

Sounds of 222

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Dear Fraters:

Spring always seems to be the favorite time of year at 222 W. Cooper and it has brought with it an immediate rush for the "boonies." I'm sure many of you remember the "Days of Beer and Sandbars."



It looks like another prosperous year for Tau Kappa Epsilon at KWS.C. Our spring rush proved very successful and we now have a thirty-three man pledge class. To further our new housing

fund we recently sponsored a dance which netted a nice profit and we are planning more of these functions.

Speaking of new houses it looks like Delta Nu may be moving. Jim Cain, National Housing Director, has been helping us move toward this long desired goal. Frater Cain has been meeting with President Foster and things are looking good. I am sure that before long we will have some definite plans.

I would like to personally extend our invitation to drop in on us anytime you're in Laryville, and if there is anything we can help you with just let us know.

Yours in the bond,

Joe Peirce
Prytanis

No Troubles for Bubbles

Accomplishment is the word to describe Frater Ron Zimmerman's first year at the helm of the Union Star, Mo., high school athletic department.

His six-man football team racked up eight games in a row to extend the school's 24-game winning streak. In basketball his team reached the first round of state competition after winning 27 out of 29 ball games, taking first in three tournaments, and first in his Class S regional. This spring Frater Zimmerman has high hopes of a sweep of sports competition in the Platte Valley Conference by winning the track crown.

With one of Frater Zimmerman's players scoring over 25 touchdowns during the grid season and with three men receiving all-district honors in basketball, the 1965 Delta Nu alumnus has begun an excellent reputation in the coaching profession.

In a letter to the chapter, Frater Zimmerman understated, "This has been a helluva good year! When you are winning, the pressure is really great. . . I couldn't eat before or sleep nights before a ball game."

"Bubbles" hopes to spend more time with his wife, the former Sheri McDonald, and to regain some of the 25 pounds he lost during the season.

Dear Boys:

Seven years have passed since I first came to the house at 222W. Cooper as housemother for the TENGES. After much fixing and remodeling it has truly become the TENGES home. At times it seems as though housemother is like the "old lady" in a shoe, but it has been very interesting, rewarding and never dull. I wish to take this opportunity to tell you how much I appreciate the many cards, letters, and telephone calls I have received from the alums. Hoping to see you in the spring.

Love,

Pledge Prexy

Dear Sirs:

Once again the Spring Pledging has begun, and we, the new pledge class, stand in full force with a total of 33 pledge brothers.

My name is Pledge Robert George, from Hawthorne, New Jersey, and I have been recently elected President of the Spring Pledge Class, and if I say I would like to take this opportunity to tell you a little about our new class.

We have been pledging four weeks now, and as usual, we haven't done anything right yet, but we figure if we can be this much trouble when we're unorganized, just wait until we're organized.

As you can well imagine, it is te difficult to coordinate a dge class of this size, and algh the Active Chapter doesn't

share the same feelings, we think we're doing pretty good. However, we are learning the hard way, for example, we had to raid the house twice, break two windows by accident, and acquire several bruises to learn that the house can't be taken. (Please understand that I must write this because the Active Chapter will read this letter when I complete it.)

I'm sure you can still remember your pledgeship as a part of your life that you'll never forget, and so do we, but it sure must be nice to look back on it rather than forward to another eight weeks.

Well, in conclusion, I am happy to say that we're full of spirit, friendship, and thoroughly exhausted-but we're trying.

Sir, Sincerely yours, Sir

Pledge Robert George

New Advisor for ΔN

At the beginning of this semester Frater Jack Gray assumed the responsibility of chapter advisor. Frater Gray is currently working in the Field Directors Office at the college, and he is head of the publicity department. We feel that already he has helped us a great deal and we are looking forward to a prosperous year. Jack is now living at 310 1/2 S. Clayton; Maryville, Missouri.

Oh, by the way, Bob Dickey is still in school.

We Done Good



Intramural trophies are again a frequent visitor to the TKE House. So far this year first place trophies have been registered in swimming, tennis, and tug-of-war in which we also won third place. A second was recorded in touch football. The intramural basketball tournament is going on at the present time in which two TKE teams have reached the semi-finals.

A Delta Nu basketball team has been entered in the all-TKE basketball tournament at Parsons College in Fairfield, Iowa. With a little luck and a lot of hard play we could come home with a big win.

Lonnie Henders
Intramural Chairman

Social Life

Delta Nu's social life has been quite active with numerous scheduled and unscheduled events. A recent addition to our informal house parties has been live bands. These house parties with the bands have been used in connection with rush and we have always had a tremendous turnout.

Our annual Informo Party will be held April 2.

Plans are being started for the Red Carnation Ball, and talking to the alums that have recently stopped by it looks like we are going to have a large number returning this year. This year the Red Carnation Ball will be held May 14 and we will be looking forward to seeing you.

Calo Tripplet

TKE now has 220 Undergraduate Chapters in the U.S.A. and Canada. It is the largest International Fraternity in the world.

For Our Records

If you know the address of any of the fraters that have recently moved and what they are doing, we would appreciate it if you would drop us a line to let us know. This will enable us to get in contact with him. We wouldn't want him to miss the SOUNDS OF 222.

House Report

Dear Fraters:

Well, as spring draws near every one is catching the fever here at 222 and along with this comes the yearly spring cleaning chores which amount to a general all out cleaning and trading the storm windows for screens.

The improvement made in the upstairs has proven to be a very good investment and all the fraters agree that it is much nicer to live in than the attic of old.

Yours in the bond,

Dave Leighninger

TKE Placement

National has a placement service for TKE graduates and alumni. So far ninety-six job offers were received by the forty-four fraters listed in the 1965 TKE Employment Directory for College Graduates. The 1966 edition is now being compiled.

The directory contains a picture and brief resume of Fraters who are available for employment and is sent to 300 selected employers. Most of the 300 are medium-size companies which do not have extensive professional recruiting staffs. Enclosed in each Directory is a post card which can be returned to the TKE Central Office for additional information on the men listed.

Any frater who is interested in being in the 1966 Directory obtain information and an application blank by writing the Central Office.

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Spring Rush

Spring rush was very successful as Delta Nu received a thirty-three man pledge class. This was one of the largest on campus and one of the largest pledge classes in several years for Delta Nu. Frater Alan Peterson did a very commendable job as Rush Chairman.

Scheduling many house parties and dances to aid the Fraters in their personal rush proved to be quite enjoyable and successful for Fraters and rushees alike. Each time the house was filled to overflowing. Now this semester was our Delta Nu TEKE rush booklet. This permitted the chapter to express ourselves in an informal, pictorial manner.

As in the past our Smoker kept the same standards as we always have. We were assisted by the Daughters Dianna and Alpha Sigma Alpha. The highlight of the Smoker was the TKE Rush film put out by National. This has proven to be quite an asset to Delta Nu rush.

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Meet the Pledges

The TKE spring pledge program is now in full swing. This semester's pledgship has undergone some changes with emphasis being placed on scholarship. The new program is on a trail basis and if proves successful other programs will be patterned after it. Harrassment is limited to the week-ends. Pledges have required study hours starting at eight a.m. each day and ending at ten p.m. So far the program has proven quite successful.

Delta Nu Pledges: Larry Ahrens Elmwood, Nebraska; Dan Boring, Hopkins, Mo.; Bob Cline, Winterset, Iowa; Steve Conner, Ames, Iowa; Marshall Dann, Des Moines, Ia.; Joe Davis, Murry, Ia.; Gary Dickerson, Plattsburg, Mo.; Dale Duhon, Rockport, Mo.; Larry Earhart, Menlo, Ia.; Bill Edison, Des Moines, Ia. Bob George, Hawthorne, N.J.; Randy Hansen, Des Moines, Ia.; Dick Holcomb St. Joe, Mo.; Ron Huff, Hopkins, Mo.; Randy Hutsell, Rockport, Missouri; Chris James, Maryville, Mo., Don Kelling, Corwith, Ia.; Tom Kremer Lewis, Ia.; Tim McDowell, Lanheim, Pa.; John Mundy, Des Moines, Ia.; Rod Musch, Tarkio, Mo.; Mike Myers, Rock Port, Mo.; Brian Nehlsen, Davenport, Ia.; Jerry Peirce, Denver, Colo.; John Riley, Des Moines, Ia.; David Schulte, Granger, Ia.; Pat Sellers, Corydon, Ia.; Mike Speece, Auburn, Nebraska; Jim Taylor, Rock Port, Mo.; Art Thompson, Southern Pines, N.C.; Reg Turnbull, Maryville Mo.; Phill Underwood, Independence Mo.; Steve Wyatt, Kansas City, Mo.

Congradulations To:

The Dick Fines on the new addition to their family. Its a boy.

Russ Phelps and wife have a new boy which is their second son.

Mike Knepper and his new wife on their marriage.

Denni Lorringer and wife on their marriage.

Bits and Pieces

Larry Gerdos, "Tuck" Tanner, Larry Apple, Jay Schug, Walt Johnson, and Jim Bailes are Fraters enjoying a visit with the Air Force.

Pat Rowen is now serving in the Navy and Tom Whiteny is concurrently stationed in Viet Nam.

Larry Albright is attending grad school at the University of Neb.

Gary Barbar is attending graduate school at Rolla School of Mines.

Lee has returned from a hitch in the Navy.

Tom Custer is back in school along with Lee King.

Rich Preston is attending M.S. and he is living in St. Joe with his wife and family.

Gil "Mother" Norman is attending the School of Engineering at the University of Missouri.

Franklin is still with us and will soon be expecting.

Ed Hawkins has finally found a major and minor.

Dear Fraters:

This is the first of a number of monthly newsletters we intend to write this semester. However, for a newsletter of this type to be successful I need information from you the alums. I have received quite a bit of information already and I greatly appreciate it. Also, I have just received a list of address changes from National and anyone wanting these drop me a line.

A number of Fraters have been inquiring about the Red Carnation Ball. We are beginning with our plans now and we expect it to be just as impressive as it has been in the past. The date has been set for May 14. We have plans for several alumni functions for this weekend. The details will be given in the next newsletter. Anyone that has any suggestions for these functions please write and let us know.

Yours in the bond,

Brownie Polley
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Don't Forget!! The Red Carnation Ball and please send alumni news.