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Meeting in New York City on May 10, 1950, the executive committee of the National Interfraternity Conference voted to accept the application of Sigma Tau Gamma for membership into the Conference. This was announced on that date by Charles E. Pledger Jr., Secretary. Under the provisions of the constitution, Sigma Tau Gamma is admitted to junior membership. It may be designated to full membership sometime after the expiration of one year in that category.

N.I.C. ADMITS SIGMA TAU GAMMA

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The N.I.C. adopted its first constitution in 1910. It limits its membership to men's general college social fraternities devoted to fraternity ideals, national in a charter, and of such age and standing to have a considerable number of chapters functioning by maintaining fraternity houses or equivalent accommodations. The Conference devotes a great deal of its time to improving the fraternity system through special meetings and conferences, publications, etc. It has done a great deal to point the way for better relations with the colleges.

Many outstanding citizens have served as members of the executive committee, and these older members are working with the undergraduate members to make the fraternity system function as a desirable part of the college program. Membership in the Conference is a great honor and privilege, for it indicates that the fraternity complies with rigid standards and expectations of N.I.C. members. In addition, it represents a great achievement for Sigma Tau Gamma, which has had steady growth since its founding 30 years ago at Central Missouri State College.

THREE THINGS TO KNOW ABOUT SIG TAU THIS MONTH

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HEADQUARTERS CLOSED

Sigma Tau Gamma Headquarters will be closed Friday, July 2 – Monday, July 5, in observance of the Independence Day Holiday. Headquarters will open on Tuesday, July 6, 2021, at 8:30 AM EDT.

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CHAPTERBUILDER 2.0 LAUNCHES

[TechniPhi](#) is excited to announce the release of the newest version of the platform. All Sig Tau chapters have access to the updated platform this summer to take their recruitment efforts to the next level.

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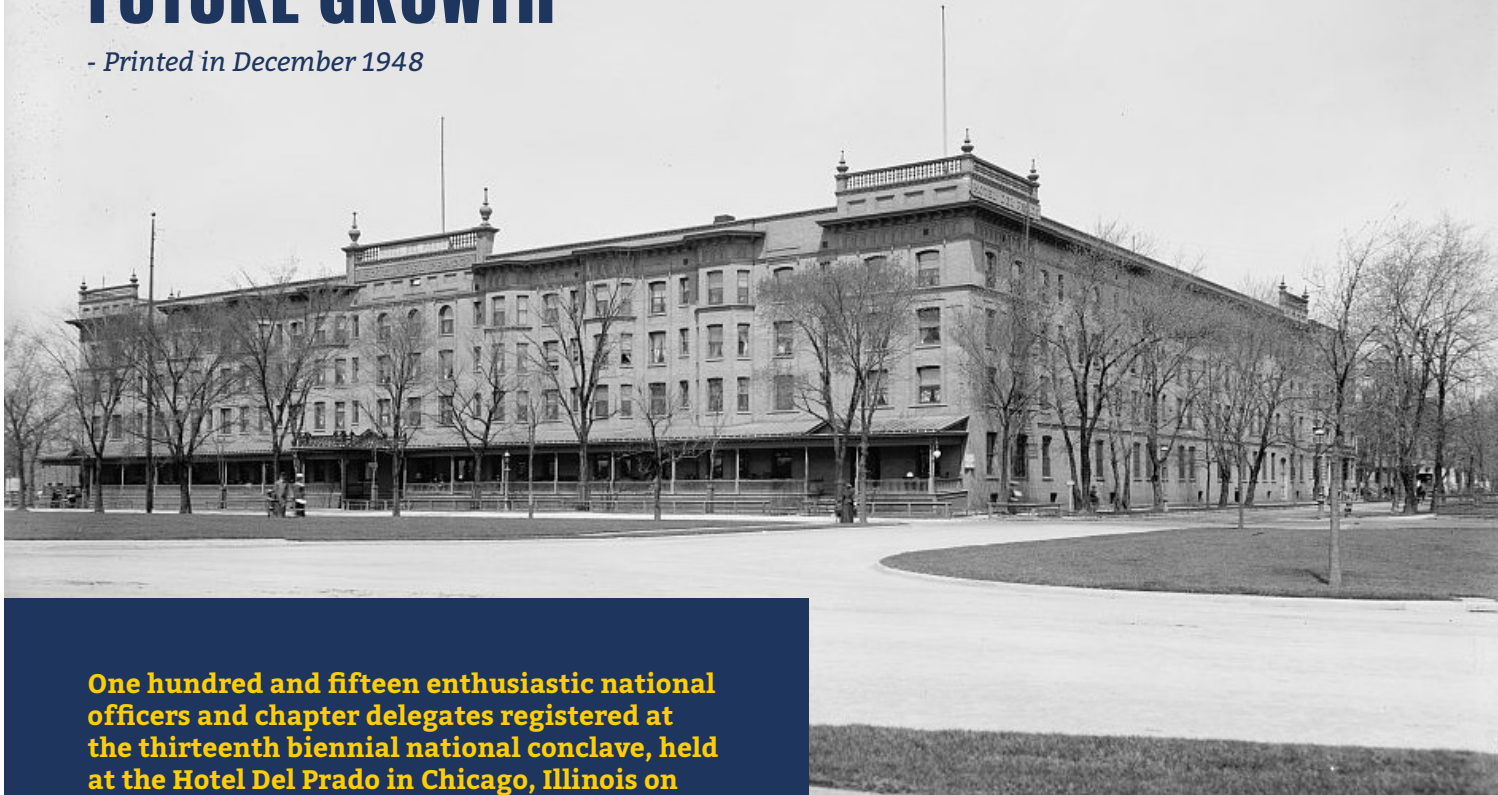
FOUNDERS DAY CHALLENGE

There is still time to give to the 2021 [Founders Day Challenge](#). Together, we endeavor forward as we begin the next century of building noble men of Sig Tau!



CONCLAVE CHARTS FUTURE GROWTH

- Printed in December 1948



One hundred and fifteen enthusiastic national officers and chapter delegates registered at the thirteenth biennial national conclave, held at the Hotel Del Prado in Chicago, Illinois on December 28 – 30, 1948, and helped lay the groundwork for a greater national fraternity. Thirty-one chapters were represented with sessions between panel discussions intended to assist the local chapter in their activities and improve the fraternity's national structure.

One of the most important decisions made by the conclave was to instruct the grand council to employ a full-time national secretary as soon as possible. The present Executive Secretary, D.K. Winebrenner has served in a part-time capacity for ten years and has had a full-time office assistant for two years. The many responsibilities of the national office have increased with the rapid growth of the fraternity so that the major responsibilities of office direction, editing of publications, chapter visitation, etc., cannot be handled by a part-time official. Two possibilities are under consideration by the grand council. If it is possible to secure a member with sufficient leadership and qualifications to permit him to take over the national secretaryship, he will receive a salary comparable to that of a college professor. If a less experienced member is selected, he may work under the supervision of the present executive secretary until he is able to take over all of the duties. In either case, the salary will be comparable to that paid elsewhere for similar services.

The present executive secretary will not be a candidate for the full-time position, but will cooperate with anyone selected for the position. Alumni and current seniors are invited to apply. Applications and a statement of qualification and experiences may be sent either to the national office or to Judge Ora D. McClellan in Neodesha, Kansas.

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WHAT A FRATERNITY SHOULD BE

- Printed in March 1955

Alpha Delta Chapter furnished copies of the following for discussion at the Central Province meeting in St. Louis on May 10, 1952. It is well worth reprinting.

1. It should be an organization that incites the more faithful pursuit of academic achievement.
2. It should be an organization in which there is a better cultural atmosphere than outside.
3. It should be an organization that builds rather than destroys, at least the undeniable minimums of character.
4. It should be an organization in which responsibility, industry, and leadership are seriously cultivated by members as well as pledges.
5. It should be an organization which practices what it purports to idealize, where the younger men are appealed to by the example of the older men, where pledges are not driven to give adherence to regulations which members violate with impunity.
6. It should be an organization with the ideal to aid rather than hinder the educational progress of the college.
7. It should be an organization where such a warm congeniality of personal relationship between the men exists that outsiders looking on will desire to share in the privilege of membership.
8. It should be an organization where the timid are bolstered by the bold, where the slight are listened to like brawn, where the smallest sacred things held dear by one are elevated above the reproach of any other.

