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DAYTON, Ohio, March 17, 1970 --- Dr. Carroll Hochwalt of St. Louis, director of the St. Louis Research Council and retired vice president of Monsanto; Mr. Herman F. Lehman, retired vice president of General Motors Corporation and general manager of the Frigidaire division; and Mr. Louis Wozar, president and general manager of Tait Manufacturing Company, will be initiated into the University of Dayton's Ohio Theta Chapter of Tau Beta Pi this Saturday, March 21, when the local chapter of the National Engineering Honor Society conducts its annual initiation banquet in the Kennedy Union Ballroom.

The trio will join 25 University of Dayton undergraduate engineering students in the initiation ceremony at 3 p.m. The Theta Chapter was formed in 1955 and was officially recognized in 1960 by Tau Beta Pi, which was founded at Lehigh University in 1885.

Dr. Hochwalt, who is a 1920 graduate of UD, will deliver the principle address at the 6 p.m. banquet. His topic will be "Chemical Technology and Social Goals."

Dr. Hochwalt, who is on the Board of Directors of the Monsanto Company and Chairman of the Board of Trustees of the Catholic University of America, has made more than 70 patented discoveries in his research on such subjects as anti-knock materials, dienes, low temperature fire extinguishers, dehydrated nitrocellulose, frementation, resins, petroleum refining methods, phosphates, monomers for high polymers, plastics and liquid phase oxidations.

Dr. Hochwalt was a research chemist for the General Motors Corporation following his graduation from UD in 1920. While there he contributed significantly to the work on anti-knock materials, resulting in the production of tetraethyl lead, used in Ethyl gasoline. He also served as production manager of Ethyl Gasoline Corporation before organizing the Thomas and Hochwalt Laboratories. The company was acquired by Monsanto in 1936 and Dr. Hochwalt moved through the executive network in the latter organization.

Dr. Hochwalt, who is on the UD's Lay Board of Trustees, has received many honors including the Midwest Award of the American Chemical Society's St. Louis Section.



Mr. Lehman, who is a member of UD's Lay Board of Trustees, retired from Frigidaire in 1964 after serving with General Motors since 1925. Mr. Lehman has been active in many charitable organizations in the Dayton area and served during the 1960s as Chairman of the Ohio Foundation of Independent Colleges. He also has served on the board of governors of the National Electrical Manufacturers Association and on the board of directors of the Ohio Chamber of Commerce.

Mr. Wozar, who is president of UD's Lay Board of Trustees, has been associated with the Dayton business community since 1942. Presently he is serving as chairman of the Board of six companies besides Tait and has been active in civic affairs including the Chamber of Commerce, the Boy Scouts of America, United Appeal and Junior Achievement among others. He is on the Board of Directors of Winters National Bank and Philips Industries and has been a recipient of the "Outstanding Management Citation" of Management Methods Magazine.

All three men have received honorary degrees from the University of Dayton. Dr. Hochwalt received his in 1935, Mr. Lehman in 1964 and Mr. Wozar in 1969.

Two awards will be given at the banquet. Charles Reindl, '73, of Clayton, Ohio, will receive the Tau Beta Pi Award for the Outstanding Freshman Engineering Student while Robert Reinoehl of Dayton, who graduated in December, will receive an award for the best article in the U.D. Engineer magazine last year. It was entitled, "Microelectronics".