



Society

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Sorority Row Displays New Sweetheart Pins

It's beginning to look like it's nice work if you can get it. Right now I'm talking about the various and sundry pieces of fraternity jewelry and such the girls have taken over during vacation. Hard-ware, it's called on some campuses, but here it's still the little old fraternity pin. There are a few pin hangings, candy passings, etc., that escaped notice yesterday, but only because I ran out of paper.

For instance, there were the sweets that went the rounds at the Pi Phi house Monday night. Paul Reichstadt was the donor and it was all for the sake of little Helen Fox, who's had his pin for some time now. The candy was done up in gold and black ribbons, the Sigma Nu colors, and wine and blue for Pi Phi and was quite a thrill for all present according to reports.

Surprise for Alpha O's.
When we heard the D. U.'s steaming down sorority row in procession Monday night, we hardly knew their destination, but it happened to be the A. O. Pi house. It seems that Doris Smith and Bill Dugan have been that way about each other for no little while now, and though she might have had his pin before, it must have been mostly under cover until New Years Eve, when it was fastened very near her own Greek letters. Anyhow, a rather hasty candy passing ensued, and were the Alpha O's surprised?

The Theta's were rather expecting Kitty Adams and Dick Kosman to come across Monday night. There was a special significance to the date as those two have been seen hither and yon together for two years now. Sunday was their anniversary, so the only thing left to do now is send around the chocolates. In fact, the pledges are even plotting furnishing the candy themselves, but they can't promise anything more than suckers. If I were weatherman, I might predict a couple of tubbings.

D. G.'s Get Their Men.
Was talking to Wilma Comstock and it seems that when her pledge class got together for a reunion recently, there were only three in the crowd who hadn't anchored pins. Virginia Lea's was the most recent—of only about a week's standing, though she and Sigma Nu, Everett Deger have been steadying it years and years, if I remember right.

Martha Bechtel, Theta, and Don DeLamy have been dating no one else since the beginning of Christmas vacation, and Hazel Lawrence, Gamma Phi pledge, and one of the Sturdevant twins decided way last month that three was a crowd.

A Good Blind Date.
Most of us haven't much faith left in blind dates, but Dorothy Moulton, Alpha Chi, met her present one and only on one. He's Jack Davis, Phi Delta, and a brother of Esther Davis, one of the Alpha Chi pledges, so it's all pretty much in the family. They've been going together about four weeks now, and they say that there's a pin involved, but I also know that right now it's back on Jack's vest, where it probably won't stay for long.

I also happened to know about Joe Henske, an Omaha flash from Hill school, drove down to Lincoln for a date with Townley's Jane Wainwright. That, perhaps was all right, but what I can't understand is why he parked in front of the Pi Phi house unless it was for Rita Alger to be sure and see all. Well, if she didn't, there were plenty of "friends" to inform her.

The Chi O house looks almost like a jeweler's now. It's no wonder they're bothered with burglars. Did you know that ten of the girls received lockets for Christmas? All of them were created, and all from fellows. Then, too, I suppose I should mention Marg Munger's diamond given her by Pi K. A. Woodie Berge. And that is about the end of today's story.

Another Delta Gamma who's strutting a brand new Sigma Nu sweetheart pin is Mary Margaret Maley. I hear from the girls in her sewing circle, that she has already selected her silverware, so it looks like that's one pin that won't bounce back to its owner very suddenly.

Oh, and did you know that Martha Montgomery, also from 400 Uni terrace, now displays a Phi Psi pin that once was worn by George Vierage, but probably won't be again? It looks like the real thing this time too, because if all runs smoothly until next fall, they plan to be married, I've heard.

Cooking's More Practical.
It's also rumored that Marjorie Misch, A. O. Pi, suddenly quit school to learn to cook. I couldn't say whether she left school or not, but I do know that she has annexed Bob Dickman's Fiji pin, and if I know much about fraternity jewelry, a Phi Gam pin covers a lot of territory.

But I mustn't forget to tell you about Pat Byers. She's wearing a Phi Psi pin that belongs to Bert someone or other. This has been in the offing for quite some time now, but Pat was just waiting until she replaced the Theta pin she lost. So right after Christmas, she had the two chained together, and a chain, you know, is as strong as its weakest link.

This is just more gossip, but the Pi Phi's tell me that when the Sigma Nu's were over Monday night for the Fox-Reichstadt celebration, they all expected the boys to migrate over to the Theta house to round out the evening. They seemed to think that Virginia Smith, pledge, and Paul Wertz would be soon treating the girls to calories. I don't think it's quite

JOHNSTON URGES USE OF PAST KNOWLEDGE

Vespers Speaker Explains Values of Observing Ancestors' Work.

"If man would have transmitted everything that has gone before, we would have a greater empire than will ever be built," said Rev. Paul J. Johnston, pastor of the Westminster Presbyterian church, in an address, "Traditions of the Good Life," at the Y. W. C. A. vespers service, Tuesday afternoon.

Rev. Johnston pointed out that the world's greatest detriment today is that the people are turning their backs to what their ancestors did and to what has gone before them. "I believe we should take the knowledge transmitted from the past because in this sifted knowledge we will attain wisdom. If we would listen to the lessons of the past, we would know wisdom," stated the speaker.

Rev. Johnston will leave soon to assume duties at a pastorate in the east. Edna Bell Weiborn led devotions and benediction. The choir under the direction of Maxine Federle sang the processional and recessional.

Dr. R. A. Winnacker of the department of history attended the convention of the American Historical association at Philadelphia Dec. 29 to 31. He is the author of an article entitled, "The Delegation Des Gauches and Its Critics" which was published recently in the University of Michigan Historical Essays.

Highlights On the Air

BY ELWOOD RANDOL.

President Franklin D. Roosevelt will be heard over the NBC-Red network Saturday at 8:30 as he addresses the annual Jackson Day Dinner of the Democratic party at the Mayflower hotel in Washington. The Chief Executive will deliver his speech from the nation's capital while he will be introduced to the radio audience by Postmaster General James A. Farley who will be heard from the Hotel Commodore in New York. The president's address will be heard by thousands of Democrats attending Jackson Day dinners throughout the country.

Lawrence Tibbitts will present his second program with Andre Kostelanetz and his orchestra and will feature songs by American composers. The Chesterfield program is heard on KFAB at 8 while at 7 the Cavalcade of America will present the life of the famous bridge authority (the kind that goes over rivers) James Buchanan Eads who built at St. Louis the famous bridge which bears his name.

Jerry Denzig and Dave Driscoll will take their Mutual Mike into the Beaux Arts apartments in New York which is the home of many of Gotham's actors, artists, sculptors and designers.

Guns of China.
Here is an interesting letter received by the CBS short-wave station:

"Dear Miss Elizabeth Ann Tucker: I was quite thrilled this week to hear clearly—above the

roar of the shelling on the near-by battlefields—the good old 'Star Spangled Banner' coming in on your early morning broadcast from America. For us in the depressing General hospital here in Wuhu, China, there could be nothing more heartening and inspiring than the strains of our own national anthem. Usually we can't hear your announcements because at 7 a. m. when your program comes thru, the Chinese gunboat in the river near here opens up with its guns for the first salvo of the day. But it's fun to know that home is in your loudspeaker, even if you sometimes have to use your imagination to hear to good old English-speaking voices. Thanks for cheering us up.

FRANCIS C. CULLY, R. N., Wuhu Hospital, Wuhu, China.

NBC's 10 Big Stories of '37.
Here are the ten biggest stories of 1937 as selected by the officials of the National Broadcasting Company:

1. Coverage of America's most devastating floods in January.
2. The Hindenburg Disaster.
3. Justice Black's Klan Explanation address.
4. Broadcasts from the War Fronts, Shanghai and Madrid.
5. Return of Arturo Toscanini to America to conduct the NBC Symphony orchestra.
6. The Coronation of King George VI.
7. Merrill-Lambie Round Trip Atlantic Flight.
8. Eclipse of the Sun in the South Seas.
9. The second inaugural address of Roosevelt.
10. Arctic and tropic expedition broadcasts.

KAYE BACK ON AIR.
Herbie Kaye, one of the nation's favorite bands during the summer

months, has returned to the air and will be heard exclusively over the Mutual network and KFAB. Kaye will be on the air tonight at 11:30.

A new swing band on the air is the Buddy Rogers outfit which is heard over CBS net several times during the week over KFAB and will be on tonight at 11:30. The band has greatly improved upon its style since the last time it was aired over the ether waves.

"Let's investigate the telephone companies to find out why it is that when you get the wrong number it's never busy."—Senator Fishface of the NBC comedy team of Senator Fishface and Professor Figgibottle. The program is heard on KOIL every Sunday at 5:30 instead of the old time 2:30.

Columbia recognized two of its member stations for the parts they played in two emergencies during the year just past. The Columbia Medal for Distinguished Service to Radio for 1937 went to the Courier-Journal station, WHAS in Louisville, Ky., for the major role it played "alleviating suffering caused by floods which inundated a great portion of the midwest in the early part of the year." The station in the Blue Grass country was on 24 hour service while the water raged thru the streets of Louisville providing the only means of communication between the stricken city and the outside world. Amelia Earhart's disappearance in the Pacific ocean was the event which brought recognition to KOMB, Honolulu. More powerful than any other transmitter available, the CBS station was turned over to officials in the futile search for the missing aviatrix.

F. D. R. on 20 Times.
The president of the United States called upon radio 20 times during 1937. Sometimes it was

merely to broadcast ceremonies connected with a dedication, but more often it was to lay new government policies before the people.

Labor problems were unusually pressing. Both sides of the controversy were heard in 57 talks on the Columbia network.

The supreme court dispute was discussed by 74 speakers, from the president to persons picked at random on the streets.

Three hundred broadcasts that originated on foreign soil were heard in the United States thru CBS facilities. The coronation of King George VI was described and the new monarch heard in making responses during the ceremonies and again in a formal address at their conclusion. This was the first time that a radio broadcast had ever been made of an English coronation as the wireless instrument had not been invented in 1910 when George V was crowned.

Another king, Farouk I, was crowned, and Americans listened to the ceremonies and rejoicing in Cairo, Egypt.

Word was received by Dr. W. H. Werkmeister of the philosophy faculty that his two articles on logical positivism have been translated and will be published soon in Our World, official journal of natural philosophy in Germany.

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