JOHN PAULSON

Oskaloosa — Iowa

"The speaker today is Mr. John Paulson." This introduction will assure those who may hear it that their speaker is one of exceptional ability. Penn College out in Iowa sent him to us. It was there that his talent took him into Pi Kappa Delta, the national honorary forensic fraternity. At the Institute his activities were not limited to public speaking, for John was a key man on the basketball team. His effervescent enthusiasm was a godsend to the lagging Pennsylvania team for it salvaged their spirits on many a Wednesday night.

STUART B. PETT

Salt Lake City — Utah

Though our Vice President calls his home Salt Lake City, because he is a Stanford graduate, he was allowed to adopt California temporarily. At Stanford, Stew was a prominent member of Phi Delta Theta, the Scalpers and Phi Phi. Golfing over California's greener greens was his chief hobby while at college. Now, however, it has been replaced by frequent trips to Northampton where he has come to be known as the "Smithsonian." Stew had the coveted honor of being the first "goat" in our class. After graduation, he expects to enter the field of investment banking.

FREDERICK G. RIESEN, JR.

Milwaukee Wisconsin

Fred came from the Mid-West to dedicate himself to the pursuit of studies at the Babson Institute. A good talker, Fred substantiated several claims made by us to the extent of our winning many an argument in class. Fred expects to enter radio broadcasting work and with the experience he has already had we feel sure he will be successful. We feel sure that in the years to come others will enjoy working with him just as much as we have. We thought it was Schlitz that made Milwaukee famous until we met "Flash."

C. PORTER SCHUTT

Wilmington Delaware

Country club life at the University of Virginia was a little too blasé for Charlie, so he came up to the Institute this year to discover a few of the fine points of the business world. His glorification of one of Mr. Ford's Model A's was certainly a sight to behold, and the car's smart paint job was a credit to the Institute's parking space. We do not know what Charlie plans for the future, but, based upon his terse rebuttals to Mr. Matthews' class discussions, we'd say that no one is going to pull the proverbial wool over Charlie's eyes.

WILLIAM B. SCOTT

Lakewood Ohio

"Scottie" came to us after a sojourn with the du Pont Company in Tennessee. It was the Case School of Applied Science that started him out into the world. Here at the Institute he has become a classroom debator of note, and his possession of a rare gift of witticisms has made him many friends. If he continues to tackle the problems of the business world as he has here at school we feel certain that many of the problems of distribution will be solved during the next few years.

GEORGE A. SHWAB, JR.

Nashville Tennessee

He of the trembling limb arrived at Babson from Duke and quickly made the friendship of those with whom he came into contact. He was another member of the dance committee who helped put the Babson dances over so successfully. The "colonel" made quite a few trips down to Rye and after much effort finally came away engaged . . . lucky girl. "Everybody", as he was known, proved to be a real southern gentleman, hospitable and friendly.

JOHN A. SMITH

Roxbury Massachusetts

Jack, a live-wire graduate of the Bentley School of Accounting and Finance, has capably filled the chair of Editor-in-Chief in making this year's BABSONIAN a colorful record of events at the Babson Institute. His straight forwardness has brought him many friends. A man eager to get things done — he does not let them interfere with his fun. He has practically convinced Johnny Millea that he would make a star cushion salesman, and has even had the distinction of attaining the top limb of Hendy's tree of intelligence. We are looking forward to seeing Jack climb to an equally high place in the business world.

JOSEPH W. SMITH

Needham Massachusetts

The memory of Joe's cheerful laugh will stay with us even through our drab moments for many moons to come. His previous education was acquired at William and Mary and the University of Pittsburgh, where he was affiliated with the Delta Tau Delta Fraternity, After all his collegiate experience as Dance Committee Chairman, he broke his toe just in time to prevent his participation in our fall Formal. Even on the sidelines, however, he did his part in making the dance a cheerful one.

PHILIP A. STARCK

Chicago Illinois

The Chicago contingent found its ranks honored by the presence of a rather quiet fellow whose future efforts are to be directed toward the piano business. As the bowling season materialized, those teams matched against the Illinois team found Phil to be a consistently good bowler. Phil's accomplishments were not limited to those Wednesday nights, for, as we recall, it was he who received a gold certificate testifying to his merit as a writer of advertising copy. The bane of his existence is that power box of his, but we are inclined to believe that not even that will hinder his becoming an active, successful business man.

FRANS W. J. H. VAN DER ELST

Maarssen Holland

After two year's study and work in some of our biggest industries, Van came to Babson for the finishing touches before going back to Holland. An indefatigable student possessed with characteristic Dutch precision and thoroughness, he set a standard for us all in his work and play. We will never forget the hospitality at his house on Sumner Road where Hette presided as the perfect hostess.

RAYMOND G. VESTAL

Red Bluff California

"Crafty" is one of those Stanford graduates from the Coast. A bowler of distinction, he saved the reputation of the California Team on many an occasion. On top of that, his talent in gym won for him his letter at Stanford. He plans to return to his home in northern California after leaving the Institute. If his wish comes true, he will go into business there. Incidently, he has other warm interests in California besides just the weather.

JOHN L. VETTE, JR.

Chicago Illinois

Yale is still regretting the loss of John, but Yale's loss is our gain. Straight from the Boeing School of Flying in California, John has come with his flying prowess. One of his chief delights is to tickle the top bricks of the chimneys of Park Manor as he dips over this school. His "sweetheart" smile and his winning personality we will long remember. They prompted us to choose him for Class president. Master of the Babson Institute Campus, he is preparing to be a master of rivets in the future.

GORDON D. WILLIAMS

Sherrill New York

Gordy, a Theta Delt from the University of Minnesota came to us and became one of the most liked fellows on the campus. Williams is one of those men you just can't help liking. He is always cheerful, jolly and willing to help. This year's dance successes were due largely to Gordy's unselfish time and efforts. He is a strong believer in "On with the dance, let joy be unconfined". He is a leader and a planner and the future should hold big things for him.

ROBERT S. WILSON

Scarsdale New York

Bob lost all interest in the University of Michigan when he heard of the grandeur of Babson Institute. He came to show us how "A's" are made, but nevertheless he found time to run the basketball team and steer it safely through the season. He finds it great sport to fly back and forth to New York over week-ends; it lends such zest to this social life. But the fact that his brain seems to operate like a lawnmower, has him perplexed. Right now, he is trying to decide who needs his services most — The Vick Chemical Co. or the A. & P. Tea Co.

JAMES G. WOLCOTT

Rochester New York

Jim, coming to us from Yale and Andover, was held in high esteem by his classmates just as he is here. Sincerity and gentlemanly qualities are his outstanding contributions to the Babson Institute this year. Scheduled for a year's trip around the world, Jim will soon acquire that added finesse of a globe-trotter. The ease with which he cultivates friendships combined with his proven ability will never leave him wanting the extra luxuries of life secured from success in business.