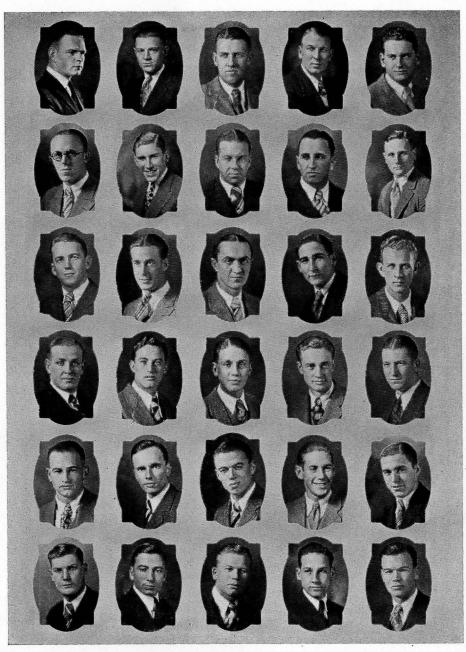
To Kappa Delta Rho Fraternity

A Petition From ALPHA PI DELTA Oregon State College



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To the Kappa Delta Rho Fraternity:

In the belief that nationalization, when adequately prepared for and properly consumated, is of mutual benefit to national and local, Alpha Pi Delta of Oregon State College hereby petitions for a chapter of Kappa Delta Rho.

In the pages that follow we have endeavored to set forth the high standing of this organization and to show the progress of our fraternity to its present position. In turn active members and alumni have familiarized themselves with the ideals and principles of Kappa Delta Rho and find them strikingly in accord with the local history of Alpha Pi Delta.

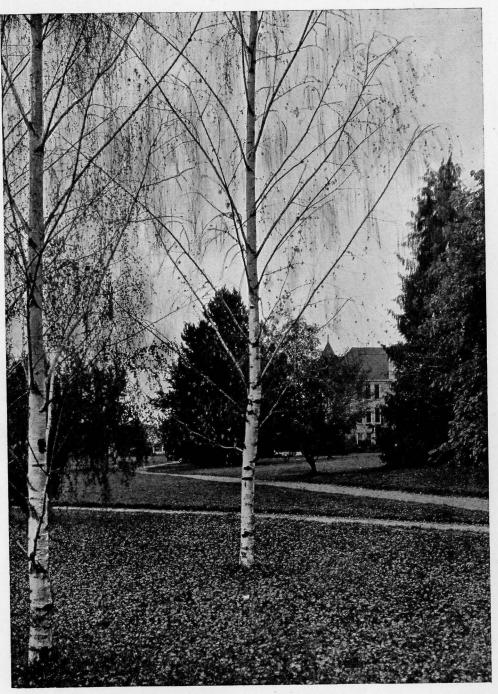
If granted a chapter of Kappa Delta Rho, therefore, we do pledge our united support to the principles of your brotherhood and stand ready to further the interests of the fraternity in the years ahead.

Respectfully,

Executive Committee of the
Active Chapter:
WAYNE GOODALE
KAY OLSEN
KARL ZORN
LOGAN CARTER
WALTER STOKESBARY

Alumni Board:

JOHN C. BURTNER WILLIAM H. PAUL FRED H. HUMPHREY JOHN WIEMAN



Winding Paths Thru the Birches and Evergreens

Oregon State College

Began as a protestant sectarian school.

Has passed the half-century mark of its existence.

Came under the control of the State of Oregon in 1885.

Is a land grant college like Cornell, Wisconsin, Ohio State, Illinois, Purdue, and Ames.

Includes 100 acres of campus and more than 1000 acres of land valued at \$550,000.

Has 45 buildings on main campus valued at \$4,748,000, with equipment worth \$1,000,000, not including \$500,000 in military equipment.

Is supported by a millage tax which, with other sources of income, yields approximately \$2,325,000 annually.

Is organized into three grand divisions: experiment station, extension service, and resident instruction.

Has an enrollment in 1927-28 of 3800, exclusive of summer school, short and extension courses.

Gives bachelor's or master's degrees in the ten technical schools of

Engineering (civil, electrical, mechanical)

Pharmacy

Commerce

Agriculture

Home Economics

Chemical Engineering

Vocational Education Mines

Forestry Military Science and Tactics

Affords liberal training through the school of basic arts and science in

Bacteriology
Botany and Plant Pathology
Art and Architecture
Chemistry
English Language and Literature
History

Mathematics
Modern Languages
Physics
Public Speaking and Dramatics
Entomology
Zoology and Physiology

Includes also departments of physical education and industrial journal-

ism, and the conservatory of music.

Has been given Class A rating by University of Illinois graduate school, which is an index of its standing in eastern and middle western universities.

Is registered as an approved school of engineering by New York Board of Regents.

Was rated a standard college by Dr. George F. Zook, of the U. S. B. E. Is accorded full membership privilege for alumni in American Association of University Women.

Is on the approved list of the Association of American Universities.



Oregon State College Campus

Fraternities and the College

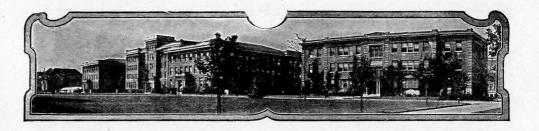
"The board of regents of the college has officially recognized fraternities as forming a part of the student life of the institution. The college holds that the purpose of these organizations is to develop character and responsibility, to encourage scholarship, to inspire loyalty to the college, and to furnish dormitory facilities."—From Administrative Regulations for 1927-28.

The fraternity system is closely regulated by the college, and as a result there exists a well balanced relationship between the Greeks and Independents. Fraternity affairs are governed by the committee on student interests and the inter-fraternity council, the latter composed of the presidents of the national and local fraternities. The council establishes regulations which prevent unfair rushing, pledging of men before they are eligible, pirating, and other unethical dealings among the houses.

Fraternities, both local and national, are required to maintain a standard of scholarship at least equal to the average of the student body. Social clubs that seek to become local fraternities, and local fraternities that seek to join national fraternities, must have, in addition to high scholarship, a clear record as far as compliance with student body and institutional rules is concerned.

The unusually good feeling among fraternity men at O. S. C. is fostered largely by a system of exchange dinners and wholesale "bean-spearing" which encourages intermingling of fraternity men.

Intramural athletics have done much to develop this good feeling. Keen rivalry among the various houses exists in all forms of sportsmanship. The college provides suitable awards for the winners in such intramural sports as cross-country, track, basketball, baseball, handball, tennis, and swimming.



Fraternities on O. S. C. Campus

Official sanction to fraternity organizations at O. S. C. was given by the Oregon legislature in 1911. Since that time fraternity development has been rapid. At present there are sixteen women's and twenty-six men's national social fraternities here. The list follows:

National Social Sororities

Installe	lled Installe	d
Alpha Chi Omega 19	915 Delta Zeta 191	9
Alpha Delta Pi 192	1925 Gamma Phi Beta 191	18
Alpha Gamma Delta 193	921 Kappa Alpha Theta 191	17
Alpha Omicron Pi 192	1926 Kappa Delta 192	26
Alpha Xi Delta 19	1919 Kappa Kappa Gamma 192	24
Beta Phi Alpha 19	1928 Pi Beta Phi 191	17
Chi Omega	1917 Sigma Kappa 191	18
Delta Delta Delta	1918 Zeta Tau Alpha 192	23

National Social Fraternities

Inst	alled	Inst	talled
Acacia :	1924	Phi Kappa Tau	1925
Alpha Chi Rho	1927	Phi Sigma Kappa	1920
Alpha Gamma Rho	1924	Pi Kappa Alpha	1920
Alpha Sigma Phi	1920	Pi Kappa Phi	1924
Alpha Tau Omega	1916	Sigma Alpha Epsilon	1915
Beta Kappa	1926	Sigma Chi	1916
Beta Theta Pi	1916	Sigma Nu	1917
Delta Upsilon	1922	Sigma Phi Epsilon	1918
Kappa Psi	1911	Sigma Phi Sigma	1923
Kappa Sigma	1915	Sigma Pi	1924
Lambda Chi Alpha	1917	Tau Kappa Epsilon	1923
Phi Delta Theta		Theta Chi	1916
Phi Gamma Delta	1922 *	Theta Xi	1927



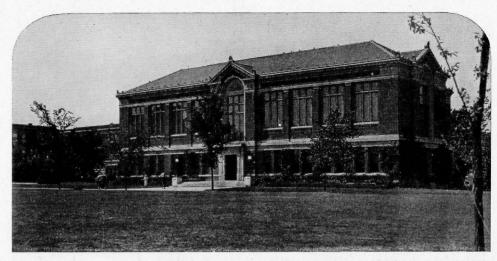
Chapter House Owned by Alpha Pi Delta

History of Alpha Pi Delta

This organization was founded in the fall of 1918 under the name of the Campus Club with twelve charter members. These men prepared a constitution which received the approval of the student affairs committee Febuary 7, 1919. One year later a local charter was granted. During this period the men worked diligently for the betterment of the organization and the college.

At the close of the college year of 1919-20 a building site was purchased in the best residential district adjoining the campus. On this site a chapter house was constructed capable of housing thirty men comfortably. The major part of the financing was accomplished by our friend and brother, Dr. A. C. Schmitt, professor of finance and administration. The debt on the house is being paid off by the amortization plan.

From 1920 to the present date the fraternity has enjoyed a period of rapid growth and development. The personnel has shown a marked improvement due to more exacting demands made for membership. The internal organization of the house has developed parallel with other lines of growth. The alumni are incorporated under the laws of the State of Oregon and fraternity property is listed under the name of the alumni association. Alpha Pi Delta has emulated the organization of old established national fraternities on the campus.



The College Library

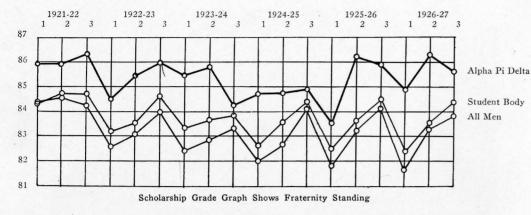
The fraternity has always considered its chief duty to be the maintenance and development of worthy ideals, high scholarship, and the best qualities of manhood among the members. Rushing has been successful in open competition with the strongest nationals.

Alpha Pi Delta has done much to encourage its members in campus activities and in so doing has insisted a balance be maintained between athletics and other fields of campus endeavor such as forensics, dramatics, organization offices, and others. Thirty-five men have been selected for membership in honorary societies, sixty keys and pins being won by these men.

Building and Finances

We are not forgetting our fraternity home of the future, even though the present building is of comparatively recent construction (1920) and is entirely satisfactory. We are in the heart of the choicest fraternity district of the campus, hence our future is assured.

To provide for future perpetuation the alumni have adopted an insurance building fund plan which is considered a great improvement over the old note system. Under this plan each man, when pledged, is required to assign the house an insurance policy which will have a cash value of \$100.00 at the end of five years. This policy serves as collateral security in case the member is not inclined to pay his obligation at the end of the five-year period. In such case the policy's surrender value is realized upon by the fraternity. Those members sending in their \$100.00 have the assignment released and the policy transferred to them. The system thus serves the double purpose of financing the building fund and giving members insurance at a low premium.



In an institution where high scholastic achievement is emphasized and encouraged, Alpha Pi Delta keeps its record well toward the front of the procession. As the chart indicates, the house average has always been above both that of all men and of the student body as a whole. It has also maintained a standing well toward the top of the fraternity roll.



A Few Trophies

In intramural competition Alpha Pi Delta has consistently maintained leadership in the local leagues through a policy of entering a team in every sport. In the past five years the house has either won or was close runner-up for college championship in baseball, swimming, track, and basketball.

Alpha Pi Delta has contributed men regularly to the varsity teams. Jack Savory was regular center and Kay Olsen was manager of this year's varsity basketball team. Logan Carter and Cliff McLean are regular varsity track men. Phil Lundstrom and Harold Swall are on the crew.

Faculty Members

Hon. J. K. Weatherford President Board of Regents

Dr. A. C. Schmitt

Head of Department Finance and Administration

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Active Members

Craig Dedman, Canby, Oregon Senior, Pharmacy

Masonic Club: Rho Chi.

Ralph J. Hooker, Portland, Oregon Senior, Mechanical Engineering

Tau Beta Pi; Sigma Tau; manager engineer show, '28.

Alexis A. Lundstrom, Portland, Oregon Senior, Electrical Engineering

Tau Beta Pi; Scabbard and Blade.

Jack Savory, Fresno, California Senior, Industrial Arts

Sigma Alpha; Phi Tau Chi; varsity swimming, '26, '27, '28; swimming captain '27; varsity basketball '26, '27, '28; varsity baseball '27, '28; president Circle "O" Association; vice-president Varsity "O" Association; vice-president Sigma Alpha.

Peter Sinclair, Portland, Oregon Senior, Electrical Engineering

Inter-fraternity Council; sophomore cotillion committee; educational exposition.

Monroe T. Smartt, Hollywood, Calif.
Senior, Commerce

Beta Alpha Psi; Scabbard and Blade; Honor Council; varsity rifle team '25, '26, '27; treasurer O. S. C. Chamber of Commerce '28; educational exposition '28; class basketball '25, '26, '27, '28.

Delbert Lyle Stokesbary, Corvallis, Ore.
Senior, Pre-Medics

Chairman of Honor Council '28; president Y. M. C. A. '28; varsity debate '26, '27; Phi Kappa Phi; Rho Chi; class forensic manager '26; varsity cross-country squad '28; secretary Chemistry Engineering Society.

Stanley I. Torvik, Tacoma, Washington Senior, Commerce

Member Co-operative Managers Association.

Edwin B. Torvik, Tacoma, Washington Senior, Electrical Engineering

Eta Kappa Nu; varsity track squad.

Walter Wieman, Corvallis, Oregon Senior, Pharmacy

National Collegiate Players; assistant manager of Beaver; stage manager college productions; junior prom committee; junior vaudeville committee; class basketball and football.

Walden M. Burtner, Dufur, Oregon Junior, Commerce

Advertising Club

Walter Dean, Ontario, California Junior, Industrial Arts

Phi Tau Chi.

R. Wayne Goodale, Corvallis, Oregon Junior, Electrical Engineering

Inter-fraternity Council; Beaver staff '27; Inter-collegiate Knights '25, '26; manager educational exposition '28; class yell leader.

James G. Hoyt, Portland, Oregon Junior, Mechanical Engineering

Federated Engineers.

Philip B. Lundstrom, Portland, Oregon Junior, Civil Engineering

National Collegiate Players; varsity crew; Orange Owl staff; sophomore cotillion committee '27; stage designer for Glee Club and players; Federated Engineers; Art Club.



Ernest E. Nash, McMinnville, Oregon Junior, Entomology

Frosh football; frosh track.

Chester Wheeler, Eugene, Oregon Junior, Vocational Education

National Collegiate Players; O. S. C. directory staff '27; Orange Owl staff '27; Y. M. C. A. cabinet.

Kay Olsen, Eugene, Oregon Junior, Commerce

Hammer and Coffin; basketball manager '28; Beaver staff '27, '28; circulation manager Orange Owl '27; Beaver assistant editorial writer '27; cadet ball committee '28; Directory staff '27; Inter-collegiate Knight '27; class basketball '26, '27, '28; varsity track squad '28.

Ralph Van Wagner, Azusa, California Junior, Forestry

Hans F. Wolf, Yachats, Oregon Junior, Commerce

Varsity track; class basketball.

Logan S. Carter, Corvallis, Oregon Sophomore, Agriculture

Varsity track; frosh baseball; Oregon Countryman staff '28.

Chester Corry, Glendora, California Sophomore, Landscape Architecture Varsity swimming. Clifford Charles McLean, Portland, Ore.
Sophomore, Vocational Education

Tumbling team; varsity track.

Karl Burtis Shultis, Corvallis, Oregon Sophomore, Industrial Arts

President O. S. C. Symphony Orchestra; O. S. C. Band.

Walter Stokesbary, Corvallis, Oregon Sophomore, Mining Engineering

Publicity manager for Associated Engineers; Oregon State Technical Record; treasurer campus Y. M. C. A.

Karl B. Zorn, Claremont, California Sophomore, Pre-Medics

Inter-collegiate Knight '27, '28; sophomore cotillion committee '28; frosh basketball.

Fred Cooper, Corvallis, Oregon Freshman, Commerce

Assistant basketball manager; frosh basketball; frosh baseball.

Adrian Palmquist, Tulare, California Freshman, Commerce

Frosh debate; frosh track.

Grant Robley, Estacada, Oregon Freshman, Engineering

Harold Swall, Tulare, California Freshman, Commerce

Frosh crew.

Recommendations

STANFORD UNIVERSITY

Office of the President

Stanford University, California, April 2, 1928.

To the National Officers, Kappa Delta Rho Fraternity:

I have been requested by the Alpha Pi Delta local fraternity to endorse the Oregon State College as a suitable institution for the installation of a chapter of your organization. I am very happy to do so.

The Oregon State College is one of the best of our western institutions. There is a fine college spirit pervading its campus. I feel sure that a chapter established there will, with the right personnel, obtain a high standard among the western universities.

Very truly yours,

RAY LYMAN WILBUR, President.

OREGON STATE COLLEGE Office of the President

Corvallis, Oregon, April 5, 1928.

To the Kappa Delta Rho Fraternity:

I am advised that Alpha Pi Delta, a local fraternity at the Oregon State College, is petitioning Kappa Delta Rho for a chapter in that organization. I wish to say in their behalf that the excellent standing of this group of men in their college work, their evident respect for institutional standards, and their conduct generally, would indicate high ideals for their organization.

It is my judgment that the men of Alpha Pi Delta are worthy of the confidence of your fraternity.

Respectfully,

W. J. KERR, President.

OREGON STATE COLLEGE Office of the Registrar

Corvallis, Oregon, April 4, 1928.

To the Kappa Delta Rho Fraternity:

The Alpha Pi Delta fraternity came into existence at the Oregon State College in 1920 and has consistently maintained a most satisfactory record. In addition to standing well scholastically, the organization has been represented in most of the activities of the student body.

In comparison with the 35 fraternities of the college, the scholastic rating of Alpha Pi Delta has generally placed the organization in the upper half.

The members have been prominent in forensics, athletics, and in the affairs of student government. Phi Kappa Phi, the national honor organization on the campus, has consistently had Alpha Pi Delta men in its membership.

The petition which is being presented to Kappa Delta Rho is, we believe, worthy of most careful consideration.

E. B. LEMON, Registrar.

OREGON STATE COLLEGE Office of Dean of Men

Corvallis, Oregon, April 10, 1928.

To Kappa Delta Rho Fraternity:

The local fraternity, Alpha Pi Delta, has developed an effective organization recognized generally on the campus. In scholarship the boys have ranked well above the student body average and usually in the first half in the list of fraternities. They have continuously held a fair share of prominent student activities. Together with these accomplishments they have developed a splendid morale and fine ideals. They are in a position to represent a national fraternity with credit.

Sincerely yours,

U. G. DUBACH, Dean of Men.

OREGON STATE COLLEGE

School of Commerce

Corvallis, Oregon, April 10, 1928.

To Kappa Delta Rho Fraternity:

I understand that the Alpha Pi Delta fraternity of O. S. C. is petitioning for a national chapter in your organization.

I wish to say for this organization, that it has enjoyed a splendid reputation on this campus since its organization as the Campus Club in 1918. In 1920 the present organization was perfected. The men set their standards high, emphasizing manhood, scholarship, and student activities. This aim they have carried out splendidly.

The requirement for initiation is a grade of 85 per cent, and the applicant must show an active interest in the house during his period of pledgeship.

A number of the Alpha Pi Delta men are leaders in college activities, and nearly all student activities are represented in its membership. The fraternity has never been on probation, and ranks high in the scholarship standing among the thirty-five fraternities on the campus.

I recommend this splendid group of men for your favorable consideration.

Very truly yours,

J. A. BEXELL, Dean.

MADISON STREET METHODIST CHURCH Study of the Pastor

Corvallis, Oregon, April 7, 1928.

To Whom It May Concern:

I have been quite intimately thrown with the men of the Alpha Pi Delta fraternity for a period of six years. I have been impressed with the fine character of the men in this house and the high ideals of the house as a whole.

They have stood well in scholarship, they have been active in college Y. M. C. A. work, and in general activities of the college they have been at or near the head.

Any national fraternity will be proud to count such a group as belonging to its chapters.

Sincerely,

E. J. HARPER, Pastor.



Men's Gymnasium With Forestry Building Beyond

OREGON STATE COLLEGE School of Pharmacy and

Corvallis, Oregon, April 11, 1928.

To Kappa Delta Rho Fraternity:

This is to certify that as a neighbor and instructor to many of its members the writer has had good opportunity to study the progress of Alpha Pi Delta fraternity since its inception. He is therefore in position to state with authority that altho Alpha Pi Delta is classified as a local fraternity in regard to its business affairs, social and extra-curricular activities, its membership, and other standards of judging fraternities, its standing is as good as any other fraternity on our campus.

Alpha Pi Delta was one of the first fraternity groups to build a fraternity house and not only has this plan been found to be profitable but it has also served to keep the group together and to interest excellent fraternity material from our student body.

The faculty advisors of Alpha Pi Delta are not only members of the college faculty but they are also experienced business men. They have contributed freely of their time and funds to build a representative fraternity group and they have been successful.

I am pleased to advise that in regard to courtesy to visitors, social functions, keeping up its property, assisting with worthy college enterprises, membership in prominent student organizations, and other matters pertaining to college life, Alpha Pi Delta is not surpassed by any fraternity on the campus. Sincerely yours,

ADOLPH ZIEFLE, Dean.

In addition to those printed, endorsements have been received from the following persons and organizations, copies of which will be mailed on request.

Ben W. Olcott, ex-governor of Oregon.
W. M. Pierce, ex-governor of Oregon.
M. Ellwood Smith, dean of School of Basic Arts and Sciences.
Geo. W. Peavy, dean of Forestry.
Edward Locke, president Inter-Fraternity Council.

Delta Upsilon.
Beta Theta Pi.
Phi Delta Theta.
Kappa Sigma.
Sigma Nu.
Kappa Psi.
Theta Chi.

Phi Gamma Delta. Phi Sigma Kappa. Pi Kappa Alpha. Sigma Alpha Epsilon. Alpha Tau Omega. Sigma Phi Epsilon. Lambda Chi Alpha.