

# The BAY BAY BIETA



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## Beta Upsilon Chapter of Beta Theta Pi at MIT

#### From the Beta Upsilon Association

We hope you will enjoy and appreciate the new format of this newsletter. We have engaged the services of an alumni service to help us coordinate with the Chapter.

The information returns from the alumni have been most rewarding and we encourage you to send back additional news with your dues.

As previously reported by us, as well as the District Chief at the Convention, and by the Chapter in the Beta Magazine, the conditions at the House continue to be in excellent shape. The sprinkler projects are completed and we are continuing to work with the Chapter toward further upgrading of the Houses. In the energy area we have had extensive audits performed by consultants hired by MIT. The boys are contributing a substantial amount of work to these projects and the dollar pay-back for the ones the alumni are starting is very rapid.

Several of us attended an all day Alumni Inter-Fraternity Council Meeting at MIT in early April which was a joint program with the undergraduates. It was a very productive meeting and demonstrated the ongoing desire of the Institute to help the fraternities. MIT has prepared a model set of by-laws for fraternities which provides for one corporation with two sets of officers, one for the Alumni Association and one for the Chapter. The objective is to streamline the tax and legal interfaces as well as to limit liabilities. We are studying the model and may recommend a special meeting in the fall for adoption. We would welcome the help of any attorneys in our organization in addition to Yardley Chittick '22 who has offered to help.

The Annual Meeting will be held at Kresge at 5:00 P.M. on Alumni Day, Friday, June 5, 1981. We hope you can join us.

In any case, please forward your dues and personal news in the enclosed envelope, and try to add a capital donation to help with the sprinkler mortgages.

Yours in -kai-Bob Danner '47

#### House Manager's Report

This past year the Beta House encountered many problems: however, with the help of the alumni and the efforts of the Brothers' "work force" we've been able to deal with the difficulties.

Over the summer a sprinkler system, purchased by the alumni, was installed in the Annex to meet the required safety codes. The glory of this new addition to the House, as well as the acquisition of a much needed new carpet for the living room (partially funded by the alumni) was marred by the discovery of the breakdown of our old industrial refrigerator when we returned from summer vacation. As the machine was determined to be beyond repair, we made do with three rented home 'fridges' for the first term and bought, again with help from alumni funds, a new industrial model at the beginning of the second term. During our January work week, we installed smoke alarms and fire extinguishers and repaired the emergency lights. Funds for these projects as well as for a new meat slicer to replace the broken one also came from the alumni.

We've painted much of the interior of both Houses, refinished most of the floors in the main House, modernized several of the most needy bathrooms, and attended to many of the plumbing problems that have plagued the House for years. We hope to be able to continue with the trend toward improvement of the House, and we are extremely grateful to the alumni without whom most of our projects could not have been possible.

Yours in -kai James Danna '83 House Manager

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The BACK BAY BETA is published regularly by the Beta Upsilon Chapter of Beta Theta Pi at MIT for its members and friends. Address changes, photographs and news items are always welcome and should be sent to Beta Theta Pi Alumni Records Office, PO Box 900, Cambridge "A", MA 02139. Photographs will be returned to the sender, unharmed, upon request, after use in the newsletter.

#### **Coast Bound**

Our Chapter went on its first Cape Cod outing this year with nearly everyone in the House able to make the two-hour bus trip. All who made the trek had a great time and we're hoping to start a get-away tradition. Special thanks go to Bill Chesterton '82 for his organizational talents. Bill's fine job as Scholarship Chairman is reflected by our House's cumulative average of 4.4/5.0, well above the MIT average.

#### **Alumni Party**

Our Chapter's annual alumni party was held this year on Saturday, April 25. The Brothers cleaned the House all day in an effort to have the place especially fine for the gathering. At 4:00 P.M., the first of over one hundred guests arrived to mark the beginning of one of the most successful alumni parties in years. About forty alumni showed up, including most of last year's senior class, as well as C.S. Knight '21 and Yardley Chittick '22. Many faces, new and old, were seen during the cocktail hour. And although unable to attend in person, Bob Collier '18 was remembered for his gift of 8 pounds of almonds for the party. There was a loving cup ceremony following a buffet dinner. Actives heard stories from alumni and vice versa; the general conclusion was that the House hasn't changed too much over the years. Festivities continued until the last guests departed late that night.

Thanks to all of the alumni who arrived to make the party so worthwhile. To those of you who couldn't make it this year, we hope to hear from you soon and look forward to seeing you at next year's party.

> Yours in -kai-Craig Richards '83 Alumni Secretary

#### Marathon Men

Four Brothers ran in the Boston Marathon on Patriot's Day. Although somewhat exhausted, all finished the race. Special congratulations are in order to Seth Davis '83, David Eisen '83, Dan Kramer '83, and Pete Van Voast '83 for their strong perseverance in this grueling event.

#### Tribute To Clive W. Lacy, 1915

We are saddened to report the recent death of Clive W. Lacy, Class of 1915 and one of the founders of the Beta Upsilon Chapter at MIT.

Brother Lacy's contributions to the Chapter over a period of more than 65 years are legendary and include service as Chapter Treasurer, as well as President and a Director of Beta Upsilon Association for many years. In 1925, he managed the purchase and renovation (complete with barn) of the Chapter House at 241 Kent Street, Brookline, as well as the subsequent purchase and move in 1946 from Brookline to Bay State Road.

Brother Lacy was born in Dubuque, Iowa and after graduation spent most of his career with William Filene's Sons Co. in Boston. He served as a Lieutenant in the 90th Aero Squadron in France during World War I and was a Colonel in the Chemical Warfare Service in World War II for which he received the Legion of Merit. He was proud and pleased that his three sons, John W. Lacy '42, William R. Lacy '43, Thomas B. Lacy '48, and John's son Roger W. Lacy '79 all became members of Beta Upsilon. John has been Treasurer of Beta Upsilon Association for more years than almost anybody can remember and is responsible in large measure for the excellent financial condition of the Chapter and Alumni Association.

The annual Rush Picnic held each fall at Brother Clive Lacy's Newton estate has been a memorable Beta Upsilon tradition since 1940 with cookouts, games, camaraderie, and pledge bidding to be remembered by many MIT Betas.

Brother Lacy was always exhilarated and pleased with the enjoyment and friendships derived from his association with Beta Upsilon and Beta Theta Pi.

#### **Another Founder**

The tribute elsewhere in this letter to one of the Chapter founders, Clive W. Lacy '15 brings to mind that one of Mr. Lacy's classmates and a fellow founder of the Chapter was William R. McEwen '15 who died in 1957. Mr. McEwen was the father of Bill McEwen, Jr. '48 who has been the Secretary of Beta Upsilon for many years.

#### The Year in Review

The 1980-81 school year has been an active one for the Beta Upsilon Chapter. We started the fall term with a successful Rush maintaining both the quality and quantity of our Chapter membership. In December, our pledges organized and ran our second annual Dance Marathon. This event, dancing from noon until midnight, raised over three thousand dollars for the American Heart Association. Special recognition should go to Andy Levy '84 and Chris Kurker '84 for their parts in the activity's organization. The end of the fall term was heralded by our annual Christmas Party. A 30-foot Christmas tree, two thousand cookies, gallons of egg nog, and lots of Christmas music served to make this a joyous occasion. The night was capped by the pledge skit during which the pledges finally had the chance to make fun of their favorite upperclassmen.

We started off the spring term with the initiation of our 11 pledges into the Chapter; we are very pleased to have them join our ranks. In the spirit of interfraternal relations, we recently threw our first campus wide party, inviting all other fraternities to join us. This party may become an annual affair and certainly helped to put

us on very good terms with other Houses.

#### **Alumni Appreciation**

On a final note, I wish to extend my sincere appreciation to our alumni for their support throughout the year. I hope you had the chance to make it to an alumni party, but if not I'll be looking forward to seeing you at the convention in Arizona.

Yours in -kai-David Krall '82

# Alumni News

Since 1962, when he sold Collier Carbon and Chemical to Union Oil of California, ROBERT T. COLLIER '18 began another career after he "bought some bottom wilderness land up here and started farming—raise damn near everything—almonds, walnuts, alfalfa, oats, sugar beets, corn, wheat, cattle, peas, beans, etc." Bob can be reached at P.O. Box 158, Escalon, CA 95320.

FREEMAN H. DYKE '20 is living at 83 Fairview West, Tequesta, FL 33458.

Another Florida resident, MILES M. ZOLLER '21 (100 Intracoastal Place, Apt. 201, Tequesta, FL 33458) and his wife Helen are planning to attend the 60th in June and are looking forward to seeing old haunts and some new chapter members. Miles believes that he and CHESTERTON S. "Chick" KNIGHT '21 (180 Main St., Apt. 6104, Bridgewater, MA 02324) are the sole remaining Betas of the class of '21.

PHILIP H. HATCH '21 still follows the doings of the Beta Upsilon Chapter with great interest. After retirement in 1964, Phil and his wife spent a year in Rio while he took a consulting job, and since then they've traveled together all over the world. Phil's address is 70 Gibson St., North East, PA 16428.

Patent lawyer YARDLEY CHITTICK '22 lives approximately 100 miles north of Cambridge on RFD 1 in Ossipee, NH 03864. "Yard" would like very much to attend another general convention and still keeps in touch with other 22'ers, among them, THEODORE ELLIOTT '22 (384 Summer St., Manchester, MA 01944) and ABBOTT L. JOHNSON '22 (2201 N. Central Ave., Apt. 6-C, Phoenix, AZ 85004, tel: 602-258-5566.) Now retired, "Ab" writes that by mid-June he'll be at Crystal Lake, Michigan "where that fabulous Crystal Downs Golf Course is located." From June until mid-September contact Ab at 1423 N. Crystal Dr., Frankfort, MI 49635, tel: 616-352-7084; he enjoys calls and visits from his Beta Brothers.

"On May 13th I'll be 83 years of age. I'm trying desperately to find a way to get into Heaven. I'd so enjoy being there with Zoller, Chittick, A.B. Johnson, the McFarlands (DAVID M. McFARLAND '18, 102 W. Rosedale Ave., West Chester, PA 19380 and JULIAN B. McFARLAND '22, 451 Zimpher Dr., Sebastopol, CA 95472), and Brother Knight. Two of the foregoing will be disappointed with the place for I hear on good authority there will be very few women up there!" reports NORMAN JOY GREENE '22. Write to Norm at P.O. Box 379, Newtown Square, PA 19073.

GEORGE F. NESBITT '23 has retired from banking and insurance and writes that he and his wife Martha "are enjoying good health and leading a delightful, unhurried life." Last summer George and Martha visited Salsburg and Bregenz during the Austrian Music Festival, and this summer they plan to attend the John Hopkins Summer College in St. Mary's City, Maryland. George's home address is Sandy Spring, MD 20860.

After 50 years in the advertising business, ARTHUR J. KEMP '24 has retired with wife Doreen to 763-B Calle Aragon, Laguna Hills, CA 92653 where he plays golf in the low 80's, goes to films, concerts and plays, and attends classes at Saddleback College in scriptwriting and color photo printing. When visiting Connectituct, Art always seees DAVID EVANS '24 (674 Weed St., New Canaan, CT 06840) and B. ALDEN CUSHMAN '24 (25 Stephen Mather Rd., Darien, CT 06820.)

Retired for over a decade, **ROBERT L. MORTON**, **JR.** '24 moved in May, 1978 to 4466 West Pine Blvd., Apt 13F, St. Louis, MO 63108.

A director and member of the executive committee at American Pad & Paper Co., **DONALD R. TABER** '25 has been traveling through the U.S., Canada and Europe in recent years. Although Don and his wife Ida spend summers in Holyoke, MA, his permanent residence is at 400-B N.E. 20th St., Boca Raton, FL 33431.

Since retirement from the presidency of Satec Systems, Inc., grandfather CROCKETT ALLEN HARRISON '26 and his wife of 50 years have journeyed to all continents except Antartica as well as to all 50 states. When not contending with fellow traveler and Brother JOHN B. JACOB '26 (3216 Gleneagles Dr., Silver Spring, MD 20906), "Dave" lives on his fifty acre farm. Write to him at R.D. 2, Box 2029, Grove City, PA 16127.

After a full business life in aviation from experimental test pilot to sales and engineering at Grumman Aerospace, FRANKLIN T. KURT '27 tells us that he misses flying terribly, but he is most enthusiastic about his home on the shore of Bucks Harbor, Maine. Three moorings in the Penobscot Bay cove near Hank's family island are available to all his cruising friends, especially all Betas, and Hank's address is South Brooksville, ME 04617.

"Always glad to hear about Beta Upsilon acitivities," writes **KENNETH G. BUCKLIN** '30, a retired Florida resident of 65 Oakmont Cr., Ormond Beach, FL 32074.

"I'm still glad I'm a Beta, at 71 years of age," declares JOHN F. CROWTHER '32 (239 Mile Creed Rd., Old Lyme, CT 06371), currently growing wine grapes, making wine, consulting on wine with a local gourmet restaurant, and teaching wine appreciation in an adult education program. John hears regularly from JOHN D. NORTHUP '32 (2460 Underhill Rd., Toledo, OH 43615) and spoke recently to RALPH HAYDEN, JR. '33 (20 Maritime Dr., Wareham, MA 02571)

WILLIAM S. KRAYBILL '34 and his wife Hannah moved to the sun belt in 1977 after "Doc's" retirement from the Chase Manhattan Bank; now the Kraybills spend much time traveling throughout the U.S. and Mexico in their 23-foot mobile home. Home base for Doc is 7205 Marilyn Ave., Albuquerque, NM 87109.

# More News from Alumni

"God willing, I'll get to Boston this spring and see 119 Bay State Road," writes KELSEY Y. SAINT '34 a "semi-retired" architect living at 116 St. Dunstans Rd., Baltimore, MD 21212. Kelsey states also that the only member of the Chapter he's seen in over 40 years is RICHARD H. SANDERS '34 of 3554 Ocean Dr., #601 N., Vero Beach, FL 32960.

ZAY B. CURTIS, JR. '35 has retired and lives at 585 Lake Rd., Ponte Vedra Beach, FL 32082.

Retired from IBM's research and development organization after 27 years with the company, IRA H. LOHMAN, JR. '38 resides at 20201 Kilbridge Drive, Saratoga, CA 95070 where he's started a second career as a pictorial photographer specializing in western scenery.

Write to ALBERT H. CHESTNUT '39 at 50 Clarendon Pl., Buffalo, NY 14209.

Although officially retired four years ago, THEODORE J. GUNDLACH, JR. '40 has used his expertise as a consulting engineer on a part time basis to establish computer systems for business firms. During the spring you can reach Ted at P.O. Box 456, Pineola, NC 28662, and during the summer months he'll be at 22490 Chester Court, Farmington Hills, MI 49024. Ted also hears from Marg & L. WALTER HELMREICH, JR. '40, 4 Fair Oaks, Ann Arbor, MI 48104.

Refinishing furniture, daily bicycling, and occasional forays into San Francisco are some of the activities JOSEPH K. KNIGHT '40 (2930 Concord Blvd., Concord, CA 94519) has pursued since retirement 3 years ago as a chemical engineer for the DuPont Co. Joe still keeps in touch with HAROLD D. HAWES '40 (32105 Beachview Lane, Westlake Village, CA 91361), MARSHALL A. PEASE '40 (10 Round Hill Rd., Kensington, CT 06037), and M. LOREN WOOD '40. From "Woody", an analyst for IBM in New York comes the news that he's on the Board of Directors of the first MIT alumni club in his area, the MIT Club of Rochester. For more information about the club's activities contact Woody at 180 Scarborough Rd., Briarcliff, NY 10510.

**DONN W. BARBER** '42 (229 N. Garfield St., Kennett Square, PA 19348) is a business analysis manager with DuPont. He keeps in touch with **JOHN LACY** '42 (14 Lasalle Rd., Needham Heights, MA 02194), **DANIEL HULETT** '42 (156 Slice Dr., Stamford, CT 06907) and **JOHN TAYLOR** '42 (38 Wren St., New Orleans, LA 70124.

A technical director for the Dynamics Research Corporation in Wilmington, SIDNEY ALDEN WINGATE '43 is a tennis enthusiast, a staunch member of the New England Old English Sheepdog Club, and a keen amateur genealogist having recently devoted time to researching the Wingate family. Write to Sid at 26 Revolutionary Rd., Concord, MA 01742.

JOHN B. BREYMANN, III '44 was recently made a vice president of the First National Bank of Boston. Jack's home is at 66 Devir St., #306, Malden, MA 02148

Nance and **ROBERT D. PECK** '44 (980 Central Ave., Needham, Ma 02192) "are both healthy and enjoying life." Bob is working in the field of contamination control at Controlled Environment Equipment corporation in Medfield.

Grandfather WALTER E. BORDEN, III '45, a senior staff analyst with Exxon, looks forward to retirement in a few years to the home he built on St. Simons Island, Georgia. You can reach Walt at 122 W. Johnson St., Summerville, SC 29483.

The latest news from **THOMAS S. MARKEY** '45 (861 Grove St., Glencoe, IL 60022): he's going broke with 3 kids in college and still traveling too much to glamor spots like Pittsburg, Yakima, Idaho Falls, and Springfield. "TS", a vice-president of Sales and Marketing at the Edlong Corporation, writes that he's "glad Reagan's in and we can get rid of some of those d--- regulations that are making lawyers rich and us poor."

THOMAS M. McEVOY, JR. '47 has been running a bridge and highway building firm, the D.F. MacNamee Co., Inc. for 27 years, but he's not yet ready for retirement. Thomas, who lives at 80 Oxford Rd., New Rochelle, NY 10804, reports that Ginny & LEDGE HALE '48 are "doing well" at 26 Valley View, Irvine, CA 92715.

WILLIAM R. McEWEN, JR. '48 moved to Naples, after retiring in 1977 as an investment officer with the Commercial Union Assurance Companies in Boston. Bill lives at 222 Harbour Dr., Apt. 203, Naples, FL 33940, but he returns each year to his summer home in Chatham, MA.

"My wife Edith and I send greetings to all Brothers" says RUSSELL L. LAW, JR. '48, a district agent with Northwestern Mutual Life in Lynchburg, Va. Russ doesn't mind the 20-mile commute through the Blue Ridge Mountain landscape from his home in Amherst, Va., a house built in 1763 that he's renovating "over the next 40 years or so." Contact Russ at Box 116A, Rt. 5, Amherst, VA 24521.

From GREG GENTLEMAN '51, (2814 Forest Dr., Des Moines, IA 50309) comes the news that FREDERICK WEITZ '51 (4800 SW 74th St., Des Moines, IA 50321), head of his own construction firm, the Weitz Company, just completed a distinguished term as president of the Des Moines Chamber of Commerce. Meanwhile, Greg's established his tenth small business, Pella Products Company, with headquarters in Kansas City and branches in Lenexa, Kansas and St. Joseph, Mo., and Greg's wife Julie is an Iowa State Senator.

President of Cordell Engineering, Inc., RICHARD C. REEDY '51 is on the fringes of planning the 30th reunion with GREG GENTLEMAN '51 (For his address, see above). When he wrote to us in March, Richard had just returned from a holiday at Lake Tahoe where he "finally learned some of the rudiments of downhill skiing." Richard's home is on Folly Point in Gloucester, MA 01930.

JOSEPH N. SHERRILL, JR. '51 (2003 Avondale, Wichita Falls, TX 76308), a practicing attorney with Sherrill & Pace, writes that he deals primarily with corporate, tax, gas, and oil law. Joe and his wife Nancy are planning to attend the 30th reunion and look forward to seeing classmates and friends.

CHARLES G. BEAUDETTE '52 is a homemaker who's currently busy raising his 3-year-old son Carl. Write to Charles at R 2, Box 490, Cumberland Ctr, ME 04021.

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Chief scientist of NASA's Geodynamics Program and Secretary General of the International Ionosphere Program, EDWARD A. FLINN '53 and his wife Jane reside at 3605 Tupelo Place, Alexandria, VA 22304.

J. WARREN DAVIS '54, of 7015 Telden Lane, Rockville, MD 20852, is an engineer for the U.S. Government in Washington, D.C.

ALFRED E. WECHSLER '55 (12 Madison Ave., Winchester, MA 01890) was made a senior vice president of A.D. Little, Inc. in January. Al wrote to us in February to tell us that he's met with Brothers JACK ZIMMER '55 (640 Beaverbrook Dr., Akron, OH 44313) and GEORGE F. HARPER '55 of 51 High Rock Road, Wayland, MA 01778. George is executive vice president of Kaye Instruments, Inc. in Bedford, MA.

A sales engineer with the Ohio Brass Co., R. GORDON BLACK '56 can be reached at Box 425, Bowers Rd., Rt. 6, Mansfield, OH 44903.

ROBERT C. BRIGHAM '56 is a professor in the department of mathematics and statistics of the University of Central Florida, and resides at 700 Euclid Ave., Orlando, FL 32801. Classmate ROBERT S. CARLSON '56 (P.O. Box 7659, Wake Forest University, Winston-Salem, NC 27109) is a professor at Wake Forest University who specializes in international finance and banking at the Babcock Graduate School of Management. Each summer Bob directs a program for MBA students in Europe.

A neurophysiologist with the National Institute of Health, WILLIAM B. MARKS '56 has been involved in a team project to study the muscles and controlling nerve fibers of walking cats. Bill writes that he's "still very much into philosophical matters" and is a follower of Meher Baba. Living at 6326 16th St. NW, Washington, DC 20011, (202) 882-2409, Bill would very much enjoy hearing from old friends.

"After spending most of our lives in Hinsdale, Illinois, our family picked up and moved to the McLaughlin family home (built in 1876) in Canal Fulton, Ohio, a small canal town in the Akron-Canton area. We'd be glad to show the 'sights' to any Betas who wish to stop on the way through" offers S.R. McLAUGHLIN '58 (663 River Rd., Canal Fulton, OH 44614), the president of Communication Exhibits, Inc. Dick hosted a dinner last year at which he and guests FRITZ HERMINGHAUS '57 (Adelgundenstr 2, 8 Munich 22, Germany) LARRY HOOVER'57 (2251 Washington Blvd. NW, Canton, OH 44709), and HENRY C. YOUNG, JR. '57 (783 Hampton Ridge Dr., Akron, OH 44313) made up half of the fall '53 pledge class. Dick also enjoyed last year's skiing trip with Gretchen and KARL DUFF '57 (6101 Florence Lane, Alexandria, VA 22310) and his visit with STEPHEN J. YERETSKY '59 (119 Cambridge Rd., Wimbledon, SW 20, England)

WILLIAM H. AUSTIN, JR. '58 is at Wright-Patterson Air Force Base as Director of Engineering for tactical systems. He enjoyed visiting the House this fall and tells us that he keeps up with his Brothers through Christmas cards. "Rebel", his wife Barbie and their five children live at 25 Park Rd., Dayton, OH 45419.

RICHARD H. OELER '60 has taken over as general manager of the commercial development department of Air Products and Chemicals, Inc. Dick's address is 3841 Trexler Blvd., Allentown, PA 18104. Congratulations to Christie and RICHARD C. WILLIAMSON '61 (21 Pendleton Rd., Sudbury, MA 01776) on the birth of their first son, Ryan Christopher, born in February. Richard, a physicist and leader of the applied physics group at MIT Lincoln Laboratory, has managed to keep in touch with a number of Brothers from the classes of '61 and '62.

Physician/cardiologist **B. GREG BROWN** '62 (460 Entrada Dr., Santa Monica, CA 90402) plans to return to Seattle in July after 6 years in Los Angeles to work with the cardiology group at the University of Washington. Greg spent a recent evening with Margie and **GERALD BURNETT** '64 (6001 Harbord Dr., Oakland, CA 94611), Barbara and **MIKE MONSLER** '64 (2061 Manzanita Dr., Oakland, CA 94611), and Mary and **MIKE LARDNER** '66 (316 Jersey St., San Francisco, CA 94114). "All have retained their youth and vigor—I was envious!" declared Greg.

"Still single", executive vice president of Koch Industries, **DAVID H. KOCH** '62 ran for Vice President of the U.S. with Ed Clark on the Libertarian Party ticket receiving 921,000 votes during last year's elections. David lives at 200 Central Park South, New York, NY 10019.

**ROBERT A GRANT's** '64 5-year-old real estate development company has just added an architect partner for specialization in small condominium projects. Bob's also treasurer of a Monterey County vineyard of 1,140 acres. Write to Bob and his wife Sally at 1911 Waverley St., Palo Alto, CA 94301.

An engineer with Boeing Aircraft, WILLIAM G. ROESELER '65 (3201 Evergreen Point Rd., Bellevue, WA 98004) works with graphite and kevlar design, analysis, and test on 767 aircraft. Bill has remarried after three single years, "now plays boats with 6 kids", and reports that JAY ROGERS '65 (Help! Need address!) is running the computer at Triumph Cyclotron in Vancouver, B.C.

A mechanical engineer at Stone & Webster Engineering in Boston, **JOHN J. ELDER** '66 is a member of the Dedham and Newton Choral Societies and has obtained his private pilot's license while continuing to work toward his instrument rating and commercial license. Jack's address is 86 Addington Rd., Brookline, MA 02146.

Although the pacific northwest is "home" for RICHARD E. NYGREN '66, a materials engineer for Westinghouse, his work on materials for fusion led to an offsite assignment at Oak Ridge National Lab as materials consultant on the "FED", a project which may result in the first engineering verification of fusion technology. Richard sent along his best wishes to his Beta Brothers when he wrote in February and can be reached at 925 Cherokee Blvd., Knoxville, TN 37919.

After more than six years in South Africa where he established biomedical engineering department at the Groote Schuur Hospital and at the University of Cape Town, TERRY J. VAN DER WERFF '66 (706 20th Ave. East, Seattle, WA 98112), his wife Renee and their 5 children have returned to the U.S. Werff's now the dean of science and engineering at Seattle University.

We are excited about and thankful for the excellent return of alumni news items. This information is vital to the lasting success of the newsletter and so we ask that you keep us informed of where you are and what you're doing.

### **ALUMNI NEWS CONTINUES .....**

When he wrote to us in March, STEPHEN H. SCHROEDER '67 (5317 Yorktown Blvd., Arlington, VA 22207) had just begun a new job as counsel for Environmental Research and Technology, was about to sell his house and move back to the Boston area, and was awaiting with his wife Mary the birth of their first child. Although they've enjoyed Washington, Stephen and Mary are looking forward to returning to New England: "the new administration is a bit depressing for those who work for environmental protection, as we both do." Stephen also advised us that the "slim Chinaman" running the Boston Marathon this year was TOM CHEN '68 (c/o The Mitre Corporation, Box 208, Bedford, MA 01730).

**BRUCE WRIGHT** '68 is expecting publication in late 1982 of his book, BioTennis-for the Game of Your Life. Bruce lives at 96 Longhill St., Springfield, MA 01108.

A manufacturer's representative and president of Audex Marketing, JEFFREY COVE '71, his wife Penny and their two children live at 8994 Mayflower Dr., Plymouth, MI 48170.

After 6 years in the midwest, WILLIAM H. S. PREECE, JR. '71 has returned to New England to become the trust investments manager for the Xerox Corporation. Bill's address is 69 Riverside Ave., Stamford, CT 06905.

Although he'll continue to work in the emergency room at the Good Samaritan Hospital in Corvallis, PAUL HOCHFELD, '72 (437 NW 10th, Corvallis, OR 97330) intends to move to Eddyville, a village in the Oregon Coast Range, 25 miles from the nearest town. Paul wishes to open an informal medical office in the back of his home which he plans to keep small and affordable for the members of the local community. Paul tell us that STEVEN JOVANOVICH '73 is finishing a PhD in microbiology at the Davis campus of the University of California, and that ARTHUR KILMURRAY, JR. '74 is studying to be a yoga instructor in San Francisco. (Help! We need addresses for both Brothers.)

"I feel like any other twenty-sixth grader" reports **DANIEL J. NADLER** '72, currently in his fifth and final year of ophthalmology residency at Tufts before next year's intra-ocular lens surgical fellowship in Miami. "Nads" shares a residence at 244 Mass. Ave. in Arlington, MA 02174 with Brother **KEN STONE** '72, who's established a growing clientele for his Arlington-based custom woodworking business.

This summer, family physician N. CARTER NOBLE '72 (227 W. Catherine St., Darlington, WI 53530) will have completed 2 years in a rural Wisconsin community as a member of the National Health Service Corps. Carter, his wife Carol and daughter Rachel Beth will be moving to Appleton, Wisconsin later this year so that he may join a practice with a good friend.

An attorney for Dow Chemical company in Michigan, ED RICH 72 and his wife Ann live at 1445 Oakwood Terrace, Midland, MI 48640.

The research for **TIM O'BRIEN's** 73 PhD involves the actions of drugs on cardiac function. Tim hopes to finish at UC Santa Barbara by next year and can be reached in the meantime at 219 Oceano Ave., #3, Santa Barbara, CA 93109.

ROBERT MAUNUS '74 (57 Sylvan St., #3E, Danvers, MA 01923), is a biochemist with Biolabs in Beverly, MA. Robert's enthusiastic about his upcoming wedding in August and about his collection of antique pocket watches, and he offers to share his restoration expertise with any interested Brother. Robert is co-owner of a home at 1153 Hyde Park Ave., Boston, MA 02136 with classmate STANLEY J. SHURSKY '74 and keeps in touch with PAUL SHAPIRO '74 (71 N. Moger Ave., Mt. Kisco, NY 10549), KENNETH LAUNIE '77 (211 Central St., Stoneham, MA 02180) and CHARLES CALHOUN '74 (RD 1, Falls Creek, PA 15840).

A graduate student in the department of earth and space sciences at SUNY, Stony Brook, KENNETH SCHWARTZ '76 will complete his PhD studies in geochemistry in December, after which he and his wife Margaret hope to return to New England or go to California. Kenneth shared news of ERIC L. RAEFSKY '76 (304 Bloomfield Ave., Warminster, PA 18974), a resident of Barne's Institute of Washington University Medical School, and MARK S. SWENSON '78 (1175 Felspar St., San Diego, CA 92109), a PhD student in geophysical fluid dynamics at Scripps Institute of Oceanography in LaJolla, CA.

STEPHEN L. BEELER '77 (5158 Broadway, Indianapolis, IN 46205) is most excited about the upcoming racing season. He won two races last year with a home-built engine and collected enough points to win the Cendiv Regional Championship Road Racing Series. This year Steve broke open his "piggy bank" to buy a real motor with "all the tricks" and is ready to hit the road. Steve also reports, "I have a job as a project engineer at ITT Hoffman and when it's convenient I go in to read my mail and design a new widget or two. I also occasionally attend night MBA courses at IU, Indianapolis. I drink too much beer, my love life is non-existent, and I'm almost out of money."

"I was in a helicopter crash in March and lived to tell about it. Had a few minor cuts and floated around in the ocean for a few hours until rescued by the Coast Guard" writes PAUL HAINES '78 (13836 Hollowgreen Dr., Houston, TX 77082), a field engineer for Schlumberger Offshore Services. Paul got married last August and he and his wife will be attending the reunion in Boston, probably choosing an alternative method of transportation to Paul's Suzuki GS-75OL, which he purchased last year and loves.

MIT graduate student **BRUCE H. COTTMAN** '79 is living at 60-3 Presidential Dr., Quincy, MA 02169.

ROGER LACY '79 (151 Bishop Ave., Apt. E-7, Secane, PA 19018) has finally let the "Buckmobile", his 1962 Rambler Sedan, take a second place to his new Mazda RX-7 sports car. Roger's an aerodynamics engineer for Boeing Vertol.

MICHAEL JOHNSON '80 (P.O. Box 6782, Torrance, CA 90504) is delighted with southern California and "life in the real world". Mike's a mechanical development engineer for the Garrett Corporation, and he's planned a week-long bicycle trip from San Francisco to Los Angeles starting Sept. 20. Anyone interested in riding should contact Mike at the address above. Brothers who've joined Mike recently on the West Coast include ROBERT J. MELVIN '80 (123½ Prospect St., Redondo Beach, CA 90277), MARK A. KILCHENMANN '78 (22025 S.E. 288th St., Kent, WA 98031), and SCOTT E. BRENNAN '80 (2707B McAllister, San Francisco, CA 94121).



We are sorry to report the deaths of Charles E. Brokaw '22 9/10/80 William H. Muller '34 4/11/80 Walter D. Nolte '46 9/30/80