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PETITION

We, the undersigned members of Beta Alpha Nu, hereby petition for a charter to establish a chapter of the International Fraternity of Delta Sigma Pi on the campus of Francis T. Nicholls State College, Thibodaux, Louisiana.

Having been organized for the sole purpose of petitioning the International Fraternity of Delta Sigma Pi, we are fully aware of the purposes, the goals, the requirements, and the high ideals of the Fraternity.

In seeking this affiliation, we pledge ourselves to uphold the constitution and by-laws of the International Fraternity of Delta Sigma Pi, to adhere to the traditions of the organization, and to sincerely observe the rules and regulations prescribed by the Fraternity.

Witness our signatures:

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HISTORY OF LOUISIANA

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Early explorers of Louisiana were LaSalle, Iberville, and Bienville. LaSalle was a Frenchman, while Iberville and Bienville were Canadians. In 1762, Louisiana was ceded to Spain, an ally of France. By secret treaty, Louisiana Territory was returned to France in 1800. At this time most of the Louisianians were living along the Red and Mississippi Rivers. The chief settlement was New Orleans with a population of approximately 10,000.

The American purchase of Louisiana from France on April 30, 1803, was a result of the growing tension over trading rights in New Orleans. This "Louisiana Purchase" was made by James Monroe under the administration of President Thomas Jefferson for 15 million dollars from Napoleon. This doubled the area of the United States at that time, and it gave the United States control of all major transportation on the Mississippi River.

On April 30, 1812, Louisiana became the 18th state to be admitted to the Union. The capitol was first located at New Orleans, but was moved to its present location, Baton Rouge, in 1849. The present capitol building was completed in 1932.

In 1815, the famous battle of New Orleans was fought. The forces of Andrew Jackson defeated the British forces near the City of New Orleans.

Louisiana seceded from the Union and joined the Confederacy in 1861. In the ensuing Civil War, Louisiana's command of the mouth of the Mississippi was lost in 1862 when Admiral David Farragut of the Union forces captured New Orleans and Baton Rouge for the Federals. Louisiana was readmitted to the Union in 1868, but home rule was not restored until 1877.

Louisiana has become a prosperous state since these early days of confusion. Much of the progress of the 1900's is due to the development of its rich mineral resources and manufacturing industries. The agricultural industry of Louisiana can produce nearly any kind of crop with the fertile soil and adequate precipitation that prevails. There are also rich sources of petroleum, natural gas, sulfur, and salt. The Mississippi and Red Rivers provide the bulk of commercial water transportation for the state.

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Thibodaux (Tib-o-dough), a city located on Bayou Lafourche, is alert to the future and aware of her past. During the history-filled centuries her present role has been shaped by the course of her unique traditions and culture. The City of Thibodaux is located approximately thirty miles from the Mississippi River. While situated in the heart of the sugar cane belt, Thibodaux is located on one of the largest salt domes in Louisiana and is surrounded by gas and oil wells. The village was first incorporated in 1830, three years after the death of its founder, Henry S. Thibodaux, on October 24, 1827. The town of Thibodaux was incorporated during the governorship of Edward D. White, Sr., who signed the legislation on March 10, 1838. Also, in 1838, Thibodaux was named the Lafourche Parish (County) seat.

The original inhabitants, Bayogula, Chitimacha, Washa, and Houmas Indian tribes, were members of the Colapissa nation. They are known to have been here as early as 1686, and are said to have made alliances in 1699 with Iberville, who called them "Bayou People."

The early French and Spanish colonists planted their

settlements and farmsteads in the French manner of measure by arpents. These were narrow in width (100 to 300 feet) but stretched back from their bayou frontage as far as five or six miles. They thus established an unbroken chain of neighboring homes along the entire length of Bayou Lafourche which became known as the "longest main street in the world."

The Bayou became their chief means of commerce, transportation, and communication, as well as their source of fresh water, and Thibodaux progressed as a thriving trading center.

Records indicate that Americans from the colonies migrated to Bayou Lafourche near Thibodaux years before Napoleon sold Louisiana to the United States in 1803.

Among these was Edward Douglas White (father of E. D. White, Jr., Chief Justice of the U. S. Supreme Court from 1910 to 1921), judge, Governor of Louisiana (1835-1839), and U. S. Senator; his home, built in 1790, is three miles west of Thibodaux. The White house is the birthplace of E. D. White, Jr., the only man from Louisiana to become Chief Justice of the U. S. Supreme Court.

Henry Schuyler Thibodaux (1769-1827) came to Louisiana from Albany, New York, in 1794 during the term of Spanish Governor, Baron de Carondelet (1791-1797). He first settled in Acadia Parish (St. James) but received a grant

of land from Carondelet and moved to Thibodaux in 1801 to settle it. He took an active part in developing the area and when the Orleans Territory was established in 1805, he became a member of the Territorial Legislature as a representative of Lafourche Interior Parish. He later served as a delegate to the Louisiana Constitutional Convention in 1812 (the year that Louisiana was made the 18th state), and as governor in 1824 to fill the unexpired term of Thomas B. Robertson.

During the early years of the settlement, Thibodaux became the only off-river trading post or "depot" south and west between New Orleans and the western Teche country. Its importance as a financial center was further increased when a discount and deposit office of the Union Bank of Louisiana was opened here in 1832. It was a major shipping point for sugar, molasses, moss and cotton prior to the War Between the States, and during the War was occupied by Federal troops, and placed under military control.

Mail packets had delivered mail along the Bayou as early as 1811, picking it up at the head of the Bayou where riverboats from Natchez and New Orleans made the transfer. When RFD was established in the U. S. in 1896, Thibodaux became the second such service in America one month after the first was instituted.

Thibodaux is the home of Nicholls State College which serves an 8-parish area of commuters and is a home for campus residents. The College sponsors a steady stream of cultural, educational, and athletic events. It is named after Louisiana's own first Reconstruction governor, Francis T. Nicholls, who is buried in the cemetery of St. John's Episcopal Church, founded over a century ago by Leonidas T. Polk, known as Louisiana's "Fighting Bishop" of the Confederacy.

Today in Thibodaux, yesterday is blending with tomorrow and King Sugar shares his empire with a rapidly expanding oil and gas industry, modern marketing and financial institutions, and the fastest-growing state college in Louisiana. Mardi Gras Balls and street parades are annual feature presentations of the Krewes of Chronos and Christopher which attract visitors from miles around. The Volunteer Firemen stage an annual Springtime fun and frolic fair and parade that have become a household byword in this region.

Thibodaux spells people--real people--warm, friendly, hello people. Thibodaux is one of the oldest and most richly endowed cities in Louisiana. The convivial charm of New France, the culture of Old Spain, the romance of Acadia, are all fused with the traditional hospitality of

the Deep South to produce an atmosphere of easy, graceful living away from the pollution and hurly-burly of over-crowded city life.

HISTORY OF NICHOLLS

NICHOLLS STATE COLLEGE Historical Sketch

On September 21, 1948, Francis T. Nicholls Junior College of Louisiana State University began its first semester as an institution of higher learning in one of the oldest settled portions of the Mississippi River Valley.

Francis T. Nicholls Junior College existed for only eight years. Because of increasing enrollment and the urgent need for a degree-granting institution in the south central portion of the state of Louisiana, in September of 1956, it became known as Francis T. Nicholls State College, a degree-granting institution of higher learning.

The campus which consists of a 175 acre tract of land fronts Bayou Lafourche and forms the eastern limit of the city of Thibodaux.

The physical plant of the campus was at first composed of one building which is now called Elkins Hall. The building is named after the first president of Nicholls State College. Shortly after it became a degree-granting institution, White Hall (a general

classroom building), Shaver Gymnasium, and the president's home were built in addition to the original administration building. A few years later, in 1961, a new science and general classroom building called Beauregard Hall was opened.

The years of 1964 and 1965 were two years of Nicholl's fastest and most extensive growth. Babington and Zeringue Halls, modern three-story, air-conditioned dormitories, were occupied in 1964, followed by South Babington and Millet Halls which were opened in 1965. In 1965, the College added to its physical plant Polk Hall, a modern two-story, air-conditioned library. Polk Hall houses over 65,000 volumes and can house over 157,000 volumes and can seat over 600 students. Later in 1965, Acadia Hall, an ultra-modern cafeteria, was added. A fountain plaza was dedicated in memory of Mr. Gaston Braud by the Thibodaux Rotary Club in 1965.

This year, 1967, is also expected to be a big year in the history of the College. A new student union building, costing over \$800,000, was opened in April of the current year. Because of rising enrollment, a two-million dollar general classroom and science building is expected to be completed by September. Construction on a new health and physical education building is presently

underway. Two additional multi-story dormitories are scheduled for construction this year.

In the United States today, Nicholls State College ranks academically with the foremost institutions of higher learning. Nicholls is one of the fastest growing educational institutions in the state of Louisiana.

Purposes

Nicholls State College serves primarily to meet the higher educational needs of Louisianians and to serve as a cultural and community center for the surrounding area.

The intellectual and personal development of all students is the primary purpose of the College. The College strives to maintain high scholastic standards and to provide instruction which will challenge even the best students and develop an appreciation of and devotion to our American heritage, ideals, and government. To implement this purpose, the College offers undergraduate degree programs in many fields.

Graduate work in education leading to the Master of Arts in Education and the Master of Education degrees is offered. A graduate program for business administration students is anticipated within the next year.

It is planned that as additional physical facilities are provided, the curricula will continue to be expanded to meet the developing cultural, professional, and economic demands of the area.

DIVISIONS AND DEPARTMENTS

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The smallest academic division on the Nicholls campus is the Division of Arts and Sciences and Dr. P. D. Uzee serves as its dean. The Division has the largest faculty on the Nicholls campus, and it is divided into seven major departments: Biological Sciences, Languages, Mathematics, Fine Arts, Speech, Physical Sciences, and Social Sciences.

It may be stated that the purpose of the Division of Arts and Sciences is to prepare the students for further specialization by instructing them in the basic fields of knowledge, to provide courses essential to the work of the other divisions of the College, and to provide a well-rounded program in the liberal arts.

Due to the fact of a shortage of physical facilities and qualified personnel, the Division offers partial programs in some areas of specialization. These areas include Art, Engineering, French, Geology, Journalism, Physics, Pre-Dentistry, Pre-Nursing, Pre-Pharmacy, Spanish, and Speech. The programs outlined in these fields are designed to make it possible for a student

to make the transition into more advanced work offered elsewhere and allow some deviations from Division requirements. It is hoped that in the near future that the College and Division will be able to offer complete programs in these areas of specialization.

Division of Education

The Division of Education is the largest academic division on the Nicholls campus. It operates under the watchful supervision of Dr. D. G. Joseph, who serves as its dean. The Division is made up of three major departments: Education, Special Education, and Health and Physical Education.

As for the purpose of the Division of Education, it can be said that it is to prepare elementary and secondary teachers and teacher-librarians for school systems.

Persons of intelligence and good character, with a positive desire to teach, are admitted to carefully planned and approved curricula leading to graduation and certification. Curricula offered insure a broad general education, sound professional background, and competence.

The Division of Education works closely with local and state groups to foster better teaching and higher professional standards. To further meet the needs of inservice teachers in the South Central Louisiana area, the Division offers workshops, special classes, and

professional services of the individual members of the Division.

To give some idea of the scope of the Division,
the following courses are those in which one may seek
a degree: Art Education, Business Education, English
Education, Foreign Languages Education, Health and
Physical Education, Lower and Upper Elementary Education, Mathematics Education, Music Education, Psychology,
Primary and Early Childhood Education, Science Education,
Social Studies Education, Speech Education and Speech
Therapy.

Graduate Division

The Graduate Division which was established in 1965 is headed by Dr. O. E. Lovell, Jr., who serves as dean.

The Division is open to those students who hold baccalaureate degrees and who qualify to work towards the Master of Arts in Education or Master of Education degrees.

Division of Applied Sciences

The second largest academic division on the Nicholls campus is the Division of Applied Sciences. It is headed by Dr. T. J. Stanly, who serves as dean. The Division consists of three major departments: Agriculture, Business Administration, and Home Economics.

The main purpose of the Division of Applied Sciences is to serve the higher educational and cultural needs of the people of the College area. Another purpose of the Division is to give assistance to the various farmers and stockmen in the College area. Since the chief agricultural crop of the Nicholls area is sugar cane, the Department of Agriculture conducts extensive tests in effort to aid local farmers.

The Department of Business Administration has the largest enrollment in the Division. Through the years the department has supplied business leaders for Louisiana.

Evening Division

The purpose of the Evening Division is to afford regularly employed persons an opportunity to work toward an academic degree or terminal certificate by pursuing studies during the evening hours. In addition, individual needs for increased vocational proficiency or for cultural improvements are cared for through course offerings in special areas.

Library

In 1965 Nicholls gained a most important facility with the completion of Polk Hall, a modern two-story, air-conditioned library. The new library employs the subject divisional open stack arrangement and is of modular construction. Tables and carrels are intermingled with

the book stacks throughout each divisional area. Individual carrels comprise approximately 80 per cent of the seating facilities in each divisional area, thus providing maximum opportunity for undisturbed study.

Among the special facilities of the library are microfilm readers, a microcard reader, special sound proof music listening rooms, typing rooms, conference rooms, a film preview room, and photo-copy service.

The library collection comprises some 65,000 volumes, including approximately 9,000 bound volumes of periodicals as well as other library materials. About 1,000 books per month are prepared for circulation by the technical processes department. In 1960 the library began receiving one copy of all documents issued by the State of Louisiana and in 1962 it was designated as a Selective Federal Documents Depository and receives from 12,000 to 15,000 documents annually. In cooperation with the State Department of Education, the college maintains a collection of more than 2,800 educational films for use by the College and schools in the state.

Organizations

The Office of Student Life and the Student Government and Organizations Committee coordinate the organizations sanctioned on campus. Nicholls offers its students many

opportunities to participate in extracurricular activities through membership in organizations. All groups have faculty sponsors who assist students in planning activities which supplement the curricular offerings and give opportunity for self-development.

The number of active clubs testifies to the increasing interest in this kind of student activity. Organizations on campus are of five types.

Departmental clubs attempt to stimulate interest in their related fields.

Religious clubs have as their purpose the spreading of the Christian way of life by the setting of good examples for others to follow.

Honor societies base their standards on an overall scholastic attainment or achievement in specific fields of study.

Special interest organizations try to interest students in the particular subject offered by the organization.

Social organizations seek to improve environmental aspects of the community.

DEPARTMENT OF
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Accounting

Few areas of specialization are of a more permanent nature than that of the accountant. Problems of costs, revenues, labilities, profits, and losses will remain with the business world for a long time to come. Increasingly complicated tax laws and government regulations also stress the need for advanced accounting knowledge.

The student pursuing a degree in this major avails himself of technical and practical preparation for a career of accounting in commercial, industrial, public, educational or governmental service.

Business Administration

This program has as its objective a comprehensive business education. Concentration is not in any particular occupation. It seeks to familiarize the student with all aspects of a future which may range from industry to selling, to office work, to teaching with the necessary graduate training.

Industrial Management

This curriculum, a relatively new one at Nicholls, combines the operator with the administrator. Through courses of study in calculus and physics, it acquaints the management student with a technical background in operations. At the same time, business and economics courses stress the techniques and principles of administration used by the modern manager.

Economics

A student aspiring toward a career in professional economics may find many entrances into the field. Among them may be consultants in investments or in construction or expansion of general business. Others are governmental services concerning fiscal and monetary policy or instruction. This curriculum aims at complete coverage of the theory and application of economic principles and practices.

Office Administration

The office is fast becoming the heart of the functional as well as the physical business anatomy. The pleasant scene of one shapely female sitting in a neat, carpeted room, quietly typing at a spacious desk is fast changing

to one of a large chamber occupied by many busy desk personnel, filing cabinets, and complicated machinery.

The purpose of a major in office administration is to obtain a practical background for optimum efficiency in the supervision of the modern office, through a working knowledge of the office equipment as well as the duties and responsibilities of those who staff it.

Two-Year Terminal Courses

Terminal courses in Office Administration and General Business are offered for students who wish to gain in-demand skills and knowledge in the shortest possible time. The courses are planned to enable a student to specialize in his field of interest and at the same time accrue college credit in the event that he wishes to continue his college education at a later date.

Pre-Law Option

In the event that a student in the Department of Business Administration is not able to complete his senior year, an option is presented to him. He may, if he has completed a minimum of 100 credit hours with an overall C average, enroll in a law school and apply the first years of work at Nicholls. For a B.S. degree, the combined credit hours must total at least 129.

A background in business administration is an important advantage for young lawyers called upon to handle cases involving banks, industrial firms, and indeed, businesses of any kind and size.

DEPARTMENT OF BUSINESS ADMINISTRATION

Faculty

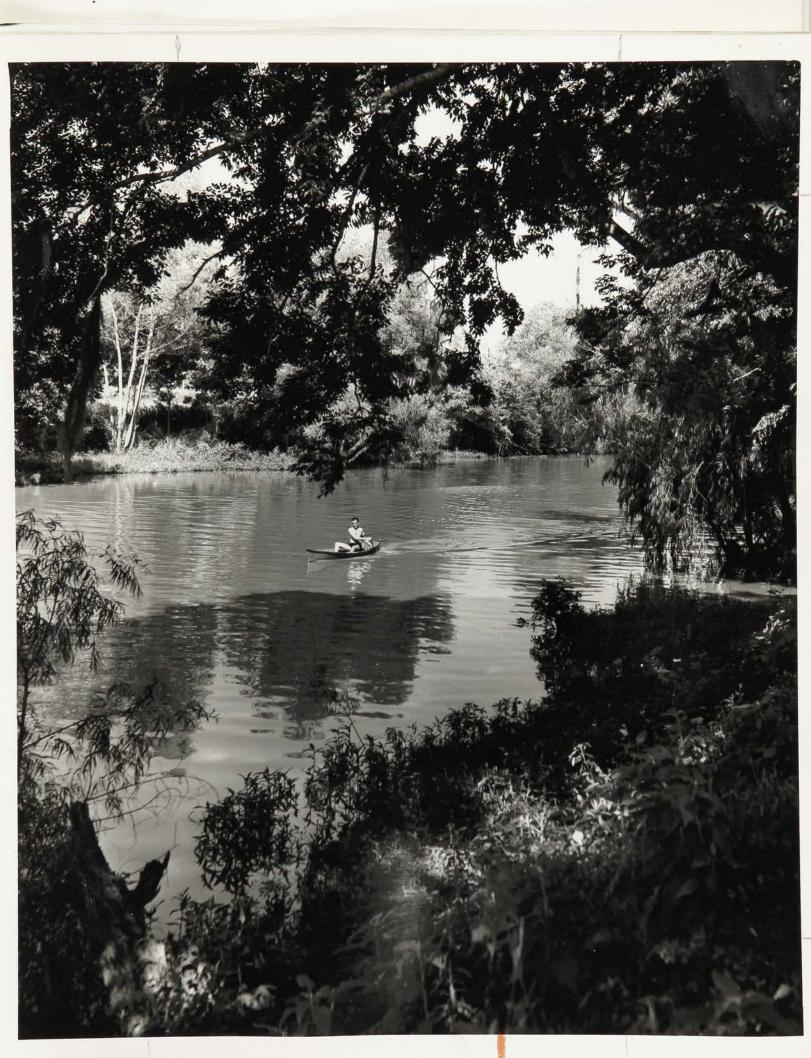
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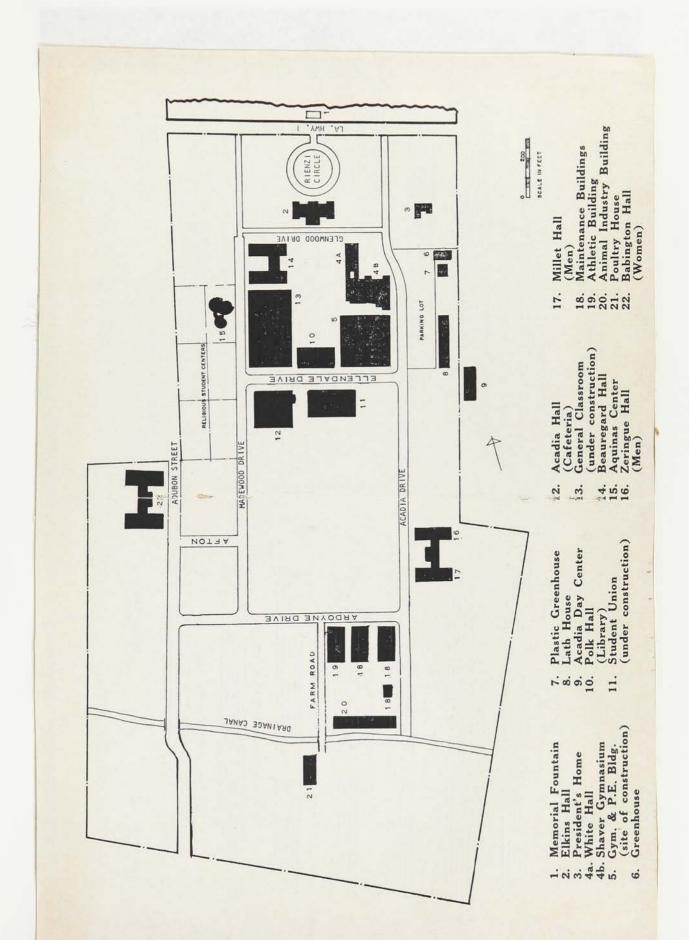
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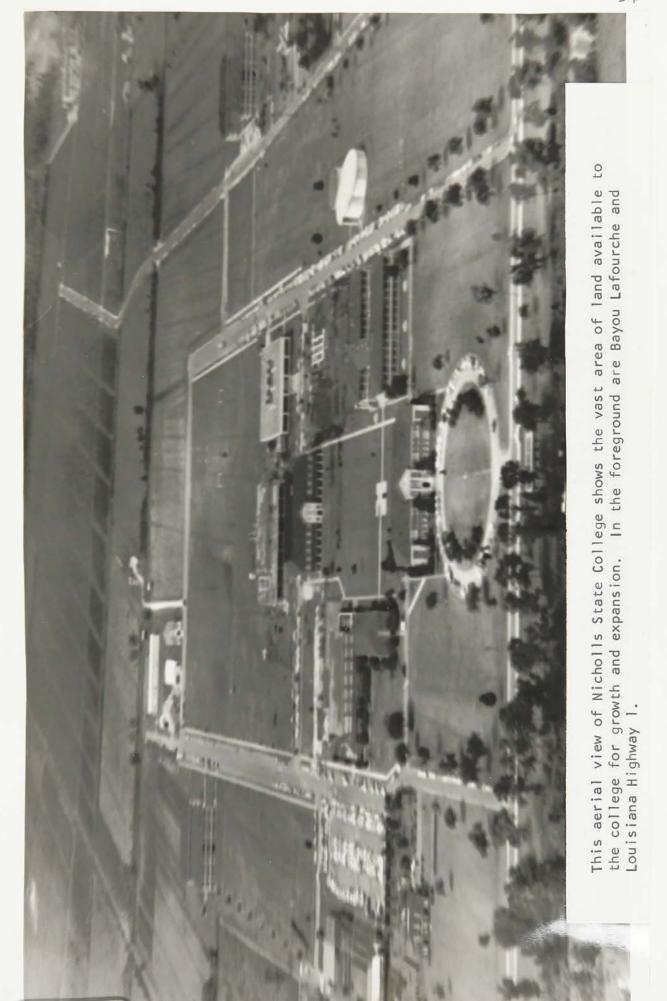


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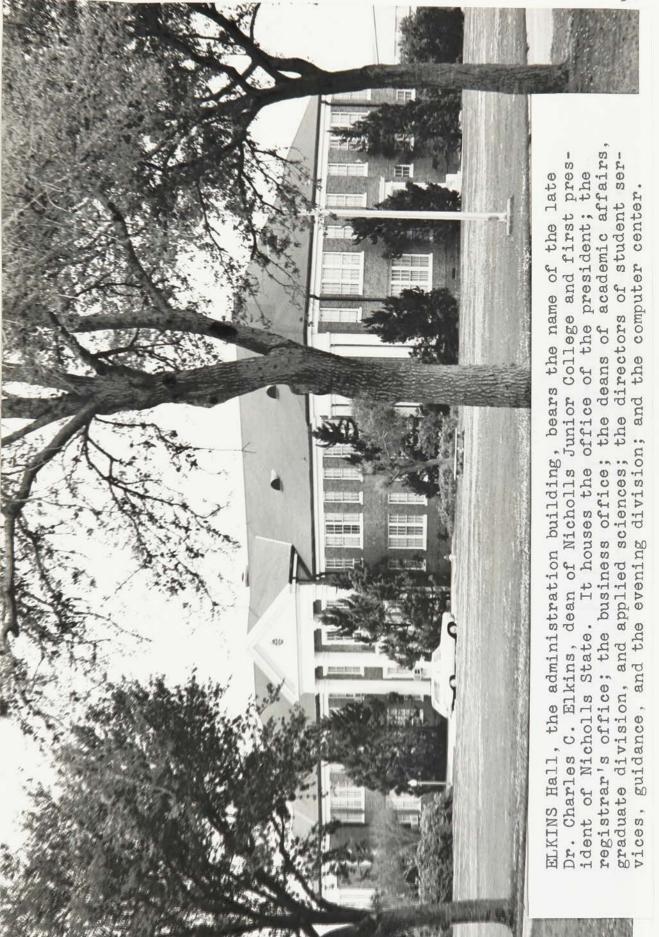








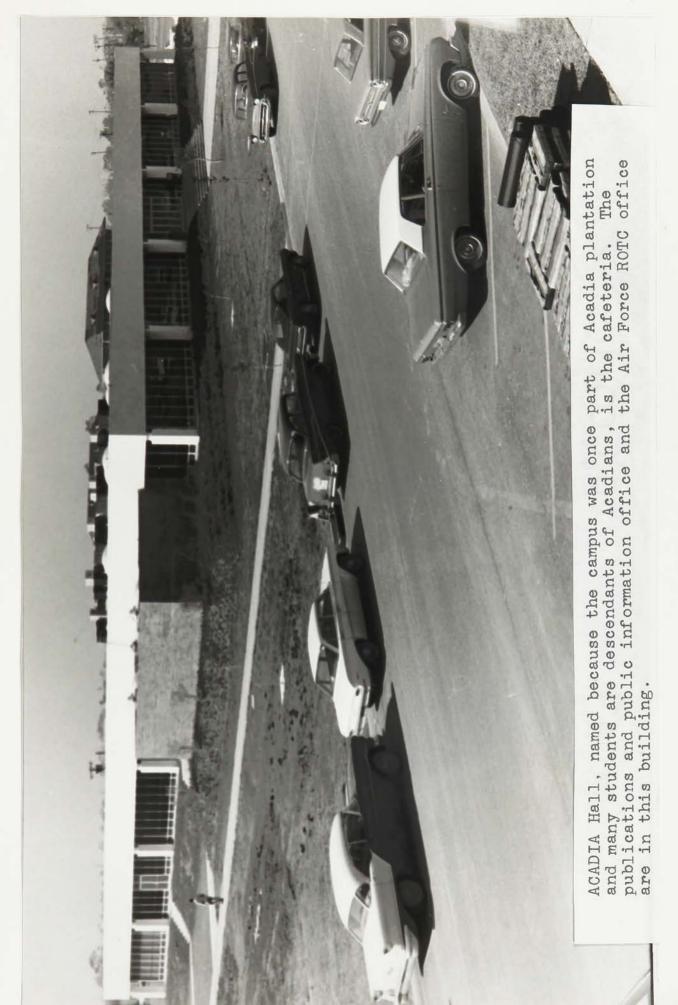




SHAVER gymnasium, named for a Thibodaux student, Richard Castles Shaver, who died while Nicholls was a junior college, is a gym-auditorium that accommodates health and physical education, the band and chorus. Edward Douglas White, houses the department of business administration Supreme Court the dean of arts and sciences, and the dean of education. WHITE Hall (left), named for Chief Justice of the U. S.



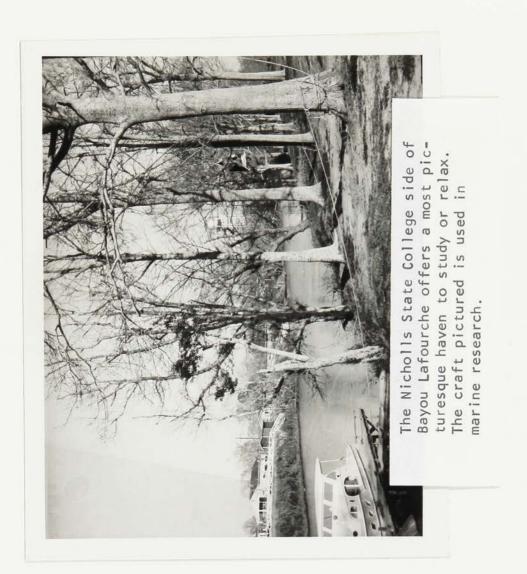












HISTORY OF BETA ALPHA NU

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Historical Sketch 1967

Tuesday, February 14

Mr. Ben H. Wolfenberger addressed the group of male business administration students about the purposes and goals of Delta Sigma Pi.

Joseph Totina, Jr., Thibodaux sophomore in accounting, was appointed chairman.

Lionel Naquin, Jr., Thibodaux junior in accounting, was chosen to accompany Mr. James H. Wilkins, Jr., faculty advisor, to visit Dean of Men William Duncan to learn of organizing procedures.

Eugene Plaisance, Jr., Thibodaux senior in business administration; Edmund Murphy, Paradis senior in business administration; and Lionel Naquin, Jr., were selected to serve on a nominating committee to prepare a slate of officers for the group.

Wednesday, February 15

Mr. Wilkins met Dean Duncan and inquired about the policy of publicity for a prospective organization. Permission to seek publicity in the NICHOLLS WORTH was granted. Dean Duncan also stated the requirements for petitioning for campus sanction.

The results of this conversation proved sufficient enough as not to require the planned meeting of Mr. Wilkins and Lionel Naquin, Jr., with Dean Duncan.

Friday, February 17

The nominating committee (Joseph Totina, Jr., substituted for Edmund Murphy who was absent.) met with Mr. Wilkins in 216 Polk Hall. A slate of officer nominees was determined. Other nominations were to be accepted at the general meeting.

Each nominee was to be contacted and asked if he would accept the office if elected.

Monday, February 20

Lionel Naquin, Jr., and Joseph Totina, Jr., reported to Mr. Wilkins that all the nominees, to the best of their knowledge, were willing to accept the nominations.

Thursday, February 23

With Eugene Plaisance, Jr., representing the nominating committee, Lionel Naquin, Jr., Thibodaux junior in accounting, was elected president.

Jules LeBlanc, Houma senior in business administration, was elected senior vice president.

Michael Champagne, Lockport sophomore in accounting, was elected junior vice president.

Larry Baudoin, Luling junior in business administration, was elected secretary.

Michael Templet, Luling senior in accounting, was elected treasurer.

Wednesday, March 1

An informal conference of the officers with Mr. Wilkins was held in 103B White Hall.
Organizing plans were discussed.
President Naquin appointed Secretary Baudoin chairman of the constitution committee, Treasurer Templet chairman of the fund raising committee, and Senior Vice President LeBlanc chairman of the membership committee.

Thursday, March 2

Committees were announced at the general meeting.
Donald Leonard, Thibodaux senior in business administration, was appointed publicity agent.

Volunteers for the committees were: Constitution-Eugene Plaisance, Jr., and Donald Leonard; Fund
Raising--Second Vice President Champagne and
Daniel Foster, Houma sophomore in business
administration; Membership--Norman Borne, Jr.,
Gramercy junior in accounting, Andrew Glynn, Jr.,
Houma junior in economics, Michael Hill, Donaldsonville sophomore in accounting, and Jude
Laperouse, Houma senior in economics.

Suggestions for raising funds were discussed. The name BETA ALPHA NU was chosen as the name of the organization until it became a chapter of Delta Sigma Pi.

Approval to open a bank account was given by members.

Wednesday, March 8

At an officers' conference plans were made to write the constitution and by-laws on Saturday, March 11.

A letter of invitation to eligible male business administration students was discussed.

Thursday, March 9

The group discussed its progress and plans for further progress.

Three letters of invitation were read and one was chosen.

Saturday, March 11

Lionel Naquin, Jr., president; Michael Templet, treasurer; Larry Baudoin, secretary and constitution committee chairman; Eugene Plaisance; and Donald Leonard assembled in Polk Hall to write a constitution for the organization modeled on examples of other organization's constitutions and according to the standards set by Delta Sigma Pi and Student Government Organizations Committee.

Baudoin and Naquin, the only members present at the afternoon session, drafted a set of by-laws for the organization modeled upon the suggested by-laws in the Delta Sigma Pi MANUAL FOR CHAPTER OFFICERS.

Tuesday, March 14

The documents were presented and ratified at a general meeting.

Tuesday, March 21

A meeting with the purpose of acquainting prospective members of Beta Alpha Nu who had responded to the letters of invitation was held. President Naquin announced that as of this date Beta Alpha Nu was officially sanctioned on campus.

Wednesday, April 5

An informal conference of the officers and Mr. Wilkins was held to discuss the agenda of the next general meeting.

President Naquin appointed Secretary Baudoin chairman of a committee to coordinate the writing of a petition to Delta Sigma Pi.

Thursday, April 6

Majority vote by secret ballot elected to membership Glenn Bergeron, Emanuel Freia, Nerral Landreneau, Neil McQuaig, and Douglas Pierre.

Roland Verret, Morgan City senior in business administration, presented the sample petition from

Loyola University of New Orleans.

Work on the petition was divided as such: Petition-Lionel Naquin, Jr., and Larry Baudoin; History
of Louisiana--Michael Champagne; History of
Thibodaux--Ronald Gros; History of Nicholls State
College--Norman Borne, Jr.; Divisions and Departments--Roland Verret; Department of Business
Administration--Donald Leonard; History of Beta
Alpha Nu and Photographs of Nicholls State College-Larry Baudoin; and Membership Data Section-Michael Templet.

Senior Vice President LeBlanc announced that he was corresponding with Dean John Altazan of the LSU-NO College of Business Administration to ask him to be a guest speaker at a special program this

semester.

President Naquin announced that two representatives of Beta Alpha Nu were invited to attend the Delta Sigma Pi convention in Biloxi, Mississippi, in August.

Wednesday, May 3

Officers were reinstated for new year. Jude
Laperouse, Houma senior in economics, was elected
to succeed Jules LeBlanc as senior vice president
because LeBlanc would graduate in August.

Ronald Gros, Thibodaux junior in accounting, was elected chancellor and Daniel Foster, Houma sophomore in business administration, was elected historian.

William Talbot was elected to membership.

President Naquin and Secretary Baudoin were
selected to attend the Delta Sigma Pi convention
in Biloxi in August. Junior Vice President
Champagne and Treasurer Templet were chosen as
alternates.

Program featuring Dean Altazan was confirmed for Thursday, May 11.

Wednesday, May 10

An officers' conference was held to discuss final plans for program featuring Dean Altazan.

Thursday, May 11

Group posed for yearbook pictures.

Dean Altazan addressed the group in Conference
Room B of the Student Union. He spoke of the
history of Delta Sigma Pi, and its purposes
and objectives.

Wednesday, June 7

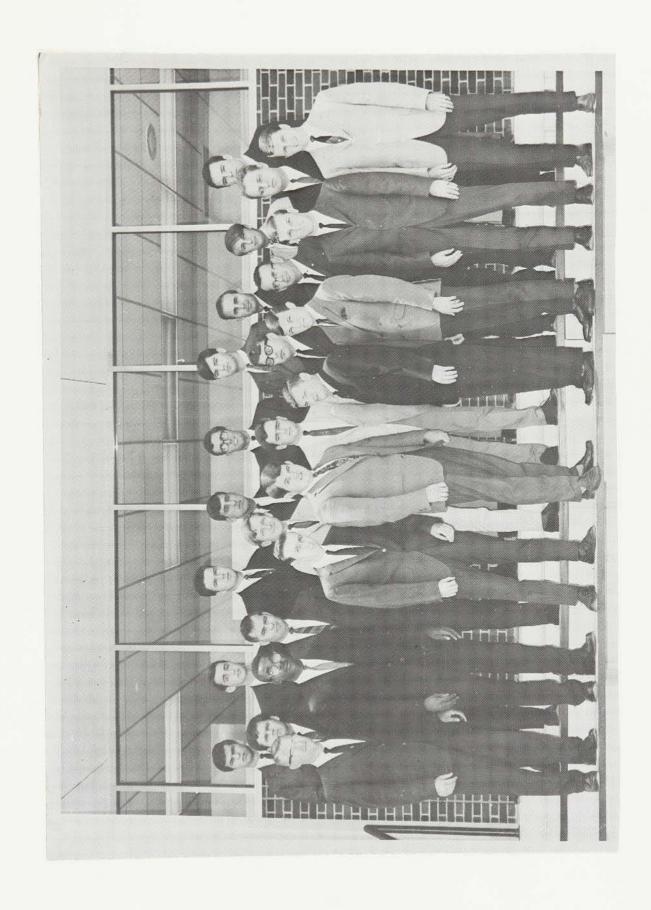
The officers met to discuss pre-final details of the petition.

The group voted to allocate \$30 to defray expenses of two delegates attending the convention in Biloxi.

Wednesday, July 5

Final details for the petition were discussed at this meeting of officers.

Discussion was also made concerning financing of charter fee to Delta Sigma Pi.



CORRESPONDENCE FROM DELTA SIGMA PI



THE CENTRAL OFFICE

OXFORD, OHIO

J. D. THOMSON EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR

January 18, 1960

Mr. J. M. Kelly, Asst. Professor Division of Applied Sciences Francis T. Nicholls State College Thibodaux, Louisiana

Dear Mr. Kelly:

Please accept our apoligies for the delay in answering your inquiry which arrived during the Christmas holidays.

Under separate cover, we are sending you a portfolio of our various publications one of which lists the requirements for a chapter. In turn we would appreciate your sending us one of your college catalogs and giving us some of the statistics on the enrollment in your department of commerce.

Thank you very much for your interest in Delta Sigma Pi.

Cordially,

Executive Director

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THE CENTRAL OFFICE
330 SOUTH CAMPUS AVENUE
OXFORD, OHIO

J. D. THOMSON EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR

CHARLES L. FARRAR

December 28, 1962

Dear Dean:

Through your fine cooperation we were able to complete and now enclose our Eighteenth Biennial Survey of Universities Offering an Organized Curriculum in Commerce and Business Administration. Upon inspection of this report, you will note that it is by far our most inclusive Survey containing statistics from almost 400 universities and colleges.

We trust that this Survey will prove to be of special interest to you, and that we will continue to have your excellent support in the future. Should you have need of additional copies of the Survey, we will be glad to supply them without charge.

Cordially yours,

Executive Director

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THE CENTRAL OFFICE

OXFORD, OHIO 45056

March 16, 1966

Mr. Louis J. Rodriguez, Chairman Dept. of Business Administration Francis T. Nicholls State College Thibodaux, Louisiana 70301

Dear Mr. Rodriguez:

CHARLES I FARRAR

EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR

I am today in receipt of your letter of March 14 addressed to Mr. J. D. Thomson, our former Executive Director.

We are indeed pleased to hear of your interest in the possibility of establishing a chapter of Delta Sigma Pi on the Nicholls State College campus. I doubt seriously that our requirements for a chapter charter have changed much, however, as you requested I am sending to you a current copy of our booklet "Requirements for a Chapter Charter".

I expect to be in Louisiana in either April or May for the installation of our chapter at Southeastern Louisiana College and would welcome the opportunity to stop in Thibodaux to personally discuss this matter with you, provided that you feel that such a visit at this time would be beneficial.

Sincerely yours,

Executive Director

CLF: vtd

cc: Max Barnett, Jr.



CHARLES L. FARRAR

EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR



INTERNATIONAL FRATERNITY OF DELTA SIGMA PI

THE CENTRAL OFFICE

OXFORD, OHIO 45056

May 19, 1966

Mr. Louis J. Rodriguez, Chairman Department of Business Administration Francis T. Nicholls State College Thibodaux, Louisiana

Dear Mr. Rodriguez:

Thank you very much for your letter of May 10 informing us that you are now Chairman of the Department of Business Administration at Nicholls State College. We have changed our addressograph plate, and in the future you will receive The DELTASIG and other correspondence as the Chairman.

I am also very pleased to hear that you are planning to explore the possibilities of starting a chapter of Delta Sigma Pi on the Nicholls State College campus. I believe that we recently sent to you a portfolio of our publications to better acquaint you with our fraternity. If you did not receive this, please let us know so that we can send you another. You will be interested to know that on April 24 we installed our sixth chapter of Delta Sigma Pi in Louisiana at Southeastern Louisiana College. It was certainly a very successful installation, and we look forward to a most successful chapter of our fraternity on their campus. As an alumnus of Louisiana Tech, I would personally very much like to see us establish a chapter at Nicholls State, and stand ready to assist you in every way possible. Accordingly, I hope that you will not hesitate to call on us if we can assist you in any way. Perhaps next Fall during our visitation program we will have an opportunity to visit on the Nicholls campus to discuss this matter with you further.

Sincerely yours,

Executive Director

CLF:bjn

cc: Max Barnett, Jr.



THE CENTRAL OFFICE

330 SOUTH CAMPUS AVENUE

OXFORD, OHIO 45056

May 27, 1966

Mr. Louis J. Rodriguez, Chairman Department of Business Administration Francis T. Nicholls St. College Thibodaux, Louisiana

Dear Mr. Rodriguez:

CHARLES L. FARRAR

EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR

We cordially invite you to participate in our Twentieth Biennial Survey of Universities Offering an Organized Curriculum in Commerce and Business Administration.

Two copies of our questionnaire are being enclosed. Will you please complete one copy and return it to us promptly, retaining the second one for your files? When compiling statistics on enrollment and degrees granted, please DO NOT include summer sessions.

This Survey is being conducted with the expressed approval of the American Association of Collegiate Schools of Business.

With your usual fine cooperation, we should be able to complete this Survey during the summer and have it ready for distribution early this Fall. At that time you will receive several copies for your use.

We would like to thank you in advance for your participation and cooperation.

Sincerely yours,

Executive Director

CLF:bjn enc:



International Fraternity of Delta Sigma Pi

THE CENTRAL OFFICE

OXFORD, OHIO 45056

August 23, 1966

Mr. Louis J. Rodriguez, Chairman Dept. of Business Administration Francis T. Nicholls State College Thibodaux, Louisiana 70301

Dear Mr. Rodriguez:

CHARLES L. FARRAR

EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR

Your letter of August 16 arrived last week during our Grand Council Meeting, which provided me with an opportunity to discuss with our Regional Director, Max Barnett, Jr., of New Orleans, your desire to establish a chapter of Delta Sigma Pi at Nicholls State College.

We are very pleased to hear of your interest in our Fraternity and, as an alumnus of Louisiana Tech, I am personally even more pleased. Because of our extensive chapter visitation program it is difficult for me to consider a visit to your campus at this time, however, Mr. Barnett, being nearer to Thibodaux, would probably be able to visit with you almost any time that is convenient for you.

May I suggest that, after the beginning of the new acadmeic year, you get in touch with us regarding such a visit to your campus, when we could outline the objectives of our Fraternity to you, your faculty, and your students.

Sincerely yours,

Executive Director

CLF: vtd

cc: Max Barnett, Jr.



THE CENTRAL OFFICE 330 SOUTH CAMPUS AVENUE OXFORD, OHIO

> 5534 So. Galvez St. New Orleans, La. 70125 November 11, 1966

Mr. Louis J. Rodriguez, Chairman Dept. of Business Administration Francis T. Nicholls State College Thibodaux, Louisiana 70301

Dear Mr. Rodriguez:

I learned sometime ago from Executive Director of Delta Sigma Pi Charles Farrar that you had expressed an interest in the establishment of a chapter of our fraternity on your campus.

All of Delta Sigma Pi would be proud to be at Nicholls, and I would be happy to meet with you at your convenience to discuss the organization of a fraternity there that could later petition our Grand Council for a charter.

May I have the pleasure of hearing from you? I will look forward to the opportunity of meeting you and answering any questions you have about our fraternity.

Sincerely,

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Max Barnett, Jr., Director South Central Region

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cc: Mr. Charles Farrar

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Mr. John S. Simmons, Instructor Department of Business Administration Francis T. Nicholls State College Thibodaux, Louisiana 70301

Dear Mr. Simmons:

Many thanks for your kind letter of November 18th.

I am delighted you and Dr. Rodriguez will be able to meet with me, and I would prefer the December 1st date at 2:30 pm. Please let me know where I should report at that time.

Incidentally, I am happy to say that I will bring with me Dean John Altazan of the College of Business Administration at LSU-New Orleans. Dean Altazan has been instrumental in the establishment of our Deltasig chapters at Loyola University and LSU-NO, having also been active with the fraternity when he was at LSU in Baton Rouge.

We are certainly looking forward to meeting you on December 1st.

Sincerely,

Max Bernett, Jr., Director South Central Region 5534 So. Galvez St.

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November 21, 1966

New Orleans, La. 70125

MB/kt

cc: Charles Farrar, Executive Director 330 So. Campus Ave. Oxford, Ohio.



December 1, 1966

Dr. Louis J. Rodriguez, Chairman Dept. of Business Administration Francis T. Nicholls State College Thibodaux, Louisiana 70301

Dear Dr. Rodriguez:

It was certainly a pleasure meeting you, Dean Jack Stanley, and Prof. John Simmons today. Dean John Altazan and I both enjoyed our visit, and we surely appreciate your hospitality.

We are delighted there is interest at Nicholls in a chapter of Delta Sigma Pi. I hope we briefed you sufficiently to create an interest among the student body in our fraternity.

Actually, we feel confident that the men in Business Administration will see the need for a professional fraternity. At any time, I will be glad to return to your campus to address them--and I think we all agree, the sooner the better.

Nothing would please me more, and I know I speak for the entire Grand Council of Delta Sigma Pi, than to see this initial meeting and possible formation of a club which would later petition our Brotherhood, take place before Christmas. Do you think there is a chance of this?

Should it delay until after Christmas, let me point out that I will be out of town from January 13th through the 22nd.

Again thanks for your many courtesies today. My warmest regards to you, Dean Stanley, and Mr. Simmons.

Sincerely &

Max Barnett, Jr., Director South Central Region 5534 So. Galvez St. New Orleans, La. 70125



THE CENTRAL OFFICE

OXFORD, OHIO 45056

CHARLES L. FARRAR

January 27, 1967

Mr. James H. Wilkins, Jr.
Department of Business Administration
Francis T. Nicholls State College
Thibodaux, Louisiana 70301

Dear Mr. Wilkins:

We are today in receipt of your letter of January 24 concerning the visit of my associate, Executive Secretary Ben H. Wolfenberger, to your campus next month. Mr. Wolfenberger will be driving to Thibodaux from New Orleans and should arrive by mid-morning, therefore, there is no apparent reason why he could not meet you around 11:00 A.M. Perhaps he can meet with you and the other members of the Faculty before and during the noon hour, and with the students in the early afternoon. He would like to be able to return to New Orleans Tuesday night for a meeting with our chapter at Loyola University, therefore, if an afternoon meeting could be held it would be more desirable for him. However, if you prefer an evening meeting, he can arrange his schedule to be on hand for it. Why not select a time that is most convenient for members of the Faculty and students and he will try to be on hand.

We would appreciate it if you would let us know when the meeting is planned so that he can arrange his schedule accordingly.

Sincerely yours,

Executive Director

CLF:bjn

cc: Max Barnett, Jr.

Dr. Louis J. Rodriguez



THE CENTRAL OFFICE 330 SOUTH CAMPUS AVENUE OXFORD, OHIO

HEMBER OF THE GRAND COUNCIL

5534 S. Galvez Street New Orleans, La. 70125 Febr. 9, 1967

Mr. James H. Wilkins, Jr. Associate Professor of Business Administration Francis T. Nicholls State College Thibodaux, Louisiana 70301

Dear Mr. Wilkins:

It was certainly a pleasure chatting with you a short time ago when you called me long distance.

I appreciate your sending me copies of your letters to our Central Office so that I was kept abreast of the arrangements for Ben Wolfenberger's visit on February 14th.

Although I am very busy at my office right now, I will certainly try to be free on Tuesday to make the trip to Thibodaux with Ben. It would be a pleasure to meet you and to work forward toward the establishment of a Delta Sigma Pi chapter on your campus.

Thanks for inviting me up and rest assured I will do all I can to get away from here on the 14th. I certainly appreciate your efforts on our behalf.

Best regards.

Sincerely,

Max Barnett, Jr., Director South Central Region



THE CENTRAL OFFICE

OXFORD, OHIO 45056

CHARLES L. FARRAR

February 27, 1967

Mr. James H. Wilkins, Jr.
Associate Professor of Business
Administration
Francis T. Nicholls State College
Thibodaux, Louisiana 70301

Dear Mr. Wilkins:

I am most indebted to you and to Dr. Rodriguez for your kind hospitality during my visit to Nicholls State College. Too, we are indebted to you for the time and effort you have put forth on behalf of Delta Sigma Pi. I hope that we can repay you by seeing a chapter of the Fraternity in operation on your campus in the coming year, benefiting the students on your campus.

We have forwarded to you, under separate cover, portfolios of the Fraternity for use in establishing a program of activities in a local fraternity and in writing bylaws.

We are looking forward to hearing from you and the local fraternity officers as to the progress you are making in your organizational efforts. Please call on us at your convenience anytime we may be of assistance to you.

Sincerely yours,

Ben H. Wolfenberger Executive Secretary

BHW:bjn

cc: Max Barnett, Jr.

Dr. Louis J. Rodriguez



THE CENTRAL OFFICE

OXFORD, OHIO 45056

March 3, 1967

CHARLES L. FARRAR
EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR

Mr. James H. Wilkins, Jr. Department of Business Administration Francis T. Nicholls State College Thibodaux, Louisiana 70301

Dear Mr. Wilkins:

I am flattered that you remembered me with the newspaper clipping which we received today. I am also encouraged by your letter.

Our correspondence has probably crossed in the mail and by now you may have received my letter and the materials which I sent you. We hope this will be helpful to the men in making plans for the future. Will you have Michael Champagne send the list of officers and their addresses to us so that we can establish correspondence with them?

I would not want in any way to discourage the men, but I noticed in the article we received that the group hopes to be chartered in March. This may have been only an angle which the writer used, but it is unlikely that the group could establish itself, organize its administration, conduct its program of activities, and petition Delta Sigma Pi in such a short time.

When the men have had the opportunity to look over the materials which we have mailed to you, and have further questions about their organization, please have them contact us.

Sincerely yours,

Ben H. Wolfenberger Executive Secretary

BHW: vtd



THE CENTRAL OFFICE

OXFORD, OHIO 45056

March 17, 1967

Mr. Larry Baudoin Secretary, Beta Alpha Nu Box 2539 College Station Thibodaux, Louisiana 70301

Dear Mr. Baudoin:

We are today in receipt of your letter of March 15, 1967, to Mr. Ben H. Wolfenberger. Mr. Wolfenberger is out of town and will not return until some time next week.

I am sure that he will get in touch with you as soon as he returns to the office.

Sincerely yours,

(Mrs.) Viola Donivan

Secretary

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CHARLES L. FARRAR



International Fraternity of Delta Sigma Pi

THE CENTRAL OFFICE
330 SOUTH CAMPUS AVENUE
OXFORD, OHIO 45056

March 27, 1967

CHARLES L. FARRAR

Mr. Larry Baudoin Secretary, Beta Alpha Nu Box 2539 College Station Thibodaux, Louisiana 70301

Dear Larry:

I must apologize for the delay in answering your letters. I have been on a visitation trip in Texas for the past two weeks, and have just returned to the office.

Thank you for sending the list of your chapter officers and, by all means, congratulations on your official recognition as Beta Alpha Nu by the college officials.

In answer to your questions concerning your constitution, it should be patterned after the suggested copy which you have. Then, when a chapter charter might be granted, only slight modifications as to the name of the organization, and pertaining to Ritual requirements would be necessary. If you have completed your first draft of your constitution I would appreciate seeing it, so that we could offer any helpful suggestions.

I am forwarding to you under separate cover a sample petition to guide you in writing the petition for Beta Alpha Nu. You are welcome to keep it as long as it is needed, but we would appreciate its return to our office as it is a part of our permanent records. As you can see, the writing of a petition is quite an undertaking, but the results will indicate your desire to become a chapter of Delta Sigma Pi. We could probably plan on presenting your petition to our Grand Council for approval during the summer months, and if it is approved we could plan on an October, 1967, installation.

I am enjoying working with you very much, and will be happy to offer further assistance at your convenience.

Sincerely/yours,

Ben H. Wolfenberger Executive Secretary

BHW: vtd

cc: Max Barnett, Jr.
James H. Wilkins, Jr.
Lionel Naquin, Jr.

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INTERNATIONAL FRATERNITY OF DELTA SIGMA PI

THE CENTRAL OFFICE
330 SOUTH CAMPUS AVENUE
OXFORD, OHIO 45056

March 31, 1967

Mr. Lionel Naquin, Jr. 108 West Ninth Street Thibodaux, Louisiana 70301

Dear Mr. Naquin:

Perhaps you are already aware that Delta Sigma Pi will be holding its 26th Grand Chapter Congress (national convention) at the Edgewater Gulf Hotel in Biloxi, Mississippi, on August 22-25, 1967.

In view of the fact that you have already indicated a desire to affiliate with us, we feel that it would be advantageous to your fraternity to attend this meeting to see, first hand, Delta Sigma Pi on a national scale. We are sure that you would benefit immensely from this meeting.

Accordingly, we would like to cordially invite two members of Beta Alpha Nu to be our guests at the 26th Grand Chapter Congress of Delta Sigma Pi. Since it is not too great a distance from Thibodaux to Biloxi, we hope that you might arrange your own transportation to the meeting. We would provide you with a twin-bedroom and your meals to include lunch and dinner during the duration of the convention.

So that you might have additional information about the convention, please find enclosed a copy of the tentative program and an advance reservation form which we would appreciate your returning to us if you can join us. We might also encourage you to select two of your best workers, preferably officers to attend.

We certainly hope that you can join us and look forward to hearing from you.

Sincerely yours,

Executive Director

CLF:bjn ebc:

cc: Max Barnett, Jr.

Larry Boudoin

James N. Wilkins, Jr.



THE CENTRAL OFFICE

OXFORD, OHIO 45056

CHARLES L. FARRAR

March 31, 1967

Mr. James H. Wilkins, Jr.
Department of Business Administration
Francis T. Nicholls State College
Thibodaux, Louisiana 70301

Dear Mr. Wilkins:

Thank you so much for calling yesterday. As I mentioned to you, I had been on a two week trip to Texas and had just returned to the office a few days ago. Yes, I was able to stop in Weatherford and visit with my family.

I wanted to confirm our conversation yesterday and also, the letter which Larry Boudoin should have by now. Charles Farrar, our Executive Director, and I are both committed to travel schedules and other meetings until the end of the school year as are our other national officers, which would preclude a chapter installation on your campus this year. Also, by having this added time, Beta Alpha Nu Fraternity can continue to develop its organization and write its petition. I personally am looking for an October or November target date, after the fall semester has settled down to routine.

We are also inviting representatives of Beta Alpha Nu Fraternity to be with us at our 26th Grand Chapter Congress at Biloxi, Mississippi, on August 22-25, 1967. The official invitation to the fraternity and the expenses to be involved will be sent to the men in a letter from Charles Farrar.

Again, thanks for calling. I hope it will be only one of many opportunities for us to visit together.

Sincerely yours,

Ben H. Wolfenberger Executive Secretary

BHW:bjn

cc: Max Barnett, Jr.
Lionel Naquin, Jr.
Larry Boudoin



THE CENTRAL OFFICE

330 SOUTH CAMPUS AVENUE

OXFORD, OHIO 45056

April 12, 1967

Mr. Larry Baudoin
Box 2539 College Station
Nicholls State College
Thibodaux, Louisiana 70301

Dear Mr. Baudoin:

CHARLES L. FARRAR

EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR

I am taking the liberty of answering your recent letter to Ben H. Wolfenberger, and also wish to acknowledge receipt of your letter indicating your acceptance of our invitation to be our guest at the 26th Grand Chapter Congress of Delta Sigma Pi in August.

In order that we may complete your reservations for attendance at the Grand Chapter Congress will you kindly complete the enclosed Advance Registration Form and return it to us. We in turn will then send you additional information for completing your reservations with the hotel.

I have reviewed the Constitution of Beta Alpha Nu and would like to offer a number of suggested changes. These I have marked in red on the enclosed copy of your Constitution which I am herewith returning to you. I believe that these changes will greatly improve this Constitution.

Sincerely yours,

Executive Director

CLF:bjn

cc: Max Barnett, Jr.
James H. Wilkins, Jr.
Lionel Naquin, Jr.



THE CENTRAL OFFICE

330 SOUTH CAMPUS AVENUE

OXFORD, OHIO 45056

April 17, 1967

Mr. Larry Baudoin
Box 2539 College Station
Nicholls State College
Thibodaux, Louisiana 70301

Dear Mr. Baudoin:

CHARLES L. FARRAR

EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR

We are today in receipt of your letter of April 14 to Ben Wolfenberger and, since he is currently on a business trip, I am taking the liberty of answering it for him.

There will not be the usual registration fee for the two members of Beta Alpha Nu to attend the 26th Grand Chapter Congress in Biloxi, Mississippi. As our guests you will be provided with luncheon and dinner Tuesday through Thursday. You will also be provided with a twin-bedroom for your two representatives. Your only expense will be for breakfast each day, your transportation to Biloxi, and any incidental or entertainment expense which you may care to have.

Sincerely yours,

Executive Director

CLF:bjn

cc: Max Barnett, Jr.

James H. Wilkins, Jr.



THE CENTRAL OFFICE

330 SOUTH CAMPUS AVENUE

OXFORD, OHIO 45056

April 25, 1967

CHARLES L. FARRAR

Mr. Larry Baudoin
Box 2539 College Station
Nicholls State College
Thibodaux, Louisiana 70301

Dear Mr. Baudoin:

I am just now acknowledging our receipt of your Constitution and By-Laws as I have just returned from another trip.

As you know, there will be several changes in the wording and some of the procedures should your fraternity receive a charter. Most of these changes are readily apparent in the sample By-Laws which you have, but Fall would be soon enough to do this.

I would like to make a couple of suggestions which might be helpful to you in your current operations. They are:

ARTICLE III, SECTION I. Business meetings should be held at the same hour, on the same day of the week, at the same place as much as possible to develop good habits of attendance.

ARTICLE IV, SECTION I. The Chancellor should be the presiding officer at all business meetings to free the President to participate in discussion and to guide the membership in its decisions.

Add a section outlining the order of business for meetings.

Perhaps I mentioned this earlier, but now is the time to plan a tentative professional program, a budget, and a calendar of activities for the coming school year. This would help you in getting an early start in September.

I hope these suggestions will prove to be helpful to you.

Sincerely yours,

Ben H. Wolfenberger Executive Secretary

BHW:bjn

cc: Max Barnett, Jr.
James H. Wilkins, Jr.



THE CENTRAL OFFICE

OXFORD, OHIO 45056

CHARLES L. FARRAR

May 17, 1967

Mr. Larry Baudoin
Eox 2539 College Station
Nicholls State College
Thibodaux, Louisiana 70301

Dear Mr. Baudoin:

We have just received the office copies of our May issue of The DELTASIG magazine, and we thought that the members of your fraternity might like to have copies of these for their reading. We have today forwarded to you, under separate cover, five copies for you to distribute. We hope that you will find them interesting and informative.

Please feel free to call on us at your convenience whenever we may be of assistance to you.

Sincerely yours,

Ben H. Wolfenberger Executive Secretary

BHW:bjn

cc: Max Barnett, Jr.



THE CENTRAL OFFICE

OXFORD, OHIO 45056

June 9, 1967

CHARLES L. FARRAR EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR

Mr. James H. Wilkins, Jr.
Department of Business Administration
Francis T. Nicholls State College
Thibodaux, Louisiana 70301

Dear Mr. Wilkins:

Thanks so much for the report on Beta Alpha Nu. I was happy to hear that you had the opportunity to visit again with John Altazan, as he does so much for Delta Sigma Pi.

Should the petition from Beta Alpha Nu be accepted in August by the Grand Council, the fraternity will be so notified and given a choice of three dates for the installation. Their selection will depend on your campus calendar, and the availability of our national officers who would serve as the installation team. As you know, the fall will be a busy time for us, as this again will be our travel season and, too, your campus could be very busy at that time. Chapter installations are held on a Saturday or Sunday which would preclude November 7. Offhand, I would suggest a date toward the end of the month. As you can see, I am hedging, which is what I do best.

It's good to hear from you again and we will look forward to receiving the petition during the summer.

Incidentally, we have not yet received any registration forms from Beta Alpha Nu notifying us of their attendance at the Grand Chapter Congress. We need to know who the representatives are, and hotel reservations should be made. Could you check with the fraternity officers on this?

Sincerely yours,

Ben H. Wolfenberger Executive Secretary

BHW:bjn cc: Max Barnett, Jr. John E. Altazan Larry Baudoin NEWS CLIPPINGS



ORGANIZATIONAL processes have started for a new professional fraternity for business administration majors, Delta Sigma Pi, and Joseph Totina has been named acting chairman. Consulting with him is Mr. Ben Wolfenberger of Oxford, Ohio.

Delta Sigma Pi proposed for business students

Delta Sigma Pi, a professional organization for students in the department of business ad-



Delta Sigma still forming

Officers are being chosen this afternoon for the prospective organization of business administration men who hope to associate with Delta Sigma Pi, international professional fraternity for B.A. students.

A nominating committee suggested the following be considered for offices:

President, Jules LeBlanc and Lionel Naquin.

First vice president, Jude Laperouse and Gary Newport.

Second vice president, John Lamb and Michael Templet.

Secretary, Larry Baudoin and Michael Champagne.

Treasurer, Craig Tauzin and Joe Totina.

These students agreed to accept the task of organizing if elected.

Other nominations will be ac-

cepted at the meeting.

Officers will be charged with the responsibility of obtaining official approval to convene on campus as a prospective fraternity and to fulfill requirements necessary to be chartered by DSP.

B. A. group picks Naquin

Lionel Naquin, Jr., Thibodaux senior in accounting, was elected president of an organization of male business administration students who have as their purpose associating with Delta Sigma Pi, international professional fraternity for B.A. students.

Others elected Thursday are: First vice president, Jules LeBlanc, Houma senior in business administration.

Second vice president, Michael Champagne, Lockport sophomore in accounting.

Secretary, Larry Baudoin, Luling senior in business administration.

Treasurer, Michael Templet, Luling senior in accounting.

These men are charged with the responsibility of obtaining official approval to convene on campus as a professional fraternity and to fulfill requirements necessary to be chartered by DSP.

Delta Sigma Pi elects Lionel Naquin

Officers for Beta Alpha Nu, a prospective chapter of Delta Sigma Pi, for 1967-68 are Lionel Naquin, Jr., president; Jude Laperouse, senior vice president; Michael Champagne, junior vice president; Larry Baudoin, secretary; Michael Templet, treasurer; Ronald Gros, chancellor; and Daniel Foster, historian.

The organization plans to petition for a charter from the national fraternity before the national convention in Biloxi, Miss., this August. Deltasig has encouraged the establishing of a chapter at Nicholls since 1960.

LSUNO dean due at Delta Sig meet

Dr. John E. Altazan, dean of the college of business administration, will be the guest speaker at the Thursday, May 11 meeting of Beta Alpha Nu, prospective chapter of Delta Sigma Pi.

Dean Altazan will speak on a topic relating to the founding of a chapter of Delta Sigma Pi and the advantages of being a Delta Sig.

The meeting is scheduled for 12:15 in the Student Union conference rooms.

LETTERS OF RECOMMENDATION



FRANCIS T. NICHOLLS STATE COLLEGE THIBODAUX, LOUISIANA

July 18, 1967

International Fraternity of Delta Sigma Pi The Central Office 330 South Campus Avenue Oxford, Ohio 45056

Gentlemen:

I am writing this letter in support of the petition being made by the members of Beta Alpha Nu, a local organization of male Business Administration students, to be accepted for chapter recognition to the International Fraternity of Delta Sigma Pi.

I have viewed the activities of this group and reviewed the achievements of the individual members, and I feel that the group is representative of the better students in our College.

I give my unqualified endorsement to this group, and strongly recommend the Beta Alpha Nu Fraternity for favorable consideration.

Sincerely,

Vernon F. Galliano

President

VFG:mac

FRANCIS T. NICHOLLS STATE COLLEGE

THIBODAUX, LOUISIANA 70301

FFICE OF THE DEAN

July 19, 1967

BOX 2012 COLLEGE STATION

International Fraternity of Delta Sigma Pi The Central Office 330 South Campus Avenue Oxford, Ohio 45056

Gentlemen:

It is indeed a pleasure to recommend that you consider Beta Alpha Nu, an organization of male students in the Nicholls State College Department of Business Administration, for chapter recognition by the International Fraternity of Delta Sigma Pi. I have observed with interest the activities of these individual students and their predecessors, hoping that their evolving interest in professional identification would result in their successful petition for such an affiliation.

I believe these young men, as individuals and as a group, are potential contributors to the purposes of Delta Sigma Pi. Their record on campus as a worthwhile organization, along with their completion of projects undertaken, has brought distinction to them.

Thank you for your consideration.

Yours truly

Thomas J. Stanly

Dean

FRANCIS T. NICHOLLS STATE COLLEGE

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THIBODAUX, LOUISIANA 70301

DEPARTMENT OF BUSINESS ADMINISTRATION

BOX 2015 COLLEGE STATION

July 19, 1967

International Fraternity of Delta Sigma Pi The Central Office 330 South Campus Avenue Oxford, Ohio 45056

Gentlemen:

The members of Beta Alpha Nu have asked me to write a letter of recommendation to the international fraternity supporting their application for a charter. I completely support the efforts being made to establish Beta Alpha Nu on the Nicholls State College campus. It is my feeling that this organization can serve a very useful purpose in helping us in the Department of Business Administration to prepare young men for careers in the business world. We are a young and rapidly expanding department, and I believe that our student body will support this organization enthusiastically. Mr. Wilkins, the faculty adviser for the group, has tackled the task of forming a chapter of Delta Sigma Pi on our campus with a great deal of zeal.

In brief, I believe that Beta Alpha Nu would be a welcome addition to our campus. The students are enthusiastic about the formation of this organization and Mr. Wilkins is an excellent faculty adviser. For my part, I will do all that I possibly can to support the organization from an administrative as well as a teacher point of view.

Sincerely,

Louis J. Rodriguez, Chairman

Friend, Rodriguez

Department of Business Administration

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THIBODAUX, LOUISIANA 70301

OFFICE OF

July 19, 1967

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Gentlemen:

I respectfully recommend that the Nicholls State College Colony of Delta Sigma Pi be granted the privilege of chapter status.

The young men of the colony have worked hard and have accomplished a great deal in a relatively short time, and I think they have earned the privilege they are requesting. They realize their responsibilities as pace setters as the first professional business administration group on the campus. I believe they are a credit to their organization and to Nicholls State College.

Sincerely,

William L. Duncan

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Dean of Men

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Recipient of Publications Pin

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Editor of NICHOLLS WORTH, campus newspaper

Staff Member of LA PIROGUE, college yearbook

President and Former Treasurer, Alpha Beta Alpha,

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Secretary, Beta Alpha Nu

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Treasurer, Senior Class

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College Honors, Offices, Activities:

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Member, Nicholls State College Honor Society

Junior Vice President, Beta Alpha Nu

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College Honors, Officers Activities:

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Junior, Economics

College Honors, Offices, Activities:

Vice President, Prospective Delta Sigma Phi

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College Honors, Offices, Activities:

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Propellor Club

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Graduate of:

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Asheboro, North Carolina

Classification:

Junior, Business Administration

College Honors, Offices, Activities:

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United States Air Force

July, 1960--May, 1964

Airman 2C

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College Honors, Offices, Activities:

President's and Dean's Lists

Academic Scholarship Holder

Reporter, NICHOLLS WORTH

President, Economics Club

Senior Vice President Elect, Beta Alpha Nu

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Summer '67 Graduating Senior, Business Administration

College Honors, Offices, Activities:

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Member, Commerce Club

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United States Army Intelligence Service

March, 1962--March, 1965

Specialist 50

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College Honors, Offices, Activities:

President's and Dean's Lists

Member, Nicholls State College Honor Society

President, Commerce Club

Vice President, Propellor Club

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Early College Admissions Student (1965)

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College Honors, Offices, Activities:

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Junior, Business Administration and Economics

College Honors, Offices, Activities:

Member: Beta Alpha Nu, Commerce Club

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Senior, Accounting

College Honors, Offices, Activities:

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Member, Nicholls State College Honor Society

Academic Scholarship Holder

Treasurer, Student Government Association

President, Beta Alpha Nu

Vice President-Treasurer, Commerce Club

Member: Phi Kappa Theta (social fraternity),

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Routel Glouster, Louisiana

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College Honors, Offices, Activities:

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Lockport, Louisiana

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Beta Alpha Nu, Nicholls Players

Military Experience:

United States Navy

June, 1960--August, 1963

E4 3C Radar Aviation Technician

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Spring '67 Graduated Senior, Business Administration College Honors, Offices, Activities:

Secretary, "N" Club

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Classification:

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President's and Dean's Lists

Executive Cabinet Member to Student Government
Association President

Member: Beta Alpha Nu, Nicholls State
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