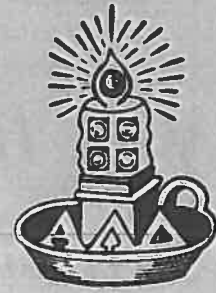


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"Matter of Honor"

(Excerpts from the 1970 brochure of the Association of College Honor Societies.)

"The almost fifty college honor societies holding memberships in the Association of College Honor Societies are as divergent as knowledge itself. From forestry to physics, journalism to general scholarship, these organizations exist almost exclusively for one basic reason: to further SCHOLARSHIP and ACHIEVEMENT in the academic specialties of their members.

"Why excel at anything? Mediocrity, it has been pointed out, is its own reward. College honor societies are not really a reward or recognition of academic excellence, but rather a means by which such activities as scholarship and scholarly communication can be furthered.

"Don't let the Greek key fool you—one way or the other. College honor societies aren't social clubs, collection points for campus politicians or the key to instant success. They're people—people like you, interested in the same things you are and anxious to keep scholarship, ethics and professionalism high in their own academic disciplines. Why join an honor society? Some reasons are:

- Furtherance of your professional career.
- Continuance of your education.
- Help in making career choices."

Council, Campus Involvement Studied

Benefits to be derived through increased personal contact among collegiate chapters and National Council members were stressed at the National Council meeting.

A recommendation was adopted that each District Adviser select one collegiate chapter to visit during 1970-71. Upon invitation, the District Adviser would, if possible, visit other chapters.



RHODA L. BASIL



AIDA T. LEVITAN



MARY L. CHRASTIL



SUSAN D. MURPHY

Graduate Fellowship Winners Chosen from Field of Eighty

Five women are recipients of the \$2000 Alpha Lambda Delta Fellowships for graduate study in 1970-71, having been chosen from among eighty applicants who represented forty-nine colleges and universities. Winners were notified following a special meeting of the National Council in April.

Mrs. Mary Lois Chrastil received the Adele Hagner Stamp Fellowship and plans to pursue graduate studies in English, specializing in American Literature. A member of Phi Beta Kappa and a 1970 graduate of Indiana University, Mrs. Chrastil's interest in teaching is now directed toward an eventual university faculty post.

Susan Deborah Murphy, awarded the Alice Crocker Lloyd Fellowship, will study medicine at the Medical College of Virginia in Richmond. Completing her undergraduate studies at the University of Massachusetts in three years, Miss Murphy did a Senior Honors research project in genetics, dealing with the effect of maternal age on filial sex ration *Drosophila*.

Rhoda Lynne Basil, receiving the Kathryn Sisson Phillips Fellowship, will specialize in French phonetics in the graduate school at the University of California at Santa Barbara. As an undergraduate on that campus, Miss Basil was a charter member of the Alpha Lambda Delta chapter. During her junior year, she was a participant in the Education Abroad program, studying in France.

Sheila Sueko Kato, awarded the Christine Yerges Conaway Fellowship, is now a second-year law student at the University of California, Berkeley. Active in extra-curricular activities at the University of Hawaii, selected for Phi Beta Kappa, she served as an administrative intern in the Governor's Office of the State of Hawaii while an undergraduate.

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Dr. May A. Brunson Dies; ALD Council for 18 Years



DR. MAY A. BRUNSON

April 21, 1970, saw the close of the life of an outstanding lady, educator and dear friend of many people, particularly of those who served with her on the Alpha Lambda Delta Council.

Dr. May A. Brunson was a native of Mobile, Alabama. A graduate of Judson College with additional degrees from Columbia University, she was recognized as one of the leading personnel deans in the country as well as a capable professor in Higher Education. For twenty-four years she had been on the personnel staff of the University of Miami, for the past sixteen as Dean of Women. Her abilities brought her many positions, recognitions and honors.

Since 1952, she had been affiliated with National Alpha Lambda Delta; her offices included four years as District II adviser, ten years as National Treasurer and the past four years she served as President of this honor society.

From her predecessors she inherited a deep commitment to the ideals and purposes of Alpha Lambda Delta which has inspired new Council members and the many Alpha Lambda Deltas with whom she came in contact. Whatever she under-

took, she carried out with devotion and precision. In any undertaking these characteristics were accompanied by a warm affection which was reciprocated from all people with whom she associated. This affection grew from their respect and admiration for her.

Her work with Alpha Lambda Delta and the American Council of Honor Societies was particularly close to her. The National Society and the Council members are richer for having known Dr. Brunson.

6 States Represented by New Chapters; Plan Ceremonies

New chapters have been granted charters and will be installed during the 1970-71 academic year. With the addition of these six chapters, the eight districts now comprise 165 chapters.

Anderson College, Anderson, Indiana, is a private church-related college. It was established in 1917 and now has 1,645 students enrolled. B.A. degrees are granted.

University of Maine, Orono, Maine, is a state university, founded in 1862. There are five undergraduate colleges and in addition to bachelor degrees, graduate degrees including the Ed.D. and Ph.D. are granted.

North Carolina State University, Raleigh, North Carolina, was founded in 1887 as a land-grant institution. It has an enrollment of over 12,000 with more than 2,000 engaged in graduate study.

Sam Houston State University, Huntsville, Texas began in 1879 as Sam Houston Normal Institute, the first state-supported teacher-training institution West of the Mississippi. The name was changed in 1969. Bachelor's degrees are offered in five areas and master's degree in four areas.

Virginia Polytechnic Institute, Blacksburg, Virginia was founded in 1872. Masters and doctoral degrees are granted in the graduate school. Current enrollment is 11,023.

Wisconsin State University, Platteville, Wisconsin is the oldest of the nine State Universities in the system, having been established in 1866. In addition to the bachelor degrees, it offers the M.S.T., M.A.T. and M.S. Current enrollment is 5,032.

Graduate Fellowship Winners

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Miss Kato's goal is to become involved in government service, probably at the state level.

Mrs. Aida Tomás Levitan, recipient of the Maria Leonard Fellowship, is beginning graduate study in the field of Spanish literature at Emory University. Her long-range goal is a doctorate in comparative literature. As an undergraduate at the University of Miami, she was president of Mortar Board, vice-president of Alpha Lambda Delta and honored as the Outstanding Scholar among the Senior Women Graduates in 1969.

Honors Fellows

Three other women were designated as Honors Fellows. This distinction is given to those applicants selected for an award

but who are unable to accept:

Katherine S. Schneider in clinical psychology; undergraduate school at Michigan State University; graduate study at Purdue University. Karen S. Beiner in communications; undergraduate school at Otterbein College; graduate study at Ohio State University. Jean Christensen in history of science; undergraduate school at University of Oklahoma; graduate study at Harvard University.

Gifts to the Fellowship Fund from chapters and individuals may be sent to Olive S. Horton, Central Office Administrator, Box 1456, South Miami, Florida 33143.



National Council officers and district advisors are left to right (seated) Lianna King, district I; Olive Horton, central office administrator, Margaret Berry, district VI; Mary Jane Stevenson, first vice president; Katharine Cater, president; Erma Anderson, district VII; Anne Meierhofer, district IV; Jean Liedman, secretary; M. Louise McBee, district II; Barbara Bechtell, editor. Left to right (standing) Marjorie Cunningham, second vice president; Peggy Stroud, district V; Jean Wilson Smith, district VIII.

Idea! Booklet Stimulates Panel Discussion

A panel of Alpha Lambda Delta members from San Diego State College was the feature of the annual Alpha Lambda Delta breakfast meeting at the National Association of Women Deans and Counselors Convention in April at Los Angeles, California.

Rhonda Miller, Diane Spencer, and Kathy Hartz presented a timely and pertinent discussion on "Factors Which Contribute to a Successful Honor Society." It included an examination of the traditional honor society, a critical analysis of the honor society today, and specific programs geared to stimulate greater involvement by honor society members.

The San Diego chapter had prepared a booklet, *Idea!*, for distribution to the Deans of Women, faculty advisers, and National Council members at this special event. As a chapter, they compiled it "in the belief that membership in the honor society may be even more meaningful to the chapter through successful programs both meeting the interests of the members and, where possible, contributing to the campus itself."

Rhonda Miller emphasized "reasons for an honor society to exhibit more importance and relevance." *Idea!* suggests a chapter invite resource people to meetings and delve into current areas in a stimulating fashion, citing ecology, women's liberation and student participation in institutional governance as likely issues. It encourages, too, that Alpha

The Editor's Desk . . .

Innovative programs and projects, distinctive honors accorded members, photographs of major chapter events, a resumé of a speaker's stimulating talk at an initiation or other special occasions, plus chapter successes in campus activities are newsworthy.

Send them to the Editor of THE FLAME by January 15, 1971, for inclusion in the spring edition which will be mailed February 15. Noting the varying academic calendars among the many campuses, the newsletters will then be available for distribution at late winter and early spring initiations and ceremonies.

Lambda Delta members participate in those student/faculty committees considering matters of major import to their respective fields.

The San Diego State College chapter and the panel participants were highly commended for their contributions at this meeting which had representation from many chapters across the nation.

Following are some of the suggestions as put forth in "Idea!".

- Start a tutorial service for students-at-large, including minority group students. Outstanding Alpha Lambda Delta members in particular fields could be available for assistance. A directory of Alpha Lambda Delta resource persons could be posted throughout campus.
- Have an "assist" service for Alpha Lambda Delta members, too! Often, members are concerned about maintaining high scholastic achievement. Pooling strong areas of academic ability encourages added personal contact among members, in addition to providing needed help.

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Alpha Lambda Delta on Campus

Coe College

As a community service project, the Coe College chapter invited the four top-ranking high school junior girls from twenty nearby schools to a scholarship tea in May, 1970.

Ohio Northern University

Joanne Griffith, past president of the Alpha Lambda Delta chapter, reigns as the Ohio Northern University centennial queen. She will represent the University at many special events during the 1970-71 academic year.

William Jewell College

Study seminars in the freshman residence hall are conducted by Alpha Lambda Delta members.

SUNY at Buffalo

During 1969-70, Alpha Lambda Delta members organized a tutorial service for disadvantaged students and report gratifying results of the project. Based on the results, the University contemplates using this group of tutors, who have been giving approximately four hours a week of time to the endeavor, as a cadre for a tutoring service for the total academic community. The Alpha Lambda Delta members have been doing the tutoring on an over-load basis and receive academic credit.

University of Southwestern Louisiana

A chapter scholarship awarded to a foreign student was presented to Tannaz Nikpour of Iran by Rebecca Greig, chapter president, at spring initiation ceremonies.

Central Michigan University

More than 600 entering freshman women who had been in the top 10% of their high school graduating class were invited to the annual Scholarship Tea, in September, 1970. Sponsored by A.W.S., Alpha Lambda Delta and Senior Women's Honor Board, the occasion is highlighted by a speaker and presentation of the fall initiates of the Alpha Lambda Delta chapter.

University of Georgia

Three Alpha Lambda Delta graduates of the University of Georgia received

awards of note. Melissa Houseal, Phi Kappa Phi Award; Estelle Chandler, a Woodrow Wilson recipient; and Janine Patterson, receiving a National Institute of Mental Health Grant, were 1970 June graduates so honored.

Howard Payne College

During the official dedication of the Douglas MacArthur Academy of Freedom, chapter members were ushers at one of many festivities in conjunction with the opening of this new Social Studies Program.

Lindenwood College

Parents of freshman women initiated by this chapter in St. Charles, Missouri, receive letters explaining the significance of the honor society and noting their daughter's excellent academic achievement.

University of Utah

"Since emphasis this year has been on Women's Liberation and Women's Rights, our chapter tried to emphasize

the advantages and satisfactions of being both an outstanding and a feminine woman."

The chapter also sent a panel of members to sorority houses to talk with new pledges about Alpha Lambda Delta.

Arizona State University

During University Orientation Week, members wear "Ask Me" buttons and maintain information booths.

Members tutor E.O.P. students and sponsor parties for Head Start groups in the area.

Seton Hill College

An Intercollegiate Meeting on Campus Life was sponsored by the chapter in March, and the program consisted of three panel discussions: Student Government, Academic Life and Social Life. Participating colleges were Villa Maria College, Point Park College, and St. Vincent College in addition to the host school. The discussions were also open to students, faculty, and administration of Seton Hill College.

Miami University Establishes Scholarship



Miami University (Ohio) chapter honored Miss Agnes Fowler through establishment of a \$1,000 fund to support an annual Agnes Fowler Award to a member of Alpha Lambda Delta. Here the check is presented by Lynn Vasilw (right), chapter treasurer, to Miss Fowler who in turn presented it to the Miami University Fund. Income from the initial gift will finance annual awards and the chapter hopes the fund can be increased. The presentation highlighted the spring initiation banquet.

Miss Fowler was the first adviser to the chapter on the Oxford campus and a teacher at the University for forty-three years.

President's Role Emphasized in Recent Handbook

A comprehensive *Handbook for Chapter Presidents* was sent to all chapters together with the general fall mailing. It was authorized by the National Council at the June, 1970, meeting in recognition of the important role of the chapter president. The need for this publication was noted in the recommendations and suggestions forwarded in the annual chapter reports.

A primary factor to chapter success is the president's enthusiasm, support of high standards of scholarship and her ability to interest and *involve* the membership in achieving the goals of the honor society.

Presidents who have not received this reference material should check with the Dean of Women or equivalent woman administrator on the campus.

Constitutional Revisions, 1970

For those members who are not aware of the 1970 revisions in the Alpha Lambda Delta national Constitution, they should see the chapter president for a copy.

One revision is of particular note, Sec. 5b of Article 5. The revision:

A. Freshman transfer students, from an institution that does not have an Alpha Lambda Chapter or who does not have the Alpha Lambda Delta average when she transfers, to be eligible for membership must have the required Alpha Lambda Delta grade point average on the courses taken during the first full curricular period in the institution to which she transfers. In addition, the cumulative average of her transfer credits combined with the credits in the institution in which she is currently enrolled must equal the Alpha Lambda Delta scholastic requirements.



Jean Wilson Smith (center), District VIII advisor and guests at Alpha Lambda Delta breakfast meeting at NAWDC convention at the Biltmore Hotel in Los Angeles.

"Idea!" Panel Discussion

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- Offer opinion on current interest in changing grading policies.
- Organize chapter addresses by geographic region, so that commuting Alpha Lambda Delta members can join in car pools.
- Keep a file of honors programs, independent study, graduate programs, study abroad opportunities, etc., with an emphasis on those which are innovative and challenging in nature.
- Maintain file of evaluative material helpful to future officers and event chairmen. Enable such persons to build on past successes and suggest creative ideas for the future. Learn, too, of programs of other chapters of Alpha Lambda Delta, perhaps through corresponding.
- Create opportunities for faculty to become involved more in living groups. Help invite faculty members from various departments to get-togethers.
- Assist scholarship chairmen in halls and sorority houses by providing studying technique information and program ideas the groups may not have considered a part of their "scholarship" program.
- Visit area high schools and encourage those who are college-bound to give thought to their learning opportunities from the beginning. Describe honor

societies available to them and highlight reasons for membership. Describe Alpha Lambda Delta in particular.

- Contribute to a campus scholarship fund. Help solicit scholarships from the community. Enable scholarship donors to meet the recipients of their generosity, perhaps through a reception. Contribute to the Alpha Lambda Delta Fellowship Fund.
- Coordinate efforts with other honor organizations on campus.

Six Fellowships to Be Awarded 1971-72

Six fellowships for graduate study 1971-72 will be awarded to qualified Alpha Lambda Delta graduates of 1968, 1969, and 1970 who maintained the scholastic average throughout their college career. Current graduating seniors are eligible if they maintain this average to the end of the first semester (or first quarter) of this year.

The sixth fellowship, established in June, 1970, serves as a memorial to Dr. May A. Brunson.

Application blanks and information are now available from the Dean of Women or from the National First Vice President. Interested? Eligible? Apply!

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Chapters Give 17 Fund Gifts

Gifts to the Fellowship Fund have been received from 17 chapters, according to a recent report from the Central Office Administrator.

The last 13 of the 17 donating chapters shown below, submitted gifts in memory of Dr. May A. Brunson, former president of the National Council.

Auburn University
Nicholls State University
William Jewell College
University of Maryland
Baylor University
Carson-Newman College
Central Missouri State College
Georgia State University
Texas A & I
University of Florida
University of Georgia
University of Houston
University of Mississippi
University of Southern Mississippi
University of Southwestern Louisiana
University of Tennessee, Chattanooga
University of Texas

Numerous gifts were received from individuals in memory of Dr. Brunson and one was received from the Indiana Association of Women Deans and Counselors.

1st Council Meeting

Two new members of the National Council, Miss Heimtraut Dietrich and Dr. Margaret Cuninggim, will attend the annual Council meeting in June, 1971.

Miss Dietrich, dean of women at Wittenberg University (Springfield, Ohio), began her three-year term in the summer of 1970 as advisor of District III.

Dr. Cuninggim will assume her duties as advisor to the Southeast-District II at the 1971 National Council meeting. She is dean of women at Vanderbilt University in Nashville, Tennessee.



The University of Maine chapter gathered informally with the faculty advisor, Mrs. Judith Hakola (standing, extreme left) and Dr. Mary Zink, dean of freshmen (seated, extreme right). The chapter—first in Maine—received its charter Dec. 10.

Maine Joins ALD Chapter List

The University of Maine at Orono is the first chapter in the state following the occasion of the installation ceremonies on Dec. 10, 1970.

Mrs. Lianna King, activities coordinator at George Washington University and District I advisor, was the installing officer. She conducted the installation-initiation with the assistance of Miss Mary S. Zink, dean of freshmen, and Mrs. Judy Hakola, chapter advisor.

An honor society for freshman women, Neai Mathetai, had been on the UMO

campus since 1925. The ALD installation culminated the endeavors of its members, under the leadership of its past president, Deborah Merrill, to become a chapter of National Alpha Lambda Delta.

Fourteen students and three honorary members were initiated. Dr. Maryann Hartman of the Speech Department, Miss Zink and Mrs. Hakola received honorary memberships.

A reception for parents, faculty and charter members was held after the ceremonies.

Applications Pass 100 Mark

More than 100 applications have been received by the Fellowship Committee for six 1971-72 graduate study fellowships. Worth \$2,000 apiece, these fellowships are awarded to qualified Alpha Lambda Delta graduates.

Recipients of the awards will be notified of their selection immediately after

the special April meeting of the National Council.

The fellowship chairman, Miss Mary Jane Stevenson, commends the chapters for the publicity given to ALD alumnae and current graduating seniors. It resulted in an increased number of applicants for this year's fellowship awards.

Alpha Lambda Delta on Campus

Syracuse University

Twenty-two members were initiated by the Syracuse University chapter on Jan. 14.

The newly initiated members had had the opportunity as pledges to be actively involved in ALD on Dec. 9 when the chapter—in conjunction with two other women's honoraries and the Alpha Phi Omega Little Sisters—were hostesses for a women's program in the major residence halls at SU.

Women on the faculty, in the administration and faculty wives participated in a panel discussion centered on their careers and roles in society.

Purdue University

Purdue University chapter members spoke at various schools on the campus during the fall, explaining Alpha Lambda Delta and the significance of its recognition of academic achievement. The talks also focused on the role of the educated woman in today's society and on the importance of a grading system in colleges and universities.

It is noteworthy that several of the presentations were chosen to be televised for use in the university freshman orientation programs this spring.

Annette Caldarelli, chapter editor, also writes that chapter members were guides at the Purdue University annual fall High School Day.

University of Illinois

The University of Illinois chapter sponsored a Holiday Party in December,

Senior Will Receive "Collected Poems"

Roethke: Collected Poems was chosen as the Maria Leonard Book Award for 1971. A copy of the book was sent to each of the 165 chapters by the National Council.

The award, honoring the founder of the honor society, will be presented to the ALD senior with the highest cumulative-grade-point average among the graduating seniors eligible for Senior Certificates in her campus chapter.

All Alpha Lambda Delta seniors who, at the end of seven semesters or its equivalent have the cumulative GPA required for ALD membership, may receive the Certificates.

attended by more than 200 freshman women who had achieved midterm averages of 4.0 or higher.

Purposes and ideals of Alpha Lambda Delta were presented and two of the chapter's major programs were highlighted.

The chapter has an active tutoring program for SEOP (Special Educational Opportunities Program) students and others interested in its services. It also has wide campus distribution of a "Quiet Places to Study Guide."

University of S. California

In response to a special Christmas offer by Clark's Gum Co. to aid UNICEF, the University of Southern California chapter sold approximately 1,100 packages of

gum. People who bought gum from Chapter members returned gum wrappers to Clark. Clark, in turn, contributed 2½¢ per wrapper to UNICEF.

The chapter members also worked during the fall semester to create a much needed undergraduate-graduate scholarship file. It is now housed in the main campus library.

Memphis State University

"Toni, the Tiger" won the second place award for the Memphis State University ALD chapter in the annual campus "Great Pumpkin Watch".

Halloween pumpkins decorated as famous historical or current personalities, or as cartoon characters, were entered in the contest by campus organizations.

In Texas

Installation

In a Nov. 13 afternoon ceremony, the 22nd chapter in District VI was officially chartered in the new Student Union Building on the campus of Sam Houston State University, Huntsville.

Dr. Margaret Berry, associate dean of students at the University of Texas and District VI advisor, presented the charter and initiated 57 students and six honorary members.

Later that evening, Patricia P. Barr, chapter president, presided at the installation banquet. Mrs. Sidney Detlefsen, dean of women, read greetings from national officers and other chapters.

The vice presidents for Academic Affairs and Business Affairs and their wives were special guests. The two vice presidents welcomed the new chapter on behalf of the University and commended members for their accomplishments.

Initiated as honorary members of the chapter were Dr. Genevieve G. Alford, Dr. Jean Condray, Dr. Mary Lynn DeShazo, Mrs. Sidney Detlefsen, Dr. Mattie B. Medford and Miss Karin Stork.

1970-71 chapter officers are Patricia P. Barr, president; Patricia K. Kelley, vice-president; Patti M. Bryan, secretary; Peggy Ann Stripling, treasurer; Janice Scott, historian and Jamie Lee Hugo, editor. Dr. Jean Condray is faculty advisor.

Convention Talks Planned

The progression of relationships between chapters and officers is the central theme of a program at the ALD breakfast for deans and faculty advisors attending the National Association of Women Deans and Counselors Convention.

This breakfast meeting will be held March 26 at the Chase Park Plaza Hotel in St. Louis at 7:30 a.m. Coordinating the planning and arrangements is Miss Peggy Stroud, District V advisor.

Jan Devore, chapter president, Mrs. Linda Sweeney, faculty advisor, and Miss Judy Vance, assistant dean of students, will be program participants. All represent the Illinois Wesleyan University chapter.

Together with Dr. Katharine Cater, National president, and Dr. Anne Meierhofer, District IV advisor, they will discuss the interrelationship of their respective roles from the collegiate to the national level of the honor society.

Have a Gift?

Gifts to the Fellowship Fund from chapters and individuals may be sent to the Central Office Administrator, Box 1456, South Miami, Florida 33143.



Officers and advisors of the ALD chapter at North Carolina State University, shown following the Dec. 2 installation ceremonies are (from left, front row): Nancy Lynn Crow, secretary; Marion Scott, senior advisor; Mary Catherine Schumacher, editor; Rhonda J. Johnston, vice-president and Brenda Kay Pipkin, junior advisor. (Back row): Dr. Doris King, faculty advisor; Laura Jean Hackney, treasurer; Elaine Saparilas, historian; Wanda Hinshaw, president and Dean of Women Carolyn Jessup.

Wisconsin

71 Installed in new Chapter

Installation of the Wisconsin State University-Platteville chapter and initiation of three honorary and 71 charter members was held on Nov. 14, 1970.

In Virginia

Installation

The Virginia Polytechnic Institute and State University chapter was officially installed on Dec. 2, 1970, by Mrs. Lianna King, advisor to District I.

Thirty-one VPISU women, including members of the local freshman women's honor society, Kappa Sigma Rho, were initiated as charter members of the ALD chapter.

Miss Martha Harder, dean of women, and Dr. Rose Sabaroff, chapter advisor, were initiated as honorary members in recognition of their assistance to the chapter in achieving the national charter.

The installation was preceded by a dinner given by Dean Harder for Mrs. King, the chapter officers, VPI President Dr. T. Marshall Hahn and other honored guests.

Officers of the chapter are Jane Durham, president; Barbara Bradley, vice-president; Allyn Goodykoontz, treasurer; Becky Glass, secretary; Peggy Goddard, historian; Carol Funke, editor and Dorine Vest, junior advisor.

The charter was presented to the chapter by Miss Barbara A. Bechtell, editor of *THE FLAME*. She was assisted in the ceremonies by Mrs. Rosamond Risser Jones, associate dean of students, and Miss Mary Bjstrom, faculty advisor.

The three honorary initiates were Mrs. W. Roy Kopp, wife of the president of the Board of Regents of Wisconsin State Universities; Mrs. Bjarne R. Ullsvik, wife of the president of WSU-P; and Mrs. Rosamond Risser Jones. Miss Bjstrom, instructor in computer science and faculty advisor, had been initiated while an undergraduate at the University of Idaho.

Many University administrative officers, faculty, students and parents attended the initiation-installation service, which was held in the "M" Room of the Student Center. It was followed by a reception for the initiates and guests.

The newly installed officers are Ruth Ann Muellich, president; Bonnie Mousseau, vice-president; Gloria Reeg, secretary; Vicki Peterson, treasurer; Kay Mayberry, historian and Nancy Bradley, senior advisor.

Correction: The recently established Agnes Fowler ALD Award honors Miss Agnes Fowler, associate professor of French, and for 38 years a member of the faculty of Miami University, Oxford, Ohio.

In N. Carolina

Installation

The first ALD chapter in the state of North Carolina was installed at North Carolina State University, Raleigh, on the evening of Dec. 2, 1970.

Dr. M. Louise McBee, associate dean of student affairs at the University of Georgia and District II advisor, presided at the impressive services in the Erdahl-Cloyd Union.

The charter group included 19 students representing all academic classifications. Dr. Doris King, professor of history and chapter advisor, and Miss Carolyn Jessup, dean of women, were initiated as honorary members.

The installation was followed by an informal reception in the Union.

The chapter officers are Wanda M. Hinshaw, president; Rhonda J. Johnson, vice-president; Nancy L. Crow, secretary; Laura Jean Hackney, treasurer; Brenda Kay Pipkin, junior advisor; Marian Lee Scott, senior advisor; Helen E. Saparilas, historian and Mary Catherine Schumacher, editor.

Indiana

Installation

The freshman women's honor society—known on the Anderson College campus as Kappa Epsilon Sigma for the past three years—received its charter as a chapter of National Alpha Lambda Delta on Nov. 15, 1970.

Dr. Anne Meierhofer, director of career planning at Illinois Wesleyan University and District IV advisor, was the installing officer.

Thirty-five students were initiated as charter members. Honorary memberships were presented to Dr. Mildred Thurston and Miss Marie Strong during the impressive service.

Members and guests attended a tea following the ceremonies.

Officers of the 22nd chapter in District IV are Deborah Anne Conrad, president; Marlita K. Hughes, vice-president; Kathryn Breckenridge, secretary; Janis Lou Kinnear, treasurer; Linda Sue Buck, historian; Charlene Kay Schaffter, editor and Patricia Foote, junior advisor. Mrs. Cleda Anderson, dean of women, and Dr. Elva Mae Ragsdale are advisors.



Officers and advisors who participated in the installation of a new ALD chapter at Virginia Polytechnic Institute and State University are (from left): Dean of Women Martha Harder; Carol Funke, editor; Dorine Vest, junior advisor; Jane Durham, president; Mrs. Lianna King, District I advisor and installing officer; Becky Glass, secretary; Barbara Bradley, vice-president; Allyn Goodykooztz, treasurer and Dr. Rose Sabaroff, faculty advisor.



Newly installed officers and honorary initiates of the WSU-Platteville chapter are (from left, sitting): Mrs. Rosamond R. Jones, associate dean of students; Mrs. Lucille Ullsvik; Mrs. Frances Kopp and Miss Mary Bjuström, faculty advisor. (Standing): Vicki Peterson, treasurer; Bonnie Mousseau, vice president; Nancy Bradley, senior advisor; Ruth Ann Muellich, president; Gloria Reeg, secretary and Kay Mayberry, historian. The chapter boasts 71 charter members.



Dr. Anne Meierhofer, District IV advisor (front row, center), charter members and honorary initiates of the Anderson College chapter sat for the camera. Impressive ceremonies for the newest chapter in District IV were held on Nov. 15, 1970.

Dues Increased

National membership dues were increased from \$3 to \$5 at the National Council meeting in June, 1970, marking the first increase in dues since 1954.

The action was deemed necessary due to the increased operating expenses.

NATIONAL OFFICERS

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