and Brother Secor was elected secretary-treasurer. The meeting was called primarily to ratify the constitution of the Indiana Chi Phi Alumni Association, and also to make more definite plans about the future acquisition of land and plans for construction of a new chapter house. Present at the meeting was National Director Carl J. Gladfelter, who came up from Atlanta expressly for the meeting, to help in the planning of Iota Delta's future. It was decided the proposed constitution did not clearly empower the alumni association to perform some of the desired functions, and it was referred to legal counsel for necessary revision.

On April 15 the 1961 Chi Phi Little 500 team qualified in 12th position for the race. Delta Delta Delta Sorority and Union Starch and Refining Company of Columbus, Indiana, were the coed and financial sponsors for the May 13 race.

April 22, 1961, was the date of the third annual spring formal dance, "Spring Fever," held at the Bloomington National Guard Armory. Rick Murray's band provided the music.

On May 10, 1961, Dr. Norman J. G. Pounds, professor of geography, agreed to serve as faculty adviser to the chapter. Earlier in the semester he had been awarded the Brown Derby for his selection as the most popular professor on the Indiana University campus.

Initiated into the brotherhood on May 11, 1961, was Richard Allen Bowyer of South Bend, Indiana

The Chi Phi team of Brothers Bransford, Connell, Cook,

and Rupert finished in 12th position in the 1961 Little 500. Since this was Mothers' Weekend on the Indiana University campus, the Chi Phis played host to over 150 parents, brothers, and sisters. Once again the mothers were housed in the fraternity on the night of the race. The weekend's activities were concluded with the third annual Little 500-Mothers' Day Banquet on May 14. The new officers of the Chi Phi Mothers' Club were:

President Vice-President Secretary Treasurer Ways and Means Committee Mrs. Hodson
Mrs. Rupert
Mrs. Connell
Mrs. Givens
Mrs. Montgomery
Mrs. Applegate
(mother of Pledges Arnold
and Carl Applegate)

The Senior Banquet was held during late May. The faculty adviser, Dr. Pounds, was a guest and he spoke briefly of his future relationship with the Iota Delta Chapter. The 1961 graduating seniors gave the chapter a coffee table, which had an enlargement of the Chi Phi badge centered on the mosaic tile top.

The Chi Phis again were successful in the intramural competition of the spring semester, 1961. The bowling team finished third, the softball team second, and the track team placed fifth in campus competition.

Late in the semester, Brother William Montgomery was named to succeed Brother Richard Miller as alumni relations director for the Iota Delta Chapter. Brothers Gaines and Russ were

elected delegates to the 1961 Chi Phi Congress, to be held in Chicago, Illinois.

During the spring semester Brother Schenk was a member of the Indiana University golf team, while Brother Bransford was a member of the Indiana University track team. Brother Russ was selected to be president of the Board of Aeons for the 1961-62 school year. He had served earlier in the semester as a member of the steering committee for the Little United Nations Assembly. Brother Arnold, the Inter Fraternity Council representative, was chairman of the Greek Week Tug Of War Contest. Pledge Richard Gribble was named to the 1961 Freshman Camp steering committee.

The Sparks Memorial Medal for scholarship was awarded to Brother Russ for maintaining the highest scholastic index in the Iota Delta Chapter for the 1960-61 school year. The Chi Phi Fraternity ranked 21st, scholastically, on the Indiana University campus.

The fourth issue of <u>The Frangipani</u> was published in June, 1961. Brother Montgomery was the editor of this issue of the newsletter.

During the summer of 1961 two rush parties were held.

One was at the Iota Delta chapter house, the other being in Indianapolis.

Our delegates to the 137th annual Congress, held this year at the Edgewater Beach Hotel, Chicago, and the Pi Chapter House, Northwestern University, were James S. Russ, '62 and Jerry G. Gaines, '62. Brothers Russ and Gaines presented Iota Delta's proposal to authorize pinning with the Badge. This proposal was not effected, but plans were made to investigate the possibility of enlarging the Sister Pin and to present the findings at the 1962 Congress.

Iota Delta's initial chapter meeting of the school year 1961-1962 was held on Monday, September 18, the evening following the first day of classes. At this meeting, nominations were heard for all Council and other elective offices, with the exception of Alpha, Delta, and rush chairman. Elections for these offices took place on September 25th, with the following results:

Beta Jerry G. Gaines, '62
Gamma Joseph V. Goeller, '63
Epsilon Jon G. Smith, '63
Zeta William S. Montgomery, '64
Pledge Trainers Gerald K. Walter, '62
Edward J. Knartzer, '62
House Manager Jerry W. Beaumont, '64
Social Chairman Paul S. DePaulo, '64
Athletic Chairman Gordon E. Gouveia, '63

Brother Knartzer filled the unexpired term of Jerry L. Carmichael, '63, and he thus took over the direction of the pledge class which was formed early in the spring. Brother Walter became the pledge trainer for the fall pledge class, of which there were 22 members at the close of rush in mid-October. Robert C. Helt, '63 was the rush chairman responsible for the fall pledge class.

On October 16th, Brothers I.B. Countryman, Sigma '17, Iota Delta '58, Council Representative-at-large; Robert E. Secor, Kappa '35, Iota Delta '58, Council Representative for

Iota Delta: and Arthur G. Wupper, Sigma '27, Indianapolis architect, visited the chapter. In a general meeting with all the brothers and pledges, Brother Countryman outlined plans for the fund drive for Iota Delta's new chapter house and for its construction, with supplementary comments by Brothers Secor and Wupper. Brother Countryman presented the Edwin Erle Sparks Memorial Medal to James S. Russ, '62. Brother Russ was also a recipient of the Medal in the previous year. Brother Wupper then gave further information concerning the construction of the new chapter house. The following day, Brother Countryman flew to the national office for conferences with National Director Carl J. Gladfelter, A-T '33, Iota Delta '58, after which he returned to Indiana. Brother Countryman spent the remainder of the time between then and early December personally contacting every Chi Phi in Indiana for the purpose of solliciting donations and pledges to the building fund. Several recent alumni of the chapter assisted him. He announced that, if the drive progressed well, and he had every reason to believe that it would, construction would most probably begin as scheduled. on June 15, 1962. This would make occupancy possible on September 1. 1963.

After many weeks of preparation, the chapter, in conjunction with Chi Omega Sorority, entered a booth in the annual "Fun for charity" Fall Carnival. The innumerable hours spent in planning, organizing and preparing for the booth, called "The Armpit Room," paid off in winning top honors for Iota Delta and for the Chi Omegas. Both groups were presented large

trophies in honor of placing at the top of the game of chance division, capturing the award entitled "Best Game of Chance."

Our co-chairmen for this project were Gerald K. Walter, '62 and Jerry L. Minnis, '63.

Brother Gladfelter paid a visit to the chapter on November 2nd. Both he and Brother Countryman had dinner with the chapter, after which Brother Gladfelter met with the Council for a revue of the general standing of the chapter. It was decided that Iota Delta was still showing the rapid upward progress that it had displayed throughout the time since its inception. Brother Gladfelter cautioned the Council that the chapter must at all times be on its guard that nothing be allowed to impede its progress or to harm its status quo. He congratulated the chapter for what it had accomplished in so short a time.

November 5th marked the initiation of thirteen men into the Brotherhood. Those initiated were:

Richard Lee Gribble, 163
Larry Marvin Davis, 164
Charles Keirn Rush, 164
Paul Joseph Morsey, 164
Ronald Karl Wiehe, 64
David Irvin Fosnough, 164
Raymond Todd Sanpp, 164
John Philip Kinsel, 164
Thomas Lee Wilmore, 164
Paul Allen Gifford, 164
Richard Barrett Davis, 162
John Joseph Carrabine, 162

Plainfield
Columbus
West Lafayette
Muncie
Ft. Wayne
Marion
Bedford
Indianapolis
South Bend
East Chicego
Columbus
Gary

Special guests included Brother and Mrs. I.B. Countryman, faculty advisor Dr. Norman J.G. Pounds, and the following lota Delta alumni: Thomas A. Gehring, A-X '60, Michael J. Montgomery, Sigma '60 and John D. Craft, '61. Brother Craft,

at that time, presented to the chapter the original portion of The Archives of Iota Delta Chapter. Brother Craft undertook the project of preparing the Archives entirely on his own, and he wrote and compiled the 41-page chronicle without assistance. Dr. Pounds gave a short address on the role of the University in shaping men of varied interests, and Brother Countryman welcomed into the Brotherhood the new initiates, in behalf of the Council of the Fraternity. Alpha James S. Russ presented the Best Pledge Award to Richard L. Gribble, and pledge class president Larry M. Davis announced that Gerald K. Walter had been selected as recipient of the Best Active Award. Master of ceremonles was Jack L. Hawkins, '63.

Due to the necessity of taking several examinations in December in preparation for entrance to the Graduate School, Alpha James S. Russ found it necessary to resign from his position two months early. Therefore, nominations for Alpha were carried on at the chapter meeting of November 19th. On November 26, Jack L. Hawkins, '63, Mishawaka was elected Alpha and invested with that office. At the same meeting, Richard L. Gribble was selected to guide the chapter's rush program for the ensuing year. Brother Hawkins was elected for a term of 14 months. Soon after his election, Brother Hawkins snnounced several appointments, including the following: Robert H. Schenk, '63, parliamentarian; Paul J. Morsey, '64, publicity chairman; and Robert C. Helt, '63 automobile parking chairman. Earlier in the semester, Brother Schenk was appointed chairman of the Iota Delta fund raising campaign.

The chapter newsletter, The Frangipani, was issued in October. It featured articles on Brothers Countryman and Russ,

and it told of Iota Delta's plans for expansion, in addition to providing other articles designed for the interest of alumni. William S. Montgomery, '64 and Joseph V. Goeller, '65 prepared the issue. On November 26, Brothers Goeller and Montgomery created an Alumni Relations Committee, for the purpose of investigating means by which alumni can be held in closer contact with the chapter, and for the facilitation of the issuance of various alumni questionnaires.

The chapter's intramural football team, coached by Gordon E. Gouveia, '63, captured a Class B championship in mid-November, when it defeated Phi Kappa Psi fraternity in the playoff. There was a large attendance of brothers and pledges to cheer our players on to victory.

James S. Russ became the first member of the chapter to be initiated into Phi Beta Kappa, the date being December 5th. Another Chi Phi first was achieved by Brother Russ when he was named Sphinx Club's third "Senior of the Month" for this year, on November 29th. The award is presented each month to a senior male who has distinguished himself by academic accomplishment, athletic achievement, or participation in campus activities.

The annual pledge dance was held on December 9th, with practically the entire undergraduate membership in attendance. The well-developed theme was "Jungle."

Appointed to the Indiana University Foundation in December were Thomas R. Cook, '62, Harry S. Ross, '62, and Robert H. Schenk, '63. Richard L. Gribble, '63 was on the Steering Committee for the annual "Chimes of Christmas" observance, serving as program director.

In January, Chi Phi seized two bowling championships.

The Class B Championship became ours on January 4th, when our team conquered Kappa Sigma fraternity. We obtained the Class A Championship on January 8th, by overcoming Alpha Epsilon Pi fraternity.

The last chapter meeting of the semester was held on January 8, 1962. Nominations for all elective offices, with the exception of Alpha and rush chairman, were held. The semester drew to a close on January 22nd, on which day all final exams were completed.

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