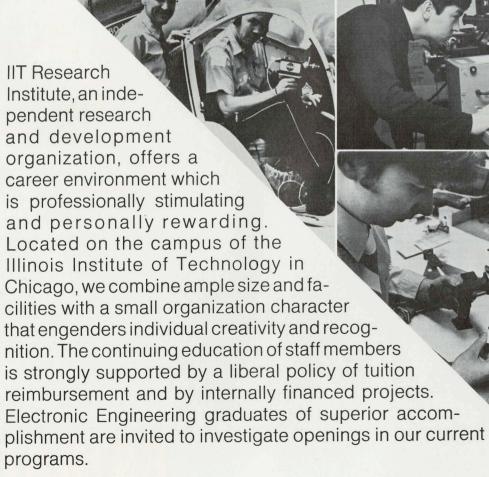
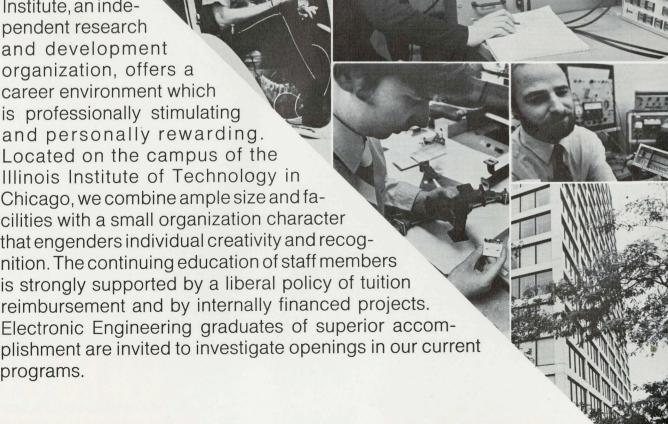


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# NORTH CAROLINA STATE UNIVERSITY

#### by Steven Whisenant President

On March 30, 1974 the Beta-Eta Chapter of Eta Kappa Nu hosted a Regional Visitaion on the campus of N. C. State University in Raleigh, North Carolina. A Regional Visitation is a meeting of delegates from student chapters at which the participants discuss their chapter problems and how they are being solved. The main scope of the visitation Ten of the eleven chapters in region was short reports from each chapter nine were represented by a student delegate. These reports included Regional delegates - [L to R] and Anthony A. Chizmadia, mem-chapter activities, community ser- Front Row: Mr. Anthony Chizmaber of the National Board of Direc- vice projects, and problems within dia, National Director, Paul Allen, tors presided over the meeting. each chapter. Following the reports Daniel Jarrett, Eddy Julian, The following schools were rep- was an open discussion of chapter Steven Whisenant, Back Row:

Friebert

N. C. Agriculture and Technical State University - Harold Martin

North Carolina State University -Steven Whisenant

University of Tennessee - Eddy Julian

Tennessee Technological University - Paul Allen

Vanderbilt University - Mark Shepard

University of Virginia - Wesley McDonald

Virginia Polytechnic Institute — Daniel Jarrett

University of Kentucky - Robert madia presided over the meeting Wesley McDonald, Robert Jackson. and offered helpful suggestions

University of Louisville - Charles throughout the course of the morning session. Also he presented some information from HKN's national scene. After lunch Dr. George Hoadley, Chairman of the Electrical Engineering Department, and Steven Whisenant, President of Beta-Eta Chapter, conducted a tour of the department's research activities and student laboratory stations.

All the student delegates agreed that a Regional Visitation is a very worthwhile activity. It offers helpful suggestions to area chapters and places more meaning on the principles of HKN.

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## **Energy: A Tantalizing Subject**

THE PROBLEM of world energy supply all energy produced, electric utilities and demand is unbelievably complex. and transportation consume half, and But it's a tantalizing subject. In fact, residential users and commercial enit is so tantalizing that it is well on terprises, the rest. its way toward becoming one of the THIRD: The sources of all this ennation's most popular fields of thought, ergy for the next 30 years are more a subject for widespread enquiry, and predictable. Today, 90 per cent comes perhaps even a new academic discifrom fossil fuels - oil, gas, and coal pline. Studies by the hundred are un-- and only 10 per cent comes from derway. Universities are tooling up other sources. By 1985 fossil fuels everywhere to focus teaching and rewill almost certainly still provide threesearch on energy matters. A clanging, quarters of the world's energy, and by

Omdurman-like charge of untethered

academics, graduate students, and

Washington "operators" into the field

has begun. The Ford Foundation has

made its usual large grant to find

instantaneous solutions to incredibly

complicated problems. Ph. D. disserta-

tions by the thousand will result, in

every conceivable discipline. A few

examples: Psychology - "How to

teach caribou to jump over 48-inch

pipe." Linguistics - "Frequency of re-

currence of the words oil and gas in

speeches by Harvard Square eco-

freaks." Political science - "How to

convince the world that neither Arab

nor American politicians really mean

it when they lavish invective on each

other." Sociology — "Can American

society survive without the electric

toothbrush?" Economics - Here, the

possibilities for banality are too numer-

ous to mention. Out of all this, probably in the "hard sciences," will come

some good work. We must also look

forward to an avalanche of drivel. Hot

air pollution will be a major by-product.

a minimum, I offer the following gen-

eral observations which are beyond

FIRST: Using conservative estimates,

energy demand will more than double

by 1985, and certainly will quadruple

by the end of this century. Even allow-

ing for forecasting error, upward move-

ment in world energy demand is

15 to 30 years from now. These will

vary from nation to nation, continent

to continent, high income to low in-

come areas, and will largely reflect

prevailing levels of technology and

public policy in consuming areas. To-

day, in the United States, for example,

industry takes just under one-third of

SECOND: Nobody knows what enduse patterns for energy will emerge

argument.

inevitable.

In the hope of holding the latter to

"Using conservative estimates, energy demand will more than double by 1985, and certainly will quadruple by the end of this century."

2000, about the same. Coal's relative

role will drop somewhat, and nuclear

energy's role will rise. Nevertheless,

during the decade of the 1970's, the

world will consume more oil than it

has since the dawn of history. The lesson is simple and stark: The world's energy will come mainly from fossil fuels for the next two generations.

FOURTH: Are there enough fossil fuel sources available to sustain these enormous demand increases? The answer is an emphatic "Yes!" The world's fossil fuel resources are huge-enough to last us several hundred years.

FIFTH: Why worry? Well, we had better worry, and more to the point, we had better do something. Although fossil fuel sources are abundant, a number of problems - some physical, others almost metaphysical - inhibit their development and use. Among these problems are: Location - of producing areas and consuming areas, often with oceans between them; transport facilities - mainly pipelines, tankers, and railroads; transformation arrangements — refineries and electric power generators; financing - for the huge investments required each year to make it all possible; feasible substitutes - nuclear, solar, geothermal, and other technologies; pollution considerations - clean air and water laws, and public fears and pressures; and above all, cost — from the raw materials to the final charge to consumers.

Despite the abundance of hydrocarbon fuels, supply dislocations and constraints on energy use or availability are distressingly possible, indeed probable. The U.S. has peaked out as an oil producer. Gas shortages in several areas already loom. Electric power generating capacity is falling behind demand. Domestic refinery capacity is barely adequate.

With these problems, worry is fully

Foremost among these difficulties is the fact that the world's big energy consumers, the U. S., Europe, and Japan, each year grow more dependent on imported oil and gas, on the long sausage-link chain of jumbo tankers carrying the fuel, and on the economic arrangements negotiated between producing governments and oil companies. Japan and Europe have long since become "hooked" on Middle Eastern and North African oil. The U.S. will. unless miracles occur, be importing 15 million barrels of crude daily (half our oil consumption) by 1985. The ramifications of this relationship offer both hope for the future and reason for fear, if things go wrong.

What are some of these ramifications and implications? We can readily identify five:

FIRST: Nuclear energy as a challenger to fossil fuels is maddeningly slow in arriving. Since 1945, for example, the U.S. has acquired fewer than two plant-years per year of nuclear generating experience. Less than one per cent of our energy comes from nuclear plants. At the moment we are spending about \$1 billion yearly on nonfossil fuel energy experimentation. Although we've altered the 1901 Webster's Dictionary definition of uranium as a "worthless metal," we have made little progress in putting nuclear power to work. If the breakthroughs do come, the world's energy problems could be solved, but they are unbelievably slow in coming. These same breakthroughs have been "just around the corner" for a quarter of a

SECOND: We have made even less progress in developing "far out" substitutes for fossil fuels. These include schemes to harness ocean temperature gradients, magnetohydrodynamics, fuel cell energy, solar energy, and

other potentially rich sources of power. Research goes ahead, but cost for these substitutes remains prohibitive.

THIRD: The most progress is occurring in the processing and utilization of fossil fuels. We're learning how to extract sulfur from oil, drill in deep water for oil and gas, eliminate pollution by refineries, liquefy and gasify coal, improve ocean transportation technology, develop cryogenic tankers for liquefied gas, and develop shale and tar sands resources.

FOURTH: The nations which now control major portions of the world's proven crude oil resources also have at their disposal huge quantities of foreign monetary reserves. Libya's foreign exchange holdings now exceed \$3 billion. Saudi Arabia's reserves probably topped \$2 billion in 1972, and five years hence could rise to \$10 billion or \$12 billion - more than the reserves behind the U.S. dollar. Receiving an estimated \$15 billion yearly for their oil by 1980, the oil-producing nations of the Eastern Hemisphere are rapidly emerging as immensely significant forces in world trade and finance. By 1980, oil imports could create balance of payments deficits of \$20 billion yearly for the U.S. The implications of this are staggering.

FIFTH: The historic role of oil companies as middlemen between producers and consumers is being challenged. Producer nations are moving strongly toward complete control of their petroleum assets, and the machinery for producing, transporting, and marketing them. While we understand and sympathize with their reasons for doing so, many knowledgeable experts feel that their actions vastly increase the chances for interruption of supply, fluctuations in price, and other crises of varying degree for the U.S. — and possibly also for their own countries.

Moderate Arab oil ministers, and there are many, must contend with political pressures from their countrymen on the matter of oil and the Arab-Israel problem. Several Arab leaders have called for the use of oil as a political weapon against Israel. This in effect means denial of oil to the U. S. — Israel's main supporter. To resist these appeals and still appear to be a patriotic Arab is not easy.

This kind of problem is not unknown on the American political scene, where it is rare to find a political figure who is willing to point to the domestic oil and gas shortage, suggest that something constructive be done about it, and assess the role of oil companies in emotionless terms.

All of this leaves the oil companies in a quandary. There is little doubt that today they are competitive (often viciously so, particularly in product markets), disagree among themselves on many matters, and face immense difficulties. They operate, U. S. academic folklore to the contrary, without the protective cushion of the fabled "cartel," and short-term surpluses and shortages caused by weather and business conditions are a persistent problem to them. To provide for oil's role alone in soaring world energy demand will require them somehow to find over \$500 billion in new investment over the coming decade. Yet, their

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modest yearly rates of return on investment (ranging from 8 per cent to 12 per cent) simply do not permit them to generate such funds - as the Chase Manhattan Bank has recently made clear. Whether their managements are up to this task will be critical. To survive, they must submit to flaving by vote-seekers, OPEC oil ministers, ecologists (both serious and hare-brained), and the squads of academics pontificating learnedly about multinational enterprise on campuses of America. Whether one likes the oil companies or not, there is at the moment no workable substitute for them in sight. The energy-hungryworld, as well as the producing governments, both need them desperately. They perform a task which can hardly, at this juncture, be done by the U.S. Interior Department, the Office of Emergency Preparedness, or even by the Ford Foundation Energy Study

There is still another crucial element in this international energy drama. It is ourselves. A few examples: We all want to live better electrically, requiring that more power be generated daily. We resist heroically any attempts to raise energy costs to consumers al-

though these are still at real levels lower than in 1940. We watch with clinical detachment while the Federal Power Commission maintains gas prices at levels which discourage exploration, encourage uneconomic consumption, make import arrangements difficult to conclude and virtually guarantee a series of gas crises. Overnight our news media develop passionate concern for the mating habits of the Alaskan caribou and campaign noisily against intrusion of Arctic pipelines into this essential activity. As our energy consumption edges upward, we join conservationist groups to block power production. We continue our love affair with the eight-mile-pergallon automobile and insist on using a two-ton car to haul one 130-pound woman to the grocery. We add mileage-cutting antipollution devices to our cars yearly, and continue to fill their tanks with leaded rather than unleaded gasoline. We overheat our houses and open windows to cool them. We applaud our elected representatives as they deride oil-producing countries and make moderation by these nations in energy matters more difficult. We vilify oil companies as part of the noble American academic and political tradition and devise ingenious schemes to prevent them from doing the job we expect them to do. We - all of us — play a self-destructive role in the energy drama.

As a corollary to these confusing elements, at least one certain development is predictable.

The cost of energy will rise. The bargain rates for all kinds of energy which Americans have enjoyed for 40 years cannot endure much longer. Recent increases averaging about 30 per cent to consumers are only the beginning. In the aggregate, they will be staggering - far greater than the estimated \$100 billion which we now pay for our energy, which amounts to 8 to 10 per cent of our gross national product. Without these increases which must be paid by you and me as the ultimate users of energy - new reserves won't be developed, pollution cannot be kept at tolerable levels, substitute energy sources won't evolve, and some real crises will face us.

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#### Eminent Member . . .

# EDWARD C. JORDAN

by Marcia Peterman



Dr. Edward C. Jordan is presented his certificate of Eminent Membership by Executive Secretary Paul K. Hudson. Eminent Members are elected by the National Board of Directors. Dr. Jordan requested that Alpha Chapter be given the honor of conducting the initiation.

Professor Edward C. Jordan, Head of the Electrical Engineering Department at the University of Illinois, has been elected an Eminent Member of the Eta Kappa Nu Society, the highest award given. The award was presented at a dinner of the Alpha Chapter April 24th in the Levis Faculty Center on the U. of I. Campus. Professor Jordan has been a member of the Electrical Engineering Department at the U. of I. since 1945 and Head of the Department since 1954.

Professor Jordan is a Fellow of the Institute of Electrical and Electronic Engineers, and in 1968 was awarded the IEEE Education Medal. He is a member of the National Academy of Engineering. He is also immediate past chairman of the U.S. National Committee for the International Union of Radio Science.

Graduating from the University of Alberta, Canada, he received advanced degrees from the Ohio State University, which in 1970 conferred on him the Centennial Award. He taught at Worcester Polytechnic Institute and Ohio State before moving to Illinois.

From 1947 until 1954 he supervised the University of Illinois Radio Direction Finding Research Program and from 1950 until 1954 he directed Research on Antennas and Propagation in addition to RDF.

Professor Jordan is also a member of Sigma Xi, Tau Beta Pi, The American Society for Engineering Education, and the American Geophysical Union. He has served on numerous Panels and Advisory Boards for the Science Foundation, the National Bureau of Standards, and the U.S. Department of Defense.

He has authored or co-authored six technical books, and written many articles and technical papers. He has given numerous addresses throughout the world, and has served as Consultant to several industries and the U.S. Air Force.

# AWARD DINNER

On Monday evening, March 25, 1974, distinguished members of the Electrical Engineering profession, members of Eta Kappa Nu, and their families and friends, gathered to honor the Outstanding Young Electrical Engineer of 1973. What is most outstanding about each year's Award recipient, is not only his technical achievement, but his many contributions in a wide range of endeavors. If one was to choose a single person to refute the stereotype of "engineer", the Outstanding Young Electrical Engineer would be an excellent choice.

The accomplishments and contributions of the 1973 Award Candidates, which exemplify those of past Awardees, range from athletics, music, painting and writing, to charitable, religious and political contributions to their communities. To choose one Outstanding Young Electrical Engineer from among the highly qualified Candidates is a prodigious task, for which Eta Kappa Nu is indebted to the Jury of Award.

The Honorable Mention Awardees are: Gerald K. Beckman, "By virtue of this notable accomplishments in computer software development and his involvement in his community."; Douglas C. Bossen, "By virtue of his contribution in the field of computer reliability, and his participation in church activities."; and Leonard John Forys, "By virtue of his noteworthy work in the field of traffic theory and his activities in the political process."

The Outstanding Young Electrical Engineer for 1973 is John T. La Macchia, "By virtue of his pioneering work in holographic memories



by Quayne Gennaro Vice President New York Alumni

Photos By Howard Sheppard Past President - HKN

and his leadership in community affairs." Mr. La Macchia was born in Washington, D. C., on September 19, 1941. He received B.E.E. and the Ph.D. degrees from Catholic University in 1963 and 1966, respectively. He is currently enrolled in the evening division of Indiana University, in pursuit of a Law Degree. Mr. La Macchia's professional experience includes development of optical memory devices, accousto-optic deflection of laser beams, silicon photo-detection technology and operations research. He is currently Head of the Telephone Systems Department of Bell Telephone Laboratories. In addition to his demanding career, Mr. La Macchia has held various public offices in his community, has been involved in development of youth and recreational facilities, has participated in competitive Bridge and enjoys music and the

The Award Banquet, which was held in the Gold Ballroom of the Statler Hilton Hotel, was preceded by a cocktail hour which afforded an opportunity to renew acquaintances. One of the highlights of the Banquet was a classical guitar performance by Douglas C. Bossen, one of the Honorable Mentions.

Before opening the Award Banquet Program, William E. Murray, President of Eta Kappa Nu National called upon Larry Dwon of the New York Alumni Chapter to pay a brief tribute to the late Alton B. Zerby, former Executive Secretary of Eta Kappa Nu National. Mr. Zerby, who is remembered for his long and excellent service to Eta Kappa Nu, passed away early this year.



Indentification — Top photo: Winner and Honorable Mentions and their wives, left to right, Dr. and Mrs. Beckmann, Dr. and Mrs. Bossen, Dr. and Mrs. LaMacchia, Dr. and Mrs. Forys. Below: Left to Right, Dr. Bosson playing guitar; Former Vice President Holmes MacDonald, Director Anthony Chizmadia, President William Murray, Director Michael Erday; President William Murray presenting certificate to Dr. Forys.





### C. Holmes MacDonald

1894 - 1974

It is with deep regret that we report the passing of C. Holmes MacDonald, on September 30th. He was a former Director and Vice President of Eta Kappa Nu. In March the National Board of Directors voted him the Distinguished Service Award of the Association in recognition of his many years of valuable service. At his request the award was presented at a luncheon of the Philadelphia Alumni Chapter. The photo below shows Mr. Anthony Chizmadia, National Director (left) presenting the official certificate. BRIDGE readers have enjoyed Mr. MacDonald's articles on various subjects over the years.



C. Holmes MacDonald's affiliation with HKN began in 1916 when he was elected and inducted into the Lambda Chapter of HKN as a junior in Electrical Engineering at the University of Pennsylvania.

He was one of five people who organized the first meeting of the Philadelphia HKN Alumni Group in November, 1933. He was instrumental in efforts to maintain active college chapters in the region. In 1935, with the assistance of Roger Wilkinson of the New York Alumni Chapter, Lambda Chapter at the University of Pennsylvania was reactivated after having become inactive in World War I and the Depression Years. Continuity of college chapters at Lehigh University and Pittsburgh University was similarly due, in large measure to Holmes' efforts.

Holmes was elected a director of the National Board of HKN for the Eastern Region, 1955-56, and elected National Vice President in 1959.

Philadelphia Alumni Chapter received approval from National HKN on December 7, 1960. The first bylaws were prepared by C. Holmes MacDonald together with Drs Sun and Tay Salati.

In 1960, he was instrumental in organizing the first tri-college initiation and induction function among Drexel University, University of Pennsylvania and Villanova University. This affair is held in the Fall of each year.

After retirement from the Bell Telephone Company of Pennsylvania, he joined the faculty staff of Drexel University where he taught a course in management.

His services and counsel to BETA ALPHA Chapter at Drexel were recognized and appreciated in 1970 when the college chapter presented him with its own Distinguished Service Award.

He was a member of the Association of College Honor Societies representing HKN.

His counsel and service was appreciated by all who were associated with him.

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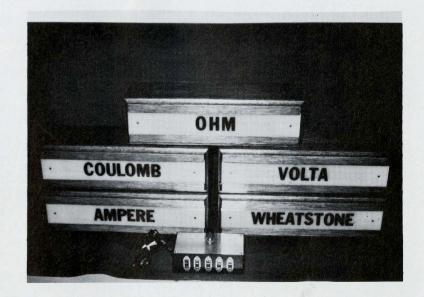
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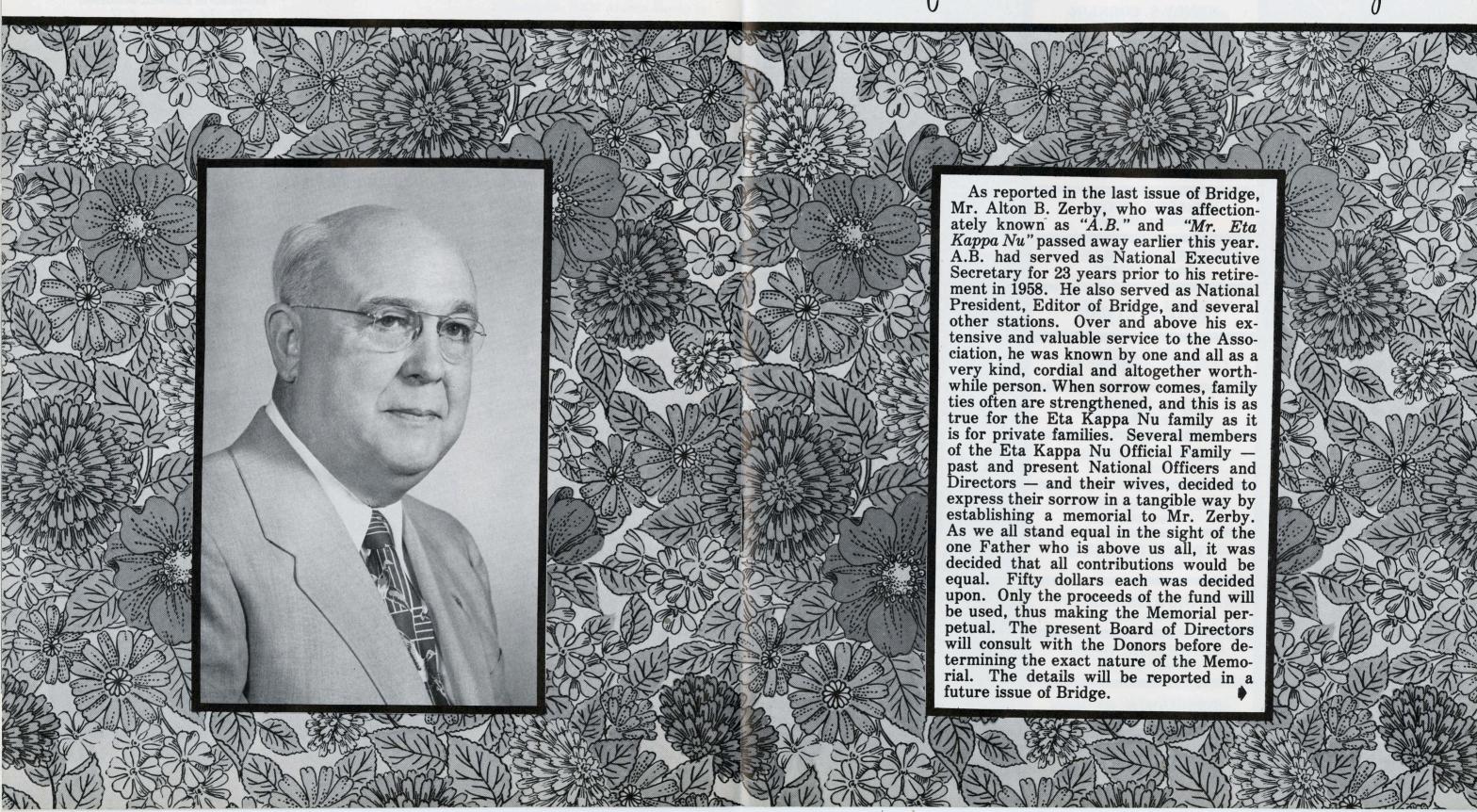
During the fall of 1973 several officers of our local chapter under the direction of former President Kenneth Bushaw, Allen Kisling, Verlin Lefler, and George Williams embarked on a project to make their initiations more meaningful to new members. The Chapter undertook the project of building new equipment for the formal initiation. Each of the five light boxes (16" X 6" X  $4^{11}_{2}$ ") were constructed from mahogany with a plexiglass translucent front with the appropriate historical name. These light boxes were wired to be operated from a central control box in sequence with the initiation procedure. The pictures illustrate the size and construction of the light boxes and controller. We are interested in providing a service to other chapters by supplying similar boxes to them at costs to cover material, some labor, and shipping. Interested chapters are invited to contact this chapter for further information.

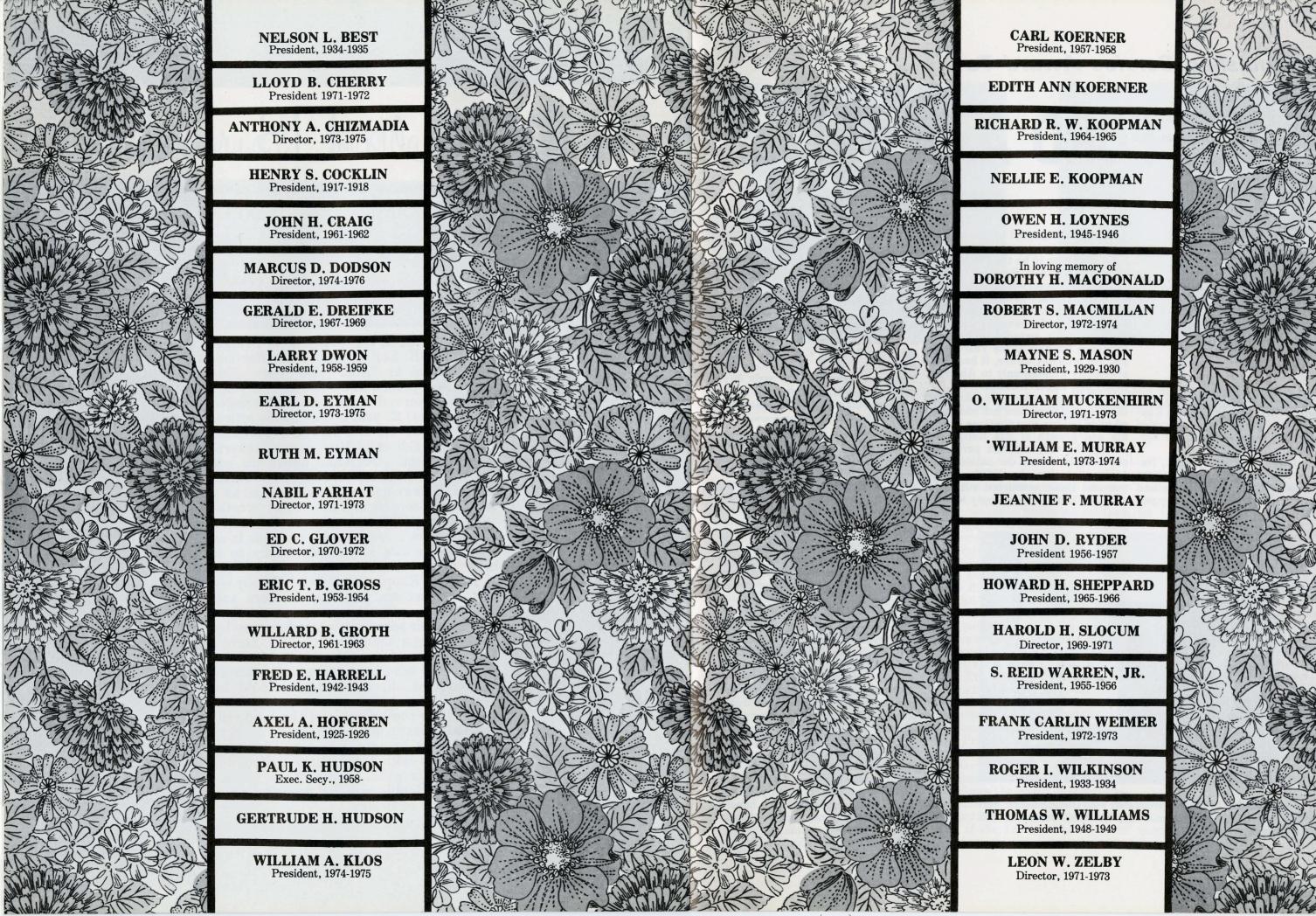
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# Memorial Established In Honor Of Alton B. Zerby





# CLIFFORD A. FAUST

by Carl Koerner President 1958

Clifford A. Faust, Nu '27, has been designated the recipient of Eta Kap- the Board of Directors has recognizpa Nu's Distinguished Service ed your unique contributions to the Award, the highest award for ser- life and growth of Eta Kappa Nu vice to our Association.

tional President Bill Murray wrote perience during the 1930's. That as follows: "It is my pleasure and you and those associated with you

have been designated by the Nation-proven by the successful transition al Board of Directors of Eta Kappa of Eta Kappa Nu through that period Nu Association to be the recipient of and its growth to the present level of our Distinguished Service Award. 133 chapters and over 56,000 mem-

your many years of dedicated and 90,000 total initiated." valuable service would surely have been conferred many years ago. However, this award has been in existence for only three years. As you are probably aware, it has been previously granted only to Alton B. Zerby and Roger Wilkinson....

We are particularly pleased that during the very difficult period of In a letter to Brother Faust, Na- our Association and our national ex-

"This well-deserved recognition of bers, with an estimate of more than

The presentation was made by Brother Murray at a Los Angeles Alumni Chapter sponsored gathering in San Marino, California on December 8, 1973. Carl Koerner, friend of Cliff's since the early 30's, was honored to present some highlights of Cliff's long and outstanding role in Eta Kappa Nu.

Cliff was born in Bellevue, Iowa in 1905, was raised there, and graduated from Iowa State University in 1927 with honors after a leading role in many extra-curricular activities. privilege to inform you that you did your duties exceedingly well is His post-graduation service for Eta Kappa Nu started in 1930 and August 1934 marked the start of a term as National Vice President and two terms as National President. Just prior to this he had served in all of the offices of the New York Alumni Chapter, including chapter president in 1933-1934. He served on the National Advisery Board in 1937-39.

> Those were the years of the Great Depression but this never daunted Brother Faust. Though employed by Mc Graw-Hill Publishing Company, his awareness of the problems of the unemployed led him to organize and chair the New York Alumni Employment Committee, which provided both help and solace to so many Eta Kappa Nu and other engineers seeking employment at the time. The same successful New York plan was adopted by other HKN alumni and college chapters and by several engineering organizations, benefiting hundreds of men looking for po-

As Cliff took National office, he



Clifford A. Faust is presented with Distinguished Service Award Certificate by National President Bill Murray.



National President Bill Murray describing Distinguished Service Award. Freeda Faust in foreground.



L. to R.: Director Bob Macmillan, Award recipient Clifford A. Faust, National President Bill

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termining whether or not an HKN Volume 31, Number 6 (1935), Direc- 1937, Cliff received Honorable Menchapter was warranted.

visits and approaches, offtimes 'til 2:00 or 3:00 in the morning. Visits were coordinated with the regular whole fibre of Eta Kappa Nu. Vigor- Award.

found that Eta Kappa Nu had not ous restoral of college chapter In this period Cliff initiated and added a chapter in the preceding five growth — one of the main life-giving helped develop the much sought-afyears ant that it was at a standstill. consequences — has continued from ter College Chapter Activities A-Recognizing the need for fast, 1934 right up to the present. During ward, sponsored by the New York strong, constructive measures, he his terms on the NEC, five chapters Alumni Chapter. We all know about quickly went to work, developing a were installed - at Drexel, Brook- this award and the Silver Plaque long range expansion program with lyn Poly., Michigan Tech., Pitts- given in recognition of the outstand-

exhaustive survey of all colleges in was also developed with Cliff's con- in its development. the country with accredited electric- tributions of time and talent. Its Not long before Brother Faust al engineering departments (137). main purpose is to keep a larger started his terms on the National This survey obtained E. E. gradu- number of Alumni informed of HKN Advisory Board, he joined the Ohio ation figures for 8 years and covered affairs, to retain their interest and to Brass Company and moved to Manscurricula, instructor qualifications, benefit them for the rest of their field, Ohio. Here he and his devoted facilities, and other points for de- lives. The Bridge of Eta Kappa Nu, wife, Freeda, were married. In He and A. B. Zerby then wrote Subscriber Number 5. Incidentally, tion of Outstanding Young Electrical numorous prospective institutions that same issue lists him as National Engineers "by Virtue of His Brilliant about Eta Kappa Nu and planned Vice President and interestingly Work in Editorial and Advertising shows Alton B. Zerby as Executive | Fields, and His Exceptional Direc-Secretary and Roger Wilkinson as tion of Engineering Organization for Chairman of the National Advisory the Benefit of His Fellowmen." visitation program and made mainly Board (now the Board of Directors). by the dedicated Executive Secre- The latter two, of course, were the ed to Southern California, where he tary, A.B. Zerby. Cliff's initiative first and second recipients, respect- was gladly claimed as a local son. It reinspired and reinvigorated the ively, of the Distinguished Service seems that although he attended

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tory Number, shows Cliff to be Life tion in the Eta Kappa Nu Recogni-

Some years later, the Fausts movthree years of high school in Bellevue, Iowa, he had graduated from Pasadena High School, California.

In Southern California, he soon took his characteristic position of contributing time and talent, assisting in the progress of Los Angeles Alumni Chapter, as well as the national association. Cliff is an Honorary Life Member of this chapter.

Cliff made many contributions to the Bridge over a period of at least eight years, including articles on how to find employment, the survey of 137 E.E. schools, ways to increase Alumni chapter meeting attendance, Iowa State, and member biographies. He served in the official capacity of Associate Editor for two of these years. He was a member of the Constitution and Statutes, Fellowship, and Publicity national committees, helped to write three handbooks, and made other contributions to our association far too numerous to detail here. In addition, he and his wife, Freeda, are among the finest people one could know.

The gathering honoring Freeda and Cliff was held at the lovely San Marino home of Peter Pfeiffer and his attractive wife, Mavis. Pfeiffer is Vice President of the Los Angeles Alumni Chapter. Maurice Fee is currently President, Norman Nise, Secretary, and Alan Felzer, Treasurer. Time and space does not now permit, but much more should be said about this very active chapter, with its multitude of contributory activities and social events. It is here that the annual award for the Outstanding Electrical Engineering Student was conceived and implemented.

It is now many years since Cliff, soon after leaving the company then employing him, suffered a disabling illness. Characteristically, he and Freeda reacted courageously and today their fortitude and determination have been rewarded with a once again active role in life. Cliff's retirement in Sun City, California, now means travel, apartment management duties, friends and family, including five grandchildren. Those who know him well, know without doubt that Cliff is still pursuing his never ending quest to be of service to Eta Kappa Nu, his community and his fellow man.



Carl Koerner, Past President 1957-8 with Cliff Faust and Cliff's wife, Freeda.



Peter Pfeiffer, Vice President, L.A. Alumni Chapter at whose home the Fausts were honored, with Alumni Chapter President Maurice Fee.

## Zeta Xi Chapter . . .

# SOUTHEASTERN MASSACHUSETTS UNIVERSITY

#### ROBERT LIVINGSTONE

**Chapter President** 

Our chapter installation was held Donald R. Czekanski, Stephen D. and now the chapter is in full swing. February 8, 1974 on the SMU cam- Fyfe, Richard Savoie, Dr. Gilbert pus. The chapter certificate was Fain, and Elliott Simons). presented to Dean Gordon Anderson Dr. Allyn Vine of the Woods Hole National Headquarters.

bers who had been initiated earlier make it. that afternoon (Stephen H. Cory, A pleasant evening was had by all

of the SMU Engineering Depart- Oceanographic Institute, a designer seniors touring the Engineering Dement by Mr. Tony Chizmadia, the of the mini-sub "Alvin" which locat-East Coast Representative for HKN ed a lost H-bomb off the coast of chusetts University. Spain some years back, was the occasion was attended by present subject of technology being only as

Recently, our chapter served as guides and project demonstrators for a large group of local high school partment at Southeastern Massa-

In the works for the end of the The banquet held in honor of the guest speaker. He spoke on the semester is a New England style clamboil for the E.E. faculty, memmembers of HKN plus six new mem- useful to society as we choose to bers of both I.E.E.E. and HKN, and their families.

Front Row [L to R]: Dr. Allyn Vine, Anthony Chizmadia, Installation Officer, Dr. Chi-Hau Chen, Robert Livingstone, I - Chang Lin, James Reid. Second Row: Dr. Gilbert Fain, Kurt Gent, Dr. Peter Rizzi, Stephen Fyfe, Richard Savoie, Anthony Felix. Third Row: William Schofield, Dr. Hans van den Biggelaar. Back Row: Robert Helgeland, Thomas Casey, Ronald Boucher, Dr. John Greaves, Donald Czekanski, Prof. Lennine Gonslaves.





[Left to Right] Robert Fisk, Luis Balceda, George Moser, G. K. Purkayastha, John Strong, Professor Michael Erday, Tim Watts, Vince Shugrue, Thomas Miller, Scip de Kanter, Richard Enstice

## FLORIDA INSTITUTE OF TECH.

by Vincent Shugrue

by Zeta Epsilon Chapter president creative activity. roll call and an introduction of dele-ports and a discussion period then common. gates (1:15). Those attending the followed. Professor Erdey mention-Visitation included:

Professor Michael Erdey (Faculty their areas. Gindhart.

the host for the Southeastern Re- izations such as Eta Kappa Nu. He Tuskegee Institute Engineers.

lon Chapter, Florida Institute of neering Senior's Club, the purpose of adjourned at 4:30 p.m. Technology — Dr. Robert Kemerait which is to provide an opportunity Shaw, Luis Balceda, G.K. Purkay- who have outstandingly served their the Crawford Science Building. This astha, Thomas Miller, and Robert fellow Auburn E.E. students. Eta Kappa Nu at the Tuskegee Institute

The Zeta Epsilon Chapter of the Professor Erdey then spoke of the publishes the Tuskegee Engineering Florida Institute of Technology was necessity for the existence of organ-Review, which is the voice of the

gional Visitation held on April 5th & said it was the role of Eta Kappa Nu All chapters provided tutoring 6th. The welcoming remarks, given to provide a healthy environment for services and some type of electrical engineering social get-together. Vincent Shugrue, were followed by a The presentation of Chapter re- Picnics and sporting events were

Unanimously, each chapter reed the many benifits that an Eta ported that the faculty advisor was Xi Chapter, Auburn University — Kappa Nu Alumni Chapter could more than adequately performing Tim Watts, Epsilon Kappa Chapter, provide. Both the University of Mi- his job, and in most cases received University of Miami — George Mos- ami and the Florida Institute of support and assistance from other er and John Strong. Epsilon Upsi- Technology expressed strong inter- faculty members. It was also conlon Chapter, Tuskegee Institute — est in starting Alumni chapters in cluded that a better method of public relations was needed for both Eta Advisor and representative from Eta Kappa Nu at Auburn Univer- Kappa Nu and electrical engineering National Headquarters). Zeta Epsi- sity sponsors the Electrical Engi- as a profession. The meeting was

Members of the host chapter then (Faculty advisor), Vince Shugrue, for electrical engineering students to conducted tours of the beautiful Robert Fisk, Denis Catalano, Scip de help their fellow students and to Florida Institute of Technology cam-Kanter, Wayne Thomas, Richard encourage this type of service by pus. From 5:30 to 6:30 cocktails Enstice, Dr. Harry Weber, Alex recognizing those graduating seniors were served at the roof-top suite of

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# MERRY MOMENTS WITH MARCIA

Wrong Stone—"My husband didn't leave a bit of As we were borrowing customs from other cultures,

"Then where did you get that gorgeous diamond

ring?"
"Well, he left \$1,000 for a casket and \$5,000 for a stone. This is the stone."

Sign on a desk in an office: "Lead, Follow, or Get Out of the Way.'

Keep It Up!—He was celebrating his 100th birthday. "To what do you attribute your longevity?" inquired a curious friend. Pausing for a moment, the old fellow said proudly, "I never smoked, never drank alcohol, never overate, and went to bed by 10 and was always up by six."

That's certainly to be admired," said the friend. "but my grandfather did the same thing and he died

"He just didn't keep it up long enough."

It was a busy evening at an airport ticket counter. The airline agent, baggage tags in hand, pointed to the luggage on the scale and asked a passenger, "Are these your bags, Miss?"

"No," was the reply. "They're my sister's, but she said I could use them."



who was the stupid fella who passed up the siesta?

Grandma tells us about the jam sessions that were held only once or twice a year during the strawberry and blackberry seasons.

Freshman Petroleum Engineer—"Isn't it great how these service station people know just where to set up their pumps to get gas?

Our computer has been coming up with snap decisions ever since someone dropped a rubber band into it.

Robinson Crusoe was the only person who got all his work done by Friday.

Male Cows have calves, too.

Bambi does stag movies, but only for the doe.

Tramp steamers follow the buoys.

I was born free too, my dad's a doctor.

Does Ma Bell use Dial Soap?

Have modern women swapped dishpan hands for computer fingers?

by Marcia Peterman

## Who's Who in Eta Kappa Nu

# HERBERT J. SUMMERS

Clifford A. Faust **Past National President** 

er, oceanographer, geologist, re- pared a complete manual for all er, explorer, artist, traveler, consertional Constitution & Statutes Comon exploration trips to San Clemente vationist, etc., etc. He has lived an mittee from 1956 to the present, he Island. Helped organize Sierra Club exciting life and compiled an envi- assisted on an extensive revision of able record of achievements to date the entire C & S and helped inter- vation mainly and for enjoyment of — and he's still in "overdrive"!

the University of Southern Califor- synoptic form: nia in 1923 and was inducted as an alumnus member when Upsilon was installed in 1926. He has maintained RAPIDS a continuing interest over the years, Made famous Georgie White rubber HKNs, working on committees, or-

cy of the Los Angeles Alumni Chapter, devoted two terms to develop- Lake Powell. ing a live, well-planned program, MEXICO committee that prepared an Alumni Acapulco. Chapter Handbook, distributed na- ABROAD tionally in 1957.

At the national level, Herb repre- CAMPER VAN National Advisory Board for two trips to mountains and desert. terms; made official visitations to ISLANDS -

"Overwhelming" really under- chapters in Arizona and New Mex- Visited several islands off Southern pret and clarify many sections.

Eta Kappa Nu is fortunate that To permit the inclusion of many this "dynamo" has served the Asso- interesting facts that otherwise ciation in many capacities for 46 would be omitted to save space, the years (so far). Herb graduated from following portions are presented in

#### **Adventures and Hobbies**

attending initiations, entertaining raft trips twice through Marble and MOGOLLON (Muggy-Own) -Grand Canyons and far into Lake Acquired 1900 miner's cabin in Moganizing meeting, and planning acti- Mead, totaling 325 miles. Also ran gollon, a once booming gold and sil-In 1934, he accepted the Presiden- upper Colorado Rivers, plus Glen of 6) in a mountainous wilderness Canyon before it was drowned by area of New Mexico. Visited two or

and organized an HKN employment Drove to Guadalajara, Mexico City made extensive alterations and adservice in the great depression. He and numerous places in Sonora and has been on the Advisory Board Baja California. Made two yacht complete electrical system. since 1946, and he served on the trips on Pacific, one all the way to ART -

Traveled widely in Europe.

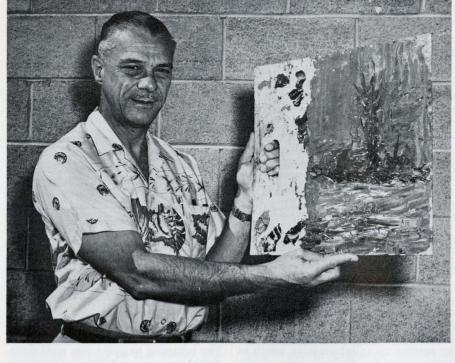
describes the activities of Herbert J. ico, and was Chairman of the Nation- California coast. On numerous oc-Summers, Upsilon '26 - adventur- al Publicity Committee, which pre- casions, took parties of geologists, botanist, ornithologists, zoologists, search scientist, inventor, scuba div- chapters. As a member of the Na- archaeologists and other scientists "Cabrillo Group" to promote conser-

SCUBA DIVING -

Practice 10 years in geologic research on ocean floor. Made about eight dives of 100 to 150 feet in Scripps submarine canyon with Navy scientists, and innumerable dives off Santa Catalina and San Clemente Islands and the coast.

rapids in Snake, Yampa, Green and ver city of 6,000 (now a ghost town three times a year since 1967 and during stays of two to four weeks ditions, including a rebuilt well and

Started in 1930 and still a favorite avocation. Studied several years with individual artists, and does realistic and abstract works in various sented the Western Region on the Crossed U.S. and made many van media, both in field and studios (has two at rear of Pasadena home). Newest development is pencil



Herbert J. Summers with seascape he painted underwater while diving off California coast.

ing them in wood carvings. BIKINI -

While in U.S. Navy on Bikini Atoll in 1946, organized sketching group, each man stationed on a ship deployed in different directions from atomic bomb detonation (No. 4 in the World). Artists made quick sketches synchronically every few minutes as cloud ascended. Assembled all drawings later that day to obtain early conception of blast effects. OTHER HOBBIES -

Took course in movie making. Films and produces travel movies with accompanying narration on tape. Has good stereo system and collection of classical records and tapes. Enjoys good music. Sand bass in Los Angeles Orpheus Club 12 years. Attends Hollywood Bowl events and concerts and operas at Los Angeles Music Center. Helps wife refinish furniture, especially antiques. FAMILY -

Joined on most of the above adven- Los Angeles (sales), Los Angeles Kappa Nu.

sketching landscapes and interpret-tures and encouraged or helped on many hobbies by his charming, talented and darling wife. Virginia (active for years in Los Angeles Alumni Chapter Women's Auxiliary and other HKN affairs). They have son, Ivan, daughter, June and four grandchildren.

#### **Education and Teaching**

DEGREES -

BS in Electrical Engineering from Sedimentary Petrology, Marine Re-USC, where he was class officer in search, and other journals. Writing 1923. Returned to USC in 1960, article now for a scientific publicastudied Geological Oceanography, tion on high-speed photography apand earned MS in Geology. TEACHING -

Taught Oceanography at Naval Reserve Officer's School and University of California extension for 5 years

#### **Professional and Navy Career**

1923-42 -

General Electric at Schenectady and

County Engineer Office, City of Torrance, self-employed engineer and U.S. Engineer Office. 1943-47 -

Officer, U.S. Naval Reserve active. Engineering specialist on battle-damaged ships at west coast shipvards. Also radiological safety officer for Bikini atom bomb tests. 1948-49 -

City of Bell city engineer.

1950-65 -

U.S. Navy lab, Pasadena. Civil Service general engineer and oceanographer until retirement.

1965 on -

Conducted independent research. For Navy, organized and conducted study of internal waves in ocean, using ten Naval and private ships. Also researched military uses of submarine canyons, employing Navy, Los Angeles County and USC research ships. Later, in 4-year USC project financed by ONR, studied sand transport and significance of micro-relief across sand sheets and dunes on deserts and sandy ocean bottoms. Conceived idea, developed many unique instruments for this work, and carried out program with help of USC graduate students. PRESENT -

Still a registered professional engineer in California (since 1930), and in the USNR, retired, as Captain. Maintains close contact with USC

Geology Department.

#### **Authorships and Honors**

ARTICLES -

Wrote technical papers on oceanographic instrumentation, results of internal wave study (senior co-author), new camera system for ocean use, bearing power of soils for foundations, etc., published in Journal of Geophysical Research, Journal of plied to geology.

HONORS -

Memberships in Sigma Xi, scientific research honorary, and Sigma Gamma Epsilon, earth sciences honorary. Navy commendation for work at Bikini. Past president of Artist Associates in Pasadena. And, as a fitting conclusion, many important offices and responsibilities in Eta

## CHAPTER NEWS

how to use the various functions on A good time was had by all. their sliderules.

During the winter quarter we initiated 12 new members bringing the membership up to 19 members. After the formal initiation, we had a luncheon at the Douglas Houghton House. by Clayton J. Larson

the first of two Spring initiations preparations are being made for a reand R.P.I. for an interchange of ideas between HKN members of these schools.

At the same meeting, it was suggested that future terms for officers be extended from the current semester terms to yearly terms and that a committee be formed to foster interest in the Chapter and its projects.

Finally, forums for fellow students concerning the procedures recommended for interviewing and writing resumés are being considered for other activities.

by Richard M. Leess

GAMMA ZETA CHAPTER. Michigan State University- The Gamma Zeta chapter at MSU is supplementing the education of its members through projects and field trips. Members visited the university cyclotron fall term and fiddled with the cyclotron computer. A trip to the MSU Power Plant is planned for March. We also plan to participate in the spring EE open house.

Gamma Zeta has designed a digital clock. Each member was responsible for a different aspect of the design. Construction will begin in the spring and the finished product will serve as a

BETA GAMMA CHAPTER, Last spring's HKN picnic was a re-Michigan Technical University - The sounding success, especially since EE Beta Gamma Chapter began the fall students and faculty combined to whip quarter teaching the annual sliderule Physiology Dept., 21 - 12, in softball. course. The members taught ap- Potential HKN candidates were treat- program (the pledge project for the proximately 300 incoming students ed to a pizza dinner at the MSU Union.

> Officers are Dan McDonald, President: Jeff Wrinkle, Vice President; Tom Boucher, Treasurer; and Larry Core, Secretary.

by Steven Schwarz

GAMMA CHI CHAPTER, New Mexico State University - Gamma BETA NU CHAPTER, Rensse- Chi Chapter started the semester off laer Polytechnic Institute - Following by setting up an information booth at registration for students new to the smokers, a discussion was held be- EE department. Ongoing projects intween Mr. Larry Dwon and officers cluded providing free tutoring servand other members of Eta Kappa Nu ices for undergraduates, taking the on the future activities of this local class evaluation survey at the end of chapter. As a result of this meeting, the semester, maintaining a file of EE alumni and their employers, and takgional visitation among the colleges of ing the Alumni Survey which is done Cornell, Clarkson, Syracuse, Union, every three years. The pledges organized a work party, and for their pledge project they put a clock and a bookcase in the study hall after giving the room a thorough cleaning.

> The guest speaker for the banquet was Dr. Bradley A. Blake who gave a humorous speech relating anthropology to the development of the EE department. The Outstanding Pledge was Hal Sierra, the Outstanding Sophomore was Janet Ahren, and the Outstanding Freshman was Kent Davenport. Keys, which were cast by the pledges, were presented to twelve graduating seniors.

By Barret Lawshe

University of Missouri-Rolla- The spring semester has been highlighted by the completion of the manual dexterity project for the Rolla Diagnostic Center. These machines, which were designed, built, and donated by our chapter, were well appreciated by all those concerned with the development of handicapped children in this area.

Work has begun on a study room to be located in the basement of the E.E. building. The funds for this project were donated by one of the firms in demonstration model for curious EE's. the area, and the plans were drawn up

by one of the chapter's committees.

Our chapter cooperated with the local Rolla Boy Scouts and offered a merit badge program. This four week spring semester) gave the Boy Scouts a chance to actually build and test various circuits. The scouts were supervised by members of the chapter and basic lectures were given. Upon completion of a test, the scouts were awarded their merit badges. Plans are being made to expand the program for next year.

On March 9, eighteen undergraduates were initiated into our chapter. The initiation banquet was well attended by parents and dates of both new and old members.

A cash award was presented to the student in the Southwest Regional Science Fair whose project demonstrated an avid interest and high proficiency in the field of Electrical Engineering.

Some of the smaller projects include the beginning of a computerized Graduate and HKN Directory, organizational orientation meetings for freshmen, and the sponsorship of a studentfaculty conference for the sole purpose of improving the Electrical Engineering Department.

One hundred and eleven Lab Insurance Policies were sold this semester, providing funds for the awards and projects undertaken this semester.

by Vincent Saporite

DELTA KAPPA CHAPTER, University of Maine - We started off our activities this spring by setting up exhibits at the University's Open GAMMA THETA CHAPTER, House held during the vacation week of March 30 - April 6. The exhibits were manned primarily by pledges who were fulfilling pledge require-

> Delta Kappa's spring initiation took place on April 16; three new brothers were initiated, all undergraduates.

> This May, our chapter took on the task of conducting course evaluations within our department on campus under the guidance of the chapter's advisor. The evaluation consisted of a comprehensive form which was distributed to all Electrical Engineering

students after being prepared primarily by our chapter president.

On May 14 Delta Kappa held its last meeting of the year. The highlight of the meeting was the presentation of awards to the two OUTSTANDING SOPHOMORES from the electrical engineering department. Two were selected instead of one because they had identical grade point averages.

DELTA OMICRON CHAPTER. University of New Mexico - We have been very expeditious in school activities this last quarter by performing its customary role in community affairs (operating its electronic message board at the University Basketball Arena during home games), and by expanding its membership to a total of thirty-nine.

The membership of this organization is presently considering augmenting its message board facilities with a additional display so that future messages will be visible to the entire area. Dr. Ruben D. Kelly, the chapter advisor, approached the Lobo Booster Club with this proposition, hoping that financial assistance for the project would be supplied by the club. The response of the Boosters was favorable, but no final action is going to be taken until the remodeling of the Arena is completed. The U.N.M. Athletic Department has planned an increase in the seating capacity of this structure, and the manner in which the construction is to proceed may dictate the relocation of the present message board. However, once the project is complete, the Delta Omicron fraternity will pursue its drive for an expanded message board facility.

The highlight of this society's social activities was the initiation banquet held at the Sundowner Motor Inn in Albuquerque on March 30, 1974. At this event, twenty-one new members were installed. During the banquet, this year's candidate for "Outstanding Electrical Engineering Senior" was announced. Michael Breheny was selected in recognition of his outstanding scholastic achievements and professional promise. The dinner was followed by an interesting recitation on the Spanish woman delivered by Dr. Sabine R. Ulibarri, the Department Chairman of Modern and Classical Languages at the University of New Mexico. The chapter President, Hank Adams, then presented appropriate awards to the chapter's faculty memthe student and school. Dr. Ruben American mission.

Kelly was presented a plaque for his distinguished service to the society as advisor for five years.

Plans for summer activities were discussed by the new officers at the last business meeting. The main topic of immediate concern was the status of the message board pertaining to possible damage during construction work at the Arena. Several members were assigned the task of protecting the fellowship's interests in this matter during the summer recess.

by Frederick Ricker

ZETA ETA CHAPTER, Brigham Young University- Recently, five new members were initiated: Jim Jones, Jay Tolman, Jim Perry, Warren Christensen and Richard Van-Epps.

Some of the activities that we have been considering at milk-and-doughnut get togethers are: A book exchange solely for engineering students who want to exchange engineering texts; and a tutoring program of some kind to help engineering students, particularly those who are just starting out in engineering. Extra work is needed, however, to fully develop these ideas into programs beneficial to the students.

We have had a great time together in "Zeta Eta" and wanted to share with you a few of the things we have been doing lately.

by Greg Rauch

#### **FLORIDA**

was arranged by Dr. Harry Weber, the Dean of Science and Engineering. Also attending were professor Erdey's family, Eta Kappa Nu Alumni from local industry, and Dr. Walter Nunn, Dr. Richard Hu, Dr. John Hadjilogiou, Dr. Kemerait, and Dr. Weber of the Electrical Engineering faculty at the Florida Institute of Technology.

Dinner was at 7:00 pm and was OUTSTANDING PROFESSOR AWARDheld at a fine local restaurant, The English Pub.

The following morning, Saturday, a tour of the Cape Kennedy Space Center took place. Also, special lectures arranged for the Eta Kappa Nu participants were held. Topics included the recently completed Skylab missions, and the upcoming bers in recognition of their devotion to Space Shuttle and the joint Soviet-

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