

generalizations on this subject of army morals. On the one hand, there is much immorality. Here's a statement in the June, 1958, *Methodist Story*, by a very highly regarded, reputable Methodist clergyman, Rev. Donald Tippet, which reads as follows: "An official German survey has reported that there are 67,743 illegitimate children in West Germany, the legacy of 10 years of allied occupation. Of these, 36,334 were fathered by Americans. In Pusan, Korea, the Masonic Hospital reported receiving monthly nearly 200 abandoned babies, nearly all of them fathered by Americans." These are things that no one can or should close his eyes to, nor try either to minimize or deny.

On the other hand, I can't escape the impression that it would be easy to draw wrong conclusions, and to place undue emphasis upon this aspect of the serviceman's life abroad. Let me illustrate what I mean. In my son-in-law's Yokohama home, Michi was employed as a housemaid. Her father had been a well-to-do merchant in Korea; he lost everything at the end of the war. Although Michi had traveled to Europe for pleasure, she was now reduced to the status of a domestic. Upon one occasion, after her maid's day off, my son-in-law in a kidding way asked her: "Michi, did you catch yourself a boy friend on your day off yesterday?" She hesitated a moment, demurely lowered her eyes, then hesitantly said: "Captain shouldn't talk that way—makes me feel I woman of streets." Perhaps I am incredibly naive, but I couldn't escape thinking that perhaps here was a more typical representative of Japanese womanhood in the hinterlands than were those women one sees around military installations where one has to run a gauntlet of pimps and prostitutes.

I am rather of the opinion, too, that perhaps some prudish persons may forget that the laws of human nature have never been repealed, that propinquity of men and women leads to acquaintanceship, that in turn to friendship, and friendship to love and marriage, in other words, that not all association between servicemen and women is on a lust level. I think, too, that after we've said all about the bad behavior of the G.I. abroad, which helps to give us as a nation a bad name, we shouldn't neglect to mention some compensatory quali-

ties. I'm thinking here of the fact that the average G.I. is not a snob, that class distinctions mean little to him, that he's generous to a fault, that he can't see why "kids" need to go hungry nor why, if there is food available, he shouldn't feed such youngsters, and support orphanages and other worthy causes in stricken lands.

Take it all in all, Americans have a good reason to be proud of their sons abroad, no matter which of these three "M's" be considered.

## *In Memoriam*

### **MRS. DANA T. BURNS**

Mrs. Dana T. Burns, a former faculty member at Baldwin-Wallace College, died November 21, in Daytona Beach, Florida. She and her husband had arrived there November 15 to spend the winter.

Mrs Burns was well-known to many members of Pi Kappa Delta. Not only was Mrs. Burns instructor in speech and dramatics at Baldwin-Wallace from 1940 to 1947, but she acted as assistant in debate and accompanied her husband, the director of forensics, to numerous provincial and national conventions of Pi Kappa Delta.

Before serving as instructor in speech, Mrs. Burns was instructor in English and history at Baldwin-Wallace from 1922 to 1935. Her husband, who now holds the title of professor emeritus of speech, taught at Baldwin-Wallace from 1921 to 1953. During most of these years he was active in the affairs of Pi Kappa Delta. Both were graduates of Ohio University, and both were members of Pi Kappa Delta.

Mrs. Burns is survived by her husband and a brother, Dr. J. H. Caldwell of Warren, Ohio. Alumni and friends may send contributions to her memory to the Baldwin-Wallace Dramatic Scholarship Fund in care of the speech department.



# Chapter Notes

## MARYVILLE COLLEGE

David Pierce the president and Dr. Arda S. Walker the sponsor for the current year . . . Maryville hosted the Tennessee State Forensic Tournament, February 11-13 . . . with twelve colleges participating. . . . In over-all standings David Lipscomb first, Maryville second. . . . Judy Null first in women's original oratory . . . and, with Arlene Ford, on the winning women's debate team . . . a current problems seminar sponsored by the chapter so popular that it is being continued into the second semester . . . nine new members elected this year.

## STETSON UNIVERSITY

Florida Beta in the midst of another active year, with successes gained in three

tournaments . . . at Carolina Forensics Bill Sims and Dick Jenkins third among negative teams . . . at Univ. of Florida Meet George Patten and Jerry Seaborn tied for first among affirmative teams and squad as whole second with 9 wins in 12 debates. . . . Charles Royal and Wes Johnston tied for negative winner on won-loss record at Birmingham Invitational. . . . Sims named among top speakers at first, Johnston at last-named meets.

## UNIVERSITY OF AKRON

New officers for Ohio Delta are Dan Salden, president; Veralea Mihaly, vice-president; Susanna Falardeau, secretary-treasurer; George Seyfarth, corresponding secretary. . . . In October, George Seyfarth and Dan Salden appeared in an exhibition



On Monday evening, October 19, 1959, the University of Akron debated with a pair from Cambridge University on the motion that "The American high school is the grave of American greatness" before an audience of over 200. The teams were split according to the above grouping. From left to right: Roger Warren Evans and Veralea Mihaly held down the negative, and the Honorable Julian Grenfell and Dan Salden upheld the motion, while William Bachman was Chairman. Evans and Grenfell are the visitors.





The top debaters on this year's teams from Augustana College, Rock Island, Illinois, are, from left to right, Don Johnson, Clarinda, Iowa; John Siefkin, East Moline, Ill.; Richard Smith, Freeport, Ill.; and Alan Johnson, Chicago. In the center is Professor Martin J. Malcomb, coach at Augustana since 1932. So far this year, the squad has had an unusually successful season.

cross-examination debate on the high school question against a team from Bowling Green State during the Ohio Speech Education Conference in Columbus, Ohio . . . played host to visiting debaters from Cambridge University . . . and will entertain the annual Northeast Ohio Debate Conference varsity meet on March 12 . . . and the Men's State Individual Events on March 18 and 19.

### CENTRAL MICHIGAN UNIVERSITY

Michigan Theta Chapter of Pi Kappa Delta to host approximately 75-100 alumni of the chapter as they return to campus May 14, 15, to attend the 20th Anniversary of the founding of the chapter by Dr. Wilbur E. Moore, vice-president of Academic Affairs and former head of the Department of Speech. . . . The chapter, which began

as a group of four students and Dr. Moore, has increased to a present total of 29 students and nine faculty members. . . .

General chairman is Ed Poyner . . . assisted by Virginia Schillinger, Norma Beth McKenzie, and Lynn Hagman. . . . Dr. Gilbert Rau, Director of Debate, the advisor of this committee.

Other faculty members cooperating with the program are Dr. Judson Foust, president of Central Michigan University, Dr. Charles L. Anspach, President Emeritus, Dr. W. C. Smith, Vice President of Public Affairs, Dr. Herbert Curry, former advisor and present Director of Forensics, and Dr. Emil Pfister, present advisor and Head of the Department of Speech. . . . The program for the weekend consists of tours of the campus to point out new facilities and buildings, coffee hour get-togethers, and highlighting the activities will be a banquet



the evening of the 14th, followed by the alumni viewing the Alpha Psi Omega, dramatics fraternity, production of the "Solid Gold Cadillac. . . ." Theta Chapter has been saving money at the rate of \$30.00 a year for the past four years in order to finance this 20th Anniversary.

## WILLIAM JEWELL COLLEGE

Four William Jewell debaters flew to Boston for Harvard Invitational Debate Tournament in February . . . came back with a trophy when Donald Herrick, senior, took first in extempore to receive the Edward Everett award . . . this being Herrick's fifth first this season . . . 11 of 16 debates won by the two teams making the trip.

## ILLINOIS STATE NORMAL UNIVERSITY

I.S.N.U. the host to the Illinois Intercollegiate Oratorical Association's annual meeting, February 19-20. . . . First and second place winners, respectively, in the several contests were as follows: Men's Oratory, K. Saunders, S.I.U., D. Van Treese, Monmouth. . . . Women's Oratory, D. Jones, I.W.U., M. Thompson, Ill. College. . . . Women's Extempore, S. Loveless, S.I.U., G. Shadwell, E.I.U. . . . Men's Extempore, K. Brandon, S.I.U., R. Miller, Bradley. Fourteen schools and thirty-nine student speakers competed. . . . Taken in as new members of the Association were Carthage College, University of Illinois, and Millikin University.

## WESTMINSTER

Tom Baumgardner, president of Missouri Alpha, also serving as president of the student body this year . . . freshman Cal Kent chosen as one of the top discussers at the Grinnell College Discussion Conference in October . . . also top speaker at a four-school meet sponsored by the University of Missouri in November.

Kent and Paul Vassar, Brad Kent and Mike Linihan undefeated in senior and junior divisions, respectively, at the Midwest Speech Meet at Kirksville . . . Kent and Vassar battled on the national topic with a visiting team from New Zealand in February.



Pictured is Judge Don Musser, District Judge and President of the Alumni Association of Kansas State College of Pittsburg, receiving his honorary membership in Pi Kappa Delta and a letter of appreciation from the Kansas Theta Chapter. Presenting the letter are Jane Shanks, president (left), and Linda Green, secretary.

Judge Musser has been active in support of the local debate program, acting as a judge for the Annual Debate Tournament and being a generous contributor to the Debate Scholarship Fund. He addressed the Annual Spring Banquet of the Theta Chapter and has addressed many other local groups.

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tional forensic honoraries will be considered for membership in Pi Kappa Delta until such association has been clearly terminated with the full understanding of the national officers of both organizations.

Each applicant should be familiar with the requirements as specified in Article 9, New Chapters, of the constitution of Pi Kappa Delta. Upon approval of the charter, a sufficiently large group of initiates should be available to give the new chapter the impetus and continuance which it will need.

The partisan, when he is engaged in a dispute, cares nothing about the rights of the question, but is anxious only to convince his hearers only of his own assertions. . . . False words are not only evils in themselves, but they infect the soul with evil.

—Socrates



# Alumni News

From the Illinois Bell Telephone Company comes information that **Clarence D. Richardson**, Illinois State Normal University, '41, has been promoted to the newly created position of General Operations Supervisor for the new state area.

**Clarence L. A. Wynd**, Bradley University, '21, will be the new general manager of the Kodak Park Works of the Eastman Kodak Company, it has recently been announced. Wynd, already a company vice-president and a director of the East Gelatine Corporation, will succeed Ivar N. Hultman, who is retiring.

The following tidbits come from Illinois Psi at the University of Illinois, Chicago Division. **Kenneth Burns**, '49, is in San Antonio, where he is an assistant attorney general of Texas. **Corrine Chapman Lee**, '49, is speech therapist for the new Chicago School for Retarded Children. **Nicholas Biro**, '50, is Music and Vending Editor for *Billboard*. **Raymond Fredrickson**, '50, is General Sales Manager, Manitowoc Equipment Works, Manitowoc, Wisconsin. **Hugh Jones**, '50, is the school psychologist at Dover, Ohio. He is married and has two children. **Spencer K. Johnston**, '51, is Legal Aid Adviser to the Navajo Tribe. He wrote recently: "I am living on the largest Indian reservation in the United States. . . . My duties consist of providing free legal advice and service to the 90,000 Navajos living on this 15,000,000 acre reservation." Spencer's address is Window Rock, Arizona.

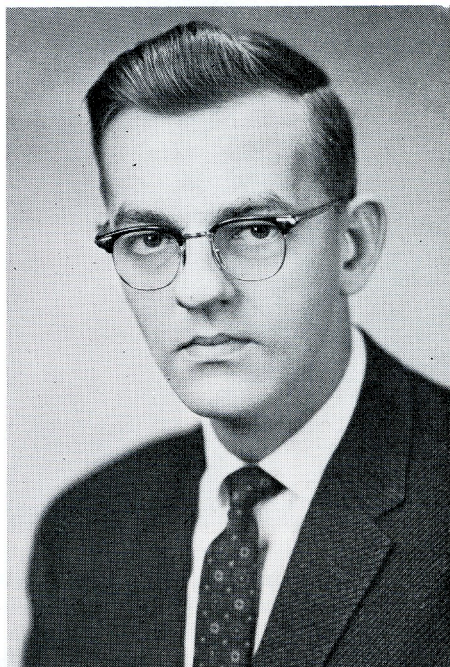
The Upsilon Chapter at Southern Illinois University at Carbondale is spreading the good word and good works forensically. **Donald McHenry** is now teaching speech and coaching debate at Howard University. **E. Neil Claussen** is director of forensics at Colorado State College, Greeley, Colorado. **Richard Rieke** is debate coach at Ohio State University, Columbus, Ohio. **Ted Foster** is coaching debate at Evansville, Indiana. **Susanne Loes** is directing forensics at Georgetown University, Georgetown, Kentucky.

## MEET OUR DISTINGUISHED ALUMNI

The many Pi Kappa Delta friends of **Robert A. Forsythe** will be glad to learn

that on November 2, 1959, he was sworn in as Assistant Secretary of Health, Education, and Welfare for Legislation. This was a presidential appointment.

As a student, Mr. Forsythe had the unusual distinction of participating in three



national conventions, all while at St. Olaf College. He was at Knoxville in 1940 and at Minneapolis in 1942; then, after service in the army during World War II, he participated again at Bowling Green. After graduating from St. Olaf in 1947, he was awarded an LL.B. from the University of Minnesota Law School in 1949. From 1947 to 1953, he was on the faculty of the College of St. Catherine in St. Paul, Minnesota, where his teams won numerous national honors in forensics.

Mr. Forsythe's particular job is that of handling the entire legislative program for the Department of Health, Education, and Welfare and all of its agencies. The department has 55,000 employees, with nine regional offices throughout the United States.

For the benefit of his old friends, Bob's



address is 312 White Street, Falls Church, Virginia.

**Conn Withers**, Missouri Delta, class of 1928, was honored at the annual William Jewell College Achievement Day in No-



vember. Five alumni are selected yearly to receive citations of achievement for outstanding work in their field. Withers is a successful Liberty, Mo., lawyer and has also served as probate judge. He was a navy officer in World War II, is active in civic and county affairs, and has been president of his college national alumni association. He was a diamond key debater as an undergraduate.

### ARE YOUR ALUMNI ORGANIZED?

The Illinois Psi Chapter at the University of Illinois, Chicago Division, has a vigorous Alumni group. These alums sponsor annual parties for new debaters, take over judging duties, and help subsidize forensic events. Now a new project is in progress. A major activity of this organization during the last six months was the distribution of names and the topics of alumni who are available as speakers. Those currently on the list are **Bernard Baum**, '56, **Sam Evins**, '56, **Bill Haase**, '57, **Morris Kap-**

**lan**, '55, **Kent Kirkwood**, '54, **Richard Palewicz**, '48, **Gerald Reese**, '51, **Lawrence Robbins**, '51, and **Joseph Wenzel**, '56. Also on the list are **Eric Vesely**, '54, who is an attorney and consultant on office management, **Richard Lenoir**, '55, who is an assistant buyer in the Foods Department of Marshall Field and Co., and **Dr. James Hunter**, '50, who is a heart surgeon at Presbyterian-St. Luke's. Those planning programs and desiring a copy of the list of speakers and topics should write to **S. John Insalata**, 3518 N. Fremont, Chicago 13. Mr. Insalata, '54, is a member of the national nominating committee of the American Society of Legal Historians. In addition to working as an attorney for the Social Security Administration, he has a law office at the corner of Addison and Halsted.

### EMINENT PI KAPPA DELTA TO RETIRE

Dr. Harold F. Schory, author and teacher, will retire at the end of the summer from Western Illinois University, where he has taught English and speech and directed plays and debate for the past thirty-four years. He has taught speech for forty-two years, and before receiving any degrees had given private speech lessons to university students.

Dr. Schory was instrumental in building up forensic enthusiasm and establishing chapters of Pi Kappa Delta in three schools where he taught, namely, Coe College, Iowa Theta, Midland College, Nebraska Kappa, and Western Illinois University, Illinois Nu. He never sought political advancement in Pi Kappa Delta, though he holds the key of special distinction, for any spare time he had from the exacting task of coaching debate and dramatics was spent in writing.

In addition to several textbooks, Dr. Schory wrote *The Christmas Cycle*, which comprises four big Christmas plays that have been given in many cities throughout the country. His latest book is the *Sanctuary of Silence*, published by the Christopher Publishing House of Boston.

Dr. Schory says: "Hot and cold wars, the vast growth of material power, and the great increase in the tempo of living have contributed to a materialization of thought and shaken long-established dogmas and mores, so that human frailty can hardly withstand the stress and pace of modern





must be countered by a spiritual power of atomic proportions if mankind is to survive."

Dr. Schory believes that the forensic activities sponsored and promoted by Pi Kappa Delta offer college youth of America its greatest opportunity for gaining those skills and enlightenment that are so necessary in trying to solve our national problems. "Every national Pi Kappa Delta convention," says Dr. Schory, "is a conclave of great enthusiasm and inspiration. Wherever our national conventions are held, citizens comment on the high quality of young men and women present."

Many students whom Dr. Schory has coached have attained high rank in the fields of education, radio, authorship, war correspondence, politics, and business.

THE FORENSIC feels privileged to join, even in a small way, its voice to the many tributes which are being paid to Dr. Schory at this time for his years of fruitful activity. We wish him health, happiness, and continued productivity during the period of retirement which he has ahead of him.

life. The need resulting from these forces is seen in the increase of mental, emotional, and nervous disorders, social and domestic maladjustment, juvenile delinquency, and many other defections from a well-ordered life. The atomic age of gross materialism

You are young, my son, and as the years go by, time will change and even reverse many of your present opinions. Refrain therefore awhile from setting yourself up as a judge of the highest matters.—*Plato*

## *New Members of Pi Kappa Delta*

### **Heidelberg**

- 32685 Pat Kropf
- 32686 David Swinehart
- 32687 Bruce F. Gischel

### **University of Houston**

- 32688 Eugene Cook
- 32689 Sheley Zimmerman
- 32690 Katherine Taylor
- 32691 Louis Patronella
- 32692 Russel Stanley

### **Georgetown**

- 32693 Tom Glen Henry
- 32694 Charles T. Walters

### **Eastern Montana, Billings**

- 32695 Vera Lou Abbott
- 32696 Joe Backman
- 32697 Lorraine Gilman
- 32698 Betty Hooker
- 32699 George Neal Lininger
- 32700 Barbara M. Matelich
- 32701 James Rowlan

### **Wake Forest**

- 32702 Charles G. Johnson, Jr.
- 32703 James E. Baucom
- 32704 Levis M. Morgan
- 32705 Thomas T. Long, III

### **St. Martin's, Wash.**

- 32706 Richard Hendricks
- 32707 Henry R. Kramer
- 32708 Joseph Kenna, Jr.

### **N.W. Nazarene, Idaho**

- 32709 Jack Wright, Jr.

### **McKendree, Ill.**

- 32710 Mrs. Mary Ellen Williams

### **Humboldt, Calif.**

- 32711 Dianne Gillespie

### **Univ. of Ill. at Chicago**

- 32712 Nicholas G. Biro

### **Concordia College**

- 32713 Orville L. Freeman

### **Humboldt St., Calif.**

- 32714 Muriel Armstrong

### **N.W. Missouri**

- 32715 Roger Blackwell
- 32716 Marilyn Gillis
- 32717 David Hargrave
- 32718 Jeanne Kramme
- 32719 Mary Prichard
- 32720 Delbert Smith

### **George Pepperdine**

- 32721 Warren S. Jones

### **McKendree**

- 32722 Monica McCracken

### **Seattle Pacific**

- 32723 Bonnie Loeffler
- 32724 Eleanor Johnson
- 32725 Dennis Bergum
- 32726 George DeBell



# *The Good Chapter*

A local Pi Kappa Delta chapter is an organization within a college of a group of students and faculty members interested in advancing forensics. What are its functions and what are its obligations? These may be divided into two groups.

**First**, because it is a local organization, what are its obligations on its own campus? They are to do everything it can to promote a healthy forensic atmosphere. Among the things it certainly should do are some of the following:

It should plan and carry through a well-balanced forensic program which will bring opportunity to as many students as possible.

It should help to maintain high standards of excellence in debate and oratory.

It should see that forensics receive attention in the college and local papers.

Well written, timely stories of forensic events should be supplied to the papers.

There should be some program for discovering and interesting new forensic talent.

The chapter should hold regular meetings.

There should be a banquet or a formal meeting some time during the year.

The initiation service should be well put on.

**Second**, because the chapter is a unit in a national organization, its duties to the general society should be carefully discharged. These are:

Keeping in touch with the national officers by supplying them always with the names of the local officers so that communication can be maintained.

Answering promptly all letters and demands from the general offices.

Keeping the national society informed as to what the chapter is doing.

THE FORENSIC should be supplied with news.

Attending provincial meetings and taking part in the activity of the province.

Attending the national conventions and taking part in them.

A healthy chapter should function on its own campus and contribute something to the national organization to help it to grow and function.

Check your own chapter. Are you doing all that you should, both at home and abroad?

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*The above is reprinted from the March, 1937, FORENSIC. It seems as true now as then.*



# The Editor Signs Off

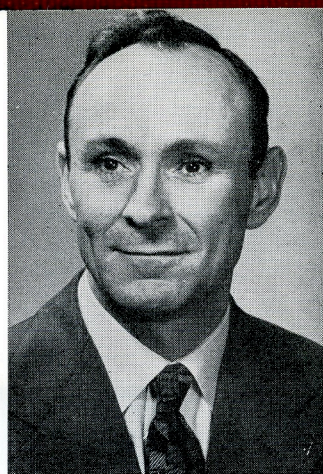
A few weeks ago an untitled article came to my desk. In many ways it is the most disturbing article which I have received as editor of THE FORENSIC. You can read it for yourself, because it is the lead article in this issue. With the writer's consent, I have labeled it "Prejudice Is a Two-Way Street."

Teaching as I do in a college that is almost smack dab in the middle of the Midwest, I have had no contact with the problem which Professor Simonson describes. The somewhat strict rules of our faculty on class attendance prevent our traveling very often outside our own cultural bailiwick. Comment on Professor Simonson's article is therefore solicited from the readers of THE FORENSIC. I would like to feel that the events and experiences he narrates are unique; I hope that no confirmation is forthcoming. But if what he tells has been a general happening, then things have indeed come to a sad pass. If prejudice and feeling are so high that students are treated discourteously, then Pi Kappa Delta should take action.

Fortunately, not all the articles in this issue are so depressing in the picture they paint of the current forensic world. Eldon Baker's tongue-in-cheek presentation of "Nine Simple Ways for Coaches to Win Friends and Influence People at a Forensic Tournament" is a glorious spoof on a type of person we have all seen in action at one time or another, but which we realize is an exception rather than the rule.

But perhaps I am talking too much about the articles. If I am, it may be because I don't have much else to talk about. The response to requests for chapter and alumni news was noticeably weak this time. Much of it was picked up incidentally, rather than from information sent to the three co-editors of the magazine. Nor have those student articles which were promised come through. Remember, we want to carry some information about each chapter in each issue. But we cannot get the news; someone at your school has to send it in to us. This is your magazine; give us your help.

The next issue is the last for this year. By the time it appears, the provincial conventions will all have been held. Whatever else, THE FORENSIC wants a complete story on your provincial. Send us the results and the pictures *before* you go home from that provincial. Make it your last act to slip the data into a manila envelope and to mail it as you drive out of town. In that way, we will be able to carry a notice of every provincial in the May issue.



**John Randolph**



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Finally, brothers, whatever things are true, whatever things are honest, whatever things are just, whatever things are pure, whatever things are lovely, whatever things are of good report; if there be any virtue, and if there be any praise, think of these things.