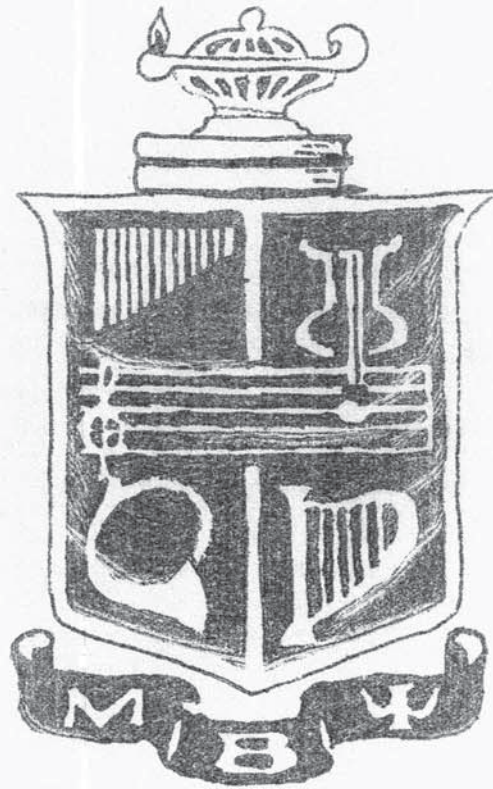


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BEACH TRIP

The Alpha Chapter of North Carolina State College and the Delta Chapter of Clemson University have completed plans for the 1964 National Convention of Mu Beta Psi. The convention is to be held at Myrtle Beach, S. C. from May 31 through June 4. Both chapters will be housed at the Sands Apartments, South Ocean Boulevard.

The week is planned as a combination of business and pleasure, promising to be an enjoyable week for all present. Besides conducting the serious business of the national convention, the brothers of the two chapters will have a good chance to become better acquainted. John H. Butler, Director of Bands at Clemson, faculty advisor of the Delta Chapter, and National Executive Secretary of Mu Beta Psi, will serve as chaperone for the event.

Alpha chapter will have approximately eight to ten members in attendance and Delta chapter will have approximately twenty-five members present.

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PINS

Word has been received from the L. G. Balfour Company of Attleboro, Mass., that work is under way on dies for the new Mu Beta Psi fraternity pins.

The pin will be available in either close-set or crown-set pearls, with white gold. The center of the pin is red enamel, with letters of the fraternity superimposed (in white) on the three corners of the triangular shape.

Costs will be as follows: close-set pearls are \$24.02 (including 10% federal excise and 3% state taxes); crown-set pearls for \$32.21 (also including taxes).

A guard for chapter identification (the letter "Alpha" or the letter "Delta" is available at \$3.12 in white gold, \$6.22 in close-set pearls, or \$8.77 in crown-set pearls (all these prices include taxes). Officer "dangles" are available in white gold at \$3.68 or yellow gold at \$2.55. Postage allowance should be included with each order.

All orders must be addressed to: Malcolm L. Foster
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P. O. Box 1663 - Muse's
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and payment in full should be included. The chapter treasurers must co-sign orders so that unauthorized personnel can not purchase pins. Manufacture of pins can begin about June 1 of this year.

A facsimile order blank is included in this issue of the CLEF.

SPRING SOUNDS

The Clemson College chapter of Mu Beta Psi recently presented its annual production of SPRING SOUNDS, featuring various musical groups from the Clemson campus and nearby. This year's entertainment varied from rock'n roll groups to a featured guitarist from the Clemson faculty.

About six hundred persons attended Delta Chapter's sixth annual SPRING SOUNDS. This number was slightly less than anticipated, due to a tremendous downpour before showtime. Ireland Regnier fascinated everyone in attendance with his skill on a Flamenco guitar. The audience, consisting mainly of students, enjoyed the Caravelles, an up-and-coming rock'n roll group. Their rendition of several "Beatle" hits was well accepted by all those in attendance.

To satisfy the taste of other people and to provide a variety of entertainment, folk-singing groups and the big-band sound of the Jungaleers and Blue Notes were also included on the program. The Santa Maria Four as well as The Sergeants presented several popular folk-songs. The Stumphole Trio gave their version of popular folk-songs. Another group, The Tiger Tones, added more rock'n roll music to the program. Their version of "Sixty-Minute Man" proved quite popular. Everyone attending SPRING SOUNDS enjoyed a night of fine, varied entertainment.

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FRATERNITY SING

On April 23, Delta Chapter sponsored an unusually successful "Fraternity Sing." The campus fraternities truly vied with each other to make this an outstanding performance of amateur talent performed by some in an almost professional manner. Attendance at this "Sing" was excellent. With the continued cooperation of the fraternities, music on the campus of Clemson will be given a big boost.

Winning first place was Kappa Sigma Nu, with an imaginative presentation of several "chain gang" songs, done in blackface, with costumes borrowed from a South Carolina county prison. Second-place winner was Delta Kappa Alpha, presenting a group of calypso songs in colorful costumes. A group of lesser-known Stephen Foster songs, sung in "old South" costumes won third place honors for Kappa Delta Chi.

Kappa Sigma Nu's winning production was again presented at SPRING SOUNDS the following week.

Judges for the event were Mrs. A. H. Montville, secretary to the Department of Bands and an honorary member of the Delta Chapter, Professor James Conis of the Modern Language Department, and John H. Butler, Delta Chapter sponsor.

INITIATION

The week of April 6-10 was designated "Hell Week" by the brothers of Mu Beta Psi. During this week, Delta Chapter properly initiated 17 new members into the fraternity. The following participated in the ritual of formal initiation on Friday, April 10, and thus became active brothers of this fraternity: Tommy Bennett, Woody Cauble, Richard Cottingham, Bob Heller, Bob Hilton, Van Horton, Mike Hugg, Ken Kingsmore, Robert Kirkpatrick, Wayne Newton, Harmon Reed, Doug Robertson, Pete Roquemore, Dennis Ryan, Ned Schlaefer, Jeff Tisdale, and Richard Webb.

During the week, the pledges were required to wear the fraternity plaque, carry a box of assorted "goodies" for the brothers, and also to carry the fraternity paddle. On Tuesday, Wednesday, and Thursday nights, the "discords" presented a skit for the enjoyment of the brothers. These skits were all humorous, depicting some aspect of Mu Beta Psi, or the members. Each pledge was required to be active in at least one of these productions.

The informal and formal initiation of the new members occurred on Thursday and Friday nights, respectively. Informal initiation was doubtless no pleasure for the unfortunate pledges, but everyone must have a taste of catsup and chewing tobacco sometime in his life. The pledges took revenge on slower-moving brothers, however. When Friday night came, the pledges were braced for anything. Formal initiation was an impressive ceremony, and "Hell Week" was officially over.

After the formal initiation, the new brothers were welcomed into Mu Beta Psi. This ended a week of fun for all, and Delta Chapter had 17 new brothers.

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ELECTIONS

Delta Chapter, Mu Beta Psi, held elections on May 11 for the 1964-65 officers of the chapter. Horace Hudson, treasurer this year, was elected president, succeeding Tom Adams. Tom Mathews, who held the position of pledgemaster, is the new vice-president, taking the post from Harold Joye. Bob Heller is the new secretary, replacing Milt Turner, and Phil Inglis is the new treasurer. These officers will begin their terms with the commencement of campus activities in September, 1964.

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