

The Muse

MU CHAPTER OF SIGMA PI FRATERNITY - CORNELL UNIVERSITY

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SUMMER 1998

Sage Reports On Past Events And Plans For The Future

I would like to start off by thanking all of the brothers of Sigma Pi who supported me and elected me as their sage. It is a great honor to have the faith and encouragement of my dearest friends. I would also like to thank our former sage, Liviu Rusu, for his guidance and direction at the beginning of my term. He has done a wonderful job in his past terms, and I hope to continue his legacy.

Our successful rush program led to

an even greater pledge program this past spring. It was a rewarding experience to observe our pledge class working together, growing together, and refining that characteristic vital to brotherhood: friendship. It has become a tradition for the pledge class to plan and carry out a project that improves the house in some way. It is an opportunity for pledges to leave their mark on the house. Their efforts this year astounded all of us, to say the least. The 1998

pledge class chose to install picnic tables and an all-weather stereo system on the "beach," or outdoor terrace. This has given us an outstanding location for barbecues and other events as weather permits. Their initiative to make our house into a home for themselves gave us all a great feeling.

Saturday, April 4, was a day of celebration for all of us. Our new members made it official as they were inducted as initiated members of Mu Chapter. With the near doubling of the house, there is great anticipation for the coming year. We look forward to a house without a vacancy, a brotherhood eager to grow, and yet another exciting and eventful semester for Sigma Pi.

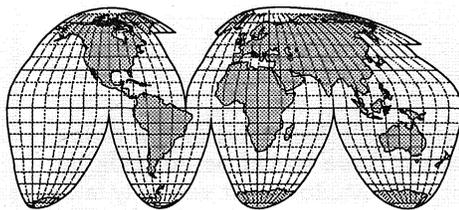
On a more somber note, Mu Chapter must say goodbye to three graduates who will be sorely missed. Peter Sedivy, after only three years as an undergraduate, is looking forward to his future with Anderson Consulting. Liviu will be working in investment real estate for Marcus and Millichap. Saad Faruqi is heading back to his home in Pakistan and is planning a career in finance. I know these three brothers leave this school and this house very proud of the efforts they made and the distinguished records they left behind.

It will be interesting to see if we can ever match the excitement of this year's Valentine's Day formal. The highlight of the evening fell at the end of dinner, when brother James Hulvat proposed to our newly crowned house sweetheart, Melissa Lundbeck. It was a moment like no other for the two affianced and for the brotherhood who shared it with them.

As house manager Ray Shan '99 describes elsewhere in this issue, the

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No matter where on
earth you are now,
we want you back
at Cornell and
Sigma Pi
for



HOME COMING 1998

Friday, October 16

4:00 p.m.—Informal cocktail reception

Saturday, October 17

10:00 a.m.—Tailgate (meet at ΣΠ)

1:00 p.m.—Football game, Cornell vs. Bucknell

4:45 p.m. (after the game)—Annual meeting
in the west lounge for alumni and actives

6:00 p.m.—Semiformal cocktail hour

7:30 p.m.—Dinner at ΣΠ



Our house mascot, Kayla, keeps watch over 730 University Avenue.

Pis Get Snowballed At Snowbowl Game

Every year Sigma Pi chapters from all over the Northeast travel to Ontario to compete for the coveted Snowbowl Trophy and a year of bragging rights. This year's Snowbowl was attended by eight Sigma Pi chapters, including our close friends from the University of Carleton, Ottawa (Eta Rho), and the tournament favorites, Detroit-Mercy (Gamma Alpha). Mu Chapter sent its seven best brothers, including Sage and retired Cornell place-kicker Matt Pens '00, all-around athlete Pete Sedivy '98, burly tight end Larry Keane '99, and speedy WR Chris Huemmer '99. We also brought along our secret weapons: a group of three pledges that included star quarterback Kevin Schargen '01. After seven hours plus an hour stop at the duty-free shop, we finally arrived in Ontario, Canada. That night we did what anybody who just took an all-day car trip would do: We explored the Canadian bar scene. Looking back, this may have been where we went wrong, since our first game was at 9:00 the next morning. Mu Chapter would not lie down, however, and we made it into the playoffs!

In the quarterfinals we met with Detroit-Mercy. Even though the rules had stipulated that they were only allowed 10 players, Detroit brought 17 giants who averaged approximately 6 foot 4 inches and 235 pounds. The question ran across the sidelines: "Would Cornell be David to this Goliath?" Mu Chapter, though outnum-

bered, played with heart and tenacity. Unfortunately, Detroit played with muscle and talent. Mu Chapter stayed close until the end, hoping for one last chance. On the final play of the game, QB Schargen tossed up the Hail Mary as both WR Pens and TE Keane sprinted down the field. As the ball spiraled toward Earth, the two players collided. The ball was tipped in WR Huemmer's direction by Pens. The laws of physics were not with us that day, and the ball fell about three feet short of the diving Huemmer. There would be no rejoicing that night in Muddville. It was only later that we found out that Detroit had brought players from the school's football team to ensure that the championship was theirs. However, they did not count on the University of Carleton's camaraderie with Cornell. Following our loss, Eta Rho vowed to avenge us. Before Carleton took the field against Detroit in the championship game, both Mu Chapter and Eta-Rho formed a huddle. In the middle of this huddle, Cornell's sage, Matt Pens, stood on an upside-down trash can. Pens, in a heartfelt speech, gave his version of "Do it for the Gipper!" As we looked around the huddle, we could have sworn that the eyes of one of Eta Rho's players started to water. Then another player shouted, "Let's win this one for Cornell!" and they stormed the field. Detroit never had a chance. Playing with raw emotion, the University of Carleton triumphed.

Champagne Chicken And Chef Return

The Pi house buzzed with energy: Maybe it was the warm embrace of the fresh spring breeze, or maybe—just maybe—it had something to do with the welcoming aroma of delicious delicacies being prepared in our kitchen. The brotherhood was truly excited about the return of chef "extraordinaire" Patrick Spirawk. After an unanticipated absence, our friend returned with his wealth of culinary knowledge and his trademark champagne chicken—a personal as well as house favorite. I believe that Patrick's savory, home-cooked dinners were a key factor in bringing 19 new brothers to the Pi house this semester.

As for the technical stuff, we recently purchased a much-needed restaurant-style ice machine. As a result, we'll no longer have to make ice runs to Wegman's during formal affairs to keep our dates' drinks cold. We also added ventilation to the pantry to extend the life of our freezer and refrigerator. A newly acquired pizza oven has led to many late-night pizza study breaks. There has been talk of re-outfitting the kitchen, but for now it doesn't seem to be a critical project. Other than that, the kitchen is essentially the same as it always was and is still being put to good use.

Financially, Patrick has managed to get the kitchen back under budget and is doing a good job of keeping us in the black. The inflow of \$19,000 with our pledge class this spring has allowed him to let his creativity flow a little. He tried some new things—some very successful and, unfortunately, some not so successful—but overall he's managed to keep our stomachs full and happy.

That's all from the kitchen for now. Here's wishing you "orange-juice wishes and Philly cheese-steak dreams."

Fraternally,
Jean Paul Simoes '99
Steward

Brotherhood Welcomes Alumni Friends And Community Guests

It's been another great semester here at Cornell. I've taken over the job of alumni secretary from Chris Huemmer '99, who held the reins for the past two years. It has been an enriching experience, and I'm proud to say that alumni relations are better than ever. I've had the opportunity to meet many of our alumni at events throughout the spring and to introduce them to our newest members. In March we combined the house's annual parents weekend with an alumni-sponsored dinner for graduating seniors. It was a truly memorable experience for the nearly 100 people in attendance. The dinner provided vivid evidence of how much Sigma Pi has grown in the last three years.

We've reinstated another great tradition at the Pi house: Wednesday dinner

guests. Each Wednesday evening the brothers of Sigma Pi invited various local alumni, professors, and other community leaders to join us for dinner and great conversation. It's been an enjoyable and thought-provoking experience. Guests this spring included Bob Nafis '49, our chapter adviser; Jack Lowe '56, Cornell's director of sponsored programs; Professor Paul Hyams (history); and many others. If you live near Ithaca or are coming back to visit, we would love to have you as our guest. Just give us a call at 607/277-1890 and ask for the alumni secretary. You are always welcome!

Fraternally,
James Hulvat '99

Paint, Lights, And Music Will Improve The Quality Of Life At The House

The past academic year has brought many positive changes to our house. During the summer, brothers Matt Pens '00 and Morgan Lang '98 painted a large part of our TV room (a.k.a. the pit). In addition to painting the first-floor hallway a nice emerald green, brother Liviu Rusu '98 painted 103—where he currently resides. To increase security and visibility, we also added lights on all corners of the house.

During the fall semester we continued making improvements to increase the safety and our enjoyment of the house. For added security during parties, brothers Larry Keane '99 and Darren Saletta '99 created "Nathan's facade," a barricade to prevent unwanted party-goers from getting to the back stairwell through the dining room. We also mounted a pair of speakers in the card room and hooked them up to a stereo system that was locked away in a closet.

We completed a cabinet encasement located behind the bar for our stereo, and mounted speakers in the dining room.

Over winter break, many brothers returned early to prepare for our annual spring rush week. Several helped paint the third floor a nice Sigma Pi purple, while brother Ray Shan '99 and his girlfriend, Alison Hsieh '99, painted the Sigma Pi crest on the second-floor landing of the front stairwell.

This spring, as part of their pledge project, the pledge class painted the front stairwell, the back stairwell, and the second-floor hall. They also spray-painted numbers in our parking area in order better to organize the lot, which will be full next year for the first time. Finally, we added a lock on the TV room door for increased security during parties.

Raymond Shan '99
House Manager

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Social Calendar Includes Parties, Mixers, And Marriage Proposal

During the spring semester, the brothers of Mu Chapter sponsored a number of successful social events. Some of the big events included our semiformal, crush party, mixers, and, of course, the Orchid Ball.

The Valentine's Day semiformal was a great success. Our chef, Patrick, prepared a delicious meal that left people begging for seconds. The gourmet dinner was followed by music and dancing upstairs in the west lounge. The festivities were heightened after dinner when one of our brothers proposed to his girlfriend. Congratulations, James and Melissa!

The Mu Chapter threw its second annual '70s disco crush party. The lights, balloons, music, and costumes helped to create an atmosphere in which we could all boogie down! All of us here at the Pi house were thrilled by the number of people in attendance, and all of us enjoyed ourselves immensely.

We have had a number of successful mixers with some of Cornell's most well-respected sororities. These included a champagne breakfast with Alpha Omicron Pi, a beach barbecue with Kappa Delta, and dinner with Delta Delta Delta. All told, it's been an eventful semester!

This was the first year the Mu Chapter of Sigma Pi participated in the Greek Gods competition. This is an

event in which a panel of judges from Cornell's sororities rates the physical appearance, personality, talent, humor, and intelligence of individual members of Cornell's fraternities. We are proud to say that Sigma Pi's representative, Morgan Lang, was the third-place winner!

Last but definitely not least, there was the Orchid Ball. The long tradition of this event is an important part of our social life here at the Pi house. It is a great experience that gets better and better each year.

On a more serious note, President Hunter Rawlings' new campus housing plan to move all freshmen to North Campus is still a major concern for us and the other West Campus fraternities. Rawlings' attempt at socially engineering the campus in this way could severely hinder the success of our social

events and rush program. This spring, 85 percent of the men who came to Sigma Pi during rush were from West Campus dorms. Rawlings' plan will have a negative impact on West Campus fraternities without necessarily reaping the intended benefits. If you would like to get more information and express your opinion on this new housing plan, please write to President Hunter Rawlings, 300 Day Hall, Ithaca, NY 14853, or call him at 607/255-5201.

Well, that's it for now. We have had a very successful social schedule this semester and look forward to an even better one in the fall.

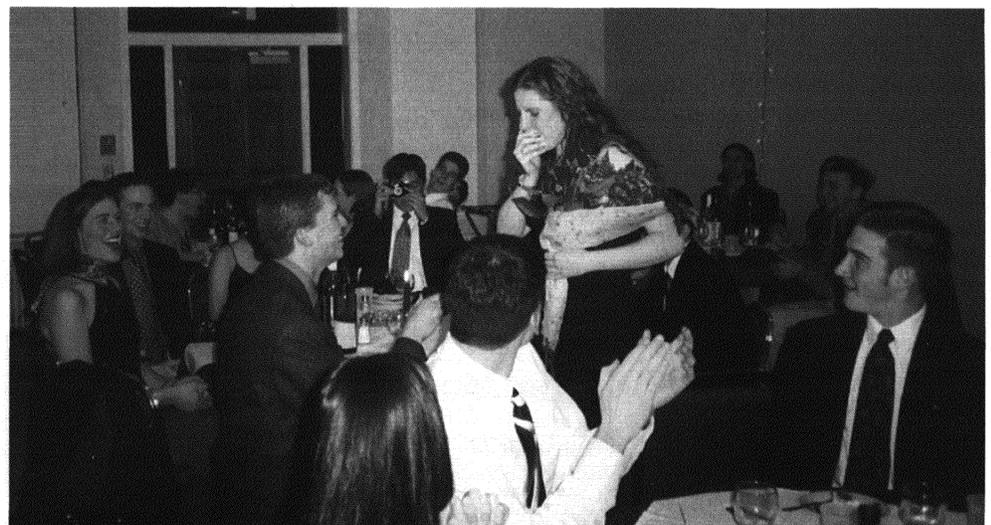
Fraternally,
Nick Molinari '00
Social Chair

SEND IN YOUR NEWSFORM!

The continued success of this newsletter is due, in part, to the participation of our alumni. Please take a moment to fill out your newsform and return it to the address provided at the bottom of page three. Write and let us know what you've been up to before the next issue of *The Muse*.



Brothers and their dates enjoying the Valentine's Day semiformal.



Brother James Hulvat '99 proposes to Melissa Lundbeck '99, our house sweetheart.

The Muse News

LOUIS J. CONTI '41 reports that he stays in touch with FRED HAVERLY '42, HOWIE HULFORD '44, and DICK HUFF '44. He also hears from BEN KELLOGG '40 and MIKE SFAT '43. "I was last in Ithaca for the reunion of the 1949-'51 football teams and the Harvard game. I tried to visit the house, but it was closed for fall break! Maybe one of these days. I started planning for the 60th anniversary reunion of the 1939 football team in 1999. Hope there's enough of us left to gather! Good luck to present Sigma Pi brothers on revitalizing Sigma Pi on the campus." Write to Lou at 185 Barra Lane, Inverness, IL 60067.

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MICHAEL R. SFAT '43 wrote in May to announce that his first wife, Jane, died of cancer in January 1997. Mike

married Shirley Erdman, the widow of his best friend, in November 1997. Write to Mike at 1035 S. 7th St., Manitowoc, WI 54220.

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LORENZ K. MULLER '46 makes his home at 1211 N. 98th Court, Omaha, NE 68114-2110. His e-mail address is mullerlm@aol.com.

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"Diana and I travel frequently and the rest of the time work for Gal and Smart Start, Loaves and Fishes, and Habitat," writes JOSEPH W. CALBY JR. '51. "We chaired the Cornell Alumni Association for eight years, building the membership from 20 to 60. Frank Rhodes was our key speaker at a dinner held here in March. Charlotte is a boom town for young professionals." Write to Joe at

5308 Winged Foot Rd., Charlotte, NC 28226.

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LEO CHAMBERLAIN '52 visited from Hawaii recently, and took a grand tour of the chapter house before taking an even grander (one imagines) tour of Alaska. Write to Leo at P.O. Box 204, Captain Cook, HI 96704.

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"I'm alive and well in Ann Arbor, Michigan," writes MILTON A. CHACE '56. "I'm president of a small engineering company that currently makes its living analyzing the rollover of light trucks and vans. I'm traveling some, learning ballroom dancing, and live on a river and do some canoeing and wind-

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Brothers Spend Spring Semester Abroad

Studying in a foreign country can be a maturing and enlightening experience. There is a great deal to be gained from encountering diverse cultures, and only limited opportunity here in upstate New York for such interaction. Last semester, the men of Sigma Pi were proud, but sad, to see three of our brothers travel abroad. Jim Lauer '99 escaped Ithaca's winter to enjoy summer "down under" in Australia. He studied at the University of Queensland in Sydney. Though we got frequent postcards from the beach, we heard Jim worked hard and enjoyed his classes. David Goodman '99 rounded out his education in architecture by studying in Rome, Italy. We can't wait until he returns to hear all about the magnificent architecture of Rome! Finally, Andrew Sorkin '99 spent the spring semester working in England as a *New York Times* London correspondent. His journalistic skills have been missed, but we know he had a great time in London.

For the first time in two years, Sigma Pi bids farewell to several graduating seniors. Three members of the class of '98 leave us this year. Saad Farqui, Peter Sedivy, and Liviu Rusu will all be missed, but we wish them the best in their future endeavors. Pete Sedivy,

who is graduating a year early with a B.S. in operations research and industrial engineering, has secured a job in Chicago with Andersen Consulting. Liviu Rusu, a finance major, will be joining a Manhattan investment firm. With his talent and great aspirations, we know he'll go far.

A number of our undergraduate brothers are spending the summer working in various career-related positions. Edward Kulich '00, a trained EMT and volunteer firefighter, is utilizing his skills as he prepares for a career in medicine. Matthew Pens '00, our current sage, is staying in Ithaca and working for Cornell as a summer conference assistant. Finally, I will be returning to Sunnyvale, California, for the second half of my engineering co-op at Lockheed Martin Missiles & Space Corporation. This has been a great experience thus far, and I'm truly enjoying putting my materials science education to work.

Though we travel far and wide both during our days at Cornell and in the years to follow, it's reassuring to know the Pi house will always be home!

Faternally,
James Hulvat '99

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house has seen its share of improvements apart from the '98 pledge class endeavors. For future projects, the brotherhood is seriously researching the possibility of an ethernet connection to the Cornell campus computer network. We hope that by next fall brothers living in the house will be able to access computer information via a high-speed direct connection rather than over the phone lines.

Finally, the brotherhood would like to thank the alumni who made last February's wonderful banquet possible. We had a tremendous time visiting with all of you. I urge you all to come this fall to our Homecoming festivities. We want you to be part of this shining period for Sigma Pi. If any of you are going to be in Ithaca, please stop by and join us for dinner. We would be honored to have you as guests.

Matthew Pens '00
Sage

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surfing—but I seem mostly occupied lately just trying to shepherd the details of life. I'm proud of my three progeny—Dan, Ron, and Lesley, now into theater, yacht-captaining, and public health. Does anyone know how the years pass so quickly?" Write to Milt at 3265 N. Maple Rd., Ann Arbor, MI 48105.

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WINTHROP D. CODY '56 now resides at 708 Pitch Apple Lane, Naples, FL 34108.

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J. BENJAMIN WATSON '62 wrote to announce that in May, as president of Inter-Pack Corporation in Conshohocken, Pennsylvania, he opened a manufacturing operation producing corrugated paper packaging specialties at San Jose Iturbide, Mexico. Write to Ben at 226 36th St., Avalon, NJ 08202.

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After the unexpected death last December of his wife, Stephanie, THOMAS E. CAYTEN '64 resigned from his job as city negotiator in Portsmouth, New Hampshire. Tom will spend most of his time raising his children, Cordelia (6) and Gareth Rhys (3). Write to Tom at 21 Carrol St., Exeter, NH 03833.

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"How time flies when you're having fun," writes RICHARD W. KUBIAK '68. "I moved to Florida 12 years ago and am still happy with the move. Thanks to Ithaca's winters, I realize how much I hate the cold and enjoy a tropical paradise environment. If any brothers are in the area on vacation, please call—and maybe we can take a walk down memory lane. Hope to hear from you." Write to Richard at 8281 Cedar Hollow Lane, Boca Raton, FL 33433.

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WILLIAM E. FORD '73 receives mail at P.O. Box 126, Folly Beach, SC 29439. He can be reached by e-mail at weford@ittech.com.

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THOMAS M. GARR '76 announces that, about a year, ago he retired from a

successful Wall Street career to co-found Mastholm Asset Management, an institutional money management firm specializing in international equity investments. "Life in Atlanta continues to be great!" he reports. Write to Tom at 4245 Paran Walk, Atlanta, GA 30327, or send him an e-mail at tgarr_mas tholm@msn.com.

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"We are still in Singapore," writes ROBERT B. FUCHS '80. "We now have a daughter (Chelsea), so the last couple of years have been spent adjusting to parenthood. We get together quite often with ROB NOVO '79 and his family, who moved to Singapore two years ago. Rob and I lived at the Ponderosa 20 years ago. It's a small world!" Write to Rob at 47A Nim Rd., Nim Park, SINGAPORE 807571, or send him an e-mail at fox95@singnet.com.sg.

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JAMES J. DRADDY '81 now makes his home at 9618 Hillridge Dr., Kensington, MD 20895.

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THOMAS K. OWENS '83 receives mail at P.O. Box 274, Syracuse, NY 13211. His e-mail address is tkowens@juno.com.

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Congratulations to STEVEN T. DECKER '85 and his wife, Pam, who became proud parents of Cameron Marie Decker in November '97. "GREG VOJNOVIC '85 and I are the proud owner/operators of three restaurants in Atlanta, Georgia, called the Bridgetown Grill," writes Steve. "Under Greg's fine guidance, we might even expand! Next time you're in Atlanta, have a drink on us." Write to Steve at 1867 Dekalb Ave., Ridgewood, NY 11385.

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Make a note of this new address for SCOTT FABOZZI '86: 21 Lyndon St., #3, Concord, NH 03301.

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"I moved from Connecticut to Chicago in January to start work as a consultant for the software company Manugistics," reports GEORGE W.

ROCKLEIN '87. "If any Pis are in the Chicago area, feel free to drop me a line." Write to George at 961 E. Golf Rd., #3, Arlington Heights, IL 60005. Reach him by e-mail at grocklei@manu.com or rocklein@worldnet.at.net.

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"For the past year I have lived in San Francisco with JOSH RICHTER '94," writes JASON HALIO '93. "Now I will be moving back East to attend the Tuck School at Dartmouth for my master's in business administration." Jason's e-mail address is jd93@juno.com.

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MARC WARM '93, an investment banker for Donaldson, Lufton, & Jenrette, recently became engaged to Meredith Tanowitz, the 1992 house sweetheart. The couple will marry in June 1999. "Some old Pi men were reunited at Jon Stein's ('94) bachelor party in Atlantic City," he reports. Write to Marc at 284 Mott Street, #5R, New York, NY 10012, or send him an e-mail at mwarm@dlj.com.

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JOSH RICHTER '94 makes his home at 1716 Larkin St., San Francisco, CA 94109.



DECEASED

We regret to announce
the death
of the following alumni:

LEO J. DICIANNI '22
September 7, 1994

DONALD M. GERHART '60
May 15, 1998

THE HONOR ROLL

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John J. Sacco '80
Mark D. Sherwin '80
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Jarrett F. Wait '80
John W. Altmeyer '81
Gary S. Derck '81

Brian M. Finneran '81
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Jonathan S. Pettee '81
John D. Roche '81
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The Honor Roll acknowledges gifts made through August 1, 1998. Pledges are not listed as gifts until paid.

A previous mailing included a listing of brothers who have responded to the annual alumni dues appeal. Honor Roll has been traditionally reserved as a heading for acknowledgment of gifts to the Heritage Campaign. We will continue to use this heading only for Heritage Campaign gifts. We apologize for the confusion.

Heritage Fund "Phase Two" Continues

In August 1997 Phase Two of the Heritage Fund, with a goal of \$250,000, was announced. This fund has now reached \$95,000. We must raise the rest! The alumni leadership remains committed to the task. Most of the new money has come as additional gifts from brothers who had already

responded.

Which group do you fit into?

- Brothers who have not yet supported the campaign. We need you! How about a vote of confidence in the form of some sort of response?
- Brothers who have contributed at

a level below the \$1,000 **Fair Share** level. How about a vote of confidence in the form of an additional gift taking you up to the **Fair Share** level?

• Brothers who have responded with **Founder** level gifts (\$5,000 to \$9,999) and **Major** level gifts (\$10,000 or more). Thanks for the vote of confidence!

Everything promised by your alumni leadership has happened as promised. All that is left is for us to reach our goal so that our borrowing can be reduced.

It's up to you, guys!

Memorial Tributes Organized

Several brothers have organized solicitations for memorial plaques to be placed in the Memorial Library. Funds have been started for the following memorials:

William A. "Prof" Smith
Albert May '52
Frank Conti '53
Richard Allan '56
Martin T. Mace '57
Richard Fellows '59
Charles Hawks '61
Daniel Mahaney '79

John Perry '45
Edward Rock '50
John Robinson '52
Joel K. VanWynen '58

In addition to the individual plaques, there is a large memorial plaque installed in tribute to all the brothers of Mu Chapter who have died.

For our undergraduate members, Sigma Pi is a daily living experience—parties, projects, rushing, late-night kitchen visits, hanging out, and the day-to-day camaraderie of fraternity life. For our alumni, it is a remembrance of men and events. It is the infrequent reunion to share and relive old times. And for many, regardless of age, it is a time of reflections of bonds that were and can never be experienced again. Perhaps the author of the great Cornell song, "The Hill," captured the mood best:

*I wake at night and think I hear
Remembered chimes,
And memory brings in vision clear...
Enchanted times.*

Each of these funds started with a brother making an initial contribution and then taking on the job of contacting other brothers to chip in to raise the expected contribution of \$5,200. The funds have come from a single brother and from groups as large as 20 brothers. Gifts to Phase Two can be designated to one or more of the existing funds or used to start another one.

Memorial Plaques have been installed in memory of the following brothers:

Harry G. Specht '12
Elmer Tolle '43

Your gift to the Sigma Pi Heritage Fund can be more than just a contribution!

William A. "Prof" Smith Remembered

A memorial gift has been received from Harlan R. Wengert '49, John W. Lloyd '49, and Robert A. Nafis '49 to place a special plaque to the memory of Prof Smith. Prof Smith was a Sigma Pi brother initiated at Eta chapter at Purdue University in 1919. He came to Cornell in the 1920s. Prof died in 1984 at the age of 86.

Prof served as chapter faculty advisor to Mu Chapter from 1941 until 1965. He was a big influence on Pi men over many years.

Those who knew Prof will want to add their names to this tribute by designating a gift in his memory to the fraternity he loved. A special plaque has been ordered for installation by Homecoming weekend that will acknowledge the names of the initiating donors and "the many men whose lives he influenced."

Your fraternity needs your financial help—perhaps a moment's reflection on your association with Prof Smith will prompt you to help so that you know you are among those who honor Prof in this special way.

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