

Southwestern College at Winfield won certificates of "superior" and presented their speeches at the tournament dinner.

Charles Klasek of the University of Nebraska won the first place medal in poetry reading. Duane Swihart of Phillips University also won a rating of superior in the final round. Winners of excellent rating were Carole Staley of Phillips, Erma Jones of Southwest Missouri State College at Springfield, and Bob Kennard of Northeastern Oklahoma A. & M. College at Miami.

John Eland of Kansas University won first place and the only superior rating in oratory. Excellent ratings went to Dick Tucker of Hutchinson, Clif Kruse of Washburn, and Maurice Wildin of Hutchinson. Good ratings went to Larry Tretbar of Kansas University, Larry Eason of Southwestern College, and Bob Croskery of Phillips University.

First place winner in impromptu speaking was Paul Ferguson of Northeastern Oklahoma State College at Tahlequah. Other superior speakers were Mel Schwenk of Nebraska Wesleyan University, Bill Nowland of Phillips University, and Gary Poorman of Hutchinson. Beverly Faulkner of Southwest Missouri State College at Springfield won an excellent rating.

Tournament social events included the tournament dinner, a dance, and a coffee hour.

MILLSAPS COLLEGE TOURNAMENT

A total of 45 teams representing 16 colleges and universities in five states participated in the Fourteenth Annual Millsaps Debate Tournament, December 4-5. Tom Hall and Stan Clark, Louisiana College averaged the highest individual ratings in Men's Division Debate; Carolyn Regan and Dorothy Sall, University of Alabama, Women's Division Debate; and Bobb Hamm and Richard Stiltner, Louisiana College, Junior Division. Other results were as follows: Men's Debate—first, David Lipscomb, John Shoun, Don McWorter; second, Southeastern Louisiana, Thomas Matheny, Gilbert Wade.

WOMEN'S DEBATE—first, Louisiana State University, Marilyn Mitchell, Sara Latham; second, Vanderbilt University, Carol McQueen, Carol Jean Ishmael.

JUNIOR DEBATE—first, Mississippi College, Ann Smith, Willa May; second, Centenary College, Virgil Scott, Norman Miller.

ORATORY—first, Carol McQueen, Van-

derbilt; second, Bob Hamm, Louisiana College.

EXTEMPORANEOUS SPEAKING—first, Tom Hall, Louisiana College; second, Stan Clark, Louisiana College.

SOUTHWESTERN LOUISIANA INSTITUTE

Louisiana Gamma sponsored its annual Southwestern Louisiana Institute High School Speech Turnament in December. Nineteen schools from throughout the State competed in the tournament. One-hundred-sixty debaters participated in 240 debates and 127 speakers engaged in 26 oratorical, interpretative reading, and radio speaking contests. Most of the judging was done by Southwestern Speech majors.

In January, SLI conducted its annual Intrasquad First Year Debate Tournament. Twenty-four first year debaters participated in six rounds of debate. Two teams won all 6 of their debates to tie for first place honors. The winning teams were composed of Betty Heard and Frances Pickering, and Janice Hebert and Sawyer White. White was declared the "Most Valuable Debater."

The individual events contests were won as follows: Betty Heard and Sawyer White tied for first place in Radio Speaking; Frances Pickering placed first in Humorous Reading and first in Impromptu Speaking; Reginald Hanberry won the Extemporaneous Speaking Contest; Mrs. May McBride placed first in Serious Reading; and Claude Melebeck won the Oratorical contest.

Members of the varsity debate squad whose names will appear in *Who's Who Among Students in American Colleges and Universities* are: Rolland Morvant, Dorothy Fay Perry, and Jeannette Stark. Members who were honored for high scholarship at the Academic Honors Day Convocation were: Karl Cavanaugh, Beth Dubus, James Dugal, Morvant, Perry, Beth Roberts, Stark, and Bea Yazbeck.

BUCKEYE DEBATE TOURNAMENT

Thirty-nine teams from 31 colleges and universities participated in the 12th annual Buckeye Debate Tournament, February 13, sponsored by Kent State University. Seton Hill College and Allegheny College tied for first place with seven wins and one loss. Bowling Green University, Case Institute of Technology, Kent State University, and Western Reserve tied for second place honors with six wins and two losses.



Charlotte Nissly, president, Illinois Chi, delivers the winner's cup of the Greenville College Debate tournament to Charles Tucker, president of Illinois Upsilon. Looking on are the other three debaters who won the trophy and their coaches. Left to right, Sue Alice Martin, George Ziegelmueller (assistant coach), Gene Penland, Carolyn Reed, and Dr. A. J. Croft (coach).

more than \$200 toward the fund for chartering a plane for next year's Pi Kappa Delta national tournament in California. We hope to see you all there.

SOUTHERN ILLINOIS UNIVERSITY

The Illinois Upsilon chapter of Pi Kappa Delta at Southern Illinois University is this year carrying on its most active season of forensic events with fifteen active members and twelve freshmen whom we hope to initiate at the end of this year. This is the largest group we have yet had.

Southern's forensic program is this year divided into three areas: (1) a monthly public affairs forum, part of which is taped for radio broadcast; (2) a season of oratory and extemporaneous speaking, joined with a student speakers bureau to provide off-campus opportunities; (3) a season of seventeen debate tournaments and a number of home and home debate exchanges.

To date, Southern debaters have tied for second at the Purdue Invitational tournament, won first place at the Greenville Invitational tournament, and had two undefeated teams at the Bradley University and the Illinois at Navy Pier University tournaments. Future plans include trips to invitational tournaments at DePauw, Northern Illinois, and the College of St. Thomas in St. Paul. The season will be climaxed by the Illinois State Tournament at Bradley University, the West Point Regional Tournament at Augustana College, and the Pi Kappa Delta provincial tournament which is to be held at Southern.

The debate squad sponsored a stage show for the general public this year and raised

RED RIVER VALLEY DEBATE TOURNAMENT

Thirty-two teams from nineteen colleges in five states participated in the tournament, February 5-6. Again, for convenience, the Men's and Women's divisions were held on the campuses of Concordia College and Moorhead State Teachers College, respectively, which are located a few blocks apart. The two divisions joined for the reception held Friday night in the North Lounge of Fjelstad Hall at Concordia where the winners in oratory and impromptu speaking were announced. Results were as follows:

MEN'S DIVISIONS:

Debate: first, South Dakota State College, Bill Schaphorst, Dick Chapmen; second, University of Minnesota Duluth Branch, Gerald Ylinen, David Wood; third, St. Cloud State Teachers College, Al Kromminga, Charles Fisher. Impromptu—11 entrants: first, Dick Chapman, South Dakota State; second, Ralph Zimmerman, Wisconsin State College, Eau Claire; third, Robert Hilton, Bethel College. Oratory—11 entrants: first, Bill Schaphorst, South Dakota State College; second, Norm Tlachac, Wisconsin State College, Eau Claire; third, Larry Henneman, Wisconsin State College, River Falls.

WOMEN'S DIVISION:

Debate: first, St. Olaf College, Patricia Litsheim, Lois Cooper; second, Northwestern Schools, Sara Anne Robertson, Madeline Smit; College of St. Catherine, Virginia Stau, Marlene Yost. Impromptu—8 entrants: first,

Patricia Litscheim, St. Olaf College; second, Florence Goetz, Wisconsin State College, Eau Claire; third, Virginia Stau, College of St. Catherine. Oratory—10 entrants: first, Janet Kaufman, Mankato State College; second, Jean Hoard, Wisconsin State College, Eau Claire; third, Wanda Monthey, Hamline University.

GULF STATES SPEECH FESTIVAL

Eleven colleges and universities from Louisiana, Tennessee, Alabama, Florida, and Mississippi participated in the speech tournament sponsored by the speech department and the local chapter of PKD at Mississippi Southern College, February 5-6.

Superior ratings were awarded as follows: Senior Debate: Florida University, Florida State University, Mississippi College, and Mississippi Southern. Junior Debate: Memphis State, Louisiana State University, University of Alabama, Mississippi College, and Tulane University. Interpretative Reading—Senior Women: Barbara Kuykendall, Mississippi State College for Women, and Russ Dietrich, Tulane; Junior Women: Norma Trippodo, FSU, and Lutie Wheat, Tulane; Senior Men: Collins Kilburn, Memphis State; Junior Men: Jimmie Staggs, Alabama, and Donald Meyer, Tulane. Extemp—Senior Women: Laura Ann Wilbur, Mississippi Southern, Virginia Pace, MSCW, and Paige Ratcliff, Memphis State; Senior Men: Kilburn, Memphis State and Talmadge Littlejohn, Mississippi College; Junior Men: Gary Sullins, Memphis State, and Dom Manuel, Mississippi College; Junior Women: Wheat, Tulane, and Willa May, Mississippi College; Original Speaking—Senior Women: Wilbur, Mississippi Southern; Senior Men: Kilburn, Memphis State; Junior Women: Carolyn Pruette, Memphis State, and Mary Jane Hearn, Alabama; Junior Men: Sullins, Memphis State, and Jimmy Staggs, Alabama. After-Dinner Speaking: Arthur Hastings, Memphis State, Radio Speaking: Pace, MSCW, and Forest Blount, Mississippi Southern.

PHILLIPS UNIVERSITY

The Oklahoma Kappa Chapter recently initiated nine new members. They were Letitia Armstrong, Norman Crews, Grover Criswell, Bob Crockery, Beverly Fulkerson, Kaye Kiser, Margaret Smith, Joe Steele, and Barbara Wetzel.

Degrees held by active members of the fraternity are as follows: Special distinction

—Paula Bowman, Lex Davis; Honor—Jeff Hamilton, Bill Nowlan, John Worley; Proficiency—Criswell, Crockery, Willa Jo Hawkins, Wetzel; Fraternity—Armstrong, Crews, Fulkerson, Kiser, Smith, Carole Staley, Steele.

Professor James Ladd, a member of the speech department at Phillips and one of the sponsors of PKD, has recently achieved special distinction in instruction since he has coached six people who have received special distinction. Professor Ira Morrison, the other sponsor of Oklahoma Kappa, also holds the degree of special distinction.

SOUTHEAST MISSOURI STATE COLLEGE

The debaters from Missouri Iota tied for second place among 16 colleges at North East Missouri State Teacher, December 4-5. On January 8-9, they participated in the State Normal University tournament and held a campus debate with Murray, Kentucky, State College on January 12.

GREENVILLE COLLEGE

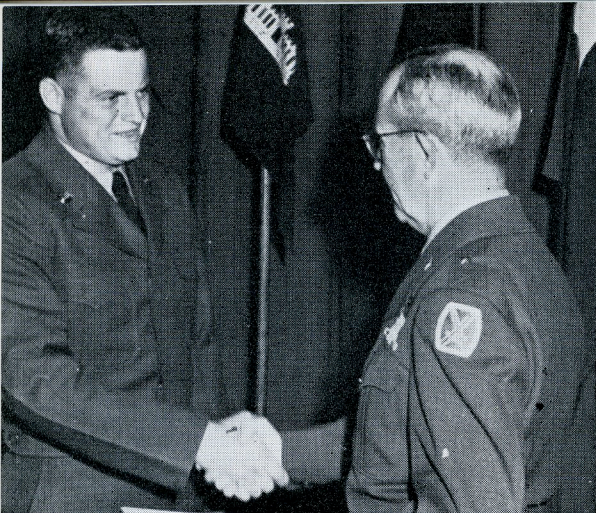
On February 12, Illinois Chi sponsored a public debate with the University of Missouri and on February 13 sponsored the first Greenville College High School Debate Tournament. Plans are to make the high school tournament an annual event. The annual Greenville College Tournament is held annually in December.

Ray Heisey received the highest rating given at the Illinois State Normal Oratory Contest. The Greenville debaters have won about 70 per cent of their debates.

ABILENE CHRISTIAN COLLEGE SPEECH TOURNAMENT

Fifteen colleges from Oklahoma, Arkansas, and Texas participated in the tournament, February 13-14. Results were as follows: Women's Extemp: first, Johnnie Stone, Baylor; second, Dana Hieronymus, University of Texas; third, Marlene Phelps, Panhandle A & M. Men's Extemp: first, Myer Witt, University of Texas, second, Rollo Tinkler, ACC, and Bill Kilgarlin, University of Houston. Women's Bible Reading: first, Sydney Billingsley, Baylor; second, Barbara Smith, Tech, and Caroline Moore, University of Texas; third, Patricia McDonald, Texas Western, and Carol Lynn Lackery, University of Arkansas.

Men's Bible Reading: first, Bernie Burrus,



Pvt. Ralph D. Glenn is congratulated by Brigadier General John L. Whitelaw, assistant commander of the 10th Infantry Division for graduating with honors from basic training at Fort Riley, Kansas. Glenn has been in the army since last September and is a PKD from Illinois Wesleyan University.

Houston; second, Dick Edgar, ACC; third, Larry Hargrove, Baylor. Men's After-dinner: first, Larry Hargrove, Baylor; second, Donnie Dean, Tech; third, Dwight Worley, ACC.

Women's After-dinner: first, Caroline Moore, University of Texas; second, Marlene Phelps, Panhandle A & M; third, Barbara Smith, Texas Tech. Women's Radio: first, Marjorie Beilke, Texas University; second Patricia McDonald, Texas Western.

Men's Radio: first, Knox Williams, Southwestern Texas; second, Bernie Burrus, Houston; third, Irven DeVore, Texas University.

Women's Oratory: first, Camilla Landavazo, Texas Western; second, Jacqueline Bateman, Texas Tech; third, Caroline Moore, University of Texas.

Men's Oratory: first, Joe Schubert, ACC; second, Don Paul Wills, Baylor; third, Ed Mainous, University of Texas.

Women's Poetry: first, Sydney Billingsley, tourney, under the direction of Miss Mary M. Baylor; second, Virginia DeVaney, Texas Western; third, Laurie Klindworth, Texas.

Men's Poetry: first, Bill Young, ACC; second, John Bagalay, Baylor; third, Bernie Burrus, Houston.

DEBATE RESULTS: (Based on five rounds of debate, except Junior Men in which both ACC and University of Houston were undefeated. ACC won the elimination debate to settle the tie.) Senior Debate—Men: first, Oklahoma Central, Bill Henderson, Berril Pierce; second, Baylor, Fletcher Brown, James Slatton; third, Houston, Bill Kilgarlin, Bernie Burrus.

Senior Women Debate: first, Oklahoma Central, Helen Tanner, Carol Farr; second, Texas University, Marjorie Beilke, Dana Hieronymus; third, (tied) Texas University, Laurie Klindworth, Caroline Moore, and Baylor, Barbara Saunders, Donna Wantling.

Junior Men Debate: first, ACC, Joe Schubert, Harold Forshey; second, University of Houston, Don Alford, Charles Ledbetter; third, Baylor, Don Havell, Ky Ewing, Baylor, James Sewell, Don Wills, and Texas, Ed Mainous, Irven DeVore.

Junior Women Debate: first, Baylor, Johnnie Stone, Sydney Billingsley; second, Texas Tech, Barbara Smith, Jacqueline Bateman; third, University of Arkansas, Carol Lynn Lackey, Noralee Phariss.

SWEEPSTAKES:

First, Baylor University—124 points, second, Central State—80 points, third, University of Texas—79½ points, fourth, ACC—73 points.

WESTMINSTER COLLEGE

A three-man debate team composed of Alan Kembrell, Sherwood Richardson, and Franc Guthrie won three out of four debates at the Midwest Speech Tournament held at Kirksville, Missouri. Charles Gusewelle placed first in original poetry. Westminster debaters tied for third place with five wins and three losses at the Kent State Buckeye Debate Tournament.

WASHINGTON STATE COLLEGE

Bob Willard and George Ferrer are the winners of the Harold Rock Forensic Scholarship for the year 1953-54. Both men have been outstanding in debating and promoting forensic interest on the Washington State campus.

On October 17, the "Palouse Campus" was the scene of the annual High School Debate Clinic sponsored by the local PKD. Seventy students from fourteen different Eastern Washington High Schools discussed proper debating techniques and the issues of Washington High School debate question.

Officers of Washington Gamma for the present school year are Mack Edwards, president; Betty Alexander, vice-president; Joyce Brim, secretary. The chapter advisor is Professor W. H. Veatch and the Trustee of the Forensic Endowment Fund is Attorney Frank Sanger.

RESULTS OF THE BAYLOR UNIVERSITY INVITATIONAL DEBATE TOURNAMENT

Twenty-five colleges and universities from Texas, Illinois, Oklahoma, Kansas, and Louisiana attended the Annual Invitational Debate Tournament sponsored by Baylor University, February 5-6. There were 218 students and teachers that registered. There were 86 debate teams, 64 extemporaneous speakers, and 52 orators in the competition. The tournament included separate divisions for senior men, junior men, senior women, and junior women in debate, extemporaneous speaking, and oratory. The results in the various divisions were as follows: **DEBATE**—Senior Women—first, Baylor University, Barbara Saunders, Donna Wantling; second, Southwest Louisiana Institute, Dorothy Fay Perry, Jeannette Stark. Junior Women—first, Central State Oklahoma, Ruth Ann Cleveland, Loy Ferguson; second, Baylor University, Jane Ferguson, Joyce Montgomery. Junior Men—first, Baylor University, James Sewell, Don Wills; second, University of Houston, Charles Ledbetter, Don Alford. Senior Men—first, University of Houston, Bill Kilgarlin, Bernie Burrus; second, Texas A. & M. College, Kenneth L. Scott, John Samuels.

EXTEMPORANEOUS SPEAKING—Junior Women—first, Johnnie Stone, Baylor; second, Joyce Montgomery, Baylor; third, Herma Hill, S.M.U. Junior Men—first, Frank Mitchell, University of Oklahoma; second, James Sewell, Baylor; third, Richard Stiltner, Louisiana College. Senior Men—first, Tom Hall, Louisiana College; second, Bernie Burrus, Houston; third, James Slatton, Baylor. Senior Women—first, Dana Hieronymus, University of Texas; second, Jeannette Stark, S.L.I.; third, Raymona Majer, Texas Christian University.

ORATORY—Senior Women—first, Dorothea Drennan, Southwestern Kansas; second, Dorothy Fay Perry, S.L.I.; third, Yetta Hursh, North Texas State. Junior Women—first, Jane Ferguson, Baylor; second, Beth Roberts, S.L.I.; third, Marjorie Beilke, University of Texas. Junior Men—first, Don Wills, Baylor; second, Don Alford, Houston; third, Louis Hopfe, Baylor. Senior Men—first, Ted Jackson, T.C.U.; second, Stan Clark, Louisiana College; third (tie), Lester Robbins, Baylor, and Frank Mitchell, University of Oklahoma.

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 Gamma—Mississippi State College for
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 Mu—Tarkio College, Tarkio
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Ridin' the Provinces

I have been neither "near nor far" since the last issue of the FORENSIC and thus have not talked with many PKD's. The "ole mail pouch," however, has contained very appreciated news and greetings from many of you. I seem to keep so busy writing letters and editing material for the next issue, I sometimes overlook sending a thank you for your assistance. Your contributions are appreciated! They make a better FORENSIC and my job easier. Let me hear from all of you. Sponsors who have written recently include: GRANT H. WESSEL, Michigan Epsilon; MARY M. ROBERTS, Kansas Theta; GEORGE T. TATE, Illinois Chi; CHASE S. WINFREY, Tennessee Gamma; MARY L. GEHRING, Mississippi Delta; ALBERT J. CROFT, Illinois Upsilon; GLENN R. CAPP, Texas Iota; REX WEIR, Texas Eta; JAMES H. HOLM, Ohio Iota; MRS. JOHN H. MELZER, Kentucky Alpha; DAVID W. SHEPARD, Minnesota Delta; REX KIKER and FRED BARTON, Texas Xi; LEO PRITCHETT, North Carolina Epsilon; FORREST H. ROSE, Missouri Iota; ALBERT KEISER, North Carolina Delta; National President JOHN RANDOLPH; National Secretary, D. J. NABORS; National Council Members L. E. NORTON, ETHEL KAUMP, and ROY MURPHY; and Associate Editor of the FORENSIC, EMIL PFISTER.

I HEAR FROM THE ALUMNI—

DR. G. EARL GUINN, president of Louisiana College, his alma mater, holds the degree of special distinction in the orders of debate and oratory. He attended the Provincial of the Lower Mississippi in 1936. PAUL HUGHES, Oklahoma Eta, is program director of radio station KTAR, Phoenix, Arizona. His new book "Jeff" is just off the press. DR. JOHN P. NEWPORT, professor of Philosophy of Religion at Southwestern Baptist Theological Seminary, Ft. Worth, is serving as interim pastor at the First Baptist Church, Ada, Oklahoma. Dr. Newport is a PKD from William Jewell College, attended the Topeka National Convention, and made a nation-wide debate tour with P. CASPER HARVEY. He holds the A.B. from William Jewell, the Th.M., and Th.D. from Southern Baptist Theological Seminary, and the Ph.D.

from the University of Edinburgh, Scotland. He has also studied at Basel University, Zurich University, University of Tulsa, Columbia University, Union Theological Seminary, and Tulane University. He has held pastorates in Kentucky, Mississippi, Texas, and Oklahoma. JOHN DUNN, director of radio station WNAD, Oklahoma University, holds PKD key No. 600 which he earned as a student at Texas Southwestern. DR. RALPH PHELPS, the new president of Ouachita College, Arkansas, holds the degree of special distinction in the orders of debate and oratory which he earned while a student at Baylor University. Westminster College—ROBERT L. McBEE, '52, is now living in Kansas City, Missouri, and is engaged in advertising work; WILLIAM FRICK, '50, is prosecuting attorney in Unionville, Missouri. Greenville College—WILLIAM B. BRENTLINGER, '50, is director of forensics at Greenville; ERNEST BOYER is chairman of the speech department at Upland College; DR. LEROY BROWN is chairman of the speech department at Olivet College. Mississippi State College for Women—VALERIE THRELKELD, '53, is working with a television station in Jackson, Mississippi; JOSIE SHANNON, '53, is connected with a radio station in Nashville; MARY ALICE GOINGS LANE, '53, is married and living in Bowling Green, Kentucky; DOROTHEA DRANE RATCLIFF, '53, is demonstrating electrical equipment for the Light Company in Brookhaven while her husband completes a tour of duty in Korea; JUDY GARRETSON, '53, is connected with the Texas A&M Library; LENORE LOVING, '53, is studying law at the University of Mississippi. Kansas State Teachers College, Pittsburg — DOROTHY ANN CRESAP is the speech instructor at Emporia, Kansas, High School; Dean of Administration and Student EUGENE E. DAWSON is a PKD graduate, '40, was an outstanding debater and orator, is now on a leave of absence to direct a study for the American Association of Colleges for Teachers Education concerning the problem of teaching religion in the schools.

The best of luck and success in the coming province tournaments. Remember, decisions are not the all-important results to be obtained from your speech activities! Don't forget the May issue. Dead-line is April 15. Send me your results, plans, new members, ideas. We, too, would like to know what you are doing and thinking.

—Your Editor

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Mu—Southwestern State College, Weatherford

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Theta—Hardin-Simmons University, Abilene
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Lambda—Southwestern Texas State Teachers College, San Marcos
Mu—Stephen F. Austin State Teachers College, Nacogdoches
Nu—Texas A. & I., Kingsville
Xi—Abilene Christian College, Abilene

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Beta—Seattle Pacific College, Seattle
Gamma—State College of Washington, Pullman
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Beta—Carroll College, Waukesha
Delta—State College, River Falls
Epsilon—State College, Whitewater
Zeta—State College, Eau Claire

Value of Debate

CHARLES T. BATTIN, *College of Puget Sound*

Twenty-five years experience judging debates, coaching debaters and watching their performance in school work, and in professional and business positions after graduation have convinced me that debaters as a group rank at the top scholastically and intellectually.

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Add to the above prices the following charges for other jewels and attachments

Rubies, each.....	.75
Sapphires, each.....	.50
Turquoise, each.....	.50
Emeralds, each.....	1.00
Diamonds, each	
large.....	10.00
small.....	8.00
for miniature key-pin.....	3.50
White Gold (worn by Special Distinction members only) ..	1.00
Pin Attachment with clasp for large or small keys.....	1.00
Guard chain for pin attachment.....	.50
Guard chain with gold initial pin (chapter Greek letter) ...	1.50

Add to all prices above

Handling charge, per key.....	.50
Charge for changing jewels in old keys.....	.50
Federal and state taxes on all items except handling charge and jewel changing charge.....	22%

ALLOWANCES

Gold in yellow gold keys exchanged for white gold	
Large and small size keys.....	1.50
Miniature.....	1.00
Full value on rubies, sapphires, turquoises, and emeralds exchanged for new jewels or white gold key	

Jeweling of various degrees and orders

Degrees

Fraternity.....	ruby eye
Proficiency.....	amethyst eye
Honor.....	emerald eye
Special Distinction.....	diamond eye

Orders

Oratory.....	ruby circle
Debate.....	pearl circle
Instruction.....	emerald circle
Honorary membership.....	sapphire circle
Any two orders.....	turquoise circle
Three orders.....	diamond circle

Address all key orders to the National Secretary, D. J. Nabors,
East Central College, Ada, Oklahoma.

Missing