readied for the Spring rush.

A few months later news was received that former Supreme Justice Henry C. Rohr had died at his Palm Desert, California home on March 19, 1994. Born just two years after the signing of the Articles of South Haven which gave birth to our great Fraternity, Henry was initiated into the Erskine M. Ross Chapter at USC in 1929. USC old-timers remember when Henry ran the gas station across the street from the campus with a dream of some day attending the law school. After graduation he began a successful, solo law practice that would last for over 50 years. Brother Rohr served as District Justice in District III for years before being elected to the Board of Tribunes in 1954, a post that he held for 4 years. In 1960, he was elected to the position of

Supreme Secretary and held that post until his election to the position of Supreme Advocate in 1966. In 1968, he was elected to the Fraternity's highest office, Supreme Justice, and during his tenure presided over the installation of the Fraternity's first chapter outside the United States — when the Macdonald Chapter at the University of Windsor was chartered..

Another significant event occurred on June 6, 1994 when, in conjunction with the Phi Alpha Delta Day at the Supreme Court, Associate Justice Ruth Bader Ginsburg became a member of our fraternity. Justice Ginsburg attended both Harvard and Columbia Law Schools, where she served on the Law Reviews of both. She later served on the faculty at Columbia until 1980 when President Jimmy Carter (Keener Chapter) nominated her to the U.S. Court of Appeals for the District of Columbia Circuit. Justice Ginsburg was appointed an Associate Justice of the United States in 1993 by President Bill Clinton (Garland).

That event at the Supreme Court was to be the last for longtime member of the Fraternity, Don Moore. Brother Moore, ill for some time, passed away on October 27, 1994. Brother Moore (Taft) had served the Fraternity as District Justice before his election to the Supreme Tribunal in 1962. He served in that capacity until his election to the Supreme Board in 1968, attaining the rank of Supreme Second Vice Justice at the 1974 convention in Toronto. Don Moore was selected for membership in the Distinguished Service Chapter by the International Executive Board. He had attended every convention since 1956.

50th Biennial Convention

Delegates from 129 law school and alumni chapters were in attendance when the 50th Biennial Convention was called to order on Wednesday, August 3, 1994. Newly chartered chapters in attendance included Mason Chapter from George Mason University in Arlington, Virginia; Ruiz Chapter from Universidad de Guadalajara, Mexico; Carranza Chapter from Universidad Autonoma de Nuevo Leon in Monterrey, Mexico; Glassman Chapter from University of Maine in Portland, Maine; Aleman Alumni Chapter from Monterrey, Mexico; and Hudson Valley Alumni Chapter representing Dutchess, Orange, Putnam, Rockland and Westchester Counties of the state of New York. Chapters that had reactivated since the 1992 convention included Frankfurter, Fuller, Homburger and Murray.

The Honorable Edward D. (Chip) Robertson, Jr. Justice of the Missouri Supreme Court, delivered the keynote address. By the opening session of the convention many new friendships had been formed and many longtime fraternal bonds had been reinforced. With that, the business of the fraternity began in earnest.

Workshops built around the theme "How to Develop an Effective Chapter" were the focus of the convention's first day, concluding with a Team Building program that afternoon which did not survive a



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August 2 - 7, 1994

Del Lago Resort and Conference Center
Houston, Texas

Strike Gold in Houston!

sudden downpour. The sudden rains did not dampen the spirits of the delegates, however, as they were forced together into the cozy confines of the hotel complex for the barbecue which followed.

In any event, it was on to the Awards Banquet which concluded the convention. T. Ruffin Chapter Justice K. Corinne Harrah received the Hotchkiss Award as the Fraternity's Outstanding Chapter Justice, Petra Huff of Fletcher Chapter was recognized as the Outstanding Chapter Clerk, and Knox Chapter at the University of Arizona was designated as the Outstanding Chapter of the Fraternity.

The immediate task that faced the new Board was how to pay off a convention that had cost nearly \$127,000. Borrowing money and tightening the belt became the watchwords for the next six months as the Board struggled to keep the Fraternity (and its credit rating) solvent.

New Executive Director

In November 1994, amid growing concern about the fiscal health of the Fraternity, the Board took drastic action and did not renew the employment contract of the new Executive Director. The action was drastic in the sense that no one had been selected to replace him, so for a time the ship was sailing without a captain at the bridge. Once again Fred and John Weitkamp were called upon to head up the Executive Office and keep the ship on course until a new Executive Director could be found for the Fraternity. As the new Executive Director the Board selected the person who had previously finished second in the search to replace Fred Weitkamp — the former International Field Representative and the current Pre-Law Director, Maree Wiggins Blackston (Pinckney). However, her appointment was not official until January, 1995, so the Fraternity was held together in the interim by Executive Director-Emeritus Fred Weitkamp with John Weitkamp serving as the Special Projects Consultant.

One of the more drastic cost-cutting measures employed by the new Board, under the direction of International Justice Rick Pearson, was to temporarily suspend production and distribution of the quarterly publication of the Fraternity, *The Reporter*. After the August, 1994 issue, this publication did not come off the press again until December, 1995. During that time, the Fraternity saved tens of thousands of dollars in printing and mailing costs, dollars that were much needed to stave off the huge deficit which existed at the close of the 50th convention. When the Board next met in Orlando, Florida, the Fraternity was again on solid financial footing.

Despite all of the tribulations that befell the Fraternity, it moved ahead in innovative programming by going "online" at the Executive Office. Newly installed Executive Director Maree Wiggins-Blackston was instrumental in moving the Executive Office into the electronic age. With the advent of the Electronic Communication Initiative (ECI), members could maintain closer contacts with each other and with the Executive Office than ever before. E-mail capability and a site on the worldwide web were at the fingertips of our members, and for the first time, forms and other materials could be downloaded to sites throughout the fraternity network. The electronic age had arrived — another "first" for the Fraternity! The resolve of the Fraternity to continue to move ahead despite all obstacles remained intact. The Fraternity was once again on the move, onward and upward toward its centennial celebration.

THE MILLENNIUM APPROACHES: 1996-2000

Both the millennium and the one hundredth anniversary of the founding of our Fraternity were now approaching and it was time for introspection and to prepare the Fraternity for its next one hundred years.

During the February, 1996, Board Meeting, the Barbara Jordan Outstanding Public Service Award was created to be presented biennially to a member who had made “significant contributions to society while serving in the public sector.”

It was also during this meeting that initial official action was taken to “investigate the criteria necessary to determine the relocation of the Executive Office.” International Advocate Joe Deems, International Secretary Curtis Anderson, and International Board Member J. Derek Hill were appointed as a committee to study and report back to the Board on all aspects of this proposal.

During this same time frame, The Reporter published a column in which International Justice Fredric Pearson reports on his attendance at his first Biennial Convention:

“While on my way to my first convention in 1972, I speculated on what I would encounter. Would I find elderly lawyers reminiscing about the good ole days? Or law students out solely for a good time? I was in for a surprise!

“Upon arrival, I was treated like a long-lost brother and was put at ease by the warmth and friendliness of everyone present — almost 400 members from throughout the country — law students, lawyers, professors, public officials, industry leaders.

“When I boarded the plane to return home at the end of the convention, I realized that I, a second year-law student, had made a significant impact upon a then 70 year old organization. I had made more good friends than I could hope to make in a normal year elsewhere.

“Today, 24 years later, when I look at the 1972 convention photo, I can count at least 40 attorneys, judges, congressmen, and professors with whom I can ask a question, refer a case, or simply say hello.

“These sentiments are the essence of what our Fraternity is all about.”

Later, in ceremonies held one day apart, February 23 and February 24, 1996, the Kansas City and the San Diego Alumni Chapters were reactivated. Present at the reactivation of the Kansas City Alumni Chapter was the renowned “The Order of the Bovine Scoop,” a long-time award given annually to that member who has entertained the members during the past year with his or her superfluous talkative nature — better known in some circles as “shooting the bull!”

During this period the John P. Egan Chapter at Duquesne University was reactivated on April 29, 1995. The chapter had been chartered originally in 1963.

The Convention of Surprises

Surely the 51st Biennial Convention (1996) will go down as one of surprises.

The 1968 Washington Convention had created a “Convention Hero”, when a Convention Marshal had chased down and held for the police a “stick-up” artist.

Now we have what can only be described as a ‘Convention Lover’ During the opening ceremonies of this convention, International Justice Rick Pearson called for a “Special Order of the Day” and recognized District XIII Justice Jim Erwin for a special presentation. In turn, Brother Erwin called Sister Shari Hymel to be with him at the podium and there, before hundreds of stunned members, asked her to marry him. They had met at the previous convention, two years before, and had begun a courtship then that had spanned the entire intervening biennium. Brother Erwin had sworn the International Justice to secrecy as plans were coordinated for the Opening Ceremony proposal. The convention arose in loud and prolonged applause as the answer to the proposal was “YES, YES, YES”. (They were married in Chicago on June 28th of the following year.)

Another surprise occurred during the Opening Ceremonies when Texas Supreme Court Justice Bob Gammage made an appearance. He made a special trip to be present when the first Barbara Jordan Award for Lifetime Achievement in Public Service was presented to his long-time friend, a completely surprised former Supreme Justice C. Raymond Justice. (Both were personally acquainted with Barbara Jordan in her capacity as a Texas State Senator and a United States Congresswoman from the Houston area.) In presenting this newly adopted award, International Justice Fredric Pearson described Brother Justice as having “a life-long commitment to serving his fellow man, and making integrity a way of life, not a series of random acts.”

The surprises of this convention continued through the concluding banquet. There the members of the Distinguished Service Chapter were directed to search out the newest member of the Fraternity's most prestigious group. The search ended when the D.S.C. Members converged upon the extraordinarily surprised Brother John Weitkamp. No stranger to Phi Alpha Delta, John has watched the Fraternity's growth and development throughout his entire life. He attended his first convention in 1962 at the age of 9. As a young boy, he aided his father (Executive Director Fredrick J. Weitkamp) run the day-to-day operations of the fraternity, and while attending biennial conventions he did everything from running errands to establishing world speed records in assembling convention packets for delegates. As a law student John served as Justice of Ford Chapter at Loyola Law School in Los Angeles and led it to first place in the Outstanding Chapter program. He served as District III Justice from 1978 to 1983, and later as Coordinator of District Operations for the entire Fraternity. During this time he also functioned as the Pre-Law Program Director and then as Special Projects Consultant, all on a volunteer basis. During late 1994, when the Executive Director suddenly resigned, he stepped in as Acting Executive Director, and working with his father, assured the Fraternity's sound management until a new director was appointed. For more than thirty years John Weitkamp has been one of Phi Alpha Delta's most active volunteers and has made an extraordinary contribution of his time and talents to the Fraternity.

Previously, another surprise had in store for members of the Fraternity during this period. June 2, 1996 was the date of the 29th Phi Alpha Delta Day at the Supreme Court. As in previous years, alumni members traveled to Washington, D.C. to be presented to the Supreme Court and to be admitted as members of the Bar of the Supreme Court. The members attending this ceremony were surprised when they learned that Justice Stephen Bryer of that court had rearranged his schedule to be inducted into the membership of Phi Alpha Delta following the formal admittance ceremonies. Another surprise was that Senator Strom Thurmond, the oldest member of the United States Senate, both in age and in length of service, would move their admission before the Supreme Court.

Soon thereafter two other prominent public officials joined the ranks of the Fraternity. On October 4, 1996, Alden Chapter at the State University of New York at Buffalo, initiated 31 new members, including New York Attorney General Dennis C. Vacco. On October 16, 1996, in the ceremonial courtroom of the Tennessee Supreme Court in Nashville, Chief Justice Adolpho A. Birch was initiated into the Lurton Chapter of Vanderbilt University. Justice Birch has served the citizens of Tennessee for more than 30 years as a public defender, state attorney general, and as a judge.

During the Executive Board Meeting, held in Washington, D.C., in 1997, the chapter charter of Humphrey Chapter was transferred from the Detroit College of Law to Michigan State University at Lansing to reflect the merging of the two schools.

In September 1997, International Justice Clifford Schechter was elected the President of the Professional Fraternity Association (PFA) at their annual meeting in New Orleans. With his election, three members of Phi Alpha Delta, Fred Weitkamp, George Cox, and now Cliff Schechter, have served as president of this association of professional fraternities.

The fall of 1997 issue of *The Reporter* announced the death of Marie Whittles Bleb. She was a key member of Phi Delta Delta, serving on its national board, and played an important role in the merger of our

two fraternities. This same issue announced the death of Dean John MacAulay of Loyola Law School in New Orleans, a much beloved member of the Fraternity. He served as District Justice for a number of years and was elected to the Distinguished Service Chapter some years before his death. He was so well thought of that upon his retirement he was given the title of Dean Emeritus by his law school.

Despite these losses, Phi Alpha Delta remained on the road to greatness. The same issue of The Reporter reported on the selection of Byron Rupp as the new International Field Representative. A member of Benson Chapter at Washburn University in Topeka, Kansas, he served as Chapter Justice and initiated over 100 new members during his term of office, which resulted in Benson Chapter being selected as the top chapter in the nation for that year.

Phi Alpha Delta Medallions

The Board Meeting, held in Baltimore in January 1998, formally adopted the newly proposed Phi Alpha Delta Medallions. The Board also adopted rules to govern the awarding of the new insignia. Under the rules adopted, the medallions will be presented to all Supreme and International Justices, members of the Distinguished Service Chapter, recipients of the Tom C. Clark Equal Justice Under Law Award and the Barbara Jordan Public Service Award, and such others as may be selected by unanimous vote of the International Executive Board.

During this meeting the Board continued the discussion of the proposed relocation of the Executive Office and the purchase of a permanent facility. After reviewing the report on this topic submitted by Brother Deems and his committee, and considering several possible locations, the Board decided that Baltimore was the best possible site for a permanent location. The Board also reviewed several other reports and adopted a number of implementing actions.

Executive Director Resigns

During this meeting Executive Director Maree Wiggins Blackston announced her resignation, effective immediately, so that she could promptly return to her family in South Carolina. Once again Fred and John Weitkamp were called upon to hold the reins of the Fraternity. With John Weitkamp serving as Interim Executive Director and Fred Weitkamp organizing the 1998 Biennial Convention scheduled for August 4-9, 1998, in Scottsdale, Arizona, the Fraternity proceeded on an even keel.

The Board met in Scottsdale immediately before the convention to interview applicants for the position of Executive Director. Prior to this time, the Board had engaged in an extensive search for qualified candidates. After reviewing all applications, three candidates were invited to Scottsdale for interviews by the Board. Following these interviews, the Board adjourned for lunch to allow each board member to reflect upon the qualifications of each candidate. (However, it wasn't until after the convention was over that the Board made a final selection and employed a new Executive Director.)

New Fraternity Headquarters

During this same meeting, the Board received a detailed report from Brother Joe Deems on the proposed purchase of a building at 345 North Charles Street in Baltimore as the new headquarters for the Fraternity.



The new Fraternity Headquarters in Baltimore, Maryland.

Committee at two conventions and has served in numerous other capacities. It was said of him “He simply goes about his business with Phi Alpha Delta on his mind.”

This convention also witnessed the awarding of the second Jordan Award for Lifetime Achievement in Public Service to Justice Mary Ann G. McMorrow who was the keynote speaker at the 52nd Biennial Convention. She was the first woman elected to the Illinois Supreme Court. Prior to that election she had served as a trial judge for ten years and as an intermediate appellate judge for seven years. She serves as a faculty member at the National Judicial College and with the Illinois Judicial Conference, and has received numerous awards for her work in the judiciary.

Over 250 law students and alumni, representing some 91 law schools and 16 alumni chapters attended the convention. The theme of the convention was “Celebrating the Past — Building for the Future.” The convention opened with the showing of a film on the History of the Fraternity, a visual review of Phi Alpha Delta’s history since its humble beginning in 1897. The rest of the convention accented the future, with chapter workshops addressing such topics as: leadership development programs, chapter programming, fund raising, membership acquisition, and alumni networking. Convention committees reviewed information, debated recommendations, and prepared reports for presentation to the convention for its considerations and actions.

Following a discussion, the Board voted to proceed with negotiations to purchase this building. As with any building purchase, these negotiations proved to be lengthy. But on January 15, 1999, the purchase was completed and for the first time Phi Alpha Delta owned its own home. After necessary renovations the Fraternity moved into the new site in May 1999. Thus ended a nearly fifty-year stay in California — and a new beginning for the Fraternity in the new millennium.

As previously stated the Fraternity had returned to Scottsdale for its 52nd Biennial Convention. In spite of the mid-summer heat, a great time was had and a successful convention was enjoyed by all.

A highlight of this convention was the induction of Brother Richard P. McCully as the newest member of the Distinguished Service Chapter. Brother McCully was instrumental in founding the McKellar Chapter at Memphis State University and served as its first justice. He served as the National Field Representative from 1967 to 1970. He later served as the District Justice in the Tennessee area and has continued to serve the Fraternity in many capacities. Moving to Florida, he helped to establish the Ft. Lauderdale Alumni Chapter and the Mentschikoff Chapter at St. Thomas School of Law in Miami. He was chair of the Nominations

Evenings provided ample opportunities for the delegates, students and alumni, to socialize and network, as well as to attend informal parties, including the Purple and Gold Roundup, and the Fiesta Dinner for food and fun in the cool of the evening (even in the Arizona desert air!)

During the final evening of the convention, with so much fraternalism surrounding the event, the International Awards Banquet provided a tremendous inspiration for all in attendance. Alas, all things must come to an end, and it was with much reveling and fraternal bonding that the delegates left to return to law schools and practices, to share their new knowledge and enthusiasm with their fellow members who were unable to attend the convention.

New Executive Director

Soon after the convention, the Board announced the selection of Frank C. Patek, II, as the new Executive Director of the Fraternity. He began his new duties in September 1998. A graduate of Washington and Jefferson College in 1989, with a degree in history, he received a law degree from Duquesne University in Pittsburgh in 1992. He served as the Director of Risk Management and General Counsel for Kappa Sigma Fraternity in Charlottesville, Virginia and then as the Assistant Executive Director of that Fraternity. He later served as Executive Director of Pi Sigma Epsilon Fraternity. He is a member of Egan Chapter of Phi Alpha Delta.

Fraternity Diversity

In the Spring, 1999, issue of *The Reporter* the newly elected International Justice, Joe Deems, published an exceptional message to our members. In it he writes:

“Do you have any idea what your Fraternity has accomplished over the past five decades?”

“Having been a part of it for almost three decades, permit me to share some frank thoughts about the challenges and responsibilities that come with social change.

“Fraternities, secret societies, and private clubs, used to have one thing in common: homogeneity, i.e., the membership would tend to be limited to a narrow group of people: all male, all female, all one religion, all one race, etc. Good or bad, that was the reality, and it is still that way in some instances. Likewise, part of the bond that held or holds these groups together is their ‘ritual,’ something they do among their members in private, which makes them unique.

“Starting in the late 1940s, Phi Alpha Delta began taking steps to challenge these notions. By the late 1960s, we had gone ‘international’ and opened our doors of membership to all. As members, we now have men and women, Jews, Protestants, Catholics, Muslims, Atheists, and others, Republicans, Democrats, and Independents, citizens of many countries, and many others; all sharing our brotherhood with one another. Our ‘ritual’ is conducted openly, so that all can see and understand our fundamental precepts and aspirations. We have chapters named after Martin Luther King, Jr., Barbara Jordan, and Benito Juarez, as well as Blackstone, Oliver Wendell Homes, and John F. Kennedy. We have lawyers teaching law to grammar school children and law students conducting seminars for pre-law undergraduates.

“I can assure you that we did not do these things with the belief that it would be easy! Not only was there resistance for what I will call the ‘wrong reasons,’ but there was also resistance for the ‘not so wrong reasons’: the incredible challenge of inspiring ‘fraternalism’ among very diverse groups, who, for political, social, or economic reasons, might have little in common with each other.

“And with these changes came immense responsibilities to make it work! This has been no easy task. Our leaders over the last five decades have each had their own challenges: the need for racial justice in the 1950s and 1960s; the student movement and antiestablishment sentiments of the 1960s and 1970s; women’s rights, human rights, the infusion of international membership issues throughout the last two decades, and many, many other challenges.

“Put in a very simple terminology, how easy it would have been to manage a Fraternity if we were all male or female, for example, or if we had retained the privacy of our ritual.

“For those who take these accomplishments for granted — think again. Phi Alpha Delta was among the first to assume the ultimate responsibility: that of social change itself. While some of these were changes that needed to be made, it does not diminish the commitment and the efforts required to accomplishing these changes.

“As we prepare ourselves now for the next one hundred years, what are our challenges? The incredible competition by and among the non-profit associations for members, and as importantly for their financial support and time contributions; the relevance of what we do; the anti-legal sentiment in society; substance abuse; stress; and the almost adversarial environment that seems to be developing in some areas between the bench and the bar, between lawyers themselves, and between lawyer and client.

“And so we are asked - Why a fraternity? First, we frequently underestimate the power and solace of personal friendships and their effect upon our professional competence.

“Second, typical associations for lawyers pursue interests based upon functional specialization: politics, gender, ethnicity, and age. Few associations represent the interests of all lawyers.

“One of the ways in which a fraternity makes a difference is by making its members accessible. Seldom will a member of our fraternity not aid a fellow member solve a tough legal question, or refuse to provide a sample of a legal form, or provide other requested assistance. Where our members have access to each other our resources are unlimited and we are currently exploring ways to expand this accessibility among our members.

“We also seek to fill a void in the profession by humanizing lawyers. A kinder and more humane profession, while seemingly old fashioned in the view of some, is a key antidote for that which ails our profession.

“Phi Alpha Delta now faces our biggest challenge — to use our friendships to slow down the seemingly cataclysmic pace of our stressed-out profession and the complex political and judicial systems to allow us to do what we do best — provide solutions to a world that at times seems to be out of control - I invite you to join with your fraternity in this quest.”

THE HISTORY CONTINUES...

“The Flame Burns Bright”

As we reach the end of this edition, we need not fear for the future of our Fraternity. But let us never forget how we reached this position of preeminence among the legal fraternities we enjoy today.

How did we reach this position?

There are three principal reasons:

First: **PEOPLE** - Phi Alpha Delta has grown and advanced because its members are willing to work together in a common cause.

Second: **IDEAS** - During every year of its existence, new ideas have been encouraged and advanced to develop the precepts of the Fraternity.

Third: **CONCERN** - Our members have always believed that regardless of what we have accomplished in the past, we can do better.

Our basic attitude is one of concern.

Our continuing method is the professional development of our members.

Our ultimate goal is the advancement and improvement of the legal profession.

Our members are reasonable people, joined together in a common cause, with great ideas, and a deep concern for our members and society as a whole.

So, to the founders of Phi Alpha Delta, we say without hesitation:

“Fear not-your ideals and precepts are in good hands, with the help of our newest members, Phi Alpha Delta, as always, is on the march!”

THE FLAME BURNS BRIGHT FOR THE FUTURE OF PHI ALPHA DELTA!

To those who become members with us in the future we say:

“We have waited over 100 years for you”-FAIL US NOT!

CHAPTER CHARTER INFORMATION

JOHN ADAMS CHAPTER

UNIVERSITY OF INDIANA, BLOOMINGTON, INDIANA February 26, 1966

CHARTER MEMBERS: Russell L. Brewer, David L. Casterline, Samuel R. Conkright, Jr., Fielding Pentecost Cosby, F. Reed Dickerson, Michael Fehr, Larry R. Fisher, Max E. Goodwin, R. Martin Henderson, Millard D. Lesch, David S. McCrea, Harvey E. McDonald, David F. McNamar, John H. Moll, Kent H. Musser, Terrence R. Noe, Alfred H. Plummer, III, William C. Reynolds, Robert K. Ryan, Jr., R. Steven Ryan, Thomas L. Schuessler, William H. Snyder, Phillip E. Solzan, Kelly N. Stanley, Allen Sultan, William R. Thom, Paul R. Roomey, John M. Whitmore, Jr., John R. Wilks.

JOHN ADAMS: Second President of the United States; first Vice President of the United States; signer of Declaration of Independence; member of Continental Congress.

CARLOS C. ALDEN CHAPTER

UNIVERSITY AT BUFFALO, BUFFALO, NEW YORK December 7, 1968

CHARTER MEMBERS: Joseph W. Bennett, John F. Collins, Joseph DiNardo, Joseph Faerber, Jonathon Z. Friedman, Richard L. Furman, Richard L. Gellman, Gary A. Gerace, Robert G. Gibson, Jr., Clarence H. Gratto, Jr., Bohdan Harasym, Howard Herman, David A. Higley, John M. Janiak, E. Brownell Johnston, Jr., Miles L. Kavalier, James D. Keysa, Alan J. Laurita, Kenneth T. Levenbook, Richard J. Lippes, Charles D. McFaul, Delbert W. Mullens, William Neff, Ernest J. Norman, James R. Orłowski, Stephen J. Perrello, Jr., Larry P. Schapiro, Eli H. Schmuckler, Harry Sushek, Daniel L. Sussman, Francis Wm. Tesseyman, Gerald A. Toner, Joseph A. Trinigali, Joel S. Walter, John Warren, Thomas J. Wojciechowski, John Hollands.

CARLOS C. ALDEN: Counsel to Governor Charles Evans Hughes; Dean of Buffalo Law School, 1904-1936; author.

CHESTER A. ARTHUR CHAPTER

VERMONT LAW SCHOOL, SOUTH ROYALTON, VERMONT May 30, 1975

CHARTER MEMBERS: Richard A. Toupin, Lee David Auerbach, Joseph Torrite, Jr., Richard F. Kurth, Deborah Oplinger, Frank Post, Bohdan J. Zelechiewshy, Lewis Levin, Allan S. Kaufman, Thomas H. Scuccimara, Victor J. Pellegrino, Stephen J. Stomber, Barry Godlewicz, Peter Scaglione, Jay A. Scherline, Fred Tromberg, Joseph Mirrione, Harry Zubalsky, Gary S. Alpert.

CHESTER A. ARTHUR: Twenty-First President of the United States. Won fame in two important civil rights cases: one, pre-civil war case, held that a slave brought into New York became free, and the other, established that Negroes enjoyed the same rights on New York streetcars as Whites.

R.E.B. BAYLOR CHAPTER

BAYLOR UNIVERSITY, WACO, TEXAS August 2, 1949

CHARTER MEMBERS: Dan M. Brazil, Jerry Bill Carson, Morris Gray Cobb, William T. Cooper, Jr., Curtis N. Cox, H. Sam Davis, Edward J. Dees, Harold D. DuBose, Weldon W. Funderburk, Guy B. Hargrove, Dow H. Heard, Jr., Eugene Jefferson Johnson, Robert Lloyd Keller, Lacy W. Littlejohn, Hector Lopez, Ernest Ardis Martin, Zack Ellis

Mason, Jr., Melvin Emory Mayfield, Daniel Eugene McClasson, Jr., Paul McCollum, Len G. McCormick, Don Martin McReynolds, Clyde A. Mote, John Myles Pennington, James Wesley Hightower, William Harold Sheehand, Thomas Raymond Thornton, Graddy Tunnell, Glen Mitchell Williams.

R.E.B. BAYLOR: Chairman of Board of Trustee and President of Baylor University; Professor of Law at Baylor Law School; Associate Justice, Supreme Court of Republic of Texas.

CAMPBELL E. BEAUMONT CHAPTER

CALIFORNIA WESTERN UNIVERSITY, SAN DIEGO, CALIFORNIA April 13, 1962

CHARTER MEMBERS: Arthur T. Anderson, Marvin J. Anderson, George P. Andreos, William J. Bauer, Arlie W. Bergman, Patrick J. Briggs, James V. Dorman, John P. Duffy, John L. Floyd, Allan M. Frostrom, Robert E. Hammons, Kenneth A. Johns, John Kosmas, Donald F. McLean, Jr., William V. O'Neal, Ross C. Provence, Richard A. Thomas, Andrew G. Wagner, Douglas F. Webb.

CAMPBELL E. BEAUMONT: United States District Judge; Judge, California Superior Court; President, California Judge's Association (1936).

MATTHEW BAILLIE BEGBIE CHAPTER

UNIVERSITY OF BRITISH COLUMBIA,

VANCOUVER, BRITISH COLUMBIA, CANADA January 30, 1926

(Originally Chartered as Omega Chapter of Phi Delta Delta at Vancouver Law School. First chapter chartered outside of the United States by Phi Delta Delta)

CHARTER MEMBERS: [Of Omega Chapter] Helen Gregory MacGill, Christy Ann Sutherland, Edith L. Paterson, Mildred Elizabeth Louise Gordan, Mabel Irene Morris, Sadie Brown, Barbara Robertson Dunsmore. [Of Begbie Chapter]: Sandra D. Sutherland, Carmella Monahan, Mai Lutterus, Leonor G. Masters, Ann Marie Sweeney, Lynn Ramsey, Terry L. Hartshorne, Norah J. Hall.

MATTHEW BAILLIE BEGBIE: First Judge of the Court of British Columbia. Later served as Chief Justice of British Columbia (1858-1894)

CHESTER BEDELL CHAPTER

FLORIDA COASTAL SCHOOL OF LAW, JACKSONVILLE, FLORIDA May 25, 2000

CHARTER MEMBERS: Michelle Ashcraft, Melissa Denise Black, Daniel M. Copeland, Grace Dyer, Jerome O. Field, Kimberly Garner, Jody Greene, Rudy Gurrola, Shpresa Idrizi, Omar Karram, Jessica Khan, Mark Lokietz, Michael McGrath, Asika Patel, Cyndi Poston, Rachel Rall, George Gregory Rankin, Bryan Robert Rendzio, Thomas Barton Smith, Amanda Tisa, Emily Wesserling, Jennifer Wimberly.

CHESTER BEDELL: Member of the Florida State House of Representatives; author of several books on legal jurisprudence in the State of Florida; recipient of the American Bar Association's National Award for Outstanding Contribution to the Law.

ALFRED W. BENSON CHAPTER

WASHBURN UNIVERSITY, TOPEKA, KANSAS February 26, 1921

CHARTER MEMBERS: Ronald M. Wyman, Blanton F. Messick, Maurice Strinken, L. Erskine Wyman, Floyd C. Dooley, Myrle Becker, William S. Steinrauf, George M. Ashford, Frank J. Addie, Roscoe W. Graves, Ernest J. Malone, Alden Ezra Franine, James B. Wood, Harold T. Stodard, John W. Wood, Walter Reed Gage, Homer A. Dodge, Orlay L. Aley, Irl H. Byler.

ALFRED W. BENSON: City attorney, Mayor, County attorney, District Judge, State Senator, United States Senator; Justice, Supreme Court of Kansas (1907).

THOMAS HART BENTON CHAPTER

UNIVERSITY OF MISSOURI AT KANSAS CITY, KANSAS CITY, MISSOURI July 6, 1907

CHARTER MEMBERS: Loving T. Crutcher, Norman Lombard, William P. Borland, Aytch P. Woodson, Guy Ream Davis, John Brooks Pew

THOMAS HART BENTON: United States Senator from Missouri (1820) .

HUGO L. BLACK CHAPTER

ARIZONA STATE UNIVERSITY, TEMPE, ARIZONA February 11, 1972

CHARTER MEMBERS: George L. Wood, Jr., Timothy H. Barnes, James P. Logan, Jr., Edward B. Harris, Michael E. Woolf, James W. Ryan, Patrick H. Breen, Janet C. Gauetar, Ruth V.P. McGregor, William F. Butler, Duane Varbel, Frederick G. Gamble, Regina M. Tanner, Jimmie D. Hicks.

HUGO BLACK: Associate Justice of the U.S. Supreme Court. United States Senator from Alabama. Highly concerned with the liberties of the individual citizens in cases arising out of the Bill of Rights.

WILLIAM BLACKSTONE CHAPTER

CHICAGO-KENT COLLEGE OF LAW, CHICAGO, ILLINOIS November 15, 1902
(Originally chartered as a chapter of Lambda Epsilon in February, 1899 - Kent Chapter, originally chartered as a chapter of Lambda Epsilon in October, 1898 later merged into this chapter which thereafter was designated the Grand Chapter' of Lambda Epsilon.)

CHARTER MEMBERS: Arthur C. Ford, Asahel W. Gage, John E. Owens, E. N. Sherburne. (The following signed the Phi Alpha Delta Articles of Organization of South Haven, Michigan, July 27, 1902: Asahel W. Gage and E. N. Sherburne)

WILLIAM BLACKSTONE: Solicitor General of England. Noted commentator on the laws of England.

FRED E. BLUME CHAPTER

UNIVERSITY OF WYOMING, LARAMIE, WYOMING April 11, 1984

CHARTER MEMBERS: Vincent P. Foley, Steve Kissinger, Allan S. Massey, Elizabeth R. Walsh, Michael Barrash, Jody E. Montgomery, Joel L. Selig, Colin Simpson, Joyce Donald, Joe M. Teig, Kay Sigler, Margery B. Cozzens, Bret King, Felecia R. Brantz, Margaret L. Sommers, Nancy A. Spindler, Darold W. Killmer, Russ Bean.

FRED E. BLUME: Justice of the Wyoming Supreme Court from 1921 to 1962. Translated the Justinian Code from the original Latin into English.

WILLIAM E. BORAH CHAPTER

UNIVERSITY OF IDAHO, MOSCOW, IDAHO May 25, 1914
(Originally chartered at this law school as the James Kent Chapter on May 25, 1914)

CHARTER MEMBERS - [Kent Chapter]: Russell G. Adams, Arthur O. Sutton, Don Maxwell Buffington, S. Harry McAdams, Paul T. Peterson, Isaac Edwin McDougall, John H. McEvers, Charles E. Horning, John L. Phillips, W. W. Casey, Jr., Arthur S. Jardine.

WILLIAM E. BORAH: United States Senator from Idaho

MYRA BRADWELL CHAPTER

BARRY UNIVERSITY, ORLANDO, FL November 2, 2002

CHARTER MEMBERS: Julie Jo Adams, Melissa L. Austin, James Daniel Botkins, Ed Brandt, Lori M. Caldwell, Christie E. Cash, Lindsay Alison Cole, Charlotte Combs, Paul F. Daley, Joseph M. DeFranco, Salaam G. Dreher, Geraldine C. Durrett, Marsha Edwards, Gina Fabiano, Rebecca A. Falkowski, Daniel Fisher, Charles Fleming, Eric Frommer, Michael Grippo, Stephanie M. Hambley, Samantha Johnson, Ian Jones, Neville R. Kapoor, Michael B. Katz, Shamlene P. Kelly, Jackson Langdale, Jennifer Lehr, Chris Lim, Clifford W. Lober, M.D., Michael D. Maurer, Robbie S. McLain, Hector Pagan, Robert Gabriel Reed, Jr., Tony Richardson, Jessica C. Roberge, Lora Scott, Brian Shank, Bartholomew M. Sojka, Cynthia Marie Talton, Mary Lu Tombleson, Jonathan Torres, Judith K. Vega, Davi Welch

MYRA BRADWELL: First woman lawyer in Illinois.

LOUIS DEMBITZ BRANDEIS CHAPTER

AMERICAN UNIVERSITY, WASHINGTON, D.C. December 17, 1960

CHARTER MEMBERS: David W. West, Frederick J. Bower, Donald L. Gabel, Harold W. Perkins, Charles R. George, Jerold H. Rosenblum, Michael Nadanyi, Jerome Stanbury, Irwin Mininberg, Paul Shiffman, Patrick E. O'Donnell, William C. Staley, C. Alexander Firmani, Donald G. Goldsobel, Lawrence H. Pullen.

LOUIS DEMBITZ BRANDEIS: Associate Justice, United States Supreme Court (1916- 1939). Noted for his learned and liberal opinions.

THEODORE BRANTLY CHAPTER

UNIVERSITY OF MONTANA, MISSOULA, MONTANA April 21, 1950

CHARTER MEMBERS: Gerald F. Beaver, Raymond L. Blaes, Josiah C. Blaisdell, H. Moody Brachett, Richard V. Bottomly, Raymond R. Collins, Robert F. Conwell, Tom Dimock, Robert L. Ehlers, Russell A. Fillner, Gary V. Fisher, Milo R. Janecek, Keith P. Johnson, Victor G. Koch, Sigmond Y. Larrick, George Levchah, Dale L. McGarvey, Robert P. McGee, Denton E. McGenty, John L. McKeon, LeRoy L. McKinnon, Verne L. Oliver, A. Lee Overfelt, Thomas S. Payne, Gerald J. Peterson, Gene A. Picotte, Clifford E. Schleusner, Warren C. Seieroe, Jack Yardley, Robert D. Young, Cecil D. Zezula, Stanley B. Sorenson, Jeremy J. Thane, Steven C. Way.

THEODORE BRANTLY: Chief Justice of the Supreme Court of Montana (1899-1922); recognized as one of the foremost justices of Montana.

DAVID T. BREWER CHAPTER

STETSON UNIVERSITY, ST. PETERSBURG, FLORIDA..... April 2, 1951

CHARTER MEMBERS: David Sholtz, William J. Steed, William P. Dineen, Hamden H. Baskin, Charles P. Philips, Ray M. Griffin, A. O. Kanner, Elwyn C. Thomas, Howard P. Stewart, Lewis H. Tribble.

DAVID T. BREWER: United States Commissioner; Judge of Probate, Criminal, and State District Courts; County Attorney; Justice, Supreme Court of Kansas; U.S. District Judge; Justice, United States Supreme Court (1889).

M. VASHTI BURR CHAPTER

DICKINSON COLLEGE OF LAW, CARLISLE, PENNSYLVANIA March 7, 1975
(Originally chartered as Omicron Chapter of Phi Delta Delta on May 18, 1923)

CHARTER MEMBERS:[Burr Chapter] Julie Bollinger, Jeffrey Boswell, Carl Chronister, Mary Ann Conaboy, John Conly, John Dawson, Warner Depuy, R. Theodore Ebert, John Glace, Neil Hendershot, Heidi Herrington, J. Robert Kramer, Michael Leader, John Lopatto, Arthur McDermott, R. Burke McLemore, Leslie Miller, Jane Moffit, Deborah Nichlaus, Charles O'Brien, Beanne Pealer, Paula Quinn, Randy Rolls, William Schadler, Richard Schott, George Shoop, Ned Siegel, Timothy Slavish, Robert Sullivan, Aimee Toth, Deborah Wallet, Susan Watkins, Thomas Wood.

M. VASHTI BURR - A charter member of Omicron Chapter of Phi Delta Delta Law Fraternity, she later served as High Priestess (President) of Phi Delta Delta

HAROLD HITZ BURTON CHAPTER

BOSTON UNIVERSITY, BOSTON, MASSACHUSETTS May 8, 1965

CHARTER MEMBERS: Harris N. Aaronson, Ronald B. Atlas, Marvin L. Berenson, Robert Blinder, Steven P. Borner, Michael C. Bucell, Richard L. Burnstein, Brian T. Callahan, Samuel H. Chorches, Howard B. Cloth, Alan M. Cook, John D. Downer, Peter M. Edelstein, Michael S. Field, Richard Forman, Peter R. Golburgh, Arthur D. Gold, David L. Golden, Henry A. Goodman, Robert L. Goren, Alan L. Gosule, Lynne Hans, Neil S. Hecht, James Herderson. Jr., Martin Honig, Philip C. Hurley, Martin B. Jaffee, David C. Kobrin, Stephen J. Krintzman, Stephan I. Lipman, Sumner H. Lipman, Joseph A. Mahoney II, Charles M. Pfaff, Irving H. Picard, Michael S. Ratner, Kenneth S. Robbins, Nicholas J. Ruggieri, Howard I. Schuldenfrei, Joel L. Shain, Jordan Shapiro, Michael I. Singer, Stanley I. Strough, Stephen A. Swartz, Christopher von Glahn, E. David Wanger, Richard G. Watson, Burton Winnick, John H. Woodruff.

HAROLD HITZ BURTON: United States Senator (1941-1945).
Associate Justice, United States Supreme Court (1945).

PIERCE BUTLER CHAPTER

MITCHELL COLLEGE OF LAW, ST. PAUL, MINNESOTA May 12, 1962

CHARTER MEMBERS: James H. Adams, Richard D. Arvold, Edward S. Baran, Milton H. Bix, Rex J. David, Jr., George L. Fricker, Samuel B. Ried, Ralph A. Gale, Jr., Lyle C. Howg, Jr., Sherman J. Kemmer, Charles L. Langer, L. LeRoy Lellehaugen, Michael L. Lillehaugen, Charles R. Lloyd, Jere B. Maertz, Dennis E. Maher, Walter H. McLeon, Jr., Richard M. Meshbesher, Paul W. Rosenthal, Richard S. Truax, Wayne A. Vander Vort, Donald F. Zibell

PIERCE BUTLER: Associate Justice, United States Supreme Court (1923). At that time he was the youngest associate justice ever appointed.

JEAN CAMPER CAHN CHAPTER

UNIVERSITY OF THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA, WASHINGTON, DC October 18, 2002

CHARTER MEMBERS: Deborah C. Anderson, Damien Bernache, Alison Crisman, Nina Dang, Michele M. DeMao, Courtney Duncil, Elizabeth Eckhardt, Kimberly Fahrenholz, Sorena Fallin, John L. Geddie, Amani Hamilton, Marilyn Henry, Todor H. Hinov, Sara Jabeen Hussain, Tiffani Nichole Johnson, Leericka Lucas, Jennie Mayberry, Rica McKeveny, Jermaine Mercer, Matthew Mixon, Judson B. Powell, III, Alexandra Ritter, W. Brian Sanders, Karen Sawyer, Hazel M. Scalia, Roger L. White

JEAN CAMPER CAHN: Co-author (with her husband, Edgar Cahn) of the landmark article, "The War on Poverty: A Civilian Perspective".

JOHN C. CALHOUN CHAPTER

YALE UNIVERSITY, NEW HAVEN, CONNECTICUT March 30, 1909

CHARTERS MEMBERS: Leonard H. Alkire, Murray M. Ashbaugh, Ralph C. Bennet, James E. Connor, Jr., John H. Crippen, Joseph E. Daily, Charles W. Darling, George R. Dexter, Leroy E. Eastman, Edward E. Garlich, Alexander Hamilton, Jr., Stephen G. Jackson, David A. Wilson, Harry F. White, Frederic A. Shaffer, Gerald F. Sibley, John R. Powelson, James F. O'Connor, Arthur E. Morton, Arthur L. Mathy, Wesley C. Martin, Arthur B. Moontz, Frank R. Hurlbutt.

JOHN C. CALHOUN: United States Senator; United States Secretary of State. Vice President of the United States; leader of the Southern States Senators prior to the Civil War.

CHARLES L. CAPEN CHAPTER

ILLINOIS WESLEYAN UNIVERSITY, BLOOMINGTON, ILLINOIS March 21, 1908
(The law school at Illinois Wesleyan University was discontinued and the chapter charter was transferred to the University of San Francisco where its name was changed to Matthew S. Sullivan)

CHARTER MEMBERS: Martin L. Callahan, Maurey D. Powell, James D. Veatch, F. M. Grady, Herbert C. Bender, Philip A. Gibbons, Fred W. Pitney, Thomas S. Weldon, Michael D. Conaghan, W. Lee Duncan

CHARLES L. CAPEN: Distinguished Professor of law at Illinois Wesleyan University School of Law.

JAMES V. CAMPBELL CHAPTER

UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN, ANN ARBOR, MICHIGAN March 11, 1905

CHARTER MEMBERS: Paul W. Boehm, Clark B. Montgomery, Harry F. Hamlin, E. M. Holliday, Clark A. McMillen, Homer G. White, Henry Miltner.

JAMES V. CAMPBELL: Justice, Michigan Supreme Court (at 34 years of age the youngest justice). Member of original law faculty of University of Michigan Law School (1859).

BENJAMIN NATHAN CARDOZO CHAPTER

CATHOLIC UNIVERSITY OF AMERICA , WASHINGTON, D.C. June 8, 1962

CHARTER MEMBERS: Joseph J. Baker, Ronald R. Borges, William Brown, Leonard F. Casella, James M. Cassidy, John S. Castellano, Arthur J. Deaney, David A. Donohoe, James D. Finn, Jr., Charles D. Gill, David F. Grimaldi, Gregory L. Hellrunk, Raymond S. Kozlowski, John R. McNeil, III, Michael F. O'Donnell, William J. Pendleton, Stephen B. Potter, Jean J. Provost, Lawrence R. Radnanovic, Thomas S. Santora, Gerald L. Sbarboro, Thomas R. Smarz, Lawrence M. Sullivan, Pasquale Talarico.

BENJAMIN NATHAN CARDOZO: Associate Justice, United States Supreme Court (known for his emphasis on the role of the judicial process in the creation of law).

JOHN DOYLE CARMODY CHAPTER

SYRACUSE UNIVERSITY, SYRACUSE, NEW YORK October 29, 1954

CHARTER MEMBERS: Edward B. Alderman, Charles E. Close, John K. Gallagher, John E. Glowacki, Burton Lowitz, Charles J. Cronin, Donald J. Bundy, Roger J. Lehman, John F. Mahon, Sidney H. Thompson, Edward H. Torpey, Daniel J. Kerman, Richard H. Buechner, William Francis Dalgety, John S. Kenny, John Justin Pajak, Thomas Ryan.

JOHN DOYLE CARMODY: Supreme Justice, Phi Alpha Delta, 1910-1911 and 1911- 1912. (Held national offices spanning a period of forty-three years).

VANUSIANO CARRANZA CHAPTER

UNIVERSIDAD AUTONAMA de NUEVO LEON SCHOOL OF LAW

NUEVO LEON, MEXICO Applications dated May 24, 1994

CHARTER MEMBERS: Gerardo Trevino Gil, Campos Ballestecos, German J. Duran-Vieduez, Omar Flores Aviles, Carlos Miguel Garcia Trevino, Edgar Allain Velez Galindo, Alejandra Dingler Delgado, David Alvarez Gonzalez, Paola Castro Ibarra, Cesar Benjamin Castillo Alvarez, Vanrela Gutherrez Cicero, Leon Madrid Salanz, Juan Cruz Trevino, Monica Gonzalez, Rodrigo Guojardo, Luis Villarvea

VANUSIANO CARRANZA - Revolutionary leader during 1911-1915 period. Served as Provisional President of Mexico in 1915, and in 1917 became the constitutional President, serving three years in that capacity until his assassination in 1920.

ROBERT P. CASEY CHAPTER

AVE MARIA SCHOOL OF LAW, ANN ARBOR, MI November 8, 2003

CHARTER MEMBERS: Katie Nicole Anthony, Paul R. Bertolone, Mark L. Bessner, Nicole Blaszkak, Allison Clements, Angela C. Doran, Lisa L. Freyer, Meghan M. Greerty, Bert Hoak, Mary Florence King, Kurt Koehler, Sean F. Morris, Louise Novotney, Ralph Novotney, III, Jennifer Perlman, Barry F. Poulson, Patrick Quirk, Marva Robertson, Tulsi Leif Rogers, Gregory Michael Schmidt, Sarah Emily Scott, Aaron Michael Seamands, Kevin Michael Seibert, Suzanne Sheehy, James A. Smith, Claire Tiscornia, Christopher J. Topa, Brandon J. Warner, Trevor Whetstone, Gabriel M. Young, Christopher Young

ROBERT P. CASEY: Pennsylvania lawyer and politician; elected to the State Senate in 1962; Two-term Auditor General of PA; Governor of Pennsylvania, 1987-1995.

SALMON P. CHASE CHAPTER

UNIVERSITY OF CINCINNATI, CINCINNATI, OHIO April 11, 1908.

CHARTER MEMBERS: William H. Shepard, Frank H. Cox, Charles Tatgenhorst, Jr., Charles E. Weber, Michael J. Dosch, Harry L. Risinger, Frank A. Ralston, Howard L. Bevis, Orin C. Clement.

SALMON P. CHASE - Chief Justice of the United States, 1864-1873. Secretary of Treasury under President Lincoln.

ISSAC PECKHAM CHRISTIANCY CHAPTER

THOMAS M. COOLEY SCHOOL OF LAW, LANSING, MICHIGAN September 21, 1975

CHARTER MEMBERS: Robert Rollinger, Stephen H. Jordan, Frances C. Leonard, Barry Feldman Graff, Denny Krolozyk, Michael Anderson (Partial list).

ISSAC PECKHAM CHRISTIANCY: Delegate to the first Republican National Convention in 1856. In 1858 became one of the first four Justices of the Michigan Supreme Court where he served for 17 years. Later served as a U.S. Senator for 5 years.

CHAMP CLARK CHAPTER

UNIVERSITY OF WASHINGTON, ST. LOUIS, MISSOURI May 6, 1922

CHARTER MEMBERS: Paul A. Richards, George M. Rassieur, Kenneth E. Pearce, Julius J. Selvaggi, Harry W. Martinson, Harold V. Pensoneau, Alfred J. Aye, C. Wheeler Detgen, Samuel S. Faires, Stuart McSpaden Haw, James P. Christenson, Gurn Price, Anthony Mahowald, R. Martin Barrow, Clarence Crowder, James J. Milligan, Lloyd J.

Voyles, Frances V. Fania, George T. Williams, John A. Eversole, Joseph M. Klamon.

CHAMP CLARK: Speaker, United States House of Representatives; President, Marshall College.

TOM C. CLARK CHAPTER

UNIVERSITY OF TEXAS, AUSTIN, TEXAS August 8, 1947

CHARTER MEMBERS: Jewell Ernest Aberrantly, A. Jay Banana, Donald El Cain, Otha Morgan Calhoun, William James Chilcoat, Robert Simmons Crawford, Jr. Ralph Edwin Fain, Werner Alfred Gohmert, James Luther Hartsfield, Jr., Francis Gilmer Harmon II, Wilferd Emmet Hunnicutt, William Stuart Jameson, Joseph Anthony Janeke, Andrew Percy Johnson, Owen Kenneth Johnson, Hal McKnight Lattimore, Frank Alpheus McCracken, James Pearson, Samuel Upshaw Pruitt, William James Rosser, Ernest Lynn Sample, Julius Elwood Slover, Horace Gerald Small, Ray Lovelle Stokes, James Edward Wright, Douglas Richard Zwiener.

TOM C. CLARK: Associate Justice of the United States Supreme Court, 1949-1966; United States Attorney General; Supreme Vice Justice of Phi Alpha Delta, 1964-1968.

HENRY CLAY CHAPTER

UNIVERSITY OF KENTUCKY, LEXINGTON, KENTUCKY May 14, 1914

CHARTER MEMBERS: Logan Nourse Green, W. H. Berry, McHenry Holbrook, Thomas Clarke Hedden, Harry B. Duncan, Oliver W. Kirkpatrick, Joseph Edmund Torrence, Francis S. Ginocchio, W. D. Hamilton, James A. Middleton.

HENRY CLAY: United States Representative and Senator for forty years. (Known for efforts to compromise differences between the North and the South).

EDWARD COKE CHAPTER

UNIVERSITY OF TOLEDO, TOLEDO, OHIO March 5, 1960

CHARTER MEMBERS: Hayden A. Carney, Allan J. Chabler, Clair W. Langmaid, Jr., Jon W. Meinert, William Menacher, William J. Moore, Robert M. Mote, Clair E. Paulson, Warren Raymond, Larry R. Resnick, Harold Shall, John Shaffer, Nathan L. Silverman, Robert E. Watkins, David F. Wiley.

EDWARD COKE: Attorney General of England; Judge of English Courts (regarded as one of the greatest Common Law lawyer of all times).

CHESTER C. COLE CHAPTER

DRAKE UNIVERSITY, DES MOINES, IOWA April 23, 1921

CHARTER MEMBERS: Robert Donald Blue, George Washington Vest, Hamilton Drake Mabry, Elmer Lynn Hunt, John Jay Boyd, John Joseph Robison, Roy Alphaeus Henderson, Buell Melvin Lindgren, Robinson George King, Reynold Anthony Waestman, Fred Deitz Mathis, Tolbert Clyde Moore, Faecis Oettis Ross, Evert Robert McGrath, Dale Rupert Van Eman, Jesse LeRoy Hill, Curtis Weber Gregory, Dyson Perry Inhofe, Paul William Walters, Brooks Albert Heath, Grover Cleveland Lutz, Joseph Patrick Healey, Edward Benjamin Hansen.

CHESTER C. COLE: Justice, Iowa Supreme Court (1864-1876) founder of Iowa College of Law. Dean, Drake College of Law 1892-1907.

EDWARD M. CONNELLY CHAPTER

GONZAGA UNIVERSITY, SPOKANE, WASHINGTON January 27, 1968

CHARTER MEMBERS: Rob Barnett, Richard T. Brothers, Michael P. Chastek, Curtis J. Coyne, Gary M. Cuillier, Charles J. Deluarent III, Thomas T. Dodge, John S. Fattorini, Jr., Joseph J. Ganz, Gary E. Casaway, Gerald A. Gesinger, Ernest D. Greco, Michael K. Halley, Richard E. Hayes, Robert B. Henderson, Edward M. Joy, Larry E. Krueger, Richard J. Langabeer, Robert H. Leeds, Jr., Dennis Joseph LaPorte, Richard J. Makey, Edwin J. McCullough, Jr., Thomas M. McKittrick, William E. Morgan, Thomas L. O'Byrne, William F. Sims, Thomas M. Smith, Richard A. Strophy, Daniel S. Ukishima, Carl J. Watkins, Jr., Don Westerman, Kevin L. Wulff.

EDWARD M. CONNELLY: Justice, Washington State Supreme Court; professor of law, Gonzaga Law School; United States Attorney, Eastern District of Washington.

THOMAS M. COOLEY CHAPTER

WAYNE STATE UNIVERSITY, DETROIT, MICHIGAN May 16, 1959.

CHARTER MEMBERS: Steve J. Annus, George Baditoi, Robert Z. Beauvais, Richard B. Beemer, Robert A. Benson, E. Robert Betts, Thomas K. Brichford, Michael A. Cullen, Monte Gerald, Leonard Hausner, John A. Hilgendorf, Joseph Terrell Kelly, Jr., Henry G. Kuoy, Elvin Mattson, William R. B. McFadden, John J. Moskal, Eric J. Schmidt, Arthur Yim, Chester Otto Zellers.

THOMAS M. COOLEY: Chief Justice, Supreme Court of Michigan. (Treatise on Constitutional Limitation is recognized authority).

GUY C. CORLISS CHAPTER

UNIVERSITY OF NORTH DAKOTA, GRAND FORKS, NORTH DAKOTA... February 25, 1911

CHARTER MEMBERS: Walter E. Quigley, Theodore Swendseid, Arne Vinji, Wilbur Willing Harris, Leigh Judd Monson, Oscar J. Thompson, William Lincoln Jackman, Charles Guy Spaulding, Harry Hunter Cooper, Dan Victor Eastmen, Stanley Ralph Foote, Ole O. Trageton, Ablert William Cull, George Alan Soule, Martin W. Flasted, Karl Henry Stoudt, Ernest Elbert Fletcher.

GUY C. CORLISS: Chief Justice, North Dakota Supreme Court (1889-1898). First Dean of the North Dakota Law School (1900-1903).

MATTHEW COWLEY CHAPTER

BRIGHAM YOUNG UNIVERSITY, PROVO, UTAH April 13, 1974.

CHARTER MEMBERS: Earl J. Seeley, Elizabeth Berutsen, Briar C. Harrison, Blair B. Joynes, James W. Parkins, Joseph L. Anderson, Paul Rogers, James E. Gleason, Jr., Wm. Charles Carr, Stuart Matheror, Sheila McCleve, David L. Torley, Paul M. Warner, Jonathan L. Reid, Steven B. Killpack (Partial list).

MATTHEW COWLEY: County Attorney of Salt Lake County. Served on the Quorum of Twelve Apostles of the Church of Jesus Christ of the Latter Day Saints.

CLARENCE DARROW CHAPTER

UNIVERSITY OF MARYLAND, BALTIMORE, MARYLAND May 29, 1958.

CHARTER MEMBERS: Robert E. Powell, Beverly R. Williford, Clayton B. Burton, Martin M. Mrozinski, Archie Douglas Owens, Donald Allen Sager, Patrick L. Rogan, Jr., Wesley B. Blackmon, LeRoy R. Compton, Robert E. Farnell, III, Peter Grubb McLean, Forrest Wales Thomas, Charles P. Revoile, Richard J. Kinlein, John A. Bensen, John C. Tracey, George Louis Huber, Jr.

CLARENCE DARROW: Noted Advocate of many unpopular causes. Defense counselor in Scopes "Monkey Trial", opposing William Jennings Bryan.

HENRY DE BRACTON CHAPTER

SAINT JOHN'S UNIVERSITY, BROOKLYN, NEW YORK June 8, 1957.

CHARTER MEMBERS: Martin V. Timmins, Clement Vicari, John T. Fogarty, Jerome F. Baer, John J. Bellizzi, John C. LeFever, Edward V. Atnally, John J. DeMartini, Joseph Phillips, Richard J. Smith, Robert D. Clark, Charles E. Baxley, Andrew L. Sichenze, Bernart F. Joy, Joseph G. Gorayeb, Roy S. Dragotta, Pete A. Piscitelli, Donald C. Simpson, James J. Briody, Roger D. Hirsch, Michael L. Santangelo, James M. Roche.

HENRY DE BRACTON: Chancellor of England, renowned for his judgment and his writings. Author of the first comprehensive work on the Common Law of England.

JOSÉ de DIEGO CHAPTER

CATHOLIC UNIVERSITY OF PUERTO RICO, PONCE, PUERTO RICO April 25, 1969

CHARTER MEMBERS: Charles E. Waldron, Rafael Elvira-Calballero, Jose Portuondo y de Castro, Ruben T. Nigaglioni, Quintin Morales-Ramirez, Carlos Irizarry-Yunque, Alfons Sergot, Francisco A. Rivera-Lopes, Feliz J. Fumero-Pugliesi, Frederick L. Kurr, III, Edwin H. Flores-Tirado, Eudaldo Baez-Cruz, Wilfredo Valle-Roman, Jose I. Diza-Olivencia, Jose Francois-Soto, Antonio Maldonado-Torres, Agustin R. Hernandez, Mack C. Jimenez, Jorge Ortiz-Murias, Jose E. Medina-Negron, Carlos M. Vargas Muniz, Roberto M. Garcia-Rillan, Juan R. Costa-Wood, Francisco Seise-Garcia, Nestor A. Ruiz- Diaz, Luis A. Monrouzeau-Martinez, Pelayo Valls-Colon, Rene Ortiz-Ortiz, Octavio Labrador-Vega, Carlos M. Delgado-Martinez, Jorge Calero-Blanco, Fernando Barnes- Velez, Miguel Lopez-Ferrer, Ismael Barbosa-Tricoche, Victor Morales-Alamo, Rafael A. Berrios, Juan Nuis Boscio, Jr., Ramiro Luis Colon, Jr., Carlos Rene Perez-Sierra, Rafael H. Berrios-Ramos.

JOSÉ de DIEGO: Justice of the Supreme Court of Puerto Rico; First President of the House of Representatives of Puerto Rico; Considered to be the greatest Puerto Rican Jurist of his time and one of the greatest Puerto Rican patriots of all time.

EVERETT DIRKSEN CHAPTER

GOLDEN GATE UNIVERSITY, SAN FRANCISCO, CALIFORNIA February 25, 1972

CHARTER MEMBERS: Sanford Irwin Miller, John W. Evans, Bruce B. Roberts, Michael K. Millard, Steven R. Enochian, James C. Farley, Robert C. Miller (Partial list).

EVERETT DIRKSEN: U.S. Senator from Illinois

JAMES DOOLEY CHAPTER

NORTHERN ILLINOIS UNIVERSITY, DeKALB, ILLINOIS April 1, 1978.

CHARTER MEMBERS: Anthony F. Albergo, Robert D. Baldwin, Paul Bellisario, Jean H. Boehme, Thomas J. Braham, Peter Burban, Theodore Burtzos, Warren C. Dulski, James M. Ellison, B. J. Farrell, Joann M. Fratianni, William J. Frost, Thomas A. Freehline, Stephanie M. Funteas-Burtzos, Diana J. Hanno, Walter R. Jackowiec III, Richard E. Jenner, Frank J. Jesse, Phillip L. Kotula, James J. Lussem, James A. McCarron, Craig R. Mesch, David W. Miesmer, Rosanne Morris, Francis Patrick Murphy, Richard Newbound, John L. Pennie, Marni H. Pilafian, Nancy M. Preddy, Albert E. Putsey, Sally L. Quilici, Steven A. Roberts, Richard E. Saunders, Dale G. Schoenhoffen, Robert M. Sharp, John J. Swiess, Jr., Michael J. Vitale, Joseph R. Waldeck, Harrison Richard Winters, Michael F. Walsh, Richard E. Zabelski, Thomas C. Young, Mary Zelezaikar.

JAMES DOOLEY: Associate Justice of the Illinois Supreme Court. A very enthusiastic and avid member of Phi Alpha Delta, and a mainstay for the Fraternity in the Chicago Area.

STEPHEN A. DOUGLAS CHAPTER

SOUTHERN ILLINOIS UNIVERSITY , CARBONDALE, ILLINOIS May 2, 1974.

CHARTER MEMBERS: James R. Keller, Michael Val Ochel, Robert J. Swift, Jr., James Binnings, Stanley R. Meyer, Warren C. Brown, John C. Ryan, Dan Gaumer, John A. Weil, Stephen H. Thomas, Terry C. Kaid, John Douglas Hauser, William R. Hallogki, Scott L. Spiller (Partial list).

STEPHEN A. DOUGLAS: Served Illinois as U.S. Representative and U.S. Senator. Democratic nominee for President of the United States.

WILLIAM O. DOUGLAS CHAPTER

UNIVERSITY OF BRIDGEPORT SCHOOL OF LAW, HAMDEN, CONNECTICUT ... April 12, 1980
(Originally chartered as the Benjamin Curtiss Chapter. Rechartered as the William O. Douglas Chapter on April 12, 1980)

CHARTER MEMBERS: Charles Salvatore Ambroglio, Eugene J. Baldrate, Rex D. Brown, Jr., Michael W. Elgee, Joan V. Fiore, Jack L. Glasser, Glenn L. Horne, Larry E. Jawitz, Richard C. Leonard, Gary Marks, James G. O'Rourke, Oscar Mark Parente, Denis J. Quinn, Laura Rueli, Leslie S. Sheppard, Hebert N. Steinberg, Ellen Wissner, Peter R. Becker, Marily Capozzi, John F. Daly III, Louisa Daratsos, Vincent J. Ferro, Robert S. Horn, Claudette Jean Narisco, Scott Slayton, Paul Slediewski, Ellen B. Stuart, Daniel C. Walsh III.

WILLIAM O. DOUGLAS: Associate Justice of the United States.

JAMES M. DOYLE CHAPTER

UNIVERSITY OF SOUTH DAKOTA , VERMILLION, SOUTH DAKOTA October 29, 1927.

CHARTER MEMBERS: James A. Albert, David L. Braun, Lonnie Bryan, Steven Bucher, James E. Carlon, Penny Coleman, Michael G. Diedrick, James Doyle, Jon S. Flemmer, Casey S. Funk, William C. Garry, John Robert Gregg, Charles Habhab, Randall Ross Hodge, David Milton Husby, Donald George Karras, Frank J. Kehrwald, H. I. King, Kevin Looby, Mark Francis Marshall, Chris A. Nipa, Richard Pistulka, Gregory Protsch, John Gardner Ryger, John A. Schlimgen.

JAMES M. DOYLE: Associate Justice of the Supreme Court of South Dakota

RALPH O. DUNBAR CHAPTER

UNIVERSITY OF WASHINGTON, SEATTLE, WASHINGTON May 25, 1914.

CHARTER MEMBERS: Lewis M. Dawson, Pierce F. Lonergan, Wallace A. MacPherson, John R. Walsh, Loren A. Wetherby, Paul S. Hammer, Gus Lybecker, Charles L. Smith, Edward S. Franklin, Max C. Walske, J. Bruce MacDougall.

RALPH O. DUNBAR: Associate Justice, Supreme Court of Washington, (1889-1912); Speaker of Territorial Legislation of Washington (1885).

DOUGLAS L. EDMONDS CHAPTER

UNIVERSITY OF SANTA CLARA, SANTA CLARA, CALIFORNIA April 16, 1966

CHARTER MEMBERS: David G. Brown, Frank E. Clohan, William M. Dubbin, Kent H. Frewing, Thomas P. Hansen, Robert E. Harpainter, Hoover R. Harvey, James G. Leathers, Jr., Jay A. Lipman, William F. Locke-Paddon, William J. McDonough, Monte E. McFaddon, Robert G. Moore, David L. Mousel, Alan L. Nobler, Philips B. Patton, James F. Pruett, Charles D. Peiton, Roger L. Sanborn, Daniel Skemp, William A. Sullivan, Henry A. Talifer, Henry R. Triplett, Samuel H. Vaught, John B. Weiss, Thomas E. White, Harold Wright.

DOUGLAS LYMAN EDMONDS: Justice, California Supreme Court (1936-1955). Judge, Superior and District Courts. Supreme Justice of Phi Alpha Delta (1948-1952).

JOHN P. EGAN CHAPTER

DUQUESNE UNIVERSITY, PITTSBURGH, PENNSYLVANIA March 21, 1963.

CHARTER MEMBERS: Joseph Barletta, Patrick J. Basial, James A. Berneburg, Homer Dwight Byrd, Robert L. Campbell, Joseph M. Coyle, Louis R. Dadowski, John G. Eidemueller, Jr., Albert G. Feczko, Jr., Robert S. Garrett, Nicholas Grebeldinger, Jr., William E. Green, Robert L. Hartig, William S. Hays, George H. Hoffman, Peter J. King, Ronald P. Koerner, Paul M. Li, Adam J. Madia, Harry J. Mahr, Jr., Louis L. Manderino, William F. Manifesto, John L. McKenna, T. Lawrence Palmer, Robert W. Murdock, Walter A. Radalko, Cosmos J. Reale, Thomas E. Rodgers, David T. Smith, Rocco Viola, Jr., Edward C. Wachter, Jr., Keith A. Wagner, John R. Walters, Jr., Gerard F. Wrabley.

JOHN P. EGAN: Dean, Duquesne University Law School (1929-1931). Judge, Common Pleas Court; Professor of Law, Duquesne University 1929-1948.

CLAIR ENGLE CHAPTER

McGEORGE SCHOOL OF LAW, UNIVERSITY OF THE PACIFIC
SACRAMENTO, CALIFORNIA May 9, 1969.

CHARTER MEMBERS: Hugh O. Allen, Ronald D. Allying, Rae L. Anderson, James M. Barrette, Christopher Q. Bottimore, Stephen S. Brand, Thomas B. Brown, Phillip A. Cabe, Gary B. Callahan, Donald L. Carper, A. J. Carrion, Bob M. Cohen, G. Patrick Collins, Thomas T. Couris, George W. Cox, Henry W. Crowe, James V. de la Vergne, George S. Diumentti, Jr., Nicholas J. Dubsick, Thomas W. Eres, Claude M. George, Jerry C. Graham, Louis Greenberg, Paul Greenwald, George W. Griffith, Nicholaus R. Hawkins, Boyd M. Harrison, James B. Hasty, Donald N. Hubbard, Harold V. Jacobs, Herman L. Koelewyn, G. Chris Larson, Lewis A. Lassetter, Jr., Dennis M. Latimer, Vernon E. Leverty, Laurence Lishner, Patrick R. Little, David E. Malnick, Roger V. Marshall, Rick McClendon, William B. McPherson, Allan L. Melikian, Peter E. Mills, Jerry J. Mirri, Gerald W. Nash, Jr., Michael W. Poggenburg, Ronald B. Rau, Richard L. Reese, Jr., Craig B. Regan, Charles A. Rogaski, Jr., Leland S. Rosner, Richard Salisch, Rodney J. Sheppard, Harold C. Sidiaren, Thomas J. Steen, Manuel N. Vierra, Borden D. Webb, Stephen A. Weiner, Gary B. Weiss, Stanley H. Wells, Thomas C. Westley, Charles H. Wright, Robert A. Young.

CLAIR ENGLE: United States Senator from California.

STEPHEN F. FIELD CHAPTER

UNIVERSITY OF CALIFORNIA AT BERKELEY, BERKELEY, CALIFORNIA May 13, 1911
(Operated as a joint chapter with Jackson Temple Chapter at Hastings College of Law until 1923 when the two chapters were separated and this chapter was designated as the Field chapter.)

CHARTER MEMBERS: Eric G. Scudder, Chauncey F. Edridge, Glenn West, Fred S. Howell, Evan J. Foulds, Oscar W. Hilton, Duard F. Geis, Herbert Chamberlain, Jerome B. Kavanaugh.[Same as for Temple Chapter at Hastings College of Law in San Francisco]

STEPHEN F. FIELD: Chief Justice, California Supreme Court, 1957-1863; Associate Justice, United States Supreme Court (for thirty-four years, longest term of any justice).

WILLIAM HANSEL FISH CHAPTER

MERCER UNIVERSITY, MACON, GEORGIA March 3, 1928.

CHARTER MEMBERS: Thomas M. Callaway, Jr., Henry S. Barnes, Augustus C. Felton, William P. Jent, R. H. Casson, Samuel C. Callaway, R. A. Chappell, William A. Wommack, Jr. George R. Ellis, James H. Hall, Glenn B. Hasty, Joseph Q. Davidson, Paul S. Etheridge, Jr., J. A. McClain, Jr., C.W. Walker.

WILLIAM HANSEL FISH: Chief Justice, Supreme Court of Georgia (1905-1912). Dean, Mercer University Law School, until his death in 1926.

THOMAS F. FLEMING CHAPTER

NOVA SOUTHEASTERN UNIVERSITY, FORT LAUDERDALE, FLORIDA ... November 22, 1975.

CHARTER MEMBERS: Kendall John Phillips, Bill Talcott Smith, Jr., Gregory P. Cochran, Mark J. Wolff, Stephen Max Brewer, David Mechanik, Thomas E. Baynes, Jr., Howard Leslie Greitzer, Sean L. Moore, Robert Ward Medlin, Robert J. Dimauro, Gerald M. Morris, Steven M. Gordon. Samuel Mayo Silver, James A. Walsh, Young T. Tindall, J. Jeffery Thistle, Michael P. O'Brien, Ralph Eugene Boger, James A. Phillips, Jr., Charles Milton Wynn, George M. Evans, C. Michael Cornely, Marshall Douglas Platt, Joseph C. Zisa, Robert D. Shapiro, Michael Lee Singer, Delbert C. Stover, Ronald W. Houchins, James S. Purdy, Michael Lewis Brewer, Robert B. Dunckel, Alex Toth.

THOMAS F. FLEMING: Outstanding trial lawyer in Florida for over 40 years. Devoted much of his life to public and civic projects.

DUNCAN U. FLETCHER CHAPTER

UNIVERSITY OF FLORIDA, GAINESVILLE, FLORIDA January 12, 1924.

CHARTER MEMBERS: Carroll W. Fussell, Herbert S. Peterson, Joseph V. Dillon, James N. Fielding, W. V. Smithwick, Paul Emmert, B. L. Jennings, Lee Worley, Harry A. Johnston, Wm P. Howard, Jr., Reeves Bowen, Paul H. Brinson, Lester W. Jennings, Ralph A. Marsicano.

DUNCAN U. FLETCHER: United States Senator from Florida (1907), Florida State Representative, Mayor of Jacksonville, Florida.

WILLIAM JOSEPH FORD CHAPTER

LOYOLA UNIVERSITY, LOS ANGELES, CALIFORNIA September 13, 1937.
(The Hannibal Hamlin Chapter Charter at the University of Maine was transferred to Loyola University on September 19, 1937, and on March 25, 1940, the name of the Chapter was changed to William Joseph Ford.)

CHARTER MEMBERS: James Arthur Madden, John Thomas Ganahl, Leroy Lester Donkin, John Adams Knauft, Edmond Gattone, Joseph K. Coady, Paul T. Erskine, Robert L. Corfman, Rudy George Maslach, Clovis Paul DuBois, Baldo Martin Kristovich, Evan H. Sweet, Herbert A. Houser, Jr.

WILLIAM JOSEPH FORD: Educator, Attorney, and Judge; first Dean of Loyola Law School.

FELIX FRANKFURTER CHAPTER

SUFFOLK UNIVERSITY, BOSTON, MASSACHUSETTS May 8, 1965.

CHARTER MEMBERS: Henry G. Barrett, Peter J. Buttaro, Frank V. Colton, Vincent P. Cocivera, Fred M. Dellorfanio, Jr., Stephen H. Fagan, William J. Foely, William E. Hassan, Jr., Francis J. Harney, Thomas J. Herbert, Frederick W. Holbrow, Luc R. LaBrosse, Alan H. Okstein, Richard G. Remmes, John J. Sheehan, John W. Vaughan, Frederick G. Ward.

FELIX FRANKFURTER: Associate Justice, United States Supreme Court (1939), Known for his learned opinions and outstanding writings on the law.

BENJAMIN FRANKLIN CHAPTER

THOMAS JEFFERSON SCHOOL OF LAW, SAN DIEGO, CALIFORNIA April 12, 1997.

CHARTER MEMBERS: Patricia Davis-Fordyce, Eric Findling, John A. James, Sandra Dawson, Marjorie Anne Clowry, Zachary T. Tyson, Diana L. Gardner, Michele M. Castillo, Jennifer L. Effie, William A. Brenner, Stephanie J. Augustino, Gregory A. Schnitfer, Mary E. Foster, Ricky J. Spann, Tamika M. Spirling, Jayson C. Gayle, Shelia Bryant-Tucker, Cannon Pearson, Keller L. Mayer, Sandra F. Locke, Lowell Fenerty, Bryan McLaughin, Meredith Anthony Rivera, Dean M. LaPerna, Justin W. Killman, Art Sue, Shandon Sherman, Patricia A. Tartaro, Christine Wang, Karen Anne Lemmen, Philip S. Kaprew, Alan Byron Berman, Holly Coates Keehn.

BENJAMIN FRANKLIN: Prominent leader in American War of Independence. Early American printer, author, diplomat, philosopher, and scientist. One of American greatest statesmen. Representative to England prior to Revolution; Ambassador to France; negotiated peace treaty following American victory.

THEODORE FRELINGHUYSEN CHAPTER

RUTGERS UNIVERSITY-CAMDEN, CAMDEN, NEW JERSEY March 22, 1966.

CHARTER MEMBERS: Joseph F. Audino, Ira F. Back, Willard Berstein, John W. Daniels, Donald M. Forman, Anthony J. Fulginiti, Donald P. Gaydos, David J. Gould, Carl J. Gregory, Frederick W. Hart, Edward J. Hulls, Jr., John A. Jones, Michael R. Justin, Donald S. Levenson, William C. Levine, Robert F. O'Brien, John C. Penders, Jordan L. Peiper, Joseph F. Polino, Carl D. Poplar, Timothy J. P. Quinlin, Andrew J. Rodnite, Ronald B. Rosen Phillip B. Silverman, Joseph M Weinberg, Martin B. Tepper, Craig Yates.

THEODORE FRELINGHUYSEN: United States Senator; Mayor of Newark; President of Rutgers University.

MELVILLE W. FULLER CHAPTER

NORTHWESTERN UNIVERSITY, CHICAGO, ILLINOIS November 15, 1902.

CHARTER MEMBERS: The following men were the petitioners to form this chapter as part of Lambda Epsilon Fraternity; charter being granted to them March 16, 1900: James R. Garrett, Stephen C. Malo, Sidney B. Meyer, P. E. North, J. M. Bryant, E. Wayne Colby, V. P. Richmond. The following signed the Phi Alpha Delta Articles of Organization at South Haven, Michigan, July 27, 1902: Alfred T. Thompkins, George B. Watson, Roland M. Hollock, James R. Garrett, Sidney B. Meyer, Elias Mayer, Charles L. Daly, August F. Holste.

MELVILLE W. FULLER: Eighth Chief Justice, United States Supreme Court (twenty- two years); member of the Permanent Court, established by the First Hague Peace Conference.

AUGUSTUS HILL GARLAND CHAPTER

UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS, FAYETTEVILLE, ARKANSAS April 26, 1906.

CHARTER MEMBERS: Fred Clark Jacobs, Thomas O. Summers, James Kirby Riffel, William Russell Rose, Harry C. Hale, Horace Earle Rouse, Ashbel Webster Dobyms, John Bruce Cox.

AUGUSTUS HILL GARLAND: Governor of Arkansas; United States Senator (1877); United States Attorney General under President Cleveland (1885).

JOHN NANCE GARNER CHAPTER

ST. MARY'S UNIVERSITY SCHOOL OF LAW, SAN ANTONIO, TEXAS November 8, 1970.

CHARTER MEMBERS: Nelson M. Atwell, Larry John Benson, Barrett Keith Brown, Douglas E. Canders, Patrick Emmett Clarke, John W. Ellis, Jr., Francis E. Ferro, Arturo Adam Figueroa, Jr., Charles P. Fincher, Curtis L. Frisbie, Jr., Jose A. Gamez, George G. Granata, Jr., Peter Blake Hedblem, Michael D. Kanski, Donald C. Kay, William F. Lawlor, III, Stephen T. Lynch, Raymond B. McCoy, Kerry Eugene Moseley, Alejandro C. Palacios, Alan Jay Rich, Paul D. Rich, Louis Rodriguez, Louis T. Rosenberg, George C. Shoemaker, Jr., Jerry T. Steed, Gary Jan Steinberger, Joseph E. Steekard, Rogers T. Storey, Jr., Albert M. Walker, Jr., Thomas D. Wells, Donald Loy Wright.

JOHN NANCE GARNER: Vice President of the United States during President Roosevelt first and second terms; Speaker of the U.S. House of Representatives. United States Representative from Texas.

HARRY GLASSMAN CHAPTER

UNIVERSITY OF MAINE, PORTLAND, MAINE Petition signed April 27, 1994. (Originally Phi Alpha Delta chartered the Hannibal Hamlin at the University of Maine in 1910. Later the law school was discontinued and the charter was transferred to Loyola University in Los Angeles in 1937 where the name of the chapter was changed to William Ford Chapter. In 1994, a new charter was granted to the University of Maine Law School in the name of Harry Glassman. Hannibal Hamlin served as Vice President of the United States during President Lincoln first term.)

CHARTER MEMBERS: James W. Gunson, Anna M. Zimmerman, Stephen J. Sucey, Dennis R. Hamrick, Melissa J. Reynolds, Allen Echiverri, Deborah E. Munson, Catherine L. Haynes, R. Trent Sevene, E. Chris L'Hommedieu, Dana A. Bienvenue.

HARRY GLASSMAN: Justice of the Supreme Judicial Court of Maine from 1978 to his death in 1981.

CHARLES R. GRANT CHAPTER

UNIVERSITY OF AKRON, AKRON, OHIO February 27, 1962.

CHARTER MEMBERS: James M. Bierce, Daniel J. Bradey, Jr. John H. Campbell, Ted Chuparkoff, John A. Daily, Walter C. Dissen, Marvil L. Downing, Kean T. Grosenbaugh, Thomas S. Haney, William B. Hewit, Donald M. Jenkins, Thomas W. Kimmins, Fred J. Kovac, Alvin Lieberman, Thomas H. Link, Robert H. McDowell, Thomas L. McFarren, Robert H. Maxson, Glenn W. Morris, James E. Murphy, Edwin C. Pierce, James A. Rozmajzl, Joseph G. Seamon, William L. Singleton, Bernard Schneier, David A. Thomas, Bruce H. Wilson, Henry C. Young, Jr., Robert Yurick, William A. Zavarello.

CHARLES R. GRANT: Justice, Eighth District Court of Appeals (1912); founder of Akron Law School (1921) which became part of University of Akron (1959).

JAMES WOODS GREEN CHAPTER

UNIVERSITY OF KANSAS, LAWRENCE, KANSAS April 17, 1909.

CHARTER MEMBERS: Maurice Allendorfer, Edwin Elder Brookens, Homer J. Conley, Merle C. Groene, Frank S. Kenny, Vale L. Nance, John W. Robertson, Jr., F. Keith Clevenger, Arly Rey Baum, Foster Cline, John Connolly, Edward E. Haney, Benj. H. Matkins, John J. Riling, Arthur H. Seddon, Gordon A. Badger.

JAMES WOODS GREEN: First Dean of the University of Kansas School of Law.

RICHARD THEODORE GREENER CHAPTER

TEXAS SOUTHERN UNIVERSITY, HOUSTON, TEXAS December 6, 1969
(Originally chartered as the Greener Chapter on December 6, 1969 at Texas Southern University in Houston, Texas Rechartered as the Barbara Jordan Chapter at Texas Southern University in 1996. See Jordan Chapter for chartering information).

VIRGIL A. GRIFFITH CHAPTER

MISSISSIPPI COLLEGE SCHOOL OF LAW, JACKSON, MISSISSIPPI October 11, 1980.

CHARTER MEMBERS: Judith Ford Anspaugh, Rebecca Applewhite Cartledge Araujo, Lonnie D. Bailey, H. Victoria Buchanan, Minor Ferris Buchanan, Elizabeth Ann Butchart, T. Frank Collins, William J. Crisler, Jr., Paul Turner Dehoff, Wayne E. Ferrell, Jr., Holly Jennings Hammett, Ruth R. Harris, Hugh D. Keating, Melinda Lawrence, R. Scott Levanway, Lawrence L. Little, William Gregory Lockeby, George Scott Luter, Mark Anthony Maples, James Michael Matthews, Joe C. Morris, Jr., Timothy Lee Murr, Dennis George Pantazis, Norman William Pauli, Jr., Mary Pollard Payne, Douglas A. Tatum, William Farley Travis, Vasillios Theo Vallas, Nicholas Van Wiser, Jerry R. Wallace, Derek A. Wyatt.

VIRGIL A. GRIFFITH: Chief Justice of the Supreme Court of Mississippi.

JULIUS C. GUNTER CHAPTER

UNIVERSITY OF COLORADO, BOULDER, COLORADO April 29, 1910.

CHARTER MEMBERS: B. Malcolm Erickson, A. W. Fitzgerald, Carl T. Lichty, John B. O'Rourke, John F. Parrish, A. A. Parkhurst, Merritt H. Perkins, Raymond J. Venables.

JULIUS C. GUNTER: Justice, Supreme Court of Colorado; Governor of Colorado

CHARLES A. HALLECK CHAPTER

VALPARAISO UNIVERSITY, VALPARAISO, INDIANA December 14, 1947.

CHARTER MEMBERS: Louis F. Bartelt, Richard G. Bodensab, Robert Alfred Butler, John George Diamond, Antone Fileff, Roger Raymond King, Daniel Edwin Lewis, Harold A. Rissman, Robert R. Sander, Oscar B. Smith, Jr., Harry James Albe, John Bolgert, Charles Thomas Clifford, Thomas Jefferson Faulconer, III, Harold Henry Kieft, Ralph Merle Koehne, James Bonham Maddox, Clarence Charles Rowoldt, Robert Lee Schirmer, Don R. Wilson, Warren W. Wyneken

CHARLES A. HALLECK: United States Representative from Indiana (1935). Republican leader of U.S. House of Representative; served seventeen consecutive terms.

RALPH HAMILL CHAPTER

UNIVERSITY OF INDIANA, INDIANAPOLIS, INDIANA May 8, 1948

CHARTER MEMBERS: Robert Hugh Brown, Lloyd L. DeWester, Jr., William H. Faust, Sr., William Leonidas McClellan, Ralph Norman May, Leroy Kenneth New, Floyd Everett Robbins, Stanley Harris Smith, James Allan Colvin, William H. Faust, Jr., William Jacoby, Charles H. Mains, Edward Funston New, Jr., Bradshaw Patrick, William T. Sharp. Robert Thomas Stoneking. Robert Samuel Webb.

RALPH HAMILL: Judge, Marion County Superior Court; member, Judicial Council of the Supreme Court of Indiana; lecturer at the Indiana University School of Law.

HANNIBAL HAMLIN CHAPTER

UNIVERSITY OF MAINE, BANGOR, MAINE May 27, 1910

(The law school at the University of Maine was discontinued and the chapter charter was transferred to Loyola University in Los Angeles where its name was changed to William Ford Chapter).

CHARTER MEMBERS: Frederick P. Adams, Wilfred G. Conary, Oscar H. Emery, Daniel I. Gould, Brad D. Harvey, Charles B. Hosmer, Frederic B. Littlefield, William D. Ownes, Howard B. Rand, William H. Sweeny, James W. Booth, Charles W. Dow, Carl F. Betchell, Arthur A. Greene, Leight I. Harvey, Ralph M. Ingalls, John B. Madore, Elisha S. Powers, Thomas E. Sullivan, Bertrant E. Spencer, George R. Sweetser.

HANNIBAL HAMLIN: Vice President of the United States during President Lincoln's first term.

WILLIAM G. HAMMOND CHAPTER

UNIVERSITY OF IOWA, IOWA CITY, IOWA December 4, 1908.

CHARTER MEMBERS: Remley J. Glass, Francis P. Keane, Frank F. Messer, Lake M. Bechtell, Oliver H. DeGrott, Daniel C. McCylly, Michael L. Conovan, Thorwaldsen S. Risser, Ray H. Wise, Paul M. Payne, Sidney C. Kerber, John C. Higgins, Forrest B. Olsen.

WILLIAM G. HAMMOND: The first chancellor of University of Iowa Law School; Dean of the St. Louis Law School.

SUMMERS HARDY CHAPTER

UNIVERSITY OF TULSA, TULSA, OKLAHOMA January 30, 1954

CHARTER MEMBERS: William M. Brumbaugh, W. L. Thurman, Bert M. Grigg, Emory F. Gard, Duane G. Phillips, Charles M. Blackward, Arthur Deet, Frederick S. Nelson, Philip L. Kramer, Jack D. Jones, Francis G. Hawkins, Rooney McInerney, John Morley, Ed Tomlins, Jr., Lloyd Myles, L. M. Gelvin, Jr., Skip O. Warren.

SUMMERS HARDY: Chief Justice, Oklahoma Supreme Court (1919); Dean of the University of Tulsa Law School

JOHN INNES CLARK HARE CHAPTER

UNIVERSITY OF PENNSYLVANIA, PHILADELPHIA, PA February 24, 2004

CHARTER MEMBERS: A. Campbell Austin, Katisha D. Booker, Adam Joseph Brenneman, Renata Bystritsky, David Castleman, Neena Chegu, Neil Dougherty, Elizabeth Gerlach, William Goldfarb, Kevin Goldman, Benjamin Hussa, Marc Khadpe, Marina Lemberg, Sie Ne Min, Melissa Muscat, Jolene E. Negre, Jeffrey Nestler, Vincent Albert Pace, Matthew Quinn, Angeli Saijwani, Michael Scalzitti, Petra Scamborova, Arian Stewart, Elizabeth Tobio, Andrea Wang, Theodore Weiman, Leon M. Willis, II, Timothy Young

JOHN INNES CLARK HARE: Trustee, University of Pennsylvania, 1858-68; Co-founded Union League to rally Union support in Philadelphia, 1862; Professor of Law, University of Pennsylvania, 1868-88.

JOHN MARSHALL HARLAN CHAPTER

UNIVERSITY OF OKLAHOMA, NORMAN, OKLAHOMA May 20, 1916.

CHARTER MEMBERS: John Roy Orr, Walter N. Chitwood, Louis Austin Rielly, Theodore Adriance, John L. Fuller, Johnson Tallie Crawford, G. F. McCain, Louis D. Abney, K. Bury Peterson, Lowry Houston Harrell, Elmer Capshaw, C. W. Van Eaton, Charles Garner Thornton, Samuel James Montgomery, William J. Monahan, Charles Luther Roff, Jr., Bourke Hamilton Bayless, Leonard Wells, Thomason, Victor Wade.

JOHN MARSHALL HARLAN: Associate Justice, United States Supreme Court (for thirty-three years.)

JOHN MILTON HAY CHAPTER

CASE WESTERN RESERVE UNIVERSITY, CLEVELAND, OHIO June 16, 1906

CHARTER MEMBERS: Paul DeShaw Knight, Walter H. Cook, Cleveland R. Cross, Joseph I. Eagleson, Willis R. Godfrey.

JOHN MILTON HAY: United States Secretary of State (1898) under President McKinley; author of the China "Open Door Policy".

RUTHERFORD B. HAYES CHAPTER

CAPITAL UNIVERSITY LAW SCHOOL, COLUMBUS, OHIO February 22, 1969

CHARTER MEMBERS: George J. Arnold, Stuart A. Benis, Robert D. Bergman M. Steven Boley, William B. Dixon, Melvin K. Dobbs, James E. Dodds, Theodore H. Finesman, Mark M. Flanagan, Kevin T. Gorey, Richard C. Gross, John T. Gugle, John E. Huntley, Gerald M. Kaplan, Donald F. Love, Jerry L. McDowell, J. Michael McGinley, Jonathan W. Marshall, Daniel J. Massey, Donald A. Mullin, Paul J. Navin, David C. O'Connor, Nicholas A. Pittner, Glenn B. Redick, Rockford H. Richardson, Terrence L. Ryan, Clyde A. Schroeder, Lawrence A. Singer, Gerald L. Stebelton, Robert M. Wasyluk, Eugene P. Weiss, Robert J. Woodward, John W. McCormac, Harry R. Paulino, Lawrence A. Ramey.

RUTHERFORD B. HAYES: President of the United States, 1877-1881

PATRICK HENRY CHAPTER

UNIVERSITY OF RICHMOND, RICHMOND, VIRGINIA October 29, 1948.

CHARTER MEMBERS: G. B. Ambler, Jr., T. T. Cralle, O. J., Graham Jr., W. P. Hanson, F. W. Hardy, W. T. Johnston, M. Long, R. O. Powers, P. M. Axson, Jr., W. E. Beverly, Jr., B. G. Hanson, F. M. Haden, R. Harris, W. M. Kessler, J. D. McMullan, E. N. Rogers, H. B. Weatherford, Jr.

PATRICK HENRY: Author of much of "Bill of Rights". Revolutionary War Patriot and author of "give me Liberty or give me death" speech. Member of the Virginia House of Representatives.

JOHN EDWARD HICKMAN CHAPTER

UNIVERSITY OF HOUSTON, HOUSTON, TEXAS May 11, 1963

CHARTER MEMBERS: Philip K. Clifton, Tommy D. DeShazor, Edwin L. Kirkpatrick, II, Bryant L. Manning, Troy L. Mason, Jr., James C. McCoy, Michael F. McCrory, John G. Mitchell, John M. Nesheim, Michael D. Rembert, Thomas E. Reynolds, James A. Rindfuss, Richard F. Sewell, Homer R. Taylor, James R. Tucker, George J. Van Os, Robert A. Wallace, T. Gates Whiteley.

JOHN EDWARD HICKMAN: Chief Justice, Supreme Court of Texas, 1926 1947.

FREDERICK L. HOFFMAN, SR. CHAPTER

NORTHERN KENTUCKY UNIVERSITY, Highland Heights, Kentucky May 6, 1955
(In 1973 Chase College of Law was merged into Northern Kentucky University and moved to Highland Heights, Kentucky.)

CHARTER MEMBERS: Frank J. Von Hagen, Louis B. Stant, Carl H. LaMantia, William P. McGuinn, Richard S. Hoffman, Louis J. Hendericks, Jr., John D. Valentine, John H. Huschardt, Edward T. Dixon, J.T. Cavender, Richard L Stanley, James H. Sullivan, Jr., Charles M. Dieffenbach, Theodore M. Colebrook, Albert J. Steffen, John G. Hooley, Paul W. Krone, Robert L. Enoch, Norert C. Krass, George A. Snider, Robert F. Denninger, Louis J. Schneider, Frank M. Zier, Jr., Milton M. Bloom, Thomas J. McCoy, Robert A. Wilson, Arthur T. Knabe, C. Nick Khoury, William S. Brunk, James C. Robison, Wm. James Merrigan, Robert Kern Duncan, James R. May, Robert L. Davis, Irv A. Meserth, Otis R. Hess, Burton R. Signer, Raymond Paul Hutchens, John P. Sohaski, George L. Buttafoco, Robert G. Sand, James L. Elder, Charles J. Tekulve, Louis H. Rea, James J. Corrigan, Floyd R. Whiteford, Frank P. Cleveland, Louis G. Fey, Thomas B. Walker.

FREDERICK L. HOFFMAN, SR.: Professor of Law, Chase College of Law (served over fifty years); President, American Amateur Athletic Union

OLIVER WENDELL HOLMES CHAPTER

LELAND STANFORD, JR. UNIVERSITY, STANFORD, CALIFORNIA May 13, 1911.

CHARTER MEMBERS: Lafayette J. Smallpage, Roger W. Wallace, W. Slack, Stanley E. Goode, Herbert E. White, B. F. Van Dyke, Norman D. French, Edward A. Little, Chester H. Warlow, James W. Henderson, Joseph K. Hutchison.

OLIVER WENDELL HOLMES: Associate Justice, United States Supreme Court; outstanding legal scholar and commentator on the law.

ADOLPH HOMBURGER CHAPTER

PACE UNIVERSITY SCHOOL OF LAW, WHITE PLAINS, NEW YORK May 30, 1959

CHARTER MEMBERS: Gene M. Flagello, Charles R. Peters, Michael Armienti, Stuart Davis, Ronald Calizza, Daniel Krimmer, Steven Weisblum, Gary Furnari, Alfred Dimino, Gary Rick, Dennis Rigas, Gary P. Rothman, Brad Sacks, Warren Berkowitz, Kevin Hobbs.

ADOLPH HOMBURGER: Law Professor at Pace and Buffalo Schools of Law. Author of several innovations and improvements in civil law procedure.

SAMUEL HOUSTON CHAPTER

SOUTH TEXAS COLLEGE OF LAW, HOUSTON, TEXAS May 30, 1959.

CHARTER MEMBERS: Jack T. Cole, Jerrold R. Davidson, J. A. Engel, Donald H. Greer, James A. Hannah, Dan Howell, C. Raymond Judice, George D. Martin, Milton McCullough, John L. Moye, James J. Mullen, Rodney D. Parrott, Edward D. Peterson, Cameron C. Smith, Gerald Zlotnik.

SAMUEL HOUSTON: (Sometimes referred to as Sam Houston) Governor of and United States Senator from Tennessee; first President of the Republic of Texas; United States Senator from Texas; Governor of State of Texas; Commander-in-Chief of Armed Forces during Texas War for Independence from Mexico.

WILLIAM J. HOYNES CHAPTER

NOTRE DAME UNIVERSITY, NOTRE DAME, INDIANA May 14, 1977.

CHARTER MEMBERS: Not available at time of printing.

WILLIAM J. HOYNES: Dean of Notre Dame Law School from 1883 to 1919.

CHARLES J. HUGHES, JR. CHAPTER

UNIVERSITY OF DENVER, DENVER, COLORADO May 24, 1913

CHARTER MEMBERS: Louis O. David, John C. Vivian, John P. Akolt, Ralph E. C. Kerwin, Habeeb A. Saily, George S. Walters, J. Gilbert Davis, Pedro F. Vagnino, Frederick W. Dyer, Joseph P. O'Connell, Harry R. Stender, Merle E. Wilson.

CHARLES J. HUGHES, JR: United States Senator from Colorado (1909-1911)

CORDELL HULL CHAPTER

SAMFORD UNIVERSITY, CUMBERLAND LAW SCHOOL

[Originally chartered at the then independent Cumberland Law School located in Lebanon, Tennessee, which was later merged into Samford University and moved to Birmingham, Alabama]

BIRMINGHAM, ALABAMA July 29, 1949

CHARTER MEMBERS: Brantley Blue, Lonnie Henderson, Claude E. Jarrett, Charles E. Lowe, H. N. Osborne, John Phillip Reed, Howard S. Witt, William Crugett, Benton R. Gordon, T. F. Ingram, Royce C. Johnston, Clifford Maness, Murray Perrigan, William R. Stanifer, John L. Wilson, W. A. Temple.

CORDELL HULL: United States Secretary of State under President Franklin Roosevelt (1933). United States Senator from Tennessee; Tennessee state judge and United States Representative.

HUBERT H. HUMPHREY CHAPTER

DETROIT COLLEGE OF LAW, DETROIT, MICHIGAN March 18, 1978.

CHARTER MEMBERS: Bryan A. Sunisloe, Bruce D. Beota, Michael F. Macherzak, Richard G. Stunly, Robert J. Clair, Timothy P. MacArthur, Kerry L. Morgan, Joseph McCarthy Jr., Paul Keppler, Michael P. Simkow, Elizabeth A. Burt, Paul Aaron Isby, (Partial listing, not all signatures were decipherable).

HUBERT H. HUMPHREY: United States Senator from Minnesota, Vice President of the United States.

JAMES IREDELL CHAPTER

CAMPBELL UNIVERSITY SCHOOL OF LAW, BUIES CREEK, NORTH CAROLINA May 18, 1979

CHARTER MEMBERS: William Edward Musselwhite, Marcia Ann Powell Pitts, James Wilton Musselwhite, Harold Franklin Askins, Ross Maurice Holland, Jr., Lex Allen Watson III, Charles R. Hardee, J. Thomas West, John Stacey Hair, Jr., Margaret Rose Scott, Robert L. Freeman, Jr., Marilyn Jean Calhoun, William Alan Druschel, Robert E. Dillow, Jr., Warren Randolph Carter, Jr., Edmond William Caldwell, Jr., James Michael Brown, Perry Safrar, John Mack Harris, Charles Glasgow Butts, Jr., William B. Sutton, Jr., Fred P. Flynt III, Dwight Wesley Snow, David George White, N. Alan Bennett, Patti Owen Harper, Richard Boyd Harper, Laura Sue Burgess, Dave Gantt .

JAMES IREDELL: Appointed by President Washington to the United States Supreme Court at the age of thirty-eight, the youngest member of that court at the time. Previously served as Attorney General of North Carolina.

ROBERT H. JACKSON CHAPTER

RUTGERS UNIVERSITY-NEWARK, NEWARK, NEW JERSEY May 18, 1955.

CHARTER MEMBERS: Sanford Gallanter, Thomas H. Maher, Robert E. Personette, Warent T. Collins, Harold J. Ashby, John Arrigo, Samuel H. McDeown, Lewis Stein, Irving Ostrow, Alan Krumholz, Karl A. Meuse, Richard H. Thiele, Jr., John W. Hayden, Jr., Henry J. Wnukowski, Richard J. Holton, Arthur D. Lerner, Harry Reichner, Daniel Golden.

ROBERT H. JACKSON: Justice, United States Supreme Court (1941); Solicitor General (1938) and Attorney General (1940) of the United States. Chief Counsel for Nuremberg War Crimes trial.

JOHN JAY CHAPTER

GEORGE WASHINGTON UNIVERSITY, WASHINGTON, D.C. June 5, 1920

CHARTER MEMBERS: Brantly C. Harris, John D. Watkins, Arthur Van Meter, Bert Van Moss, Frank L. Yates, Whitley P. McCoy, William Saulsbury, Alvin J. Barnhart, Samuel W. Lacy, Ellis W. Manning, Floyd B. Mathias, D. Malcolm Hodge, Ernest R. Williamson, Bolon B. Turner, Francis M. Blehr, Ralph S. Scott, W. Irving Cleveland, Kenneth B. Collings, Paul J. Guinther, William Walter Braham, Raymond S. Davis, Robert E. Morgan, Ross M. Nichols, Lawrence B. Hays, Earle W. Wallick, Thomas Y. Clark, William T. French, Edwin C. Bosworth, Olaf W. Osnes.

JOHN JAY: Governor of New York; Secretary of Foreign Affairs and President of the Continental Congress. First Supreme Court Justice of the United States.

THOMAS JEFFERSON CHAPTER

UNIVERSITY OF VIRGINIA, CHARLOTTESVILLE, VIRGINIA March 26, 1910

CHARTER MEMBERS: Chauncey D. Ferguson, William E. French, George R. Greis, Isaac R. McQueen, Alphonso C. Philpotts, Charles K. Seaman, Jr., Gaston A. Shumate, Jr., William M. Storm, Lloyd M. Robinette

THOMAS JEFFERSON: Third President of the United States; Author of Declaration of Independence; founder of the University of Virginia.

BARBARA C. JORDAN CHAPTER

THURGOOD MARSHALL SCHOOL OF LAW, TEXAS SOUTHERN UNIVERSITY
HOUSTON, TEXAS December 6, 1969
(Originally chartered as Richard Theodore Greener Chapter on December 6, 1969).

CHARTER MEMBERS: [Greener chapter] Robert Anderson, James Bullock, Earl Carl, Gordon Cooper, John L. Crump, Jethro Currie, Theodore J. Fuller, Jr., Jesse R. Funchess, Marvin B. Garner, Harrison M. Gregg, Jr., Charles D. Johnson, Thurman L. Johnson, Jr., Curtis J. Lacy, Albert M. Lehrman, Curtis Allen McDonald, Jr., Kermit Charles Morrison, Jr.

BARBARA C. JORDAN: Member, United States Congress, Texas State Senator, Professor at the Lyndon B. Johnson School of Public Affairs, University of Texas at Austin.

BENITO JUAREZ CHAPTER

UNIVERSITY OF CALIFORNIA AT DAVIS, SCHOOL OF LAW,
DAVIS, CALIFORNIA February 26, 1972

CHARTER MEMBERS: Gordon S. Baranco, Gerrit Jan Buddingh, William Lewis Henson, Kenneth G. Peterson, Elisabeth C. Brandt, Mark Ira Siegel, Tyler Paul Berding, Blair Wilbur Hoffman, Roger K. Masuda, William Daniel Thomas, Leroy H. Lewis, Geoffrey E. Worstell, Harry Freeman Miller, Darryl Eugene Crompton, Theodore Scott Park, Alycia Simmons, William James, David Barber, Richard H. Moss, J. Philip Eves.

BENITO JUAREZ: Patriot of Mexican Revolution. President of Mexico. A lawyer, he greatly assisted the poor and downtrodden.

WILLIAM ALBERT KEENER CHAPTER

EMORY UNIVERSITY, ATLANTA, GEORGIA May 7, 1927

CHARTER MEMBERS: Aubrey F. Folts, Wayman E. Cobb, David E. McMaster, Jr., Marion Williamson, Francis Y. Fife, Joseph L. Anthony, John G. Fulwood, Charles J. Hansen, Robert Carpenter, Hamilton B. Stephens, William C. Wilson, Glenn McAllen Elliott, Emil J. Clower, W. H. H. Jones, William E. Vinson, Jr., Carville D. Benson, Devereaux F. McClatchey, J. Quillian Maxwell.

WILLIAM ALBERT KEENER: Lawyer, educator, and author - Dean, Columbia Law School (1891); Judge, Supreme Court of New York (1901).

WILLIAM J. KENEALY CHAPTER

BOSTON COLLEGE OF LAW-NEWTON CENTRE, BOSTON, MASSACHUSETTS ... April 26, 1974

CHARTER MEMBERS: Windell R. Wylie, Jr., Thomas R. Vlentie, Mitchele von Kelsch, William Bowler, Dennis M. Reznick, Fredric J. Coolbroth, Thomas A. Connors, Louis P. Aloise, James F. Landley, Dennis J. Baker, Kenneth R. Woods, Margaret B. Halley.

WILLIAM J. KENEALY: First Dean of Boston College Law School.

FRANK ROWE KENISON CHAPTER

FRANKLIN PIERCE LAW CENTER, CONCORD, NEW HAMPSHIRE May 17, 1974
(Originally chartered as Page Chapter on May 17, 1974)

CHARTER MEMBERS: Not available at time of printing.

FRANK ROWE KENISON: Justice of the New Hampshire Supreme Court.

JOHN F. KENNEDY CHAPTER

HOFSTRA UNIVERSITY SCHOOL OF LAW, HEMPSTEAD, NEW YORK November 6, 1976

CHARTER MEMBERS: Laurence M. Stern, Joan McNichol, Nancy E. Gold, Elizabeth Guerin, William A. Cheeno, Joseph Covello, Steven Batoff, Mark Birnbaum, David Lustic, Donna Ross, Richard Lazarus, Merrie S. Frankel, Stuart Bass, Judith Ann Livingston, James Coffman, Alan Pelikow, Gregg Smith, Kathy Rosenthal.

JOHN F. KENNEDY: President of the United States (1961-1963), United States Senator and Representative from Massachusetts.

JAMES KENT CHAPTER

UNIVERSITY OF IDAHO, MOSCOW, IDAHO May 25, 1914
(Chapter name later changed to William E. Borah upon petition of members. This Chapter should not be confused with the original Kent Chapter at Kent College of Law in Chicago which was one of the original chapters of Lambda Epsilon Fraternity and which lost its identity when the law school was merged with Chicago College of Law and the Fraternity chapter was merged with Blackstone Chapter)

CHARTER MEMBERS: Russell G. Adams, Arthur O. Sutton, Don Maxwell Buffington, S. Harry McAdams, Paul T. Peterson, Isaac Edwin McDougall, John H. McEvers, Charles E. Horning, John L. Phillips, W. W. Casey, Jr., Arthur S. Jardine.

JAMES KENT: Chief Justice, Court of New York; Member of New York Legislature; Professor of Law at Columbia University; author of noted "Commentaries on American Law".

MARTIN LUTHER KING, JR. CHAPTER

VILLANOVA UNIVERSITY LAW SCHOOL, VILLANOVA, PENNSYLVANIA February 11, 1999

CHARTER MEMBERS: Jay B. Jones, Mark Beauce, J. P. Fenningham, T. Benjamin Traud, Roger J. Harrington, Mike Regan, Michael F. Gerber, Mike Coghlan, Amy Janssen, Steve Sheldon, Robin Campbell, Rich Bauer, Alex Kasendorf, Jenna Dovick, Angela Coll, Tom Molica, Jennifer Kramer, James Lloyd, Ross Antonacci, Jeremy Lieb Derek, Mary Ann Jordan, Dana Fraytak, Josh Van Naarden, Karryn Rodrigues, Robby Poet, Kim Bourassa, Gary Leash, Brent Lewis, Tim Bowers, Brian Edlin, Kelly Lavelle.

MARTIN LUTHER KING, JR.: Recipient of the Nobel Peace Prize. Noted civil rights leader who strived for full citizenship rights of the poor and disadvantaged. He organized the 1963 "March on Washington" where he delivered his brilliant "I have a Dream" speech.

PHILANDER C. KNOX CHAPTER

UNIVERSITY OF ARIZONA, TUCSON, ARIZONA May 20, 1923

CHARTER MEMBERS: Elbert R. Thurman, Edward Timothy Cuisick, Ora David Latham, James Thomas Gentry, Riney B. Salmon, Bonsall Noon, William C. Fields, Lesley B. Allen, Lawrence L. Howe, Walter Cheers, W. Fenimore Cooper, Frank E. Paige, Thomas H. Sills, Robert D. Crowe, Harry Lee Ellis, James Sadler McCall, Lynn D. Smith, William Lane, Thomas Elliott, Ralph Forch, Rouland W. Hill.

PHILANDER CHASE KNOX: United States Senator from Pennsylvania; Attorney General of the United States; Secretary of State for United States under President William H. Taft.

J. HARRY LaBRUM CHAPTER

UNIVERSITY OF BALTIMORE SCHOOL OF LAW, BALTIMORE, MARYLAND January 19, 1973

CHARTER MEMBERS: R. David Ayres, Jr., Bruce M. Barret, John P. Bernard, Tony Bruce, Joseph John Castoro, Charles E. Creager, Samuel Brengle Dolcimakolo, Gary E. Dwoskin, Paul B. Essex, Thomas Oliver Evans, William R. Evans, Nathaniel C. Fick, Jr., David L. Hill, Nicholas Lee Gounaris, Maurice B. Gralla, Joseph Guida, Daniel Garvin Hall, Chuck Herdener, Fred P. Heyser, Bernard F. Higgins, John F. Gossart, Jr., William C. Hookham, James Peery Hurt, Jr., O. L. Jaeckel, James W. Johnston, Robert F. Kellow, Robert S. Klingebiel, Douglas G. Logan, Donald R. Lorrelli, Frank Ebaugh Mason, Jr., Alan J. Misler, C. Philip Nichols, Charles B. Phucas, Stuart Philip Poston, James Milton Stewart, Jr., Linda L. Tanton, David L. Wood, Jr., Joseph Richard Yeaman, George LaRay Morgan.

J. HARRY LaBRUM: Supreme Justice of Phi Alpha Delta from 1938 to 1946. General in U.S. Army during World War II.

ROBERT MARION LAFOLLETTE CHAPTER

MARQUETTE UNIVERSITY, MILWAUKEE, WISCONSIN May 15, 1966

CHARTER MEMBERS: Howard Conkey, Edwin W. Conmey, Patrick J. Dixon, William J. Dunaj, William R. Drew, Daniel H. Eberhardt, Daniel E. Ekkebus, John P. FitzMaurice, Perry H. Friesler, Thomas G. Hertzler, Donald J. Jacquart, Daniel J. Karempelis, Martin J. Kurzer, Wallace A. MacBain, Philip A. McDonald, John D. Murray, Richard A. Perkins, Galen Wayne Pittman, Clifford J. Sabol, George Ellsworth Shoup, Jr., Russell R. Stepke, William G. Stiedmann, Frank P. Vella, Jr., James C. Wood, Neal M. Yampol.

ROBERT M. LA FOLLETTE: United States Senator from Wisconsin; Governor of Wisconsin; youngest member of the forty-ninth United States Congress.

FIORELLO HENRY LaGUARDIA CHAPTER

BROOKLYN LAW SCHOOL, BROOKLYN, NEW YORK January 30, 1997
(Originally chartered as Nu Chapter of Phi Delta Delta on May 7, 1922)

CHARTER MEMBERS (Nu Chapter): Edwiene Schmit, Adelaida Artola, Madeline W. VanDine, Eleanor L. Curnow, Helen T. Wise, Amelia P. Dietrich, Ione Weber.

(LaGuardia Chapter - January 30, 1997): Dean M. Slade, Jackie Scarcella, Jeannie G. Lopez, Wendy E. Levy, Sander N. Rothchild, Eric T. Kreici, Damian K. Steele, Gregory J. Kozlowski, Gaby Sherrow, Craig L. Price, Lisa Fillpot,

Ana Ramirez, Steven P. Zinno, Scott O'Malia, Matthew Kaminer, Marshall A. Mintz, Robert G. Abruzzino, Booth Dickinson.

FIORELLO HENRY LaGUARDIA: Mayor of New York City.

L.Q.C. LAMAR CHAPTER

UNIVERSITY OF MISSISSIPPI, OXFORD, MISSISSIPPI June 1, 1929.

CHARTER MEMBERS: Francis Hold Montgomery, Wilton Charles Thomas, John Reed Edwards, David Cottrell, Jr., Thomas Buford Rowland, Hugh Newton Clayton, Leonard Micajah Simmons, Claude Feemster Clayton, Jesse Harold Graham, Cary Stovall, Charles Bramlett Roberts, Henry Adrian Coleman, Henry Hilbrun, Jr., George Payne Cossar, Ralph Criss, Jr., Willis McIlwain, Joseph Pleasant McCain, Kenneth Douglass Horton, Robertson Horton, Ernest Lafayette Shelton, Jr., Story Lowery Fortenberry.

LUCIUS QUINTUS CINCINNATUS LAMAR: Associate Justice, United States Supreme Court (1888); United States Senator from Mississippi; served in Secession Convention of Mississippi and drafted the Ordinance of Secession.

JOHN MERCER LANGSTON CHAPTER

HOWARD UNIVERSITY, WASHINGTON, D.C. November 19, 1966

CHARTER MEMBERS: Barry C. Anderson, Robert Archie, Isaac R. Barfield, B. Mahlon Brown, James E. Brown, Carl O. Callender, Harry H. Chaifetz, Elwood H. Chisolm, William A. Derrick, Jr., Robert T. Flynn, JeRoyd W. Greene, Jr., Ronald C. Griffin, Douglas M. Grimes, William H. Harris, Jr., Leonard N. Henderson, Lloyd D. Iglehart, Jr., Wilbur H. Jenkins, Jr., John W. King, Joel A. Kobert, Melvin I. Kramer, Jay E. Lebenkoff, Walter J. Leonard, Althea A. Lester, W. Angelo McGants, Jr., Clarence V. McKee, Jr., Richard B. Moore, Charles E. Morgan, Ronald W. Morrison, Joseph E. Morse, John M. Newsome, Kellis E. Parker, James W. Peaco, Jr., William R. Powell, LeRoy Randolph, Jr., Thomas H. Queen, Spottswood W. Robinson, IV, Walter T.G. Rounds, Joseph L. Russell, Barry M. Spiegel, Thomas D. Taylor, George Thomas, Jr., Herman G. Thompson, Togo D. West, Jr., Richard C. White, Jesse W. Woods, Jr., Stephen R. Zalkind.

JOHN MERCER LANGSTON: Founder of Howard University School of Law; President of Howard University; United States Minister to Haiti; United States Representative from Virginia.

JOHN D. LAWSON CHAPTER

UNIVERSITY OF MISSOURI, COLUMBIA, MISSOURI January 9, 1909

CHARTER MEMBERS: Gustavus H. Boehm, R.S. Cole, Charles W. Dickey, Patrick J. Doyle, Don M. Hunt, Fred P. Lieuallen, Harold T. Lincoln, James A. McCollum, Osmund Halsler, Charles J. Shoop, Orville Zimmerman.

JOHN DAVISON LAWSON: Dean, University of Missouri School of Law (1903-1916).

ABRAHAM LINCOLN CHAPTER

JOHN MARSHALL LAW SCHOOL, CHICAGO, ILLINOIS April 12, 1953

CHARTER MEMBERS: Newton Hacker, Mitchell L. Stevens, Sid Gold, Rufus C. Akern, William A. Jaskula, William E. Maier, Joseph V. Moschetti, Edward D. Rosenberg.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN: Lawyer, Politician, Statesman-sixteenth President of the United States.

ROBERT LIVINGSTON CHAPTER

COLUMBIA UNIVERSITY, NEW YORK, NEW YORK May 31, 1916.

CHARTER MEMBERS: Sylvanus Martin Thomas, Kimball C. Atwood, Jr., Theodore Stephen Jewett, James Franklin Gilkinson, Frederick William Conrad Girdner, Jake Ormand Rhyne, David A. Embury, Hugo Swan, Edward Clay Lake, Duane R. Dills, Douglas Robinson Gray, Adrian Lee Foley, Eugene Joseph Noyes, Eugene Arthur Scherpich, Charles Putnam Buckley, Ransford Crouse Marscher, Herman Nichols Harcourt, Herman Ellis Nichols.

ROBERT LIVINGSTON: Early American patriot. Strong supporter of American Revolution and leader of New York initial delegations in helping to form American system of government.

KARL N. LLEWELLYN CHAPTER

LEWIS AND CLARK COLLEGE NORTHWESTERN SCHOOL OF LAW

PORTLAND, OREGON April 29, 1972

(Chapter originally chartered as the James F. Byrnes Chapter. The chapter name was changed upon petition of the chapter members, some of whom objected to some opinions of Mr. Justice Byrnes while he was a member of the Supreme Court of the United States. Mentschikoff Chapter at the University of St. Thomas in Miami, Florida is named after his wife, the only instance of such an occurrence in the history of the Fraternity)

CHARTER MEMBERS: Joseph C. Abbott, Bradford J. Aspell, Milton Blouke, Robert F. Brandon, William George Cobb, Martin Faveluke, Robert L. Fulkerson, Edwin D. Harris, Sue J. Jordan, William J. Knudsen Jr., John Edward LaVeille, Stephen C. Lewis, John P. Lydick, Steven L. Michels, Richard A. Morgan, Lynn M. Hyrick, Roy Y. Nihe, James Patrick O’Neal, Richard Parker, Pamela Rossano, James R. Shartel, Thomas J. Sherwin, Eugene C. Tish, Marc Edward Warner, Yosef Yacob.

KARL N. LLEWELLYN: Professor of Law, author of important treatise on Uniform Commercial Code.

ALLARD LOWENSTEIN CHAPTER

YESHIVA UNIVERSITY, CARDOZO SCHOOL OF LAW, NEW YORK, NEW YORK .. May 6, 1980

CHARTER MEMBERS: Elissa Buchman, Steven B. Cohen, Renee F. Frank, Jo-Ann Weil Fox, Susan Friedman, Lloyd A. Katz, Stuart B. Keller, Lisa J. Kristal, Jayson L. Lutzky, Neil Moldovan, Nathan, M. Schulman, Scott A. Steinberg.

ALLARD LOWENSTEIN: United States Congressman in the 91st Congress. Special Assistant to U.S. Senator Frank P. Graham in 1949 and to U. S. Senator Hubert Humphrey in 1959. Law Professor.

HORACE H. LURTON CHAPTER

VANDERBILT UNIVERSITY, NASHVILLE, TENNESSEE May 14, 1921

CHARTER MEMBERS: Everett C. Pringle, Homer B. Frater, Paul H. Luten, J. I. Mann, Jr., John A. Thomas, William Daniel Bottrell, Poe Webster Maddox, William J. Woods, R. D. Hudson, James M. Jennings, Jr., Earl S. Rodgers, Myron T. Nailing, Colin B. McKinney, Ronald Voss.

HORACE H. LURTON: Associate Justice, United States Supreme Court; Chief Justice, Supreme Court of Tennessee; Judge; United States Court of Appeals for Sixth Circuit.

HALL S. LUSK CHAPTER

WILLAMETTE UNIVERSITY SCHOOL OF LAW, SALEM, OREGON March 29, 1981
(Originally chartered as the Upsilon Chapter of Phi Delta Delta on May 29, 1924)

CHARTER MEMBERS: [Reinstallation members] Clarice J. Barzee, Janet Ann Bucholz, Cynthia L. Bunker, Gilbert C. Doles, Debra A. Dominski, Bradley Doucette, C. David Eyster, L. Jane Hummel, Gary Quigley, Shereen P. Ricoy, Velda M. Rogers, William E. Schireman, Trent Whitford.

HALL S. LUSK: Justice of the Oregon Supreme Court. United States Senator.

JOHN A. MacDONALD CHAPTER

UNIVERSITY OF LONDON, WINDSOR FACULTY OF LAW,
ONTARIO, CANADA March 14, 1969

CHARTER MEMBERS: Avrom W. Brown, Paul M. Champagne, Roger L. Clark, David A. Crowe, Gregory T. Evans, Jr., Gordon T. Gardner, Nicholas P. G. Kapelos, William E. Kelly, Walter N. Lalka, Paul H. Macklin, Hugh C. Mitchell, Robert D. Mullen, John F. O'Donnell, Donald F. Sayles, Juha Simes, William B. Stead, Robert B. Wilson, Thomas G. Zuber.

JOHN A. MacDONALD: Elected as Canada's first Prime Minister in 1867; credited with bringing together all divergent factions in Canada.

BERTHA MacLEAN CHAPTER

NEW ENGLAND SCHOOL OF LAW, BOSTON, MASSACHUSETTS March 11, 1974
[Originally chartered as Eta Chapter of Phi Delta Delta Law Fraternity at Portia Law School, a law school for women. Later Portia Law School become co-educational and was renamed the New England School of Law]

CHARTER MEMBERS (Eta Chapter): Hazel Currrnane, Theresa M. Nelligan, Ethel R. Miller, Neva C. Holden, Ebba H. Johnson, Berta R. MacLean. (MacLean Charter Members): Barbara Morgen, Joan Kupersmith, William B. Parnell, Steven P. Leven, Joanne Kostiw, Deborah Kramm, Michael O'Reilly, Shelly Stuart, Martha R. Reeves, Steven M. Rasere, Richard C. Pierce, Deborah Hunicke, Robert J. DiLibero, Jim P. Vozekas, William R. Nusbaum, James F. Stomber, Jr., Martin S. Rothkopf, Nancy bunting, Dennis Russak, Linda Coffin, Jeffery Ontell, Sam Schoenfeld, Lawrence J. Dreyfuss, Patrice Anne Toland Ronald Saffner, Sarah M. Hawkins.

BERTHA MacLEAN: Charter member of Eta Chapter, Professor of Law at and later Dean of the New England School of Law.

JAMES MADISON CHAPTER

ROGER WILLIAMS UNIVERSITY SCHOOL OF LAW, BRISTOL, RHODE ISLAND

Petition received April 2, 1998 (date of actual chartering not in fraternity records).

CHARTER MEMBERS: Cindy Rose DeMarco, Everett R. Gray, Jr., Donna M. Gamache, Gregory S. Kimmel, Krista Lundborg, Joseph Simon, Eugene G. Gallant, Jr., Mark Vessichio, Tracy Lyons, Joy Noelle Sivo, Christopher T. Millea, Alfonso J. Ugarte, Jr., Richard D. Rapallo, Barbara C. Garcia, Marlee James Buckson.

JAMES MADISON: President of the United States; principal drafter of the Constitution of the United States; author of the first ten amendments to the Constitution (Bill of Rights).

BENJAMIN D. MAGRUDER CHAPTER

UNIVERSITY OF ILLINOIS, URBANA, ILLINOIS March 11, 1904
(Installed jointly with Ryan Chapter, at Chicago, Illinois, on March 11, 1904.)

CHARTER MEMBERS: Ulysses G. Ward, Andrew E. Tracey, LeRoy Kershaw, Bartlett S. Gray, George M. Clendenin, Cloyd E. Keith, Richard P. Vickrage, Glen J. Cameron, Albert B. Cessna.

BENJAMIN D. MAGRUDER: Associate Justice, Illinois Supreme Court (1885).

JOHN MARSHALL CHAPTER

UNIVERSITY OF CHICAGO, CHICAGO, ILLINOIS November 20, 1902

CHARTER MEMBERS: William Rudolph Kearcher, William George Bopp, Charles N. Cadwell, William Haines Fielding, John C. Witt, Verne Adrian McGeorge, Leo Kline, Alden Rhodes Hicks.

JOHN MARSHALL: Chief Justice of the United States.

FRANCIS XAVIER MARTIN CHAPTER

TULANE UNIVERSITY, NEW ORLEANS, LOUISIANA December 13, 1924

CHARTER MEMBERS: Louis Henry Burns, Clancy A. Latham, Samuel J. Tennant, Jr., Val. J. Stentz, James A. Condon, Arthur Alexander de la Houssaye, Louis H. Gosserand, Rene A. Viosca, John Edmond Singrenn, Wayne Soule Stovall, Lester J. Lautenschlaeger, James Warren Richardson, Henry Warmoth Robinson, Edouard F. Henriques, Wynne Grey Rogers, Harry F. Stiles, Jr., J. Olin Chamberlin, John Lemuel Toler, Charles A. O'Neill, Eugene Weber Williamson, James Valentine Egan Irion, Walker Brainerd Spencer, Jr., S. Schwing Kiblinger.

FRANCIS XAVIER MARTIN: Chief Justice, Louisiana Supreme Court; first Attorney General of the State; United States District Judge of Mississippi Territory (1809). Noted for his learned reconciliation of the conflicting systems of Roman Law and English Common Law.

GEORGE MASON CHAPTER

GEORGE MASON UNIVERSITY SCHOOL OF LAW,
ARLINGTON, VIRGINIA January 28, 1973

CHARTER MEMBERS: Suzanne Lewis, Roland E. Long, Marla Radinsky, Jason E. McNutt, Fatemeh Mojallali, Allan T. Hjolland, Nancy E. McElwain, Herbertia Vencil Williams, Jean E. Male, John A. Jackson, Amy M. Heerink, Juan Cornejo, Ray Christian Witter, Krista Ernst, Maurice Ortega, Karenne Kuehm, Kristen A. Cervino, Laura Fraedrich.

GEORGE MASON: Early American Law Professor having Thomas Jefferson among his students. Political advisor and author of many of first American statutes and documents. Delegate to the Constitutional Convention of 1787. Author of the Virginia Declaration of Rights (Which served as the foundation of the American Bill of Rights).

PAUL J. McCORMICK CHAPTER

UNIVERSITY OF SAN DIEGO, SAN DIEGO, CALIFORNIA May 12, 1962

CHARTER MEMBERS: George C. Allen, Nicholas C. Banche, Victor E. Bianchini, Frank Cancino, Harold R. T. Carter, Stewart L. Carse, O. E. Estes, Gerald A. Falbo, Richard Winston Fleming, Roy H. Gann, Steinthor J. Gudmunds, Alexander A. Harper, John B. Henderson, Glenn M. Hayden, H. Walker Jordan, Herbert Katz, Richard K Livett, David A. Mario, William M. McCarty, Gerald L. McMahan, Nelson M. Millsberg, Thomas F. Murray, Charles Alan Peyser, Anthony J. Piazza, Vincent J. Fossini, John R. Russell, Dennis P. Schmidt.

PAUL J. McCORMICK: Chief Judge, United States District Court for the Southern District of California: Judge, Superior Court of Los Angeles.

KENNETH DOUGLAS McKELLAR CHAPTER

MEMPHIS STATE UNIVERSITY, MEMPHIS, TENNESSEE May 28, 1966

CHARTER MEMBERS: Michael B. Cavish, Jr., Arthur J. Crowns, Jr., William M. Gotten, Thomas Jaggendorf, John Konnerth, Zane Leshner, Richard P. McCully, David M. Nitschke, William Parton, Charles Shuffield, Robert E. Steinhilber, Thomas A. Stroud, John W. Vaughn, III, Ben O. Weeks, Jr., Kenneth L. Wildes.

KENNETH DOUGLAS McKELLAR: United States Senator from Tennessee (six terms); United States Representative (1911-1916).

JOSEPH McKENNA CHAPTER

UNIVERSITY OF CALIFORNIA AT LOS ANGELES,
LOS ANGELES, CALIFORNIA May 15, 1951

CHARTER MEMBERS: Warren Sikora, Howard Culpepper, James W. Baldwin, J. Perry Langford, Stanley M. Lourimore, Sanford M. Ehrmann, Robert M. Schreiber, Kent L. DeChambeau, Edward B. Smith, Clarence R. Cook, Jr., James Fernandes, Miles B. Larson, Victor M. Epport, Marvin H. Lewis, Glen Robert Miller, Charles R. Barnes, William R. Miller.

JOSEPH McKENNA: Associate Justice, United States Supreme Court (1898-1925); United States Attorney General under President McKinley; United States Representative; Judge, United States Court of Appeals.

WILLIAM McKINLEY CHAPTER

OHIO STATE UNIVERSITY, COLUMBUS, OHIO April 23, 1921

CHARTER MEMBERS: Edwin B. Pierce, Raymond A. Younger, Carl F. Allebaugh, Ralph E. Marburger, Alfred M. Barlow, Horace S. Keifer, Markley Frankham, Ralph E. Weaver, Forrest E. Weinrich, Elden R. Young.

WILLIAM McKINLEY: Twenty-fifth President of the United States; United States Representative from Ohio (seven terms); Governor of Ohio.

JOHN B. McMANUS, JR. CHAPTER

UNIVERSITY OF NEW MEXICO SCHOOL OF LAW,
ALBUQUERQUE, NEW MEXICO November 6, 1987

CHARTER MEMBERS: Marguerite Caminnski, Allen Gerlach, Candace J. Welch, Mark A. Basham, Loretta Berman, Dan Pick, Marilyn Gladebenaklee, Loures Monserrat- Newton, Roxana Prelo, Jim Givens, Katherine C. Werner, Cheely Moberly, Victor E. Valde, Manuel Liceno, Karen K. Wright, Linda DeKornbacker, Karen James, Susan Hardren, (Partial listing).

JOHN B, McMANUS, JR: Justice of New Mexico Supreme Court.

JAMES CLARK McREYNOLDS CHAPTER

UNIVERSITY OF TENNESSEE, KNOXVILLE, TENNESSEE May 25, 1916

CHARTER MEMBERS: Raymond Hoff Seagle, John Fred Bibb, Eubert Harrison Malone, John Randall Eagle, John Lynch Davis, Jr., William Van Dyke Ochs, Thomas Hubert Weatherford, Rupert Foster Davis, Niles Nesbit Warlick, Michael Condon Shea, Clifton Bedsloe Cates, Leo Ignaz Fanz, Alexander D. Cameron.

JAMES CLARK McREYNOLDS: Associate Justice, United States Supreme Court; United States Attorney General under Woodrow Wilson.

DAVID C. MECK CHAPTER

CLEVELAND-MARSHALL LAW SCHOOL, CLEVELAND, OHIO April 29, 1962

CHARTER MEMBERS: Julian Allen, James Brown, Richard Dunn, Arthur Heard, John Heaslip, Robert Hisnay, Dewi Kahan, Melvin Kahle, Jr., Norman Kamen, Gary Kazdin, Richard Dlein, Jerry Kraig, Fred J. Kreiner, David S. Lake, John Liwosz, Philip Loftus, Joseph Lynch, Richard Martinez, Robert Morris, Jr., Milton Oppenheim, G. Martin Portner, Sheldon Rabb, Donald Radman, Jonathan Rocker, John Ramanchik, Shia Shapiro, Marvin D. Silver, Barnett Task, Michael Thal, Lester T. Tolt, Joseph A. Walick, Frederick Waugh, Marshall Winer, Erwin Zaretsky, Howard Oleck, William Samdre, Milton Wilson, Ellis V. Rippner, Joseph Patchan, M. H. Levitt, Manurl Rocker, Edwin Brush, Julian Kahan, George Plavac.

DAVID C. MECK: Dean, John Marshall School of Law; Judge, Municipal Court of Cleveland.

SOIA MENTSCHIKOFF CHAPTER

UNIVERSITY OF SAINT THOMAS SCHOOL OF LAW, MIAMI, FLORIDA May 5, 1988

CHARTER MEMBERS: John C. Austin, Howard J. Sparler, Marla Mehaffey, Modesto Abelairas, Victor C. Aslanian, Kristine Berryer, Arlene F. Lamb, Timothy Foster, June M. Clarkson, Grace I. Giadiz, Deena Lynn Gans, Jenny Lynn Hebert, John D. Bruhn, Lisa Stillman, Pamela M. Dixon, Evelyn Grey, Iamael A. Martinez, Douglas G. Clancy

SOIA MENTSCHIKOFF: Law Professor, Dean of Law School. Aided in the drafting of the Uniform Commercial Code. (Llewelyn Chapter at the Lewis and Clark University Law School in Portland, Oregon is named after her husband, the only husband and wife team so honored by Phi Alpha Delta.)

ARTHUR MIDDLETON CHAPTER

WESTERN NEW ENGLAND COLLEGE OF LAW, SPRINGFIELD, MASSACHUSETTS April 28, 1974

CHARTER MEMBERS: Thomas A. Bridges, Henry J. Meyers, William Marshall, Kenneth J. Hanka, John W. Welch, Michael J. Casterczk, Michael S. Strawn, Francis J. Leddy, Jr., Mark Kolber, Daniel J. Duncan, Murray F. Henner, Thomas J. Connelly, Mary C. Stuart, Steven L. Barns, Donald Street.

ARTHUR MIDDLETON: Member of the Continental Congress; Signer of the Declaration of Independence; Acting Governor of South Carolina; South Carolina Senator.

WILLIAM MITCHELL CHAPTER

UNIVERSITY OF MINNESOTA, MINNEAPOLIS, MINNESOTA June 10, 1922

CHARTER MEMBERS: Thomas McKinley McCabe, James Lyman Hetland, John Webster Ahlen, Arthur Matthew Carlson, Arthur McLeod Clure, Russell Howard Ewing, Avery William Gilkerson, Milton Ira Holst, John H. Hougen, Elmer Charles Jesnsen, Alvin Roswell Johanson, Allaen Vern Junkin, John Joseph Kelly, Harold Ferdinand Kumm, Leonard Otto Langer, Guy Everett McClure, Robert Glynn Manley, Perry R. Moore, Thomas Blair Mouer, Joseph Roland Pratt, Philip N. Snodgrass, Henry L. Soderquist, Erwin Paul Van Buren, George Bennett Wiggins, Wilfred Wendell Wiggins, Harold Wright.

WILLIAM MITCHELL: Associate Justice, Minnesota Supreme Court; Judge, Third Judicial District; County Attorney; State Legislator.

JAMES MONROE CHAPTER

HAMLIN UNIVERSITY SCHOOL OF LAW, SAINT PAUL, MINNESOTA May 24, 1975

CHARTER MEMBERS: Lewis Berstein, Herbert G. Israel, M. Z. O. Bradley, IV, Joan Beth Knox, Arthur B. Crush, III, Rodney O. Larson, Michael H. Dorsky, Paulette- Gail Lassig, Archie W. Foor, III, Patrick W. Ledhray, Fredrick James Gray, Allan Drew Morris, William A. Hansen, Lowell Y. Nelson, Steven L. Nordquist, Thomas Henry Penke, Donald E. Ruff, Paul Scherman, Anthony J. Steven, Mark Dennis Tousignant.

JAMES MONROE: President of the United States. Member of the Continental Congress. Governor of Virginia, United States Senator, Minister to France and to England, Secretary of State under President Madison.

THOMAS MORE CHAPTER

CREIGHTON UNIVERSITY, OMAHA, NEBRASKA March 30, 1950

CHARTER MEMBERS: Henry F. Bristowe, Donald J. Morbach, John J. Borer, Jr., George P. Burke, John Clement Burke, Robert Vincent Burkhard, John Paul Churchman, Harry B. Cohen, Eugene Joseph Connor, Harry Vernon Cownie, James J. Diesing, Jack Dixon, Louis K. Freiberg, Brian Ernie Gardner, James Edward Greene, Roy Robert Hamilton, Yale Joseph Kaplan, Donald Leo Knowles, Charles J. Kudlacz, Paul Elsworth LeClair, Richard Keene Ludden, James Lee Macken, Patrick J. McCarthy, Winsor C. Moore, John Joseph Moran, Walter Gerald Nelson, Daniel Bernand O'Brien, Jr., Timothy Daniel Sullivan, Maynard Samuel Telpner, William Gerald Tracy.

THOMAS MORE: Lord Chancellor of England; martyred by beheading upon orders of King Henry VIII when he refused to acknowledge Henry as "Supreme Head of the Church of England". Canonized in 1935.

JOHN TYLER MORGAN CHAPTER

UNIVERSITY OF ALABAMA, TUSCALOOSA, ALABAMA April 28, 1922

CHARTER MEMBERS: William Pruette Beasley, Steve Warren Bailey, William Garner Block, Thomas Eugene Buntin, William Sanford Chalker, Leigh Mallet Clark, Ben Yancy Cooper, Henry Herbert Evans, Clifford Corbin Farmer, Jr., Fred Truwitt Farnell, Joseph Eugene Foster, Thomas Bowen Hill, Jr., Robert Winston Huddleston, Merwin Turner Koonce, Harvey Ethridge Page, John Charles Pearson, Eston Grady Pilcher, Walter Emmett Perry, Leo Harben Pou, James Moody Proctor, Albert Gordon Rives, Ralph Clifton Scott, Arthur Lawrence Shaw, John Jackson Sparkman, William Henry Thomas.

JOHN TYLER MORGAN: Lawyer, United States Senator, and Brigadier General in the Confederate States Army. Re-elected United States Senator (1876).

LUIS MUÑOZ-MORALES CHAPTER

INTER-AMERICAN UNIVERSITY SCHOOL OF LAW, SANTURCE, PUERTO RICO April 17, 1976

CHARTER MEMBERS: Jose R. Pares-Martinez, Luis F. Benero-Feliciano, Victor M. DeJesus-Gonzalez, Griselle Velez-Gonzalez, Eric Vega-Ramirez de Arellano, Luis E. Caban-Dsavils, Duncan Renaldo Maldonado, Victor M. Agrait-Dejillo, Aida L. Cruz-Oguendo, Angles R. Pudilla-Caceros, Raul Munoz-Gonzalez, Jorge E. Vega-Pacheco, Robert Rose, Milagros Riveria-Guadarrama, Julio C. Vega-Acosta, Berta Vergne-Arroyo, Carmen E. Gonzalez-Albertoria, Isabel Melendez-Altieri, Edgardo Rodrigoea-Lopez, William Knight-Bustamante, Pedro Maysonet-Gonzalez, Juan G. Nieves-Cassas, Emilio Perez-Omero, Angel M. Riveria-Munich, Raul J. Escudero, Carlos Declat-Jimenez, Georgina Davila-Altieri, Suima Suarez-Cestero, Dennis Velez-Barlucea, Victor Gratacos-Diaz, Evaristo M. Orrengo, Jr., Emilio Martinez-Valdes, Manuel Benito Martinez-Giraud, Ana Maria Montalvo, Antonio Ortiz-Viera, Rosabita Malare Pena, Pedro J. Gratacos-Diaz, Edwin Hernandez-Torros, Antonio Aheran Heribeato Soto-Lopez, Carmrlo Nazario-Otero, Jose A. Ortiz-Siraqusda, Lilliam Cabrera-Pla, Luis A. Arroyo-Santtiago, Awilda M. Beauchamp, Gabriel Montilla.

LUIS MUÑOZ-MORALES: Founder of one of the leading political parties in Puerto Rico.

FRANK MURPHY CHAPTER

UNIVERSITY OF DETROIT, DETROIT, MICHIGAN May 17, 1968

CHARTER MEMBERS: Lawrence G. Campbell, Thomas A. Kulick, Patrick E. Kowaleck, Ronald R. Fenwick, Edmund J. Sikorski, Jr., Victor A. Coen, Tom O'Brian, Allen Sultan, Frank M. Quinn, David C. Sloan, Gary Goodfriend, Gerald J. LaFave, Julian M. Levant, Neil A. McQuarrie, Joel Brown, Fred Foster.

FRANK MURPHY: Associate Justice, United States Supreme Court; United States Attorney General (1939); Governor of Michigan; Governor-General of the Philippine Islands.

PAULI MURRAY CHAPTER

CITY UNIVERSITY OF NEW YORK AT QUEENS COLLEGE, FLUSHING, NEW YORK May 19, 1987

CHARTER MEMBERS: Anne Marie Ward, Miguel Gonzalez, Ann Marie McCarthy, Todd G. Jamond, Lucia Vajillates, William Hightower, Robin Moses, John Herminer, Philip Nash, Albert Chin, (Partial listing-many signatures not decipherable-typed or printed list not available.)

PAULI MURRAY: Law Degree from Yale. Served in Workers Progress Administration during President F. D. Roosevelt Administration. Author of "States' Laws on Race and Color".

CHARLES A. O'NIELL CHAPTER

LOYOLA UNIVERSITY, NEW ORLEANS, LOUISIANA December 4, 1965

CHARTER MEMBERS: John Brooks, Maurice S. Cazaubon, Jr., L. Frank Chopin, Charles Denechaud III, Richard S. Derbes, Charles W. Dittmer, Jr., Hugh H. Doran, Jr., Lyman L. Jones, Jr., Robert J. Klees, David L. Levy, Frank A. Marullo, Jr., Eugene C. Pisano, Robert F. Pitard, Edward P. Seybold, Jr., Gerald P. Theriot, Joseph J. Wiegand, Jr.

CHARLES A. O'NIELL: Chief Justice, Louisiana Supreme Court; Judge, Louisiana State Court.

WILLIAM PATERSON CHAPTER

SETON HALL UNIVERSITY, NEWARK, NEW JERSEY May 7, 1964

CHARTER MEMBERS: Gaetano J. Alaino, Nicholas R. Amato, A. John Blake, Edward Borrone, Jr., Marvin H. Brainin, Malcolm V. Carton, Terence P. Corcoran, Leonard A. Coyle, Philip S. Summis, John F. Darcy, Gregory J. Domareki, Anthony M. DeFino, David B. Donnelly, Joseph G. Dooley, Jr., John Franconero, Joseph J. Galfy, Jr., Paul J. Gilblin, Barry D. Goldman, Clifford F. Griggs, Herbert A. Gross-Mueller, Stanley J. Gulkin, Robert C. Hespe, Patrick D. Healy, Daniel T. Heller, John E. Hughes, Jr., Stanley J. Kaezorowski, William S. Katchen, Joel L. Leibowitz, Aronld B. Levin, John F. McMahon, Stephen M. McCabe, Walter J. McManus, John E. Nemetz, Jr., John D. Methfessel, Matin F. Murphy, John T. Niccolai, Joseph E. Orwell, James C. Orr, Gilbert E. Oweren, John E. Patton, Stanley T. Perlowski, Frederick E. Popovitch, Dennis J. Quinn, Stephen Richard Ripps, Harold J. Ruvoldt, Jr., Joseph E. Shamy, Sheldon Simon, Stephen F. Smith, Jr., Joel M. Steinberg, Peter G. Stewart, John A. Sweeney, William J. Walsh, Jr., John P. Loftus, Thomas M. O'Loughlin.

WILLIAM PATERSON: Signer of the Constitution of the United States; United States Senator to the first Congress; New Jersey's second Governor (1790). Associate Justice, United States Supreme Court.

CLAUDE PEPPER CHAPTER

WIDENER UNIVERSITY SCHOOL OF LAW, HARRISBURG, PENNSYLVANIA April 27, 1990

CHARTER MEMBERS: Rima J. Fahl, Joseph A. McCluskey, Christian Davis, Stephen M. Hladik, Richard Scheib, Toby Renee Levin, Janet Rostkowski, Jacquelin S. Jacobs, George Mathew, Paige F. MacDonald, Lee J. Janiczek, K. Whitney Rogers, Wayne D. Zehr, Russell H. Shearer, Kim Anderson, Mark Cohen, John D. Denson, Karen J. Creasia.

CLAUDE DENSON PEPPER: United States Senator and Representative from Florida, a strong advocate for the poor and elderly. Recipient of the prestigious Tom C. Clark Award for Equal Justice Under Law from Phi Alpha Delta.

CHARLES COTESWORTH PINCKNEY CHAPTER

UNIVERSITY OF SOUTH CAROLINA, COLUMBIA, SOUTH CAROLINA . November 30, 1949

CHARTER MEMBERS: Charles J. Baker, Jr., Harry Louis Cline, Jack Thomas Edmund, Robert Harper Green, Luther Marley Lee, Richer H. Moore, Jr., William Q. Parker, Marvin Burt Poston, Walter Bernard VeHaun, William Samuel Baker, Jr., Jacob Odell Culclasure, Jr., John Edgar Eck, Jr., Edward Brandt Latimer, Harold Isaac Lindsey, Alton L. Ogier, Grady Leslie Patterson, Jr., David Emmett Rippetoe, Jr., Howard Knox Williamson, Jr., David McKewn Winter, Jr..

CHARLES COTESWORTH PINCKNEY: George Washington's Aide-de-Camp; Brigadier General of the Continental Army. (As a member of the Federal Convention of 1787, he drafted the clause that "No religious test shall ever be required as a qualification to any office of public trust under the authority of the United States.") Unsuccessful Federalist candidate for Vice President (1800) and for President (1804 and 1808).

ERNESTO RAMOS-ANTONINI CHAPTER

UNIVERSITY OF PUERTO RICO SCHOOL OF LAW, RIO PIEDRAS, PUERTO RICO April 27, 1984

CHARTER MEMBERS: Nelson Rochet-Santoro, Anmtonio Filardi-Guzman, Felix Molina-Diaz, Rafael Negron-Lopez, Francisco Ramos-Gonzalez, Charles Bimbela, Carlos E. Rivera, Pylar Gomez, Lucienne L. Lazaro, Charles Marrero-Combas, Gladys I. Flores-Rodriguez, Francisco Vilanova-Montalvo, Rafael Mayoral-Morales, Rocio Hernandez-Caussade, Milton L. Apont-Arroiyto, Mari Olga Rivera, Katherine Silvestry, Mariangela Tirado, Ismael Molina, Maria L. Martinez-Lopez, Jose Rodriguez-Suarez.

ERNESTO RAMOS-ANTONINI: Prominent trial lawyer in Puerto Rico. Noted for his representation of minorities, the poor, workers, small businessmen and other disadvantaged people. He defended the accused nationalists in the treason trial growing out of the Ponce Nationalist Massacre and won their acquittal. He came from very modest means and rose to great accomplishments in Puerto Rico. He served as the minority spokesman in the Puerto Rico House of Representatives and later served as Vice President and then President of the House of Representatives of Puerto Rico. Both of his daughters became lawyers and are members of Phi Alpha Delta. Both became law professors with one being an appellate judge in Puerto Rico.

CHARLES RAPALLO CHAPTER

NEW YORK UNIVERSITY, NEW YORK CITY, NEW YORK..... February 20, 1909

CHARTER MEMBERS: F. Irving Stokes, Edward L. Gillespie, Henry G. Molina, Edward E. Fay, Harry A. Back, James W. Farrell, Fioravante Caraglia, Frank A. Saporito, Charles J. Kennedy, George A. Washington.

CHARLES RAPALLO: Judge, New York State Court of Appeals (1870-1887)

RICHMOND A. RASCO CHAPTER

UNIVERSITY OF MIAMI, CORAL GABLES, FLORIDA..... November 23, 1946

CHARTER MEMBERS: Douglas DeVane Batchelor, Arthur Alexius Carlson, John Gwinn Dauber, Thomas B. Duff, Jr., William Morton Dupre, Harvie Sheffield DeVal, Quentin T. Eldred, Robert Metcalfe Haverfield, George N. Hahn, Wyatt H. Johnson, G. Kenneth Kemper, James J. Keogh, Otto B. Kiehl, Jr., George L. Patterson, Jr., Joseph A. Perkins, Harry W. Prebish, J. P. Straessley, Thomas L. Tatham, Edwin Hill Underwood, Jr., Charles H. Wakeman, Jr., Alec S. Wallace, William Leonard Wood, Ralph Coleman Binford, William John Hester, Goble Davis Dean, Joseph Michael Fitzgerald, James A. Henderson, Roger Dennis McDermott, William H. Walker, Jr., Michael Frank Zarowny.

RICHMOND AUSTIN RASCO: Dean, Stetson University College of Law (1913-1921); Dean, University of Miami Law School (1927-1931).

SAM TALIAFERRO RAYBURN CHAPTER

TEXAS TECH UNIVERSITY, LUBBOCK, TEXAS..... September 6, 1969

CHARTER MEMBERS: John P. Abbott, Charles W. Adams, Hershall L. Barnes, James W. Adams, Ralph Belter, James A. Bobo, Carey R. Boethl, Scott H. Bush, David R. Casey, J. Edgar Craighead, Jr., Martin Cude, Jr., Jackie Driskill, Ernest R. Finney, Jr., Michael L. Fostel, Errol N. Friedman, A. Gene Gaines, Ralph W. Gallini, R. Charles Gentry, Fred Glover, Robin M. Green, Keno Henderson, Michael W. Hubbard, Troy Hurley, Alan O. Johnson, Jerome Kolander, Phillip N. Lam, W. Bruce Magness, W. T. Martin, Jr., Marvin F. Marshall, Michael Miller, Alan Murray, Duane Neill, Cecil G. Puryear, E. Reggie Reeves, David H. Segrest, John L. Seymour, Ben Smart, Preston Stevens, Buford C. Terrell, John A. Weber, William Z. Weems, E. Jeffrey Wentworth, James R. Whittington, Robert A. Williams, William T. Womble.

SAM TALIAFERRO RAYBURN: Member of House of Representatives of the Texas Legislature; Speaker of the House of Representatives of Texas; Elected to Congress in 1912 and was re-elected 25 times; presiding officer of the House of Representatives for 17 years.

GEORGE READ CHAPTER

WIDENER UNIVERSITY SCHOOL OF LAW, WILMINGTON, DELAWARE . November 15, 1975

CHARTER MEMBERS: John J. Jones, Jr., Larry S. Raiken, Valerie Ivy Vanleer-Greenberg, Stephen O. Landau, Peter David Maynard, Michael Katz, Gerald Lazzara, Lawrence Alan Gottfried, Neil Frederick McIver, John Henry Williams, Randall N. Harakal, George DeCastro, Michael T. Seller, Jonathan F. Altman, Martin Goldstein, Steven H. Katz, Dona Hope Molako, Kevin Thomas Keane, Thomas W. Andrews, John J. O'Donnell. Jr., Lawrence A. Rumpel, Peter Victor Tocsin, Thomas E. Dooley, Jr., William C. Carpenter, Jr., David H. Lag, Stephen G. Raymond, Gerald E. Many, Steven H. Hares, Duane D. Webb, Elliot J. Alazreki, Thomas F. Toole, Thomas B. Licari, Edward J. Schwabenland, Kenneth R. Gilgerg, Jeffery S. Feldman, Alvin C. Krantz, Howard B. Greenberg.

GEORGE READ: American Revolutionary Patriot. Signer of Declaration of Independence. Chief Justice of Delaware.

MANOAH B. REESE CHAPTER

UNIVERSITY OF NEBRASKA, LINCOLN, NEBRASKA March 12, 1915

CHARTER MEMBERS: Benjamin Clarence Hopewell, Harvey W. Hess, Charles H. Epperson, Hugh Agor, Marcus Louis Poteot, E. E. May, Ward B. Spatz, Phillip Tracy Kohl, Guy T. TouVelle, Arthur Balis, J. E. Jacobson, Albert Edward Bryson, Jr., Ralph Waldo Hahn, Harold Lee Temple.

MANOAH B. REESE: Chief Justice, Supreme Court of Nebraska (1908-1915); Dean, College of Law, University of Nebraska.

OWEN W. ROBERTS CHAPTER

TEMPLE UNIVERSITY, PHILADELPHIA, PENNSYLVANIA..... June 15, 1939

CHARTER MEMBERS: Howard Amos, Albert Perischetti, William Hutchinson, Kenneth O. Merritt, Dayton Hopkins, Andrew Farnese, Anthony Alfe, Philip J. Stone.

OWEN W. ROBERTS: Associate Justice, United States Supreme Court (1930); Dean, University of Pennsylvania Law School.

JOSEPH TAYLOR ROBINSON CHAPTER

UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS, LITTLE ROCK, ARKANSAS November 4, 1967

CHARTER MEMBERS: E. Sheffield Nelson, Bill D. Murphree, William C. McArthur, Arthur A. Givens, Jr., John W. Raines, Robert B. Sniff, Robert F. Morehead, Johathan M. Spradley, Mell T. Prather, Jr., H. Sammy Hilburn, Robert L. Neighborn, Dale M. Taylor, Perlesta A. Hollingsworth, Jerome F. Leavall, Jim B. Spears.

JOSEPH TAYLOR ROBINSON: Governor of Arkansas (1913); United States Representative and United States Senator from Arkansas.

NELSON ROCKEFELLER CHAPTER

ALBANY LAW SCHOOL, ALBANY, NEW YORK March 25, 1979

CHARTER MEMBERS: Judith Marilee Allen-Strong, Francis I. Bosco, P. Gayner Crummey, William Francis Dezinno, Robyn J. Grayson, Sol Greenberg, John B. Guiggey, Janet B. Haislip, Katheryn D. Katz, Dianne S. Lovejoy, L. Michael Mackey, Carmela Pellegrino, Seth Howard Schlanger, Ralph Daniel Spaulding, Theodore W. Stenuf, Bryan S. Swartz, Abilio Tavares, Jr., Don Henry Twietmeyer, Richard M. Westerberg.

NELSON ROCKEFELLER: Governor of New York, Vice President of the United States.

ERSKINE M. ROSS CHAPTER

UNIVERSITY OF SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA, LOS ANGELES, CALIFORNIA March 11, 1911

CHARTER MEMBERS: Perry Francisco Backus, Clarence Leland Belt, Pascal Henry Burke, Robert Lawrence Hanley, Henry Clifford Huntington, Herbert West Kidd, William Baxter Park, Charles Elwood Scott, Charles Roland Baird, Charles Bradley Bogue, Walter Tivus Casey, George David Hazen, Albert Clement Jansing, Robert Hatfield Mitchell, Raymond Robert Russell, Clinton Fisk Secombe, Frank Hayward Tolle.

ERSKINE M. ROSS: Associate Justice, California Supreme Court; Judge, United States Circuit Court of Appeals (for thirty years).

GEORGE LEWIS RUFFIN CHAPTER

HARVARD UNIVERSITY, CAMBRIDGE, MASSACHUSETTS November 14, 1981

CHARTER MEMBERS: Corliss C. Stone, Cynthia Boyce, Lorenzo S. Littles, Donna Warren, Mark J. Clark, Peter Sheridan, Charlotte Bordenave, Donald Tyler, James Potter, Sheelia Vaden, Kathy Steward, Walt Montague, David Lloyd Hayes, Kaj Ahlburg, Steven Childress.

GEORGE LEWIS RUFFIN: First African-American graduate of Harvard (in 1869). Served two terms in Massachusetts Legislature, thereafter served as a municipal court judge until his death in 1886.

THOMAS RUFFIN CHAPTER

UNIVERSITY OF NORTH CAROLINA, CHAPEL HILL, NORTH CAROLINA April 30, 1921

CHARTER MEMBERS: Leo Carr, Jasper Benjamin Hicks, Mack Murphy Jernigan, Zebulon Archibald McCall, William Elmer Matthews, Forest Glenwood Miles, Charles Leslie Nichols, Charles Hampton Oliver, John Hill Paylor, John Albert Pritchett, Thomas Dodd Stokes, Jr., Samuel Otis Worthington.

THOMAS RUFFIN: Chief Justice, North Carolina Supreme Court; Judge, Superior Court; Speaker of House of North Carolina.

FRANCISCO H. RUIZ CHAPTER

UNIVERSITY OF GUADALAJARA, GUADALAJARA, MEXICO Petition dated May 1, 1994

CHARTER MEMBERS: Oscar Constantino Gutierrez-Ramirez, Jesus Vallalobos-Perez, Luis Carlos Martinez-Rodriguez, Jaime Laeios Curiel, Arnau Mauria Tunon, Adalberto Orega Solis, Jose Luis Leal-Campos, Efrain Gonzalez Morfin, Gabriel Puga, Jose Barragan-Barragan, Gabriela Del Carmen de Alba Letipichia, Enrique Romero-Gonzalez, Sergio Antonio Macias-Aldana, Juan Lopas Jimenez, Luis Ferlipe Mayorquin Velez, Eduardo Sanchez Acosta.

FRANCISCO H. RUIZ: Minister of the Supreme Court of Mexico from 1928 to 1940. Provisional Governor of the State of Jalisco; Director of the Law School of Jalisco; Director of the National Academy of Jurisprudence.

RICHARD B. RUSSELL CHAPTER

GEORGIA STATE UNIVERSITY, ATLANTA, GEORGIA May, 1984

CHARTER MEMBERS: Glenn Miller, Claire McGreal, Gregory D. Goolsby, John B. Austin, Diana Drinkwater, Clifford L. Granger, Patricia E. Tate, Susan T. Couvillon, H. Bowdre Mays, Katherine Dudley Helms, Nanette A. Pleggenkuhle. Ralph Ragan Morrison, Beverly M. Hartung, Janet S. Gurwitch, Monique Fouque, Robert N. Spencer IV, William J. Cornwell, Robert R. Bentley, Mary Anne McClure, Martin Jones, Josefina M. Tamaye, Mary Dean Hermann, Charles Lanford, Jr., Dan W. Mayfield, Nancy Berger, Jim Ervin, S. Rogers, Wallace Washington, Emmott Arnold, M. Todd Westfall, Roger G. Martin, Merck K. Smith, Sharon MacKenzie, Mark Rollins Mardin, Lynn Heath, Jeffery Gaba, Bobbie Hancock, Linda Steding, Jeffery D. Hamby, Jeryl Silverman, Ronald Freeman, Angela Williams, Thomas J. Waldrop, Glenn Richardson, Jennifer Chiovaro.

RICHARD B. RUSSELL: United States Senator from Georgia; President pro tempore of the United States Senate, Governor of the State of Georgia.

WILEY BLOUNT RUTLEDGE CHAPTER

DUKE UNIVERSITY, DURHAM, NORTH CAROLINA..... October 2, 1946

CHARTER MEMBERS: S. B. Bradley, George Leonard Burke, Jr., Arthur Burton Craig, Emmet Burdell Gresham, Linton Robeson Lovett, George H. Newsome, Robert Lynch Scott, Wilford Llewellyn Whitley, Bannister R. Robeson, James Tilghman Earle, Calvin Reece Gearhart, Forrest Chalmers Hall, Lillard H. Mount, Matthew Sanderson Rae, William Sidney Windes, Lawrence Ellsworth.

WILEY BLOUNT RUTLEDGE: Associate Justice, United States Supreme Court; Judge, United States Court of Appeals; Dean of Washington University Law School and of University of Iowa Law School.

EDWARD G. RYAN CHAPTER

UNIVERSITY OF WISCONSIN, MADISON, WISCONSIN March 11, 1904
(Installed jointly with Magruder Chapter at Chicago, Illinois, March 11, 1904)

CHARTER MEMBERS: Julius Paul Frank, James Blain Graham, William John Hagenah, Clifford Ellsworth Randall, Charles Harry Stone, William Wallace Storms, Arthur Charles Taylor, George William Taylor, James E. Thomas, Waldemar Carl Wehe, Morris Evans Yager.

EDWARD GEORGE RYAN: Chief Justice, Wisconsin Supreme Court. Presided over the celebrated Hubbell Impeachment Trial before the State Senate in 1854.

ARTHUR SAMMIS CHAPTER

SOUTHWESTERN UNIVERSITY SCHOOL OF LAW
LOS ANGELES, CALIFORNIA..... December 5, 1970

CHARTER MEMBERS: Tom L. Chaves, Steven G. Hoover, Emilio T. Gurrola, Allen C. Whelan, John G. Marlette, Jay J. Barnett, John A. Khoury, Arthur S. Kahn, Luis Zemel, Chuck Stokes, Richard Seavedra, Howard Fonder, Robert F. Hitchens, Louis V. Aguilar, Brian J. Sutton, Judith M. Stockfish, Daniel P. O'Brien, Alexander McNair, Jacqueline R. Smith, Stackley Harrell, Jr., Thomas M. Brunwin, Dennis Schuck, Samuel N. Lambert, Edward W. Babic, Donald F. Conviser, J. Stephen Wright, Linda P. Elliot, Frank R. Catallo, Kathryn P. Wallace.

ARTHUR SAMMIS: Dean of Hastings College of Law.

HAROLD SHEPHERD CHAPTER

PEPPERDINE UNIVERSITY SCHOOL OF LAW, MALIBU, CALIFORNIA November 17, 1972

CHARTER MEMBERS: Robin W. Allen, Chris Van Deusen, Jerry F. Johnson, R. R. DeYoung, Frank Falero, Mervin Feinstein, George Fekete, James G. Gelder, Mitchell Schwary, Michael Wenzel, Warren Starton, Michael Cowdrey, Art Wood, Joe D'Antony, Richard Harding, S. J. Broadbent, Ron Smith, Jim Spring, Cameron Quinn, Ernie Demos, M. Gregory Davies, Burl Eugene Estes, Frank Peterson, Walter Germond, Edward W. Burke, Charles Thomas Eye, Charles A. Goetz, Joseph A. Harberth, Robert E. Johnson, James H. McMillin, Dwight G. Tipping, Jr., Paul A. Wetzel, Warren D. Papiot, Michael H. Krausnick, Paul Vance, Raymond J. Rostan, Robert S. Halal.

HAROLD SHEPHERD: Professor of Law Emeritus at Stanford University Law School. Dean of three law schools: Wyoming University, University of Washington Law School, and Duke University Law School.

WALLER R. STAPLES CHAPTER

WASHINGTON & LEE UNIVERSITY, LEXINGTON, VIRGINIA January 13, 1912

CHARTER MEMBERS: Gordon Victor Yonce, Abram Hancock Hopkins, Thurston Lantz Keister, Charles Melnotte Peck, Clare Harding Marstiller, Alonzo Grover Lively, Daniel Benjamin Straley, Thomas Frank Walker, Walter Pattison Schenck, Walter Pennington.

WALLER R. STAPLES: Chief Justice, Supreme Court of Rhode Island.

WILLIAM F. STARR CHAPTER

UNIVERSITY OF CONNECTICUT, HARTFORD, CONNECTICUT April 29, 1973

CHARTER MEMBERS: Francis Joseph Carino, M. Trant Campbell, Leo Graciano, Gary L. Broder, Richard Alan Pearson, Laurence H. Freiheit, Daniel R. Robinson, Harold M. Levy, Edward Thomas Swanson, E. Jack Shorr, Stephen M. Bacon, Stuart Ian Levin, John Harold Malone, Neil J. Berman, Richard Isaac Sellman, William Dexter Hall, Robert L. Klein, Cornelius J. Scanlon.

WILLIAM F. STARR: Distinguished Professor of Law at the University of Connecticut. Instrumental in obtaining the passage of the Uniform Commercial Code in Connecticut.

ALBERT LEE STEPHENS, SR. CHAPTER

WHITTIER COLLEGE SCHOOL OF LAW, LOS ANGELES, CALIFORNIA.... February 25, 1979
(Originally chartered as the Charles Wittaker Chapter and chapter name changed to Stephens Chapter upon request of chapter in 1982)

CHAPTER MEMBERS: [Wittaker Chapter] Stephen Brune, Scott Adams, Katherine S. Braden, Mary Louise Blackstone, Stephen Burton, Robert DeCarteret, Stephanie Dunkerly, Terry Lynn Giminez, Chris Gemignani, Keith Krupka, Bonnie Lawrence, Paul R. Black, John H. Baker, Carlos Azocar, Lindy Rae Carroll, Patricia Cullison, Marco de la Cal, Guy DuBose, Brad Goode, Jonathan Grossman, Mitchell S. Kander, Ruth Lewis, Gabrielle T. Martin, Frank Pohl, Paul M. Salisbury, James Edward Stovitz, Michael Saleman, Ilyce Weiner, Gary Wykidal, Neil Zachary, Andrew Morgan Maree, III, Robert Oliva, Don Sherwyn, Regina Therese Sharey, Greg Waldbart, Karen Gompf Wood, Douglas Yeoman.

ALBERT LEE STEPHENS, SR.: Chief Judge of the United States Court of Appeals for the Ninth Circuit. Previously served as a California Superior Court Judge, state Court of Appeals Judge, and United States District Judge.

ALEXANDER H. STEPHENS CHAPTER

UNIVERSITY OF GEORGIA, ATHENS, GEORGIA August 5, 1947

CHARTER MEMBERS: William Harry Alexander, Robert Henry Humphrey, Jr., John Cyrus Griffin, William Jackson Jones, Owen H. Malcolm, Melburne D. McLendon, Thomas Coke Penland, Robert Herbert Stringer, Robert Fulton Sullivan, Jr., Albert Minis Wilkinson, Jr., Frank Withers Capers, Jr., Wendell Varner Harris, B. C. Gardner, Jr., Max Maurice Johnson, Ernest Kellar, James Delma McGowan, A. N. Nesmith, Heard Robertson, Billy Buchanan Slocumb, Richard A. Valeri, Ralph Roger Williams, James Douglas Wofford.

ALEXANDER H. STEPHENS: United States Representative from Georgia (1844-1860); Vice President, Confederate States of America (1860-1864); Governor of Georgia (1882).

JOSEPH STORY CHAPTER

DEPAUL UNIVERSITY, CHICAGO ILLINOIS November 15, 1902
(Originally chartered at the Illinois College of Law that became the Law Department of DePaul University on May 12, 1912. This amalgamation had no effect upon the status of chapter as decided by Supreme Executive Board, March 31, 1912.)

CHARTER MEMBERS: Auguste Babize, John A. Brown, John Franklin Hagey, Paul C. Meier, Mark Harding Bell, Martin H. Foss, Arthur W. May, Shelley B. Neltnor, Harry Otto Rhodes.
The following signed the Phi Alpha Delta organization document at South Haven, Michigan, July 27, 1902: Shelley B. Neltnor, Edward G. Henkel, Herbert W. Bloomington, Mark Harding Bell, Paul C. Meier, Fred L. Nees, Simon T. Sutton.

JOSEPH STORY: Associate Justice, United States Supreme Court; Speaker of Massachusetts House of Representatives.

JOHN L. SULLIVAN CHAPTER

ST. LOUIS UNIVERSITY, ST. LOUIS, MISSOURI May 14, 1949

CHARTER MEMBERS: John D. Akers, Clyde Frank Aldrich, William Louis Beatty, Jerome Thomas Bollato, Maurice Edgar Bone, William N. Bret, Jr., John D. Connaghan, James Harold Connor, Jr., Richard Lewis Daly, Edward Dilworth, Andrew Peter Dosch, John R. Assign, James Hart Evans, Russell A. Grantham, Robert William Henry, Robert Frederick Chaucer, Thomas B. Maloney, Ralph Leo Markus, Joseph Robert Nancy, Robert Francis Neely, Charles H. Shaffer, Frank J. Similarities, George Edward Sullivan, Gordon Hager Sullivan, John C. Sweeney, Stuart J. Tray nor, Robert Frank Vesper, J. Patrick Wheeler, James Herman Waller, William H. Wine, Jr., Donald R. Schmitz.

JOHN L. SULLIVAN: Professor of Law, St. Louis University School of Law.

MATTHEW S. SULLIVAN CHAPTER

UNIVERSITY OF SAN FRANCISCO SCHOOL OF LAW,

SAN FRANCISCO, CALIFORNIA February 19, 1938

(Originally chartered as Capen Chapter at Illinois Wesleyan University in Bloomington, Illinois, on March 21, 1908)

CHARTER MEMBERS: Thomas O’Toole, George Cronin, Edward Moran, Louis Rabies, Russell Aches, Gerald Finn, Thomas Mahoney, John Briscoe, Richard Carpenter, Samuel Wick low.

MATTHEW S. SULLIVAN: Chief Justice of Supreme Court of California, first Dean of the University of San Francisco School of Law (1912-1934).

GEORGE SUTHERLAND CHAPTER

UNIVERSITY OF UTAH, SALT LAKE CITY, UTAH February 20, 1926

CHARTER MEMBERS: Glen D. Woodmansee, Roger J. McDonough, Bert Merrill, Merle Ralph Howells, Wm. Francis Listen, Otto Arthur Wiesley, Elliott R. Wright. Preston Thatcher, Merrill C. Faux, Wm. Alfred Rossiter, George Albert Goates, Charles Kenneth McShane, Glen S. Hatch, Erastus D. Sorenson, Parker P. Carver, Amos H. Bagley, Fred R. Elledge, John Ross Dudley, Kneeland Clark Tanner, Z. Reed Millar, Spencer D. Parratt, Wm. A. Dawson, Victor C. Hatch.

GEORGE SUTHERLAND: Associate Justice, United States Supreme Court (1922-1938). United States Senator form Utah; President of the American Bar Association.

WILLIAM HOWARD TAFT CHAPTER

GEORGETOWN UNIVERSITY, WASHINGTON, D.C. March 27, 1909

CHARTER MEMBERS: John Doyle Carmody, James Percy Campbell, John R. Lang, J. Fillmore Warder, Webster H. Wilkinson, W. Griffin Mudd, Sidney E. Mudd, Allen D. Sprowls, Frank L. Earnshaw, Carolyn Edward Crump, John Edward Thomas, Clarkson R. Sherwood, Jr., Hugh S. Pettis, Albert B. Ridgway, J. Julien Southerland, John P. Smith, Martin C. Cornell, Reginald M. Hodgson.

WILLIAM HOWARD TAFT: Twenty-seventh President of the United States; Chief Justice of the United States (1921-1930). Solicitor General of the United States; Federal Judge of the Sixth United States Circuit Court of Appeals. Secretary of War under Theodore Roosevelt.

ROGER BROOKE TANEY CHAPTER

SOUTHERN METHODIST UNIVERSITY, DALLAS, TEXAS May 28, 1931

CHARTER MEMBERS: V. Eugene Bailey, T. Allen Melton, Earl W. Green, Lewis O. Orsborn, J. Calhous Anderson, Warren J. Jenney, Morris C. Hodges, F. W. Bartlett, Jr., Claude O. Boothman, Bonner R. Landman, James L. Walsh, Jr., Henry Camp Harris, Jr., David B. Love, Eddie C. H. Kannenberg, Franklin E. Spafford.

ROGER BROOKE TANEY: Chief Justice of the United States; Attorney General of the United States under President Andrew Jackson (1831).

JACKSON TEMPLE CHAPTER

HASTINGS COLLEGE OF LAW, UNIVERSITY OF CALIFORNIA AT SAN FRANCISCO
SAN FRANCISCO, CALIFORNIA May 13, 1911

(Originally a joint chapter with Holmes Chapter. Division of this chapter was granted at the request of the chapter in the year 1923. The original charter was assigned to the Hastings Division of the University of California and a new charter was granted to the Berkeley Division of the University of California in the name of Stephen F. Field Chapter which bears the same date of installation as the original charter for the chapter listed above, and the same charter members).

CHARTER MEMBERS: Eric G. Scudder, Chauncey F. Eldridge, Glenn West, Fred S. Howell, Evan J. Foulds, Oscar W. Hilton, Duard F. Geis, Herbert Chamberlain, Jerome B. Kavanaugh.

JACKSON TEMPLE: Associate Justice, California Supreme Court; Judge of Superior and District Courts of California.

WILLIAM GLENN TERRELL CHAPTER

FLORIDA STATE UNIVERSITY, TALLAHASSEE, FLORIDA May 18, 1968

CHARTER MEMBERS: Robert C. Bohannon, Robert Edward Campbell, William L. Colbert, James R. Cunningham, Don Wayne Davis, James Riley David, John R. Dowd, Donald A. Gifford, J. Marshall Gifford, Ronald R. Goller, Roy Gonzalez, Jr., Larry B. Groover, James R. Guerino, E. David Johnson, William E. Johnson, Edward B. Jolly, Jonathan D. Kaney, Jr., David F. Kern, Martin D. Kline, Theo R. Manry, III, Richard A. McClain, Richard J. Meehan, Michael J. Meksraitis, Philip M. Memoli, John A. Miller, Peter T. Miller, Harry J. Raymond, D. Edison Sessoms, William J. Tait, Jr., James H. Thompson, Kent R. Weible, David L. Woodward.

WILLIAM GLENN TERRELL: Associate Justice, Supreme Court of Florida.

SAMUEL J. TILDEN CHAPTER

NEW YORK LAW SCHOOL, NEW YORK, NEW YORK May 1, 1969

(Originally chartered as Beta Sigma Chapter of Phi Delta Delta on May 1, 1969 and chapter name changed when Phi Delta Delta merged with Phi Alpha Delta)

CHARTER MEMBERS: [Beta Sigma] Helen Sadow, Karen Steinberg, Patricia O'Tool, Ann L. Ritter, Helen Schechtman, Dolores Seligman, Fern Siegel, Ann Goldstein, Aleen Pearl, Susan Cassell, Karen Justin, Rita Hyman, Elaine Berger.

SAMUEL J. TILDEN: Prominent member of New York political scene, Candidate for President of the United States in the disputed election of 1886.

EDGAR W. TIMBERLAKE CHAPTER

WAKE FOREST COLLEGE, WAKE FOREST, NORTH CAROLINA October 17, 1947

CHARTER MEMBERS: Edgar Walter Timberlake, Isaac Beverly Lake, Silas Poe Lee, J. Russell Nipper, Oscar R. King, Walter Rudolph Bryant, Charles Lee Folger, Elam Reamual Temple, Paul B. Bell, Henry Fletcher Sherrill, William H. Jenkins, Frank C. Ausband, Glann William Brown, Jack Franklin Canady, Alonzo D. Folger, Weston Olin Reed, Zeno Hardy Rose, Jr., Frank Lesesne Todd, Fred Douglas Turnage, Fitzhugh Ellsworth Wallace, Jr., Hugh Excell Cullom, Robert Edward Waters, Robert H. McNeely, James H. Narron, Warren Coleman Casey, Stacy Slyde Eggers, Jr., Joseph Bee Milam, Bruce Mobley Morgan, William Harold Taylor, Meredith Eugene Cavendish, William Early Craft, John Fletcher Crossley, Isaac Joseph Horton.

EDGAR WALTER TIMBERLAKE, JR.: Dean, Wake Forest College of Law; President, Wake Forest College.

JUDAH TOURO CHAPTER

UNIVERSITY OF TOURO COLLEGE OF LAW, NEW YORK, NEW YORK ... November 27, 1983

CHARTER MEMBERS: Kathleen M. Cruise, Alan L. Finkel, Marcelle Matthews, Sherry Sarbofsky, Barbara Goodman, Stuart A. Charney, Jala Soleymani, Gary H. Abrams, Mark Stephen Andree, Bruce L. Bennett, David L. Berenbaum, Piedad Bernikow, Mark Carmel Amy B. Cohn, Stuart Alan Cohen, Lori Dana Ettliger, Dana B. Friedman, David Gabor, Ronda F. Gelfman, Dorothy J. Green, Moishe Halberstam, Marilyn Janow, Arlene S. Kayatt, Shelly M. Kimbell, Linda Kurtzberg, Catherine Maggio, Patricia C. Marcin, Glenn Milgraum, Rosemary Perez, Herbert Prival, Richard Drew Sanders, Faith Schoebholtz, Rosilyn Silverstein, Iris Shorin, Richard Sokoloff, Rosanne Titolo, Tina Taus, Ruth Tyszka, David Wagner, Olga Zachary, Lawrence J. Becht, John F. Brennan, Jr..

JUDAH TOURO: Prominent and successful New Orleans businessman and philanthropist who endowed many charitable and educational institutions in New Orleans and New York, and several other cities in the United States and in Israel. Served as a civilian volunteer during the Battle of New Orleans.

HARRY S. TRUMAN CHAPTER

UNIVERSITY OF SEATTLE LAW SCHOOL, SEATTLE, WASHINGTON March 2, 1974
(Chapter originally chartered at the University of Puget Sound, in Tacoma, Washington. Chapter Charter was transferred when the law school moved to the University of Seattle.)

CHARTER MEMBERS: Jahnis J. Abelite, W. R. Adler, Kameron Counts Cayce, Lloyd D. Coble, Will G. Crocket, Joel Arthur Feldman, Joseph Denny Haythorn, K. Gretchen Heinemann, Francia N. Luessen, Michael P. Pancheri, Scott St. Clair, Kenneth Salkeld, Judson Todd, Jr., Marlin I. Vortman, Dennis Larson.

HARRY S. TRUMAN: 33rd President of the United States, Vice President during President Roosevelt fourth term of office, United States Senator from Missouri.

ALEXANDER P. TUREAUD CHAPTER

SOUTHERN UNIVERSITY LAW CENTER, BATON ROUGE, LOUISIANA .. February 29, 1980

CHARTER MEMBERS: Dwight Leman Allen, Preston Frank, Joseph Tajuan Bates, Edward Henderson, Frank Anthony Betanski, Jr., Sharon Kaye Hunter, James Gregory Caver, Glynn A. Long, Jr., Thomas Leon Crabson, Valerie LeCont Rivers, Bertrah de Blanc, Lawrence Hagler Smith, Rose Susan Eugenia Dorsey, William Howard Turner, John Rodney Dowden, Vyrona M. Wiltz, Richard R. Fisher, Robert Young, Donnie L. Floyd.

ALEXANDER PIERRE TUREAUD: Pioneer civil rights lawyer in Louisiana. Only African-American Lawyer practicing in Louisiana prior to 1947; initiated more than thirty suits to desegregate public schools, buses, parks, and other public facilities. Acting Mayor of New Orleans in 1969. Widely recognized as an early Civil and Human Rights Lawyer.

IGNACIO L. VALLARTA CHAPTER

UNIVERSIDAD REGIONMONTANA, MONTERREY, MEXICO October 5, 1979

CHARTER MEMBERS: Norberto de la Rosa, Luis M. Salinas-Enriquez, Diana G. Rodriguez-Trevino, Javier Navarro-Velasco, Salvador Guerra-Ayala, Marguarita Sarre Navarro, Diana L. de la Garza-Vizcaya, Blanca H. Becerra-Perez, Marco Antonio Moreno-Estrada, Alan Omar Flores-Ramirez, Javier F. Lozano-Morales, Jorge J. Ocampo-Gonzaleza, Jorge de Leon Segovia, Javier Laines Potisek, Jose A. Arguello de la Garza.

IGNACIO L. VALLARTA: President of the Supreme Court of Mexico. Authored "Votos de Vallarta" which is considered a classic on constitutional law in Mexico. Served as Governor of the state of Jalisco.

KHLEBER MILLER VAN ZANDT CHAPTER

TEXAS WESLEYAN UNIVERSITY SCHOOL OF LAW, FORT WORTH, TEXAS April 27, 2000

CHARTER MEMBERS: Scott Abel, Lindsey Black, Brandy Bramlett, Emad Chartouni, Anthony M. Dillof, Shelly Gray, George Hurd, Amy L. Jenkins, Jeff McCurdy, Shannon Miller, Jennifer A. Osterloh, Michael Stephens, Keith Mills Stewart, Meghana Wadhvani, Kimberly N. Walker.

KHLEBER MILLER VAN ZANDT - Lawyer, soldier, merchant, banker, and civic leader in Fort Worth. Primarily a businessman in home construction, railroads, and banking. Confederate War service with rank of major.

EDGAR S. VAUGHT CHAPTER

OKLAHOMA CITY UNIVERSITY, OKLAHOMA CITY, OKLAHOMA December 3, 1960

CHARTER MEMBERS: Roy W. Chandler, Thomas R. Williams, Lewis E. Huntz, Jr., Harold E. Long, Don Porter, Fred V. Mason, Homer L. Lawson, Ben T. Williams, David L. Miller, Jerry D. Mullins, Donald E. Balaban, Charley W. Barton, Richard D. Winzeler, Bill E. Granger, Francis M. Tarpley, Bob A. Smith, James Gullett, Edward H. Purcer, Francis J. Borelli, Thomas W. Perkins, John E. Beaven, Charles P. Evans, Morland T. Barton, Donald E. Marrs, John E. Sushnik, Richard W. Pickens, Kenneth Stacy, Jr., Bobby Pierce, John J. Fox, Jr., Charles E. Brown, Jack G. Bush, Rex Stuckey, Robert H. Landt, Joseph Stank, Gerald Knight, Sidney Wise.

EDGAR SULLINS VAUGHT: Federal District Judge for the Western District of Oklahoma.

FRED M. VINSON CHAPTER

UNIVERSITY OF LOUISVILLE, LOUISVILLE, KENTUCKY May 1, 1935

CHARTER MEMBERS: J. Marshall Bensinger, William S. Love, William C. Turner, Edward O. Heishan, Jr., J. Mack Beauchamp, Henry L. Burt, Jr., Douglas Manning, Lewis D. Jones, Malcolm Johnson, Woodruff J. Flowers, Charles A. Kincaid.

FRED M. VINSON: Thirteenth Chief Justice of the United States; Secretary of the Treasury; Secretary of State.

RAYMOND WATKINS CHAPTER

NORTH CAROLINA CENTRAL UNIVERSITY, DURHAM, NORTH CAROLINA April 24, 1971

CHARTER MEMBERS: Not available at time of printing.

MORRISON WAITE CHAPTER

UNIVERSITY OF DAYTON SCHOOL OF LAW, DAYTON, OHIO November 14, 1975

CHARTER MEMBERS: Daniel G. Gehres, Robert E. Consler, Philips Tripi, Craig T. Matthews, Freddie P. Ramos, Eugene L. Stockton, Joseph B. Szerement, Wayne M. Ozzie, Dennis A. Lieberman, Thomas L. Cowl, Jr., George C. Ford, Anthony J. Muto, Brian J. Barney, James A. Hensley, Kenneth H. Feldman, Harry G. Beyoglides, Jr., Richard M. Rawson.

MORRISON WAITE: Chief Justice of the United States, 1874-1888.

DAVID T. WATSON CHAPTER

UNIVERSITY OF PITTSBURGH , PITTSBURGH, PENNSYLVANIA May 9, 1925

CHARTER MEMBERS: Joseph P. Babcock, J. Hartford Dilley, Harold Hanmer, John W. Himebaugh, Donnel W. Marsh, Hackett J. Mullen, Francis X. McCullough, Oscar G. Peterson, J. Miller Couse, L. Norman Dilley, Jacob E. Hartmann, Hamilton S. Lyon, Wesley A. Moffat, George B. McCreary, John L. Packer, George L. Reade.

DAVID T. WATSON: One of the foremost anti-trust attorneys in the United States; originated the proposition that the courts could break through the corporate entity where it was used as a cloak to cover up violations of federal acts.

DANIEL WEBSTER CHAPTER

LOYOLA UNIVERSITY OF CHICAGO, CHICAGO, ILLINOIS November 15, 1902
(This chapter was organized by Jackson N. Prentiss on November 6, 1901 as one of the Chapters of Lambda Epsilon, and was chartered into Phi Alpha Delta in the summer of 1902. The following members of this chapter signed the Articles of South Haven on July 17, 1902: M. B. Schuster and J.M. Prentiss.)

CHARTER MEMBERS: Jackson M. Prentiss, Harry Lee Stacy, Martin B. Schuster, Julius S. Taylor, Jr., John B. Maloney, Joseph J. Joy.

DANIEL WEBSTER: United States Senator and Representative; United States Secretary of State under Presidents Harrison and Fillmore.

EDWARD DOUGLASS WHITE CHAPTER

LOUISIANA STATE UNIVERSITY, BATON ROUGE, LOUISIANA May 5, 1963

CHARTER MEMBERS: William C. Bradhurst, D. G. Brunson, Edwin M. Callaway, Fred L. Cappell, Richard B. Cappell, James R. Coxe, III, John Robert Firtzgerald, Harry Friedman, Jr., Syrus J. Greco, James R. Coxe III, Gordon R. Crawford, James L. Davis, Knight E. Doggett, Stanwood R. Duval, Jr., William B. Faust, III, John Robert Fitzgerald, Jr., Harry Friedman, Syrus J. Greco, John W. Greene, Carey J. Gulielmo, Gordon L. Hackman, Benjamin Harvey, Eldon T. Harvey, III, Hiram L. Hebert, Sam O. Henry, James S. Holliday, Jr., J. Kenneth Jewell, John P. Jordan, Frank Judycki, Donald J. Juneau, Richard E. Lee, Michael R. Mangham, Burgess E. McCranie, Jr., Marsden W. Miller, Jr., William H. Moore, III, Max M. Morris, Rogers M. Prestidge, M. Caldwell Roberts, Pargen Robertson, F. A. Roddy, Dexter Ryland, Jude St. Romain, Jerry H. Schwab, William E. Shaddock, Roger H. Silver, Jr., Harry D. Simmons, Jerry H. Smith, H. F. Sockridger, Jr., Arthur H. Spence, J. Stacey Freeman, Elvis C. Stout, James B. Thompson, III, Bruce K. Turner, Henry C. Voorhees, III, Wayne William Weidie, Gordie R. White, Richard B. Wilkins, Jr., John W. Wilson, Athanassios N. Yiannopoulos, Leonard E. Yokum, Jr..

EDWARD DOUGLASS WHITE: Louisiana state senator, 1874; Associate justice of the Supreme Court of Louisiana, 1879-1880; U.S. Senator, 1891-1894.

CHARLES WHITTAKER CHAPTER

CHAPMAN UNIVERSITY, ORANGE, CA March 20, 2004

CHARTER MEMBERS: Morvarid Ahmadi, Milton Arcos, Andisheh Basseri, Kyle Ryan Beckley, Kris Biskeborn, Matthew S. Brady, Natalie Rae Chanthapanya, Courtney Cooke, Alan Darby, Alexandria Davidson, Andrew Davies, Sean DeMarrais, Jason Dubin, April Galagar, Mark J. Gordon, Carrie Goulding, Jeff Greenman, Kiley Grombacher, Carolyn K. Hacker, William Huestis, Brad Kuhn, Caleb Langsdale, Andrew Lee, Stacy Lee, Henry Mann, Rahul Mehta, Shawn Michaels, Kevin Michael Muldoon, Jade M. Openshaw, Natalie Ortiz, Melineh Petrousian, Steve Pornbida, Lindsie N. Porter, Heather Reitz, Mohammad Sarabi, Mark Shafer, Justin Bradford Snell, Ryan Stocking, Kasumi Takahashi, Kathleen L.T. Tubania, Robert Vitt

CHARLES WHITTAKER: Supreme Court Justice, 1957-1962.

THE CONVENTIONS OF PHI ALPHA DELTA

LAMBDA EPSILON FRATERNITY

Grand Chapter [Initial Meeting]	June 12, 1899	Chicago, Illinois
Founding Convention	December 4, 1899	Chicago, Illinois
Second Convention	June 29-30, 1901	Brown Lake, Lake Co., IL
Second Convention [Special Session]	April 26, 1902	Chicago, Illinois
Third Convention [Concluding Convention of Lambda Epsilon Fraternity]	July 25, 1902	South Haven, Michigan

PHI ALPHA DELTA LAW FRATERNITY

Articles Of South Haven (Adopted)	July 27, 1902	South Haven, Michigan
First Organizational Session	July 28, 1902	South Haven, Michigan
Founding Session of the Fraternity-at-Large	November 8, 1902	Chicago, Illinois
Second Session of the Fraternity-at-Large	November 15, 1902	Chicago, Illinois
Fourth Convention [First Convention as Phi Alpha Delta Law Fraternity]	1904	Pistakee Bay, Fox Lake Station, IL
Fifth Annual Convention	1904	Chicago, Illinois
Sixth Annual Convention	July, 1905	Chicago, Illinois
Seventh Annual Convention	May 5, 1906	Chicago, Illinois
Eighth Annual Convention	May 11, 1907	Madison, Wisconsin
Ninth Annual Convention	May 8, 1908	Chicago, Illinois
Tenth Annual Convention	May, 1909	Chicago, Illinois
Eleventh Annual Convention	May, 1910	Chicago, Illinois
Twelfth Annual Convention	July 7-8, 1911	Chicago, Illinois
Thirteenth Annual Convention	June 23-24, 1912	Chicago, Illinois
Fourteenth Annual Convention	June 27-28, 1913	Chicago, Illinois
Fifteenth Annual Convention [Directed that future conventions be held biennially instead of annually]	June 26-27, 1914	Chicago, Illinois
Sixteenth Annual Convention [Scheduled to be last of annual conventions] [No further conventions held until 1919 due to World War I]	August 5-7, 1915	San Francisco, California
Seventeenth Biennial Convention [First Convention held after World War I and First Biennial Convention under the directive of 1914 providing for biennial conventions]	December, 1919	Chicago, Illinois
Eighteenth Biennial Convention	December, 1921	Kansas City, Missouri
Nineteenth Biennial Convention	December, 1923	Washington, D.C.
Twentieth Biennial Convention	December, 1925	St. Louis, Missouri
Twenty-First Biennial Convention	December, 1927	Cincinnati, Ohio

[Adopted a rule that henceforth conventions were to be held in even numbered years]

Twenty-Second Biennial Convention	August, 1930	Milwaukee, Wisconsin
[Because of the financial effects of the depression, the convention scheduled to be held in Los Angeles in 1932 was cancelled]		
Twenty-Third Biennial Convention	August, 1934	Chicago, Illinois
Twenty-Fourth Biennial Convention	February, 1936	Washington, D.C.
Twenty-Fifth Biennial Convention	December 29, 1938	Kansas City, Missouri
[Due to World War II conventions were suspended.]		
Twenty-Sixth Biennial Convention	December 29-31, 1946	Kansas City, Missouri
[First convention held following World War II. This convention convened eight years to the day after the last (pre-war) convention, in the same city, the same hotel, and same meeting room.]		
Twenty-Seventh Biennial Convention	March, 1948	Los Angeles, California
Twenty-Eighth Biennial Convention	Aug.31-Sept.2, 1950	French Lick, Indiana
Twenty-Ninth Biennial Convention	August 28-31, 1952	Chicago, Illinois
[THE GOLDEN ANNIVERSARY CONVENTION OF PHI ALPHA DELTA]		
Thirtieth Biennial Convention	September 2-4, 1954	Des Moines, Iowa
Thirty-First Biennial Convention	June 21-23, 1956	Cleveland, Ohio
Thirty-Second Biennial Convention	September 3-5, 1958	Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania
Thirty-Third Biennial Convention	August 22-24, 1960	Miami Beach, Florida
Thirty-Fourth Biennial Convention	August 27-29, 1962	Denver, Colorado
Thirty-Fifth Biennial Convention	August 10-12, 1964	New York City
Thirty-Sixth Biennial Convention	Aug. 31-Sept. 3, 1966	Kansas City, Kansas
Thirty-Seventh Biennial Convention	August 28-31, 1968	Washington, D.C.
Thirty-Eighth Biennial Convention	September 2-5, 1970	New Orleans, Louisiana
Thirty-Ninth Biennial Convention	August 9-12, 1972	San Diego, California
Fortieth Biennial Convention	August 6-9, 1974	Toronto, Ontario, Canada
[First convention held outside the continental United States]		
Forty-First Biennial Convention	July 30-Aug. 2, 1976	Kansas City, Missouri
Forty-Second Biennial Convention	August 1-4, 1978	Cleveland, Ohio
Forty-Third Biennial Convention	July 29-Aug. 1, 1980	Hot Springs, Arkansas
Forty-Fourth Biennial Convention	August 4-7, 1982	St. Louis, Missouri
Forty-Fifth Biennial Convention	August 1-4, 1984	Miami Beach, Florida
Forty-Sixth Biennial Convention	August 6-9, 1986	Baltimore, Maryland
Forty-Seventh Biennial Convention	August 3-6, 1988	Scottsdale, Arizona
Forty-Eighth Biennial Convention	August 1-4, 1990	Ft. Lauderdale, Florida
Forty-Ninth Biennial Convention	August 5-8, 1992	Scottsdale, Arizona
Fiftieth Biennial Convention	August 2-6, 1994	Conroe, Texas
Fifty-First Biennial Convention	August 8-11, 1996	Miami Beach, Florida
Fifty-Second Biennial Convention	August 4-9, 1998	Scottsdale, Arizona
Fifty-Third Biennial Convention	August 2-6, 2000	Miami Beach, Florida

THE JUSTICES OF PHI ALPHA DELTA

CHIEF JUSTICES

Term of Office	Name	Chapter
1902-1903	Roland M. Hollock	Fuller
1904	William C. Healion	Marshall
1904-1905	Waldemar W. Wehe	Ryan
1905-1906	Paul C. Meier	Story
1906-1907	Thomas P. Octigan	Blackstone
1907-1908	Lawrence W. Ledvina	Ryan

SUPREME JUSTICES

1908-1909	Lawrence W. Ledvina	Ryan
1909-1910	Samuel H. Roberts	Campbell
1910-1911	John Doyle Carmody	Taft
1911-1912	John Doyle Carmody	Taft
1912-1913	Edward J. Hess	Webster
1913-1914	James P. Aylward	Benton
1914-1915	Edgar A. Jonas	Webster
1915-1919	George L. Steward	Story
1919-1921	August A. Rendigs, Jr.	Chase
1921-1923	Frank L. Fawcett	Ryan
1923-1925	George E. Fink	Campbell
1925-1927	Rex Hardy	Story
1927-1930	John J. Nangle	Benton
1930-1934	Allan T. Gilbert	Blackstone
1934-1936	William S. Culbertson	Calhoun
1936-1938	Dwight H. Green	Holmes
1938-1946	J. Harry LaBrum	Taft
1946-1948	Frank M. Ludwick	Benton
1948-1950	Douglas L. Edmonds	Ross
1950-1952	Douglas L. Edmonds	Ross
1952-1954	Anthony P. Savarese	Rapallo
1954-1956	Robert D. Jackson	Cole
1956-1958	Elwyn Thomas	Brewer
1958-1960	John L. Griffith	Gunter
1960-1962	Anthony A. DiGrazia	Story
1962-1964	Alfred P. Murrah	Harlan
1964-1966	Elden S. Magaw	Harlan
1966-1968	Robert E. Redding	Taft
1968-1970	Henry C. Rohr	Ross
1970-1972	Alex Hotchkiss	Benson

1972-1974
1974-1976

Matthew S. Rae, Jr.
C. Raymond Judice

Rutledge
Houston

INTERNATIONAL JUSTICES

Term of Office

1976-1978
1978-1980
1980-1982
1982-1984
1984-1985
1985-1986
1986-1988
1988-1990
1990-1992
1992-1994
1994-1996
1996-1998
1998-2000
2000-2002

Name

Don Hutson
Frank J. McCown
Steve Clark
Charles R. Taylor
Stanley H. Kohn
Jack L. Miller
Jack L. Miller
Larry J. Crigler
Homer S. Taft
Norman M. Owen
Fredric H. Pearson
Clifford Schechter
Joseph E. Deems
Shelley A. Weinstein

Chapter

Jay
McKinley
Garland
Timberlake
Pinckney
Benton
Benton
Hoffman
Hay
Beaumont
Chase
Wormser
Sammis
McCormick

ELECTED OFFICERS OF PHI ALPHA DELTA

1902-1903

Chief Justice	Roland M. Hollock	Fuller
Vice Chief Justice	John P. Floan	Blackstone
National Recorder	Simon T. Sutton	Story
National Treasurer	Herbert Bloomington	Story

[At the expiration of the term of office of the above officers, on October 10, 1903, The National Council appointed John C. Witt Temporary Chairman and Paul C. Meier Temporary Recorder, who held these positions until January 9, 1904.]

1904

Chief Justice	William C. Healion	Marshall
Vice Chief Justice	Paul C. Meier	Story
National Recorder	Hugo L. Pitte	Fuller
National Financial Secretary	Robert E. O'Brien	Story
National Treasurer	August H. Schroth	Webster

1904-1905

Chief Justice	Waldemar C. Wehe	Ryan
Vice Chief Justice	George M. Clendenin	Magruder
National Recorder	Lewis C. Graver	Blackstone
National Financial Secretary	Charles L. Daly	Fuller
National Treasurer	August H. Schroth	Webster
Acting National Treasurer	Paul C. Meier	Story

[August Schroth resigned his office on December 17, 1904, whereupon the Chief Justice appointed Paul C. Meier as the Acting National Treasurer.]

1905-1906

Chief Justice	Paul C. Meier	Story
Vice Chief Justice	Paul W. Boehm	Campbell
National Recorder	Thomas P. Octigan	Blackstone
National Financial Secretary	Edward L. McConaughy	Magruder
National Treasurer	Charles E. Varley	Webster

1906-1907

Chief Justice	Thomas P. Octigan	Blackstone
Vice Chief Justice	Stoy J. Maxwell	Campbell
National Recorder	Clark A. McMillen	Campbell
National Financial Secretary	David W. Taylor	Fuller
National Treasurer	Lawrence W. Ledvina	Ryan

1907-1908

Chief Justice	Lawrence W. Ledvina	Ryan
Vice Chief Justice	Charles H. Wilber	Marshall
National Recorder	Richard J. Finnegan	Webster
National Financial Secretary	Douglas Heard	Garland
National Treasurer	George R. Fink	Story

1908-1909

Supreme Justice	Lawrence W. Ledvina	Ryan
Supreme Vice Justice	William Prentiss, Jr.	Story
Supreme Recorder	Samuel H. Roberts	Campbell
Supreme Treasurer	Harry P. Dolan	Blackstone
Supreme Financial Secretary	Edward J. Thelin	Webster
Supreme Historian	Paul C. Meier	Story
Supreme Marshal	Harry C. Moran	Magruder

Board of Tribunes	Joseph Eagleson, Chief	Hay
	Donald Heard	Garland
	Sidney B. Meyer	Fuller

[The Ninth Annual Convention changed the titles of the offices from “National” to “Supreme” and established the new offices of Supreme Historian and Supreme Marshal and the Board of Tribunes]

1909-1910

Supreme Justice	Samuel H. Roberts	Campbell
Supreme Vice Justice	Edward J. Fleming	Benton
Supreme Recorder	William Prentiss, Jr.	Story
Supreme Recorder (Acting)	Edward J. Hess	Webster
Supreme Financial Secretary	Thomas Lindskog	Fuller
Supreme Treasurer	John Doyle Carmody	Taft
Supreme Historian	Paul C. Meier	Story
Supreme Marshal	Noah Gullen	Magruder

Board of Tribunes	Luis A. Cambridge, Chief	Webster
	John A. Brown	Story
	Malcolm H. Clark	Williams

[William Prentices was unable to perform the duties of office and requested an assistant, whereupon the Supreme Executive Board appointed Edward J. Hess as Acting Supreme Recorder in March 1910]

1910-1911

Supreme Justice	John Doyle Carmody	Taft
Supreme First Vice Justice	Edward J. Fleming	Benton
Supreme Second Vice Justice	J. F. T. O'Connor	Calhoun
Supreme Recorder	Edward J. Hess	Webster
Supreme Financial Secretary	James McKeag	Marshal
Supreme Treasurer	Frank G. Adams	Capen
Supreme Historian	Paul C. Meier	Story
Supreme Marshal	Paul D. Highee	Lawson
Editor-in-Chief	Oscar W. Hoberg	Magruder
Board of Tribunes	Frank E. Rutledge, Chief Henry R. Saltmarsh Harry L. Risinger	Webster Williams Chase

1911-1912

Supreme Justice	John Doyle Carmody	Taft
Supreme First Vice Justice	J. F. T. O'Connor	Calhoun
Supreme Second Vice Justice	Henry R. Saltmarsh	Williams
Supreme Recorder	Edward J. Hess	Webster
Supreme Treasurer	James P. Aylward	Benton
Supreme Financial Secretary	James McKeag	Marshall
Supreme Historian	Paul C. Meier	Story
Supreme Marshal	Conger G. Roads	Hay
Editor-in-Chief	Oscar W. Hoberg	Magruder
Board of Tribunes	Floyd M. Stahl, Chief James M. Cherry Elbert C. Middleton	Fuller Story Campbell

1912-1913

Supreme Justice	Edward J. Hess	Webster
Supreme First Vice Justice	James P. Aylward	Benton
Supreme Second Vice Justice	Henry R. Saltmarsh	Williams
Supreme Recorder	James McKeag	Marshall
Supreme Financial Secretary	Albert C. Meder	Campbell
Supreme Treasurer	Conger G. Roads	Hay
Supreme Historian	Paul C. Meier	Story
Supreme Marshal	George A. Washington	Rapallo
Editor-in-Chief	Oscar W. Hoberg	Magruder
Board of Tribunes	Charles L. Daly, Chief George C. Peacock Herbert W. Kidd	Fuller Chase Ross

1913-1914

Supreme Justice	James P. Aylward	Benson
Supreme First Vice Justice	Edgar A. Jonas	Webster
Supreme Second Vice Justice	John J. Wilson	Ross
Supreme Recorder	Conger G. Roads	Hay
Supreme Financial Secretary	Charles B. Adams	Hamlin
Supreme Treasurer	George C. Peacock	Chase
Supreme Historian	Paul C. Meier	Story
Supreme Marshal	Frank A. Saporito	Rapallo
Editor-in-Chief	Oscar W. Hoberg	Magruder
Board of Tribunes	Edward J. Hess, Chief James McKeag John Doyle Carmody	Webster Marshall Taft

1914-1915

Supreme Justice	Edgar A. Jonas	Webster
Supreme First Vice Justice	George L. Stewart	Story
Supreme Second Vice Justice	Frank A. Saporito	Rapallo
Supreme Recorder	Conger G. Roads	Hay
Supreme Financial Secretary	Charles B. Adams	Hamlin
Supreme Treasurer	Abraham J. Hart	Campbell
Supreme Historian	Nelson Tillotson	Calhoun
Supreme Marshal	Lester B. Marshall	Capen
Editor-in-Chief	Oscar W. Hobert	Magruder
Board of Tribunes	James McKeag, Chief John Doyle Carmody James P. Aylward	Marshall Taft Benton

1915-1919

Supreme Justice	George L. Stewart	Story
Supreme First Vice Justice	James V. Barnitt	Rapallo
Supreme Second Vice Justice	August A. Rendigs, Jr.	Chase
Supreme Recorder	Conger G. Roads	Hay
Supreme Financial Secretary	Glenn E. Miller	Williams
Supreme Treasurer	Abraham J. Hart	Campbell
Supreme Historian	Joseph P. O'Connell	Hughes
Supreme Marshal	Frank S. Ginocchio	Clay
Editor-in-Chief	Oscar W. Hoberg	Magruder
Board of Tribunes	John Doyle Carmody, Chief James P. Aylward Lester B. Fish	Taft Benton Capen

[Because of World War I, the terms of office were extended to 1919. In the absence of Conger G. Roads, George S. Myers served as acting Supreme Recorder from October 1916 to September 1919. Glenn E. Miller

resigned as Supreme Financial Secretary in 1917 and was succeeded by Frank E. Rutledge, (Webster) who in turn was succeeded by George K. Brasher (Benton).]

1919-1921

Supreme Justice	August A. Rendigs, Jr.	Chase
Supreme Vice Justice	Milton T. Miller	Blackstone
General Secretary	George K. Brasher	Benton
Supreme Historian	H. Mason Welch	Taft
Supreme Marshal	Frank S. Ginocchio	Clay
Editor-in-Chief	Harry W. Humble	Green
Board of Tribunes	George L. Stewart, Chief Harry C. Moran Conger G. Roads	Story Magruder Hay

[Following World War I the National Board was reduced to six officers and some titles were changed as indicated]

1921-1923

Supreme Justice	Frank L. Fawcett	Ryan
Supreme Vice Justice	Rex Hardy	Story
Supreme Secretary	Frank M. Ludwick	Benson
Supreme Historian	Dwight H. Green	Marshall
Supreme Marshal	Charles F. Partee, Jr.	McReynolds
Editor-in Chief	Harry W. Humble	Green
Board of Tribunes	August A. Rendigs Jr., Chief George K. Brasher George E. Fink	Chase Benton Campbell

1923-1925

Supreme Justice	George E. Fink	Campbell
Supreme Vice Justice	Joseph A. Carey	Taft
Supreme Secretary	Frank M. Ludwick	Benton
Supreme Historian	Allan T. Gilbert	Blackstone
Supreme Marshal	Howard B. Henshey	Ross
Editor-in-Chief, 1924	Harry W. Humble	Green
Editor-in-Chief, 1925	John Bradfield	Campbell
Board of Tribunes	Frank L. Fawcett, Chief Rex Hardy Dwight H. Green	Ryan Story Marshall

Board of Trustees	August A. Rendigs Jr., Chair Harvey D. Taylor Arthur L. Limbach	Chase Benton Hay
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[The Board of Trustees was established]

1925-1927

Supreme Justice	Rex Hardy	Story
Supreme Vice Justice	John J. Nangle	Benton
Supreme Secretary	Frank M. Ludwick	Benton
Supreme Historian	Allan T. Gilbert	Blackstone
Supreme Marshal	Philip E. Barnard	Jay
Editor-in-Chief	John Bradfield	Campbell

Board of Tribunes	George E. Fink, Chief Joseph A. Carey Howard B. Henshey	Campbell-Story Taft Ross
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1927-1930

Supreme Justice	John J. Nangle	Benton
Supreme Vice Justice	Frank E. Rutledge	Webster
Supreme Secretary	Frank M. Ludwick	Benton
Supreme Historian	Allan T. Gilbert	Blackstone
Supreme Marshal	Lawrence R. Lytle	Chase
Editor-in-Chief	Philip E. Barnard	Jay

Board of Tribunes	Rex Hardy, Chief Frank L. Fawcett Thomas P. Octigan	Story Ryan Blackstone
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1930-1934

Supreme Justice	Allan T. Gilbert	Blackstone
Supreme Vice Justice	Frank E. Rutledge	Blackstone
Supreme Secretary	Frank M. Ludwick	Benton
Supreme Historian	Lawrence Lytle	Chase
Supreme Marshal	Alex Hitz	Campbell
Supreme Editor	Earl Hatcher	Benton

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Board of Trustees	August A. Rendigs, Jr., Chair Rex Hardy Thomas P. Octigan	Chase Story Blackstone
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1934-1936

Supreme Justice	William S. Culbertson	Calhoun
Supreme Vice Justice	Dwight H. Green	Holmes
Supreme Alumni Advisor	Frank E. Rutledge	Blackstone
Supreme Faculty Advisor	Lyman P. Wilson	Marshall
Supreme Secretary & Editor	Frank M. Ludwick	Benton
Supreme Historian	Albert L. Schweitzer	Lawson
Supreme Marshal	William M. O'Shay	Webster

Board of Tribunes	Allan T. Gilbert, Chief John J. Nangle John Doyle Carmody	Blackstone Benton Taft
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Board of Trustees	Thomas P. Octigan, Chair August A. Rendigs, Jr. James D. Gray	Blackstone Chase Watson
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1936-1938

Supreme Justice	Dwight H. Green	Holmes
Supreme Vice Justice	George E. Palmer	Rapallo
Supreme Alumni Advisor	Frank E. Rutledge	Blackstone
Supreme Faculty Advisor	Lyman P. Wilson	Marshall
Supreme Secretary & Editor	Frank M. Ludwick	Benton
Supreme Historian	Jay Kyle	Benson
Supreme Marshal	William M. O'Shea	Webster

Board of Tribunes	William S. Culbertson, Chief David Sholtz James H, Mitchell	Calhoun Calhoun Ross
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Board of Trustees	Allan T. Gilbert, Chair Marshall R. Diggs James D. Gray	Blackstone Calhoun Watson
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1938-1946

Supreme Justice	J. Harry LaBrum	Taft
Supreme Vice Justice	William M. O'Shea	Webster
Supreme Alumni Advisor	Frank E. Rutledge	Blackstone
Supreme Faculty Advisor	Charles S. Potts	Taney
Supreme Secretary & Editor	Frank M. Ludwick	Benton
Supreme Historian	Frank Brockus	Benton
Supreme Marshall	Walton Shepherd	Willey

Board of Tribunes	Dwight H. Green, Chief George Hare Edwin A. Hale	Holmes Benton Webster
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Board of Trustees	Allan T. Gilbert, Chair William S. Culbertson John J. Nangle	Blackstone Calhoun Benton
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[Due to the effects of World War II, the terms of office were extended to 1946.]

1946-1948

Supreme Justice	Frank M. Ludwick	Benton
Supreme Vice Justice	Douglas L. Edmonds	Ross
Supreme Second Vice Justice	E. A. (Bert) Taylor	Benton
Supreme Secretary	Charles Tom Henderson	Brewer
Supreme Treasurer	Henry Junge	Reese
Supreme Historian	Daniel B. Boone	Lurton
Supreme Marshal	C. Cloud Morgan	Fish

Board of Tribunes	Harry LaBrum, Chief Dwight H. Green Stuart G. Oles	Taft Holmes Dunbar
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Board of Trustees	John J. Nangle, Chair Carl T. Hoffman I. M. Peckham	Benton Taft Holmes
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1948-1950

Supreme Justice	Douglas L. Edmonds	Ross
Supreme Vice Justice	E. A. (Bert) Taylor	Benton
Supreme Second Vice Justice	Charles Tom Henderson	Brewer
Supreme Secretary	A. A. McDowell	Ross
Supreme Treasurer	Anthony P. Savarese	Rapallo
Supreme Historian	Giles E. Miller	Taney
Supreme Marshal	Nicholas L. Dunbar	Keener

Board of Tribunes	J. Harry LaBrum, Chief I. M. Peckham Albert G. Scheele	Taft Holmes Fuller
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Board of Trustees	John J. Nangle, Chair Gene O. Moore Warren M. Christopher	Benton Green Holmes
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1950-1952

Supreme Justice	Douglas L. Edmonds	Ross
Supreme Vice Justice	E. A. (Bert) Taylor	Benton
Supreme Second Vice Justice	Charles Tom Henderson	Brewer
Supreme Secretary	A. A. McDowell	Ross
Supreme Treasurer	Anthony P. Savarese	Rapallo
Supreme Historian	C. Cloud Morgan	Fish
Supreme Marshal	J. Westwood Smithers	Henry

Board of Tribunes	John Doyle Carmody, Chief Robert B. Harris Julius G. Peterson	Taft Keener Kent
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Board of Trustees	Anthony P. Savarese, Chair Douglas L. Edmonds Carl E. Dietze Hewitt P. Tomlin Henry C. Foss	Rapallo Ross Ryan Lurton Rutledge
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1952-1954

Supreme Justice	Anthony P. Savarese	Rapallo
Supreme Vice Justice	Charles Tom Henderson	Brewer
Supreme Second Vice Justice	J. Westwood Smithers	Henry
Supreme Secretary	Frank E. Gray	Ford
Supreme Treasurer	Robert D. Jackson	Cole
Supreme Historian	Henry C. Foss	Rutledge
Supreme Marshal	Anthony A. DiGrazia	Story

Board of Tribunes	Carl E. Dietze, Chief John L. Griffith Dee Brown Walker	Ryan Gunter Taft
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[The Board of Trustees was abolished and its duties were transferred to the Supreme Executive Board]

1954-1956

Supreme Justice	Robert D. Jackson	Cole
Supreme Vice Justice	Elwyn Thomas	Brewer
Supreme Second Vice Justice	John L. Griffith	Gunter
Supreme Secretary	Frank E. Gray	Ford
Supreme Treasurer	Anthony A. DiGrazia	Story
Supreme Historian	Henry C. Foss	Rutledge
Supreme Marshal	John W. Shuart	Benson

Board of Tribunes	Dee Brown Walker, Chief Henry C. Rohr Robert E. Redding	Taney Ross Taft
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1956-1958

Supreme Justice	Elwyn Thomas	Brewer
Supreme Vice Justice	John L. Griffith	Gunter
Supreme Second Vice Justice	Anthony A. DiGrazia	Story
Supreme Secretary	Frank E. Gray	Ford
Supreme Treasurer	Elden S. Magaw	Harlan
Supreme Historian	John W. Shuart	Benson
Supreme Marshal	Robert E. Redding	Taft

Board of Tribunes	Dee Brown Walker, Chief Henry C. Rohr James L. Broz, Jr.	Taney Ross Hay
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1958-1960

Supreme Justice	John L. Griffith	Gunter
Supreme Vice Justice	Anthony A. DiGrazia	Story
Supreme Second Vice Justice	Elden C. Magaw	Harlan
Supreme Secretary	Frank E. Gray	Ford
Supreme Treasurer	Robert E. Redding	Taft
Supreme Historian	Dee Brown Walker	Taney
Supreme Marshal	T. Julian Skinner Jr.	Morgan
Board of Tribunes	Howard Cerny, Chief George T. Nickell Norris McPherson	Hammond Dunbar Jefferson

1960-1962

Supreme Justice	Anthony A. DiGrazia	Story
Supreme Vice Justice	Alfred P. Murrah	Harlan
Supreme Second Vice Justice	Elden S. Magaw	Harlan
Supreme Secretary	Henry C. Rohr	Ross
Supreme Treasurer	Robert E. Redding	Taft
Supreme Historian	Dee Brown Walker	Taney
Supreme Marshal	J. Julian Skinner, Jr.	Morgan

Board of Tribunes	Charles Digangi, Chief George T. Nickell William B. Robertson	Rapallo Dunbar Taft
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1962-1964

Supreme Justice	Alfred P. Murrah	Harlan
Supreme Vice Justice	Elden S. Magaw	Harlan
Supreme Second Vice Justice	Robert E. Redding	Taft
Supreme Secretary	Henry C. Rohr	Ross
Supreme Treasurer	Dee Brown Walker	Taney
Supreme Historian	T. Julian Skinner, Jr.	Morgan
Supreme Marshal	Alex A. Hotchkiss	Benson

Board of Tribunes	Charles Digangi, Chief George T. Nickell Donald R. Moore	Rapallo Dunbar Taft
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1964-1966

Supreme Justice	Elden S. Magaw	Harlan
Supreme Vice Justice	Tom C. Clark	Taney
Supreme Second Vice Justice	Robert E. Redding	Taft
Supreme Secretary	Henry C. Rohr	Ross
Supreme Treasurer	Dee Brown Walker	Taney
Supreme Historian	T. Julian Skinner, Jr.	Morgan
Supreme Marshal	Alex A. Hotchkiss	Benson
Supreme Tribunal	Charles Digangi, Chief George Nickell Donald R. Moore	Rapallo Dunbar Taft

[Title of The Board of Tribunes was changed to The Supreme Tribunal]

1966-1968

Supreme Justice	Robert E. Redding	Taft
Supreme Vice Justice	Tom C. Clark	Taney
Supreme Advocate	Henry C. Rohr	Ross
Supreme Secretary	Alex A. Hotchkiss	Benson
Supreme Treasurer	Matthew S. Rae, Jr.	Rutledge
Supreme Historian	C. Raymond Judice	Houston
Supreme Marshal	Don Hutson	Jay
Supreme Tribunal	Charles Digangi, Chief Donald R. Moore Kenneth C. Segal	Rapallo Taft Hoffman

1968-1970

Supreme Justice	Henry C. Rohr	Ross
Supreme Vice Justice	Alex A. Hotchkiss	Benson
Supreme Advocate	Matthew S. Rae, Jr.	Rutledge
Supreme Secretary	C. Raymond Judice	Houston
Supreme Treasurer	Don Hutson	Jay
Supreme Historian	Donald R. Moore	Taft
Supreme Marshal	Frank E. Maloney	Fletcher
Supreme Tribunal	Charles Digangi, Chief Kenneth C. Segal C. Nelson Day	Rapallo Hoffman Sutherland

1970-1972

Supreme Justice	Alex A. Hotchkiss	Benson
Supreme Vice Justice	Mathew S. Rae, Jr.	Rutledge
Supreme Advocate	C. Raymond Judice	Houston
Supreme Secretary	Don Hutson	Jay
Supreme Treasurer	Donald R. Moore	Taft
Supreme Historian	Frank E. Maloney	Fletcher
Supreme Marshal	Charles H. Taylor	Timberlake

Supreme Tribunal	Walter Ray Phillips, Chief Webster Brewer Wm. Frank Worthington	Lurton Hamill Temple
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1972-1974

Supreme Justice	Matthew S. Rae, Jr.	Rutledge
Supreme Vice Justice	C. Raymond Judice	Houston
Supreme Second Vice Justice	Enid Williams Ross	Omega(P.D.D.)
Supreme Advocate	Don Hutson	Jay
Supreme Secretary	Donald R. Moore	Taft
Supreme Treasurer	Frank J. McCown	McKinley
Supreme Assistant Secretary	Dalphine MacMillian	Zeta(PD.D.)
Supreme Historian	Charles H. Taylor	Timberlake
Supreme Marshal	Kevin B. Blaney	Carmody

Supreme Tribunal	Wm. Frank Worthington, Chief Allan McClain John K. Enenbach	Temple Watson Vaught
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1974-1976

Supreme Justice	C. Raymond Judice	Houston
Supreme Vice Justice	Don Hutson	Jay Supreme
Second Vice Justice	Donald R. Moore	Taft
Supreme Advocate	Frank J. McCown	McKinley
Supreme Secretary	Charles H. Taylor	Timberlake
Supreme Treasure	Dalphine MacMillian	Zeta(PD.D.)
Supreme Historian	Ladson Hart	Timberlake
Supreme Marshal	Jack L. Miller	Benton
Supreme Parliamentarian	Enid William Ross	Omega(P.D.D.)

Supreme Tribunal	Wm. Frank Worthington, Chief Norman M. Owen Robert Woolfork	Temple Beaumont Fletcher
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1976-1978

International Justice	Don Hutson	Jay
International Vice Justice	Stanley H. Kohn	Pinckney
International Second Vice Justice	Frank J. McCown	McKinley
International Advocate	Charles H. Taylor	Timberlake
International Secretary	Jack L. Miller	Benton
International Treasurer	Dalphine MacMillian	Zeta(P.D.D.)
International Historian	Ladson Hart	Timberlake
International Marshal	Larry J. Crigler	Hoffman
International Proctor	Steve Clark	Garland

International Tribunal	Norman M, Owen, Chief	Beaumont
	Robert Woolfork	Fletcher
	James M. Bierce	Grant

[The 41st Biennial Convention changed the titles of the elected offices from “Supreme” to “International”.]

1978-1980

International Justice	Frank J. McCown	McKinley
International Vice Justice	Stanley H. Kohn	Pinckney
International Second Vice Justice	Charles Taylor	Timberlake
International Advocate	Steve Clark	Garland
International Secretary	Dalphine MacMillian	Zeta
International Treasurer	Jack L.. Miller	Benton
International Historian	Larry L. Crigler	Hoffman
International Marshal	James M. Bierce	Grant
International Proctor	Norman M. Owen	Beaumont

International Tribunal	Joseph E. Deems, Chief	Sammis
	Homer S. Taft	Hay
	Fredric H. Pearson	Chase

1980-1982

International Justice	Steve Clark	Garland
International Vice Justice	Charles H. Taylor	Timberlake
International Second Vice Justice	Stanley H. Kohn	Pinckney
International Advocate	Homer S. Taft	Hay
International Secretary	Jack L. Miller	Benton
International Treasurer	Larry J. Crigler	Hoffman
International Historian	James M. Bierce	Grant
International Marshal	Fredric H. Pearson	Chase
International Proctor	Norman M. Owen	Beaumont

International Tribunal	Joseph E. Deems, Chief	Sammis
	Tom Andrews	Read
	Shelley A. Weinstein	McCormick

1982-1984

International Justice	Charles H. Taylor	Timberlake
International Vice Justice	Stanley H. Kohn	Pinckney
International Second Vice Justice	Jack L. Miller	Benton
International Advocate	Homer S. Taft	Hay
International Secretary	Larry J. Crigler	Hoffman
International Treasurer	Norman M. Owen	Beaumont
International Historian	Fredric H. Pearson	Chase
International Marshal	Joseph E. Deems	Sammis
International Proctor	Benjamin P. Hyink	Story
International Tribunal	Tom Andrews, Chief Shelley A. Weinstein Scott Spiller	Read McCormick Douglas

1984-1986

International Justice	Stanley H. Kohn [Jack L. Miller]	Pinckney
International Vice Justice	Jack L. Miller	Benton
International Second Vice Justice	Homer S. Taft	Hay
International Advocate	Larry J. Crigler	Hoffman
International Secretary	Norman M. Owen	Beaumont
International Treasurer	Fredric H. Pearson	Chase
International Historian	Joseph E. Deems	Sammis
International Marshal	George Cox	Pinckney
International Proctor	Mike Bearden	Robinson

International Tribunal
McCormick

Shelley A. Weinstein, Chief

Joseph A. Tringali
Sandi Brooks

Alden
Carmody

[Jack Miller became International Justice upon the death of International Justice Stanley H. Kohn in 1985]

1986-1988

International Justice	Jack L. Miller	Benton
International Vice Justice	Homer S. Taft	Hay
International Second Vice Justice	Larry J. Crigler	Hoffman
International Advocate	Norman M. Owen	Beaumont
International Secretary	Fredric H. Pearson	Chase
International Treasurer	Joseph E. Deems	Sammis
International Historian	George Cox	Pinckney
International Marshal	Mike Bearden	Robinson
International Proctor	Clifford Schechter	Wormser

International Tribunal
Hector Mendez-Loucil, Chief
Marni E. Byrum
Ronald J. Winter

deDiego
Shepherd
Alden

1988-1990

International Justice	Larry J. Crigler	Hoffman
International Vice Justice	Homer S. Taft	Hay
International Second Vice Justice	Norman M. Owen	Beaumont
International Advocate	Fredric H. Pearson	Chase
International Secretary	Joseph E. Deems	Sammis
International Treasurer	George Cox	Pinckney
International Historian	Mike Bearden	Robinson
International Marshal	Clifford Schechter	Wormser
International Proctor	Shelley A. Weinstein	McCormick

International Tribunal	Hector Mendez-Loucil, Chief Ronald J, Winter Curtis M. Anderson	deDiego Alden Ross
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1990-1992

International Justice	Homer S. Taft	Hay
International Vice Justice	Norman M. Owen	Beaumont
International Second Vice Justice	Fredric H. Pearson	Chase
International Advocate	Joseph E. Deems	Sammis
International Secretary	Shelley A. Weinstein	McCormick
International Treasurer	Mike Bearden	Robinson
International Historian	Clifford Schechter	Wormser
International Marshal	George Cox	Pinckney
International Proctor	Curtis Anderson	Ross

International Tribunal	Hector Mendez-Loucil, Chief Eric Hutson J. Derek Hill	deDiego Jay Hull
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1992-1994

International Justice	Norman M. Owen	B e a u m o n t
International Vice Justice	Fredric H. Pearson	Chase
International Advocate	Shelley A. Weinstein	McCormick
International Secretary	J. Derek Hill	Hull
International Treasurer	Clifford Schechter	Wormser
International Board Member	Curtis M. Anderson	Ross
International Board Member	Luis Armstrong-Cortada	deDiego
International Board Member	Joseph E. Deems	Sammis
International Board Member	W. James Jonas, III	Tom C. Clark

International Tribunal	Hector Mendez-Loucil, Chief Deborah Ann Davis Robert L. Schimmel	deDiego Pinckney Rasco
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[By Convention action the titles of four officer positions were eliminated and replaced by the titles 'International Board Member'.]

1994-1996

International Justice	Fredric H. Pearson	Chase
International Vice Justice	Clifford Schechter	Wormser
International Advocate	Joseph E. Deems	Sammis
International Secretary	Curtis Anderson	Ross
International Treasurer	Shelley A. Weinstein	McCormick
International Board Member	Luis Armstrong-Cortada	deDiego
International Board Member	J. Derek Hill	Hull
International Board Member	Ronald Winter	Alden
International Board Member	Alan S. Zerkowitz	Champ Clark
International Tribunal	Hector Mendez-Loucil, Chief Deborah Ann Hottel Robert L. Schimmel	deDiego Pinckney Rasco

1996-1998

International Justice	Clifford Schechter	Wormser
International Vice Justice	Joseph E. Deems	Sammis
International Advocate	J. Derek Hill	Hull
International Secretary	Curtis M. Anderson	Ross
International Treasurer	Shelley A. Weinstein	McCormick
International Board Member	Luis Armstrong-Cortada	deDiego
International Board Member	Karen L. Massey	Lawson
International Board Member	Ronald Winter	Alden
International Board Member	Alan S. Zerkowitz	Champ Clark
International Tribunal	Robert Schimmel, Chief Deborah Ann Hottel Alexander Francuzenko	Rasco Pinckney Henry

1998-2000

International Justice	Joseph E. Deems	Sammis
International Vice Justice	Shelley A. Weinstein	McCormick
International Advocate	J. Derek Hill	Hull
International Secretary	Ronald Winter	Alden
International Treasurer	Curtis M. Anderson	Ross
International Board Member	Luis Armstrong-Cortada	deDiego
International Board Member	Deborah C. Craytor	Keener
International Board Member	Karen L. Massey	Lawson
International Board Member	Alan S. Zerkowitz	Champ Clark
International Tribunal	Robert L. Schimmel, Chief Alexander Francuzenko Phillip A. Greenberg	Rasco Henry Rapallo

2000-2002

International Justice
International Vice Justice
International Advocate
International Secretary
International Treasurer
International Board Member
International Board Member
International Board Member
International Board Member

Shelley A. Weinstein
Curtis M. Anderson
Ronald J. Winter
Alan S. Zerkowitz
J. Derek Hill
Karen L. Massey
Jose Raul Cepeda-Borrero
Richard P. McCully
John F. Weitkamp

McCormick
Ross
Alden
Champ Clark
Hull
Lawson
deDiego
McKellar
Ford

International Tribunal

Robert L. Schimmel, Chief
Alexander Francuzenko
Phillip A. Greenberg

Rasco
Henry
Rapallo

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Robert P. Schifferman
Harvey E. Schlesinger
Barry Lee Schumacher
Sheldon R. Schwartz
William L. Scott
Richard D. Sears
Kenneth C. Segal
Daniel M. Semel

Albert K. Semmler
James B. Shaffer
Adrienne Zipperman Shaps
Gene H. Sharp
Clarence E. Shattuck
R.M. Sherley
Jack F. Shorstein
Lawrence A. Singer
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Robert H. Sonheim
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William Strasser
Damon Swank
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Larry E. Temple
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Lynn Charles Thompson
Joe G. Thompson
Don A. Timm
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William J. Urban
Joe Ann VanGelder
L.S. Van Lingham
James E. Vanwerden
John T. Vergeer
Fred Vialet
Benjamin H. Vogler
Dee Brown Walker
James P. Walle
Thomas M. Watson
Robert C. Watts
John B. Weaver
Samuel W. Weaver
Edward R. Weber
Shelley A. Weinstein
John D. Welch
Charles Wheeler
Paul Whitehead

Norman D. Wilks
Jerry Charles Williams
Richard S. Wolfson
Edmund R. Wood
Steven Worcester
Russell Wunschel
William H. Wyne
John W. Yoder
Seymour B. Zaban
Mathew P. Zieringer
William J. Zollmann

LAW SCHOOLS WITH PHI ALPHA DELTA CHARTERED CHAPTERS

Law School and Location

Akron, University of - Akron, OH
 Alabama, University of - Tuscaloosa, AL
 Albany Law School, Albany, NY
 American University Washington College of Law, D. C.
 Appalachian School of Law - Grundy, VA
 Arizona State University College of Law, Tempe, AZ
 Arizona, University of - Tucson, AZ
 Arkansas, University of - Fayetteville, AR
 Arkansas, University of - Little Rock, AR
 Autonama de Nuevo Leon School of Law - Nuevo Leon, Mexico
 Baltimore, University of - Baltimore, MD
 Baylor University School of Law - Waco, TX
 Boston College Law School - Newton, MA
 Boston University School of Law - Boston, MA
 Brigham Young University, J. Reuben Clark Law School - Provo, UT
 Bridgeport, University of, School of Law - Bridgeport, CT
 British Columbia, University of - Vancouver, BC, Canada
 Brooklyn Law School - Brooklyn, NY
 California, University of - Berkeley, CA
 California, University of - Davis, CA
 California, University of (UCLA) - Los Angeles, CA
 California, University of, Hastings College of Law - San Francisco, CA
 California Western University School of Law - San Diego, CA
 Campbell University School of Law - Buies Creek, NC
 Capital University School of Law - Columbus, OH
 Case Western Reserve University Law School - Cleveland, OH
 Catholic University of America School of Law - Washington, D C
 Catholic University of Puerto Rico School of Law - Ponce, Puerto Rico
 Chase College of Law - Cincinnati, OH
 Chicago-Kent College of Law - Chicago, IL
 Chicago, University of - Chicago, IL
 Cincinnati, University of - Cincinnati, OH
 Cleveland-Marshall College of Law - Cleveland, OH
 Colorado, University of - Boulder, CO
 Columbia University School of Law - New York, NY
 Connecticut, University of - Hartford, CT
 Cooley, Thomas M., School of Law - Lansing, MI
 Cornell University Law School - Ithaca, NY
 Creighton University School of Law - Omaha, NE
 Dayton, University of - Dayton, OH
 Denver, University of - Denver, CO
 DePaul University College of Law - Chicago, IL
 Detroit College of Law - Detroit, MI
 Detroit, University of - Detroit, MI
 Dickinson College of Law - Carlisle, PA
 Drake University School of Law - Des Moines, IA
 Duke University School of Law - Durham, NC
 Duquesne University School of Law - Pittsburgh, PA
 Emory University School of Law - Atlanta, GA
 Florida State University School of Law - Tallahassee, FL
 Florida, University of - Gainesville, FL

Chapter Namesake

Charles R. Grant
 John Tyler Morgan
 Nelson A. Rockefeller
 Louis Dembitz Brandeis
 L. Anthony Sutin
 Hugo L. Black
 Philander C. Knox
 Augustus Hill Garland
 Joseph Taylor Robinson
 Vanusiano Carranza
 J. Harry LaBrum
 R. E. B. Baylor
 William J. Kenealy
 Harold Hitz Burton
 Matthew Cowley
 William O. Douglas
 Matthew Baillie Begbie
 Fiorello Henry LaGuardia
 Stephen F. Field
 Benito Juarez
 Joseph McKenna
 Jackson Temple
 Campbell E. Beaumont
 James Iredell
 Rutherford B. Hayes
 John Milton Hay
 Benjamin Nathan Cardozo
 Jose deDiego
 Fredrick L. Hoffman
 William Blackstone
 John Marshall
 Salmon P. Chase
 David C. Meck
 Julius Gunter
 Robert Livingston
 William F. Starr
 Isaac P. Christyancy
 Woodrow Wilson
 Thomas More
 Morrison Waite
 Charles J. Hughes, Jr.
 Joseph Story
 Hubert Humphrey
 Frank Murphy
 Mary Vashti Burr
 Chester C. Cole
 Wiley Blount Rutledge
 John P. Egan
 William Albert Keener
 William Glenn Terrell
 Duncan U. Fletcher

Date of Charter

February 27, 1962
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 January 12, 1924

Fordham University School of Law - New York, NY	I. Maurice Wormser	April 21, 1964
Franklin Pierce Law Center - Concord, NH	Frank Rowe Kenison	May 17, 1974
George Mason University School of Law - Arlington, VA	George Mason	October 14, 1992
George Washington University National Law Center - Washington, DC	John Jay	June 5, 1920
Georgetown University Law Center - Washington, DC	William Howard Taft	March 27, 1909
Georgia State University College of Law - Atlanta, GA	Richard B. Russell	May 5, 1984
Georgia, University of - Athens, GA	Alexander H. Stephens	August 5, 1947
Golden Gate University School of Law - San Francisco, CA	Everett Dirksen	February 25, 1972
Gonzaga University School of Law - Spokane, WA	Edward M. Connelly	January 27, 1968
Guadalajara, Universida de - Guadalajara, Mexico	Francisco H. Ruiz	May 16, 1994
Hamline University School of Law - St. Paul, MN	James Monroe	May 24, 1975
Harvard University Law School - Cambridge, MA	George Lewis Ruffin	November 14, 1981
Hofstra University School of Law - Hempstead, NY	John F. Kennedy	November 6, 1976
Houston, University of - Houston, TX	John Edward White	May 11, 1963
Howard University School of Law - Washington, DC	John Mercer Langston	November 19, 1966
Idaho, University of - Moscow, ID	William E. Borah	May 25, 1914
Illinois, University of - Champaign, IL	Benjamin D. Magruder	March 11, 1904
Indiana University Law School - Bloomington, IN	John Adams	February 26, 1966
Indiana University School of Law - Indianapolis, IN	Ralph Hamill	May 8, 1948
Inter-American University School of Law - San Juan, Puerto Rico	Luis Munoz Morales	April 17, 1976
Iowa, University of - Iowa City, IA	William G. Hammond	December 4, 1908
John Marshall Law School - Chicago, IL	Abraham Lincoln	April 12, 1953
Kansas, University of - Lawrence, KS	James Woods Green	April 17, 1909
Kentucky, University of - Lexington, KY	Henry Clay	May 14, 1914
Lewis & Clark Northwestern School of Law - Portland, OR	Karl N. Llewellyn	April 29, 1972
Louisiana State University Law Center - Baton Rouge, LA	Edward Douglass White	May 5, 1963
Louisville, University of - Louisville, KY	Fred M. Vinson	May 1, 1935
Loyola University Law School - Los Angeles, CA	William Joseph Ford	September 13, 1937
Loyola University School of Law - Chicago, IL	Daniel Webster	November 15, 1902
Loyola University School of Law - New Orleans, LA	Charles A. O'Niell	December 4, 1965
Maine, University of - Portland, ME	Harry Glassman	April 27, 1994
Marquette University Law School - Milwaukee, WI	Robert Marion LaFollette	May 15, 1966
Maryland, University of - Baltimore, MD	Clarence Darrow	May 29, 1958
McGeorge School of Law, University of the Pacific - Sacramento, CA	Clair Engle	May 9, 1969
Memphis State University - Memphis, TN	Kenneth Douglas McKellar	May 28, 1966
Mercer University Law School - Macon, GA	William Hansel Fish	March 3, 1928
Miami, University of - Coral Gables, FL	Richard A. Rasco	November 23, 1946
Michigan, University of - Ann Arbor, MI	James V. Campbell	March 11, 1905
Minnesota, University of - Minneapolis, MN	William Mitchell	June 10, 1922
Mississippi College School of Law - Jackson, MS	Virgil A. Griffith	October 11, 1980
Mississippi, University of - University, MS	L. Q. C. Lamar	June 1, 1929
Missouri, University of - Columbia, MO	John D. Lawson	January 9, 1909
Missouri, University of - Kansas City, MO	Thomas Hart Benton	July 6, 1907
Montana, University of - Missoula, MT	Theodore Brantly	April 21, 1950
Nebraska, University of - Lincoln, NE	Manoah B. Reese	March 12, 1915
Nevada, University of, William S. Boyd School of Law - Las Vegas, NV	Louis Weiner	April 14, 2001
New England School of Law - Boston, MA	Bertha MacLean	January 24, 1920
New Mexico, University of - Albuquerque, NM	John B. McManus	November 6, 1987
New York, City University of (CUNY), Queens College - New York, NY	Pauli Murray	May 19, 1987
New York Law School - New York, NY	Samuel Jones Tilden	May 1, 1968
New York, State University of, School of Law - New York, NY	Charles A. Rapallo	February 20, 1909
New York, State University of - Buffalo, NY	Carlos C. Alden	December 7, 1968
North Carolina Central University School of Law - Durham, NC	Raymond Watkins	April 24, 1971
North Carolina, University of - Chapel Hill, NC	Thomas Ruffin	April 30, 1921
North Dakota, University of - Grand Forks, ND	Guy C. Corliss	February 25, 1911
Northern Illinois University College of Law - DeKalb, IL	James Dooley	April 1, 1978
Northwestern University School of Law - Chicago, IL	Melville W. Fuller	November 15, 1902
Notre Dame Law School - Notre Dame, IN	William J. Hoynes	May 14, 1977

Nova Southeastern University - Fort. Lauderdale, FL	Thomas F. Fleming	November 22, 1975
Ohio Northern University Pettit College of Law - Ada, OH	Frank B. Willis	June 4, 1960
Ohio State University College of Law - Columbus, OH	William McKinley	April 23, 1921
Oklahoma City University School of Law - Oklahoma City, OK	Edgar S. Vaught	December 3, 1960
Oklahoma, University of - Norman, OK	John Marshall Harlan	May 29, 1916
Oregon, University of - Eugene, OR	George H. Williams	May 16, 1908
Pace University School of Law - White Plains, NY	Adolf Homburger	April 6, 1979
Pepperdine University School of Law - Malibu, CA	Harold Shepherd	November 17, 1972
Pittsburgh, University of - Pittsburgh, PA	David T. Watson	May 9, 1925
Puerto Rico, University of - Rio Piedras, Puerto Rico	Ernesto Ramos-Antoniini	April 27, 1984
Quinnipiac College School of Law - Hamden, CT	William O. Douglas	April 12, 1980
Regionomontana, Universidad - Monterrey, Mexico	Ignacio L. Vallarta	October 5, 1979
Richmond, University of, Williams School of Law - Richmond, VA	Patrick Henry	October 29, 1948
Roger Williams University School of Law - Bristol, RI	James Madison	March 28, 1998
Rutgers, State University of New Jersey - Camden, NJ	Theodore Frelinghuysen	March 22, 1966
Rutgers., State University of New Jersey - Newark, NJ	Robert H. Jackson	May 18, 1955
Saint John's University School of Law - Jamaica, NY	Henry deBracton	June 8, 1957
Saint Louis University School of Law - St. Louis, MO	John L. Sullivan	May 14, 1949
Saint Mary's University, School of Law - San Antonio, TX	John Nance Garner	November 8, 1970
Saint Thomas University School of Law - Miami, FL	Soia Mentschikoff	May 5, 1988
Samford University, Cumberland School of Law- Birmingham, AL	Cordell Hull	July 29, 1949
San Diego, University of - San Diego, CA	Paul J. McCormick	May 12, 1961
San Francisco, University of - San Francisco, CA	Matthew I. Sullivan	February 19, 1938
Santa Clara, University of - Santa Clara, CA	Douglas L. Edmonds	April 16, 1966
Seattle, University of - Seattle, WA	Harry S Truman	March 2, 1974
Seton Hall University School of Law - Newark, NJ	William Paterson	May 7, 1964
South Carolina, University of - Columbia, SC	Charles Cotesworth Pinckney	November 30, 1949
South Dakota, University of - Vermillion, SD	James M. Doyle	October 29, 1927
South Texas College of Law - Houston, TX	Samuel Houston	May 30, 1959
Southern California, University of (USC) - Los Angles, CA	Erskine M. Ross	March 11, 1911
Southern Illinois University School of Law - Carbondale, IL	Stephen A. Douglas	May 2, 1974
Southern Methodist University School of Law - Dallas, TX	Roger Brooke Taney	May 28, 1932
Southern University Law Center - Baton Rouge, LA	Alexander P. Tureaud	February 29, 1980
Southwestern University School of Law - Los Angeles, CA	Arthur Sammis	December 5, 1970
Stanford Law School - Stanford, CA	Oliver Wendell Holmes	May 13, 1911
Stetson University College of Law - St. Petersburg, FL	David T. Brewer	April 2, 1915
Suffolk University Law School - Boston, MA	Felix Frankfurter	May 8, 1965
Syracuse University College of Law - Syracuse, NY	John Doyle Carmody	October 29, 1954
Temple University School of Law - Philadelphia, PA	Owen W. Roberts	June 15, 1939
Tennessee, University of - Knoxville, TN	James Clark McReynolds	May 25, 1916
Texas Southern University - Houston, TX	Barbara C. Jordan	December 6, 1969
Texas Tech University School of Law - Lubbock, TX	Sam Taliaferro Rayburn	September 6, 1969
Texas, University of - Austin, TX	Tom C. Clark	August 8, 1947
Texas Wesleyan University - Fort Worth, TX	K. Van Zandt	April 27, 2000
Thomas Jefferson School of Law - San Diego, CA	Benjamin Franklin	April 12, 1997
Toledo, University of - Toledo, OH	Edward Coke	March 5, 1960
Touro College Jacob D. Fuchsberg Law Center - Huntington, NY	Judah Touro	November 27, 1983
Tulane University School of Law - New Orleans, LA	Francis Xavier Martin	December 13, 1924
Tulsa, University of - Tulsa, OK	Summers Hardy	January 30, 1954
Utah, University of - Salt Lake City, UT	George Sutherland	February 20, 1926
Valparaiso, University of - Valparaiso, IN	Charles A. Halleck	December 14, 1947
Vanderbilt University School of Law - Nashville, TN	Horace H. Lurton	May 14, 1921
Vermont Law School - South Royalton, VT	Chester A. Arthur	May 30, 1975
Villanova University School of Law - Villanova, PA	Martin Luther King, Jr.	February 11, 1999
Virginia, University of - Charlottesville, VA	Thomas Jefferson	March 26, 1910
Wake Forest University School of Law -Winston-Salem, NC	Edgar W. Timberlake	October 17, 1947
Washburn University School of Law - Topeka, KS	Alfred W. Benson	February 26, 1921

20 Washington & Lee University School of Law - Lexington, VA
Washington University School of Law - St. Louis, MO
Washington, University of - Seattle, WA
Wayne State University Law School - Detroit, MI
West Virginia University College of Law - Morgantown, WV
Western New England College of Law - Springfield, MA
Western State University School of Law - Fullerton, CA
Whittier College School of Law - Los Angeles, CA
Widener University School of Law - Harrisburg, PA
Widener University School of Law - Wilmington, DE
Willamette University College of Law - Salem, OR
William & Mary, College of - Williamsburg, VA
William Mitchell College of Law - St. Paul, MN
Windsor, University of Faculty of Law - London, Ontario, Canada
Wisconsin, University of - Madison, WI
Wyoming, University of - Laramie, WY
Yale University Law School - New Haven, CT
Yeshiva University, Cards School of Law - New York, NY

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Hall S. Lusk
George Wythe
Pierce Butler
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ALUMNI CHAPTERS OF PHI ALPHA DELTA

Chapter	Location	Date of Charter
Akron	Akron, Ohio	November 12, 1963
Alabama	Alabama Statewide	April 30, 1954
Aleman	Monterrey, Mexico	November 4, 1992
Aloha	Honolulu, Hawaii	July 28, 1975
Arkansas	Little Rock, Arkansas	October 3, 1953
Atlanta	Atlanta, Georgia	June 3, 1950
Austin	Austin, Texas	December 16, 1976
Baltimore	Baltimore, Maryland	May 29, 1958
Barton	St. Petersburg, Florida	May 1, 1958
Birmingham Area	Birmingham, Alabama	April 25, 1970
Bloomington	Bloomington, Illinois	December 19, 1919
Boston	Boston, Massachusetts	May 8, 1965
Brooklyn-Queens	Brooklyn-Queens, New York	February 26, 1986
Buffalo	Buffalo, New York	September 2, 1927
Central Ohio	Columbus, Ohio	November 21, 1964
Charleston	Charleston, West Virginia	February 22, 1936
Chattanooga	Chattanooga, Tennessee	November 22, 1961
Chicago	Chicago, Illinois	February 2, 1911
Cincinnati	Cincinnati, Ohio	September 12, 1912
Cleveland	Cleveland, Ohio	April 19, 1913
Connecticut	Central Connecticut	December 19, 1999
Dallas	Dallas, Texas	May 28, 1932
Daytona Beach	Daytona Beach, Florida	February 22, 1937
Detroit	Detroit, Michigan	March 31, 1923
East Bay	Oakland, California	February 6, 1936
Ft. Lauderdale	Broward County, Florida	September 9, 1983
Gainesville	Gainesville, Florida	October 30, 1966
Grand Forks	Grand Forks, North Dakota	April 19, 1913
Greater Albuquerque	Albuquerque, New Mexico	October 27, 1983
Hawkeye	Iowa City, Iowa	December 13, 1958
Hotchkiss	Topeka, Kansas	February 4, 1922
Houston	Houston, Texas	October 21, 1959
Hudson Valley	Rockland, Westchester Cos., NY	August 6, 1994
Indianapolis	Indianapolis, Indiana	May 9, 1917
Jacksonville	Jacksonville, Florida	April 3, 1935
Kansas City	Kansas City, Missouri	April 1, 1912
Knoxville	Knoxville, Tennessee	September 21, 1953
Lincoln	Lincoln, Nebraska	June 27, 1974
Long Island	Long Island, New York	January 6, 1984
Los Angeles	Los Angeles, California	June 20, 1912
Louisville	Louisville, Kentucky	March 1, 1951
Lubbock	Lubbock, Texas	September 6, 1969

Madison	Madison, Wisconsin	March 28, 1980
Philadelphia	Philadelphia, Pennsylvania	December 9, 1953
Memphis	Memphis, Tennessee	May 28, 1966
Miami Valley	Dayton, Ohio	September 28, 1977
Miami	Miami, Florida	July 1, 1938
Milwaukee	Milwaukee, Wisconsin	September 1, 1950
Nashville	Nashville, Tennessee	November 4, 1971
National Capitol Area	Washington, D.C.	June 5, 1911
Nevada	Las Vegas, Nevada	May 20, 1977
New Hampshire	New Hampshire	March 16, 1989
New Jersey	New Jersey	April 7, 1972
New Orleans	New Orleans, Louisiana	June 25, 1965
New York City	New York City, New York	March 28, 1911
Northern Illinois	Barrington, Illinois	February 19, 1982
Oklahoma City	Oklahoma City, Oklahoma	April 27, 1923
Old Pueblo	Tucson, Arizona	February 22, 1984
Omaha	Omaha, Nebraska	August 23, 1952
Orange Coast	Santa Ana, California	July 13, 1961
Palm Beach	Palm Beach, Florida	May 15, 1992
Palmetto	Columbia, South Carolina	May 4, 1962
Piedmont	Winston-Salem, North Carolina	November 15, 1958
Pittsburgh	Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania	March 18, 1931
Portland	Portland, Oregon	February 6, 1911
Puerto Rico	Puerto Rico	October 4, 1975
Rocky Mountain	Denver, Colorado	April 11, 1950
Sacramento	Sacramento, California	June 8, 1982
Saint Louis	St. Louis, Missouri	February 14, 1921
Salt Lake City	Salt Lake City, Utah	June 5, 1956
San Antonio	San Antonio, Texas	April 26, 1973
San Diego	San Diego, California	August 21, 1958
San Fernando Valley	Los Angeles, California	December 8, 1988
San Francisco	San Francisco, California	May 25, 1914
San Juan	San Juan, Puerto Rico	July, 1982
Santa Barbara-Ventura	Santa Barbara-Ventura, California	April 7, 1956
Seattle	Seattle, Washington	December 4, 1919
Shenandoah Valley	Virginia	March 19, 1937
South Bay	San Jose, California	March 22, 1985
South Dade County	Florida	May 19, 1982
Southwest Missouri	Springfield, Missouri	November 17, 1988
Springfield	Springfield, Massachusetts	June 25, 1988
Syracuse	Syracuse, New York	March 15, 1957
Tall Corn	Des Moines, Iowa	October 22, 1949
Tallahassee	Tallahassee, Florida	March 26, 1960
Tisdale	Tisdale, North Dakota	June 11, 1980
Toledo	Toledo, OH	April 8, 1961
Toronto	Toronto, Ontario, Canada	January 26, 1973

Tri-State	Ohio, Kentucky, West Virginia	February 8, 1971
Tulsa	Tulsa, Oklahoma	March 18, 1967
Twin City	Minneapolis-St. Paul, Minnesota	March 1, 1932
Valley of the Sun	Phoenix, Arizona	December 13, 1962
Vancouver	Vancouver, British Columbia	February 10, 1973
Virginia State	Richmond, Virginia	November 10, 1951
Wichita	Wichita, Kansas	October 10, 1947

PRE-LAW CHAPTERS OF PHI ALPHA DELTA

University	Location	Date of Charter
Adelphi University	Garden City, New York	April 30, 1999
Akron, University of	Akron, Ohio	November 2, 1985
Alabama, University of	Tuscaloosa, Alabama	November 16, 1983
American University	Washington, D. C.	December 9, 1999
Arizona, University of	Tucson, Arizona	February 1, 1986
Arizona State University	Tempe, Arizona	November 7, 1984
Arkansas, University of	Fayetteville, Arkansas	April 17, 1985
Arkansas, University of	Monticello, Arkansas	April 29, 1985
Baylor University	Waco, Texas	October 28, 1997
Barry University	Miami Shores, Florida	November 1, 1990
Bowling Green State University	Bowling Green, Ohio	March 3, 1984
Bradley University	Peoria, Illinois	October 20, 1994
Briarcliffe College	Woodbury, New York	April 21, 1994
California, University of	Berkeley, California	March 1, 2002
California, University of	Davis, California	October 22, 1988
California, University of	Irvine, California	November 22, 1985
California, University of	San Diego, California	June 7, 1991
California State University	Dominguez Hills, California	May 18, 1984
California State University	Los Angeles, California	November 14, 1998
California State University	Sacramento, California	December 4, 1984
Canisius College	Buffalo, New York	November 18, 1983
Capital University	Columbus, Ohio	May 1, 1983
Carthage College	Kenosha, Wisconsin	April 28, 1996
Catholic University of America	Washington, D. C.	April 18, 1984
Catholic University of Puerto Rico	Ponce, Puerto Rico	October 21, 1983
Central Arkansas, University of	Conway, Arkansas	December 4, 1986
Central Florida, University of	Orlando, Florida	October 1, 1992
Central Methodist University	Fayette, Missouri	February 19, 1991
Central Michigan University	Mt. Pleasant, Michigan	February 2, 1987
Charleston Southern University	Charleston, South Carolina	September 13, 1996
Christopher Newport University	Newport News, Virginia	April 30, 1999
Cincinnati, University of	Cincinnati, Ohio	March 9, 1984
Clemson University	Clemson, South Carolina	April 26, 1990
Coastal Carolina University	Conway, South Carolina	April 22, 1986
Colorado, University of	Boulder, Colorado	September 18, 1993
Colorado, University of	Colorado Springs, Colorado	March 12, 1988
Columbia College	Columbia, Missouri	April 5, 2000
Concord College	Athens, West Virginia	March 31, 2001
David Lipscomb University	Nashville, Tennessee	May 16, 1985
Dayton, University of	Dayton, Ohio	April 20, 1985
DePaul University	Chicago, Illinois	April 7, 1984
Detroit, University of	Detroit, Michigan	November 22, 1985

Drury College	Springfield, Missouri	May 5, 1982
Elgin Community College	Elgin, Illinois	November 10, 1988
Evansville, University of	Evansville, Indiana	March 14, 1984
Fairleigh-Dickinson University	Madison, New Jersey	October 9, 1992
Ferris State University	Big Rapids, Michigan	March 24, 1992
Flagler College	St. Augustine, Florida	November 17, 1998
Florida, University of	Gainesville, Florida	April 14, 1986
Florida A&M University	Tallahassee, Florida	December 1, 2001
Florida Atlantic University	Davie, Florida	August 5, 1999
Florida International University	Miami, Florida	April 10, 1999
Florida State University	Tallahassee, Florida	April 8, 1995
Gannon University	Erie, Pennsylvania	February 3, 1998
George Mason University	Fairfax, Virginia	October 4, 1992
George Washington University	Washington, D.C.	April 18, 1984
Georgetown University	Washington, D.C.	November 9, 2001
Georgia, University of	Athens, Georgia	June 3, 1984
Georgia Institute of Technology	Atlanta, Georgia	November 20, 2000
Georgia State University	Atlanta, Georgia	October 25, 1998
Golden Gate University	San Francisco, California	August 15, 1986
Hamline University	St. Paul, Minnesota	January 22, 2000
Hardin-Simmons University	Abilene, Texas	March 5, 1992
Hillsdale College	Hillsdale, Michigan	October 25, 1996
Hofstra University	Hempstead, New York	December 7, 1989
Houston, University of	Houston, Texas	April 10, 1997
Houston - Clear Lake, University of	Houston, Texas	November 2, 1997
Houston Baptist University	Houston, Texas	March 2, 2001
Illinois, University of	Champaign, Illinois	April 5, 1994
Illinois, University of	Chicago, Illinois	May 12, 1984
Illinois College	Jacksonville, Illinois	February 20, 1996
Illinois State University	Normal, Illinois	January 28, 1990
Incarnate Word, University of the	San Antonio, Texas	December 5, 1999
Indiana University	Bloomington, Indiana	April 11, 1984
Indiana University/Purdue University	Indianapolis, Indiana	November 13, 1998
InterAmerican University of Puerto Rico	San German, Puerto Rico	December 2, 1988
InterAmerican University of Puerto Rico	San Juan, Puerto Rico	March 8, 1986
Iowa, University of	Iowa City, Iowa	November 23, 1997
John Carroll University	University Heights, Ohio	February 25, 1994
Kansas, University of	Lawrence, Kansas	September 25, 1994
Kent State University	Kent, Ohio	April 28, 1982
Kentucky, University of	Lexington, Kentucky	December 5, 1999
LaSalle University	Philadelphia, Pennsylvania	November 3, 1994
Louisville, University of	Louisville, Kentucky	September 23, 1982
Loyola University	Chicago, Illinois	March 21, 1996
Loyola University	New Orleans, Louisiana	January 8, 1988
Marquette University	Milwaukee, Wisconsin	November 22, 1985
Marshall University	Huntington, West Virginia	December 11, 1982

Maryland, University of	College Park, Maryland	March 5, 1999
Memphis-Tennessee, University of	Memphis, Tennessee	April 14, 1997
Mercer University	Macon, Georgia	April 12, 1985
Methodist College	Hope Mills, North Carolina	May 5, 2002
Miami, University of	Miami, Florida	October 24, 1996
Miami University	Oxford, Ohio	May 2, 2001
Michigan, University of	Ann Arbor, Michigan	February 17, 1989
Michigan, University of	Dearborn, Michigan	April 4, 1990
Michigan State University	East Lansing, Michigan	May 18, 1990
Mississippi College	Clinton, Mississippi	April 26, 1984
Missouri, University of	Columbia, Missouri	February 16, 1984
Missouri, University of	Kansas City, Missouri	March 20, 1997
Missouri, University of	St. Louis, Missouri	January 11, 2001
Monmouth University	W. Longbranch, New Jersey	April 19, 1990
Montclair State College	Upper Montclair, New Jersey	February 25, 1987
Morehead State University	Morehead, Kentucky	October 19, 1982
Mount Saint Mary's College	Los Angeles, California	August 8, 1995
Nebraska, University of	Lincoln, Nebraska	May 4, 1997
Nevada, University of	Las Vegas, Nevada	October 24, 1985
Nevada, University of	Reno, Nevada	April 23, 1998
New Mexico, University of	Albuquerque, New Mexico	May 14, 2001
New Orleans, University of	New Orleans, Louisiana	November 22, 1998
New York, State University of	Albany, New York	May 2, 1991
New York, State University of	Binghamton, New York	December 6, 1990
New York, State University of	Geneseo, New York	April 2, 1997
New York, State University of	Stony Brook, New York	May 26, 1987
Niagara University	Niagara Falls, New York	January 30, 1984
North Carolina, University of	Asheville, North Carolina	April 11, 1985
North Carolina, University of	Chapel Hill, North Carolina	October 10, 1994
North Texas, University of	Denton, Texas	March 8, 1989
Northern Arizona University	Flagstaff, Arizona	March 2, 1983
Northern Illinois, University of	DeKalb, Illinois	April 5, 1984
Northeastern University	Tahlequah, Oklahoma	April 6, 1999
Northwestern University	Evanston, Illinois	May 28, 1998
Nova Southeastern University	Ft. Lauderdale, Florida	April 30, 1986
Ohio University	Athens, Ohio	May 4, 1982
Ohio State University	Columbus, Ohio	February 20, 1983
Oklahoma, University of	Norman, Oklahoma	April 26, 1984
Oklahoma Baptist University	Shawnee, Oklahoma	April 16, 1999
Oklahoma City University	Oklahoma City, Oklahoma	May 2, 1985
Oklahoma State University	Stillwater, Oklahoma	February 15, 1985
Oral Roberts University	Tulsa, Oklahoma	October 28, 1992
Pacific, University of the	Stockton, California	December 8, 1992
Pacific Lutheran University	Tacoma, Washington	November 9, 1994
Pasadena City College	Pasadena, California	March 12, 1993
Pennsylvania, University of	Philadelphia, Pennsylvania	February 28, 1993

Pepperdine University	Malibu, California	April 3, 1986
Puerto Rico, University of	Mayaguez, Puerto Rico	February 23, 1989
Puget Sound, University of	Tacoma, Washington	May 7, 1992
Radford University	Radford, Virginia	October 24, 1984
Ramapo College	Mahwah, New Jersey	April 26, 1990
Regis University	Denver, Colorado	September 29, 2001
Richmond, University of	Richmond, Virginia	April 29, 1983
Rollins College	Winter Park, Florida	October 23, 1993
Rose-Hulman Institute of Technology	Terre Haute, Indiana	September 29, 2001
Saint Edward's University	Austin, Texas	September 21, 1990
Saint John Fisher College	Rochester, New York	April 27, 2001
Saint Louis University	St. Louis, Missouri	April 19, 1985
Saint Mary's University	San Antonio, Texas	December 5, 1999
Salisbury State University	Salisbury, Maryland	March 21, 1993
Sam Houston State University	Huntsville, Texas	October 12, 1994
San Diego, University of	San Diego, California	April 25, 1982
Savannah State University	Savannah, Georgia	May 31, 1997
Seattle University	Seattle, Washington	May 23, 1995
Seton Hall University	South Orange, New Jersey	February 20, 1986
South Alabama, University of	Mobile, Alabama	April 28, 1984
South Carolina, University of	Columbia, South Carolina	December 6, 1991
South Carolina State University	Orangeburg, South Carolina	April 5, 2002
South Dakota, University of	Vermillion, South Dakota	April 18, 1985
Southern Arkansas University	Magnolia, Arkansas	April 29, 1987
Southern California, University of	Los Angeles, California	April 24, 1983
Southern Illinois University	Edwardsville, Illinois	November 1, 1990
Southern Methodist University	Dallas, Texas	February 26, 1991
Southwest Baptist University	Bolivar, Missouri	October 20, 1983
Southwest Missouri State University	Springfield, Missouri	April 24, 1981
Southwest Texas State University	San Marcos, Texas	May 2, 1987
Stephens College	Columbia, Missouri	April 20, 1995
Stetson University	DeLand, Florida	October 8, 1985
Sweet Briar College	Sweet Briar, Virginia	February 8, 1995
Syracuse University	Syracuse, New York	January 19, 1992
Tarleton State University	Stephenville, Texas	December 4, 2000
Temple University	Philadelphia, Pennsylvania	July 20, 1996
Tennessee, University of	Knoxville, Tennessee	October 7, 1992
Tennessee, University of	Martin, Tennessee	May 21, 1984
Texas, University of, at Arlington	Arlington, Texas	October 25, 1990
Texas, University of	Austin, Texas	January 31, 1987
Texas, University of, at Dallas	Dallas, Texas	April 20, 1989
Texas, University of, at San Antonio	San Antonio, Texas	April 23, 1991
Texas A&M University	Commerce, Texas	September 30, 1994
Texas Tech University	Lubbock, Texas	March 11, 1992
Texas Wesleyan University	Ft. Worth, Texas	December 5, 1989
Texas Woman's University	Denton, Texas	March 22, 1989

Thomas More College	Crestview, Ohio	November 19, 1989
Toledo, University of	Toledo, Ohio	April 30, 1989
Trinity University	San Antonio, Texas	November 9, 1991
Tulsa, University of	Tulsa, Oklahoma	January 14, 1987
Utah, University of	Salt Lake City, Utah	November 16, 1995
Valdosta State College	Valdosta, Georgia	November 8, 1991
Vanderbilt University	Nashville, Tennessee	December 9, 1992
Virginia, University of	Charlottesville, Virginia	February 24, 1991
Virginia Tech University	Blacksburg, Virginia	October 9, 1986
Walsh College	Canton, Ohio	November 23, 1981
Washington, University of	Seattle, Washington	April 9, 1985
Washington University	St. Louis, Missouri	September 12, 1986
Wayne State University	Detroit, Michigan	March 25, 1994
Weber State College	Ogden, Utah	May 18, 1985
West Florida, University of	Pensacola, Florida	August 2, 1998
West Texas State University	Canyon, Texas	May 1, 1985
Western Carolina University	Cullowhee, North Carolina	April 18, 1984
Western Maryland College	Westminster, Maryland	May 10, 1997
Western Oregon University	Monmouth, Oregon	March 5, 1999
Westminster College	Fulton, Missouri	February 3, 2000
Willamette University	Salem, Oregon	April 10, 1986
William & Mary, College of	Williamsburg, Virginia	January 24, 1998
William Jewell College	Liberty, Missouri	April 4, 1997
William Woods University	Fulton, Missouri	November 10, 1998
Wisconsin, University of	Oshkosh, Wisconsin	May 11, 1984
Wofford College	Spartenburg, South Carolina	February 15, 1989
Wright State University	Dayton, Ohio	June 8, 1990
Wyoming, University of	Laramie, Wyoming	April 2, 1996
Xavier University	New Orleans, Louisiana	May 1, 1986
Youngstown University	Youngstown, Ohio	May 20, 1988

THE DISTINGUISHED SERVICE CHAPTER

In 1966 an award was established by the then Supreme Executive Board, now International Executive Board. Known as the Distinguished Service Chapter, the award was incorporated into the Constitution by a subsequent Convention. The Distinguished Service Chapter is composed of members of the Fraternity who have been selected in recognition of unusual and outstanding service to the Fraternity. Election is the highest honor awarded by the Fraternity, other than election to International office. Membership is determined by unanimous election by the International Executive Board.

WALTER G. BRIDGES was initiated into Morgan Chapter at the University of Alabama January 13, 1950. He served as District Justice from 1966 to 1970 and from 1984 to 1986. During his terms of service as District Justice, two of his chapters won the Most Outstanding District Justice Award.

He has served several terms as Justice of the Alabama Alumni Chapter. He has served as a State Coordinator for our Law Related Education program through the Phi Alpha Delta Public Service Center.

In his professional career, he practiced law in Bessemer, Alabama, and then served as District Attorney in Bessemer for the next two and one-half years. He became a County Court Judge in 1961 and was elevated to the State Circuit Court in 1975, retiring in 1984. However, again, he was pressed back into service and is now serving as an active retired judge.

HON. TOM C. CLARK was an Associate Justice of the Supreme Court of the United States and a former Attorney General of the United States. He served four years as Supreme Vice Justice of P.A.D. and over the years, faithfully and enthusiastically served the Fraternity in countless capacities.

A member of Taney Chapter at Southern Methodist University, he traversed the United States on many occasions to attend chapter initiations, District conclaves and chapter functions. He was the true embodiment of the motto of the Fraternity, Service to the Student, the Law School, the Profession and the Community.

CARL E. DIETZE served the Fraternity as Chief Tribune and as a member of the Board of Trustees of the Endowment Fund. He attended every International Convention from 1936 until the time of his death in 1970. He served on more Convention committees than any other P.A.D. in the history of the Fraternity.

He was a member of the Ryan Chapter at the University of Wisconsin, where he obtained his LL.B. in 1915. Over the years, he was extremely active in the Milwaukee Alumni Chapter, having served as its Justice for a number of years. Upon his death, he left a substantial bequest to the Endowment Fund of the Fraternity.

FRANK E. GRAY served as Executive Secretary of the Fraternity from 1948 to 1952. It was during this time that the Fraternity underwent its most rapid growth and expansion. Brother Gray played a most prominent part in such.

A member of Ford Chapter at Loyola University School of Law and past Justice of the Los Angeles Alumni Chapter, he served as Supreme Secretary from 1952 until 1960, when he chose not to seek re-election. He attended all Conventions from the time of his initiation in 1943 until his death in 1974.

CHARLES TOM HENDERSON was a law professor and later assistant Attorney General of the State of Florida.

He served the Fraternity as District Justice until he was elected Supreme Secretary in 1946 and thereafter was Supreme Second Vice Justice. He presided at the 1954 International Convention due to the illness of Supreme Justice Anthony P. Savarese. He was Justice of the Tallahassee Alumni Chapter and attended numerous International Conventions where he chaired various committees. He became a member of Brewer Chapter at Stetson University in 1926.

DON HUTSON graduated with honors from George Washington University School of Law in 1958, where he was Justice of Jay Chapter. He has not only been a teacher and ordained minister, but is one of Missouri's leading trial attorneys. While in college, he was twice intercollegiate debate champion.

He is past District XII Student District Justice and past District Justice for the Missouri area. He was General Convention Chairman for the 1966 International Convention and has served in various positions on the International Executive Board. His service was culminated in the position of International Justice for the period 1976-1978. He has authored a multitude of publications, which have seen extensive use in the Fraternity.

C. RAYMOND JUDICE was the charter Justice of Samuel Houston Chapter at South Texas College of Law in 1961. His interest in Phi Alpha Delta grew rapidly and upon graduation, he served as a volunteer Assistant to the Supreme Justice of the Fraternity. He later served as District Justice of the district composed of the law schools in Texas, Arkansas, and Oklahoma, and upon redistricting, of the chapters located in Texas and Louisiana.

He was elected as the Supreme Historian of the Fraternity in 1966 during which tenure he wrote the first Official History of the fraternity and presented the fraternity with the beautifully carved official gavel of the fraternity. He continued his service in several positions on the Supreme Executive Board, and was elected Supreme Justice in 1974. Upon his retirement as Supreme Justice, he presented the Fraternity with the carved wooden logo of the Fraternity that is used at the head table at each convention. During his tenure as Supreme Secretary, he authored many fraternity papers and publications.. He has attended seventeen Biennial Conventions.

Professionally, he practiced law in Houston, served as a trial judge in Houston for ten years, and for over twenty years served as the first Administrative Director of the Texas Judicial System.

J. HARRY LaBRUM served as Supreme Justice from 1938 to 1946, during some of the most troubled years in the history of the Fraternity. It was largely due to his stewardship and vision that the Fraternity emerged from World War II in a position which enabled it to thereafter make rapid strides towards its eventual achievement of the position of being the leading law fraternity in the world.

During his career, he was Chairman of the National Conference of Lawyers, Insurance Companies and Adjustors of the American Bar Association and as General Counsel for Finland in the States of Pennsylvania and New Jersey.

He was a member of Taft Chapter at Georgetown University.

JOHN J. McAULAY has long been active in P.A.D. He is beloved by hundreds of Fraternity members in District XVI and throughout the Fraternity. He is a former Faculty Advisor and District Justice and served as General Convention Chairman for the 1970 New Orleans International Convention.

He has been a professor of law at Loyola University for over forty years and served as Associate Dean and as Acting Dean for a considerable period of time. He is past Chairman of the Southeastern Conference of the Association of American Law Schools. He is a past Justice of the New Orleans Alumni Chapter.

FRANK J. McCOWN graduated from Miami University in 1962 and Ohio State University College of Law in 1964 where he served as Justice of McKinley Chapter. His service to P.A.D. is long and extensive. From 1967 to 1970 he served as an Assistant to the Supreme Justice and traveled extensively throughout the United States and Canada. From 1970 to 1972 he served as District X Justice. At the 1972 Convention he chaired the Merger Committee which oversaw the merger of Phi Delta Delta Women's Legal Fraternity with Phi Alpha Delta. He was elected to the Executive Board in 1972 and served in various capacities until he became International Justice in 1978.

His service to P.A.D. did not end with his term as International Justice. He became deeply interested in the Fraternity's fledgling Pre-Law Chapter Program and served for a time as Director of the Program. It was due in major part to his outstanding efforts and contributions of time and money that this program has grown to 130 chapters.

RICHARD P. McCULLY served as the Charter Justice of the McKellar Chapter at Memphis State University in the early 1960s. After graduation he served as the National Field Representative for the Fraternity from 1967 to 1970. From 1971 to 1973 he served as District Justice in the Tennessee area where he was serving as an Assistant Attorney General of Tennessee. Later relocating to Florida, he served as a Disciplinary Counsel for the Judicial Branch of the State of Florida. While there he was instrumental in founding the Alumni Chapter of Ft. Lauderdale and the Mentschikoff Chapter at St. Thomas University there.

He has served as the Chair of the Host Committees of two Biennial Conventions and Chair of the Nominations Committee of two Biennial Conventions. He recently was the catalyst in reactivating Russell Chapter at the University of Georgia and the McKellar Chapter in Memphis, and is presently serving as the Special Projects Coordinator of the fraternity with the responsibility of reactivating dominate chapters throughout the Fraternity. Never seeking personal accolades or aggrandizement, he simply goes about his business, with Phi Alpha Delta on his mind. He was appointed as a Federal Administrative Law Judge in Atlanta, Georgia.

DONALD R. MOORE has been active in the Fraternity since his law student days at Georgetown University, when he was Justice of Taft Chapter. After graduation, he helped reorganize the then dormant Washington Alumni Chapter and later became its Justice. He served as District Justice of the Delaware, Maryland, the District of Columbia, Virginia, North Carolina and South Carolina and was instrumental in the chartering of three new active chapters and of three new alumni chapters, as well as a reactivation of a fourth chapter.

He served on the International Tribunal from 1962 until his election to the International Executive Board in 1968. He served on the Board in various capacities, attaining the position of International Second Vice Justice in 1974. He has attended every International Convention since 1956 and has been Chairman or Advisor of various Convention committees. Professionally, he served as a member of the Federal Trade Commission staff and as an Administrative Trial Judge.

MATTHEW S. "SANDY" RAE was the chapter Charter Justice of the Wiley Rutledge Chapter at Duke University when it was installed in 1946. He attended his first Biennial Convention in 1946 and has attended every Convention since that date.

Sandy was appointed District Justice of District XII and served in that position from 1947 through 1949. He served as the National Field Representative from 1949 through 1951.

After moving to Los Angeles, he was elected to the position of Marshal in the Los Angeles Alumni Chapter and thereafter held every elective position in that alumni chapter, culminating with his election as Justice in 1961. He also served as the National Placement Director from 1958 through 1960. He served as District Justice for District III from 1960 to 1966 when he was elected Supreme Treasurer. He continued to serve on the Supreme Executive Board from that time until 1972 when he was elected Supreme Justice of the fraternity.

He is presently engaged in the private practice of law as partner in the firm of Darling, Hall, Rae, and Gute. He continues his active participation in Phi Alpha Delta to this day.

ROBERT E. REDDING has served the Fraternity in a multitude of capacities including District Justice, Washington, DC, Alumni Chapter Justice, Associate Tribune, Supreme Marshal, Supreme Treasurer, Supreme Second Vice Justice, Supreme Vice Justice and Supreme Justice.

It was during his tenure as Supreme Justice from 1966 to 1968 that the Fraternity made the greatest strides towards attaining its reputation as being the Professional Law Fraternity. His professional career has been varied and includes government service with the Civil Aeronautics Board, the Tax Court of the United States, Judge of the Appeal Tax Court of Montgomery County, Maryland, Vice President, Secretary and General Counsel of the Transportation Association of America and consultant to various transportation groups.

He is a member of Taft Chapter at Georgetown University.

WILLIAM B. ROBERTSON is a past Justice of the Washington, DC, Alumni Chapter, a Past District Justice and a past Associate Tribune. Probably his most important contribution to the Fraternity, however, has been the development of the popular annual function known as "PAD Day at the United States Supreme Court." He chaired the event from its inception until just a few years ago. Under his leadership, the event has become one of the most popular the Fraternity sponsored.

He is a member of Taft Chapter at Georgetown University.

FREDRICK J. WEITKAMP was appointed Executive Director of the Fraternity in 1953 and served in that capacity until his retirement in 1992. As Executive Director, he was the Chief Administrative Officer of the Fraternity. He has directed the day-to-day operations of the Fraternity for thirty-nine years. He is a past President of the Professional Fraternity Association, an organization of professional fraternities representing over one and one-half million people.

He has organized and directed the past twenty-one International Conventions of the Fraternity.

He became a member of the at Ross Chapter at the University of Southern California.

JOHN F. WEITKAMP is well known throughout the Fraternity. He has been involved in its growth and development literally throughout his life. He attended his first biennial convention at the age of nine where he served as an assistant to his father, running errands and establishing world speed records in assembling convention packets for delegates.

A graduate of Loyola Law School in Los Angeles, he served as clerk and then Justice of Ford Chapter. During his tenure as Justice, Ford Chapter initiated a record number of new members and received the First Place in the Outstanding Chapter Competition.

After graduation he served as District III Justice until 1983, when he was appointed Coordinator of District Operations for the entire Fraternity and also served as Program Director of the newly established Pre-Law Program. He later served as Special Projects Consultant. All of these positions were on a volunteer basis. Twice in recent years he has stepped in as Acting Executive Director of the Fraternity, which allowed the International Executive Board sufficient time to undertake nationwide searches for new Executive Directors. His has been an extraordinary contribution of his time and his substantial talent to our Fraternity. John is in private practice in Granada Hills, California.

HON. CHARLES E. WHITTAKER was an Associate Justice of the Supreme Court of the United States. He had a sincere dedication to Phi Alpha Delta and its purposes and ideals and was ever ready to participate in Fraternity functions and to assist active and alumni chapters.

The practice of law was his sole dedication. He was President of the Missouri Bar immediately prior to his appointment to the United States District Court for the Western District of Missouri. In 1950, he was elevated to the Court of Appeals for the Eighth Circuit and in 1957, was appointed an Associate Justice of the Supreme Court of the United States by President Eisenhower. He has gained the reputation as a legal craftsman, dispassionate with his judicious decisions.

Justice Whittaker was a member of Benton Chapter at the University of Missouri-Kansas City.

Tom C. Clark Equal Justice Under Law Award



The Tom C. Clark Equal Justice Under Law Award was established by Phi Alpha Delta Law Fraternity, International to recognize the accomplishments of outstanding people who by their devoted dedication to the principles of "Equal Justice Under Law" serve society and their fellow man. It is named for Mr. Justice Tom C. Clark in recognition of his long tenure of rendering outstanding public service to all of our citizens, for his compassion and integrity, and for his loyal and dedicated commitment to Phi Alpha Delta Law Fraternity, International. The award is presented only with the unanimous consent of the International Executive Board.

RECIPIENTS OF THIS PRESTIGIOUS AWARD

HONORABLE KENNETH D. TAYLOR - The Canadian Ambassador to Iran. Conferred on July 31, 1980 during the 43rd Biennial Convention for his actions in saving several American citizens when the American Embassy in Teheran was attacked and overrun in late 1979.

JUDGE JOHN MINOR WISDOM - Judge of the United States Court of Appeals for the Fifth Circuit in New Orleans, Louisiana. Conferred on August 7, 1982 during the 44th Biennial Convention by International Justice Steve Clark for his courageous work in interpreting and applying the Civil Rights Act of 1964 and the United States Supreme Court decisions arising therefrom.

SENATOR CLAUDE PEPPER - United States Senator and Representative from the State of Florida. Conferred on August 4, 1984 during the 45th Biennial Convention for his congressional leadership in the areas of human rights and relationships and his perennial commitment for the concerns of his fellow citizens.

JUDGE JOHN J. SIRICA - United States Judge for the Washington, D.C. District. Conferred on October 17, 1985 for his judicial courage and fortitude in presiding over the immensely important Watergate trials which led to the only resignation from office of an incumbent President of the United States. This award parallels the award that Judge Sirica had received in 1973 from the American Judges Association for his judicial integrity and courage.

PRESIDENT JIMMY CARTER - President of the United States. Conferred on September 14, 1987 at the Carter Presidential Center in Atlanta, Georgia for his continuing concern for and outstanding work in the area of Human Rights in the United States and the world.

HONORABLE BARBARA JORDAN - United States Representative from Texas. Conferred in January, 1991 at the LBJ Presidential Library in Austin, Texas for her longstanding work in the area of Civil Rights.

SENATOR RICHARD J. LUGAR - United States Senator from Indiana. Conferred on January 21, 1992 for his congressional leadership.

COL. BRENDA J. HOLLIS - Senior Trial Attorney in the Office of the Prosecutor for the United Nations International Criminal Tribunal. Conferred on August 4, 2000 for her relentless quest for equal justice in prosecuting the first litigated war crimes before an International Tribunal since World War II.

JUSTICE RUTH BADER GINSBURG - United States Supreme Court Justice. Conferred on June 4, 2002 for her commitment to equality for all and her ceaseless efforts to end institutionalized discrimination against women.

CAPITAL CAMPAIGN

In the early 2000s the Capital Campaign was established. The following articles and list of contributors appeared in the May, 2002 issue of The Reporter.

Building Opportunities

With the move of the Executive Office from the west coast to the east coast and the acquisition of a headquarters building in Baltimore in 1999, coupled with our Fraternity's upcoming Centennial in 2002, the International Executive Board has established the "P.A.D. Building Opportunities Capital Campaign". The Campaign was "kicked off" at our 2000 Convention in Miami Beach.

The contributions raised from the Capital Campaign will be utilized: (1) to satisfy the outstanding obligations incurred to acquire the Baltimore building which now houses P.A.D.'s operations (approx. \$350,000); (2) to create a fund to pay part of the repair and maintenance expenses of the building for 20 years (approximately \$125,000, properly invested should yield \$13,000 a year for 20 years); and (3) to pay the expenses of the campaign (approximately \$25,000). Thus, our goal is to raise \$500,000.

When the campaign goal is achieved, the direct benefit to the Fraternity will be the elimination or reduction of significant long-term expenses of the building and its obligations, which will result in an average of some \$50,000 or more annually of General and Endowment Fund monies being "freed up" for other operational uses.

At present, our Fraternity has received pledges and contributions totaling over \$195,000, almost forty percent (40%) of our Campaign goal and the cash contributions have allowed us to reduce the mortgage principal by \$110,000 with the most recent \$10,000 payment having occurred just prior to the publication of this issue of the Reporter. These paydowns will result in a savings of approximately \$330,000 to our Fraternity over the next 20 years.

Ownership in P.A.D.'s building and real property is held 54% by the P.A.D. Endowment Fund and 46% by the General Fund of Phi Alpha Delta Law Fraternity, International. The "Building Opportunities" Capital Campaign is a "blended" campaign raising contributions which benefit both funds, satisfying the overall indebtedness and ongoing maintenance related to the building. In view of the foregoing, P.A.D.'s tax counsel has advised us that 54% of each contribution will be tax deductible as a charitable contribution for income tax purposes and 46% will not (but may be deductible under other provisions of the Internal Revenue Code depending on one's personal/professional circumstances. Please consult with your tax advisor in this regard.)

This is an "all-inclusive" capital campaign as individual P.A.D. members of all levels (pre-law, law school and alumni) are being encouraged to participate as are our pre-law, law school and alumni chapters and non-member individuals and entities.

In addition, there is also an opportunity to procure and reserve "naming tributes" of various components of the P.A.D. headquarters. For example, these include: \$100,000 to name the Building; \$50,000 for the Boardroom; \$50,000 for the Executive Office itself; \$35,000 for the Lobby; \$25,000 for the Communications Office; \$25,000 for the DCO Office; \$25,000 for the Executive Director's Office (already claimed); \$25,000 for the Finance Office; \$25,000 for the Pre-Law Office; \$25,000 for the PSC Office; \$15,000 for the Upstairs Reception Area; \$15,000 for the Workroom; \$10,000 for the History Hallway (already claimed); \$10,000 for the Filing Area; and \$10,000 for the Elevator. Two other contributors have made substantial gifts but have not yet selected their naming opportunities.

Information on the benefits to be derived by the Fraternity from your support and the recognition that each member and chapter will receive is available on the Fraternity's website: www.pad.org.

This Capital Campaign is one of the most significant ways in which we, as P.A.D. members, may “close out” the Fraternity’s first Century, while providing for our members well into our second 100 years. Won’t you join us in supporting this most worthy endeavor? We look forward to hosting a “burn the mortgage” party at P.A.D.’s Centennial Convention at the Pointe Hilton Squaw Peak Resort in Phoenix, Arizona from July 31-August 4, 2002 and we want you to be there with us! Thank you for your earnest consideration of this project.

Leading the Way...The Capital Campaign Train Is Off and Running!

In this Fraternity, miracles are possible. The “impossible” just takes a little longer. Consider the fact that for almost 100 years, Phi Alpha Delta never had a permanent home; a headquarters that was actually owned by its members. Yet now, just months before the commencement of our Centennial Celebration, your Fraternity has that headquarters and its own building, in the historic section of downtown Baltimore, walking-distance from the exciting Inner Harbor District, Camden Yards and PSI Net Stadium, home of the defending Super Bowl Champion Baltimore Ravens.

That’s the miracle! Now, for the impossible: In an effort to ease the financial burden on both the Fraternity and the Endowment Fund, we have embarked on an international campaign to raise the funds necessary to payoff the entire debt obligations necessary to acquire and improve the headquarters and to create a perpetual sinking/maintenance fund to service it.

“Impossible,” you say. Hardly! The \$500,000 Building Opportunities Capital Campaign, announced at last year’s Convention, and implemented thereafter, is a true testament to the spirit of Phi Alpha Delta Members!

Leading by example, the International Executive Board, International Tribunal, District Justices, Executive Office Staff and several Past International Officers, were the first to contribute to this great cause. Since the rollout, individual law school, pre-law and alumni chapters and members have likewise “jumped on the bandwagon.” Have you? Special fund-raisers are being held at various chapters throughout this hemisphere, as everyone wants to “come aboard” and share in the success of our Fraternity’s efforts. Some of the more innovative approaches have included a “Kiss the Frog” event and another chapter has “tacked on” a \$5 surcharge to its annual dues/initiation fees, with those proceeds being directed to this campaign.

“But, I’m only a law student and haven’t any real money?”

Doesn’t matter. No contribution amount is too small. Do the math: The net effect of one \$10,000 contribution is the same as a contribution of \$100 from 100 members. While we have several contributors who have qualified as members of the Centurion Club (open to the first 100 members who contribute \$5,000 or more) — and if you want to do likewise, naming opportunities exist for all contributions in excess of \$10,000 — the truth is that we want all of our members to participate, regardless of the amount. So far, two such naming opportunities have already been claimed: the Executive Director’s Office and the History Hallway.

Individual personalized “bricks” may be purchased for as little as \$250. What a great gift to perpetually remember your P.A.D. experience, honor a member and/or your chapter.

“P.A.D. has been really good to me, but I’ve just started my own practice. Do I need to come up with all of the money now?”

No. Obviously, the sooner that the funds are received the sooner that the loans can be paid down and the maintenance fund established, but we encourage you to make your commitment (pledge) at this time, even if you can’t pay it all now. Payments on your pledge may be made over a period not to exceed 60 months. Some members have already embarked on an automatic withdrawal program, where payments are made directly from their bank account, each month. Simple, relatively painless and very effective!

“Sure I love Phi Alpha Delta, but I’d like to get a tax deduction for my contribution.”

Great news, since the Endowment Fund (an entity exempt from taxation under Internal Revenue Code Section 501(c)(3)), owns 54% of the headquarters facility, 54% of the amount of your donation to this Campaign is tax deductible as a charitable contribution. The remaining 46% of it may be deductible as an ordinary and necessary business expense, but please check with your tax advisor to make sure that you qualify.

“Are there any other ways of making a contribution, besides writing a check?”

Absolutely, and in some instances these contributions may provide even greater tax benefits. While it is often said that “cash is king,” the Fraternity is also equipped to receive contributions to this campaign in the form of stocks, bonds, real estate, etc.

“O.K., I want to “board the train” with everyone else and help make this Centennial Celebration a true Mortgage Burning Flaming Event! How do I get the details?”

For more information on the Building Opportunities Capital Campaign, please feel free to contact the Executive Office (by telephone at (410) 347-3118 or by e-mail at frank@pad.org), either of the Capital Campaign Co-Chairmen, John Weitkamp [(818) 363-3144 or jweitkamp@aol.com] or Cliff Schechter [(619) 515-5720 or padij@aol.com] or visit our website at www.pad.org.

NAMING OPPORTUNITIES

Fredrick J. Weitkamp (Ross) - Executive Director's Office
Derek Hill (Hull) & Rhonda Hill (Cole) - P.A.D. History Hallway
C. Raymond Judice (Houston)
Clifford Schechter (Wormser)
John F. Weitkamp (Ford) & Karen Zdonzyk (Sammis) - To be determined

THE CENTURIONS

Curtis Anderson (Ross) & Margaret Cummisky (Ross)
Luis Armstrong-Cortada (deDiego)
Joseph E. Deems (Sammis)
Karen Massey (Lawson)
Frank C. Patek, II (Egan)
J. David Rozsa (Hammond)
Robert L. Schimmel (Rasco)
Shelley A. Weinstein (McCormick)
Maree Wiggins-Blackston (Pinckney)
Ronald J. Winter (Alden)
Alan S. Zerkowitz (Champ Clark) and Jackie Zerkowitz
Noelle Natoli (Sammis)
Allison Bloom (W. Douglas) and Alan W. Henschke
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OFFICIAL INSIGNIA COAT OF ARMS



HERALDIC DESCRIPTION

CREST: A Lamp, Or, upon the Torse, Or; surrounded by a Wreath, Or.

SHIELD: Escutcheon, Or, parted per pale; on the dexter, Purpure, a Balance, Or; on the sinister, Purpure, a book open, Or.

MOTTO: PHI ALPHA DELTA, Or; upon the Scroll, Purpure.

CONTEMPORARY DESCRIPTION

CREST: A lighted Lamp of Learning, gold in color, resting upon a Greek Ionic Column, gold in color, which rises from the center peak of the shield, both surrounded by the Wreath of Victory, gold in color.

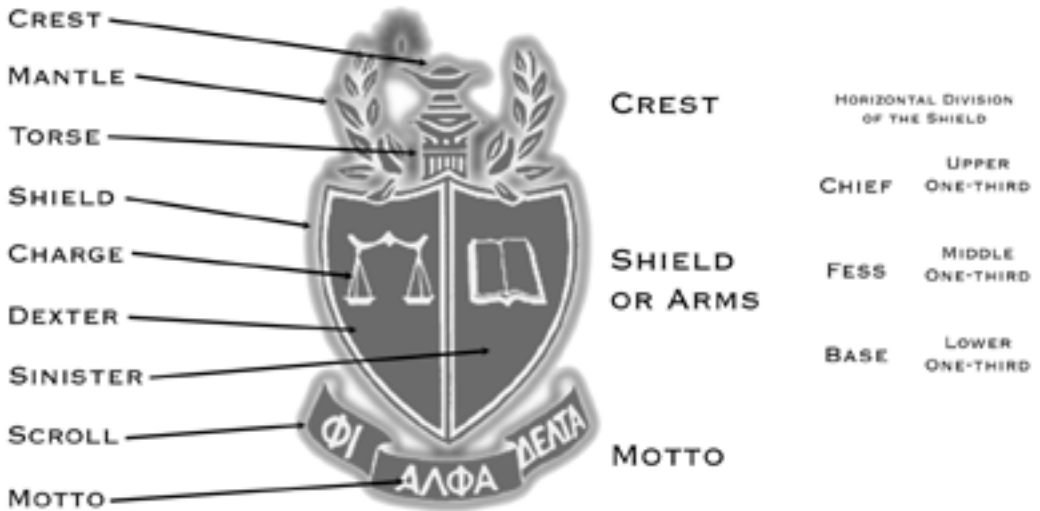
SHIELD: A shield, gold in color, divided into two equal parts by a perpendicular line running from the center of the peak of the shield to the center of the base; on the right side of the shield, which is purple in color, appears the Scales of Justice, gold in color; on the left side, also purple in color, appears the open Book of Knowledge, gold in color. (*Note: the references here are to the “stage right” and “stage left”*)

MOTTO: The Motto, Phi Alpha Delta, appears in upper case Greek Letters, gold in color upon a ribbon, purple in color, which is located just below the shield and centered thereon.

CONCISE HISTORY OF HERALDRY

The Art of Heraldry had its inception with the necessity of identifying friend from foe during the battles of the Middle Ages. Here was developed the idea of placing certain identifying signs upon the surcoats of cloth which were worn over the body of armor of the Knights. These identifying signs or marks were soon developed into certain patterns and became known as the “Coat-of-Arms” of an individual knight and of the serfs who fought under him. Soon thereafter, this same design was transferred to the shield of the Knight and thus has descended to us the tradition of the present day “Coat-of-Arms” concept.

The Coat-of-Arms, also known as “Armorial Achievement”, “Achievement”, “Armorial Bearings” and “Hatchment” has several major distinctive parts known respectively as 1) The Shield, 2) The Crest and 3) The Motto. These parts are further subdivided into various component parts as indicated in the illustration below.



In heraldic terms, “to blazon a coat of arms” is to describe it verbally. To avoid ambiguity and inaccuracy, heraldry has developed terms and grammar of its own, much as the Law has its own terminology.

The Shield is the one basic and essential element of any Coat-of-Arms. The face of the shield is known as the ‘Field’; the upper one-third of which is known as “The Chief”, the middle one-third is known as “The Fess”, and the lower one-third is known as “The Base”. Dividing the shield vertically into two equal parts, the right side (i.e. the “stage right”) is known as “The Dexter”

A “charge” is a figure or symbol placed upon the shield, or upon any division of it, or across any divisions of the field. These charges may be of any type or shape, known or unknown to mankind. Thus, on our

Coat-of-Arms appear as charges, the Scales of Justice on the dexter of the field and the Book of Knowledge on the sinister. The term “Crest” originally was reserved to describe the helmet of the Knight, which usually appeared at the top center of the shield. Today, however, it is commonly used to refer to that part of the Coat-of-Arms which surmounts the shield. The symbol or symbols appearing in the Crest normally face the dexter. Thus, in our crest, the lighted Lamp of Learning appears facing the dexter, seated upon the “Torse”, which is in the form of a Greek Ionic Column, both of which are surrounded by the “Mantle” which is in the form of a Wreath of Victory. All of the symbols in our Crest appear in Gold.

Properly and originally, the “Torse” was a representation of a lashing that secured the Crest to the crown of the Helmet. It was originally conceived of as being two pieces of cloth or metal, each of separate tincture, twisted together to show six alternating segments of cloth or metal. The mantle was a cloth originally worn over the helmet as protection from the heat of the sun. It usually repeated the principal colors used in the Coat-of-Arms.

In heraldic terms the “Motto” has a different connotation than it does in contemporary language. It referred to an ancient war cry, or was a reference to an ancestral achievement, or a reference to a sacred oath or sentimental object. Thus we have our motto, “Phi Alpha Delta”. To avoid having the motto appear in empty space, it is generally superimposed upon a ribbon, which is known as the “Scroll” and is usually located just below the shield.

The metals used in heraldry are limited to “Or”, which is gold, and to “Argent”, which is silver. The colors used are “Azure”, which is blue, “Gules”, which is red, “Purpure”, which is purple, “Sable”, which is black, and “Vert”, which is green. In addition, some heraldic artists have introduced “Cerulean” for light blue, “Tenne” for orange, and “Murrey” for reddish purple, but these additions are not universally accepted.

For use in black and white reproductions, a method of representing the heraldic metal and colors by the use of lines and dots, which are called “Hatchings”, was developed by an Italian writer, Silvestris Petra. Using this method, which has become standard in heraldic works, Gold is indicated by “shading” and Silver by leaving the area blank; Red by vertical lines, Blue by horizontal lines, Black by vertical and horizontal crossed lines, Green by diagonal lines running from the upper left to the lower right, and Purple by diagonal lines running from the upper right to the lower left.

Our Coat-of-Arms, of course, carries with it additional meanings which are readily understandable to every member of the fraternity.

PHI ALPHA DELTA

The Official Song of Phi Alpha Delta

Phi Alpha Delta

Maestoso

By BRO. FRANK R. HURLBUTT

1. In our hearts we'll al-ways cher-ish mem-o-ries of thee,
2. As we fight for fame and glo-ry, on life's bat-tle-field,
3. As the close-ly cling-ing iv-y twines a-bout the tree;

CHO.
For our love will nev-er per-ish, 'till e-ter-ni-ty. True to
May thy name, Phi Al-pha Del-ta, be our sword and shield. True to
So will we, Phi Al-pha Del-ta, ev-er cling to thee. True to

thee, ——— Phi Al-pha Del - ta, may we al-ways be.
thee, ——— Phi Al-pha Del - ta, may we al-ways be.
thee, ——— Phi Alpha Del - ta, may we al-ways be.

At thy shrine we'll wor-ship ev-er sons of P. A. D.
At thy shrine we'll wor-ship ev-er sons of P. A. D.
At thy shrine we'll wor-ship ev-er sons of P. A. D.

PHI ALPHA DELTA Sweet-Heart Song

Phi Alpha Delta Sweet-heart Song

Words by BRO. CHAS. H. CARPENTER

Music by HELEN BAKER

1. Phi Al-pha Del-ta Sweet-heart To night we sing to thee
2. Thy eyes are like the stars dear Thy smile the pur-ple dawn
3. Thru four long years of col-lege Then on life's broader sea

To all thy love and Beau-ty To all thy pur-i-ty
Thy face it is the Fair-est That'er the sun shone on
Phi Al-pha Del-ta Sweet-heart loy-al we'll al-ways be

Our song we bring with glad-ness bring with our hearts so true
Thy beau-ty it di-vine is as is thy lov-li-ness
Blue eyes and hair so Gold-en long years may take a-way

Phi Al-pha Del-ta Sweet-heart Pur-ple and Gold to you.
Thou art our on-ly i-dol our hope one fond ca-ress.
But in our hearts for-ev-er you'll be then as to day.



PHI ALPHA DELTA TOAST

HERE'S TO PHI ALPHA DELTA
HERE'S TO THE PURPLE AND THE GOLD
WHERE FRIENDSHIPS ARE ALWAYS WARMEST
AND HEARTS ARE NEVER COLD
IT'S A FRATERNITY OF FRIENDSHIP
IT WILL NEVER LOSE ITS HOLD

SO SING FOR PHILOS ADELPHOS
AND THE PURPLE AND THE GOLD

PHI ALPHA DELTA RECOGNITION CHANT

HURRAY FOR _____
HE'S (SHE'S) A DAMN FINE MAN (GAL)
HURRAY FOR _____
SEE HIM (HER) WHERE HE (SHE) STANDS
ISN'T HE (SHE) A DANDY (DAISY)?
SET THEM ALL A CRAZY
EIN, ZWEI, DREI, VIER
_____ IS GOING TO BUY THE BEER!
HURRAY FOR _____
HE'S (SHE'S) A DAMN FINE MAN (GAL)!!!

RESPONSE:

OH! WHAT A LIAR,
OH! WHAT A LIAR!
OH! WHAT A LIAR!
EVERYBODY IS!!!

(Modified slightly to accommodate revised membership eligibility)

FRATERNITY INSIGNIA



GREAT SEAL



COAT OF ARMS



JEWELRY



GAVEL

THE GREEK ALPHABET

Α ALPHA (AL-FAH)

Β BETA (BAY-TAH)

Γ GAMMA (GAM-AH)

Δ DELTA (DEL-TAH)

Ε EPSILON (EP-SI-LON)

Ζ ZETA (ZAY-TAH)

Η ETA (AY-TAH)

Θ THETA (THEY-TAH)

Ι IOTA (EYE-O-TAH)

Κ KAPPA (CAP-AH)

Λ LAMBDA (LAM-DAH)

Μ MU (MEW)

Ν NU (NEW)

Ξ XI (ZEYE)

Ο OMICRON (OM-E-CRON)

Π PI (PIE)

Ρ RHO (ROE)

Σ SIGMA (SIG-MAH)

Τ TAU (TAW)

Υ UPSILON (OOP-SI-LON)

Φ PHI (FIE)

Χ CHI (KEYE)

Ψ PSI (SIGH)

Ω OMEGA (O-MAY-GAH)