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## Chapter Organization<sup>1</sup>

C HAPTER organization is a subject far too comprehensive to be dealt with adequately in a single paper.

No one man or group of men can hope to lay down a plan which will be perfect in every detail or which can be followed minutely by every chapter. Circumstances alter conditions materially and each chapter must work out its own organization and determine for itself what best fits its surroundings. Yet chapter organization is one of the most important things, if not the most important thing, in fraternity life. Without some sort of organization the chapter must surely fail, at least to make any progress toward the realization of the fraternity aims and ideals, and the chances are that such a chapter must ultimately fail altogether. It can be safely said that that chapter which has an organization most nearly perfect in every detail will be the strongest chapter.

The phrase "chapter organization" at once brings to mind many weaknesses, or rather tendencies which are apt to lead to weaknesses, which should be carefully avoided if we are to succeed with our organization. The most important of all these tendencies is that of the individual brothers to form cliques and factions. It is needless to say that this will do more than anything else to weaken the organization and disrupt the chapter generally. Fraternity spirit is relegated to the background when such a condition exists.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup>This paper was read at the last Fifth District Council by a delegate from Iowa Alpha, who did not sign his name. We should like to give him credit for the thought and general excellence of the article.—EDITOR

The men forming the various cliques are working for the advancement of their own interests to the detriment of the other brothers, and the interests of the chapter are forgotten and suffer. In such a state of affairs no harmony can be expected, but there will be, rather, friction and quarrels in which no progress can be accomplished. Fraternity life will lose the desired homelike atmosphere in which each cooperates for the good of all.

Therefore the first question is how best to overcome this tendency. Of course, the best way to overcome any evil is to nip it in the bud and in this case this can best be done by the exercise of care and judgment in the picking of men to be pledged. We know that the most desirable type of man both in college and in after life is the all-round man, the man who is not a crank on any one thing but is interested in all sides of life and well balanced in his habits. This is the type of man who is of most benefit to the Fraternity and to the university of which he becomes a member. Moreover, this is the type of man who is apt to get along best with his fellow men and to hold the esteem and respect of all. He is the type best fitted to cooperate in helping the chapter and is least apt to become a member of a faction. The main thing we desire to emphasize is the desirability of getting men who are well rounded and are equally talented and interested in all phases of college life, scholastic, athletic, social. Too often a chapter makes a big effort to get athletes, regardless of their other qualifications, and then, in an attempt to even things up, get in men who are adept at securing high marks in their studies. This is apt to create a condition of scholars pitted against athletes in fraternity matters and factions result.

However, while the chapter may try to get well-rounded men during the rushing season many times it will not succeed and often it is desirable to take a man because of some unusual quality. If such be the case it is then the duty of the chapter and the older brothers to begin a systematic training of this freshman and see that the side most neglected is developed. Often a freshman who is a promising athlete is apt to neglect his scholastic work. In such a case

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it is the duty of the brothers to see to it that this particular man gets interested in his studies. Encouraging study, talking study to him, will of course help a great deal, but if this does not produce the desired result firmer methods should be resorted to. Of course the chapter must not expect such a man to carry off any high honors scholastically but it should insist that the man does his college work well. The benefits from such a policy as this are twofold. The man who undergoes such training in his freshman year, and afterwards, is going to reap the benefits of graduating a well-rounded man and is going to get most out of his college life. On the other hand, the Fraternity will be benefited by having such a man to help it along in every field. Such a policy will lessen the danger that the brothers will become narrow by too great an interest in one side of college life and neglect their duty to themselves, their college and their Fraternity.

This leads to another point which often is important in creating factions and cliques and which with a little thought can be remedied. This is the tendency of the chapter as a whole to lay too much importance to one or two sides of college activities and neglect others. The brothers as a body should place themselves squarely behind every activity in which any of the brothers are interested and should avoid ridiculing or slighting any activity with which a brother is connected simply because it happens to be a minor activity. This sort of policy often creates a clique which is formed by certain brothers purely in self-defense and in an attempt to protect their interests. If the chapter is behind all the activities each brother will feel a sense of security in the fact that his Fraternity is behind him in his work and will feel more like cooperating with the other brothers in helping them along in their work.

There is still another way in which this tendency toward factionalism may be averted to a great degree, and that is to create an interest in the Fraternity by giving each brother, or at least as many as possible, some responsible position in the chapter, something for him to do so that he may feel that he is really a part of the Fraternity. Too many men have lost interest in their organization simply because they were not working for it and felt no responsibility. If a responsibility is placed upon a man the chances are that, if he is any sort of a man whatsoever, he will rise to that work and become so interested in cooperation that he will forget his own selfish interests and become a helper instead of a hindrance.

Chapter meetings of course are always carried on with due formality, but the brothers should be made to realize the importance of the meetings and their seriousness. Much is lost if the brothers regard the meetings more or less as an unimportant phase of fraternity life. It is only through earnest and serious discussion that progress can be accomplished or any definite and accurate decisions can be made. New brothers on their entrance should be impressed with the importance of the meetings and should be encouraged to get up in the meetings and say what they have to say. It is only in this way that the ideas of the men can be made known and that the matter at hand can be dealt with correctly and efficiently.

The leaders of the chapter should be men of ample qualifications and men who will work together. This applies to committees and committee chairmen as well. No man should be picked to fill any office simply because he is a likeable fellow. Too often that is done to the detriment of the chapter. Men who are responsible, able and who have demonstrated their ability to lead men should be picked regardless of whether or not they are popular. Of course it generally works out that such men are the men who are popular, but the chapter should be sure when it elects its officers, and much time should be given to thinking the matter over by the members.

The chapter should also make a special effort to keep men who are living outside of the house interested in their Fraternity. It is often the case that when the brothers live away from the chapter they do not keep in close touch with it and hence their ability is lost to the organization. The men should be encouraged to live in the house as far as is possible.

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Then there comes the matter of committees and rules. It is impossible to emphasize too strongly the necessity of the chapter's use of discretion in the passing of rules. Too often do the brothers pass rules, and place them upon the books. for the purpose of remedying some minor fault or lapse that has arisen: these rules are enforced for a week or two and then they are forgotten or are only enforced in a haphazard sort of fashion. Nothing is more irritating than a lot of irksome, unnecessary rules which are enforced in an unsystematic fashion. Only such rules as are absolutely necessary should be passed and these should be enforced rigidly and to the letter. A brother ought to think enough of his chapter to do what is right without being bound to do so by a rule, and this spirit can be created by a little encouragement and right attitude on the part of the chapter.

Committees should be appointed with the same considerations in mind as the officers are elected, namely, picking the best man for the job. The chairmen should be men who are willing to push things. Every member of each committee should feel a responsibility for performing the duties of his committee and not leave the whole thing to the chairman, as is often the case. The committees should meet regularly for the transaction of business and at that time each member should have his ideas relative to committee work ready. When time comes for the chapter meeting the committee should have its report in a concise form so that action can be taken at once.

The importance of rushing as regards the chapter organization can not be overemphasized. A chapter well organized as to rushing will be one which is very apt to get ahead because it will get the right men. Men in the chapter should remember that freshmen are intelligent men, yet are influenced a great deal by first impressions. The chapter should not put on any affectation in dealing with these men, but should practise sincerity to the highest possible extent. The men who are rushed will probably see through any deception that may be practised and will think a great deal less of the Fraternity when they find it out. The first impression should be one to inspire respect and confidence in the Fraternity and individual brothers. Let the rushees see the men in their natural mood. The brothers in the chapter are satisfied with the men in that mood and the the chances are the rushees will also be. The rushee should be given a chance to meet all the men and talk with them and each man should hold himself responsible for meeting the men and not leave the matter to the committee or the officers. All available material regarding the rushee should be before all the brothers so that the chapter will be sure that it is getting men who are of the right sort and will fit in with the organization.

It is also important that all debts owed to the chapter and to individual brothers be kept paid up. The treasurer should keep after all the brothers and see that their bills are paid. No matter how hard it may seem to individuals to keep these debts paid regularly it must be remembered that it is much harder to pay when the debts are let run for a long period of time. A brother should refrain as far as possible from borrowing money or imposing on his brothers' generosity too much. It is a good thing to remember that debts to the Fraternity and to individuals in the chapter are debts of honor and should be paid first of all debts outstanding.

Another thing that never fails to arouse interest in the members in their chapter is for the organization to have something definite in mind toward which it is working. Everyone knows how the men will get down and dig if the chapter has some definite aim like the building of a new house. Many chapters, however, have almost all the luxuries that can be imagined and it seems they have nothing to do but rest on their laurels. Nothing could be more dangerous to the welfare of a chapter than to get that idea. Members with such a thought will inevitably get lazy and indifferent toward fraternity matters, finally resulting in a If no other aim presents itself the chapter can resolve fall. to increase its standing in the national organization and set out to make itself the strongest chapter of Phi Psi. In trying to realize this it will revert back to chapter organization and it will try to perfect this, ground its freshmen in

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first principles of the Fraternity, learn the fraternity songs, encourage members to better aquaint themselvs with fraternity history, etc. In this way the interest can be kept at a high pitch and brothers will not get lax.

This brings us to a consideration of that somewhat vague. indefinite, intangible, and yet most vitally important thing known as fraternity spirit. No one can really define accurately college or fraternity spirit yet everyone who has had any experience knows that it is the one thing which is and should be most desirable in any collegiate organization. If this spirit is weak the organization is weak and if it is strong and dominating there is practically nothing which cannot be accomplished by the organization having it. Many of our universities are so large and their activities and interests so varied that it is hard to create a real university spirit. But in the Fraternity the small size of the organization and 'the strength of the bond holding the men together makes it comparatively easy for the spirit to grow. There are three things which are essential to the existence of such a spirit. First, a deep and sincere love for the organization based upon a respect and admiration for it, and a realization of the benefits to be derived from it: second, a willingness to work for the institution to the extent of being willing to sacrifice anything for its welfare; third, an earnest desire to see the Fraternity progress by leaps and bounds. There is no definite way in which to inspire this into the hearts of the brothers except to adopt and follow a sound policy of organization, something along the lines as have been pointed out. Such spirit cannot be created in a day, nor a year, but develops with the growth of the organization. It will come naturally and without realization on the part of the members that it is growing: but without a little fostering care it will wane just as easily as it comes. However, if it does receive the care that is necessary and is allowed to develop, the organization, with its help, may accomplish unheard of results and advance to an infinite degree the welfare of its members, itself, those with whom it comes in contact. and the whole university life of which it is a part.

## Phi Kappa Psi at Princeton

SION B. SMITH, Pa. Beta '81, Contributor

THERE has always been a halo shining through the haze which in considerable degree surrounds the history of Phi Kappa Psi at Princeton University. Through the efforts of Henry H. McCorkle, when Secretary of the Fraternity, supplemented by further information obtained since then, a fairly accurate account of that interesting episode in our fraternity history may now be written.

The board of trustees of the college of New Jersey, known colloquially, and later legally entitled, as Princeton College, at their meeting June 28-29, 1855, adopted by unanimous vote the following resolutions:

*Resolved*, That with respect to prohibited secret societies, the trustees approve of the action of the faculty, in their requiring students about to enter college, to pledge themselves not to join any secret societies; and that they urge the faculty to put an end to these secret societies.

*Resolved*, That the president be directed at the opening of the next session of the college, to announce publicly to the students that the subject of prohibited secret societies was deliberately considered by the trustees, and the faculty were by a unanimous vote, required promptly to dismiss any student known after that date to be a member of such an association.

In 1875 a new rule was adopted, requiring every student upon entering college to sign the following pledge, as appears in the catalog for 1875-76:

We, the undersigned, do individually for ourselves promise without any mental reservation, that we will have no connection whatever with any secret society, nor be present at the meetings of any secret society in this or any other college so long as we are members of the College of New Jersey; it being understood that this promise has no reference to the American Whig and Cliosophic societies. We also declare that we regard ourselves bound to keep this promise, and on no account whatever to violate it.

It seems that the form of pledge printed in the catalog above referred to is the result of negotiations had with members of Phi Kappa Psi in Princeton, and an amplification of the form of pledge signed by our brothers. According to the recollection of our Brother Bishop Collins Denney, one of the participants in that incident, the pledge signed by

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them referred only to secret societies "in this college" and as the result of their action the pledge was modified to include in the future "fraternities in any other institution."

This seems to us a strange addition. But in those days fraternity organization was very loose. Chapters were very individualistic. They recognized little superior authority. Matriculation was not at all an indispensible prerequisite. It was a recognized method of extension for a chapter to initiate students from another college, forming a nucleus which was pushed out into the open to fend for itself. The formal chapter came as a matter of course when information of the new venture finally percolated to headquarters.

With such a thought in mind, at the instigation of a member of South Carolina Alpha then attending Princeton, the Pennsylvania Theta Chapter started a little missionary enterprise of its own. Under date of June 12, 1875 the following appears on the minutes of the Pennsylvania Theta Chapter:

Under election of members, Messrs. Walker and Woodward of Princeton were brought before the Chapter. The motion for their election was laid upon the table with the view to become more thoroughly acquainted with the character and standing of the proposed gentlemen.

The matter of establishing a chapter at Princeton College in the manner previously mentioned was taken from the table, and after some discussion was again laid upon the table indefinitely.

At a subsequent meeting, without date, the cabalistic indication of dates proving too much for the secretary, "an election was entered into for Mr. Walker of Princeton Coll. who was duly elected and having presented himself was initiated."

Then follow minutes of several meetings, all without date, at which it appears that, "On Motion, Bros. McKenzie, Miner, Fee and Trunkey were appointed committee on the Princeton boys," and the committee, after investigation, vouched for "the Princeton boys," to such purpose that "Messrs. Denney, Whitney and Davis of Princeton Coll. were elected." At this meeting "It was resolved to give Princeton Friends a supper on the evening of Friday, Nov. 5." This commendable action resulted in the initiation, at a later meeting, of Messrs. Denney, Davis and Whitney, after which "On Motion, Chapter adjourned to supper"; which so heartened the boys that at subsequent meetings they elected and initiated "Mr. John M. McFarland of Princeton College" and Mr. Willis L. Gere, similarly accredited. Minutes show further the election of Messrs. Loney, Mc-Alpin and Johnston, but fail to record their initiation. That they were initiated sufficiently appears from other data. At the last meeting, the one at which Mr. Johnston was elected, the recording secretary abandoned the esoteric method of indicating dates and bluntly headed his minutes "Phi Psi Hall, Apr. 8, 1876."

The antifraternity activities at Princeton seem to have aroused more than local interest, for at one meeting the minutes record the fact that, "Bro. W. C. Alexander of Princeton (for two years Vice President of the Fraternity) being present, was called upon for some account of the recent action of the Princeton faculty on the subject of fraternities. He reported our boys safe and the trouble subsiding." And at the next meeting, "Brothers Walker, Denney and Melton of Princeton College were present and made some earnest and interesting remarks, giving very gratifying accounts of the standing of our Fraternity in Princeton, expressing their interest and zeal in the good old cause of Phi Kappa Psi."

The minutes of all the meetings quoted above, except the first and last, were signed by "S. A. Martin" with the mark indicating the recording secretary—the "Sam Martin" mentioned in **THE SHIELD** correspondence of that day, and the dignified and scholarly gentleman who, until his recent death, added so much luster to the faculty of Lafayette College. And this is not the whole of his Phi Psi relationship. His father owned the house in Canonsburg occupied by the Widow Letterman at the time the Fraternity was founded by her son and "Charley Moore," and the property is still in the possession of the Martin family. And the Denney who was the second initiate of the new chapter is that courtly bishop of the M. E. Church South in whom the Phi Psi spirit was so deeply ingrained that when he later entered the Law School of the University of Virginia he became identified with the Virginia Alpha Chapter, and subsequently helped to put chapters of the Fraternity in Johns Hopkins and Vanderbilt.

Writing of the early days of Phi Kappa Psi in Princeton. **Bishop** Denney says:

My memory of my connection with Phi Kappa Psi at Princeton

is quite clear. The following are the facts: Samuel Davis Melton, of South Carolina (S. C. Alpha '72) came to Princeton a member of Phi Kappa Psi. He was a member of the class of 1876, the same class of which H. E. David, W. H. Whit-tlesey, L. G. Walker and myself were members. Sam put himself in connection, not by membership, but by correspondence, with the chapter at Lafayette College, and induced that chapter to invite us, together with J. M. McFarland, W. L. Gere, Looney and Mc-Alpine to join the Fraternity. My recollection is that L. G. Walker was the first one initiated. He is now the editor of the Chattanooga Times.

At that time Princeton had a pledge signed by every accepted matriculate in the following words, as nearly as I can recall:

"I will not become nor remain a member of any secret organization now existing, or that shall hereafter exist in this college, other than the American Whig or Cliosophic societies."

This pledge did not seem to us in language or in spirit to prevent as there was no purpose and never was any attempt to have a chapter of the Fraternity at Princeton. There were at Princeton at the time some fraternities *sub rosa*. When the faculty learned of the existence of these fraternities, they sent away for two or three weeks such students as they discovered to be members.

This seemed to put us in a wrong light before the student body, and we at once publicly announced that we had joined the Phi Kappa Psi Fraternity at Lafayette College, but that we had not broken the pledge in letter or in spirit given to the university when we entered Princeton. In addition to this public announcement we drew up a statement of the facts bearing the signature of each member of Phi Kappa Psi who was a student at Princeton and submitted this statement to the faculty. My recollection is that Davis and I drew up this statement, though it is possible that Whittlesey also worked with us in its preparation. After the sub-mission of the statement to the faculty, Dean Murray sent for us and announced to us that in the judgment of the faculty we had not been guilty of a breach of our promise; at the same time, the pledge for the future was changed so as to include fraternities in other institutions.

This agrees entirely with the faculty records, for Mr. V. Lansing Collins, editor of the catalog of Princeton at the time this correspondence was first taken up. writes:

I may add that the faculty appears to have taken no action whatsoever in regard to the members of Phi Kappa Psi and their names do not appear in the list of students dismissed in the fall of 1875... The one point that stands out perfectly clearly from the faculty point of view is that the members of Phi Kappa Psi were not guilty of any breach of college law.

It seems clear that although the thought back of the action of the Pennsylvania Theta Chapter was the eventual establishment of a chapter of Phi Kappa Psi at Princeton, yet the good men and true who wore the shield at Princeton harbored no intention of any *sub rosa* action or of violating college rules. This is rather remarkable, when one considers the prevalence of *sub rosa* chapters of all fraternities in colleges where open existence was interdicted. It is a matter of pride that this standard of present-day fraternity ethics was upheld by our brothers in those early days.

## More New Chapter Houses

DURING the last college year a record number of new chapter houses were secured by the Fraternity, but even that showing is likely to be surpassed before the present year is finished. Nearly all our chapters now own homes, but several are finding the property they have occupied is now inadequate to meet their needs, and are making plans to rebuild.

## Pennsylvania Kappa

In years past the authorities at Swarthmore College have not permitted fraternities to own and occupy houses, but that restriction was recently removed. As soon as it was permitted, the alumni of Pennsylvania Kappa made plans for the speedy erection of a handsome lodge, which is now nearing completion. It stands on a very desirable plot of ground on the college campus, and has been erected at a cost of about \$40,000. It will be ready for occupancy before Thanksgiving.

### Massachusetts Alpha

Massachusetts Alpha has owned a chapter house for several years, but found that by reason of its distance from the campus and because of the many new and elaborate chapter houses recently built at Amherst, it was necessary to have a newer and better house to maintain its standing on the campus. The alumni conducted a successful campaign for funds and secured an unusually desirable piece of property on College street, facing the campus. It was the former residence of the late President Seelye, being a brick mansion situated next to the Chi Phi house, and standing on a lot of nearly three acres, having a frontage on three streets. The house is being completely remodeled and enlarged, and a semicircular Georgian portico is being added on the west side. Work is rapidly nearing completion, and it is expected the house will be ready for occupancy about Thanksgiving

## New York Beta

At a meeting of the alumni of New York Beta at commencement time, definite plans were formulated for the building of a new chapter house. Plans have been drawn for the construction of a new house on the site on the present chapter house, which is located on one of the best pieces of property in the university section, directly across from the campus. The plans call for the selling of \$30,000 of bonds which, with the site and the salvage from the present property, will enable the alumni to erect one of the very best fraternity houses at Syracuse. Irving N. Beeler '02 is chairman of the building committee.

The present New York Beta chapter house was built in 1896. It was the first fraternity house built at Syracuse, and one of the first built by any chapter in the Fraternity With the advent of many new fraternities and new houses it has been necessary to abandon the old house in order that the chapter may maintain its position on the campus. It is expected that building operations will begin this fall.

#### Wisconsin Alpha

Wisconsin Alpha has also owned and occupied one of the first chapter houses owned in the Fraternity. This house is now being torn down, preparatory to building a new home on the same site. The plans call for the completion of the new house before the opening of the next college year. The chapter has leased a house at 28 E. Gilman st. for this year.

#### Illinois Beta

The Illinois Beta Chapter and its alumni have determined to build a new house, and have sold the old property at 5635 University av. It is planned to start building operations early next spring. The members of the chapter are living together at 5330 Greenwood av.

#### Indiana Alpha

Indiana Alpha has been looking forward to a new house for some time. An alumni committee has the matter under consideration, and it is announced that the contract will be awarded at an early date.

#### Colorado Alpha

A alumni committee is making plans for the purchase or building of a house for Colorado Alpha, and it is hoped this chapter will be in a home of its own before the close of the present college year.

## Springfield Extends G. A. C. Welcome

CARL ULTES, Mich. Alpha '03, Contributor

The Springfield Alumni Association and the Ohio Beta Chapter will be your next hosts!

Pack your grips with that old dress-suit, hush the gurgle, and come to Springfield, Ohio, June 21-24, 1922, to make the next G. A. C. a ding-buster.

We will show the E. C. that the size of the burg has nothing to do with the good time.

Everyone in Springfield, whose reputation is unsullied, is a Phi Psi! One hundred fifty alumni and the active chapter will greet you, and the wives will greet the wives not you! Oh yes, and we will take you out Phi Psi avenue, where every pair of long trousers is a Hi! Hi!

Can you beat it for real fellows? Circuit Judge Kunkle, Common Pleas Judge Geiger, Major General J. Warren Keifer, one-time Speaker of the National House of Representatives, Judge A. N. Summers, recently of the Ohio Supreme Bench, John L. Bushnell, son of former Governor Bushnell of Ohio, and Dr. R. E. Tulloss, president of Wittenberg College, are a few of the brothers that will insure "safety first" to our guests.

Think of the pleasure that you notables will find in coming to Springfield just to shake the hands of our notables.

Some may ask, how about hotel accommodations? Listen, fellow hand shaker and skeptic, three splendid hostelries capable of accommodating Pittsburgh crowds! And many more! And the prices are reasonable!

Memorial Hall will be the gathering place for the ball and banquet, and it is large enough to accommodate even your wives and sweethearts, should you think to ask them to join you?

Already a Columbus jazz orchestra has been engaged, that will make those pearl shirt studs shimmey right out of your boiled front.

Girls,— well they have the charm a plenty! And plenty of them to go around, even for those old birds that get young once biennially.

Then the meetings will be held at the Lagonda Club, in the ball room thereof,— and the advantage will be that there is no elevator and once we get you up there, you'll stay and not stay away.

The ladies,— they too will have a splendid time, for the Country Club, as well as the homes of Phi Psis, will welcome them.

How about your golf sticks? Eighteen holes, with plenty of traps and bunkers. And a locker room!

Leave it to this crowd to "pep" you up, bury the cares and dulness of hard times, put a thrill into those hardening arteries, and make it a party to be a memory.

Come on!

## The President's Corner

The next Grand Arch Council of the Fraternity is to be held in Springfield, Ohio, June 21-24, 1922, under the auspices of the Springfield A. A. and the Ohio Beta Chapter. Even though these dates seem to be far in the future, it is not too early to begin planning for this convention.

The last big rousing G. A. C. was that held in Pittsburgh in 1916. The attendance at the Detroit G. A. C. of 1918, which was during the war, was necessarily small. The attendance at Minneapolis in 1920, while very satisfactory, was not expected to be so large as when the convention is held in a more centrally located place. The Fraternity needs a large enthusiastic G. A. C. as it never has before. We want to see all attendance records broken. We need a great fraternity reunion, and we must all bend our efforts to that end.

Springfield is a most satisfactory place in which to hold just such a convention. There are about 135 Phi Psis living in that city, and the energies of all these brothers will be united to give everyone a good time. The G. A. C. will be unique in that it will be held in a smaller city than we have usually chosen; but this fact ought to bring and keep us closer together than is possible in a large city. There will of course be many important matters for consideration at the G. A. C., but the big thing at any such council is the personal touch and contact, which will undoubtedly be emphasized at Springfield next June.

I want to urge each chapter and each alumni association as well as each individual member of the Fraternity, to begin right now to boost for the next G. A. C. at Springfield. Talk G. A. C., think G. A. C., and let us make an effort to have the largest registration we have ever had at any fraternity convention. The Fraternity, each chapter, each alumni association, and every individual member needs just such a big, enthusiastic G. A. C. So let us all get together and work to make it the biggest ever held. We can do it; let's go.

DAN G. SWANNELL

## Dean Hodgkins Appointed President

Dr. Howard L. Hodgkins, D. C. Alpha'80, who has served or several years as dean of the College of Engineering of George Washington University, was this fall appointed actng president of the university. He succeeds President William M. Collier, who resigned to accept an appointment as ambassador to Chile.

Dean Hodgkins was born in Elgin, Ill., January 23, 1862. He was graduated from Columbian (now George Washington) University in 1883 with the degrees of A. B. and A. M. In 1892 he received his doctor's degree, and it the centennial exercises last February he was again nonored by having the honorary degree of D. Sc. bestowed 100n him. He was dean of the Corcoran Scientific School of Columbian University 1897-1903, and has been dean of the College of Engineering since 1905. He has achieved nuch prominence as an educator, and has enjoyed excepional popularity among the students and faculty of George Washington University. He has always mainained a keen interest in the Fraternity in spite of the fact that his own chapter has been inactive for nearly twentyive vears.

## **Scholarship Honors**

Recently announced scholastic standings show that Colorado Alpha led the national fraternities at the University of Colorado during the last college year.

At the University of Iowa, the Iowa Alpha Chapter won irst place among the twenty academic fraternities in the icholastic rating for the college year 1920-1921. The averige for the chapter of 39 men was 78. 72; the general averige for all fraternities was 75.4, and for all university men '3.83. During the past three years this chapter has stood irst in scholarship twice, and second once.

At the University of Texas, the Texas Alpha Chapter met he strict scholastic requirements during the past year, thereby winning the right to initiate this fall. Under the peculiar system in vogue at Texas, a chapter that meets fully the university scholarship regulations makes a highly creditable record.

## Phi Psis on Important Council

Out of a total membership of nine, two prominent members of the Fraternity have been appointed to the important Council of Education of the state of Pennsylvania. They are Dr. Edgar F. Smith, Pa. Epsilon '73, former provost of the University of Pennsylvania, and Morris L. Clothier, Pa. Kappa '84, president of the firm of Strawbridge & Clothier of Philadelphia. This council, created by the last state legislature, will have full control, in an advisory capacity, of the school work of the entire state.

## Iowa School Honors Lieut. Schafer

This fall the Ottumwa, Iowa, High School dedicated its new athletic field to the memory of Lieut. Walter B. Schafer, Ill. Beta '14, one of the first officers to make the supreme sacrifice in the World War. Lieutenant Schafer entered the University of Chicago from the Ottumwa High School. While in college he was one of the university's most prominent athletes. He served overseas with the 42d infantry.

## K. C. Phi Psis Welcome Legion Members

The annual convention of the American Legion is to be held in Kansas City, Mo., October 31st to November 2d inclusive, and the Phi Psis in that city intend to see that all members of the Fraternity who attend the convention receive a welcome beyond that regularly provided for the former soldiers. Phi Psis residing in Kansas City are anxious to know of all members of the Fraternity who plan to attend the convention, in order that suitable accommoda-



FRANCIS H. ROBERTSON, Kansas Alpha '% Editor of the Song Book



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tions may be arranged, and also that some special entertainment features may be provided. The alumni association will hold daily luncheons, which all visiting brothers are urged to attend.

## Governor Goodrich on Russian Mission

James P. Goodrich, Ind. Alpha '85, former governor of Indiana, recently sailed for Russia as a member of the commission appointed by Secretary of Commerce Hoover to make an investigation for the American relief work in that country. Mrs. Goodrich, who accompanied her husband, will remain in Paris while Brother Goodrich goes to Russia. Governor Goodrich expects to spend a year in Europe, and will make Moscow his headquarters while he is with the other members of the commission. The former governor has been placed on the government's one dollar a year pay roll.

## Phi Psi Football Captains Season of 1921

William E. Shupert	Brown
Carl J. Geiges	Swarthmore
Thomas M. Landy	Johns Hopkins
Robert J. Dunne	Michigan
Charles McGuire	Chicago
James McCarthy	Beloit
Leigh A. Wallace	Iowa State



LLOYD L. CHENRY, Editor

Albany, N. Y.

## Chapter Organization

The importance of an efficient chapter organization cannot be overemphasized. There are so many phases to the question that it is quite impossible even to catalog them all, and one is confused in attempting to select the most important. The article appearing in this issue, however, calls attention to a large number of elements that tend to determine the efficiency of a chapter in its internal working. The article was written by an undergraduate, and therefore presents his point of view, rather than the preachment of an alumnus. This paper should be thoughtfully read by every undergraduate, and especially by the officers and leaders of each chapter.

## Alumni Number Next

The next issue of THE SHIELD will be devoted largely to alumni matters. It is hoped there will be articles of special interest to the older men, and that there will be an unusually large number of personal news items about the graduates. While such an issue may properly be called an alumni number, it will doubtless be of no less interest to the undergraduates than to those who have left college.

In the preparation of such an issue, the Editor must depend largely upon the readers of the magazine to supply the personal news items. The magazine becomes a clearing house for the dissemination of such news. All our readers are therefore especially urged to send to the Editor items that may be of interest for the next number of THE SHIELD.



J. Clifford Hum, Col. Alpha '14, is residing at Sharpsille, Pa.

Lieut. J. H. Elleman, Ind. Delta '14, is stationed at Camp Dix, N. J.

Thomas L. Bickel, Pa. Eta '91, is living at 1020 Penn av., Vyomissing, Pa.

C. C. Christy, Pa. Theta '20, is living at 507 S. 42d st., 'hiladelphia, Pa.

William J. Knox, N. Y. Gamma '12, is living at 55 Hubbell v., Buffalo, N. Y.

Major Dale F. McDonald, Neb. Alpha '06, is now stationd at Fort Howard, Md.

Walter W. Schmid, Minn. Beta '16, is with Page & Hill Co., Times Bldg., New York.

P. Saxton Lewis, N. Y. Gamma '17, is with the Standard bil Co. at Shanghai, China.

Elmer F. Goodwin, W. Va. Alpha '96, is superintendent if schools at Freewater, Ore.

E. R. Sanborn, Ohio Epsilon '06, is now at 1319 S. Ioover st., Los Angeles, Cal.

C. C. Lincoln Jr., Pa. Theta '18, is sales manager of the /irginia Table Co. of Marion, Va.

Frank R. Bass, Texas Alpha '17, is auditor for the Joe .awther Grain Co., Dallas, Texas.

J. M. Johnston, Pa. Lambda '16, is with the Keystone Coal & Coke Co. of Greensburg, Pa.

Lewis B. Walker, Texas Alpha '19, is with the General Electric Co. at Schenectady, N. Y.

John E. Gallois, Cal. Beta '04, is president of Stephens & Co., bond brokers, San Francisco.

Harry W. Barber, Mass. Alpha '98, is teaching at the English High School, Boston, Mass.

W. G. Deal, Cal. Beta '00, has been appointed attorney or the San Francisco Stock Exchange.

The Rev. Dr. Percy T. Fenn, N. Y. Delta '87, has removed rom Wichita, Kan., to Syracuse, N. Y. J. Wallace Miller, Kan. Alpha '21, is with the Midwest Fisheries Association at Kansas City, Mo.

Hale Hamilton, Kan. Alpha '98, is this winter playing the leading role in the comedy "Dear Me."

H. M. Street, Cal. Beta '03, is practising law in San Francisco, with officers in the Hobart Building.

E. F. Umphred, Cal. Gamma '04, is president of the furniture concern of Umphred & Son, Oakland, Cal.

Fred Kuesel, Mass. Alpha '15, of 107 Decatur st., Brooklyn, N. Y., is with the New York Telephone Co.

Dr. Arthur B. Lyon, Mass. Alpha '08, has been appointed an instructor in medicine at Harvard Medical School.

Frederick T. Harris, Pa. Gamma '13, is with the Industrial Requirements Co., 136 Chestnut st., Philadelphia, Pa.

A daughter, Sheila, was born to Dr. and Mrs. Herman B. Chase, Mass. Alpha '00, of Westfield, Mass., on March 25th.

D. D. Gilbert, Minn. Beta '09, is with the Iowa Citizens Fund Mutual Insurance Association at Mason City, Iowa.

Judge Charles W. Dustin, Ohio Alpha '66, is now enjoying a trip around the world, via France, Egypt and India.

Herbert F. Hamilton, Mass. Alpha '95, has returned from Japan and spent the summer with his family in Amherst, Mass.

A daughter, Eleanor Todd, was born June 16th at Ocean Grove, N. J., to Bro. and Mrs. Harry F. Wheeler, Mass. Alpha '14.

The engagement has been announced of Jay Brinkerhoff Tomlinson, Mass. Alpha '11, to Miss Elizabeth Fort Barrington.

Walter A. Reinoehl, Pa. Eta '87, is in charge of the income tax department of the Peoples Savings & Trust Co. of Pittsburgh.

Nelson Dickerman, Cal. Gamma '01, has left for Paramaribo, Dutch Guiana, to take charge of a gold dredging proposition.

M. D. Womer, N. Y. Beta '17, is in the engineering department of the Standard Oil Co., being stationed at Albany, N. Y.

J. D. Kennedy, Cal. Beta '03, has been elected secretary of the Parr Terminal Co., with offices in the Fife Building, San Francisco.

#### Phi Kappa Psi Notes

Calvin W. Moore, Pa. Lambda '19, is in the engineering lepartment of the Elliott Company at Jeannette, Pa. He resides in Greensburg.

David R. Davis, Pa. Lambda '12, the new treasurer of the Pittsburgh A. A., is associated with the Canonsburg Gas Coal Co. of Pittsburgh.

George H. Wiltsie, Mass. Alpha '10, was married October 3th to Miss Frances G. Howe of Albany, N. Y. They are iving in Cortland, N. Y.

Victor F. Swenson, Pa. Gamma '12, and Miss Adeline Everitt were married on June 1st. They reside at 50 E. Kenmore av., Buffalo, N. Y.

Harry S. Gorgas, Ill. Beta '12, former Archon of the ourth district, is now with the American Bond & Mortgage Co., 562 Fifth av., New York.

A son was born October 9th to Bro. and Mrs. John R. Keister, Pa. Beta '05, at Irwin, Pa. Brother Keister is practising law in Greensburg, Pa.

Prof. John H. Frizzell, Mass. Alpha '02, has left State College, Pa., to accept a position as principal of the Boys High School at Reading, Pa.

Clinton H. Collester, Mass. Alpha '98, formerly on the aculty of Massachusetts Institute of Technology, is teachng in Simmons College, Boston, Mass.

Allen Van Buskirk, Ind. Beta '11, was married October oth to Miss Helen Ruth Adams of Bloomington, Ind. They are living at 2402 Park av., Indianapolis.

Chapter papers received this fall include the *California Phi Psi* (California Gamma) and *The Palm* (Pennsylvania Lambda). Both are very creditable publications.

Rev. Hugh W. Hubbard, Mass. Alpha '04, has returned with his family to his post at Pau Ting Fu, China, after a 'ew months spent with his mother in White Plains, N. Y.

W. J. B. Oldham, Texas Alpha '16, is educational lirector for southern Texas for the Associated Portland Cement Companies of America, with headquarters at Austin.

W. Alvin Naugle, Texas Alpha '18, has recently returned rom a tour of Europe, and studying in Oxford during the ast 18 months. He is now reporting for the Brooklyn Eagle.

F. Edward Walker, Texas Alpha '18, is assistant cashier of the Bank of Buffalo, Buffalo, Okla. He managed to spend a few days with Oklahoma Alpha Chapter during rushing season. A. G. Heunisch, Cal. Beta '03, while traveling with his wife and children on the steamer Governor was shipwrecked off the Seattle coast, but finally arrived in Seattle, minus his baggage.

Dr. D. R. Wilson, Cal. Beta '02, has recently completed a tour of various large hospitals throughout the country. He is superintendent of the St. Clara County Hospital in San Jose, Cal., one of the largest in the state.

Capt. Charles P. Morse, N. Y. Beta '01, has recently resigned from the service after having been in the army since July 1918. The last year he spent in the Philippine islands as development expert in the education and recreation section of the war plans division.

A. T. Bragonier, W. Va. Alpha '13, will return as instructor in the engineering department at West Virginia University this fall. During the summer Brother Bragonier has been engaged in engineering work with the West Virginia state road commission.

A. W. Demler, Pa. Lambda '18, has returned from a year abroad and is now on the faculty of Pennsylvania State College. He was a recipient of a Swedish-American travel fellowship. After completing his work in Sweden he visited several other European countries.

Madison Stathers, W. Va. Alpha '97, head of the department of languages at West Virginia University, has returned with his family to Morgantown, W. Va., after having spent the summer abroad. Brother Stathers did some special work in Paris, visiting Belgium and Spain as well.

The outstanding feature of the annual Bryn Mawr horse show this fall was the capturing of three of the chief awards in winning the Joseph E. Widener gold challege cup by Isaac H. Clothier, Pa. Kappa '92. Brother Clothier, who rode all three winners himself, captured first, second and fourth places, a triumph never before accomplished in any exhibition. The cup is valued at \$1000.



#### Los Angeles Alumni Association

Before the active men from California Gamma returned to college in August, a small dinner was given for rushees from Los Angeles and Long Beach. Several alumni dropped in during the evening and aided in starting the boys off to Berkeley with proper ceremonies. Details were made for a real smoker at the chapter house in Berkeley on the Friday night preceding the California-U. S. C. game on November 5th. A number of alumni plan to make the trip from here, for this promises to be the real game of the season on the coast.

Late in July W. W. Kiger was married to Mrs. Alexander in Los Angeles. Early in the spring Miss Marjorie Manning, screen beauty, and Joseph Ashurst Jackson, N. Y. Gamma, and manager of Goldwyn Studio Publicity, were married in Hollywood.

A new brother drops in for lunch with us almost every Friday. During the summer we had a delightful visit with John L. Porter of Pittsburg A. A. and spent a pleasant evening at the Brentwood Country Club entertaining for Brother and Mrs. Porter at an informal dinner-dance. And we were honored by having Past President C. F. M. Niles with us for one Friday luncheon. Among other Phi Psis who have been with us since the last letter are: George L. Stephens, Kan. Alpha; Professor Frank Blackmar, Cal. Alpha, now professor of sociology at the University of Kansas, who gave us a short talk; Howard N. Brainard, Iowa Alpha; Carleton Burlingame, Iowa Beta; John L. Rush, Col. Alpha; and Dr. Verne Mason, who has been at Johns Hopkins for the past 10 years and has recently taken up the practice of medicine in Los Angeles.

Shirley Meserve has apparently settled down for the winter after many and varied yachting expeditions during the summer. We can hardly call a Friday luncheon a success without "Czar" in his throne at the head of the table. We plan to have some sort of "High Jinks" to get together this fall — possibly at Forest Home in the mountains above Redlands. Notice will come out in due time.

Los Angeles, Cal. September 23, 1921 RAY J. FOLKS Correspondent

#### Tulsa Alumni Association

Like unto all the other alumni associations we have changed our boarding club. We are now holding our weekly luncheon at Ed Woods Cafe, located between 4th and 5th on Boulder street. The day is the same, Friday, at 12 noon.

Our roll has grown in the last two months. New members are T. R. Buell, N. Y. Gamma; Frank H. Murphy, Pa. Beta; and Stanley B. Catlett, Okla. Alpha.

On September 7th we put on a rushing banquet at the Kennedy the first Phi Psi rushing banquet ever held in the state of Oklahoma. Twenty-four brothers and 11 rushees partook of Phi Psi food. J. Bennett Porter, Pa. Beta, presided. Speeches and songs were the order for the evening. Judge Gray Carroll, Va. Epsilon '75, carried us back with him to the old days in Virginia Alpha's history when Woodrow Wilson was an undergraduate. M. L. Neely, Ind. Delta, Eugene Catlett, Okla. Alpha, and Robert S. Gordon, Okla. Alpha, made themselves heard at various times. The banquet was a success from start to finish.

Frank Pettus, Col. Alpha '15, up and married on October 5th. He and his bride, formerly Miss Jewel Garbutt of this city, departed for California on their honeymoon.

Oliver J. Olson, Ind. Delta, has moved to Pittsburgh, Pa.

Several members of the association are going to Norman the first week in November to pay their respects to the chapter, and incidentally to see the Oklahoma-Kansas football game.

We have recently had as our guests the following brothers: Charles Davis, John Shelton, Eugene Catlett, Grant Spangler, William Renfro, Hugh Putman, all of Oklahoma Alpha; William Mason, Mo. Alpha; John Thomas, Mass. Alpha; W. E. Tarble, Pa. Kappa; F. H. Haviland, Ill. Alpha; Wallace Wyman, Ill. Delta; G. G. Derby, Pa. Beta; Karl Probst, Col. Alpha; Earl Goldman, Mo. Alpha; and Charles R. Freeman, Miss. Alpha.

Summer vacations knocked our attendance slightly, but we are already recovering, now that cool weather is with us. We have a dandy luncheon; we admit it.

Tulsa, Okla.

October 14, 1921

ROBERT S. GORDON

Correspondent

#### Indiana Alumni Association

We have missed a couple dinners this summer on account of the serious illness of our caterer, Mrs. Hile. Rather than change to another cafe we called off the July and August meetings. Mrs. Hile is fully recovered and was able to officiate at a special meeting and dinner the early part of September.

Our undergraduates were home from their various colleges for their vacations and have been rushing a few prospectives who are becoming freshmen this fall. I am sure Phi Psi will land a couple more Indiana boys.

W. C. LOWTHER Correspondent

#### Rhode Island Alumni Association

Although the summer in Rhode Island was excessively warm, causing many of the alumni to plan extended vacations, we have managed to have two very successful get-togethers. The first, in July, took place at Brother Sander's cottage at Scituate some 10 miles out of Providence, and was attended by 12 brothers. The August meeting was at the Wanamoisett Club with the same number of brothers present. After dinner we enjoyed the privileges of the club made possible through the kindness of Brother Alexander. At this meeting, plans were formulated and committees instructed with the purpose of close cooperation with the Rhode Island Alpha Chapter for the current year. The chapter enters its year's work with a nucleus of nineteen "peppy" men so that the association feels that the chapter has a record year ahead of it.

Brown fraternities are again party to a delayed rushing agreement, which means that no freshman may be rushed by any fraternity until December. However, neither the chapter nor the association has been

#### Alumni Correspondence

content to sit idle through the summer months and already there are several prospects under investigation. We urgently ask everyone who reads this letter to send to the secretary the names of men whom you know will enter Brown this fall and whom you believe to be worthy Phi Psi material. Both the chapter and the association will profit by your attention.

We have the pleasure to announce the engagement of John P. Hadfield, R. I. Alpha '10, to Miss B. Diana Forbes of Bowmanville, Ont. On May 1st Brother Hadfield became resident physician at the Babies Hospital, New York.

Andrew B. Comstock, R. I. Alpha '06, has recently become associated with Brother K. C. Grinslade, manager of the Chandler Motors of Rhode Island.

Providence, R. I. September 14, 1921 M. L. EDINGER Correspondent

## Kansas City Alumni Association

The Kansas City A. A. is still having its weekly luncheons on Mondays at the University Club. We have had a large attendance all during the summer months, and with the coming of fall, prospects are good for a larger attendance and a greater display of interest than ever before.

A series of dances was given last spring for the alumni and their wives with great success, and it has been decided to continue our dances throughout the fall and winter.

Our summer activities have been chiefly confined to what help we could give the Missouri and Kansas chapters in preparation for their fall rushing. It is our intention to put more time and energy in this direction during the coming year.

The association wishes to call attention of all alumni to the American Legion convention which will be held in this city October 31, November 1st and 2d. We wish to extend a hearty welcome to all Phi Psis who will be in Kansas City at that time. Now is your opportunity to make a trip that we will do our best to make interesting. While the convention is in session there will be a luncheon each day at the University Club. Come and look us over. Address the correspondent at 909 Sharp Bldg.

Kansas City, Mo. September 29, 1921 H. ERNEST CLARK JR. Correspondent
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DES MOINES: Wednesdays, 12 m., Grant Club.

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#### FIRST DISTRICT

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Hanover, N. H. October 3, 1921. W. H. HILTON Correspondent

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Football is of course the center of activities in college at present. The chapter is represented on the varsity squad by Giles, Lawrence, MacKay and Pike. Canfield, Hill, Insley, Minnock and Stewart are showing good form on the freshman squad. Two games of the varsity schedule have been played to date. Amherst bowed to Springfield in the first game with a 27-0 defeat, but on the following Saturday vanquished the heavy Columbia team 9-7.

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Our new chapter house is fast nearing completion. Operations for building were started during the centennial commencement last year and luckily there have been no strikes to hamper the progress. At the date of this letter the roof had just been put up, the masonry completed and the inside was nearly ready for lathing. The architect assures us that the house will be finished on or about Thanksgiving so that we feel sure of occupying it before Christmas. The house is a three-story brick building of the colonial type with outside wall dimension 42 by 84 feet. Our lot contains almost three acres with frontage on three streets and facing the college campus. Amherst has started on the first year of her second century. During the past century Massachusetts Alpha has made numerous attempts to secure a new chapter house and with these endeavors realized it might aptly be said that the first hundred years were the hardest.

Recent honors that have come to the chapter have been the election of Pike to the art board of Lord Jeff and the election of McLeod to the position of assistant track manager. Smith and Scott are out in competition for the art board of Lord Jeff, Mc Grath is out in competition for the assistant managership of football, while Thomas is out for the assistant managership of the musical clubs.

Amherst, Mass.

October 3, 1921

FRANK A. Myers Correspondent

#### Rhode Island Alpha — Brown University

Brown opened September 28th and, at the very start, Rhode Island Alpha bids fair to eclipse every other fraternity on the hill as regards college honors and chapter strength. The chapter lost only three men by graduation last June and almost all the brothers who were with us last year have registered and are back in the harness again prepared to put Phi Psi at the very top on the Brown campus.

During the summer months Shupert was employed by the Brown Club and had the very responsible task of interesting subfreshmen to enter Brown. With the beginning of college it was found necessary to elect a new football captain, inasmuch as Johnstone, captain-elect, was ineligible and therefore unable to lead the team. Shupert was unanimously chosen as the new leader, this new captaincy giving Rhode Island Alpha three leaders in sports, the others being West, captain of rack, and R. H. Spellman, captain of wrestling.

Among the other honors which the chapter holds are: Baurenfind, manager of football: Shupert, president of the Cammarian Club, the student governing body: Beattie, Decker, E. P. Greene, Howe and

Peterson on the *Herald* board: Quimby on the Jug board: A. D. Greene, J. F. and R. H. Spellman on the varsity football squad: Beattie on the Athletic Association board; J. F. Spellman, vice president of the sophomore class: Beattie, treasurer of the junior class: Shupert, president of the senior class.

In the absence of the brothers during the summer recess, the alumni have been busy repairing the interior of the chapter house, reupholstering the furniture and papering many of the rooms. Many of the flaws which have always been so evident about our somewhat antiquated abode have been modified until now 108 Waterman street looks quite like a new building as far as the interior is concerned.

Every fraternity man at Brown has been interested to know under just what conditions the freshmen would be rushed this year. Last spring a temporary agreement was reached by the several fraternities which prohibited rushing until after October 5th. Recently fourteen of the nineteen national societies at Brown agreed to postpone all rushing until after the football season, which ends November 19th, Phi Psi being one of the fourteen to enter this agreement. Shortly afterward the freshmen themselves unanimously voted not to pledge themselves until after November 19th so this interval should give us the opportunity to look over the men whom we want for future brothers.

Providence, R. I. October 4, 1921 G. R. DECKER Correspondent

### New York Alpha — Cornell University

The chapter suffered a severe loss on September 7th in the death of Arthur William Stewart, of the class of 1921. Stewart came to us from Washington Alpha in the fall of 1920 and was a source of deep admiration and affection to all. He died at Bellefont, Pa., after a long illness.

Rushing at Cornell this year has reverted to the old closed system. This means that no freshman may be pledged until October 21st. We are therefore not in a position to predict results at present; but we wish to thank the alumni and the other chapters for the assistance they have rendered us.

Cornell showed up extremely well in the intercollegiate regatta at Poughkeepsie in June, winning the freshman and junior varsity events and finishing a close third to the Navy and California in the varsity race. Baldwin earned his "C" by rowing No. 4 in the varsity boat.

During summer school the house was kept open and seven men stayed here, Milligan, Stephens, Quick, Logan, Stevenson, Chambers and Richmond of New Hampshire Alpha.

The chapter is fortunate in having 30 men return this fall. J. G. Stuart, Va. Beta, class of 1921, has entered the university to do some work in engineering. Hartell was elected to the editorial staff of the *Widow* as a result of the recent competition.

The Cornell football season opened on October 1st with a 41-0 victory over St. Bonaventure. Sundstrom played part of the game at left tackle and showed up exceptionally well. We are expecting a large number of alumni and visitors for both the Colgate game on the 22d and the Dartmouth game on the 29th of October.

Ithaca, N, Y. October 1, 1921 W. B. MCMILLAN Correspondent

#### New York Beta — Svracuse University

New York Beta has settled down to the usual routine of college ac-Classes have been in session for nearly three weeks. Syracuse tivities. has this year the largest enrolment of its history, there being about 7000 students registered.

The chapter this year is obliged to live in a private residence, due to the fact that extensive improvements are about to be begun on the old house. Our building committee has leased an entire house at 127 College place for us. And we feel quite fortunate in being able to live together while building activities go on at the chapter house. When the new house is completed, we shall have a chapter house second to none on the hill.

Phi Psi feels highly gratified with the results of its efforts during rushing. Nine likely freshmen are pledged to date. We introduce the fol-lowing: Verner C. Vite, Elmira, N. Y.; James T. Cahill, Syracuse; Willard F. Potter, Cortland, N. Y.; Samuel C. McLaughlin, White Plains, N. Y.; Everett M. Carhart, Syracuse; J. E. Taylor, Syracuse; Urban Wood, Little Falls, N. Y.; Allen Robinson, Rockville Center, N. Y.; William J. Webster, Swissvale, Pa. We extend our heartiest thanks to the many brothers whose recommendations aided so materially in rushing.

September 22 we held our first dance of the season. It was in the nature of a rush dance, and it went over with lots of pep. The lower floor of the old house was decorated to fit the occasion, and the spirit of Phi Psi ran stronger than ever. At intermission, the crowd adjourned to our present living quarters for refreshments.

Football prospects loom bright. Stars from last year's freshman team are filling the places of some of last year's veterans who were lost through graduation. From the house, Foster and Gold are in the lineup. Last week, Foster, the varsity's greatest line plunger, made two of the four touchdowns against Hobart. Bachman is making a strong bid for the football assistant managership.

"Wen" Campbell, veteran of the 1919 intercollegiate cross-country team, is having daily workouts. Monie, crack quarter miler, and member of last year's one-mile championship relay team, is getting into shape for winter meets. Pledge Suttner, last year's phenominal "frosh" sprinter, will undoubtedly keep pace with the best. Pledges Taylor, McLaughlin and Almy are on the freshman cross-country squad.

Soccer practice is well under way, and a stiff schedule is promised. Pledges Wood and Robinson are working for positions.

Page was elected captain of varsity crew after the Poughkeepsie

regatta last summer. L. M. Travis '16, W. Mellen '16, and John Heald '19, were with us during the rushing season and assisted us materially. We were mighty glad to have them back and to enjoy the benefit of their experience and spirit. We hope that these and other alumni will come to see us often.

Syracuse, N.Y. October 3, 1921

CLIFFORD M. LOVELL

Correspondent

## New York Gamma — Columbia University

With prospects for as successful a year as she has had in many seasons. New York Gamma started full activities on September 21, the opening day of registration. Of course the principal topic of interest at the time of writing is rushing. Although pledging has not yet begun, there are the brightest prospects for a first-class delegation to represent 1925.

In the field of honors on the Columbia campus, the chapter is better represented this year than at any time since the resumption of activities after the war. Squires heads the list with the enviable position of editor in chief of *Spectator*, the university daily. He is also a member of the board of governors of Kings Crown, which controls all nonathletic activities, and a member of the senior society of Nacoms. Waugh and Ferris are also members of the *Spectator* staff. Walther has been elected to lead the mandolin club. Norman is to head the School of Business Association while Temple will be president of the Comeback Club, an organization of Federal Board students.

In the athletic department, Balbach will again be seen as the principal attraction in the diving division of the swimming team. He received his "sCt" last spring and represented the university on the Pacific coast this summer when he won the coast diving championship. Jerman, who was a promising distance man on the track team, has transferred to Dartmouth where he is expected to be heard from. Clark and Lange are candidates for the football team and stand a good chance of getting into the scrap.

New York, N. Y.

September 23, 1921

DON R. WAUGH Correspondent

#### New York Epsilon — Colgate University

We are pleased to announce that 26 brothers have returned to college this fall, forming one of the largest and best chapter rolls in the history of the chapter. Rushing season is at present in full sway and we are making a strong bid for an exceptional delegation.

In the chapter this year we have Steffan, baseball captain, MacKelvey, manager of baseball, and Linnehan, captain of basketball. In addition to these, in the athletic line, Welsh, a freshman-varsity guard of last year, appears in the Colgate line as tackle, while Hill and Macgavern are competing strongly for varsity end positions. Hill has already played at end in the first game of the season with St. Bonaventure.

Pratt has gained a position on the season with St. Donatement. Pratt has gained a position on the editorial staff of the *Banter*, the humorous publication, while MacKelvey is assistant circulation manager. Sterling is competing for a position on the business board of the *Maroon*. Snow is competing for the football managership, while MacDonald is trying out for the same position in soccer. Nelson hopes to gain the position of cheerleader.

Doherty and Nelson have returned for varsity track. Donahue is showing up well in soccer practice. Shallow has won a position on the mandolin club. Linnehan and Maloney have been chosen members of Scull and Scroll, senior society.

The chapter this year has had the pleasure of welcoming McMahon and Cass back to the university. McMahon last year attended Dartmouth, while Cass was a student at Syracuse.

Preparations are in progress for the fall house party, which will be held the week-end of the Rochester game.

Hamilton, N. Y.

September 29, 1921

Theodore S. Pratt

Correspondent

#### SECOND DISTRICT

Pennsylvania Gamma - Bucknell University

Pennsylvania Gamma takes pleasure in introducing the following brothers: Herbert Henning, Dunkirk, N. Y.; Clyde Kelly and Harold Hutchinson, Scottdale, Pa.; Frank Brown, Brookville, Pa.; and Russel Gray, Braidensville, Pa.

In May the chapter succeeded after much trouble in having the floors of the house torn up and new hardwood floors substituted. The clever design worked out by Hutchinson and Hyatt added much to the appearence.

Barely had the floors been completed when the chap'er stepped to the foreground with a house party. Eighteen brothers participated. This was the biggest social event of the season at Bucknell.

Far from being outdone in the scholastic world, Bucknell has progressed to such an extent that alumni returning find themselves in strange surroundings. The chemical laboratory has been rebuilt at twice its former size. A new and modern engineering building is practially completed and adds much to the appearence of the campus. Numerous improvements in the dormitories and enlargements of many of the class rooms give the college a changed appearence and fill the hearts of all Bucknell men with pride.

On the evening of June 13th the alumni and active brothers congregated for the last and foremost event of the year-symposium. J. B. Cressinger acted as symposiarch with about 80 brothers present.

The largest class in the history of Bucknell was graduated on June 15th, and the following brothers left Pennsylvania Gamma: H. G. Beaty, J. B. Hutchinson, S. E. Epler, H. M. Derr and C. W. Smith.

J. HOWARD WALTER Correspondent

## Pennsylvania Epsilon - Pennsylvania College

Pennsylvania Epsilon fired the opening gun in the 1921 battle of Gettysburg, and rose from the fray with six true pledges, each a man of promise as a leader in scholastic and fraternal activities. The follow-ing were pledged: David M. Gilbert, Camp Hill; W. Stanley Ray, Edward Emanuel, and George Doehne, Harrisburg; George Wren, Steelton: Grayson Peters, Gettysburg. The rushing committee re-ceived invaluable aid from alumni and other chapters, for which it cannot be too grateful.

cannot be too graterul. The chapter was fortunate in that most of the "old men" returned to college. The only lost sheep of last year's crew is Walter N. Buchanan. However, "Jerry" Jerome Wayne Frock, formerly of West Virginia, Bucknell, and State, (affiliated, he admits, with Pennsylvania Lambda) and bearing the ominous caption of "The Wandering Athlete," has con-descended to sojourn with the Epsilon boys. "Ain't nature grand?" "Jerry is one of the nine Phi Psis on the football squad. The others are Control Mordon Smith Wolfe Waiter Forenaul Lee and Prime Gantz, Mordon, Smith, Wolfe, Weiser, Emanuel, Lee and Briggs. A pledge dance was held in the "Sweat Box" on October 3d. Many

alumni and friends were present.

The outlook for the chapter is, to use a trite expression, the best ever. Each man seems fired with zealous alacrity to cooperate, a firm resolve to place the Gettysburg chapter on a higher level than she ever has been before and above all, enthusiam that can't be quenched.

Gettysburg, Pa.

E. MARTZ SCHOFFSTALL

October 3, 1921

Correspondent

#### Pennsylvania Zeta — Dickinson College

College opened September 15th. Law School opens September 21st. Both schools will have record enrollments after registration is completed.

Zeta Chapter lost six valuable men through graduation: Stapleton, Hering, Meek, Shelley, J. F. Daugherty and Herman. The loss of Daugherty will be keenly felt on the football team. He was without doubt one of the most dependable football men turned out in recent years. He will now devote his attention to teaching, having accepted a position on the faculty of the University of North Carolina. The others of last year's graduating class will practice law in Pennsylvania. The men who returned this year are: Collins, Klepser, Doehne, Rich,

Carter, Shaw, Crunkleton, Womer, J. Daugherty, Heller, Hand, Stevens, I. Daugherty, Packer, Irwin, Madore and Bacon.

The chapter house was in charge of M. P. Sellers '92 and Prof. Walter Hitchler of the law faculty. They were visited from time to time during the summer by a number of brothers.

Football practice has been on for the past three weeks and the outlook is encouraging. Seven veterans are back. Rich and Carter will make the team. The first game is sceduled for October 8th, with Albright as the victim.

Rushing season starts in six weeks and continues for a period of ten days. Each fraternity on the campus is allowed two four-hour periods at some time during the ten days in which to have freshmen around the Written bids are then sent out by all the fraternities at a given house. date. We take this opportunity to thank all out alumni for the aid given us.

Carlisle, Pa.

September 15, 1921

IVAN S. DAUGHERTY Correspondent

#### Pennsylvania Eta — Franklin and Marshall College

The year 1921-22 opened September 15th under auspicious skies both for Franklin and Marshall College and Pennsylvania Eta Chapter. With the return of 18 men the chapter started the year with a nucleous larger than it has had for many years.

When the coaches, Dr. John B. Price and Michael Miller, the latter coming from New York University to take the position of physical director, issued a call for football candidates it was answered by a squad of nearly 50 men. Among the returned varsity men are Louis May and Dave Williams. David B. Birney, who for the past two seasons has been one of the mainstays on the line, will not be able to play this year because of an injury received during the summer.

On September 16th the chapter held a very successful rushing smoker and we take pleasure in introducing the following pledges: John Geesey, York, Pa.; Douglas W. Franck, Philadelphia, Pa.; John C. Truxal, Greensburg, Pa.; James R. Martin, Lancaster, Pa. The fol-lowing were pledged last year: William Schmidt and Edward McComsey, Lancaster, Pa., and Walter F. Obold, Quarryville, Pa. Franklin and Marshall appendia neuropartic buriet edministration

Franklin and Marshall opened a new course in business administration and economics with Professor Barnes of the University of Pennsylvania, as its head. As a result, the influx of new students exceeds that of the old men.

The football schedule opened September 24th with a victory over Albright College, 7-0. With the opening of the football season the new athletic field was opened, which when completed will be one of the finest gridirons in the East. Following the game, an informal tea was held at the chapter house at which a number of alumni were present.

Lancaster, Pa.

WALTER F. SCHAFFNER

September 30, 1921

Correspondent

Pennsylvania Theta — Lafayette College

After a successful rushing season we take pleasure in introducing the following pledges: F. M. Potter, Rome, N. Y.; Telford Lewis, Johnstown, Pa.; Robert Brandeis, South Orange, N. J.; Leslie Freeman, Maplewood, N. J.; Harry Hunt, Coshocton, Ohio,; Richard Sutton, Philadelphia, Pa.; William Dickey, Pittsburgh, Pa.; Frederick Humphries, Pittsburgh, Pa.; J. Herford Eyster, Pittsburgh, Pa.; Allan Carson, Palisades, N. J.; William Brown, Niagara Falls, N. Y.; Lawrence Hearne, Echo Point, W. Va.

We begin the year with the largest chapter in some time, numbering 33 members. Starcher and Brown are on the football squad; Hunt is on the cross-country team; Hague, manager of soccer, is preparing for the soccer season. Campbell has been elected one of the sophomore assistant football managers; Hess was elected secretary of the senior class; Haliday is trying for the Lyre board.

Lafayette defeated Muhlenberg on September 24th in the first game of the football season, by the score of 48-0. The team is now preparing for the game with Pittsburgh on October 1st. Immediately after the Pitt game, Pennsylvania Theta will entertain at a tea-dance in the chapter house.

We have with us this year Emerson Romero, N. Y. Gamma '19, who transferred to Lafayette this year. He was captain of the Columbia wrestling team last year. Lowry, Pa. Theta '19, and Haliday, Pa. Theta '20, who were forced to leave college last year because of illness, are with us once more.

We wish to take this opportunity to thank our alumni for their help and recommendations during rushing season.

Easton, Pa. September 30, 1921 BRUCE H. CAMPBELL Correspondent

#### Pennsylvania Iota — University of Pennsylvania

Pennsylvania Iota opened its 1921 season with a meeting on October 4th, and although the chapter is much smaller than usual, the prospects for a successful season look very bright. We have about 28 men back, including Jack Niesley who was at Columbia last year, and practically all are engaged in some campus activity.

Gilmore and Wilson were elected to Sphinx senior society at the close of last term, and Compton to Phi Kappa Beta, junior society. Compton is assistant manager of football this year, and Gillette, Beck and Henn are on the squad, all doing well. Blake is assistant manager of soccer, Seeger is manager of tennis, and Riley is manager of the musical clubs.

The sophomore brothers spent three days of last week cleaning the kitchen, which puts the house in pretty good condition. Last fall we painted the entire house.

Social activities have not begun yet as everyone is engaged in registering and getting prepared for the winter's work. As soon as we are settled and things are on a better running basis, we are going to give a smoker for the brothers from outside chapters who are at Penn this year, to get acquainted with them. We gave one last year and it was quite successful. Thanksgiving is the height of the social season here with the Cornell game, the fraternity dances, and the junior prom. We shall give our annual tea-dance after the game.

Rushing season, contrary to the custom in most colleges, does not come here at the beginning of the year, but just after midyears. It

would be appreciated if brothers would send in the names of promising freshmen who are at Penn this year.

Philadelphia, Pa. October 3, 1921 STORM VANDERZEE

Correspondent

#### Pennsylvania Kappa — Swarthmore College

For many years the letters to THE SHIELD have contained some information as to when the lodge of the chapter would be started or just how things were drawing to a close about the plans, but now we can write the good news that, due to hard work on the part of our alumni and undergraduates, the lodge is nearing completion on a very picturesque spot on the campus. According to the contractors, we shall probably meet in the new building in a month. It has been a long drawn-out affair but it soon materialized when our alumni decided to see it through.

Our rushing season has about closed and we announce the following pledges: Robert H. Burdsall, Port Chester, N. Y.; William B. Cudlip, Iron Mountain, Mich.; Harold M. Geiges, Camden, N. J.; George W. Grenheart, Camden, N. J.; Charles B. Humpton, Coatesville, Pa.; Spencer R. Keare, Chester, Pa.; Jonathan K. Taylor, Round Hill, Va.

Our athletic field has been the scene of much activity this fall. Some kind alumni of Swarthmore have placed a large iron fence with stone pillars at intervals around the athletic fields, which makes a fine addition. While the masons were at work on the outside our football team was at work within. Carl Geiges, captain, Warren Ogden, Harold Butterworth, Lester Asplundh, Carl Knauer, Wilber Shoemaker, and George Earnshaw are all on the varsity squad and look fine in practice.

Lanta Hastings is back as manager of basketball and last year's elections made Edward Clyde assistant manager of basketball, John Mc Cain assistant manager of baseball and Clarence Kistler assistant manager of lacrosse. Clyde and McCain were chosen for Kwink.

Warren Ogden is president of student government, with Carl Geiges and Edward Clyde on the executive committee. We have 23 back this year, all of whom intend to get busy on some line of activity as soon as things begin to run smoothly on the hill.

Swarthmore, Pa.

September 30, 1921

JOHN R. MCCAIN . Correspondent

# Pennsylvania Lambda — Pennsylvania State College

The opening of college found all the brothers back with the exception of five graduates of last June— Gus Beard, who is touring Europe; "Skid" Babbitt, who is located in New York City with an insurance firm; Roger Leonard, who has entered the law school of Columbia University; John Demming and Howard Newcomer. In addition to these men Johnson of the junior class did not return. This leaves an active chapter or 26, including 14 seniors. Because of the unusually large senior delegation we realized the neces-

Because of the unusually large senior delegation we realized the necessity of pledging an abnormally large number of freshmen. However, we did not wish to lower the standards and so we opened the rushing season with an unusual display of enthusiasm and pep, with a firm determination to get our share of the best of the freshman class. This class offered the best fraternity material in several years and we lost a result we have pledged twelve men. We take pleasure in introducing George Beard, Harrisburg; Joseph G. Armstrong jr. and Robert Arthur, Pittsburgh; John Edwards, Rochester; Lowell Ullery, Bradford, Ohio; George Johnston, Dagus Mines; William McClure, Altoona; Thomas Walker, Trenton, N. J.; Thomas Malin, Media; Harold Stukeman, Clifford McCaslin and Arthur Texter, all of Pittsburgh. Texter and

Arthur will enter as sophomores, leaving a freshman delegation of ten. Initiation will not take place until midyear, when a combined Founders' Day banquet and initiation will be held. Evan B. Lloyd, Pa. Alpha, is with us this year, entering Penn

State as a sophomore.

The chapter is looking forward to the alumni homecoming, which will be held on the 14th and 15th. Last year 25 alumni of the chapter came back for the reunion, and this year we are expecting twice that number.

State College, Pa. October 1, 1921 C. H. LANDEFELD JR. Correspondent

## Maryland Alpha - Johns Hopkins University

Although at the writing of this letter the university has not opened practically all the brothers have returned to town and our organization meeting has been held at which the officers for the coming year were nominated and rushing plans were discussed. Rushing season has been moved up a month this year, starting the first Monday in November. As classes do not begin until October 4th our time for making all preparations is considerably shortened.

The chapter house, which has been open all summer, is in fine condition having been repaired and fixed up during vacation. It is fast filling up, several alumni having returned to live with us during the winter, and with the undergraduates expected back we shall be overflowing. This condition is fine for the spirit of the chapter and is something Maryland Alpha lacked up until last year. In college activities Phi Psi is out in front this year. Tom Landy,

all-Maryland guard, acted as captain of the football team in its first game and is a contender for the permanent job. Hensel is manager of lacrosse, Thompson is captain of track, Rowland is manager of swimming and is president of the Eastern Intercollegiate Swimming Association, and Powell is manager of basketball. Rowland, who was elected to Omicron Delta Kappa and Tau Beta Pi last year, is also out for football, as is Turner, while Landy and Thompson are members of the Athletic Association. Morrison is on the Student Council while Collins is on the business staff of the Black and Blue. Powell is on the editorial staff of the News-Letter. All the other brothers are out for some activity.

Taking all in all it looks like a big year and we are greatly encouraged by the whole outlook. Every man in the chapter is doing his best to put Phi Psi out in front.

Baltimore, Md. October 2, 1921 J. BRENTNALL POWELL Correspondent

#### Virginia Alpha — University of Virginia

With the opening of the fall term, the brothers of Virginia Alpha were on the job ready to make this year one of the most prosperous and successful in its history. Rushing season started with the opening of college, and the mad scramble for promising "goats" was on. Virginia Alpha takes pleasure in introducing the following pledges: Frederick Stone, Roanoke, Va.; Frank Jamison, Roanoke Va.; Robert Darlington, Chicago, Ill.; Randolph Hoge, Richmond, Va.; Gordon

McParlan, Philadelphia, Pa.; Louis Showalter, Roanoke, Va.; Roulac Ruffin, Roanoke, Va.; Kinloch Nelson, Richmond, Va. We also take pleasure in announcing the affiliation of Brothers Hosterman and Voges of Ohio Beta.

Just at present, the chapter is engaged in putting the house in firstciase condition.

Most of the brothers and pledges are already taking part in various sollege activities. Macgill, Darlington, Hosterman and Jamison are showing up well at football. Nelson, Stone and Voges are out for track. Boyd is reviewing editor of *College Topics* and is also appointed on the iterary staff of the *Law Review*. Adams is adjunct manager of football. Hester has found it necessary to resign the managership of varsity baseball on account of other duties. Hoge and Nelson are trying for the reportorial staff of *College Topics*, while Ruffin and Showalter are striving for places on the business staff of the *Virginia Reel*.

ball on account of other duties. Hoge and Nelson are trying for the reportorial staff of *College Topics*, while Ruffin and Showalter are striving for places on the business staff of the *Virginia Reel*. Virginia Alpha is indeed grateful for the kindness of Kenneth Barnard, Mich. Alpha, and Arthur Gilmore, Pa. Iota. We trust that they will find time to visit us again this year. We also wish to thank Brothers Smith, Wertenbaker, Gates, Saunders and Jordon for their valuable assistance during rushing season.

The chapter extends a cordial invitation to all Phi Psis and trust that as many brothers as possible will be with us at our initiation banquet on October 8th.

University, Va. September 30, 1921 C. C. CARLIN, JR. Correspondent

### Virginia Beta — Washington and Lee University

With a total of 14 men returned upon the opening of college September 15th, the outlook for another year of achievement for Virginia Beta is especially encouraging. To date, we have been successful in pledging the following ten men: Howard H. Kurtz, Conneaut, Ohio; Thompson S. Crockett, Columbus, Ohio; Wirt W. Donnally, Charleston, W. Va.; Andrew A. Payne, Charleston, W. Va.; Harry H. Hock, Roanoke, Va.; Ned D. Greiner, Wilmette, Ill.; William Kelley, Bluefield, W. Va.; Cyrus Collins, Bramwell, W. Va.; C. C. Walters, Chicago, Ill.

The enrollment at Washington and Lee this year is the largest in the history of the college, there being a total of 750 students in the various schools. Several important additions to the faculty have been made in order to accommodate the increased number. Prof. Hale Houston, Va. Beta '88, who has for the last 15 years been in charge of the engineering department at Clemson, has been installed this year as associate professor of engineering.

The "Generals" triumphed in an easy manner over Randolph Macon College in the opening football game of the season, Cameron playing at halfback and Pledge Walters playing practically the entire game at guard. Southerland and Pledge Greiner are also playing on the varsity squad. Garard, who is captain of both the cross-country and varsity track teams, as well as Pledge Crockett, are both showing up well in preliminary practice. Greiner, who is captain of the swimming team this year, plans to issue a call for candidates shortly before Thanksgiving.

Holt is president of the student body and is taking a most active part in student affairs on the campus. Hepburn is president of the senior law class, while Morrison has the presidency of the Press Club and was recently chosen president of the glee club. The Thanksgiving dances will be November 28th and 29th and plans for a dinner during the festivities are now under way. An informal dance will be given October 22d.

The chapter takes pleasure in the affiliation of A. P. Gates, Va. Alpha '19. He has been at left end with the varsity during the training period, injuries preventing his participation in the opening game of the season.

Lexington, Va. October 2, 1921 J. C. Morrison, JR. Correspondent

#### THIRD DISTRICT

# Pennsylvania Alpha — Washington and Jefferson College No LETTER RECEIVED

## Pennsylvania Beta — Allegheny College

Allegheny College does not open until September 20th so it is impossible to state at this time how many of the brothers will be back. We were fortunate last year in losing only two members through graduation and therefore we should have practically the entire chapter back with the exception of a few who are taking the premedical course and must adjourn to other colleges to complete their work.

Rodger Baldwin, last year's football captain and a senior, who was injured so badly he was compelled to leave college, has been going to summer school and will be with us this year until the end of the first semester when he will complete his course.

Several brothers are at the football camp now. The camp, which is at Meadville, opened September 5th.

Stanley Plumb, the sensational halfback of last year's team, will be lost to the team through graduation but he has not retired from athletics as he is going to coach at Franklin, Pa., High School this year.

We wish to thank our alumni for the interest they have shown in the chapter by recommending likely candidates.

We cordially invite and welcome any alumni to visit us at any time and as often as possible. Phi Psi spirit always runs high when the brothers of other days return and may you never forget that the place where you spent your happiest days is always looking for you, and will welcome you with proudness and affection.

Meadville, Pa.

September 6, 1921

G. Byron HAFER Correspondent

## West Virginia Alpha — West Virginia University

West Virginia Alpha takes pleasure in announcing the pledging of the following men: Howard Gibson and Ernest Gibson, Masontown, W. Va., sons of Bert M. Gibson, W. Va. Alpha '97; Thomas A. Arias, Panama City, Republic of Panama; George Duncan, Clarksburg, W. Va.; John Trotter, Morgantown, son of James Russell Trotter, one of the founders of West Virginia Alpha; Robert Wilbourn, and Alexander Robb, Morgantown, W. Va.; Grant P. Hall, jr., Herbert Garred, Donald Conley, Philip Hill, Howard Klostermeyer and Roland Amick, Charleston, W. Va.

The chapter starts this year with a good representation in undergraduate activities. Lakin has been elected senior archon of Areopagus, the interfraternity council. Snyder is editor of the Athenaeum, semiweekly student publication. Hall was elected president of the freshman class. Pool, Lakin, Shuttleworth and Yost are members Hall was elected president of the of Fi Bater Cappar. Lakin and Hogue are members of Sphinx, senior society. Snyder and Moore are in the university choir.

Hill has practically taken charge of the center position on the Mountaineer eleven. Garred is also doing good work at end. Hall is at present quarterback on the freshman team. The West Virginia team this year undergoes a complete change of style of play. Dr. Clarence W. Spears, of Dartmouth, takes the position of head coach, bringing with him a system never before used at West Virginia.

The chapter has recently received visits from Wilmans A. Ruffner '15 and James M. Orr'00. E. A. Hodgenson, Pa. Beta '17, has enrolled in the university, taking second year medical work. Yost and Amick enter the medical school this year. Both are pledged Phi Sigma Nu, medical fraternity.

The appearance of the house was greatly improved during the summer. The floors in the loafing room, library and music room were scraped The porch was painted and new awnings put up. Some and refinished. of the furniture has been reupholstered.

Those who returned to the university this year include: Shaw, Lakin, Pool, Hogue, Selby, Riley, Roberts, Anderson, Orr, Snyder, Greer, Yost, Amick, Courtney, Summers, Theodoric Bland, Charles Bland, Moore, Posten, Donley, Vickers and Trotter. In addition, Phil Johnson of Ronceverte, and Donald Wees of Elkins, have returned after having been out for a year.

Dave Courtney and Joe Courtney have enrolled at Harvard to com-

plete their work. Ken Snodgrass has gone to Ohio State. Word has just been received that Lakin has been elected vice commander of the American Legion for the state of West Virginia. The Legion held a convention at Wheeling September 28-30. Lakin and Shuttleworth attended the convention.

Morgantown W., Va.

September 30, 1921

H. L. SNYDER, JR.

Correspondent

#### Ohio Alpha — Ohio Wesleyan University

Ohio Alpha started the new college year with a bang. The chapter now has 23 men, eight of whom we shall introduce as pledges: Frank D. Weeks and Edwin Knachel, Marion; Griswold Campbell, Delaware; James Pierce, Detroit; Thomas Hayward, Springfield; William Ross and Towner Smith, Fremont; and John Raabe, Tyrone, Pa.

Ohio Wesleyan has started a new era in football with the coming of Coach George Gauthier, formerly of the Michigan Aggies. In this department of athletics the chapter is well represented on the varsity squad by Thomson and Anderson, tackles, Coffield, end, and Kirk, Barnes and Hamilton, backfield men. On the freshman squad are Pledges Knachel, Ross, Campbell and Smith.

Robert L. Milligan is varsity football manager, while L. Thomson, Wilson, Anderson and Bodurtha represent the chapter on the Transcript staff. Two other brothers are holding positions on the staff of the Mirror, a literary publication. Bodurtha has been elected to the honor court.

The social committee is arranging for the annual fall party, which will follow the first sister party to be held October 9th.

We enjoyed as well as appreciated visits from the following alumni: O. D. Weeks, Alan Elliott, D. B. Watkins, J. E. Breece, John N. Garver, C. P. Meredith, Dana Vogt, and visits from groups of Ohio Beta and Ohio Delta men.

We are looking forward to the best and largest homecoming in the history of the university, the reunion to be held November 5-6. Much interest has been aroused among the grads concerning the new athletic supervision.

We take this opportunity to thank the various chapters and alumni associations for their letters of recommendation and assistance in rushing season.

Delaware, Ohio October 4, 1921 ROBERT E. HAMILTON Correspondent

Ohio Beta - Wittenberg University

No LETTER RECEIVED

## Ohio Delta - Ohio State University

The close of the 1921 rushing season finds Ohio Delta with a freshman delegation of 13 to present to the Fraternity. The campaign was characterized by unusual competition and the success of Phi Psi must be largely attributed to the hearty cooperation of alumni and undergraduates and the spirit of the brothers in returning early to entertain the desirable freshmen.

The following men were pledged: Shelden Bradford, Columbus; Allan Campbell, Toledo; Alex Watt, Circleville; Richard Brashear, Columbus; James A. Anderson, Toledo; S. N. McCloud, Columbus; Richard Wilcox, Columbus; Charles Swope, Columbus; Frank M. Seamans, Columbus; Gansey Johnston, Columbus; Robert H. Hoffman, Arcanum; Dwight Friend, Columbus; and Emerson Gill, Toledo.

The following brothers from other chapters are also with us this year; Fred McDowell, Ohio Epsilon; Virgil Evans, Pa. Gamma; Kenneth Snodgrass, W. Va. Alpha; and Eugene Webber, N. Y. Alpha. Nelson Dunlap was the only one of the brothers out for football to start the game against Wesleyan October 2d. In anticipation of

Nelson Dunlap was the only one of the brothers out for football to start the game against Wesleyan October 2d. In anticipation of a successful season there was an unusually large opening day crowd. This chapter entertained several visiting brothers from both Ohio Alpha and Ohio Beta.

There are several new building projects well under way, the first and foremost of which is our new stadium. The foundation is already nearly completed and the structural work will soon begin. There are also being constructed a new Y. W. C. A. and a chemistry building. This is the start of a large building program which the university has been planning for some time.

> A. REID GIBSON Correspondent

## Ohio Epsilon - Case School of Applied Science

The school year opened September 21st. After a spirited rushing campaign in which the chapter had the hearty cooperation of the alumni we were fortunate in pledging the following men: William J. Gribben,

Cleveland; Alvin S. Manternach, Warren; Oliver C. Wittich, Cleveland; George L. Reid, Oil City, Pa.; Arthur E. Nolan, East Cleveland; James B. Skirvin, Ashland, Ky.; Fred L. Struggles, Cleveland; Hamilton F. Biggar, Cleveland; and Vincent S. Penote, Cleveland. A dance in honor of the pledges will be held at the chapter house on October 15th after the Case-Wesleyan game. The chapter consists of 21 men this year, Tame, Atwater and V. F.

Johnson returning from Akron University and Bradley from Massa-chusetts Institute of Technology. Archon Clarence Seimon of the third district has left school to take up a position as southern representative for the Imperial Type Metal Co. of Cleveland, and expects to make his headquarters in Cincinnati in the near future. Archon Kingsley of the second district is now living at the chapter house.

Prospects look very bright for the chapter on the campus this year. We have five regulars on the football team and are also represented on the Boost Case board, the Case Tech board, the Case Club board, the Annual board and in the musical clubs. The chapter expects to pursue its customary policy of starting the pledges in the activities for which they are best fitted, believing that this is the best method of insuring supremacy on the campus.

Cleveland, Ohio

September 29, 1921

**DEWITT L. OWEN** Correspondent

#### FOURTH DISTRICT

#### Michigan Alpha — University of Michigan

Paramount among matters of interest is that of pledged men. Let us introduce the class of 1925, composed thus far, of Richard Bonson, Dubuque, Iowa; Eugene Dunne, Albert Pyott and Robert J. Hummer, Chicago; Edward Parnall, Ann Arbor, Mich.; John Plain, Aurora, Ill.; Jack Sanders, Traverse City, Mich.; and Marvin Berry and Harold Stange, Oak Park, Ill.

At a postseason initiation in June Carlton Hill, George Glover and Arthur Holden were taken into the Fraternity.

We have a few new honors on the campus. Hugh Wilson has been elected baseball manager and Harry Walker has recently been appoint-ed assistant manager of the track team. Phillips Campbell is to be business manager of the Comedy Club, a university dramatic organization

We announce in great sorrow that Joseph Chase, SHIELD correspondent last year, has wandered from the flock and taken unto himself a wife. Bro. and Mrs. Chase are at home in Port Huron, Mich.

Football prospects at Michigan were never brighter. Of course we don't like to count our chickens before they're hatched but we're willing to prophesy that - well, to be safe, Michigan will be among the first ten in the Western Conference. Seriously, Michigan expects a lot from its football team this fall. Two of our boys are playing again, "Duke" Dunne, captain, and Hugh Wilson, guard,.

The university is holding a homecoming over the week-end of October 22d, at which time Michigan will meet the scrappy team from Ohio State University. We are planning a large Phi Psi reunion at that time. W. P. CAMPBELL Ann Arbor, Mich.

September 29, 1921

Correspondent

Indiana Alpha — De Pauw University

Indiana Alpha has just completed another successful rushing season, and is proud to introduce the following pledges: Robert Talley, Terre Haute; Ralph Yager, Bluffton; Harry Trees, Kokomo; Floyd Heiss, Noblesville; Herman Carrington, Robert Conder and Silas Reagan, Indianapolis; Kenneth Huber, Marion; Ralph McDermond, Attica; James Gilbert, Logansport; William Downs, Circleville, Ohio. There are 22 initiated men back and all indications point to another big used for Labora

big year for Indiana Alpha.

Under an entirely new athletic regime the football prospects are the brightest for several seasons. This year's schedule includes Notre Dame, Illinois and Centre. Coach Walker has a lot of fine material, though most of it is green to college football. Phi Psi is represented by Yager, Renfro and Pledge Heiss.

As usual the prospects for a new house are enthusing the brothers, though the juniors and seniors look back on the past few years and are a ittle dubious. However, an executive committee has been appointed and a date set for the letting of a contract.

Indiana Alpha's latch string is still dangling and if any brothers who get as near as Indianapolis will just jerk, we will all be at the station to meet them.

Greencastle, Ind. October 1, 1921 GERALDE BENTLEY Correspondent

# Indiana Beta - Indiana University NO LETTER RECEIVED

## Indiana Delta - Purdue University

Purdue will begin this year's football season under the direction of a new coach, W. H. Dietz, who from all appearances will make the college felt in Conference football circles. The material is the best in several years and is displaying an unusual amount of spirit in their work. E. E. Murphy '18 is playing fullback with all his old skill and gameness and G. W. Eversman '20 is a strong contender for a halfback position.

Indiana Delta started this year with 20 men back, all ready to work hard and add more honors to those already held by Phi Psi. After a successful rush we wish to introduce the following pledges: Tom Mc-Nutt, Indianapolis; Robert Ward, Winchester, Ind.; Edward White, Muncie, Ind.; John S. Capper jr. Chicago; David Miller, Indianapolis; Gordon Crawford, Peru, Ind.; Paul Purcell, Sullivan, Ind.; and Joseph Harthery Muncie, Ind.; Market Market Market Muncie, Ind.; Market Mun

Hartley, Muncie, Ind. Our first social function this year will be the pledge dance on October 22d, to which we are all looking forward with great pleasure.

We have greatly enjoyed the visits of several alunni this fall, in-cluding Brothers Verner '06, Parks '09, Hill '11, Barker '15, Gray '14, Conlon '15, Hardy '16 and Huffine '17. We expect all of these and many more back for our homecoming game with Northwestern on November 5th.

West Lafayette, Ind. September 30, 1921 T. H. PRICE Correspondent

## Illinois Alpha — Northwestern University

The rushing season resulted in the pledging of 12 freshmen. They are Andrew Gustafson, Aurora, Ill.; Alfred Marshall, Evanston, Ill.; Bernie Ross, Rockford, Ill.; Melville Fetzer, Hinsdale, Ill.; Raymond Offelt, Aurora, Ill.; Arthur Holdridge, Ames, Iowa; Ellis Scovil, Ames, Iowa; Raymond Gerkins, Chicago, Ill.; Robert Blythe, Ames, Iowa; Ross Roden, Ames, Iowa; Robert Walen, Chicago, Ill.; and Walter Barrett of Montana. Of this class, eight are out for freshman football, two

for basketball and two for swimming. Robert Grier, Duane Clinton and Jonas Frederickson are out for varsity football. Russell Rapp, Raymond Rapp, Russell Chandler and Duane Clinton are out for basketball.

William Harsin is business manager of the commerce magazine and Douglas Waitley is manager of the glee club, which is negotiating for a

bolgias wantey is hanger of the gree cho, which is negotiating for a trip to Oxford, England.
Ned Piper, Hiram Fargo and Cecil Boyle were recently married.
Several of last year's graduates are working in Chicago, among whom are David Lindgren, Ned Piper, Hugh Adams, William Miller, Luther Snodgrass and Hiram Fargo. Maxwell Joice is with a concern in New York City.

The chapter wishes to extend a hearty invitation to all the alumni and other brothers to be with us during the football season and any subsequent time during the year.

Evanston, Ill.

September 29, 1921

WINSTON MURRAY Correspondent

## Illinois Beta — University of Chicago

The college year does not open until October 3d, but rushing is already in full swing. With six men already pledged and with nearly all the old men back, we should have a big year.

We are well represented in athletics this year with McGuire as football captain and Redmon as track captain. McGuire, Redmon, Neff Schwab, Omer and Cox are out for varsity football this fall. The first three were letter men in football last year and should again make a good showing.

The football season opens on October 1st with Northwestern. Everyone is anxious to see the team in action and the prospects are good for a successful season. One of the features of this year's schedule is the intersectional games, one with the University of Colorado, played at Chicago, and the other with Princeton, at Princeton.

Having sold the old house on University avenue, Illinois Beta has obtained new quarters at 5330 Greenwood avenue. We are very comfortably located and expect to have many good times in this house until spring when it is planned to build a new home. We extend a welcome to all brothers to visit us at our new home.

Chicago, Ill. September 29, 1921

Іони Н. Сох Correspondent

# Illinois Delta — University of Illinois

With 25 brothers on deck and one week left before the university opens, everything is set for a fine year at Illinois Delta.

New furniture and rugs plus the elbow-grease of the brothers on hand has put the house into tip-top shape for the rushees, who will begin to

arrive at 911 in a few days. Rushing Chairman Richard Pentecost and his committe of Brothers Larsen, Keenan, Burns and Bennett have lined up a wonderful list of prospective pledges.

The chapter will be well represented on the campus this year. Anderson, Baur and Speers are awaiting the first day of varsity football practice. Coach Zuppke had Anderson punting during the summer and his ability to get 50 and 60 yards out of his kicks has put Andy in line for a regular place at end to fill the gaps left by the former Illini wing-men. Speers and Baur, stars on the freshman aggreation of last year, have excellent chances to make good in the line.

Joe Godfrey jr. spent the summer on the sports staff of the Chicago Daily Journal and is better prepared than ever to clinch his job as athletic editor of the Daily Illini. "Scoop" is also university correspondent for the Associated Press, the Journal and the American. Fred Nagle is going out for football manager and Bowly will be out for baseball manager. Jimmie Keenan has a fine chance to get the business manager job on the Illinois Siren. Fran Dawson has made the business staff of the Illinois Chemist.

Perkins Bass jr and Bill Donohue are back for their nth year at 911. Perk's experience in Phi Psi assures us of having a good G. P. for the coming semester. Bill's famous Illini orchestra will again keep the brothers in tune and will also furnish the university with plenty of music of the latest variety.

The drive for the University of Illinios \$2,000,000 stadium is still under way — that is, the undergraduates last spring pledged \$700,000 and the alumni drive takes place at homecoming this fall. Illinois Delta pledged 100 per cent besides the \$1000 for the memorial column. Ground will be broken in the spring for this mammoth structure, which will be the largest in the world.

#### Tennessee Delta — Vanderbilt University

It is good to be back in college. It is good to have a number of old men returned to the chapter. It is good to have "transfers" in our midst, and it is fine to be able to pledge a representative bunch of men you can depend upon to make fine Phi Psis; and even better still is for the whole bunch to get right down to work and lead the university in representation of spirit as well as actual numbers at the first big "pep" meeting of the year.

After one of the hardest summers ever experienced, both of a financial and physical character, Tennessee Delta is fortunate in returning 15 men all of whom started rushing before our contemporaries had gotten well straightened out. Consequently we are taking great pleasure in presenting the following pledges: "Gil" Reese, Tupelo, Miss.; George Byers, Adairville, Ky.; Edward Blackman, Tullahoma, Tenn.; Joel Madison, Bowling Green, Ky.; Willis Dowell, Cushman Radebaugh, Tom Wynne, John Wynne and Claude Dies, all of Nashville.

All these men come to the chapter highly recommended. Reese comes to us with his head wreathed with laurels won on gridiron, basketball court and the diamond, and has shown up well in all scrimmages thus far in the season.

Dave Ellis, Ind. Beta, has enter d Vanderbilt this year and gave us splendid assistance in rushing. We grieve for Indiana Beta's loss but it is with pleasure that we welcome him into our fold.

The first mass meeting of the year was held September 29th in the new gymnasium. The principal object of the meeting was to instil enthu-

siasm in the freshmen and generate love for their alma mater. It was a success from the starting "Varsity" to the final roll call. In both the cheering and the roll call Phi Psi led by a good margin. Out of a chapter of 23 we had 20 representatives and the spirit evinced was publicly recognized by the chair.

Vanderbilt easily defeated the State Normal School October 1st and our two little pigskin-toters, Oliver Kuhn and Gil Reese, showed a fleet pair of heels to the Murfreesboro lads on more than one run. Silas Yarbrough o' last year's scrub team, and mainstay of the "Meds," is making a gallant fight for a backfield position. We wish to thank sincerely those brothers who recommended men to

We wish to thank sincerely those brothers who recommended men to us, for we secured valued assistance both from out-of-town alumni and from our brothers of other chapters.

> We thank Phi Psi who drew us together, It's an old time saying but, "We stick together," So join our hands and join our cry, Hi, Hi, Hi, Phi Kappa Psi!

Nashville, Tenn. October 1, 1921 GERALD R. COWAN Corresponden

# Wisconsin Alpha — University of Wisconsin

It is with great pleasure that Wisconsin Alpha announces the closing of a successful rushing season and presents to the Fraternity the following pledges: Eugene F. Crawford, Rockford, Ill.; Donald MacArthur, Antigo, Wis.; Frederick H. Taggart, Lake Geneva, Wis.; Harry Reid, Chicago, Ill.; Rene Hemmingway, Chicago, Ill.; V. Edward Vaile and Joseph E. Vaile, Kokomo, Ind.

With the exception of two or three, all the old men are back and we expect an unusually big year on the campus. As a starter we have three men on the football team. The whistle for the Badger's first game found George C. Bunge holding his old position at center. Joe Ryan and Pledge Robert Whitten are on the varsity squad this year, the former at quarter and the latter at left half. We have good prospects for basketball and track and several brothers are out for the varsity.

Boardman has been very active in the senior law class. Through his efforts a new tradition of carrying canes has been adopted by the senior laws. The canes are supposed to be symbolical of the senior law conservatism.

Bunge is running for senior class president and we hope to announce his success in the next SHIELD.

We are giving a party October 15th to celebrate the downfall of the old house. On that date the first bricks will be torn out of the old shack. By the first of the next college year we hope to be housed in our new home which is to be built on the old site. We are living temporarily in a rented old castle at 28 E. Gilman st. None of the brothers has as yet explored all its secluded recesses.

The following brothers from other chapters are with us this year: Henry C. Sweeney, Mass. Alpha and N. Y. Gamma; Robert French, Mass. Alpha; Leslie Boley, Ohio Epsilon; Harold Frye, Wis. Gamma; Fred Wall Johnson, Wis. Gamma; and E. F. Hale, Texas Alpha.

We play Minnesota and Michigan on our home field and hope to welcome many visiting brothers on these dates.

Madison, Wis. October 9, 1921 JOHN A. SENNEFF 2d Correspondent

#### Wisconsin Gamma — Beloit College

With the opening of college this fall we found our chapter somewhat decreased due to the failure of several of the undergraduates to return. A number have transferred to other schools while others are expected to return the second quarter. This, however, did not handicap us in making a good start. We announce the pledging of twelve men as follows: Donald Kessler, Quincy, Ill.; Arthur Brenizer, Freeport, Ill; Scott Hartley, Carver, Minn.; Franklin Chapman, El Centro, Cal.; Frank Roberts, Omaha, Neb.; Kenneth Sturdevandt, Beloit, Wis.; Willis Thorne, Hudson, Wis.; Clifford Dexheimer, Fort Atkinson, Wis.; John Connel, Beloit, Wis.; Ralph Wilford, Beloit, Wis.; Alfred Bradley, Beloit, Wis.; Edwin Heckler, Wilmette, Ill. Lames McCarthy is captain of the football team, which was vic-

James McCarthy is captain of the football team, which was victorious over Northwestern University. Angel Ordonez is student manager of athletics and temporary representative for athletics on the general board. James K. Parker is president of the Associated Students. Pledge Bill Bunge (brother of George of Wisconsin Alpha) has recently been elected cheerleader.

Prof. Alfred Smith, R. I. Alpha, joins our faculty this year as head of the public speaking department. "Pud" Collins took over this summer the duties of alumnus adviser, which up to this time had been so ably and faithfully carried out by Lyle K. Munn '07.

Beloit, Wis.

October 1, 1921

ANGEL ORDONEZ Correspondent

## Minnesota Beta — University of Minnesota

Minnesota Beta opened the college year September 28th with 23 brothers and one pledge back.

The house has been redecorated and the first party of the season was given September 24th. We have been meeting in an informal way for the past month in order to get a running start this fall.

The football season starts October 1st with a game against North Dakota. We have two men on the football team: Arnie Oss at halfback and Oliver Aas at center. Altfillisch, Blodgett and Merrill are also out and give promise of becoming regulars next year. *Minneapolis, Minn.* JOHN K. MORTLAND JR.

Minneapolis, Minn. October 1, 1921

Correspondent

#### FIFTH DISTRICT

#### Iowa Alpha — University of Iowa

Iowa University opened the college year on September 26th with a registration of over 6000. Iowa Alpha made a good start with 26 brothers present, most of them having arrived several days before the start of registration. By the opening day the house was completely cleaned, rooms were arranged and rushing was fully organized. To this prepartion and to the cooperation of the alumni can be attributed the unqualified success of the rushing season.

Iowa Alpha was very glad to welcome back to its fellowship Shourds Rogers, who was last year affiliated with Iowa Beta, and Robert Johnson, who was absent a year.

The chapter takes great pleasure in introducing the following pledges: Harold Jensen, Cedar Rapids; Gerald A. Gage, Sabula; Harry Boysen, Harlan; Frank Williams, Hampton; Edward F. Howrey, Waterloo; Hector Janse, Luverne; Charles Larabee, jr., Fort Dodge; James Mc-Cord, Des Moines; and Arthur Boyson, Harlan. Pledge William Kuser of Eldora, who was compelled to withdraw from college last year, has also returned to the university.

In collegiate activities the chapter will be well represented as usual. Minnick and Miller have regular berths on the varsity eleven, and Wilson, Iowa's premier dash man, is engaged in fall training. Debaters, thespians and musicians are competing for places on the organizations, and the many politicians of the chapter are repairing their fences.

The chapter is proud to announce that the first issue of the *Daily Iowan* carried the announcement that Phi Kappa Psi had led the twenty nonprofessional fraternities in scholarship for the college year of 1920-21. The average for the chapter of 39 men was 78.72, over a point higher than Sigma Pi which ranked second. The general average for all fraternities was 75.4, for all university men 73.83. This accomplishment entitles the chapter to the possession of the scholarship cup for the present year. Phi Psi has stood first in scholarship twice, and second once during the last three years.

Iowa City, Iowa

October 2, 1921

DEWAYNE SILLIMAN Correspondent

## Iowa Beta — Iowa State College

Fifteen men returned at the opening of college this fall. This is a larger number than we have had for rushing for some time. We are also glad to have with us three new brothers: George W. Witehead and Fred Bushnell from Beloit and H. F. Mellinger from Wittenberg. College has opened very late and so we have had only three days of work so far.

The whole chapter feels very deeply the loss of Cyrus L. Schlichter, who was drowned in the Mississippi this summer. It was a great blow to us all and it is impossible to express adequately our sorrow over the tragedy.

We are pleased to introduce four new pledges: Charles H. Brown jr., Waterloo, Iowa; Brewer Mattocks 3d, Duluth, Minn.; George Rosenfeld, Ames; and Herbert Osland, Chicago. There is a big freshman class to pick from, an increase of 10 per cent in the enrollment.

In the last week of August the wedding bells rang for three Ames Phi Psis. Richard Barker was married to Miss Genevieve McKim at the Kappa Delta house. "Polly" Wallace was best man. At the end of the same week Edwin Porter and Miss Lucille Deyer were married at Bowling Green, Mo. Franklin Mason was best man. In Sioux City Armour Galbraith of Suffern, N. Y., and Miss Maid Johnson were married. Bro. and Mrs. Barker were there and Barker was best man.

Bro. and Mrs. Richard Barker visited the chapter a few days after returning from Sioux City and today Bro. and Mrs. Galbraith are our guests. Bro. and Mrs. Jack Greenwood were at the house yesterday and Guy Whitley was here for dinner this noon. We are always glad to have visiting brothers and urge any going through Ames to stop and pay us a call.

Wallace, last year's all-American center, is captain of the team this fall. "Bill" Davis is in college again this year and is showing up extra well as left half. Hugh P. Bigler has been elected president of the Engineering Council. J. K. Rice has been appointed circulation manager of the *Iowa Engineer*.

Ames, Iowa

October 2, 1921

LELAND B. JOHNSON Correspondent

### Missouri Alpha — University of Missouri

Missouri Alpha has completed another successful rushing season and announces with pleasure the following pledges: Nelson Jeanette, Charles Heite, T. P. Headon, Herchal Clevenger, Frederick Smith, Kansas City; G. W. Clarkson, St. Louis; Jessie Boatman, Maryville; Harold Standish, Bedford, Ind.; William Thomas and Hamilton Holman, Moberly; John Martin, Boonville; E. C. Enyart, Stanberry.

All of last year's chapter but Wallace, Stuart, Smith, Don Whitcomb and Plattenburg, have returned, making 25 initiated mcn back. College opened August 30th with an enrolment of 3500, which is larger than last year. Due to the resignation of Dr. Hill as president of the university, Dean J. C. Jones is acting as president. Dr. Hill has accepted an appointment with the Red Cross and it is expected that a new president will be appointed soon.

Football practice starts the middle of the month and prospects for a successful year are very good. Jimmie Phelan, who was assistant football coach last year, has been appointed head coach. Phelan's work as assistant coach was excellent and we are all sure that as head coach he will turn out a winning team. Phi Psi has three promising candidates (Wetzel, Peck and Robinson) for the varsity and Pledge Standish is out for the freshman squad. Craig Ruby, who coached the Tigers to a championship in basketball last year, will be back again as coach. Bill Collins, of football fame at Missouri, will coach Liberty High School in football.

Phi Psi is exceptionally well represented in activities this year. We have men in all the honorary fraternities, six officers in the military department, several men in the band, glee club and dramatic club. Misselwitz, who was editor of the Annual last year, will be on the advisory board this year.

Chalmers Wood, recently married, has returned to college with his charming young wife, whom we all welcome gladly as a new Phi Psi sister. A tea was given in honor of Mrs. Wood the afternoon of September 25th. Mrs. Flora Woodward of Cincinnati is with us again this year as chaperone and we are all delighted that she is back. Brother Gehr, R. I. Alpha, is in the English department. Bill Telfer, Ind. Beta, was down for rush week, bringing with him a valuable man.

The social season was started with a dance on September 23d which will be followed by our big Hallowe'en party October 21st. Extensive plans are being made for homecoming, which is the Oklahoma game on November 12th, and Missouri Alpha extends a hearty and fraternal invitation to all alumni and other brothers to attend.

Columbia, Mo. September 13, 1921 H. G. SIGMAN Correspondent

# Texas Alpha — University of Texas

The prospects for returning a goodly number of men often look quite blue for a chapter during the summer months, and thus it was for Texas Alpha; but it happened that so many men decided to return at the last moment as to give things a much more cheerful aspect. Furthermore, Texas Alpha was given a great thrill of joy by finding itself to be among those fortunate chapters at the University of Texas that made the fraternity average last year, such being necessary for a chapter to be eligible to initiate. Texas Alpha has four freshmen of last year who can be initiated this fall.

The 1921 rush week was one of the hardest contested combats in the history of the university. All fraternities had been unusually watchful

during the summer months, and it seems that nearly all of the twenty chapters had secured dates with the same men. Texas Alpha had many chapters had secured dates with the same men. Texas Alpha had many men upon her lists of rushees, and by the close of rush week was able to announce the pledging of ten of the most desirable, as follows: Evans Mason, Vernon; George Ray, Beeville; Warren Scarborough, Fort Worth; William Boyce, Amarillo; Jack Kennedy, Whitesboro; Abe Bashara, Wichita Falls; Horace Kibbie, Fort Worth; T. M. Jones, El Paso; Henry Wedemeyer, San Antonio; Claude Williams, Longview. The indications are that Texas will go through another gridiron season without a single defeat. Texas Alpha is doing her share in that direc-tion. George Hill, varsity guard and three-letter man of last year, will again hold down his midline position. Albert Curtis and Joe Ward, numeral men of last year's freshman team, will in all probability make their varsity letters as end and tackle respectively this year. Shirley Rowland is again chief vell leader, and already has his noise machine

Rowland is again chief yell leader, and already has his noise machine working loudly.

Austin, Texas October 5, 1921

BEAUMONT STINNETT Correspondent

## Kansas Alpha — University of Kansas

Kansas Alpha returned 27 men this year and these brothers, with the aid of many of the alumni, staged one of our most successful rushing seasons. The following 16 men were pledged: Deweese, Bonner; Boggs, Wichita; Simons, Lawrence; Montgomery, Junction City; Fetherlin, Iola; Wimmer, Argentine; Labdell, Washington, D. C.; Glasscock, Hutchinson; Campbell, Wilkins and Brigham, Kansas City, Mo.; Baker, Kansas City, Kan.; Belgard, Newton; Thompson, Marion; Stout, Medicine Lodge.

The chapter is now completing the installation of a new brick walk which will greatly add to the attractiveness of our new home.

The annual freshman smoker of all fraternity pledges was held at the chapter house September 29th and about 150 were present.

Several of the brothers are out for varsity football this fall and many of the pledges are out for the freshman team. Farrel, Brigham and Esterly are out for varsity squad. The football season opened October 1st with a victory over Washburn at Topeka. The season will close here with the Missouri game Thanksgiving. This is the biggest game of the year and will be the homecoming game this year. We want to hear from all the alumni that can possibly return for this game so we can make arrangements for seats and for accommodations at the house.

The new stadium is progressing rapidly and it is hoped that by Thanksgiving it will be sufficiently advanced to handle the Missouri-Kansas crowd. A new cafeteria is also being built on the campus next to Snow Hall.

The chapter has started out with lots of "pep" this year and with a continuation of the same spirit we may look forward to one of the most successful years for old Kansas Alpha.

Lawrence, Kan.

October 3, 1921

DICK DUNGAN Correspondent

# Nebraska Alpha — University of Nebraska

Twenty-seven brothers constituted the rushing machinery for the first semester, 1921-22. We were successful in pledging the following 12 men: Max Arkwright, Beatrice; Cillis Day, Barneston; Arvid Eyth, Beatrice; Frederic Fall, Beatrice; Edgar Fisher, Beatrice; Oliver Gid-

dings, Beatrice; Giles Henkle, Lincoln; Donald Hollenbeck, Lincoln; Francis Sperry, Omaha; Richard Koch, Omaha; Edward Mulligan, Lincoln; Paul Ristine, Shenandoah, Iowa. We wish also to announce that Mrs. H. R. Van Decar, of York, Neb., is our house mother this year.

Earle Coryell, chairman of the alumni committee, and his chief lieutenants supervised the purchase of new furniture for the entire first floor, the redecorating of the interior and the painting of the chapter house on the outside during the summer months. When the men returned this fall everything was in readiness for a successful rush week.

Nebraska played her initial football game of the season October 16th, defeating Wesleyan 55-0. Although this was a minor game, as the score indicates, it showed up material for a victorious team. Dave Noble made several sensational runs during the game and intercepted a forward pass. His work was favorably commented upon by local sport critics. Floyd Wright, a third year regular, did not play the entire game due to a bad knee, but during the time he was "in" he showed that he still had the "fighting spirit." Howard Margrave, who showed up so favorably on the freshman squad last year, is showing the same form this year and with proper coaching will have no trouble in making the varsity. Pledges Cillis Day, brother of ex-captain Day, and Paul Ristine may be seen every afternoon working hard with the frosh team. Ristine played last year at Grinnell College. Pledge Frank Morgan, who made such a brilliant record on the freshman team last year, did not return this year. He is attending Creighton University and is playing football there.

and is playing football there. "Bill" Day, captain of last year's gridiron team, is now secretary of the University Y. M. C. A. and assistant football coach at the university. Day and Wright were both members of the all-Phi Psi football team picked by THE SHIELD last year. Wright presented Nebraska Alpha with a silver loving cup which he won at the Drake relays on April 23d. He made the 120 -yard high hurdles in 15 2-5.

Story Harding, editor in chief of the *Daily Nebraskan* last semester, was appointed assistant editor of the 1922 *Cornhusker*. Harding and Wright were tapped Innocents, senior men's organization, last fall. They are also members of the Squires, senior law fraternity.

R. Van Brunt is business manager of the *Blue Print*, an engineering magazine, and expects to be graduated this year. Boyer, president of the sophomore class last semester, is now "knee deep" in politics. Last fall he was made member of the Vikings, junior organization. Asa Waters and Russell Replogle were initiated into the Iron Sphinx, sophomore society. Replogle was also initiated into the Kosmet Klub, a dramatic organization.

Pledge Giles Henkle was elected into the Green Goblin, freshman organization. He is also a candidate for freshman president.

Nebraska Alpha has two brothers who are in New York this year. Howard Murfin '19 is now reporting on one of the big New York dailies and Gaylord Davis '17 is an instructor in accounting at Columbia University.

Jack Fisher, who received an appointment to West Point last year, writes that he has become fully acclimated. The lure of Michigan state proved too much for Robert Mc Creery. He is attending Michigan University this year. Lyman Mead, an alumnus of Nebraska Alpha, was at the chapter house during rush week. A rushing party the latter part of August and a dance given September 23d at the chapter house constitute the social functions to date.

Glen H. Sire, who made such a splendid showing as president of Nebraska Alpha the second semester of last year, was reelected for the first term this year.

E. M. Cline of Nebraska City is being pushed for the national commander of the American Legion.

Every Phi Psi seems to be imbued with the spirit to work hard on the campus — not so much for his own personal glory as for the glory of Nebraska University and Nebraska Alpha. Lincoln. Neb. A. BRADFORD WATERS

October 3, 1921

A. BRADFORD WATERS Correspondent

#### Oklahoma Alpha — University of Oklahoma

Rush week started September 15th, with 19 members back. Prospects for both the chapter and the university appear brighter than ever before. Indications point toward the 4000 mark for enrolment this year.

We announce the following pledges: Charles Calvin Twichell, last year's captain of Okmulgee High School basketball and track teams, who has also three football and two debating letters, besides the honor of breaking the quarter-mile record at the central state conference in 1919; Clinton Steinberger jr, Chickasha High School's all-round athlete; Wilber Finderburk of Mangum, Okla., who hails from Culver Military Academy; Bart J. Aldridge, Wewoka, who has earned ten high school letters and five letters from Oklahoma Baptist University, having been pitcher on the Baptist team, center in football and all-state center in basketball, captain of basketball and baseball in 1920, besides being a member of their quartet and glee club; Hugh P. Barham, Wewoka, who has won fourteen letters in high school and three at Central State Normal. He was all-round man at the state high school meet in 1920, and allround man at normal school meet in 1921. He played end and halfback on the football team, and was captain of the football, basketball and track teams, and also a member of the high school quartet and glee club; John Mugler, Perry, Okla., who was on the orchestra, football, basketball, and baseball teams; Bob Catlett, Weeleka, baseball at Oklahoma Baptist University; Harold Earnheart, Oklahoma City,

A banquet was given by the chapter at the Huckins Hotel in Oklahoma City, September 12th, as a rushing feature. Thirty-five members and about fifteen rushees were present. The Tulsa A. A. held a banquet in Tulsa, September 6th for twenty members and twelve rushees.

Pendergraft, Spangler and Paine have reported to Coach Bennie Owens for varsity football. Aldridge, Barham and Steinberger are out for freshman football.

William Cline, Okla. Alpha '21, was recently married to Miss Flora Walker of Norman. He is now a member of the law firm with his father and lives in Newkirk.

Delta Tau Delta has granted its forty-sixth chapter to a local here, which makes fifteen national fraternities represented on the campus.

John Freeman, Pa. Theta; Mike Mayland, Wis. Alpha; and "Hod" Bayer, Wis. Alpha, will be at Oklahoma University this year. Eugene Catlett, M. A. Jordan, Laurence Northcutt, Stanley Catlett,

Eugene Catlett, M. A. Jordan, Laurence Northcutt, Stanley Catlett, Bob Gordon and Ray Isom were among the old members back for rush week.

F. Edward Walker, Texas Alpha; Bro. Campbell, Kan. Alpha; Bro. Chappin, Pa. Beta; Fred Shaw, Kan. Alpha, were visitors during rush week.

Norman, Okla. September 10, 1921 HOMER L. KEEGAN Correspondent

## Colorado Alpha — University of Colorado

Colorado Alpha takes pleasure in introducing the following pledges: Charles Munz, Lawrence Blunt, George Marlow, Arthur Galligan, Denver; Edward Kneale, Boulder; Richard Cappell, Council Bluffs, Iowa; Clifton Lott, Hendersonville, N. C.

Among those who returned this fall are: Walter Walsh, Harte Campbell, Mc Lane Smith, Leslie Skerry, Harold Burke and Dwight Nichols. Bruce Wallace is in the employ of the Weaver Porter Motor Co. John Rush has moved with his parents to California, and has entered Stanford. Harold Suddard, Jack Farrell and Herschel Hawley are out hunting fortunes in the musical game. John Hadley and Myron Owen are at Kansas and Princeton respectively.

This year will be a banner year in football for Colorado. The line is much heavier and faster than the year before. The backfield has been strengthened by the changing of men from one position to another, and by experience gained from last year's showing. A larger coaching staff, the incentive of a trip to Chicago October 29th, training quarters, and a whole-hearted Colorado spirit behind the team are some of the factors that may help to turn out a winning team. Britzman, Jack, Jones, Campbell and R. Maier are out for the team. Munz, Marlow and Kneale are out for freshman football.

In scholarship Colorado Alpha led the national fraternities. The house committee has a proposition involving a new house under consideration, and it is hoped that things will materialize to such an extent that we shall soon be able to say that we own our own home.

Christenson has been elected to membership in Phi Rho Sigma. Boulder, Col.

October 4, 1921

BASIL R. CREIGHTON Correspon den

## Washington Alpha — University of Washington

Washington Alpha opened the college year with a chapter seriously depleted by the loss of nearly half its members. Excessive tuition eliminated the out-of-state men and graduation and other factors cut down the number of men returning. In a successful rushing season 11 men have been pledged, who with our former pledges will bring the chapter to its proper strength.

The new men whom Washington Alpha wishes to introduce are Charles Estay, Seattle; Trevor Davies, Seattle; Percy Egvet, Seattle; Richard Holbrook, Seattle; Harold Maas, Milwaukee; Perry Clark, Aberdeen; Hubert Lewis, Aberdeen; John Weiser, Bellingham; Roy Vestal, Juneau, Alas.; Ed McManus, Seattle; and Andrew Morrill, Coupeville.

The chapter wishes to thank the alumni of this and other chapters for hearty cooperation in the rushing season and ask for a continuation of the same spirit.

Phi Kappa Psi ranked sixth in scholarship among thirty-three fraternities represented on the Washington campus last year, with a slightly lower average than for the preceding year. General measures for increasing the standard of fraternity scholarship at Washington have been adopted this year, in which we expect to take an active part.

Football is the big activity here as elsewhere at present. Two Phi Psis, Bob Ingram at tackle and Ed Porep at end, represent the chapter on the varsity. Four of the pledges are reporting for frosh football. In crew, Lloyd Mason is out for varsity and Pledge Weiser is out for the frosh shell.

In publications Phi Psis have already taken a leading part. Herbert Brink has been appointed manager of the *Tyee*, the yearbook, and Jack Bole is manager of the *Daily*. Owen Cowling, Ed McManus, Harold Maas and Harold Marquis are working on the staffs of the *Daily*, Sun Dodger and Columns, the three student publications.

Washington Alpha has been honored during the summer by visits from several Phi Psis from eastern and midwestern chapters. Norman Singley from Colgate and Hal Leffingwell of Allegheny have been with us for several weeks and expect to locate in Seattle. We are always pleased to have other Phi Psis visit the chapter and help us keep in closer touch with the more distant chapters.

Seattle, Wash.

October 5, 1921

HAROLD H. MARQUIS Correspondent

## California Beta --- Leland Stanford University

Twenty members and four transfers, who have been invited to live in the house, returned for the fall quarter. Our chapter house has received a new coat of paint, and the grounds and house are in excellent shape.

The prospects for the year seem to be remarkably bright, both for the standing of Phi Psi on the campus and for the university as a whole. This year has witnessed the entrance of the best and largest freshman class in the history of the institution. There are many athletes among them and the freshman football squad includes many promising players. The entrance of such a class affords excellent rushing material. The rushing season lasts for three weeks and all the bidding of freshmen is done in one day in a formal way. Bidding takes place October 30th.

We are well represented in athletics and other campus activities. Mitchell, Wayland and Patterson are varsity S men in baseball, as is Richmond in basketball. Wayland, Newlin and Kirkwood are out for varsity football and Wittenburg is on the regular frosh team. Clarence Pinkston, who won diving honors at the recent Olympic games, has returned to college. Swayne and Genereaux are out for the varsity soccer team.

The new Stanford stadium, with a seating capacity of 65,000, is nearing completion and will be first used for the annual big football game with California. A new basketball pavillion and a new Union building are also nearing completion. Both have been badly needed for some time.

Stanford University, Cal. October 17, 1921 WILLIAM W. SWAYNE Correspondent

# California Gamma - University of California

The end of a successful rushing season was celebrated at the chapter house September 4th, when eight pledges were initiated. It is with pleasure that the chapter introduces the following brothers: Willard B. Bobbitt, Long Beach; Harry Brownson jr., Whittier; Alden L. Cummins, Long Beach; Edwin W. Pauley, Pasadena; Walter F. Rau, Venice; William L. Renick jr., Long Beach; Harry V. Reathers, San Francisco; and Bert Saxby jr., Santa Barbara. An impressive banquet, that rejuvenated the 20 alumni present, followed the initiation. On September 2d an informal dance was held in the chapter house. Through the efforts of Morris Lerned the first of six issues of the California Phi Psi was issued September 6th.

On the varsity football squad California Gamma is represented by three sophomores; Stewart Beam is out for tackle, Walter O'Brien is out for quarterback, Darrell Hufford is out for end. On the freshman squad, Walter Rau is playing end. On the "Goofs," are Evans, Loose and Hazzard. Chris Marelia is out for crew manager, while Leonard Renick is fighting for the position of "cox" on the freshman crew. Frank Dunn is out for tennis manager and Francis Ledyard is an aspirant for varsity tennis. Gerald Villain and Francis Ledyard are on the golf team.

In interfraternity athletics California Gamma is in the tennis finals and still in the running for the baseball championship.

Sam Bell was recently elected into Alpha Zeta. Sumner Mering has added to his collection of honors the presidency of the California Law School Association. Robert Beal is yell leader of the junior class.

Two beautiful rugs donated by the Mother's Club greatly improved the interior, while a new lawn is being planted to improve the exterior of the house.

California is in the mist of a huge statewide drive for subscriptions for the construction of a \$1,000,000 memorial stadium with a seating capacity of 60,000.

Berkley, Cal. October 7, 1921 JACK FERRI Correspondent

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### Cyrus L. Schlichter, Iowa Beta '18

Cyrus L. Schlichter, Iowa Beta '18, was drowned in the Mississipp river on July 8th after saving one of his comrades. He was the only son of Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Schlichter of Burlington, Iowa. He was a graduate of Burlington High School and at the opening of the war entered the service and was stationed at the Great Lakes. At the close of the war he reentered Iowa State College and completed his junior year last spring.

The river tragedy happened near Hamburg, Ill., as a sand bank crumbled and caved in sending the swimmers into a swift current. Brother Schlichter had been on one of the river steamers playing in an orchestra during vacation. A number of the party, including Schlichter, were standing on the bank as it gave way without warning and "Cy" was lost after rescuing one of the boys.

Masonic funeral services were held the following Sunday afternon at sunset. Burial was in Aspen Grove. Brothers McFarland, Rice, Morony, Jack Turner, Rollin Cowles and Bongert were pall bearers.

Brother Schlichter was one of the most popular and well known young men in Burlington and at college. No member contributed more to the social life and good fellowship than he. He was a loyal worker for fraternity and college activities.

### Judson Swift, Ohio Beta '66

The Rev. Dr. Judson Swift, Ohio Beta '66, general secretary emeritus of the American Tract Society, died August 19, 1921 at his home in New York City. Dr. Swift had been an officer of the American Tract Society for 27 years, first as field secretary and since 1908 as general secretary. Because of illness he resigned last June and was appointed general secretary emeritus. For several years he was pastor of the Grace Presbyterian Church in Oswego, N. Y. He was the author of numerous religious pamphlets and three manuals of devotion, one of which was especially written for soldiers and sailors and was widely used in the late war. He was born December 13, 1846.

### James C. Wray, Pa. Alpha '96

James Clement Wray, Pa. Alpha '96, of Bellwood Pa., died in Atlantic City, N. J., September 24, 1921. He was born in Bellwood December 3, 1877. He was graduated from Washington and Jefferson College in 1899 and from the University of Pennsylvania Law School in 1902. At the time of his death he was referee in bankruptcy of Blair county.

# Captain Frick's Body Interred

Capt. William Ward Frick, Pa. Theta '10, who died in a base hospital at Souilly, France, March 17, 1919, was buried at Sewickley, Pa., his late home, last month. He was born July 4, 1891. He entered the service in May 1917 and went to France a year later. His death was caused by an illness contracted during an engagement near Cumieres in the Verdun sector, where he had been in action several weeks before the armistice.

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#### Where Are We Drifting?

DAN G. SWANNELL, Mich. Alpha '93, Contributor

AN article recently appearing in the publication of Lambda Chi Alpha challenged my attention, and the first thought that entered my mind was the title to this article. The article consisted largely of statistics which I shall condense, but I do want to quote some points for the attention of the members of Phi Kappa Psi.

The male collegiate and graduate student enrolment in universities, colleges and technical schools in the United States was almost 69 per cent greater in 1915-16 than in 1905-6 and the income of the institutions of higher learning more than doubled during the same period. The latest bulletin of the Bureau of Education, bearing on the subject, is one recently published, and includes statistics only from 1889 to 1918. The latest figures are for the war years of 1917-18, when of course there was a decrease in attendance. So the latest figures which are of any value are for 1915-16. The rapid increase in attendance since the close of the war we are all aware of, so that the 69 per cent referred to has now probably increased very materially. The point of this is to show the tremendous increase in student enrolment; it should immediately challenge our attention and cause us to think how it will effect us on the matter of expansion. On the financial side, according to the World Almanac, the various institutions received \$2.14 in income in 1915-16 for every dollar that was received in 1905-6 and the Bureau of Education bulletin gives the income for 1917-18 as \$137,055,415.

Sigma Alpha Epsilon has 91 chapters, the largest of any fraternity, but is unrepresented in more than half of the institutions which support chapters of men's national organizations. A committee of the Interfraternity Conference reported in 1920 that there were approximately 200 institutions of collegiate grade with chapters of men's national academic fraternities and approximately 400 institutions of collegiate grade admitting male students without chapters of at least one men's national academic fraternity. The Conference leaders are emphatic in stating there is a need for more fraternity chapters. In a recent issue of Banta's Greek Exchange Dr. F. W. Shepardson, of Beta Theta Pi, states "There must be more fraternity chapters and more fraternities. Those old established organizations which have ten to thirty chapters must recognize their duty and help in the impending crisis. Those which have forty must have eighty. There must be encouragement given to every struggling fraternity to help develop and go forward. Along this line lies the future of the fraternity cause in American colleges."

Whether antifraternity sentiment and agitation has subsided or not we cannot tell, but it is a fact that there is an increased number of institutions that are opening their doors to the college fraternity. One national organization was recently petitioned from four institutions which had no chapters of national bodies at that time. The Phi Delta Theta Scroll states that at a recent convention, out of twenty-one petitioning organizations, three were accepted. This goes to show that Phi Kappa Psi is not receiving all of the petitions.

The committee of the Interfraternity Conference also reported that, excluding all institutions devoted solely to the education of women, or devoted to the education of negroes, there were 411 colleges and universities recognized by the state departments of education in which no fraternities, academic, professional or honorary, were organized. Of this number, 75 were devoted exclusively to the education of men and 113 are theological colleges and seminaries. The committee in compiling its report accepted any institutions having chapters of national academic, honorary or professional societies as fraternity institutions.

The writer of the article in the Lambda Chi Alpha magazine has excluded from his classification many institutions included in the Interfraternity Conference report and has narrowed the definition of a fraternity institution to include only such institutions as have chapters of at least one national academic society, and has also excluded from his list professional, honorary, Jewish, negro, prelaw and agricultural societies and some others. He finds that there are 192 institutions in the United States which conform to this narrowed definition of a fraternity institution. Pennsylvania and New York have the greatest number, each with 16, Ohio third with 14, and Illinois fourth with 10. They. however, find on the other hand that there are 353 institutions in the United States recognized as colleges by the several state departments of education and devoted to the education of at least some male students at which no national academic fraternities maintain chapters.

While the statistics given above vary, as is bound to be the case when personal opinion enters, as whether an institution is a fraternity field or not, these statistics show the enormous field for extension of fraternities. The question before Phi Kappa Psi is: How far shall we go?

At the present time there are not enough chapters in the various institutions which admit fraternities to take care of the great number of men who are eligible for membership in fraternities. In other words, the number of nonfraternity men in these institutions is larger than it should be; a large number of boys are not members of fraternities who should be and who probably desire membership.

On the other hand, it would appear to the writer that there are not enough fraternities to take up the field which is offered by the various institutions which now do not have chapters.

So the big question is, Where is Phi Kappa Psi drifting? The large number of petitions received by us shows clearly that we can, if we desire, double our chapter roll in the next ten years, and to my mind the problem for Phi Kappa Psi to decide is, do we want to enter this field with the idea of a roll of 80 to 100 chapters in the next ten to twenty years, or shall we encourage the smaller fraternities and new fraternities to take up these undeveloped fields.

We can not dodge the issue. It is the writer's opinion that Phi Kappa Psi must decide whether we shall embark on an extension policy which would mean 80 to 100 chapters within the next ten to twenty years, or whether we will follow our past conservative policy and have 50 to 60 chapters at the end of this period. In other words, would Phi Kappa Psi prefer a new fraternity to develop a roll of 50 or 60 chapters and we maintain about the same number, or shall we increase our chapter roll to the size that the two fraternities would have. In the writer's opinion, the easiest thing to find today is an institution of acceptable grade with an acceptable body of students, and in the body of students an acceptable crowd of petitioners. No matter what may be written to the contrary, the war demonstrated the fact that the man with a college education went ahead of the man without such training. The young man of today knows and appreciates the value of a college education, and the enrolment in our colleges is rapidly increasing, which cannot help but mean an increased amount of fraternity material for either larger chapters or more fraternities. Phi Kappa Psi must decide upon some definite policy.

I am not trying to present an argument for any particular policy. I am simply trying to show what, in my opinion, is bound to occur and set every member of Phi Kappa Psi thinking so that we can know which course we desire to pursue. So let each one of us ask ourselves this question, "Where are we drifting?"

One hundred dollars in cash is waiting for some Phi Psi to claim it. See Page 70.

## A Worth-while Hobby

SION B. SMITH, Pa. Beta '81, Contributor

AVE you a hobby? To put it differently, have you reached that stage in your development where you are no longer bound exclusively by the urge of a young and vigorous acquisitiveness? More bluntly, have you any interests off the line between bed and business? If not, you are laying up for yourself troubles in that haven where moth and rust corrupt your flannels and your knee joints, and Time, that arch thief, breaks in and steals the little happiness in life you may yet have left.

Loosen up before you reach the pitiful state of that great scientist who said he had lost the very power to acquire an appreciation of art through exclusive application to his business. Acquire a hobby before you lose the ability to appreciate the pleasant by-paths of life. Play golf, collect paintings, Persian rugs, postage stamps, anything. There are a thousand ways in which you may acquire an outside interest which will save your life or reason in emergency, and life and reason are both staked, sooner or later in the game of too close application to your vocation.

Your hobby is your own child. You love it. You raised it from a feeble infancy to strength and vigor. It takes on form and comeliness. You are proud of it. (Sometimes with reason!) There is a satisfaction in success in your vocation, but the real pleasure in life comes from dandling on your knee an honest-to-goodness, man-size hobby.

Have you, like Edison, lost not only the desire but the ability to appreciate these outside interests we call hobbies? Better repent and be baptised right now. While yet the lamp holds out to burn, the vilest sinner may return. There is a hobby which overtops them all for interest, for satisfaction in achievement, for enjoyment in the doing, and for real accomplishment, if you will pursue it that far — your Fraternity. Fraternity life, from initiation to burial service, is a succession of wonders. Do you remember how you marveled at the dawning of intellect in your first born, as it grew and grew, and the light of reason became brighter and brighter in the eyes of the paragon? Let me tell you, old moss-back, that the light of intellect may be observed in the eyes of the undergraduate even today—as much as you have doubted it about the third day of the G. A. C. Try it. Cultivate that hobby. Play with it. There is that in your Fraternity which will abundantly repay all the love and affection, all the labor and expense, all the time and trouble, you may lavish upon her and leave you the richer for the investment.

Don't I know? What made Walter McCorkle the best loved Phi Psi? What made dear old bashful Fred Niles the friend of everybody? What made George Smart the champion convention-goer of the Fraternity? What keeps Dan Swannell from ever growing up? May he never be anything but a big boy in the Fraternity! Why does every boy in the Fraternity know Bill Telfer, even if he doesn't know the name of the archon of his district? And what put that Ohio Gamma "Old Guard" bunch upon the pinnacle of fraternity loyalty and service? Nothing more nor less than making a hobby of the Fraternity. It blesses both him that gives and him that receives.

Some old curmudgeon once said that you are as old as your arteries. Let me say rather that you are as old as your intimate associates. And if your intimate associates are the fellows who wear the shield, both in college and out, you will have a well-spring of youth within you such as old DeSoto gave his life to find.

This is no academic discussion. Look at the roster of those who have been indentified with Phi Kappa Psi for years and are still active, the brethern of "S. C." who have climbed the Olympus of service through seven Grand Arch Councils — some of them thirteen — and are still going strong. Are they men who have gone to seed or become bankrupt? Has their Fraternity avocation ruined their vocation? They are men of many and varied interests, but Phi Kappa Psi is their hobby. And the scarlet carnation in the lapel of a seven-convention "S. C." Phi Psi enthusiast is no advertisement for Pullman accommodation.

#### Heart Appeal Reaches Alumni

There is a hundred per cent, wide-awake, Phi Psi back of it every time.

And it is rather astonishing how many there are in the Fraternity who have seven notches in their G. A. C. stick and have thereby become eligible for membership in this inner circle of Fraternity intimates. There are at present 17 members of S. C. As far as the record shows, there are an equal number of others who have this qualification, and several others have attended six Grand Arch Councils and therefore will be eligible for membership at the G. A. C. to be held in Springfield next year. And from the remarks of some of the Sixers, the biennial reunion of the "S. C.'s" next year will place the red badge of honor in the lapel of a good number of aspirants. The more the merrier.

## Heart Appeal Reaches Alumni

WALTER LEE SHEPPARD, Pa. Iota '98, Contributor

F membership in a college fraternity constitutes a life bond (and such is our profession), it should contain within itself a vital life interest. Otherwise alumnus membership lacks the essential element of reality.

The expedient commonly employed to foster and sustain this life interest is the involvement of the alumni in the administrative and governmental machinery of the Fraternity, upon the theory that the greater the burden of responsibility imposed upon alumni for the business management and political direction of the affairs of the Fraternity. the more intense will be their interest. This scheme was tried out in our own Fraterniy. Our alumni associations were early organized into miniature chapters, with equal voice in the conduct of fraternity affairs. And we did not discover and correct our mistake until the death rate among our alumni associations began to grow to alarming proportions. Post mortem examinations conducted in several typical cases resulted in the same finding, namely "overorganization."

Wherever the ravages of this devastating malady were successfully resisted, the antidote was discovered in the person of some exceptional and devoted alumnus, whose fraternity contacts had been maintained under circumstances peculiar to himself, and wholly independent of his alumni association activities. To such an exceptional alumnus, the other alumni were content to relegate all the responsibilities that were intended to have been discharged by the association as a whole. How many of us will remember occasions when the formality of voting upon some matter submitted by the national Secretary has been rushed through with jesting and raillery, in order to enable the association to get down to the real business of the gathering. namely, good fellowship! The members present did not know what they were voting upon, and did not want to know. And they were not attracted to the function because such business was to be transacted, but in spite of it.

The mass of our alumni are indifferent toward the discussion of current fraternity problems and policies for several reasons, chiefest among which are the following. Many such discussions are but repetitions of constantly recurring questions, which have no novelty for the alumnus. while attracting all the interest of the undergraduate with all the freshness of a new discovery. And nearly all the new and novel problems are the outgrowth of ever changing conditions with which the average alumnus is entirely unfamiliar. These he is not able to discuss intelligently or to advise upon them. And he knows he is not, and therefore feels that to sit upon the side lines during their discussion is a profitless waste of time. The net result is that he is either bored or embarrassed, or both; and may even resolve to stay away from the next meeting to avoid a repetition of the experience.

The responsibility for such a result lies with our Fraternity, not with our alumni. They are acting naturally, and we are acting artificially. If we would secure a response from our alumni, we must appeal to the heart, not to the head. Their heads are occupied with other and, to them, more urgent problems. But their hearts still yearn for

#### Heart Appeal Reaches Alumni

a renewal of the warmth of those fires that burn so brightly when a few Phi Psis foregather about the altar of fellowship.

Methods of heart appeal fall naturally into two general classes: (1) Those by which the alumnus may respond to the desire for comradeship of other alumni; and (2) those by which the alumnus may be enabled to render those many helpful offices to undergraduates, which only an older man, who occupies the fraternal relation, is able to supply. In the former catagory are weekly luncheons and suppers, smokers. outings, week-end entertaining, and formal dinners and banquets. In the latter catagory are chapter house entertainments. smokers and receptions: fathers' and mothers' day, home-entertaining, and the like. And the greatest thing of all, which needs only to be understood to receive universal support, is the endowment fund, the principal of which is invested in helping needy students to complete their education, and the income from which is applied in relief of the growing burden, otherwise carried by the undergraduates. of the administrative expenses of our far-reaching national organization.

The initiative in all such measures must come from the chapters or some other agency of our national organization.

# Cleveland A. A. Has Novel Scheme

Cleveland is going to have a big delegation at the 1922 Grand Arch Council but the three alumni association delegates are going by the "prepaid" route. It's this way: Every member who attends the weekly luncheons deposits one dime in the little savings bank and signs the weekly register. The average attendance has picked up wonderfully and continues to grow, even the hot summer months failing to keep the men out of the competition. When the G. A. C. rolls around the treasurer will declare a dividend to the three brothers with the best attendance—meaning all expenses *paid in full* to the convention and, in addition, guaranteed election as delegates. There is more than enough in the treasury now to finance the expedition.

## A Phi Psi Library

#### JOHN L. PORTER, Pa. Beta '86, Contributor

THE Pittsburgh Alumni Association several years ago set itself to the task of the set itself to the task of collecting and cataloging all published writings of Phi Psis. That in many instances the association has been signally successful is indicated by the fact that its library contains such remarkable items as the following: the complete works of Charles Sumner. Ind. Alpha '67, autographed by the author in 1870; all the known writings of Robert I. Burdette, Ind. Gamma '78, many of which are inscribed in verse in the author's handwriting. and are of a particularly intimate nature: all the remarkable publications of the late Dr. Eugene W. Caldwell, Kan. Alpha '87, whose researches have done so much in the perfection of roentgenology: autographed copies of the publications of Dr. Camden Cobern. Pa. Beta '73. which are among the most learned in archaeology and Bible elucidation.

The association also possesses the complete works of James Whitcomb Riley, Ind. Alpha '83; Woodrow Wilson, Va. Alpha '79; Carl Schurz, N. Y. Alpha '70; Amos E. Dolbear, Ohio Alpha '69; J. Warren Keifer, Ohio Beta '68; William H. Crawford, Ill. Alpha '80; Charles H. Haskins, Pa. Theta '83; Ernest M. Stires, Va. Alpha '85; Walter A. Dyer, Mass. Alpha '96; Joseph B. Foraker, N. Y. Alpha '66; Charles A. White, Iowa Alpha '67; F. W. Hodge, D. C. Alpha '85; Edgar Fahs Smith, Pa. Epsilon '73; Henry Fay Pa. Theta '85; Karl E. Harriman, Mich. Alpha '94; and dozens of others, no less prominent and no less worthy of memorialization.

At the present time the association boasts a library of nearly 400 volumes, and an active committee is adding approximately 30 volumes a year as a result of digging into the fraternity archives for authors.

The association lacks only 6 volumes of having a complete file of THE SHIELD and lacks but 1 volume of having a complete file of Grand Catalogues.

#### A Phi Psi Library

We believe this to be, possibly, the only Greek-letter fraternity library of any note in the country, and we urge every Phi Psi who has either published any of his own writings, or who knows of any other Phi Psi who may have done so, to drop a line to the writer at 421 Wood st., Pittsburgh, Pa., by an early post, and give him information which will permit the Pittsburgh Alumni Association to secure copies of such publications at the earliest possible moment.

This is a work in which the Pittsburgh Alumni Association should be encouraged by every loyal brother of this organization; and, as a perfect score can only be had by the earnest collaboration of every one of us, we shall hope to hear that an avalanche of books is soon headed toward Pittsburgh.

As a parting word, let me say, that the value of such a library grows with each successive year. When one stops to think what its intrinsic value will be in two generations, not to say anything about its sentimental and historical value, we can not urge too strongly a deep interest in this collection on the part of all alumni and undergraduates.

#### Banquet of New England Phi Psis

Sixty-four members of the Fraternity residing in New England, but representing twenty-one different chapters, gathered for an enthusiastic banquet at the Boston City Club, Boston, Mass., on Thanksgiving eve. Undergraduate delegates were present from New York Gamma, Massachusetts Alpha, Rhode Island Alpha and New Hampshire Alpha.

Elbridge R. Anderson, Ill. Beta '81, president of the Boston A. A., was toastmaster. The other speakers were Robert L. Ryder, Pa. Kappa '02, of Boston; Walter A. Dyer, Mass. Alpha '96, of Amherst, Mass.; and Fred H. Gabbi, R. I. Alpha '02, of Portland, Me.

It is intended to make the Thanksgiving eve banquet of New England Phi Psis an annual event.

# **Cash Prizes for Fraternity Songs**

FRANCIS H. ROBERTSON, Kan. Alpha '96, Editor of Song Book, Contributor

B ECAUSE of the amount of detail involved in the publication of the Song Book, it has been decided to postpone the distribution until the opening of college in the autumn of 1922. Instead of distributing the Song Book at the coming G. A. C., it has now been decided to announce there the prize-winners and to have the prize songs sung by a specially organized glee club.

In order that all may be familar with the terms of the prize song contest, such terms as amended are as follows:

1 All members of the Fraternity, their wives, sisters and daughters shall be eligible to compete for the prizes.

2 Both words and music must be original, but not necessarily by the same contestant.

3 If one person writes the words and another the music, the prize will be divided equally.

4 No one person shall be awarded more than one prize.

5 Members of the Song Book committee and the jury shall be excluded from participation in the contest.

6 The Fraternity may use all the songs submitted, whether or not prizes are awarded to the contestants submitting same.

7 Any contestant submitting a song thus accepted for publication, but not awarded a prize, shall receive a copy of the new Song Book, authographed by the editor.

8 Any contestant submitting original words set to some popular tune, may be awarded a copy of the Song Book, where such words are accepted for publication.

9 Manuscripts for songs must be in the hands of the Editor at 415 Madison avenue, New York City, not later than May 1, 1922.

10 The cash prizes are as follows: first prize, \$100; second prize, \$50; third prize, \$25; fourth prize,\$15; fifth prize, \$10.

Have no fear that too much material will be submitted. We wish to publish a large volume of songs with as much

#### **Cash Prizes for Fraternity Songs**

new material as possible. On the other hand, it is reasonable to suppose that with five prizes offered almost anyone who submits a good song will be likely to secure some of the prize money. As in all of these competitions, the honor of having a song accepted and published, together with the fun of doing the work, will go far toward stimulating action and accumulating sufficient material of a high standard.

For the good of the Fraternity we should have a goodSong Book. I appeal to every member, both alumni and undergraduates, to give some attention immediately to the matter of arousing interest in the prize contest. Even if you have never written a song it is quite possible that you have the knack of producing something highly acceptable. You certainly have the right to try and it is your duty to try and to interest others in doing likewise. Let us keep up our reputation in the field of fraternity music. Let us all get behind this song Book movement and make it a success typical of Phi Kappa Psi.

#### Associations Change Names

The Executive Council has granted the petitions of two alumni associations to change their names, in order that they may more accurately indicate the geographical territory from which their membership is drawn. The Los Angeles Alumni Association will hereafter be known as the Southern California Alumni Association, and the name of the Tulsa Alumni Association has been changed to the Oklahoma Alumni Association.

This action is in accordance with a plan suggested by the committee on alumni associations at the last G. A. C., and since then urged by the Alumni Association Board. It is thought that such a plan, if followed throughout the country will eventually make every Phi Psi a member of some alumni association. The Providence A. A. has previously been granted a change of name to the Rhode Island A. A., and the new association with headquarters in Buffalo is chartered as the Western New York A. A.

#### Brown Chapter Has Notable Record

Rhode Island Alpha is making a somewhat remarkable showing in athletics this season, inasmuch as the Brown chapter boasts of having three captains as well as the manager of football. Two of the captaincies are of varsity sports—football and track; the other is of wrestling. These are a group of honors which certainly have not fallen to any other fraternities at Brown in recent years and may be regarded as quite exceptional.

W. H. Shupert is captain of football and has been a varsity halfback for the past two seasons. In addition, he is president of the Cammarian Club, the student governing body.

Jerome West is captain of track and has been the varsity pole-vaulter for the past two years. At present, he holds the Brown record in this event.

F. C. Baurenfeind is manager of football, a member of the Cammarian Club, and a member of the musical clubs.

R. H. Spellman is captain of wrestling, a member of Pi Kappa, the junior society, and a member of the junior smoker committee.

All these men have been active on the campus all through their college careers. Spellman had the distinction of being chosen captain of wrestling over two senior members of the team.

# Alumni Club at Kokomo

The Executive Council has granted a charter for an alumni club at Kokomo, Ind. Those who signed the petition were W. H. Bruner, Ind. Beta '18; F. O. Life, Ind. Alpha '06; P. T. Hackett, Ind. Beta '12; C. J. Thorne, Ohio Alpha '12; C. W. Crick, Ind. Alpha '06; J. F. Defenbacher, Ohio Delta '97.



#### RHODE ISLAND ALPHA PHI PSIS JEROME WEST, Captain of Tract R. H. SPELLMAN, Captain of Wrestling F. C. BAURENFEIND, Manager of Football W. H. SHUPERT, Captain of Football



SPRINGFIELD PHI PSIS It runs in the family in the G. A. C. city

#### Detroit A. A. After Pittsburgh Record

The Pittsburgh Alumni Association has announced on various occasions, with entirely justifiable pride, the attendance figures at the reguar weekly luncheons held at McCreery's. That association has claimed the record for alumni association luncheons, and the claim has gone unchallenged until now, when the Detroit A. A. comes forward with the announcement that the brothers in Pittsburgh will have to speed up a bit or be content with second place.

While the Detroit A. A. is not so large numerically as the associations in Pittsburgh and some other cities, the following figures for 1920-21 form the basis for the Detroiters' claims:

Total membership	.73
Luncheons during last calendar year	. 50
Average attendance for year	.14.4
Highest attendance	. 23
Lowest attendance	. 8

The above figures do not include visiting Phi Psis who from time to time have attended the luncheons, but cover only those regularly affiliated with the Detroit A. A.

Perhaps the most interesting fact is that 53 of the 73 members attended at least one luncheon during the past year. The best record made by any one brother was 47. He was followed closely by one with 46 and another with 40 to their credit. There were but 8 of the 53 who were present only once.

President H. W. Fauver of the Detroit A. A. believes that these figures, membership considered, will give other alumni associations "something to shoot at."

#### New Alumni Association in Morgantown

Under date of October 26, 1921, fifteen members of the Fraternity residing in Morgantown, W. Va., petitioned the Executive Council for an alumni association charter, which has been granted. The new association, located in a city in which there is a chapter of the Fraternity, anticipates being able to be of much assistance to the local chapter. Those who signed the petition are: David B. Reger, W. Va. Alpha '08; Friend E. Clark, W. Va. Alpha '96; James R. Trotter, W. Va. Alpha '00; L. E. McWhorter, Pa. Beta '11; W. E. Glasscock jr., W. Va. Alpha '15; L. S. Trotter, W. Va. Alpha '15; Madison Stathers, W. Va. Alpha '99; J. K. Buchanan, W. Va., Alpha '01; J. Morton Gregg jr., W. Va. Alpha '17; George B. Vieweg, W. Va. Alpha '10; Claude Irvine, W. Va. Alpha '20; A. T. Bragonier, W. Va. Alpha '13; Gilbert B. Miller, W. Va. Alpha '99; Noel P. Weaver, W. Va. Alpha '10; Charles E. Hodges, W. Va. Alpha '10.

The officers of the association are: president, James R. Trotter; vice president, E. H. Vickers; secretary, A. T. Bragonier; treasurer, R. D. Hennen.

## Western New York Alumni Organize

Upon petition of a group of alumni residing in western New York, the Executive Council has granted a charter to the western New York Alumni Association. The headquarters of the new association will be at Buffalo. An alumni association was organized in Buffalo in 1898, but has been out of active existence for many years. As a large number of men from Buffalo and western New York enter various colleges every year, the new association anticipates that it can be of much assistance to a large number of chapters and to the Fraternity generally.

The following were the charter members of the association: C. A. Lonergon, N. Y. Beta '84; Walter C. Lindsay, N. Y. Alpha '13; Bernard B. Pierce, R. I. Alpha '16; Floyd C. Fay, R. I. Alpha '14; Monroe Manges, Ohio Gamma '88; James P. Lindsay, Ill. Beta '80; William S. Davis, N. Y. Beta '08; William J. Knox jr., N. Y. Gamma '14; Joe E. Stinson, Ind. Delta '12; W. E. Abbott, Pa. Beta '08; Frederick O. Bissell, N. Y. Alpha '87; Edmund J. Felt, N. H. Alpha '15; Victor F. Swenson, Pa. Gamma '14; C. M. Epes, Pa Lambda '12; F. E. Wheeler, Pa. Theta '09; William S. Heller, N. Y. Beta '00; Irving R. Templeton, N. Y. Beta '00. The secretary is C. M. Epes, 7 W. Seneca st., Buffalo.

#### **Cleveland Alumni Issue Directory**

Cleveland alumni have lined up with those of Chicago, Los Angeles and other cities in the publication of a local directory. The Fifth City booklet consists of 24 pages and cover, the latter printed in two colors. There are 143 Phi Psis located in Cleveland, their full names, chapter, business and home address and telephone numbers being shown. In addition, the booklet gives the fraternity directory with names and addresses of national officers and a chapter and alumni association roster.

Not only has the directory proved invaluable as a vest pocket reference but the venture has been a financial success as well. Seven pages are devoted to advertising which netted \$10 a page. A Grand Arch Council ad was furnished gratis. "Live" Phi Psis in Cleveland are playing \$1 for the catalog. The printing was done without profit by one of the members of the association. As a real money-maker, a city directory is to be recommended. M. F. McOmber, Ohio Epsilon '08, edited the Cleveland directory and performed all the detail in collating the information, soliciting the advertising and selling the issue.

# Springfield Members Organize for G. A. C.

At a dinner of the Springfield A. A. held at the Hotel Shawnee on November 12th preliminary plans were made for the entertainment of the big Grand Arch Council next June. Carl Ultes, Mich. Alpha, has been named general chairman, and announced the appointment of the following executive committee: John L. Bushnell, George M. Winwood jr., A. D. Hosterman, Dan A. E. Shouvlin and Louis E. Bauer. All are prominent business and professional men in Springfield.

Howard C. Williams, former Secretary of the Fraternity, was present at this dinner and gave a helpful talk, outlining the necessary arrangements to be made in order to handle a G. A. C. successfully. Brother Williams later reported that the Springfield alumni are getting well organized, and that without doubt the next convention will be one of the best ever held. Other speakers who boosted the G. A. C. at the dinner were Judge Frank W. Geiger, Judge Albert H. Kunkle, President R. E. Tulloss of Wittenberg College, General J. Warren Keifer, John B. Garver, Charles L. Bauer, Edwin L. Arthur, W. W. Keifer, George M. Winwood jr. and Clarence B. Schmidt. Robert M. Young and John Heberling spoke for the local chapter. Sixty members were present.

# The President's Corner

Brother Cheney has just sent me his usual reminder that he wants something for the President's Corner in the next issue of THE SHIELD which he states is intended to be an alumni number, and immediately there flashed through my mind all the delinquencies of alumni associations during the past eleven years I have been an officer of the Fraternity: but at the same time I thought of the good that many associations have accomplished, and then I thought of the years that many of us have put in making an effort to try and solve the alumni association problem and make the associations real working forces in the Fraternity. I thought of how little results we got for our efforts, and thought of how, even after years of work, the associations seemed to be drifting along in the same old lines and the big majoritv of them simply existed, were listed in THE SHIELD, gave an occasional banquet, but did little real work for the Fraternity.

But after all this came the silver lining to the cloud. For out from the Pacific coast came Shirley E. Meserve, full of enthusiasm, with some workable plans for making alumni associations real forces in the Fraternity. Brother Meserve not only had the ideas, but he was able to back up these ideas with the actual facts and experiences of the Southern California Alumni Association, formerly known as the Los Angeles A. A.

I do not think any of us will ever forget his report at the Minneapolis G. A. C. He presented something that was practical, something that could be worked out and something that would make the alumni associations a real force and help to the Fraternity.

Brother Meserve went even further than that. He put his ideas into printed form and published a pamphlet called, "Alumni Association Manual," and sent copies to all our alumni associations and to all alumni who asked for them. This pamphlet gives ideas as to how to organize on association and make it a real working force. Already many of our associations have adopted these ideas and put them into force and effect, with the result that we have today more helpful active associations than ever before in the history of the Fraternity.

I am sorry to say that many associations have not grasped the opportunity which has been presented to them and are still going along in the same "hit or miss" way. I appeal to such associations to get one of these manuals, study it, grasp the opportunity and make the association a real part of Phi Kappa Psi. Do not wait. Do it now. Let us make all our associations real working parts of the Fraternity.

DAN G. SWANNELL

Grand Arch Council, Springfield, Ohio, June 21-24, 1922



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# Theta Nu Epsilon and Others

The law of the Fraternity strictly and definitely prohibits membership in Theta Nu Epsilon and similar organizations. Other fraternities of recognized standing have like prohibitions. The Interfraternity Conference, year after year, has strongly condemned these societies and presented a multitude of facts to justify their condemnation. We believe that the very great majority of our members respect this law of the Fraternity in letter and in spirit, though there have been known to be instances where members held so lightly their obligation to Phi Kappa Psi as to violate this rule.

It scarcely seems necessary to urge a member of the Fraternity to keep inviolate his oath; it surely ought not to be necessary. If there were no reason other than the fraternity law, membership in T. N. E. and other organizations of that kind should be refused by members of Phi Kappa Psi. But there are sufficient additional reasons, if anyone needs them. Naturally, this Fraternity and other fraternities would not have prohibited membership in these societies unless such membership were known to be inimical to the best interests of the college fraternity. These organizations exist for essentially selfish reasons, have no worthy ideals, are not countenanced by the faculties, and are absolutely opposed to the best traditions of the American college fraternity system. Membership in these societies almost invariably causes friction in the fraternity chapter, and sometimes is the cause of more serious trouble.

Members of the Fraternity should guard against flattering offers to become members of these unworthy and undesira-

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ble blemishes masquerading under the name "fraternity." The unsuspecting undergraduate, sometimes quite innocently, is induced to join these societies with the promise that such a connection will add to his college achievements or promote some political aspiration. Experience—in some cases sad experience—has proved the futility of such claims. A member of Phi Kappa Psi has no place in such an organization as T. N. E.; if he should become a member of T. N. E. he has no place in Phi Kappa Psi, and should be no longer permitted to wear her badge. There can be no divided membership between these two organizations.

# Are Alumni Still Members?

One of the greatest problems before the Fraternity today is how to bring all our members into an active and close relation to the organization; how to dispel the notion that there is some vast difference between undergraduate and alumni membership. The fact that one becomes a member of the Fraternity for life, and not merely for his college days, is generally recognized and perhaps a trite phrase, yet the relation to the Fraternity seems to undergo too much of a change when a member ceases to be an undergraduate. The alumni do not, as a rule, lose their interest in the Fraternity, or fail to appreciate the value of membership: but still they hold aloof from the organization as though it had much less claim upon their support than when they were living in the chapter house. There is too much of a feeling that the Fraternity is an organization of, and exists for, the undergraduates only.

As a matter of fact, if the Fraternity, in its broadest sense, means anything, it means the brotherhood of its members for all time. It is an active force, and requires active participation in its affairs by all who wear its badge. It ought to require the active support of all members. There is little reason why a member should pay fraternity dues (as distinguished from chapter dues) for four years and then cease paying such dues, even though his membership, with all its benefits, continues. One has little interest in those things which he gains, or maintains, without cost.

We believe that the problem of the development of the Fraternity, and the making of a better and stronger Fraternity, finding greater fields for service and usefulness, will be solved through an active, continuing participation in all its affairs, with little regard as to undergraduate or alumni rating. A way will be found, and cheerfully accepted, whereby the alumni will support their Fraternity, financially as well as spiritually, and through which their interest will always be maintained. It is to be hoped that the adoption of some such plan may not be too long delayed.

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THE SHIELD acknowledges receipt of the following chapter papers: Illinois Delta Bazute, The California Phi Psi (California Gamma). The Phi Psi Rag (Nebraska Alpha). The Purdue Phi Psi, The Massalphan.

J. J. Rosborough, Cal. Beta '93, is postmaster at Oakland, Cal.

R. R. Sellers, Pa. Gamma '15, is living in Bordentown, N. J.

Leon Hanchett, Texas Alpha '09, is in business in Laredo, Texas.

Marshall Underhill, Ill. Alpha '15, is practicing medicine in Evanston.

J. Harvey Turnure, N. Y. Beta '12, announces the arrival of a baby boy.

J. Russell Haire, R. I. Alpha '15, is practising law in Newport, R. I.

Jack Fisher, Neb. Alpha '20, is attending West Point Military Academy.

J. V. Hart, Cal. Beta '04, is in the life insurance business in Sacramento, Cal.

Capt. Harry B. Allen, Kan. Alpha '02, is stationed at Camp Lewis, Wash.

Paul W. Jenkins, Pa. Beta '18, is teaching in the high school at Butler, Pa.

Lansdale Anderson, Pa. Theta '20, is now attending Princeton University.

Ray Folks, Kan. Alpha '12, is with the First National Bank of Vernon, Cal.

John B. Starr, Ind. Delta '16, is with the Standard Oil Co. in Bombay, India.

Byron L. Davis, Kan. Alpha '13, is with the 24th field artillery at Manila, P. I.

Vernon Hallenbeck, Ill. Alpha '21, is with the Guaranty Trust Co. in New York.
George Freeman, Pa. Theta '11, is an instructor at the University of Oklahoma.

T. A. Biddle, Pa. Theta '17, is agent for the Franklin automobile in Altoona, Pa.

William B. Ruggles, Texas Alpha '07, is sport editor of the Dallas Morning News

H. B. Calderwood jr, Ohio Alpha '18, is an instructor in the Fremount High School.

Ernest Halliwell, R. I. Alpha '12, is in the advertising business at Fall River, Mass.

Henry J. Marshall, Pa. Eta '15, is with the Armstrong Linoleum Co. of Lancaster, Pa.

Albert W. Cummins, Pa. Theta '84, is editor of the Wilmington, Del., Morning News.

R. Z. McGowan, Pa. Epsilon '09, is assistant treasurer of the Pure Oil Co., Tulsa, Okla.

Dwight M. Davis, Cal. Beta '03, is in the real estate business in Kansas City, Mo.

Alfred S. Romer, Mass. Alpha '14, has been granted the doctor's degree by Columbia.

A son was born to Bro. and Mrs. Harold B. Shumway, Ohio Alpha '18, on October 13th.

A son was born to Bro. and Mrs. Donald B. Watkins, Ohio Alpha '14, on October 29th.

J. E. Harris, Ohio Gamma '79, of Cleveland, is now on a trip to the Philippines and Japan.

Joseph S. Moss, Texas Alpha '17, is working for the National City Bank in New York City.

W. W. Clement, Texas Alpha '07, is connected with the public school system of Kansas City.

William Roberts, Pa. Eta '10, is a member of the faculty at the Germantown, Pa., Academy.

Clinton H. Collester, Mass. Alpha '98, is professor of English in Simmons College, Boston.

R. R. Probst, N. Y. Beta '10, is a first lieutenant in the U. S. flying corps, stationed in Florida.

W. F. Palmer, N. Y. Gamma '08, is a petroleum engineer with Cosden & Company, Tulsa, Okla.

R. L. Lowe, Ohio Alpha '10, is a petroleum engineer with Forest D. Gilmore & Co., in Tulsa, Okla.

George P. Darrow, Pa. Iota '17, was married October 19th to Miss Ida F. Lauer of Germantown, Pa.

T. R. Buell, N. Y. Gamma '02, is a mining engineer with offices at 203 Cosden Bldg., Tulsa, Okla.

William Mills, Pa. Lambda '14, is in business in Philadelphia and resides in Collingswood, N. J.

George R. Weeks, N. Y. Alpha '84, is secretary of the Williams-Marvin Co., San Francisco, Cal.

James C. Kelsey, Kan. Alpha '93, is vice president of the Rogers Park National Bank, Chicago, Ill.

J. Bennett Porter, Pa. Beta '90, is superintendent of the Oklahoma Natural Gas Co. at Tulsa, Okla.

H. N. Cole, Pa. Beta '94, is vice president and general manager of the Pure Oil Co. at Tulsa, Okla.

John R. Fornof, Ill. Delta '06, is postmaster at Streator, Ill., and publisher of the Streator Free Press.

Earl Hollenbeck, N. Y. Beta '94, is head of the department of architecture at Syracuse University.

James F. Poland, Pa. Theta '17, is in the hotel business. His address is Hotel Poland, Wilkes-Barre, Pa.

Harry H. Farmer, N. Y. Beta '95, is just completing a two year's term as mayor of Syracuse, N. Y.

Arthur Largey, Pa. Lambda '16, is in his second year at the University of Pennsylvania Medical School.

William J. Farber, N. Y. Beta '11, is head of the undergraduate emergency fund campaign at Syracuse.

C. P. Meridith, Ohio Alpha '18, is taking a course in business administration at Harvard University.

Gray Carroll, Va. Epsilon '75, attorney, has his offices at 407 Exchange National Bank Bldg., Tulsa, Okla.

B. Rufus Glidden, Pa. Eta '11, has announced his engagement to Miss Esther Bringhurst of Lancaster, Pa.

John Ed Jones, Texas Alpha '15, has moved to Waco, Texas, where he is engaged in the cotton business.

Nelson Puett, Texas Alpha '10, has moved from Breckenridge to El Paso, Texas, where he is practising law.

Robert S. Gordon, Okla. Alpha '20, is engaged in the insurance business at 101 Unity Bldg., Tulsa, Okla.

William B. Anderson jr, Ohio Alpha '18, is in business with the Anderson-Newcomb Co., of Huntington, W. Va.

Donald F. McBride, N. Y. Epsilon '14, is manager of the Globe Trotters basketball team, in Oswego, N. Y.

R. C. Chapman, Ill. Delta '11, is manager of the bond department of the Fort Dearborn Bank of Chicago.

B. C. Waldenmaier, Ind. Delta '01, is an examiner in the U. S. Civil Service Commission, Washington, D. C.

Harry Robb, Pa. Lambda '15, has been coaching the George Washington University football team this fall.

Frank Crane, Ill. Alpha '15, spends his time between his oil interests in Oklahoma and his business in Chicago.

Robert J. Campbell, Kan. Alpha '10, is assistant treasurer of the Fidelity Savings Trust Co. of Kansas City, Mo.

Bailey V. Emery, N. H. Alpha, is in the oil well supply business and is located in the World Bldg., Tulsa, Okla.

William E. Pearce, N. Y. Beta '11, is serving his fourth year as manager of the Syracuse University book store.

Lewis R. Frazier, Wash. Alpha '17, is in the division of cooperative research at Carnegie Institute of Technology.

The engagement of Gordon Malan, Pa. Lambda '14, to Miss Ernestine Ledig of Philadelphia has been announced.

Texas E. Schramm, Texas Alpha '09, is living at Sam Gabriel, Cal., where he is engaged in the investment business.

Sam L. Kellogg, Neb. Alpha '17, this fall coached the football team of the University of Nebraska Agriculture School.

Allen L. Emery, Cal. Beta '13, is in the Harvard Law School. His address is 1590 Massachusetts av., Cambridge.

Frank Pettus, Col. Alpha '16, is with his father in the real estate and insurance business at 333 Iowa Bldg., Tulsa, Okla.

Earl S. Dean, Wis. Alpha '99, is a member of the firm of Dean & Brumfield, draftsmen, 325 Castle Bldg., Tulsa, Okla.

Frank R. Crane, Ill. Alpha '15, is a member of the firm of Taylor & Crane, oil producers, 801 Wright Bldg., Tulsa, Okla.

H. T. Langspecht, Mass. Alpha '11, is connected with the Roxanna Petroleum Corporation, 927 Mayo Bldg., Tulsa, Okla.

Herbert S. Hadley, Kan. Alpha '88, former governor of Missouri, is counsel for the Colorado state railroad commission.

Lincoln F. Gault, Kan. Alpha '81, is associated with Ariss, Campbell & Gault, merchandise brokers of Tacoma, Wash.

Frank A. Fisher, Cal. Beta '03, is a banker and capitalist in Salt Lake City. He was formerly Archon of the fifth district.

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Paul K. Evans, Pa. Eta '14, and M. W. Jones, Pa. Eta '12, were assistant football coaches at Franklin and Marshall College.

David E. Faust, Pa. Eta' 15, has resigned as instructor at Mercersburg Academy and is attending Yale Divinity School.

William L. Day, Neb. Alpha '17, captain of the 1920 University of Nebraska football team, was assistant coach this fall.

Southern California Alumni Association reports that it has a representation from forty chapters, both inactive and active.

Earl W. Deputy, Ohio Alpha '07, is assistant manager of the bond department of the Exchange Trust Company, Tulsa, Okla.

F. D. Graf, Pa. Alpha '10, is manager of the Fan-Elva Oil Co. of Pittsburgh, Pa., and has his headquarters in Tulsa, Okla.

M. L. Neely, Ind. Alpha '97, is vice president of the Lemon G. Neely Co., oil operators, at 206 Castle Bldg., Tulsa, Okla.

Donald Whitten, Mo. Alpha '08, is a member of the firm of Wood & Witten, consulting engineers, at 247 Lynch Bldg., Tulsa, Okla.

Charles R. Freeman, Miss. Alpha '99, is practising law at Checotah, Okla., where he settled in 1902, coming from Maben, Miss.

Paul C. Kress, Pa. Theta '17, is a senior at the University of Pittsburgh. His residence is at 321 S. Graham st., Pittsburgh, Pa.

Lieut. John F. Grimm, Pa. Theta '14, is on board the U. S. S. Birmingham, flagship of squadron 5 Pacific fleet destroyer force.

Richard H. Klein and James W. Schutte, Pa. Eta '16, are attending the University of Pennsylvania, taking postgraduate work.

Herbert F. Hamilton, Mass. Alpha '96, is engaged in writing and teaching in New York City. His address is 551 W. 170th st.

Frederick W. Revels, N. Y. Beta '91, is organizing a department of architecture at the University of Porto Rico, Mayaguez, P. R. Edward C. Hanson and Martin C. Hanson, Ill. Delta '17, are connected with the Pilgrim Petroleum Co., Kennedy Bldg., Tulsa, Okla.

Grey Moore, Va. Beta '01, is a member of the law firm of West, Sherman, Davidson & Moore, at 205-209 Palace Bldg., Tulsa, Okla.

Frank H. Murphy, Pa. Beta '90, is assistant treasurer of the National Exploration Co., oils, located in the Wright Bldg., Tulsa, Okla.

O. Warren Hamilton, Pa. Theta '17, is attending the law school of Columbia University. His home is at 929 President st., Brooklyn, N. Y.

Howard Obold, Pa. Eta '94, of Quarryville, Pa., was recently elected president of Lancaster Classis of the Reformed Church.

R. H. Ernest, N. Y. Gamma '03, is vice president and general manager of the Manhattan Oil Co., 203 Cosden Bldg., Tulsa, Okla.

Dr. A. E. Truxal, Pa. Eta '64, who was pastor of the Reformed Church at Meyersdale, Pa., has retired and is living at Berlin, Pa.

Harold E. Shore, Pa. Lambda '12, is general manager of the G. P. Darrow & Co., a wholesale and retail paint concern in Germantown, Pa.

Clifford Bill, Ohio Epsilon '10, removed from Louisville, Ky., to Cleveland and has joined his father and brother in the portrait business.

Berkeley W. Henderson, Ohio Alpha '09, has been appointed assistant U. S. district attorney at Cleveland. Address 312 Federal Building.

R. S. McBeth, Indiana Alpha '05, is advertising manager for the Oklahoma Producing & Refining Corporation of America, Tulsa, Okla.

Stanley B. Catlett, Okla. Alpha '20, has recently moved from Tulsa, Okla. to Oklahoma City, and is in the law office of Pierce & McClelland.

Ralph G. Spiegle, Pa. Lambda '12, is secretary-treasurer of Geo. M. Spiegle & Co., lumber dealers at 18th and Sumerset sts., Philadelphia, Pa.

Leslie M. Travis, N. Y. Beta '12, is field manager for Herzog (N. Y. Beta '12) and Clark (N. Y. Beta '11), landscape engineers, Syracuse.

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Judge A. Ludlow Calhoun, who holds the honor of being the first man initiated in Texas Alpha, has an extensive law practice in Beaumont, Texas.

George K. Statham, N. Y. Beta '86, is district director of the Syracuse University emergency fund campaign for Vermont and New Hampshire.

W. R. Bowman, Pa. Lambda '17, is with Lewis Emery Jr. & Sons of Bradford, Pa., and represents them in Oklahoma with headquarters in Tulsa.

R. A. Parrett, Pa. Alpha '05, has been appointed district manager at Cleveland for the New Jersey Zinc Sales Co. His office is 1138 Guardian Bldg.

Jerold L. Wheaton, N. Y. Epsilon '16, is special agent in Utica, N. Y., for the Penn. Mutual Life Insurance Co. He recently rejoiced in the birth of a son.

D. O. McLeren, N. H. Alpha '17, of Hinsdale, Ill., was married to Miss Mary Fitch of Winchester, Mass., September 10th. They will reside in Hinsdale.

Dr. Charles M. Knapp, N. Y. Gamma '11, of the Syracuse University history department, was recently married to Miss Evelyn Osborn of Columbus, Ohio.

Clarence Seimon, Ohio Epsilon '17, Archon of the third district, is now in the sales department of the Imperial Type Founders Company of Cleveland.

Arthur Barnes, Pa. Beta '99, has his address as 524 Kenredy Bldg., Tulsa, Okla., and says his principal occupation at the present time is "chasing rainbows."

Harlan L. Buchanan, Pa. Lambda '12, is with the Bell Telephone Co. in Philadelphia, Pa., and has recently acquired a new home in Haddonfield, N. J.

Donald Adams, Ill. Alpha '14, has left the Money-weight scale company at Dayton and has been connected with the formation of a new scale company in Chicago.

Vincent W. Hays, Pa. Beta '17, was married August 1st to Miss Margaret Diefendorfer (Kappa Kappa Gamma) of Conneaut, Ohio. They are living in Oil City, Pa.

B. Weber Luttenberger, Pa. Eta '13, who is connected with the U. S. Asbestos Plant of Manheim, was recently appointed manager of the weaving department.

Hugh Sloan Grady, Texas Alpha '15, who received his degree last spring from Columbia University, is teaching law in Southern Methodist University at Dallas. A son, Richard Sampson, was born November 16th to Bro. and Mrs. Carleton H. Parker, R. I. Alpha '08. They are living at 3013 Rockefeller av., Everett, Wash.

William S. Raub, Pa. Eta '10, was chairman of the Citizens Coalition Party which recently defeated the Republican machine in the mayorality contest in Lancaster, Pa.

David Herr Frantz, Pa. Eta '13, was married to Miss Edna Gertrude Bachman of Hazelton, Pa., on October 22d. He and his bride are residing at Lancaster, Pa.

Rev. J. Howard Gaylord, Mass. Alpha '95, has resigned his pastorate in Saratoga Springs, N. Y., and has accepted a call to the Congregational Church in Bramford, Conn.

Dr. Verne R. Mason, Cal. Gamma '10, for the past ten years in charge of internal medicine at the Johns Hopkins Hospital, is now in Los Angeles practicing his professon.

F. Edward Walker, Texas Alpha '18, who is in the banking business at Buffalo, Okla., has recently married, which fact proves his optimism in the present business depression.

Harry King, Ill. Alpha '20, is selling Wills Saint Claire cars in Rockford, Ill. Hugh Ross Adams and Luther Snodgrass, Ill. Alpha '18, are selling Dodge cars in Chicago.

W. G. Theurer, Pa. Alpha '98, of Pittsburgh, was recently elected treasurer of the Association of Directors of the Poor and Charities and Corrections of the state of Pennsylvania.

Walter A. Dyer, Mass. Alpha '96, is conducting a weekly column of miscellaneous comment in the Springfield (Mass.) Sunday Union, under the head, "It's All in the Point of View."

The law firm of Switzler, Ringer & Switzler of Omaha, Neb., is composed of Warren Switzler, Mo. Alpha '73, J. Dean Ringer, Neb. Alpha '00, and R. M. Switzler, Neb. Alpha '06.

Waldemar Young, Cal. Beta '00, and Charles Kenyon, Cal. Beta '00, are making themselves famous writing scenarios for the Pamous Player Lasky Company, living in Hollywood, Cal.

One of the stars of the spoken drama is Edward Everett Horton, N. Y. Zeta '07, who is the rage of Los Angeles theater-goers. Brother Horton is the leading man for Los Angeles' leading stock company.

Richard C. Bradbury, Pa. Lambda '12, has resigned his position with the Barrett Company to accept a position with John W. Farnum Co., textile manufacturers, with offices at 235 Chestnut st., Philadelphia, Pa.

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Harold F. Cotter, N. Y. Epsilon '09, is in the department of traffic, New York Telephone Co., New York City. He has visited his chapter nearly every year since his graduatjon.

A careful canvass of the Phi Psis of southern California shows that second to California Gamma, Kansas Alpha has a greater representation in number than any other one chapter.

Benjamin Rooks, Cal. Beta '09, has recently assumed the duties of general manager of Newmark Bros., Los Angeles, one of the largest tea and coffee importers and exporters of the Southwest.

S. C. Granberry, Miss. Alpha '57, who has been a resident of Austin, Texas, for more than 35 years, is one of Texas Alpha's best friends and a ripe old age is no hinderance to his enthusiasm.

Wendell M. Cox, Texas Alpha '18, is working in the city of Mexico where he is in the employ of the Victor Talking Machine Co. Cox recently won a golf trophy presented by President Obregon.

Everett Hale, Texas Alpha '15, is doing graduate work toward his doctor's degree in the University of Wisconsin this year, and is at the same time occupying the position of assistant in economics.

Frank A. Ice, W. Va. Alpha '15, was this fall coach of the Fairmont, W. Va., High School football team. Ward Lanham, W. Va. Alpha '17, coached the freshman squad at West Virginia University.

George F. Bovard, Ind. Alpha '77, for so many years the president of the University of Southern California, at which institution a petition is seeking a chapter, has been forced to resign because of ill health.

Dr. J. L. Henderson, W. Va. Alpha '91, who is a member of the faculty of the University of Texas, is taking an active interest in the welfare of Texas Alpha, and lives across the street from the chapter house.

A. A. Small, Ind. Alpha '77, recently took unto himself a wife and has been spending a three months honeymoon in the mountains of Colorado. His present address is Fontanelle Apts., Tulsa, Okla.

Glenn Whittle, Ill. Alpha '13, famous Northwestern football star, is head coach of athletics at the Los Angeles High School, where this year he has developed the champions of southern California in football. Joseph H. Mendenhall, Pa. Lambda '12, met with a serious accident while fox hunting. His horse fell in taking a jump and injured "Mendy" so that he was laid up for three months. He has now fully recovered.

George Bramwell Baker, Ind. Alpha '83, and Mrs. Baker spent the summer in England and France. Brother Baker attended the session of the International Chamber of Commerce in London, to which he was a delegate.

Thomas Levan Bickel, Pa. Eta '91, has been added to the faculty of Franklin and Marshall College. His official title is financial secretary to the president, and he is in charge of the campaign to raise \$150,000 for a new dormitory at the college.

Herman A. Lum, Pa. Lambda '12, was married on September 14th to Miss Flora K. Bowden of Collingswood, N. J. Rev. Edgar L. Cook, N. Y.Epsilon '08, performed the ceremony and R. C. Bradbury, Pa. Lambda '12, was one of the ushers.

Willis Thompson, N. H. Alpha '14, Concord, N. H., was married on October 8th to Miss Frances Heath, also of Concord. Fred McCleery, N. H. Alpha '16, and Rodney Soule, N. H. Alpha '13, have also recently joined the list of benedicts.

The following members of Ohio Alpha are members of "Sears and Roebuck Alpha," of Chicago, Ill.: Charles F. Van Cleve '14, H. M. Hamilton '15, Robert J. Bauer '18, Charles C. Evans '18, Chester D. Brown '17. Their address is 5306 Woodlawn av.

The Mask and Wig Club of the University of Pennsylvania has presented to the university a memorial tablet in honor of Capt. William B. Black, Pa. Iota '12, who was killed in action in France September 12, 1918, during the fighting in the St. Michiel salient.

The Sam W. Emerson Company of Cleveland, general contractors, has just completed the Brotherhood of Railway Trainmen building, one of the largest down-town office buildings. Sam W. Emerson and Hugh Emerson, both Ohio Epsilon '06, are members of the company.

George W. Kingsley, Pa. Iota '17, Archon of the second district, is with the sales department of Field, Richards and Co. investment bankers of Cleveland. As a sideline he is carrying a full course in the Cleveland Night Law School. Bro. Kingsley lives at the Ohio Epsilon chapter house.

### Phi Kappa Psi Notes

Gen. William Mitchell, D. C. Alpha '96, assistant chief of the U. S. air service, is fast making history for that branch of the service, having recently flown, with three other army officers, from Washington to Columbus, Ohio, taking data en route for the United States aero map.

S. M. Unander, Cal. Beta '06, one of the producers and organizers of the Far East Productions Co. of San Franciso, has recently returned with the first company of film players to penetrate the remote islands of the South Seas. The first showing of the picture will be made shortly in New York.

Jackson H. Mahon, Tenn. Delta '09, has recently been appointed city attorney of Bakersfield, Cal. With Leslie Robinson, Cal. Gamma '11, one of the board of governors of the Southern California A. A., holding down the job of city trustee of the same city, Phi Psi has some political standing in this thriving community.

New Phi Psi residents of southern California are: Waldemar Young, Cal. Beta '00; Charles Kenyon, Cal. Beta '00; Wendell Van Hook, Pa. Alpha '97; Albert L. Row, Pa. Beta '15; H. Gus Corder, Tenn. Delta '10; Howard C. Deems, Cal. Beta '20; Chris. White, Wash. Alpha '14; J. P. Gaines, Texas Alpha '13; John B. Halbert, Cal. Gamma '14.

A week after Walter L. Pate, N.Y. Alpha '97, was graduated in 1899 he became associated with Noble & Camp, attorneys, at 2 Wall st., New York, and has remained in the same suite of offices ever since. His only change in more than 22 years is that in 1914 he became a member of the firm. Is this a record for "staying put"? At any rate, it makes the work of the Cataloger easy.

A number of alumni of New Hampshire Alpha were back in Hanover over the week-end of October 22d to see the Dartmouth eleven down Columbia. Among these were H. S. Duffy '18, ex-archon of the first district and now studying law at Harvard, Don Litchard '14, Porter '13, R. H. Sanderson '07 and wife, Sargent Eaton '07, Stan Macomber '07, Fletcher '06, Tufts '06, and Bob Stone '05.

Phi Psis are presidents this year of two of the leading educational associations of the country. Dr. Homer H. Seerley, Iowa Alpha '74, president of Iowa State Teachers College at Cedar Falls, is president of the National Council of Education. President William W. Guth, Cal. Beta '92, of Goucher College, is president of the Association of Colleges and Preparatory Schools of the Middle States and Maryland.

Nathan Post, Ohio Epsilon '13, football star, war veteran with decorations, now with the Allied Rubber Companies at Cleveland, has turned actor extradordinary. In "The Hermits on Main Street," presented by the Hermits Club of Cleveland to crowded houses for two weeks, Bro. Post carried the leading part. His acting and singing were widely commented upon, bringing an offer to appear on the stage in musical comedy.

At the Western Conference football rally held at the University Club of Cleveland, October 3d, five Phi Psis were present. H. H. Hampton, C. J. Stark, Clifford Dye and R. K. Beach sat with the Ohio delegation and H. C. Williams with the Illinois group. More than 200 men from Big Ten universities were present. Coaches Williams of Minnesota, Zuppke of Illinois, Richards of Wisconsin and Wilce of Ohio were honor guests.

The Rev. Dr. W. W. Youngson, Pa. Beta '89, of Portland, Ore., was recently elected to membership in the supreme council of the 33d degree honorary Masons, at a meeting of the southern jurisdiction of the United States, held in Washington, D. C. The degree is conferred in recognition of meritorious services performed for Masonry. Brother Youngson will be remembered as having delivered the memorial address at the last G. A. C.

Phi Psis a-visiting in Cleveland hereafter need not worry about a place to try out the Scotch game. The Canterbury Golf Club, composed exclusively of college men with a membership limited to 200, has nine Phi Psis on its roster: P. F. Bauder, C. J. Howell, F. C. Merrick, L. P. Orr, L. J. Robbins, E. A. Rosendale, P. S. Schmidt, M. S. Towson and H. C. Williams. This club has an eighteen-hole course which will be ready for dedication in June 1922, with a \$75,000 club house in course of construction. Out-of-town brethern are nvited to bring their sticks along.



### Southern California Alumni Association

As the football season draws to a close in California, we look back on one of the greatest seasons in the history of coast football and look forward to a "greater than ever" intersectional contest at Pasadena on New Year's Day. As was expected, California's wonderful machine from Berkeley is topping the Coast Conference and will no doubt be picked to represent the west on New Year's Day. California Gamma is represented by three men on Andy Smith's squad.

Glen Whittle, Ill. Alpha, who is coaching the team of the Los Angeles High School, has developed a powerful prep school aggregation. To date they have gone through the season without a defeat, having met and beaten with comparative ease all contestants of the city league. If they continue in form and win from Manual Arts on Armistice Day they will have the city league championship sewed up.

Several Phi Psis from southern California journeyed to Berkeley on November 5th to see the fighting eleven from the University of Southern California attempt to down the California Bears. As was generally predicted, California won by an ample margin 38 to 7, but it was not a disappointing game from the spectators' standpoint. In addition, Phi Psis who made the trip were treated royally by those good hosts, California Gamma. California Gamma has a chapter of which the Fraternity may well be proud and we learn that California Beta is in equally fine shape, having acquired some fine pledges from the freshman class.

fine shape, having acquired some fine pledges from the freshman class. John Rush, Col. Alpha, visited us on his way to Stanford where he has entered the law school. Brother Gaines from Texas Alpha has moved to Los Angeles and is a regular attendant at our Friday luncheons. We are still lunching each Friday at the Apollo Cafe on West 8th street and the "welcome" sign is always out to visiting brothers.

Los Angeles, Cal.

November 9, 1921

Ray J. Folks

Correspondent

### Indiana Alumni Association

Since the Pittsburgh, Johnstown and other associations failed to accept our golf challenge, we are undoubtedly the Phi Psi champions. We had planned to have a tournament, and not to be outdone we held one among ourselves. Sam Rinn, Dave Blair and "Nink" Tomb were the three highest so by winning they lost, because Hal White had donated a pig for the tournament prize and the winners had to enter the hog pen and capture said pig. The honor goes to Blair for capturing the porker. Twenty of the fellows were at Hile's for dinner the evening the pig was served. It weighed 46 pounds dressed, so we all had plenty.

Two Indiana boys who entered college this year have been pledged by Phi Psi, which makes us nine undergraduates.

Instead of being sponsor to the annual Panhellenic we have decided to have our own celebration during the holidays. We plan to have a dinner-dance on December 28th. Ritter, Rinn and Pealor are the committee, so we can feel assured of a great time. All Phi Psis are welcome. Drop us a line and we will line you up in great style. Bob Fisher, Mass. Alpha, and Murray Pealor, Pa. Alpha, are both in

Indiana this year and are reading law in their fathers' law offices. C. O. McFeely, N. Y. Beta '12, was in town off and on this summer but was unable to strike us at a dinner date. Come back again Mac; we're always glad to welcome strangers.

Indiana, Pa.

November 4, 1921

#### W. CLINE LOWTHER

Secretary

### San Francisco Alumni Association

We rather expected it would be necessary for the association to undertake a few special gatherings this fall in order to keep from growing stale, but our chapters have temporarily relieved us of this work and worry.

We started off with our dinner-dance at Taits-at-the-Beach on September 24th. While it was not as well attended as expected, we feel that those who came received what we promised, namely, a good time.

California Gamma extended us an invitation to be present at a smoker after the California-University of Southern California game on Novem-ber 5th. It was a wonderful day, a great game, and the best gathering of Phi Psis known to the writer. Shirley Meserve, Bob Leebrick, Ray Folks and William Warmington drove up from Los Angeles for the occasion. The freshmen, who put on a farce for us, are practicularly to be commended for their cleverness. Thoughts of Cleopatra still sends thrills up my spine. Phillip Jones, George Bell, Bert Howell, William Burney, A. A. Peters, E. A. Everts, Bert Perks and other old-timers were present.

Our regular luncheon on November 4th was attended by thirty Phi Psis. While this record was due to the presence of the four brothers from Los Angeles, we feel that we are coming right along.

We are now looking forward to the smoker to be given by the Beta Chapter on the night before the big game. We understand they just initiated twelve of the finest in the land, and we are very glad of the opportunity presented to meet them. Nelson Dickerman's address probably for the next two years will be

care of Perry Tiffany, Paramarilo, Dutch Guiana, South America.

San Francisco, Cal.

C. T. CARR Correspondent

## Rhode Island Alumni Association

As time rolls around for another SHIELD letter and we find that a variety of news is wanting, we attribute it to the centering of activities of the association on football and chapter rushing. The fraternities at Brown, with the exception of five, agreed early in October that no rushing would be undertaken before December 1st, but such an agreement was not construed to prevent either chapters or alumni associations from collecting data, arranging lines of communication and other details incidental to the successful carrying on of the campaign. The local association has reason to believe that the Brown chapter will come through with a delegation that will not be equalled by any other fraternity on the hill, and when the opening gun is touched off on December 1st we expect Rhode Island Alpha to take the lead and maintain it to the end.

The fortunes of Brown on the football field have been followed this year with intense interest by the association because of the Phi Psi repre-

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sentation on the team. Shupert is captain, John Spellman has a regular berth as a back, Bob Spellman is on the squad and has played in several games, and Bauerenfeind has weighty managerial duties.

The October meeting of the association took place at the Hotel Dreyfus in Providence where a dozen brothers gathered at dinner before a short business session. Two new members were voted in at this meet-ing, Brothers Hagerty, R. I. Alpha '05, and Sinclair, R. I. Alpha '17. At this writing we have received advance notices of the New England Phi Psi dinner at Boston on Thanksgiving eve, and it is our intention to

have a number present on that occasion. Providence, R. I.

November 14, 1921

M. L. Edinger Corresponden

# **Alumni Association Luncheons**

Luncheons are held by the various alumni associations as scheduled below. Visiting brothers are always welcome.

CHICAGO: Tuesdays, 12 m., Rookwood Room, Hotel LaSalle.

CINCINNATI: First Wednesday of each month, 1 p. m., Automobile Club, Haulin Hotel..

CLEVELAND: Mondays, 12 m., 14th floor, Statler Hotel.

DENVER: First and third Fridays, 12.30 p. m., Grill Room, Denver Dry Goods Co.

DES MOINES: Wednesdays, 12 m., Grant Club.

DETROIT: Fridays, 12.15 p. m., Room 6, Board of Commerce.

INDIANA, PA.: Last Tuesday of each month, 6 p. m., Hile's.

JACKSONVILLE, FLA.: Third Friday of each month, 1 p. m., Hotel Seminole.

JOHNSTOWN: Second and fourth Tuesdays, 12 m., The Tea Room, 521 Main st.

KANSAS CITY: Mondays, 12.15 p. m., University Club.

Los Angeles; Fridays, 12.30 p. m., Apollo Cafe, 421 W. 8th St.

MINNEAPOLIS: Thursdays, 12.30 p. m., Dayton's Tea Rooms.

NEW YORK: Thus days, 12.30 p. m., Lobby Cafe, Hotel Commodore. OMAHA: Fridays, 12 m., University Club.

PHILADELPHIA: Thursdays, 12.45 p. m., Grill Room, Arcadia Cafe, Widener Bldg.

PITTSBURGH: Thursdays, 12.15 p. m., 9th floor, McCreery's.

PORTLAND ORE.: 19th of each month, 12 m., University Club.

PROVIDENCE: Second Monday, 6 p. m., 108 Waterman st.

ST. LOUIS: Fridays, 12.15 p. m., St. Louis Lunchroon, Kinloch Bldg.

SAN FRANCISCO: Fridays, 12.15 p. m., Tait's Cafe.

SEATTLE: Wednesdays, 12.15 p. m., Seattle Hotel Grill.

TOLEDO: Tuesdays, 12 m., Dyer's Chop House.

TULSA: Fridays: 12 m., Ed Wood's Cafe, 4th and Boulder sts.



# Letters for the next issue of THE SHIELD, to insure publication, must reach the Editor by January 10th.

#### FIRST DISTRICT

### New Hampshire Alpha — Dartmouth College

Two members of the chapter have won their letters in varsity football. Taylor won his "D" October 22d in the Columbia game here, playing the entire four periods at guard; Carpenter, also a guard, won his letter at Ithaca against Cornell the following week. Haws, a substitute halfback, was going well until he sprained his ankle in practice.

Smith has been playing regularly on the varsity soccer team this fall, retaining his last year's position. Hayes, Lamb, Spaulding and Wilson were among the 25 men elected

Hayes, Lamb, Spaulding and Wilson were among the 25 men elected from the sophomore class to compete in athletic managership competition; in the elections for sophomores to compete in the nonathletic managership race, Askew and Gallup were among the 19 chosen. Lockwood is a member of the sophomore class debating team.

Smith was recently elected to Casque and Gauntlet, senior society. Bingham and Maze were elected to the Arts and to Round Robin, senior literary society. In the fall elections to the Green Key, sophomore society, Spaulding and Sturdevant were among the five men chosen.

Maynard, varsity shortstop, coached the freshman nine in the fall interclass baseball series.

The chapter held the first of its two allotted open house receptions for freshmen for the first semester October 23d.

We had several of the brothers from New York Gamma with us the week-end of the Columbia game.

Hanover, N. H.

November 8, 1921

W. H. HILTON Correspondent

Massachusetts Alpha — Amherst College No Letter Received

# Rhode Island Alpha - Brown University

Rhode Island Alpha is just on the eve of rushing season. Prospects are very good for a record-breaking delegation from the present freshman class. According to an agreement among the principal fraternities at Brown, rushing begins at the close of the football season, about December 1st.

Nearly every brother is entered in some activity and making good. Baurenfeind is managing the football team and is also on the musical clubs. He is a member of the Cammarian Club, the student governing body. S. D. Green is out for track. Jillson is on the musical clubs. Shupert is captain of the football team and president of the Cammarian Club. I. West is captain of track. Beattie is assistant business manager of the Brown Daily Herald, a member of Pi Kappa, junior society, and a member of the athletic board. Decker is news editor on the Herald and is competing for editor in chief of that publication. Howe is also news editor in the same competition. Petersen is assistant advertising manager on the Herald. R. H. Spellman is captain of wrestling, a member of Pi Kappa, a member of the smoker committee, and is on the varsity football squad. Quimby is on the board of jugglers of the Brown Jug, the college humorous publication, and also competing for manager of the university orchestra: Sanford is competing for business manager of the Liber, the year book. J. F. Spellman is tackle on the varsity football team. Willard is competing for literary editor of the Liber.

Rhode Island Alpha takes great pleasure in announcing the pledging of Roland V. Siddell of Providence, R. I., a transfer from Colgate.

Providence, R. I. November 1, 1921 G. R. DECKER Correspondent

New York Alpha — Cornell University No LETTER RECEIVED

### New York Beta - Syracuse University

The city of Syracuse has gone over the top in its quota toward the \$1,500,000 emergency fund drive for the university. The student body has raised more than \$40,000 as its share. The campaign has been a great success.

In the recent class elections the following brothers were successful: Page, president of the senior class of the university; in Business Administration, Monie, president of the junior class; Fisher, treasurer of the sophomore class; Pledge Wood, president of the freshman class. In Forestry College, Hunter, vice president, and Crawford, treasurer, of the senior class; Kelly, vice president of the junior class. In College of Agriculture, Pledge Carhart, president of freshman class.

The following brothers have been elected to honorary fraternities: J. E. Kelly, Nu Sigma Nu, medical; Carl Holzwarth, Alpha Omega Alpha, medical; Bray, Tau Beta Pi, engineering.

Calls have been issued for try-outs for the coming Boar's Head Dramatic Society's production of "Secret Service" which will be staged during senior week. Four of the brothers have thus far been retained for second trials.

Cribb has completed a strenuous schedule for the rifle team, of which he is manager this season.

Syracuse, N. Y.

November 14, 1921

C. M. LOVELL Correspondent

### New York Gamma — Columbia University

New York Gamma takes great pleasure in introducing the following brothers, who were initiated on October 21st: Harry McC. Clark, Daniel W. Rider, Kelly T. Petrie, William S. Donovan, George T. Waldo, Robert V. Schultz, Edgar Lewis, Oliver C. Walker, Jesse C. Haley, Harold C. Wilson, Charles J. Quillman, George Geisel, George W. Tully, Thomas H. Conroy and Charles M. Aldrich.

College affairs are in the height of the season with Phi Psis taking an active part. Warren Squires is editor in chief of *Spectator*, the daily

newspaper, a member of the senior society of Nacoms and a member of the King's Crown Board of Governors, which controls nonathletic activities. Ferris and Waugh are also on Spectator.

Bart Walther is leader of the mandolin club, which is anticipating a successful season. Rondo Robinson is one of the leading contributors to Varsity, the literary monthly of which he is assistant literary editor, and has been elected recording secretary of the Newman Club. Jack Norman is president of the School of Business Association.

Jack Norman is president of the School of Business Association. Malcolm Brown has been elected to the Crewsters, an association of crew men, and was awarded his "1924" with crossed oars, for his work as stroke of last spring's freshman crew.

Ted Wear is a member of the cast of the soph show, which is now in rehearsal, as is Ollie Walker. The freshmen are all taking an active part in activities. Donovan is out for crew. Waldo and Schultz are in the *Spectator* competition. Several of the men are also out for basketball.

New York Gamma regrets the losing of Paul Jerman, who has affiliated with New Hampshire Alpha.

New York, N. Y.

November 15, 1921

DON R. WAUGH Correspondent

### New York Epsilon -- Colgate University

We are pleased to announce the pledging of the following: John F Barnes and Joseph M. Conners, Fulton; Arnold Burhans, Syracuse; John Magavern, Perry; Christopher Doody, Brooklyn; RobertW.Gibson, Adrian, Mich; Herbert Tuttle, Gouveneur; Dean Taylor, Troy;<sup>\*</sup>Merrill Wilcox, Corry, Pa.; Austin Mosier, Rochester; and John P. Abel and Robert D. Hausauer, Buffalo. In addition to these, the chapter has affiliated Francis McMahon of Pittsfield, Mass., and Wallace Cass<sup>\*</sup>of Syracuse.

Since the last letter to THE SHIELD the chapter has had the pleasure of entertaining Brothers Cotter, Curtiss, Wheaton, Sullivan, Mason, Miller, all of this chapter; and Ralph Carpenter, N. H. Alpha.

Moloney has been elected to the athletic governing board, while Nelson is the junior class treasurer. MacKelvey has gained the position of managing editor of the university yearbook, the *Salmagundi*. Shallow and Pledge Hausauer have been elected members of the glee club.

Snow is showing up well in the competition for manager of football, MacDonald is working to be recommended for manager of soccer, and Sterling is competing for business manager of the *Maroon* and manager of cross-country. Crofoot is competing for a position on the business board of the *Banter*, the college humorous publication, and business manager of musical clubs. Pratt is trying for a place on the editorial staff of the *Salmagundi*, Wilcox is out for managership of track, and Conners is working for a place on the *Maroon* editorial board.

A very successful house party was held over the week-end of the Rochester game, November 4th and 5th. At that time we had the pleasure of entertaining Mrs. Leland, of Hamilton, as chaperon.

Hamilton, N. Y. November 10, 1921 THEODORE S. PRATT Correspondent

#### SECOND DISTRICT

### Pennsylvania Gamma — Bucknell University

Pennsylvania Gamma takes pleasure in introducing the following pledges: S. T. Lesher, Carbondale; M. J. Mackenzie, Philadelphia; F. L. Frost, Dunkirk, N. Y.; A. G. Gray, Bradenville; J. A. Walter, Claysburg; J. B. Marlin; P.A. Palmer, Oakmont; R. S. Hagan, Uniontown; W. S. Stephens, Johnstown; E. P. Tompkins, Madison, Maine; W. Hennen, Fairmont, W. Va.; A. Behling, Pitman, N. J.; R. J. Williams and S. Emanuel, Wilkes-Barre; and H. C. Wagner, Lewisburg.

The engineering building is now practically completed and is an added attraction to the campus.

The chapter is well represented on the football team by Bihl, Morrett, Julian and Henning. W. S. Johnson is assistant comptroller of athletics.

At the time of the Lafayette-Bucknell football game at Lewisburg on October 15th we had the pleasure of entertaining E. Van Why '08, S. R. Smith '07, J. O. Fraker '17, G. H. Beattie '16, C. W. Smith '18, J. P. Williams '19, and a number of the Lafayette brothers.

On October 29th the chapter entertained a number of the Seminary girls at a Hallowe'en dance. The house was attractively decorated in keeping with the occasion.

Lewisburg, Pa.

November 9, 1921

J. HOWARD WALTER Correspondent

### Pennsylvania Epsilon — Pennsylvania College

The first semester of college work is well under way. Pennsylvania Epsilon has been keeping pace with the various movements on the campus. In several football games this season we had five men on the varsity. Unfortunately, Lee and Wolfe have been on the off "duty" list for some time due to broken bones received either in action or at practice. At this time Lee is quite as well as ever, and Wolfe is gradually improving. Smith and Mordan also received several severe injuries during the season. Gotwald, as student manager of basketball, says that the campus will be livened with many good games during the winter. Pledge Emanuel will doubtless make the team. He gives promise of being a three-letter man this year.

The chapter is planning its usual Christmas dance to be held on or near December 10th.

The interfraternity council which has been organized more or less loosely during the past year, is drawing up a constitution which, if agreed upon, we believe will help all fraternity activities on the campus. Friction between the various fraternities will be eliminated and general betterment of conditions will exist.

Founders' Day is still a few months off, but advertising early will not do any harm. The chapter will hold a banquet immediately following initiation ceremonies. We want every alumnus to start thinking about being here for the occasion. The chapter is doing all possible to try to make this even a better event than that of last year. When the invitations are issued tell us you will be here.

Gettysburg, Pa.

November 13, 1921

E. M. SCHOFFSTALL Correspondent

### Pennsylvania Zeta — Dickinson College

Our success in the rushing season proves itself; we take great pleasure in introducing the following: Leland Sharp, Cape May, N. J.; William Lewis, Harrisburg, Pa.; Paul Schuchart, Altoona, Pa.; J. Edward Zendt, Souderton, Pa.; Frank Carter and Roydan Nichols, Johnstown, Pa.; George Olewine, Altoona, Pa.; Robert Tribit, Wilmington, Del.; Ralph Goodall, Barnesboro, Pa.; Charles Hoy, Carlisle, Pa.; George Myers, Cape May, N. J.; L. Vance Green, Altoona, Pa.

Our football team has been fairly successful. Rich is playing a good game as tackle on the varsity. Tribit, Hoy, Zendt and Olewine are playing on the second team and will prove good varsity material next year. Schuchart is varsity cheerleader. Klepser is president of the interfraternity council and Irwin has been elected basketball manager. Collips is captain of the baseball team and Lewis is treasurer of the junior class in Law School.

We held a smoker October 14th which was well attended by alumni. Doctor Lee was the principal speaker. A pledge dance was held November 4th and we are also giving a formal dance on Thanksgiving night. Carlisle, Pa. RALPH PACKER

November 5, 192

Correspondent

# Pennsylvania Eta - Franklin and Marshall College

With the rushing season over, Pennsylvania Eta wishes to add the following names to the pledges previously introduced: Thomas O. Amelia. Philadelphia, Pa., and Harry D. Cunningham, Somerset, Pa.

Franklin and Marshall boasts of one of the strongest small college football teams in the East. Only once has it met defeat and that was in the early part of the season at the hands of the University of Pennsylvania. Pennsylvania Eta is proud of the fact that she has six men on the varsity squad who in all probability will win their letters. They are Louis S. May, David B. Birney, David G. Williams, Duglas Franck, Richard Roberts and John Geesey.

Pennsylvania Eta has been successful in the various class and student body elections. Louis S. May was chosen president of the senior class, Charles B. Clinard was elected cheerleader, David G. Williams was elected president of the sophomore class, Robert C. Zecher secretary of the sophomore class. Paul Myers was a successful candidate for one of the assistant football managers, and Thomas O. Amelia was elected president of the freshman class.

David B. Birney and Louis S. May have been elected to the Pioneer Club, senior society, while Charles B. Clinard is president and James O. Bower and Paul Shaeffer are members of the Black Pyramid Club, junior society. Robert C. Zecher and David G. Williams were elected to the Black Cat Club, sophomore society.

W. F. Schaffner, chairman, and F. S. Klein were on the committee of the Diagnothian Literary Society ock trial, one of the biggest events in the college year. Louis S. May, W.F. Schaffner and F. S. Klein were elected to the Post Prandial Club; this club is unique in that previous to its organization at Franklin and Marshall College in 1919, no other college had a similar organization, but a number of other colleges have copied the idea.

Charles E. Hoster was appointed chairman of the senior cane committee. William Bache jr. and F. S. Klein are members of the college band. Charles B. Clinard was elected managing editor of the college annual, while R. C. Zecher is editor in chief of the sophomore calendar.

Hallowe en was fittingly observed on October 31st at the chapter house, where a successful card party and dance was held. About forty couples were present, including a number of alumni. Poverty Day was instituted at Franklin and Marshall on October

Poverty Day was instituted at Franklin and Marshall on October 28th, and proved a complete success. Amelia won second prize for his costume.

On December 5th the initiation ceremonies will be held at the Hotel Brunswick at 6. 30 p. m., followed by a banquet.

The annual Christmas dance, the big dance of the year for Pennsylvania Eta, will be held at the Brunswick Hotel on December 16th.

Lancaster, Pa. November 15, 1921 WAL ER F. SCHAFFNER

Correspondent

### Pennsylvania Theta — Lafayette College

Pennsylvania Theta takes pleasure in introducing Curtis Stoner, of Sewickley, Pa., an addition to its list of pledges. He is the fourteenth man pledged this year. Pledges Hearne and Brown, sophomores, were initiated on November 10th. The twelve remaining pledged men will be initiated in December.

Phi Psi is doing its best to get into college activities this year and we are pleased with the spirit shown thus far. Porter was recently honored by being pledged to K. R. T., the junior and senior society. Haliday has written a manuscript for the annual Sock and Buskin production and, in addition, has composed several musical numbers for the show. Kavanagh, Kelly and Hunt are on the track squad, and Brown has been playing substitute guard on the football team all season.

Lewi and Potter are participating in a competition for positions on the Lafayette, of which paper Campbell is an associate editor. Jacobsen is a member of Phi Epsilon Kappa, a ministerial fraternity, and Ball was recently elected president of the Mining Engineering Society. Hague is busy on the managing end of the soccer squad, of which both Garrett and Romero are members. Stoner is a member of the mandolin and glee clubs, and also plays in the band. Carson played the leading role in "The Well of the Saints," a production of the Freshman Players Dramatic Organization; Dickey, Potter and Brandeis are also members of the Freshman Players.

Humphries is manager of freshman football, and Sutton, Garritt, Eyster and Freeman are on the freshman football squad. Hess is business manager of the 1922 *Melange*. Martin is an assistant track manager, and Lowry is competing for one of the sophomore cheerleader positions. Campbell is an assistant football manager. Moore and Potter are members of Washington Literary Society and Moore is an associate editor of the *Lyre*.

It is no empty boast when we speak of Lafayette's football team as one of the strongest in the country. With a clear string of victories to her credit, including a 6-0 win over Pittsburgh and a 38-6 massacre of the University of Pennsylvania, Lafayette is a formidable contender for the eastern championship.

Easton, Pa.

November 9, 1921

BRUCE H. CAMPBELL Correspondent

#### Pennsylvania Iota — University of Pennsylvania

Just at present all the spare time of the brothers is being spent in making preparations for the Thanksgiving tea, which is only a week away. This is the one and only function during the year to which ladies are invited and consequently the most is made of it. The freshman brothers have spent three or four days in the last two weeks painting various rooms in the house, and carpenters, electricians and plasterers were here for a week. The upperclassmen are making the arrangements which require less physical effort.

This affair will end the football season which has been fairly successful. Compton, who was elected assistant manager last year, has been doing a good deal of work and will become manager next year.

Manager Riley took the musical clubs to New York last week-end where they engaged in a joint concert with the Dartmouth clubs. It was a very successful affair. On Saturday night the Pennsylvania clubs went to Orange, N. J., and played there. Riley, Smith and Vanderzee played in the instrumental club.

The whole chapter has been invited to a smoker given by Gribbel at his father's home on November 17th. It will be attended by alumni as

well as undergraduates, the object being to get the alumni and the undergraduates better acquainted. A series of such smokers will be given at the homes of various alumni during the winter with this purpose in mind. *Philadelphia*, *Pa*. STORM VANDERZEE

November 14, 1921

Correspondent

#### Pennsylvania Kappa — Swarthmore College

We wish to introduce Livingston Blair, who was initiated last week and also to announce the pledging of John Kent Kane, Rainor, Pa.

Livington Smith, who is the architect for our new lodge, is confident that it will soon be ready for our occupation. So on November 19th, the day of the Haverford game, we have planned to have a great housewarming open to men of the college and alumni. We are expecting hundreds of visitors on that day, as it is held in conjunction with our annual Haverford tea.

On October 22d we inaugurated our president. It was a great occasion. Men of letters from all over the country and some from England were present, including our brother, the governor of Pennsylvania, William C. Sproul '91. The college parade and exercises continued from 10 o'clock in the morning until early afternoon when our team met and tied the Franklin and Marshall team on the gridiron.

Our fall dance will be held in the new home of the Chester Club on November 23d.

We give Frank Long a hearty welcome back to the chapter. He has just been discharged from the Naval Academy where he was on the varsity football squad. He is now doing fine work on our squad. He, with the new initiates, makes our total number twenty-six.

Swarthmore, Pa. November 7, 1921 JOHN R. MC CAIN Correspondent

Pennsylvania Lambda — Pennsylvania State College

We have just concluded one of the most successful rushing seasons in the history of the chapter. To date we have pledged eleven freshmen whom we take pleasure in introducing to the Fraternity: George Beard, Harrisburg; William McClure, Altoona; J. G. Armstrong, B. L. Arthur, A. F. Texter, S. C. McCaslin and Harold Stukeman, Pittsburgh; Lowell Ullery, Bradford, Ohio; George Johnson, Dagus Mines; John Edwards, Rochester; and Thomas Malin, Media.

Penn State celebrated the inauguration of her new president, Dr. John Martin Thomas, on October 12th and 13th. Representatives from the leading colleges and universities in the world were in attendance, as well as many national figures in industrial and political life. The celebration reached its climax in a monster parade by the student body. The progress of Penn State as an institution of learning was represented by huge floats and electrical displays.

On October 15th the second annual alumni homecoming day was held. Many of the older members of Pennsylvania Lambda were back for this gala event and took great pride in renewing their old friendships as well as in meeting the newer brothers. The usual Phi Psi pep and enthusiasm was much in evidence and the "old boys" went home with a firm determination to return next year.

The usual Pennsylvania Day house party was staged the week-end of November 4th.

From all indications Penn State will turn out another undefeated football team this year. Lebanon Valley, Gettysburg, Lehigh, Georgia Tech, North Carolina, Carnegie Tech and Navy have bowed to the mighty attack of the Nittany Lion. Although the Blue and White outplayed Harvard in every department of the game, the Crimson succeeded in holding them to a 21-21 tie. Pitt and the University of Washington remain on the schedule, but it is a safe bet that the Lions will pull through those two struggles with little effort. Harold Logue is on the varsity squad.

A. D. Demler '18, fresh from a year spent in Sweden, has accepted a position with the engineering faculty, and amuses us daily with his Swedish wit.

ish wit. E. B. Lloyd, Pa. Alpha, has entered Penn State in the sophomore class.

The chapter is well represented in college activities and we look forward to a successful year.

State College, Pa. November 14, 1921 C. H. LANDEFELD JR. Correspondent

Maryland Alpha - Johns Hopkins University

Rushing season is about over and as the smoke slowly rolls away, Maryland Alpha finds herself possessing eight fine pledges. The season was unusually successful for all the fraternities on the campus, because of the wealth of material in the freshman class. The men pledged are: R. Page O'Connor, Baltimore; John T. Baker, Baltimore; William Cooper, Annapolis, Md.; George C. Dowb, Cumberland, Md.; C. Gordon Post jr., Staten Island, N. Y.; David H. Stevenson, Baltimore; N. Smith Taylor, Madison, N. J.; Douglas C. Turnbull jr., Baltimore.

According to a Student Council ruling, all freshmen must participate in some activity, which makes the competition very keen. So far our pledges are showing up very well. O'Connor is president of the freshman class and out for lacrosse; Baker is in line for assistant manager; Cooper is working on the editorial staff of the *Black and Blue Jay*; Stevenson is working on the business end of the *News-Letter*, the semiweekly paper, and Post is writing in its columns; Turnbull is a first-string sub on the varsity; and Dowb and Taylor are out for cross-country.

The Cotillion Board, of which Brent Powell is a member, has been holding tea dances after the games. This is a new thing at Hopkins and has proved quite a success.

The interfraternity board has offered a cup to the fraternity that maintained the highest scholastic standing last year. The averages have not been obtained as yet, but Phi Psi stands a good chance of winning the honors.

All the men who journeyed to Charlottesville on October 22d to witness the Hopkins-Virginia game greatly enjoyed their visit to the Virginia Alpha Chapter. We are now looking forward to visiting Swarthmore on November 12th and having Virginia Beta visit us Thanksgiving.

On October 15th we greatly enjoyed the visit of a number of brothers from Pennsylvania Zeta who came to Baltimore with the Dickinson team.

All our upperclassmen are still engaged in one or more activities and doing their best to keep Phi Psi well represented at Hopkins.

Baltimore, Md. November 9. 1921 THOMAS M. JENIFER Correspondent

Virginia Alpha - University of Virginia

Unfortunately the chapter house is still being repaired, and we are forced to postpone our house party until the midyear dance.

We were much pleased by a visit from a number of brothers from Maryland Alpha, and from W. D. McClelland, Va. Alpha '17, and E. N. Smith, Va. Alpha '12.

M. A. Foster has been elected to Phi Delta Phi, K. Nelson to Skull and Keys, M. P. Macgill and T. T. Adams to the German Club and H. S. Voges has been appointed assistant business manager of Corks and Curls.

M. P. Macgill and G. Macfarland are out for boxing, F. Jamison is out for the freshman basketball team and M. A. Foster is striving for a

place on the varsity. F. Stone and R. Darlington are on the track squad. The chapter takes pleasure in announcing the initiation of Davis Brady of Tulsa, Okla., and the pledging of John Ritchie of Washington, D. C.

Virginia Alpha is making every effort to form a closer relationship with her alumni and the active chapters. Give us your support. University, Va. C. C. CARLIN JR.

November 9, 1921

Correspondent

# Virginia Beta --- Washington and Lee University

NO LETTER RECEIVED

### THIRD DISTRICT

Pennsylvania Alpha - Washington and Jefferson College NO LETTER RECEIVED

### Pennsylvania Beta — Allegheny College

After a successful rushing season, we wish to introduce the following thirteen pledges: Robert Alker, Harold Rink, Henry Rice, Indiana, Pa.; Jamieson Sides and Russell Hayes, Black Lick, Pa.; Brayton Meyers and Charles Wolz, Washington, D. C.; Francis Drake, Cam-bridge Springs, Pa.; Elgin Wood, Franklin, Pa.; Frank Reed and Willis Morrison, New Brighton, Pa.; Everett McCurdy, Cazenovia, N. Y.; and Alexander Moore, Reynoldsville, Pa. The chapter is well represented on the foootball team, having no less than nine men on the squad five of whom are sure of making their

than nine men on the squad, five of whom are sure of making their letters. The football season has been moderately successful.

One of the brothers in the house has organized an orchestra under the One of the brothers in the house has organized an orchestra under the name of Gage's Collegians and Phi Psi is well represented by having four members. This orchestra has been playing at all social functions of the college and the immediate vicinity and is considered as making a reputation for itself both among the students and outsiders. G. Byron Hafer has been elected head cheerleader for the coming

 G. Byron mater has been elected head cheerleader for the coming year and so far has shown that he is capable of handling the job.
The following members have made the glee club: Alker, Steetle, Wolz, Hines, Ware, Zurbuch. The club is led by Chase R. Gage.
We are glad to welcome back Bruce Patterson, who is working for his master's degree. He was assistant principal of Cambridge Springs High School last year.

Meadville, Pa.

November 10, 1921

F. STEWART ZURBUCH Correspondent

### West Virginia Alpha — West Virginia University

The Mountaineer eleven, after losing a hard-fought game to Lehigh, defeated Washington and Lee and the University of Virginia on successive Saturdays. Courtney, Summers and Pledges Klostermeyer and Conley attended the Washington and Lee game at Charleston and James Trotter drove to Charlottesville to see the Virginia game.

On October 26th the chapter entertained the town alumni at dinner. Real Phi Psi spirit prevailed and at the conclusion of the meal an alumni association was formed to be known as the Morgantown Alumni Association. This action of the alumni is very gratifying to the chapter as we have always desired the support and aid of an association of this kind in Morgantown, and because it shows that the interest of its members in West Virginia Alpha is an active one.

The pledges of all the fraternities on the campus have formed as association similar to the Panhellenic Council, and on October 10th the pledges of this chapter entertained the association at a smoker in the chapter house.

In order to celebrate the victory over Washington and Lee, the students declared a holiday on October 7th and gave vent to their enthusiasm by a parade, a matinee dance and a bonfire at night. Oldtimers say there is more real spirit in the university this year than ever before.

Pledge Hill has cinched the center position on the varsity and Pledge Garred is on the squad as an end. Anderson, Orr and Pledge Hall are on the freshman eleven. The fall party will be held on the evening of December 3d with Nelson Maples's orchestra furnishing the music.

Riley has been elected president of the second year law class and Pool, vice president of the senior law class. Johnson and Roberts were elected to Torch and Serpent.

The chapter has received visits from Bert Gibson, Dick Welsh and James M. Orr.

Morgantown, W. Va. November 14, 1921 HARLAN BOVELL SELBY Correspondent

### Ohio Alpha — Ohio Wesleyan University

With the first semester of college well under way, Ohio Alpha finds herself in the midst of a very busy season. The football season will be completed November 19th and Coffield, Thomson and Kirk will receive varsity sweaters.

The entertainment committee by exerting special effort gave one of the most unique and successful fall parties ever given, The affair was complete in every detail. Dunlap, Todd, McGregor, Roderick and Pledge Brashares, of Ohio Delta Chapter, were among the guests.

In the annual class elections Kirk was elected senior treasurer; Wilson, junior president; Kohn, junior secretary; Hamilton, sophomore cheerleader. Bodurtha was elected to the honor court and L. Thomson to the senior lecture course committee.

In the past two months the following alumni have favored us with visits: A. E. Metzger, Dana Vogt, Allan G. Elliott, William B. Anderson jr, Dr. William W. Davies jr, Ben L. Garver, John N. Garver, H. B. Calderwood, James E. Breece, Nelson Vigor, Richard Berry, George B. Rector and Dwight Rector. We have also had visits from members of Ohio Beta and Ohio Delta.

Delaware, Ohio

November 14, 1921

ROBRET E. HAMILTON Correspondent

# Ohio Beta - Wittenberg University

There is this year a 50 per cent increase over last year's enrolment. Two new branches of study have been added to the curriculum and two new professors to the faculty. Ross Miller, Ohio Beta '05, is a new faculty addition in the capacity of dean of men. The college recently purchased a spacious new dormitory for women, and work has well advanced on the new athletic field as initial steps in the expansion program. The first new building to be erected upon the campus will be a girls' dormitory, upon which work will begin next spring.

We are represented in varsity football by Heberling and Burgeson, both of whom are playing a stellar game. On the freshman football squad we have Hagenbuch, Heltzel, J. Young, Garver and Kirby. Wittenberg, with practically a new team, after losing to the two strongest teams in the Obio Conference at the beginning of the season, has won the remainder of the games to date.

Sittler is student instructor in the academy; R. Young is associate editor of the Wittenberger and Torch staffs; Heberling is athletic editor of the Wittenberger; Pfeiffer is associate business manager of the Torch; Hiestand has been going strong and will play in the finals of the intramural tennis tournament; Davis is chairman and manager of the senior class dramatics; Pledge Aleshire is manager of the glee club; and Pledge McDaniel is chaplain of Philosophian Literary Society.

From the proceeds of the house campaign inaugurated last spring, the chapter house was painted during the past summer; while a program of interior decoration and refurnishing will continue throughout the coming year.

Due to the ruling of the faculty, social functions have been extremely limited. To date our social affairs have consisted of a rushee smoker on September 17th, a drop-in dance on October 6th, and a Hallowe'en dance on October 25th.

Quite the most important item which is focusing the attention of all Phi Psis in and about Springfield is the anticipation of the next G. A. C. At an informal banquet on November 12th, ex-Secretary H. C. Williams of Cleveland was present and outlined plans for the coming event. The Springfield A. A. is fully determined to make the 1922 G. A. C. one long to be remembered.

Since the last chapter letter we have had visits from the following: Archon Clarence Seimon of Ohio Epsilon; ex-Secretary H. C. Williams of Cleveland; John A. Standifer, Miss. Alpha '99; Ward E. Young, Ohio Beta '13; R. D. Buchanan, R. L. McCormick, C. E. Larish, H. C. Briggs and John McInnis of Illinios Beta; Robert Kohn, Arthur Dorner, Thomas Hayward, James Pierce and John Raobe of Ohio Alpha. JOHN H. HEBERLING

Springfield, Ohio November 13, 1921

Correspondent

# Ohio Delta - Ohio State University

The college year opened with practically all the chapter back. Among those, however, who failed to return were Frank Gordon and Frederick Campbell. A. R. Gibson left the university early in the semester but plans to be back with us next semester. Artis Creith, who last year attended Princeton, is back with us again.

The rushing season was successful and Ohio Delta wishes to announce the following pledges: Robert Hoffman, Areanum, Ohio; Allen Campbell, Emerson Gill and James A. Anderson, Toledo, Ohio; Ales Watt, Circleville, Ohio; Sheldon Bradford, Richard Brashear, Newton McCloud, Richard Wilcox, Charles Swope, Gansey R. Johnson, Frank Seamans and Dwight Friend, all of Columbus, Ohio.

On October 15th the annual initiation services were held, followed by On October 15th the annual initiation services were need, ionowed by an enthuisastic banquet. The new initiates to be presented are: Kenneth McCreary, Cleveland; John Ink, Akron; Charles A. Bauer, Francis Edwards and Douglas McGregor, Springfield; Nelson Dunlap, Kingston; Donald Watt, Circleville; George Wilson, Steubenville; Howard Ham-ilton, George Ritchie, Stewart McDermott, Artis Creith, Joseph Denney and Thomas J. Duffy, all of Columbus. On the football squad the chapter is represented by Nelson Dunlap, Howard Hamilton and LeRoy McGregor. Dunlap is showing up well.

Among other activities, Walter Chamberlin has been elected president of the senior class. Edwards, Sargent, Duffy and Anderson are in the cast of the new Scarlet Mask show, "Many Moons." A new stadium subscription campaign has been launched on the

campus with special effort to get the freshmen to sign up. The new campaign was necessary to cover th edifference between the bid and the estimated cost. The stadium is progressing rapidly and from all in-dications it will be ready for the fall of 1922. Other building activities are being rapidly pushed.

Several informal house dances and the entertainment of numerous brothers from other chapters constitutes the social side of the fall season.

Columbus, Ohio

November 10, 1921

### DOUGLAS MCGREGOR

Correspondent

### Ohio Epsilon — Case School of Applied Science

The first alumni smoker of the year was held November 12th in con-nection with homecoming day. The party was very successful, due no doubt to the wonderful showing made by the football team in the afternoon, the enthusiasm and pep displayed by the alumni and under-graduates at the game being kept very much alive throughout the even-ing. The result was a closer relationship between the alumni and the chapter.

The Case football season to date has been one of the most successful for several years. A large amount of credit is due to Clarence Hale, who has shown great ability in the backfield, and has an excellent opportunitn of being chosen as an all-state half. Reid, Skirvin, Biggar and Gribbey are likely prospects for varsity material next year, due to their ability shown on the freshman squad.

The Ladies Auxiliary, which has shown a very active interest in the chapter, is giving a dance at the house for the alumni and under-graduates on November 19th.

The preparations for the Christmas party, which will be held December 16th at the University Club, are well under way. This is an annual event which always takes place the first evening of the Christmas recess. Cleveland, Ohio **DeWitt L. Owen** 

November 13, 1921

Correspondent

#### FOURTH DISTRICT

#### Michigan Alpha — University of Michigan

We wish to announce the pledging of three men, namely, Leland Kirkpatrick, Battle Creek, Mich., of the class of 1923; Clark Field, Jackson, Mich., of the class of 1924; and William Prosser, Helena, Mont., of the class of 1925. We now have 12 pledges. Our chapter has obtained a few new honors on the campus. Arnold Piatt has been appointed stage manager of the Michigan Union opera,

while Arthur Holden, Cornell Walbridge and Harry J. Walker, jr. are included in the cast.

The week-end of October 22d we held a Phi Psi reunion. A large number of alumni were back, from our own and other chapters. Among those present were: Carl Ultes, Harry W. Fauver, H.T. Ellerby, Ed J. Waters, William A. Baker, C. L. Connor, John H. Bartleme, M. H. Butters, William R. Davis, Eugene Smith jr., Shirley C. Snow, Kenneth Barnard, W. C. Sproul, H. L. Smith, Stanley M. Mauk, Harry K. Crafts, Seymour Wilson, Jasper B. Reid, Charles S. Clark jr., Charles Cruikshank, Carl E. Hammond, Ebenezer Walbridge, Woodburn Walbridge, Ernest K. Matlock, Carl Johnson, Reed Bachman, H. H. Shuart, George Glover, Kenneth Coombs, John Watling, Brewster Loud, Milo White, Frank Boggs, Phil Bartleme, Roy M. Owen, William S. Smith and Paul Kempf.

Many from the Ohio Delta Chapter also visited us the week-end of October 22d. The occasion was the Michigan—Ohio State game. Although Michigan was defeated, the team defeated the University of Illinois the next week. We still have good football prospects for the season. If not the leader of the Conference, we hope to be among the first.

We are expecting to have visits from many alumni during the weekend of November 19th, when a game is scheduled with the University of Minnesota, to be played here.

Ann Arbor, Mich.

November 2, 1921

EDWARD S. REID, JR. Correspondent

### Indiana Alpha - De Pauw University

Twenty initiated men returned this fall, ten upperclassmen and ten sophomores. During a hotly contested but successful rushing week we pledged the following men: Ralph Yager, Blufton; Harry Trees, Kokomo; Robert Talley, Terre Haute; Floyd Heiss, Noblesville; Herman Carrington, Indianapolis; Ralph McDermond, Attica; Kenneth Huber, Marion; Robert Conder, Indianapolis; Silas Reagan, Indianapolis; James Gilbert, Logansport; William Downs, Circleville, Ohio.

The chapter is again aiming toward supremacy in scholarship. We were second among the fraternities last year and intend to take first place this time.

The large enrolment is taxing all the facilities of the university and the faculty is raising the scholastic standards in an effort to control the situation, so our task will be no easy one.

Indiana Alpha is out in her usual place in activities with Yager and Heiss in football; Heskett, Campbell, Scott, Bentley and Maxwell on the *De Pauw*; Cannon, Allee, Morton, Williams, McDermond and Talley out for basketball; three men in Sigma Delta Chi, and so on. The chapter seems to be tending toward the harmonious this year with nine men in the band and four in the glee club.

Dr. Grose, president of the university, is at present on a leave of absence in China and the university is under the supervision of Dr. Longden. The president will return some time in May.

The chapter has been particularly fortunate this fall in visits from the alumni. Among those who have recently told us of the old days are: David Hogue, C. H. Neff, Will H. Hough, Jack Webster, Frank A. King, Roger Ringo, Edward Donan, Robert Gwinn, Fred L. O'Hair, Elwood Dunlavy, Willis Conner, David Billingsly, George W. Smith, Donald Bridge, Dorsey Anderson, Joseph M. Wilkins, Arthur Dunn, Edwin Randall, Walter Boyle, John R. Emison, Winfield Kirkpatrick Denton. Besides these there was a large delegation here for Old Gold Day, as usual.

Several of the brothers visited Illinois Delta upon the occasion of the Illinois—De Pauw game and they commend the hospitality of the Illinois chapter to all brothers.

Greencastle, Ind. November 7, 1921 GERALD E. BENTLEY Correspondent

# Indiana Beta — Indiana University

NO LETTER RECEIVED

### Indiana Delta — Purdue University

The Purdue football team thus far this season has met with a series of reverses and successes. Although we have won only one Conference game, the team has made very creditable showing against some others. The final game of the season is with Indiana on November 19th and the team is in excellent shape for the annual clash. Murphy '18 and Evers-man '20 are playing regularly as quarterback and halfback. The basketball season will open on December 14th with Franklin. Purdue expects to be in the fight for Conference honors again this year with eight letter men eligible besides the men on last year's freshman squad. Hiser '18 and Eversman will be out for their regular positions on the team. Hiser was runner-up in the all-university tennis singles tournament this fall while he, with Walker '20 as a partner, succeeded in taking second place in the doubles.

Indiana Delta's first dance of the year was given in honor of the pledges and was very successful. On December 3d the chapter will be dressed in its worst for the annual "hard times" dinner dance.

During the past month we have had the pleasure of entertaining at the house many alumni, including D. D. Sheerin, Thomas Sheerin, Otto Fifield, J. W. Wheeler, William Bailey, Walter Seewright, E. A. O'Harrow, G. S. Garrard, C. T. Obold, E. M. VanWinkle, A. H. Henke, K. P. Miller, Myron Bone, U. W. Wiley, F. L. Pavey, F. A. Stimson, Roy Adams, Ray Adams, I. C. DeHaven, and Brothers Piper and Little of Illinois Alpha.

West Lafayette, Ind. November 12, 1921 T. H. PRICE Correspondent

### Illinois Alpha - Northwestern University

Illinois Alpha has started an alumni night, held on the first Friday night of each month. The chapter aims to have some of the very best obtainable speakers. The first alumni night was held November 4th with Dean James as the speaker of the evening. Dr. Tittle and President Scott are scheduled to speak at the two following meetings. We hope that the alumni will get in the habit and attend every meeting.

The chapter was awarded the cup during homecoming for the best decorated house.

The following brothers from Wisconsin Gamma are at Northwestern this year: Buchannon, Kendricks, Biemer and Schbacker. The chapter is indeed glad to have them here.

Duane Clinton has left college and is now working in Chicago. Pledge

Douglas Whitley was appointed on the prom committee and is working now on the "biggest dance of the year." Evanston, Ill.

Correspondent

November 6, 1921

# Illinois Beta - University of Chicago

The rushing season was again a successful one. Nine good men were pledged this fall. These men form a well-rounded class and will aid the Fraternity's standing in athletics, society, politics, and in every other field of college life. The pledges are: Milton Wells, Maurice McGuire, Casper Peschel, Thomas Long and William Drake of Chicago; Howard Briggs of Oak Park; Donald Irwin of Frankfort, Ind.; Charles Wyndette of Cleveland: and Ralph McElyea of Waukegan, Ill.

The football season for Chicago has been a successful one. Captain Charles McGuire '19 and Charles Redmon '19, playing their last year in the Maroon line, have made quite a name for themselves as a result of their playing in the Princeton game. Jerome Neff '19 will probably win a letter again this year in football as a halfback.

The chief events of the year that are yet to take place are: alumni banquet and smoker on November 18th; Thanksgiving dinner on November 23d; fall party at the house on December 2d; initiation on January 14th.

Chicago, Ill.

November 12, 1921

JOHN H. COX Correspondent

# Illinois Delta - University of Illinois

The most strenuous rushing season since the days before the war proved very successful for Illinois Delta. The chapter takes pleasure in introducing the following pledges: Wilbur D. Esser, Aurora; Everett A. Whitney, Oak Park; Warren J. Carr, Aurora; Howard K. Hill, Freeport; Jack E. Salfsberg, Aurora; Willys Baur, Chicago; Prescott Dunn, Peoria; Theron Stoik, Clinton, Iowa; William H. Voorhies, Decatur; Jean Cox, New Castle, Ind.; John Ebbert, Oak Park; and Francis Cusiac of Riverside. On September 30th these freshmen showed their pep by giving the annual freshman smoker. The house was turned over to the freshmen for the occasion, and they proved themselves capable of extending true Phi Psi hospitality to their guests. Although Illinais sufficient the meet directment for the leasance of

Although Illinois is suffering the most disastrous football season of recent years, our defeats have failed to beat down the Illini loyalty. The students have pledged toward the stadium between nine hundred thousand and a million dollars; and though, at the time of writing, the alumni drive is less than a week old, unofficial reports show almost a million dollars. The building of the two and one-half million dollar stadium will probably be started within a year.

During the past four weeks various committees were appointed, and as usual Phi Psi got her full share. Penticost is chairman of the junior mixer committee; Bennett, Dencer and Penticost are on the homecoming committees; Larsen helped plan the entertainment for Dad's Day; Keenan is serving on the sophomore mixer committee; Pledge Salsfiberg is chairman of the freshman smoker committee; and Walker is helping with the senior informal.

We enjoyed visits from brothers from Wisconsin Alpha, Michigan Alpha and Indiana Alpha. We are always glad to receive visits from any brothers and hope whenever they are in the vicinity of Champaign they will make the Illinois Delta chapter house their home.

Champaign, Ill. November 4, 1921

CHARLES B. JUDAH

Correspondent

#### Tennessee Delta — Vanderbilt University

Time has flown swiftly since the opening of college and thus far in athletics Fortune has smiled upon our efforts. With but one more game

remaining, Vanderbilt looks back over a season of no losses and one tie, said tie being with the Georgia Bull Dogs, who held Harvard to a 10-7 count. Our last game of the season will be with the University of the South, from Sewanee. A bitter fight is looked for from our old rivals and from all reports the annual homecoming Thanksgiving will be the biggest in the history of the college.

Vanderbilt has at last decided on the location of her stadium. It will be located on the eastern edge of the campus, and will be of modern concrete construction. It is planned so that it can be built in sections. The work is to start immediately, and the completed stadium will hold about 40,000.

A consolidation of the campuses will be affected when the Medical and the Dental Schools are moved to the present location of the College of Arts and Sciences. For a long time Vanderbilt has labored under the handicap of having her large schools separated and at times jealousies have arisen which could not be kept down. This unification of the schools on one site will be begun in the spring and is looked forward to by all with joy.

Tennessee Delta is planning a warm homecoming and will be well represented at the annual Panhellenic banquet the night preceding Turkey day.

Al Seitz, Ohio Beta, and Clarence Siemon, Ohio Epsilon, were recent visitors.

Pledge Joel Madison has found it necessary to withdraw from the university and enter Ogden College. He intends to come back next year and the chapter earnestly hopes that he will.

Nashville, Tenn.

November 12, 1921

GERALD R. COWAN Correspondent

Wisconsin Alpha — University of Wisconsin No Letter Received

Wisconsin Gamma — Beloit College No LETTER RECEIVED

### Minnesota Beta — University of Minnesota

Since our last letter we have gone through a strenuous rushing season and come out very successfully. We pledged the following nine men: Loring Banfield, Einar Knudtson, Russell Froemke, Wyman Lawrence, Norval Mulligan, Gordon Leitz, Douglas McGregor, Alfred Partridge and Charles Leurs. Russell Froemke is a Phi Psi borner and Charles Leurs a Phi Psi son. They are a very promising class and we have great hopes that they will become first-rate brothers.

Minnesota experienced a very unfortunate football season this year. Oss was injured in the first conference game and did not get into another one. Aas played consistently at center throughout the season and was a very dependable hole-plugger in many a tight place. Merrill was on the squad all season but didn't make his letter; this doesn't worry him though as he has three years yet to play. Many of the boys emigrated to Wisconsin and from all they say the Wisconsin brothers are some entertainers.

Minnesota Beta is well represented in campus activities this year. French is one of the associate editors of the *Gopher*. Oss and Lyman are on the *Ski-U-Mah* board and helping to make it a success. Bohan is the feature writer for the *Minnesota Daily* and breaks out with some

rare wit. Dunnovan is treasurer of his class. The freshmen are showing the proper spirit and getting a start that will bring them out on top.

Chauncey Chase, Reed Hickerson, Rolly Schmidt and Hillar Boutin started for Madison to see the big game, showing that they had just as much pep and interest in the team as they did when they were undergraduates.

Brother Timberlake paid us a visit the other day and was most welcome. He certainly is a hundred per cent Phi Psi if there ever was one.

Brother Colwell was a candidate for nomination for mayor last spring and made a great fight. Better luck next time, brother.

Brother Leurs had the pleasure of helping Minnesota Beta rush and pledge his son this fall. Brother Lawrence's son was also pledged this fall.

Minneapolis, Minn. November 10, 1921 JOHN K. MORTLAND Correspondent

#### FIFTH DISTRICT

# Iowa Alpha — University of Iowa

### NO LETTER RECEIVED

# Iowa Beta — Iowa State College

Football season is almost over for Iowa State College. The team has been fairly successful this fall in spite of many injuries. Wallace, the all-American center, is the outstanding player again this year. He received injuries in the earlier part of the season that troubled him all through the rest of the games. The team has been working together splendidly under his leadership and the college will lose the greatest football player it has ever had after the Nebraska game on the 19th.

Leonard B. Salisbury from Guthrie Center, Iowa, is now a pledge of Iowa Beta. Frederick R. Bushnell and G. Witten Whitehead have transferred to this chapter from Wisconsin Gamma, and H. F. Mellinger from Ohio Beta.

The chapter dance was at the Ames Country Club on November 12th. Inasmuch as there was a game the day before(Armistice Day) and a vacation for three days, we decided to make it an occasion and get as many of the "old boys" back as possible. McFarland and Putnam from Burlington, Jack Greenwood and his wife from Ellsworth and Soper from Iowa Alpha were here for the dance. The old club house has been done over; it is quite a bit larger and fixed up very attractively now. The objective a program of the dance of the first set of the set of the set of the dance of the set of the s

The chapter is always endeavoring to keep the "grads" alive to the events of their alma mater and hopes through a system of chapter letters once a month and also by sending one copy a week of the college newspaper they may glean knowledge they should be anxious to get.

Charles Mason has been appointed circulation manager of the Iowa State Student.

Pledge Guilford and Bushnell won the cup for grand champion in dairy cattle class in the Ames Little International 1921.

The college has a new armory completed just west of the Chemistry Building. Between the armory and chemistry hall an agricultural engineering hall is being built. This will be completed in the spring.

Robert A. Adams, Mo. Alpha, is here in Ames in charge of the federal students.

The annual convention of Sigma Delta Chi, honorary journalistic fraternity, will be held in Ames this winter on three days of the second week in December. Iowa Beta now has two active members.

Ames, Iowa November 13, 1921 Leland B. Johnson

Correspondent

### Missousri Alpha — University of Missouri

#### NO LETTER RECEIVED

### Texas Alpha — University of Texas

Initiation ceremonies were held October 16th, and Texas Alpha takes pleasure in introducing the following brothers: Arthur Allen, Dallas; Ab Curtis, Fort Worth; Dick Oliver, Canyon City; Roland Flick, Dallas; Smith Wooters, Crockett; Al Blocker, Honey Grove; and Warren Scarborough, Fort Worth. Allen and Curtis are both athletes, Curtis being on the varsity football squad and Allen standing an excellent chance to be catcher on the varsity "nine" next spring. Scarborough came to us this year with a degree from Baylor University, and is pursuing the study of law.

As a result of a successful rushing season, twelve new men became wearers of the pledge button. One of these has already been initiated and three others will be eligible for initiation after Christmas, due to their having advanced standing.

George Hill, Ab Curtis and Joe Ward are representing the chapter on the gridiron. They are all from Fort Worth, and during the recent game with Rice Institute they played side by side, forming the right side of the line, Hill playing guard, Ward playing tackle, and Curtis playing end. This is one of the reasons why Rice made only two first downs during the entire game. Texas has an unusually strong team this year, and reference is often made of it as the "wonder team of the South." Unless all the dope is upset our team will win the champion-the of the Southwestern Conference are in

South. Others an the dope is upset our team will win the champion-ship of the Southwestern Conference again. Simmons, Black and Shields, all of whom received degrees last year, are with us again this year. Simmons and Shields are instructors in the university, and Black is a tutor in the department of business ad-ministration while working for a master's degree.

The chapter gave an informal dance at the Country Club on November 12th in honor of the pledges. Besides the chapter and alumni, there were present guests from each fraternity on the campus.

The Kappa Alpha fraternity recently gave a smoker in honor of its pledges, inviting as guests the pledges of the other fraternities. The Phi Psi freshmen attended in a body and greatly enjoyed the hospitality of the K. A's. This plan of bringing together the future fraternity men of the university is greatly to be commended.

It has been a great pleasure this fall to have E. C. Vickers, Mo. Alpha '10, and Charles O. Unfug, Mo. Alpha '17, with us. They are both engaged in business in Austin, and are taking an active interest in the welfare of Texas Alpha.

Austin, Texas November 10, 1921

ED. MANN Correspondent

# Kansas Alpha - University of Kansas

On November 24th the Jayhawker school will open her new stadium in a gridiron contest with her arch-enemy, the Missouri Tiger. The first six sections of the stadium will be completed by that time and will have a seating capacity of 15,000. This game will be the homecoming game this year and the chapter is preparing for a large number of alumni. There will be a smoker the night before the game and a party the night of the game.

Edwin White is president of the Men's Student Council and James Connely is assistant business manager of the *Daily Kansan*. Paul O'Leary holds the title of champion quarter miler of Missouri valley for 1921. In the fall elections, Esmond Kearney was elected manager of the "soph hop" and Richard Dungan was elected treasurer of the senior class. Raymond Kerfoot and Richard Dungan recently pledged Tau Beta Pi. Edwin White is president of Tau Beta Pi.

Pledges Dodge and Hodges are on the freshman football team and several of the brothers are out for the basketball squad. Pledge Belgard, all-state guard in high school basketball last year, broke his shoulder in football practice the early part of the season, which has prevented his making the freshman team. He will be in shape to play basketball by the first of the season.

The Kansas Phi Psi was mailed out November 7th, and contained articles on the new stadium, chapter activities, alumni notes, and many others of interest to alumni and other chapters. Any alumnus or chapter not receiving copies of this issue, please notify us at once so we may correct our mailing lists.

correct our mailing lists. We have enjoyed visits from the following alumni during the past six weeks: J. R. Blacker '12, George Bowles '08, Arthur Humphrey '09, Dorman O'Leary '15, Lynn Hershey '17, Frank Merrill '99, Charles Strickland '10, Leland Thompson '13, Robert Campbell '10, Dix Edwards '15, Scott Johnson '15, Fritz Bonebrake '16, Ernest Clark '16, Clarence Swenson '16, Emmitt Schooley '10, Stuffy Dunmire '13, Charles Lamming '18, Carlos Evans '19, R. A. Bradford, Ohio Alpha '15, Charles Munger, Mo. Alpha '11, Milton, Kan. Alpha '11, and Rust, Cal. Beta. The chapter wishes to announce the pledging of Alex Hodges of Kansas

City, Mo.

Lawrence, Kan. November 9, 1921 RICHARD DUNGAN Correspondent

# Nebraska Alpha — University of Nebraska

Coach Dawson's Nebraska Cornhuskers won an easy victory over the Kansas Jayhawkers on homecoming day, November 12th, by a score of 28-0. Nebraska Alpha was fortunate in being represented on the team by Floyd Wright '17, and Dave Noble '20. They did excellent work in their backfield positions and received favorable comment from the local sport writers. Hundreds of alumni of the university came from over the state to see Nebraska meet their old rivals on the gridiron. Nebraska Alpha welcomed some thirty of her alumni. Six Kansas Alpha men were also guests at the chapter house. A big sign, "Beat Kansas," and an electric lighted "N" were placed on the columns of the front porch.

The first issue of the *Phi Psi Rag*, Nebraska Alpha's newspaper, appeared October 5th, with Story Harding as editor and Asa Waters as associate editor.

Russell Replogle and Pledge Paul Ristine are members of the Corncobs Club, recently organized to create additional enthusiasm at athletic events.

Last year Nebraska Alpha had more men entered in campus activities than any other fraternity and we have held up that record so far This year's freshmen are being told what it means to be this year. known favorably on the campus and they are receiving such information with a desire to accomplish worth-while things. Pledge Giles Henkle was recently elected president of the freshman class.

Our second party of the year was given October 29th by the freshmen in honor of the upperclassmen. Homecoming day was celebrated with The third floor was decorated in a roofa dance at the chapter house. garden effect.

We have recently received visits from Paul Engler, Charles Seeman, Freeman Penny, Clinton Kenner, Richard Baliman, Lyman Mead, George Welch, Merle Rathburn, William Noble, Frank Schwake, John Stocker, William Hosek, William Telfer, Earle Reed, Edward Purcell and Judge Bryce Crawford.

Lincoln, Neb.

November 13, 1921

A. BRADFORD WATERS Correspondent

Oklahoma Alpha — University of Oklahoma

#### NO LETTER RECEIVED

### Colorado Alpha — University of Colorado

On December 3d, Colorado Alpha will welcome to her new home at 620 12th st., alumni and any members of other chapters who may be Since November 2d the chapter has been in the new house, in Boulder. having moved there en masse on that date so that an informal reception might be held on homecoming day, November 5th. Britzman, Campbell, Jack and Jones are out for football, and each is

The remaining games with Utah, Colorado Aggies, and making good. Mines are all of vital importance.

Among the honors gathered to date are: Bishop, president of the Boulder branch of Phi Rho Sigma; Burke, president of Sigma Tau; Maier, president of sophomore medics; Elias, president of Players Club. Jack has been initiated into Sigma Tau. Nichols was taken into Torch Christensen has accepted a Phi Rho Sigma pledge. and Shield. Britzman pledged Phi Delta Phi. Pledge Cappell was among the first chos-en for Players Club. Pledge Kneale is out for manager of football. en for Players Club. Cassell has been chosen secretary of Tau Beta Pi, and is on the A. C. E. council.

A house dance will be given December 2d. This is the first function of the year, besides being the first at Wellington Heights for Phi Psis. B. R. CREIGHTON

Boulder, Col.

Correspondent

Washington Alpha — University of Washington

On October 24th Washington Alpha held initiation for Charles Powell of Selah, Wash., and Ralph Marquis of Everett, Wash. The chapter

takes great pleasure in introducing these new brothers. Ralph Marquis is a brother of Harold Marquis '20.

December 2d and 3d form the major part of the winter homecoming. On December 3d Pennsylvania State is scheduled to play Washington Many Washington alumni are expected back, at least in our stadium. for the Washington-Pennsylvania State game.

Ingram and Porep are on the varsity squad. Ingram is playing a better game than ever at tackle, and is in a direct line for the all-coast eleven. Pledges Holbrook, Clark and Estey are on the frosh team.

Jack Bole is business manager of the Daily and Herbert Brink is business manager of the Tyee, the yearbook. Harold Marquis is in charge of the advertising service department of the Daily, and in charge of the university section of the Tyee. Marquis has also been elected as the Sigma Delta Chi delegate to their national convention on December 10th, Cowling is associate editor of the sport department of at Ames, Iowa. the Daily and also editor of the same department of the Tyee. Pledge Vestal is working under Bole's tutorage on the Daily and Pledge Lewis is helping Brink on the Tyee.

Pledges Holbrook and Estey are active members of the freshman vig-Pledge Lewis has been pledged to the Knights of the ilance committee. Hook, underclassmen's society.

Mason answered the call for the fall crew turnout and is getting in shape for next spring, and Pledge Weiser is rapidly learning the expressions used by a coxswain. Powell is representing us in cross-country.

Crisler is taking a leading part in a specialty act in preparation for the ee club tour. Lawrence Hick was elected president of the Fisheries glee club tour. Club and is also a delegate to the Interfraternity Council. Foster is on the homecoming committee.

On November 4th the chapter held its fall informal in honor of the pledges.

Washington's building program, calling for two buildings a year, is oving along rapidly. The Mines building was completed this summer moving along rapidly. The Mines building was completed this summer and the new Education Hall, one of the units of the Liberal Arts quadrangle, is nearing completion.

Another national fraternity has been added to those already on the Alpha Delta Phi was installed on October 31st. Washington campus. now has 23 national fraternities on its campus.

Washington's baseball team, which has been touring the Orient, won nine out of twelve games played in Japan. On completing the schedule with Chinese universities they will return to the States and are expected home about December 15th.

Since the last letter we have had the pleasure of a visit from Kenneth Barnard, Mich. Alpha '14. Harold Leffingwell, Pa. Beta, and Norman Singley, N. Y. Epsilon,

are frequent visitors at the house.

Seattle, Wash. November 6, 1921 E. H. CHAMBERLAIN Correspondent

California Beta - Leland Stamford University NO LETTER RECEIVED

California Gamma — University of California

In this On November 12th California defeated Washington 72 to 3. game G. D. Hufford at end and S. N. Beam at tackle, earned their "Big On November 11th the California freshmen defeated the C's."
Stanford freshmen 27 to 21. In this game W. Rau at end earned his numerals. On November 19th California plays Stanford for the Pacific Coast conference championship, in the new Stanford stadium. It is hoped that W. M. O'Brien will play part of the game at quarter, and thus earn his "Big C." S. Bell and F. L. Storment have been elected to Skull and Keys. D. T.

S. Bell and F. L. Storment have been elected to Skull and Keys. D. T. Saxby has been elected to Alpha Kappa Psi. S. Bell has been elected to Alpha Zeta. M. B. Lerned has been elected to Pi Delta Epsilon. S: N. Beam has been elected to U. N. X.

On December 2d a formal dance will be held at the chapter house.

After the California-University of Southern California football game, on November 5th, an alumni smoker was held at the chapter house. Some sixty alumni were present. Entertainment by the Phi Psi orchestra and the freshmen helped to make the smoker an enjoyable affair.

At the close of this semester California Gamma will lose six loyal Phi Psis, through graduation. They are: L. A. Pellissier, F. L. Storment, J. B. Zweigart, L. V. Poss, R. W. Millar and E. L. Burrall.

to The construction of the H. M. Stephens Memorial Students' Union has started. In this building will be the cooperative store, student offices and recreation rooms. The subscriptions for the million dollar California memorial stadium have almost all been issued. The construction of this edifice will begin in the near future.

Berkeley, Cal.

November 13, 1921

JACK FERRI Correspondent



#### Edwin S. Grant, Ohio Gamm '75

Edwin S. Grant, Ohio Gamma '75, one of the leading citizens of Zanesville, Ohio, died at his home in that city September 6th after an illness of five months. Last winter he spent in California in an effort to regain failing health.

He was born November 13, 1859. After leaving Wooster University he entered business in Zanesville, and gradually rose to a place of prominence in the city. For the past 21 years he had been president of the Black and Grant wholesale dry goods company, and was also a director of various banks. He was closely identified with church and charity work. During the war he was actively engaged in Red Cross work. In January 1918 he went to Washington as a dollar-a-year man, being placed in charge of the reorganization of the entire Red Cross dry goods department, which was then in a chaotic condition. He later was appointed director of accounts.

Brother Grant was one of the Ohio Gamma Old Guard, and was always greatly interested in the Fraternity. He was in attendance at several Grand Arch Councils.

#### Charles J. C. Bennett, W. Va. Alpha '91

Charles J. C. Bennett, W. Va. Alpha '91, formerly president of Fairmont State Normal School and a well known West Virginia educator, died at San Jose, Cal., October 18, 1921. Professor Bennett taught in various schools in West Virginia, later going to Leland Stanford, Chicago University, Columbia, and them studied in Europe. It was while teaching at the University of Oregon that his health failed.

#### E. Dench Lewis, N. Y. Beta '15

E. Dench Lewis, N. Y. Beta '15, died October 25, I92I in Washington, D. C. He was studing law in that city at the time of his death.

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## Elegant Home Acquired by Colorado Alpha

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THE annual Founders' Day banquet to be staged jointly by Colorado Alpha and the Denver Alumni Association should this year be the scene of and occasion for a real celebration and jubilee, for the good and sufficient reason that our dreams have more than come true: we have our own chapter house; and such an one!

We can safely assume that no member of the Denver Alumni Association's "Old Guard," which during the 1908 G. A. C. gave birth to the idea of an active chapter in Colorado, nor even any member of the Friars, conceived or dared hope that on the seventh anniversary of the installation of Colorado Alpha, we would be dedicating a home such as we own and occupy in Boulder today. Rather than dwell upon details, with which we could fill a book, we will quote the news item published in the Denver Post of October 23d, which is somewhat briefer than stories of similar purport carried by the other daily newspapers, and will then proceed to elaborate slightly upon that. The story in the Post was as follows:

"A beautiful and luxurious fraternity house in the foothills of the Rockies, yet near enough to the campus that the members can go to and fro in a few minutes, is what the Colorado Alpha Chapter of the Phi Kappa Psi Fraternity of the University of Colorado has achieved, mainly through the efforts of the Denver Alumni Association.

"The 'Armstrong home,' declared to be the handsomest and most complete residence on University Hill, has been purchased by the Fraternity. The price has not been made public, but a prominent Denver contractor estimated it would cost \$65,000 to \$75,000 to duplicate the home and surroundings at the present time.

"The new fraternity house faces the famed Flatiron peaks and commands an unsurpassed and inspiring view of the plains and mountains. The home has been a landmark since its erection five years ago .... It adjoins the old Boulder Country Club golf links, and the surroundings are more those of a mountain lodge than a city residence. The grounds are a triumph of landscape gardening, with the natural sandstone boulders providing a picturesque background for lawns and shrubbery. Southeast of the house a large area has been adapted to a walled-in garden of the English type, with vine-clad walls, paved walks, built-in seats and pool. Native boulders inclose the entire grounds.

"The house is equipped with every convenience known to modern house-builders, with private baths and showers, billiard and breakfast rooms, sun-parlors and a built-in garage. An impromptu and informal housewarming will be held by the fraternity on November 5th, homecoming day at the university. The formal dedication of the new Phi Psi home will occur on December 2d, followed by a dance on the 3d and a general reception to the other fraternities and sororities on the 4th of December."

While the accompanying photographs furnish a basis for a partial conception of the exellency of its location, grounds etc., yet to really appreciate the many unusual features of our chapter house, one should actually see it; we surely may be pardoned the assertion that, in an article of moderate length, it defies description.

Suffice it to say that our home is located on an eminence commanding a view of 100 miles of mountain range, an equal sweep of plains, and immediately overlooking the campus and the rest of University Hill. We are in a new section, toward which the city is rapidly growing. The residences in our immediate neighborhood are new, beautiful and costly homes with spacious grounds. Our grounds



2 Walled in Garden4 Dining Room

- View of House and Surroundings
  Sun Parlor

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comprise the entire southwest quarter of a city block, adjacent to Chautauqua Park, and are ornameted by a hundred different species of shrubs and plants which have been artistically and harmoniously worked into the landscape without creating a jarring note, preserving the "near to nature" effect and impression given by the rugged surroundings.

The house itself, to the last detail, is planned on ultramodern lines, constructed of the best materials, finished in the finest woods and decorated both artistically and appro-The rooms are exceedingly large, and the living priately. room. dining room, breakfast room, chapter and billiard rooms, contain immense fireplaces of varying design and construction. The decorated tile bathrooms with their sunken tubs and marble and tile showers, are a delight to They are also equipped with emergency gas heatthe eve. ers built in the walls. There is an elaborate built-in vacuum system in all parts of the house, a garbage burner in the basement, an automatic ash-can remover, a complete electrically-equipped laundry, etc., etc. As a matter of fact. the house possesses a score of features which, though the last word in convenience and efficiency, a chapter would never pay the cost of incorporating into a fraternity house of its own designing.

The only change contemplated or considered is the providing of more study rooms — and possibly increased outdoor sleeping accommodations — through an addition, since it is the judgment of all consulted that it would be a serious mistake to change the present interior arrangement. There are at present accommodations for 24 men on the sleeping porches, and it is the plan to so accommodate the whole chapter. This addition will be provided by extending in the rear of the house to the garden wall, the second and third stories, without disturbing the symetry of the building or altering its general appearance and outline.

## The 1921 Interfraternity Conference

THE thirteenth annual session of the Interfraternity Conference was held in the Pennsylvania Hotel, New York City, November 25-26, 1921, with 48 fraternities represented. A total of 213 were registered, including 142 accredited delegates, 62 visitors and 9 educators from various universities. This was the first conference extending through two days. Phi Kappa Psi was represented by Walter Lee Sheppard, Henry H. McCorkle and Lloyd L. Cheney as delegates; George Smart and Dr. Henry T. Scudder as alternates; H. C. Williams, H. S. Duffy and S. G. Brooks as visitors; and J. J. McNeil at the registration desk.

The chairman's address, by Mr. Don R. Almy of Sigma Alpha Epsilon, reviewed the work of the executive committee of the conference during the year, and suggested ways of greater usefulness for the conference. A committee on plan and scope recommended two classes of membership in the conference, active and associate. To be eligible for active membership a fraternity must have been established 25 years, have 10 chapters at least 5 years old, have 90 per cent of its chapters maintaining houses, 50 per cent of its houses owned, and 90 per cent of its chapters with a membership of at least 15 men. The committee's recommendations aroused a storm of protest, and the requirements were changed, reducing the required age to 15 years, the number of houses maintained to 75 per cent, and the number owned to 25 per cent. Brother McCorkle was a member of the plan and scope committee and Brother Sheppard took a leading part in the discussion of the report.

The conference again went on record as being unalterably opposed to Theta Nu Epsilon, and also placed under the ban the society known as Kappa Beta Phi, which already has branches in many colleges. Educators who participated in the discussion urged that the fraternities take definite steps against any members found to belong to either of these organizations.

#### What the Conference Accomplished

One of the most valuable reports presented was that of the committee on health and hygiene.

Officers elected for the coming year are: F. H. Nymeyer, Zeta Psi, chairman; John J. Kuhn, Delta Chi, secretary; W. M. Musgrave, Alpha Sigma Phi, treasurer; Dean T. A. Clark, Alpha Tau Omega, educational adviser. Don R. Almy, Sigma Alpha Epsilon, Dr. W. H. Conley, Phi Sigma Kappa, and R. G. Mead, Kappa Alpha (N), were chosen members of the executive committee. Henry H. McCorkle was appointed by the chairman as a member of the nominating committee.

The proceedings of the conference, including full reports of all committees and of all discussions, have been issued in pamphlet form, and copies have been supplied to all chapters of Phi Kappa Psi.

## What the Conference Accomplished

WALTER LEE SHEPPARD, Pa. Iota '98, Contributor

THE Interfraternity Conference has an individuality, character, which, like that of a person, is of greater consequence than any of its acts and utterances. What was said and what was done at the last sessions may be learned by reading the very excellent minutes already published. But what the conference is, or is becoming to be, can be apprehended only by personal and direct acquaintance. And here lies the matter of most vital interest. For what the conference may do or say at one session, it may undo or negative at another. But what it is or will become is the evolution of an idea that, like the habit or taste of an individual, is difficult to change, and then only through the protracted processes of time.

The importance of the conference in the conception of the member fraternities is attested by the large attendance of delegates. Busy men do not sacrifice their time so generously except for something they regard as well worth while. There is little doubt that every moment of these lengthier sessions can be profitably employed, and indeed it is manifest that they must be, if the strong character of the attending delegates is to be maintained. There is already a pronounced tendency to localize the control and management of conference affairs in persons residing in or near New York City, and the extension of the conference sessions over two days instead of one, as heretofore, is likely to influence the fraternities to select their delegates from residents of New York and its environs from motives of convenience and economy. If such should prove to be the effect of the larger sessions, a return to the one day meeting would be preferable. For provincialism is even more hampering in an organization than in an individual.

The power of the conference is growing steadily, and finds its source in the thoroughly representative character of its Heretofore all general college fraternities. membership. having at least five chapters, were eligible for membership, irrespective of age or other qualification. The benefits of membership are now so widely appreciated that the convention of delegates has exceeded the capacity of the original place of assembly in the University Club. The growth of the conference has been so rapid as to create a problem in itself. A committee on plan and scope, appointed to study the problem, recommended the imposition of certain membership qualifications to govern future admissions, which with certain modifications were adopted. For example. the applicant fraternity must have at least 10 active chapters, of which 75 per cent must maintain chapter homes, 25 per cent must own their own homes, and 90 per cent must maintain an annual membership of at least 15 men. Thus far the standard set constitutes a moderate and reasonable challenge to any fraternity that aspires to national classifica-Here is offered an incentive to the younger organtion. izations to attain to a condition of internal health recognized as essential to vindicate its right to live. But the committee did not stop here. It recommended also a 25 year age gualification, which after considerable debate, was cut to 15 years and adopted.

Thus the conference has said, in effect, to the recently

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organized fraternity, "It makes no difference how rapidly you attain or surpass the standards of size, and of inherent health and strength which we have established, you cannot have full membership rights with us in this conference until you have been in existence for 15 years. Nor does it make any difference that some of our members are as young or younger than you are. They were lucky enough to join us before we adopted an age qualification. Until you are 15 years old, you can send one delegate to our meetings, as against three accorded our member fraternities, who may have the privileges of the floor; but you cannot vote or hold office in the conference."

Time alone will test the wisdom of this measure, which to the writer seems to have destroyed the incentive which the remaining qualifications afforded to an earlier attainment of the standard prescribed. Though not so intended, it inevitably tends to establish an aristocracy based upon age rather than achievement, which would be both unamerican and unfraternal. And, since the Interfraternity Conference is looked upon as the parent and patern of the interfraternity councils that it seeks to encourage and foster in the universities and colleges, its example is likely to be reflected in similar measures, introduced in these local councils to bar the newly established chapter of a national fraternity from the much needed benefits and prestige of immediate membership.

The action of the conference in thus placing what seems to the writer to be a false value upon age, will operate as a handicap and stumbling block to the newer fraternities, which it has been calling upon loudly to organize and expand to meet the demand which the older fraternities are unable or unwilling to supply. In his very able address to the conference of 1920, the then chairman, Mr. Albert S. Bard, voiced the opinion of all present when he said:

"In reviewing some of the developments of the year, we should take note of the very considerable number of chapters that have been established in response to the demand for fraternity benefits for more students. Many of the more conservative fraternities even have been increasing their numbers and chapters. But these increases fall far behind the need. Never were universities so crowded as today; never was there such a proportion of students without a fraternity home.

"Yet to force the growth of fraternities under present conditions too rapidly is to defeat the very purpose in view. The responsibilities of finance and organization are serious. The spirit and traditions of a fraternity must be perpetuated, if it is not to degenerate into a mere national club, without sense of unity. The fraternities here face this problem in no narrow spirit. After careful consideration they have gone on record as favoring more fraternities on every campus that needs them."

The condition alluded to by Mr. Bard continues to be true of the colleges this year. Dean Warnock, of Pennsylvania State College, whose extemporaneous talk at the conference was one of the most helpful and informing of all the speakers of that day, pictured a condition that is so acute as to demand either more fraternities or none at all. He made it very clear, from the faculty standpoint, that a large number of students who wanted fraternity association could not be denied it, and yet see it accorded to others no more entitled than themselves. From motives of selfprotection, if no other, the fraternities now existing must join forces in helping new nationals to create and establish themselves.

Dean Warnock, in his talk, also emphasized the importance of maintaining a strict organization within each chapter, so that the college authorities and outsiders could deal with the organization as such, and not with the individuals comprising it. An officer or professor of the college soon discovers whether there is a chapter organization in fact or merely in name, and so does the fraternity. There should be an executive head of every chapter able to make good his word given in its name, and able to carry out any instruction given him by superior authority, whether of the college or of the national fraternity.

The conference was addressed on Saturday morning by Postmaster General Will H. Hays, the president of the general council of Phi Delta Theta, contributing an eloquent tribute to the value of his college fraternity associations in

## **Executive Council Meeting**

his life since graduation. Dean Clark, of the University of Illinois, and Dean Nicholson, of the University of Minnesota, both contributed addresses that will bear careful and critical reading. Dr. Conley read a report prepared by Dr. Weiland, chairman, Dr. Moch and himself, on health and hygiene, which should be on the permanent file of every chapter in our Fraternity, and read by every undergraduate as soon as possible after he is initiated.

As a whole, the conference was extremely stimulating and enlightening, and marked an advance in the progress of the college fraternity to a broader usefulness, and more sympathetic cooperation with the college executives.

## **Executive Council Meeting**

THE regular semiannual meeting of the Executive Council was held in Columbus, Ohio, Decembe

9-11, 1921. All members of the council, with the exception of Archon F. J. Maier of the fifth district, were present. The Deputy Archon of the fifth district, Ernest E. Thiemeyer, Attorney General Sion B. Smith and Lloyd L. Cheney were also present. William A. Telfer, editor of the Catalog, was in attendance at one session.

Reports were made by each officer, Archon and editor. Conditions in each chapter were carefully reviewed, and steps taken to remedy such weaknesses as appeared. In general, fraternity affairs were shown to be in good condition, and the chapters seem to have largely recovered from unsatisfactory conditions caused by the war. The chief weakness at present is in the matter of scholarship, and steps have been taken to remedy this condition wherever there is need.

The committee on regalia submitted specifications for a standard uniform regalia for use in all initiations, and recommended its adoption. The report of the committee was accepted by the E. C., and the Attorney General was instructed to prepare the necessary constitutional amendments for submission to the next G. A. C.

The committee appointed to devise a recognition button, in accordance with a constitutional amendment heretofore adopted, submitted samples of the design recommended. The button is in the shape of the fraternity shield, seventhirty-seconds of an inch high, enameled with the fraternity colors in vertical stripes of equal width, green in the center and red on either side. It is to be worn on the coat lapel. This button was adopted by the E. C. It will be sold only through the Fraternity in the same manner as the badge and pledge button.

A committee was appointed, consisting of Sion B. Smith, Walter L. Sheppard and Dan G. Swannell, to review the constitution, by-laws and rules of the Fraternity, with a view to revising and rearranging them before a new edition is printed. It is expected a report will be ready for presentation to the coming G. A. C.

The council abolished the committee on scholarship, morality and democracy, creating in its place two separate committees, one on scholarship and another on morality and democracy. The provision in force for some time that the Vice President of the Fraternity should be chairman of this committee, was also repealed. The President appointed Prof. O. M. Stewart, Ind. Alpha, of the faculty of the university of Missouri, as chairman of the committee on scholarship. The chairmanship of the second committee has not yet been filled.

A committee was appointed, consisting of President Swannell, Attorney General Smith and Archon Kingsley, to collect information relative to the so-called preliminary initiations, and report to the E. C. The committee was given power to direct any chapter to discontinue practices which plainly violated the constitution.

The council authorized President Swannell to visit the chapters and alumni associations on the Pacific coast, and also the various petitioning bodies in that section of the country.

The council accepted the proposition of a firm to record and manufacture phonograph records of certain fraternity music. Further announcement will be made later.

Francis H. Robertson, Kan. Alpha '96, was reelected edi-

tor of the Song Book, a new edition of which he is now engaged in compiling. Edward H. Knight, Ind. Gamma '93, of Indianapolis, Ind., was elected associate editor of the History.

The members of the council enjoyed a luncheon with the Columbus A. A. Saturday noon, and that evening were the guests of the Ohio Delta Chapter at dinner at the chapter house, later attending a basketball game.

## Dr. Haviland Receives Appointment

Governor Miller of New York has recently appointed Dr. C. Floyd Haviland, N. Y. Beta '94, as the medical member of the New York State Hospital Commission. Doctor Haviland becomes the ranking member of the commission, which consists of one medical man and two laymen. The commission has control of all the state hospitals, and is vested with much power and large duties, involving the annual expenditure of large sums of money. It is one of the most important positions in the state service.

Doctor Haviland has had wide experience in this particular phase of medical work, and assumes his new position with the confidence of all those interested in the state hospital work. For the past several years he has been superintendent of the Connecticut State Hospital at Middletown, and was previously connected with the Kings Park State Hospital, New York.

## President Swannell on Trip

President Dan G. Swannell left on February 11th on a trip to the Pacific coast, planning to be away about five weeks. He will visit all the chapters and alumni associations in California, Washington, Oregon, Colorado, Nebraska and Iowa. He will also devote considerable time in visiting the local societies that have petitioned the Fraternity for charters, at the University of Southern California, Oregon Agricultural College, Washington State College, and the University of Montana.

## Dinner of Findlay Phi Psis

On the evening of December 27th the Phi Psis of Findlay, Ohio, enjoyed a delightful dinner party given at the Elks' Club in that city. A number of undergraduates, home on their vacations, were there in addition to one of the most energetic and enthusiastic alumni groups in that section of the state.

Following the dinner a number of informal talks were given, expressing opinions regarding matters to come up in the G. A. C. this next June. Findlay intends to have a 100 per cent representation there, this gathering being extremely enthusiastic and anticipating the most successful G. A. C. ever.

Plans were formulated and committees appointed antecedent to the establishing of an alumni association, and indications are that Findlay will be included in the list of these important adjuncts ere long. Ex-President C. F. M. Niles related some interesting anecdotes of his intimate connection with the Fraternity, especially of incidents in the early days of Phi Psi.

Places were laid for C. F. M. Niles, Ohio Gamma; O. D. Donnell, Ohio Epsilon; R. L. McClelland, Ohio Epsilon; P. E. Grose, Va. Beta; C. T. Fox, Va. Delta; Rev. W. L. Alexander, Pa. Theta; Shelly Hughes, Tenn. Delta; W. E. Badger, Ohio Epsilon; H. Fort Flowers, Tenn. Delta; and R. D. Jordan, Va. Beta.

## Hines President of Indiana Normal

On January 5th and 6th Linnaeus N. Hines, Ind. Beta '89, was inaugurated president of the Indiana State Normal School. This important educational institution consists of two divisions, one located at Terre Haute, and the other at Muncie. The inaugural exercises at the latter place occurred on January 13th. Brother Hines resigned as state superintendent of public instruction of Indiana last fall to become president of the State Normal School. Previous to his position as head of the Indiana public schools he was for several years superintendent of schools at Crawfordsville, Ind. The inaugural exercises included addresses by a number of well-known educators from various parts of the country, and also by the governor of the state and by former Governor Brumbaugh of Pennsylvania.

The Indiana State Normal School has a faculty of one hundred and over a thousand students. It was opened over half a century ago and occupies a place of prominence among the teacher-training institutions of the country. More than 60,000 students have been trained in the school.

## Indiana Alpha's House Started

After many years of planning, a new chapter house for the Indiana Alpha Chapter is now under construction. Ground was broken on November 23d last by Dr. Salem B. Towne, one of the charter members of the chapter. The new house is being built at the corner of College and Laribee streets in Greencastle. It is planned to have the house completed by the opening of the next college year.

The committee having charge of the building of the new chapter house consists of J. W. Webster, Will A. Cavin, Guernsey Van Riper, Walter W. Talley, Russell H. Allen, Fred L. O'Hair, Emerson B. Knight, Al Heskett and J. C. Bean. C. E. Sullivan is treasurer of the committee.

## Illinois Beta Plans New House

The Illinois Beta Chapter has started on a campaign for a new house. The first steps were taken at a reunion held November 18th, at which meeting approximately \$58,000 was subscribed toward the new fund.

The old house was sold last spring and with the proceeds of the sale, the lot at the northeast corner of 56th st. and Woodlawn avenue was purchased. This is considered to be one of the finest locations that could have been obtained. Being a corner lot, it affords an opportunity to build a house which will stand out prominently and will be the only fraternity house located on a corner lot. F. Julian Maier, Col. Alpha '16, who has been Archon of the fifth district since July 1, 1921, has found it necessary to resign because of his inability to devote to the office the time which he felt it required. Having completed his academic course at the University of Colorado, Brother Maier is now pursuing a medical course, which he finds requires all his time. He was elected Archon at the District Council at Columbia, Mo., last spring. His resignation was accepted by the Executive Council as of January 20, 1922.

### Thiemeyer New Archon

The Executive Council has elected Ernest E. Thiemeyer, Mo. Alpha '20, to serve as Archon of the fifth district for the remainder of the term for which Brother Maier had been elected, or until July 1, 1923. Brother Thiemeyer had served as deputy Archon of the district, having been nominated for the position by Archon Maier. Brother Thiemeyer, whose home is in St. Louis, is at present a junior in the University of Missouri. He has been intensely interested in the Fraternity, and has served as secretary and as treasurer of his chapter. He had much to do with the success of the Fifth District Council at Columbia last spring.

## Hamilton Dines with Phi Psis

On the occasion of the visit of Hale Hamilton, Kan. Alpha '98, to Washington, D. C., while playing the leading part in "Dear Me," a few of the local Phi Psis met with him at lunch at the Cosmos Club on December 16th.

Those present were A. L. Baldwin, Pa. Beta '88; Milton Conover, Pa. Zeta '12; Hon. E. C. Little, Kan. Alpha '78; Leon Fraser, N. Y. Gamma '10; T. F. Foltz, Pa. Lambda '12; Frank Scott, N. Y. Gamma '11; Dr. J. R. Mood, Md. Alpha '01; Lisle A. Smith, N. Y. Gamma '11; B. G. Simpich, Wash. Alpha '14; E. H. Van Fossan, N. Y. Gamma '10; J. B. Wyckoff, Pa. Lambda '12.

Washington Phi Psis are now holding weekly luncheons. Members who do not receive notices regularly should notify J. B. Wyckoff, U. S. Chamber of Commerce, Mills Building.

CARL ULTES, MICH. ALPHA General Chairman, 1922 G. A. C.



HON. CLARENCE B. MILLER, MINN. BETA '91 Died January 10, 1922





## Dr. Steward Heads Scholarship Committee

At the last meeting of the Executive Council the committee on scholarship was entirely reorganized, with a view to centralizing the work in order to secure more satisfactory results. The former committee on scholarship, morality and democracy was abolished, and in its place were created two new committees, one to have charge of scholarship, and the other to look after the work in morality and democracy. The E. C. was fortunate in securing as chairman of the committee on scholarship Prof. Oscar M. Stewart, Ind. Alpha '89, of the faculty of the University of Missouri. Professor Stewart has already assumed active direction of the work.

Doctor Stewart is peculiarly fitted to direct this important phase of fraternity work, having been chairman of the faculty committee on student activities at the University of Missouri for several years. At the same time he has always kept in touch with fraternity affairs and has been closely associated with the local chapter at Columbia. He was born in Neosho, Mo., November 3, 1869. He was graduated from De Pauw University in 1892, and received his doctor's degree from Cornell in 1897. He taught physics. at Baker University and at Cornell previous to going to Missouri in 1905. He is a member of Phi Beta Kappa. Sigma Xi and Tau Beta Pi, and the author of numerous scientific articles.

Professor Stewart is a brother of Dr. George W. Stewart, Ind. Alpha '94, who is acting dean of the graduate school of the University of Iowa.



## Scholarship Again

Reports recently received by the fraternity officers indicate that several of our chapters are maintaining an altogether too low scholarship standing. Undergraduates sometimes feel that the older men place too much emphasis on scholarship, but they fail to appreciate the full import-The fraternity does not aim to build ance of this matter. up chapters of "grinds," but it does maintain that the primary purpose of attendance at college is the securing of an education and the creditable completion of the course of study which each student elects to pursue. The fraternity chapter is a part of the college, and as such must conform It is incumbent upon it to maintain a to college rules. scholastic record at least as high as the college average; and as the chapter is supposed to contain picked men, it ought to maintain a higher average. Chapters, very properly, make an effort to get their members into college activities. But only those members should be permitted to assume extra work who have shown ability to do creditable work in their The chapter should see to it that members who studies. are deficient in scholarship must get their work up to the average before they are permitted to undertake any additional college activities. Men who are intellectually unable to do the work prescribed by the college do not belong in college; neither do they belong in a college fraternity.

## Governor Sproul Proves His Worth

Having had it in his power on two different occasions within the past few months to put himself into the United States Senate, Governor Sproul of Pennsylvania has made all members of the Fraternity once more proud of him by his clear-cut and definite refusal to be a party to any political scheme which might becontrary to the high political standards which he has always maintained. In rejecting urgent pleas from powerful politicians that he should maneuver himself by dubious methods into the United States Senate, and in the reasons he gave for his refusal, he again exhibited that high sense of public duty which is the controlling trait of his character as an official and as a citizen. His action. however, was no surprise to those members of the Fraternity who have known him and were aware of his lofty conceptions of honor and responsibility.

## Shield Clearing House

Brother D. G. Swannell has for some time been collecting back numbers of THE SHIELD and conducting a clearing house to assist chapters and members in completing their SHIELD files. He has already completed many chapter files. but still needs some numbers in order to complete more In the advertising section is the list of old copies he files. wants. Every member should look over his list, and if anyone has any that he needs, send them to him. He will pav the express charges. He needs especially a few numbers to complete outstanding orders which will complete certain chapter and individual files. There is no charge at all in connection with this, as Brother Swannell will send any old SHIELDS he may have to complete files. Those interested in completing their files should write to Brother Swannell, and those who have old numbers that he needs should send them to him.
THE SHIELD acknowledges receipt of the following chapter papers: The Drocer (Wisconsin Gamma), The Iowa Alphan, The Purple Phi Psi (Illinois Alpha), The Mountaineer Phi Psi (West Virginia Alpha), The Sooner Phi Psi (Oklahoma Alpha), The Geyser (New York Gamma).

Donald Higbie, Mass. Alpha '17, is studying law at Harvard.

Joe T. Hissem, Wis. Gamma '11, has moved from Chicago to Galena, Ill.

James F. Poland, Pa. Theta '17, is spending the winter at Miami Beach, Fla.

Hawley Wymond, Wash. Alpha '18, is practicing law in Great Falls, Mont.

J. E. Crane, Pa. Zeta '08, is principal of Summer Avenue School, Newark, N. J.

Kenneth F. McCuaig, Ohio Beta '17, is attending the school of law at Cornell.

H. C. Halsted, N. Y. Alpha '10, is living at 59 Wellington road, Garden City, N. Y.

Horatio D. Clark, N. Y. Epsilon '15, is located at 616 Flatiron Bldg., New York City.

John Robertson, Pa. Theta '17, is with the Western Electric Co. in New York City.

Walter S. Heard, N. Y. Gamma '08, is practising dentistry at 33 W. 42d st., New York.

Edwin H. Reese, N. Y. Gamma '15, is with the Glens Falls Optical Co., Glens Falls, N. Y.

Robert Pond, N. Y. Beta '10, was married to Miss Winifred Smith on October 25, 1921.

N. H. Boyd, Pa. Beta '14, is teaching in the Kishiminitas Springs School at Saltsburg, Pa.

A daughter was born to J. Agnew Clinard, Pa. Eta '19, and wife, on November 19, 1921.

John H. Phillips, Pa. Theta '20, has a position with the J. H. Crane Co., in Trenton, N. J.

Carl W. Stever, Cal. Beta '14, is municipal bond buyer for C. Peirce & Co. of San Francisco.

F. F. Garter, N. Y. Epsilon '07, is with the Chicago office of Arthur Young & Co., accountants.

Dr. Ralph H. Hewitt, Mass. Alpha '01, is practising medicine at 475 Hudson st., New York City.

J. Henry Baker, Pa. Zeta '89, is senior member of the law firm of Baker & Orth of Baltimore, Md.

John S. Sprowls, Pa. Alpha '06, former Archon of the old first district, is located in Superior, Wis.

Dr. I. F. Selleseth, Wis. Gamma '09, has opened an office at 701 W. Lake St., Minneapolis, Minn.

P. A. Schaffner, Pa. Éta '16, who is with the A. T. and T. Co., has been transferred to Omaha, Neb.

Myron Brewster, N. Y. Beta '13, announces the arrival of a daughter, Carolyn Alice, December 15, 1921.

Robert F. Stever, Cal. Beta '08, who has been ill for the past four years, is now nearly restored in health.

Dr. G. W. Stewart, Ind. Beta '94, is acting dean of the graduate school of the State University of Iowa.

Roland H. Canfield, N. Y. Beta '16, was married to Miss Dorothy Eugenia Beach on December 28, 1921.

Louis E. Bauer, Ohio Beta '97, was recently elected president of the Engineers Club of Springfield, Ohio.

Carmi L. Williams, Ind. Beta '01, is captain of the 25th infantry, stationed at Camp Little, Nogales, Ariz.

Paul Williams, Pa. Theta '18, has left Princeton and has a position with a real estate company in New York.

Lieut. W. W. Davies, Ohio Alpha '09, is attached to the U. S. Marine recruiting station in Cleveland, Ohio.

Robert L. Lewis, Ohio Beta '13, is connected with the Springfield (Ohio) office of the Pure Oil Co., as cashier.

Dr. Bruce A. Mayer, Ohio Beta '20, has resumed his dental practice at 534 Fairbanks Bldg., Springfield, Ohio.

Richard T. Frick, Pa. Theta '14, of Pittsburgh, and Miss Virginia Rose of Sewickley, Pa., were married on January 14th. Former U. S. Attorney General A. Mitchell Palmer, Pa. Kappa '89, is practising law at 220 Munsey Bldg., Washington, D. C.

Donald Hamilton, Ohio Delta '14, former Archon of the third district, is with the American Guaranty Co. at Columbus, Ohio.

Jay B. Tomlinson, Mass. Alpha '11, was married September 17, 1921, to Miss Elizabeth Fort Barrington of Mount Holly, N. J.

A daughter, Joan Marguerite, was born November 22d to Bro. and Mrs. Percy E. Landolt, N. Y. Gamma '10, at Brooklyn, N. Y.

Walter A. Johnson, Wis. Gamma '07, is engaged in the life insurance business in Minneapolis, Minn. He resides at 130 E. 18th st.

The engagement has been announced of Raymond A. Loring, Mass. Alpha '17, to Miss Dorothy Mildred Fairbanks of Middletown, Conn.

Walter S. Burke, Wis. Gamma '09, has opened a branch office for the Green Engineering Co. at Room 333, 85 Liberty st., New York City.

Cornelius H. Tiebout, N. Y. Zeta '96, is treasurer of the Gleason Tiebout Glass Co., lighting glassware manufacturers of Brooklyn, N. Y.

Rev. Elmer G. Howard, Ohio Beta '93, of Wheeling, W. Va., recently accepted the pastorate of the Fourth Lutheran Church in Springfield, Ohio.

Lewis G. Lansing, Wis. Gamma '16, last fall coached the freshman football team at the University of Montana. He lives at 419 Ford st., Missoula, Mont.

Brig. Gen. William Mitchell, D. C. Alpha '96, assistant chief of the army air service, is in Europe studying aviation in England, France, Italy and Germany.

B. Rufus Glidden, Pa. Eta '11, was married December 17, 1921 to Miss Emma Bringhurst of Lancaster, Pa. They are living at 129 E. King st., Lancaster, Pa.

W. Robert Siders, Ohio Beta '15, is attending the school of medicine at the University of Cincinnati, and is a pledge to Alpha Kappa Kappa medical fraternity.

Arthur T. Pearson, Ill. Alpha '15, is general secretary of the Y. M. C. A. at Salinas, Cal. He was located in Honolulu in the same work for some time previously.

### Phi Kappa Psi Notes

President Harding has appointed Edward E. Hindman, Ind. Beta '94, of Jackson, Miss., as United States district attorney for the southern district of Mississippi.

Prof. Clinton H. Collester, Mass. Alpha '98, of Simmons College, Boston, has been elected president of the New England Oral English and Public Speaking Association.

Elbert M. Webster, Wis. Gamma '08, has recently returned from a business trip to England, where he visited with his brother, William B. Webster, Wis. Gamma '08.

A girl was born to Bro. and Mrs. Paul W. Rosenberg, Wis. Gamma '10, on November 3d. Brother Rosenberg is living in Chicago, where he operates a drug store in the Hotel Sherman.

Many Phi Psis have been interested in the establishment of the Woodrow Wilson Foundation, in recognition of the ideals and accomplishments of former President Wilson, Va. Alpha '79.

Elwyn Evans, Wis. Gamma '12, is taking his last year of study at Brasenose College, Oxford, England, where he is a Rhodes scholar. He plans to return to the United States next spring.

Lieut. John F. Grimm, Pa. Theta '14, was recently retired from the navy, where he saw active service for about five years. At present he is located at the Phi Kappa Psi House in Easton, Pa.

Donald N. Cortright, Pa. Iota '07, is Philadelphia manager of the magazine, *The Purchasing Agent*, being in charge of advertising sales. Bro. and Mrs. Cortright reside in Wyncote, Pa.

The New York Conference of Congregational Ministers at its 88th annual meeting recently elected as moderator for the ensuing year the Rev. Charles S. Hager, Mass. Alpha '95, of Albany, N. Y.

A son, George Eastman, was born December 3, 1921, to Bro. and Mrs. George R. Madtes, Pa. Gamma '11, at Youngstown, Ohio. Bro. Madtes is telegraph editor of the Youngstown Vindicator.

Dr. L. E. Habegger, Iowa Alpha '94, has just rounded out a quarter of a century as a reader of **THE SHIELD**, having never missed an issue during that period. He is practising dentistry in Spokane, Wash. O. W. Pearson, Ill. Alpha '10, was married December 15th at Fresno, Cal., to Miss Vivian Clark. Bro. Pearson is in the real estate business in Fresno, where he has been located since his return from France.

Dr. and Mrs. John R. Crawford, Pa. Beta '01, announce the birth of a son, John jr. Doctor Crawford is professor of Latin at Lafayette College and is faculty adviser to the Pennsylvania Theta Chapter.

The marriage of Dr. Aubrey H. Pember, Wis. Gamma '12, to Miss Hazel Luckow, of Chicago, took place October 22d. They are residing in Janesville, Wis., where "Doc" has entered practice with his father.

D. R. Slaughter, Wis. Gamma '11, is district representative for the Philadelphia Storage Battery Co. in the state of Indiana. Brother Slaughter makes his headquarters at 1621 S. Michigan ave., Chicago.

Victor G. Otto, Ohio Beta '15, and Ethel Bacon Finley of Detroit were married December 26, 1921. Brother Otto and his bride will make their home in Detroit, where he is located as a landscape gardener.

The arrival of a daughter at the home of Alvin N. Hammerschmidt, Wis. Gamma '16, has been announced. Broth-Hammerschmidt is connected with the firm of Hammerschmidt & Franzen at Elmhurst, Ill.

Karl O. Thompson, Mass. Alpha '00, has been advanced from assistant professor of English at Case School of Applied Science, Cleveland, to the rank of associate professor and executive head of the department.

James P. Goodrich, Ind. Alpha '85, former governor of Indiana, has returned from a six weeks' survey of conditions in Russia, and reported to Secretary Hoover. He says the hope of Russia lies in the Russian farmer.

The San Francisco Chronicle of November 1st carried an article headed "Phi Kappa Psi Leads Stanford in New Pledges," which meant that the local chapter had twelve bids accepted, as against seven for its nearest rival.

A. E. Grantham, Ind. Alpha '99, director of the agricultural service bureau of the Virginia-Carolina Chemical Co. with headquarters at Richmond, Va., has been made manager of the advertising department of that corporation.

## Phi Kappa Psi Notes

Allen R. Le Roy, Wis. Gamma '06, has withdrawn from the First National Bank of Manchester, Iowa, of which he was president, and is now connected with the Federal Reserve Bank at Chicago. Brother Le Roy resides in Hinsdale, Ill.

John F. Hanscom, Wis. Gamma '13, has accepted a position in Paris, France, after a year of travel in Europe. Brother Hanscom spent two years in France during the war, serving with distinction in the American ambulance service and the French infantry.

Ralph F. Chesbrough, Wis. Gamma '04, is connected with the Geyelin Co., 108 S. 4th st., Philadelphia. He recently returned from Europe where he spent a number of years in consular service, being stationed in Turkey and later in Switzerland during the war.

Dr. Benjamin F. Prince, Ohio Beta '66, "Wittenberg's Grand Old Man," on December 12th observed his 81st birthday. He has been a member of the faculty of Wittenberg College for 56 years, teaching history and political science. He still enjoys splendid health.

Dr. E. C. Hartley jr, Wis. Gamma '10, is studying at the Long Island College Hospital, Brooklyn, N. Y. After the completion of a year of study there he expects to return to Minneapolis, Minn., to take up the practice of medicine, specializing in children's diseases.

Fred C. Brenner, Pa. Gamma '14, and Miss Lillian F. Devlin were married November 14th at Altoona, Pa. They are living at Hollidaysburg, Pa., where Bro. Brenner is in the insurance business. He was elected tax collector for the city of Hollidaysburg at the last election.

Frank Chapin Bray, Pa. Beta '86, former Editor of THE SHIELD has delivered before a large number of audiences this winter his lantern slide lecture, "Disarmament — When or How?" based largely on his editorial work for the special disarmament conference number of the Literary Digest.

LeRoy Hansell, Ohio Beta '21, and Miss Geraldine Mc-Millen of Van Wert, Ohio, announced their engagement on December 28, 1921. The wedding will be an event of the coming early summer. Brother Hansell is connected with the H. G. Root Automotive Supply Co. of Springfield, Ohio.

Roy L. Shaffer, Pa: Zeta '06, was appointed assistant state commissioner of education for New Jersey, August 1, 1921. Bro. Shaffer has been a superintendent of schools in New Jersey and was head of the department of practice teaching at the Newark (N. J.) State Normal School from 1918 to August 1, 1921.

Walter P. Henshaw, N. Y. Zeta '96, is principal of St. Bernard's School, Gladstone, N. J. This is a philanthropic institution that offers all the advantages of an expensive private boarding school, and something more, to parents of modest means. Bro. Henshaw will be glad to serve any Phi Psi interested in such a school.

The following alumni of Illinois Beta are now connected with the American Bond & Mortgage Co.: Charles C. Moore '03, Harry S. Gorgas '12, H. A. Moore '12, W. C. Gorgas '15, K. W. Moore '15, C. C. Greene '15, H. W. Norgren '15, O. W. Kaull '15, and H. A. Davis '18. W. A. Miller, Ill. Alpha '21, is also with the same company.

Edward M. Van Cleve, Ohio Alpha '82, is head of a delegation of American experts in the prevention of blindness who sailed for Porto Rico in December to conduct a campaign of inquiry and instruction among native school children. Dr. Van Cleve is managing director of the national committee for the prevention of blindness and principal of the New York Institute for the Education of the Blind.

The builders have completed their work on Massachusetts Alpha's splendid new chapter house at Amherst, which will be ready for occupancy as soon as the work of decorating and furnishing can be completed. It is a fine example of English Georgian architecture, of red brick with white trimmings, and with a lofty semicircular portico on its west front. In its superb setting of old trees it is one of the most impressive houses on the campus.



#### San Francisco Alumni Association

Our Christmas tree dinner came and "has went" and after it was over it was found we had neglected to elect officers for the coming year. It did not matter much for the election was held shortly after at a Friday luncheon. The following were elected in the usual way: president, C. T. Carr; vice president, A. A. Peters; secretary, C. S. Davis; treasurer, R. A. Yater.

The dinner accomplished all that was expected of it, in that 57 brothers assembled, made merry and renewed old-time relations. The singing program was ably conducted by W. O. Wilson, past master in the art. Speeches by John S. Bagg and F. M. Neely and limericks by William G. Deal were added to an extensive program. George F. Beard, the guest of honor, came from Sacramento for the occasion.

President Dan G. Swannell has advised us of his contemplated visit to the Pacific coast in February or March to which we are looking forward with pleasure. We have nothing to conceal outside of the fact that we intend to struggle into first place as an alumni association.

S. F. Pellas has left us for a four months trip to Central America and will probably come home via New York.

The initial number of the *Sooner Phi Psi*, Oklahoma Alpha, was received and its editors are to be congratulated.

San Francisco, Cal.

C. T. CARR Correspondent

## Rhode Island Alumni Association

On Thanksgiving eve the association was represented by eight delegates at the New England Phi Psi dinner at the City Club in Boston.

The local chapter has announced a delegation of 11 pledges of A-1 calibre, including two star football men and the president of the freshman class. The association is justly proud of the results.

The December meeting took the form of a dinner, to which members of the chapter, pledges and visitors from Boston were invited. We were particularly pleased to have with us Brothers Anderson, Ryder and Bidwell of Boston, each of whom spoke. At the January meeting will be discussed plans for the observance of Founders' Day, which will probably be held in conjunction with the initiation banquet of Rhode Island Alpha, as has been the case the past few years.

H. G. Marsh, R. I. Alpha '08, has been recently elected secretarytreasurer of the tenth reunion of his class at Brown.

J. R. Haire, R. I. Alpha '11, has entered a law partnership in Newport, R. I.

We are pleased to have J. R. Sinclair with us in the association. Jim has taken unto himself a wife and has settled down in our midst.

F. K. Aldrich jr, R. I. Alpha '02, has been reelected treasurer of the Rhode Island Historical Society. He has held this office for six consecutive years.

Carlton H. Parker, R. I. Alpha '08, who has been with the Puget Sound Telephone Co., Everett, Wash., announces the birth of a son, Richard Lampson, on November 16, 1921.

Providence, R. I.

January 9, 1922

M. L. Edinger

Correspondent

## Indianapolis Alumni Association

January finds the Indianapolis A. A. taking a hitch in her belt and squaring away for a year of good fellowship and more intensive fraternity service. Eighteen brothers met around the board again after a two months recess due to Marshal Foch's visit to the city on our meeting night and the holiday season.

Our January meeting was held on the 6th at the Hoosier Athletic Club. After the dinner and song session, officers were elected for the ensuing year. Emerson B. Knight was named president; Allen V. Buskirk, vice president and George Smith, secretary-treasurer.

We had the pleasure of having G. D. Courtright, Ohio Delta, at the last meeting. He was in the city on business for a few days and we were fortunate in having him with us for the evening.

Our meeting place is Hoosier Athletic Club, 6.30 p. m., second Friday of each month. Visiting brothers mighty welcome.

#### George W. Smith

Correspondent

## Southern California Alumni Association

January 2d brought the Southern California football season to a close with that memorable tie game between Washington and Jefferson and California. The game was played on a wet field but the fast work displayed by the W. & J. backs and the kicking of Nisbet of California would have been features on a dry gridiron.

On January 4th a luncheon was given at the Los Angeles Athletic Club for the Phi Psi members of the Washington and Jefferson football team. About 35 members of the association attended, while Wiley and Varner represented our mother chapter. Bill Warmington managed in some way to leave automobile row long enough to attend and bring a little cheer for the brothers.

Since our last letter we have added the following new members: William F. May, Va. Alpha; V. W. McClung, Iowa Beta; Chris White, Wash. Alpha; Pyle Clark, Col. Alpha; Robert E. Mason, Pa. Beta; and Capt. Bell, Iowa Alpha. During the holidays we were pleased to have with us for luncheons a number of undergraduates from California Beta and California Gamma. John A. Rush, Kan. Alpha, a prominent member of the Denver A. A., is wintering in southern California, while his son, John R., is taking graduate work in the Stanford Law School.

With February 19th only a month distant, we are planning for a "greater than ever" Founders' Day banquet. We expect to have the So. Calif. Bazoo (our official publication) off the press in a few days and by this means and by personal advertising to get every Phi Psi in southern California to attend. We have word from Dan Swannell that he expects to be with us this year, which gives us an added incentive to make a memorable Founders' Day.

Our name is now the Southern California Alumni Association instead of the Los Angeles Alumni Association. For some time we have taken in the territory now officially covered and the change in name merely expresses more fully the scope of our association. For the past two years we have had members on our governing committee from Long Beach, San Diego, Riverside and Bakersfield.

Los Angeles, Cal. January 14, 1922

RAY J. FOLKS Correspondent

### Alumni Correspondence

#### Pittsburgh Alumni Association

Pittsburgh alumni are making claborate plans for Phi Psi's big day this month. The Founders' Day banquet will again be held at the University Club the evening of the 17th, at which we hope to shatter all past records in the way of attendance, speakers and general jollification. Jack Roberts, Pa. Gamma, is chairman and with the able help of the other members of the committee bids fair to make good his boast that "none such never was."

The luncheon attendance is still our boast and pride. Last Founders' Day the statistics showed an average attendance of 25.5 but it is a foregone conclusion that this figure will be beaten.

A fraternal greeting is extended to the new Morgantown Alumni Asso-We hope to hear more of them and their activities than we ciation. have in the past from Uniontown and Fairmont.

With the G. A. C. convening but a day's drive from Pittsburgh, we expect to develop a real overland caravan headed for Springfield and scheduled to arrive in time for roll call. Some definite steps toward stimulating attendance at the G. A. C. will be taken at our coming celebration.

Jim McCrory, Pa. Alpha, started the new year in an entirely new role. Margaret Josephine McCrory was born early New Year's Day and her daddy is very proud of the "finest baby in the world." "Scrubs" McCreight, Pa. Alpha, of football fame, is a regular at lunch-

The Woodlawn Club, petitioners (accredited list) from Carnegie Tech, are still maintaining their high standard of personnel, scholarship and athletic activities. We are still unanimously and actively behind this group of men and hope that the Executive Council will soon see their way clear to install the chapter.

Pittsburgh, Pa.

February 2, 1922

R. S. MARSHALL Correspondent

# **Alumni Association Luncheons**

Luncheons are held by the various alumni associations as scheduled below. Visiting brothers are always welcome.

BUFFALO: First Wednesday, 1 p. m., Hotel Iroquois.

CHICAGO: Tuesdays, 12 m., Rookwood Room, Hotel LaSalle.

CINCINNATI: First Wednesday of each month, 1 p. m., Automobile Club, Haulin Hotel..

CLEVELAND: Mondays, 12 m., 14th floor, Statler Hotel.

DENVER: First and third Fridays, 12.30 p. m., Grill Room, Denver Dry Goods Co.

DES MOINES: Wednesdays, 12 m., Grant Club.

DETROIT: Fridays, 12.15 p. m., Room 6, Board of Commerce.

INDIANA, PA.: Last Tuesday of each month, 6 p. m., Hile's.

INDIANAPOLIS: Second Friday, 6.30 p. m., Hoosier Athletic Club.

JACKSONVILLE, FLA.: Third Friday of each month, 1 p. m., Hotel Seminole.

JOHNSTOWN: Second and fourth Tuesdays, 12 m., The Tea Room, 521 Main st.

KANSAS CITY: Mondays, 12.15 p. m., University Club.

Los Angeles; Fridays, 12.30 p. m., Apollo Cafe, 421 W. 8th St.

MINNEAPOLIS: Thursdays, 12.30 p. m., Dayton's Tea Rooms.

NEW YORK: Thusrdays, 12.30 p.m., Lobby Cafe, Hotel Commodore.

OMAHA: Fridays, 12 m., University Club.

PHILADELPHIA: Thursdays, 12.45 p. m., Grill Room, Arcadia Cafe, Widener Bldg.

PITTSBURGH: Thursdays, 12.15 p. m., 9th floor, McCreery's.

PORTLAND ORE : 19th of each month, 12 m., University Club.

PROVIDENCE: Second Monday, 6 p. m., 108 Waterman st.

ST. LOUIS: Fridays, 12.15 p. m., St. Louis Lunchroon, Kinloch Bldg.

SAN FRANCISCO: Fridays, 12.15 p. m., Tait's Cafe.

SEATTLE: Wednesdays, 12.15 p. m., Seattle Hotel Grill.

TOLEDO: Mondays, 12 m., Toledo Womans Club, 427 Superior St.

TULSA: Fridays: 12 m., Ed Wood's Cafe, 4th and Boulder sts.



Letters for the next issue of THE SHIELD, to insure publication, must reach the Editor by March 10th.

#### FIRST DISTRICT

### New Hampshire Alpha — Dartmouth College

With first semester exams, rushing, and winter carnival all coming within the next four weeks, New Hampshire Alpha will be kept busy. Exams last from January 26th to February 4th. Rushing begins the evening of February 4th and will continue for three nights, the bids being issued the following Tuesday evening.

Winter carnival, which comes February 9, 10 and 11, is to have several innovations this year, the plan of the Outing Club being to make it more of an outdoor affair than ever before. On the first night an outdoor skating carnival will be held on Faculty pond, and on the second night a costume ball in the gym will take the place of the usual carnival ball. Phi Psi has two members in the cast of the new musical comedy, "Hush," which the dramatic association is staging on the last evening of carnival; Robinson has the male lead and Lockwood will take a prominent female role. Hamilton plays in the orchestra.

In indoor track we are represented by Smith, a pole-vault letter man, Haws, Sturtevant and Wylie; Stetson is manager of the varsity team. Lockwood and Swartzbaugh are out for boxing, and Austin is on the varsity hockey squad.

New Hampshire Alpha held the second and last of the two open house receptions for freshmen on January 8th. At this time we wish to thank all brothers who have sent in recommendations.

We are sorry to announce the loss from the chapter of Ford, who did not return to college after the Christmas holidays.

Hanover, N. H.

January 12, 1922

W. H. Hilton

Corresponden

#### Massachusetts Alpha—Amherst College

Massachusetts Alpha held initiations on November 3d and it is with great pleasure that we announce the following new brothers: F. Curtis Canfield, White Plains, N. Y.; Jared B. French, Rutherford, N. J.; John A. Hill, Allston, Mass.; Francis H. Insley, Indianapolis, Ind.; Charles H. Knight jr, Exeter, N. H.; W. Glenn Lockhart, New Castle, Pa.; T. Donald McCreary, Brooklyn, N. Y.; Raymond A. Sembler, Brooklyn, N. Y.; W. Alvah Stewart, Coraopolis Heights, Pa.; Kingsley A. Taft, Cleveland Heights, Ohio; and Norris Weber, Richmond Hill, N. Y. On November 5th a well-attended banquet was held at the chapter house, and was followed the next day by the Amherst-Wesleyan football game.

As a result of recent elections the following brothers were elected to office: Munn, senior class treasurer; McLeod, junior class treasurer; and Pike, sophomore class secretary. Lawrence was appointed a member of the sophomore hop committee which staged a very successful party on December 3d. About 25 men from the house attended. Cowan is a member of the junior prom committee and was recently elected to Sphinx Club.

The soccer team closed a successful season before Christmas and the following five men from the house were awarded letters: Savoy (captain), Cowan (assistant manager), O'Brien, McLeod and Freeman.

Our new house is in the last stages of completion and the architect promises us that the house will be ready for occupancy by the first week in February. This is an accomplishment that has been a goal for years and its erection has only been possible through the earnest efforts and hearty cooperation of the alumni and undergraduates.

Due to the efforts of Giles, who is vice president of the Masquers, that association presented a series of one-act plays before Christmas which were well attended and won much commendation. Giles and Pike took parts in the productions.

Duryea Smith has been elected to the art board of Lord Jeff. Cowan ably managed the Red Cross drive at Amherst and is a member of the subfreshman day committee. Giles and Freeman are on the editorial board of the 1923 Olio. Knight had the honor of being chairman of the freshman banquet committee. Hill has twice won his numerals by playing fullback on the freshman football team and by winning two first places in the interclass track meet. McGrath is chairman of the sophomore smoker committee. The chapter regrets very much the loss of Snider, who was graduated at Christmas time.

Amherst, Mass.

January 10, 1922

FRANK A. MyERS Correspondent

#### Rhode Island Alpha—Brown University

Fraternity rushing at Brown was carried on under rather unusual circumstances this year. Fourteen societies, including Phi Psi, were parties to an agreement which delayed rushing until December lst. Five others commenced their rushing soon after the opening of college last fall.

The chapter considers itself very fortunate in securing a delegation of eleven among the best men of the freshman class and takes pleasure in announcing the following pledges: R. D. Ames, Franklinville, N. Y. C. H. Cuddeback; New York, N. Y.; E. L. Fellman, Chicago, Ill.; G. E. Kelly, Hyannis, Mass.; C. C. Myers, Ardmore, Pa.; E. T. Peterson, Boston, Mass.; L. B. Ryder, Hyannis, Mass.; A. O. Saart, Attleboro, Mass.; F. A. Simmons, Thompsonville, Conn.; H. K. Soper, Waterbury, Conn.; F. Sweet, Ardmore, Pa. Simmons is president of the freshman class, varsity wrestler, and member of the second football team. Sweet and Myers won their varsity "B" in football, starring throughout the season. Sweet is vice president of the freshman class. Fellman and Myers are out for basketball.

Brown's wrestling prospects this year are good. Phi Psi figures prominently in this sport, with Capt. "Bob" Spellman, John Spellman and Pledge Simmons on the team.

E. B. Peterson has been elected to the junior week committee.

The dining room; a privilege which the faculty of Brown only last year permitted the fraternities to have, is being run with great success, thanks to "Bob" Spellman, house manager, and Mr. and Mrs. Casey who provide the kind of food "mother serves at home."

The chapter held a very successful formal dance just before the Christmas recess in honor of the pledges.

Providence, R. I.

January 10, 1922

G. R. DECKER Correspondent

#### New York Alpha—Cornell University

New York Alpha had one of the most successful rushing seasons in her history. Thirteen freshmen and two sophomores were chosen and on November 11th initiated. The initiates are: Walter Diamond '24, Pittsburgh, Pa.; Elliott R. Thompson 24', Wycombe, Pa.; William J. Carey '25, Pawling, N. Y.; David F. Davis '25, Brooklyn, N. Y.; How-ard L. Hunter '25, Fulton, N. Y.; George L. King jr '25, Bellevue, Pa.; Frederick A. Kreutzer '25, Syracuse, N. Y.; Robert C. Ludlum '25, Chevy Chase, D. C.; William H. Macomber '25, Kendallville, Ind.; David E. Ohl '25, Warren, Ohio; John H. Patterson '25, Greensburg, Pa.; Thomas J. Roberts '25, Mount Vernon, N. Y.; Dana M. Secor '25, Hopewell, N. J.; Chauncey A. Thompson '25, Fairhaven, Mass.; Harold M. Zaug '25, New London, Wis. Cornell's football team was undefeated and ranked among the very New York Alpha had one of the most successful rushing seasons in

Cornell's football team was undefeated and ranked among the very best in the country as a result of defeating Dartmouth 59-7 and Pennsylvania 41-0. Sundstrom earned his letter by playing in all the games at left tackle. The freshman team was not so fortunate but Kreutzer at halfback and King at fullback received their numerals and showed signs of being good varsity material next year.

The cross country team won the intercollegiate championship with the lowest score in the history of the event.

In soccer Cornell finished second in the intercollegiate league, winning all games except a 1-0 game with Princeton. E. R. Thompson played regular at halfback, thereby winning his CAF.

Wood has been elected to the business staff of the Widow. The winner

of this competition leads to the position of business manager in his senior year. Patterson is out for the editorial board. Pancoast, in addition to being editor in chief of the *Cornellian* is a member of Sphinx Head, senior society, of Gargoyle, architectural honorary society, president of College of Architecture, and a member of university honor committee.

Basketball season so far has been a complete success. Cornell has won all six games played so far. Zaug and King are likely members of the freshman team.

Todd has the principal male lead in the Masque, which is to present its annual show junior week. Hays, Logan and Williams will sing in the musical concert and Bissell will play.

The chapter is planning to entertain junior week, which occurrs this year February 8th to 11th. From present indications there will be about 24 guests. Ithaca, N. Y.

January 14, 1922

W. B. McMillan Corrsepondent

## New York Beta-Syracuse University

Dr. Charles Wesley Flint of Cornell College, Iowa, is to be the next head of Syracuse University. He relieves Chancellor Day, who has given 27 years of active service to this institution. It is expected that the inauguration services will be held next June.

On January 23d begins senior week, the greatest of all events on the Boar's Head Dramatic Society starts the week by presenting hill. "Secret Service." Pinder is playing the heavy part as Banton Arrelsford of the southern secret service. Millen is manager of the society. Phi Psi has a table reserved at the Onondaga for a dinner after the production. Tuesday evening, the senior ball will take place in Archbold Gymnasium. Tau Theta Upsilon, senior society, which is making arrangements, claims that it will be the best ever. On Wednesday evening the chapter will hold a dance. Many of the alumni already have signified their intention of being here.

Bachman has captured the assistant managership of football for which he has been working this fall. Fisher has been selected assistant manager of Glee Club. Wright is scrubbing for lacrosse.

Monie captured a new track honor at Buffalo last week. He won the Niagara District A. A. U. championship for the 440-yard dash. Monie Garden, New York, February 1st. They will also compete in B. A. A. games at Boston February 4th. Monie will run in the one and twomile relay. Suttner will run in the mile relay and the 600-yard invitation, at New York.

Page is editor in chief of the *Administrator*, annual publication of the Business College, which will appear about March 15th. MacBean is joke editor of the same publication, while Pledges Taylor and Vite are promising candidates for the staff. Crawford is managing editor of the Intercollegiate Association of Forestry Clubs Annual.

The annual Block "S" dinner will be held in the Gymnasium on March 25th. Page is chairman of arrangements which are in charge of Phi Kappa Alpha, senior society.

Crew practice will start about February 1st. Page is captain of crew for the coming season. Syracuse, N. Y.

January 14, 1922

C. M. LOVELL Correspondent

### New York Gamma—Columbia University

Campus activities at Columbia are at their midseason height, with New York Gamma taking an active part. In the three dramatic pro-New York Gamma taking an active part. In the three dramatic pro-ductions of the season the chapter is well represented. Rondo Robinson took the part of Touchstone in the Philolexian Society presentation of "As You Like It," given at the Hotel Plaza January 13 and 14. Billie Walker and Ted Wear are in competition for places in the sophomore show, which will be given next month. Hal Salmon is assistant manager of the varsity show, making its annual appearance in April. Marsh Raymond and Bob Schultz have been elected to the business

board of Spectator, the college newspaper, and Don Waugh has been promoted to the news board, where he is in competition for a place on next year's managing board. Two of the five men on the managing board this year are Phi Psis, Squires being editor in chief and Ferris assistant managing editor.

Bart Walther led the Mandolin Club through a successful Christmas trip. Gately is active in the competition of managerships, Squires is a member of the hockey squad, and Wilson is a regular guard on the freshman basketball team.

At the recent elections Tom Herbert was elected president of the chapter, Joe Gately, vice president, Marsh Raymond, treasurer, Harry Clark, doorkeeper, Bob Schultz, recording secretary, and Mark Temple, chaplain.

New York, N. Y. January 18, 1922 Don R. Waugh Correspondent

## New York Epsilon-Colgate University

New York Epsilon at this time takes pleasure in announcing that "Jim" Welsh, 19 year old varsity guard, has been awarded the Skull

and Scroll honorary cup, given annually to the member of the football team who has been selected as doing the most for Colgate football during each season. Welsh this year was given honorable mention on all-American teams of several football critics. It is his second year as a letter man on the Colgate team. Welsh and Doody are the two letter men in the house this year, while Hill, Magavern, Gibson and Connors were on the squad.

In other athletic activities, Snow was awarded a first recommendation for assistant manager of football, Reddall is an assistant manager of hockey, while Hill is working for that position next season. Abel is showing up well in hockey practice. Welsh is working for the position of basketball manager.

Linnehan (captain) and Steffan have returned to their positions as guards on the basketball team. This is "Linny's" fourth year and "Dewey's" third year on the varsity team, and the combination work displayed by them adds materially to one of the finest teams on eastern courts this season.

Shallow has been elected varsity songleader, and has also been chosen chairman of the junior prom committee. Snow is secretary to the sophomore class. Carrier was chairman of the football smoker.

The freshmen are showing up well in their competition for places on teams, managerships and offices. Wilcox is competing for assistant manager of track, while Tuttle and Taylor are out for the varsity team. Barnes is playing freshman basket ball and in the spring will make a strong bid for the varsity position behind the plate, while Hausauer is a member of the musical clubs. Hamilton, N. Y. THEODORE G. PRATT

January 11, 1922

Correspondent

#### SECOND DISTRICT

#### Pennsylvania Gamma-Bucknell University

Pennsylvania Gamma takes pleasure in announcing the pledging of William McFarlan, Parksburg, Pa.

In a most successful football season V. A. Bihl, A. V. Julian and D. W. Morrett earned their letters, while H. Henning was substitute quarterback.

The chapter gave a week-end party starting December 9th. The house was attractively decorated and there were various electrical novelties planned by Pledge Hyatt.

Pennsylvania Gamma recently had the distinct pleasure of entertaining Dan G. Swannell. President Swannell gave several very interesting talks on fraternity matters, including the importance of extension. We also had the pleasure of entertaining Major Grant, correspondent for the London Times at the disarmament conference at Washington, at dinner December 16th. His well-timed remarks were much appreciated.

The chapter regrets the departure of Pledge Tompkins who, injured during the football season, recovered only to be siezed with an attack of appendicitis and forced to leave college. His early return is the hope of all the brothers and pledges.

The chapter was honored by having W.S. Johnson selected as a representative to the students disarmament conference at Princeton.

Lewisburg, Pa. January 10, 1922 J. HOWARD WALTER Correspondent

Pennsylvania Epsilon-Pennsylvania College No LETTER RECEIVED

### Pennsylvania Zeta—Dickinson College

After having completed a very successful rushing season, the chapter has turned its attention toward campus activities. Irwin, manager of basketball, has completed a good schedule which is the hardest in many years. Three games have been played so far with every gratifying results to the coaches and players.

Bacon was recently elected treasurer of the Athletic Association. Collins is assistant manager of football and will more than likely be elected to manage the team for the coming fall.

Within the last month J. I. Daugherty, at present professor of science at University of North Carolina, and Womer were married. Heller still holds the record on the links. Hand is editor of the

Dickinson Law Review.

The chapter is justly proud of her football prowess. Our team closed the season undefeated. Rich "held 'em down" for the varsity and Tribit, Olewine and Hoy starred for the frosh.

Klepser had charge of our last all-college event at which Olewine gave a humorous sketch.

All the undergrads and alumni are looking toward the big Founders' Day dance on February 17th.

Within the last month the chapter has been visited by Dan Swannell. Evans, Strite, Mumma, Neubling and Bacon.

Carlisle, Pa. January 9, 1922 LEIGHTON J. HELLER

Correspondent

Pennsylvania Eta-Franklin and Marshall College

On December 5th the annual initiation was held at Hotel Brunswick for Amelia, Cunningham, Duffy, Franck, Geesey, Martin, McComsey, Roberts and Schmidt. Following the initiation a banquet was held in the grill room of the hotel. Brother Ehrenfeld, Pa. Iota, was the speaker of the evening. At the close of the banquet the initiates presented the chapter with a ninety-seven piece set of community silver, Alvin pattern, with the Greek letters Phi Kappa Psi engraved upon it.

On December 15th the annual Christmas dance was held at the Brunswick Hotel.

Fourteen letters were given out for varsity football, four going to May, Williams, Geesey and Roberts. Hershey, Schmidt, McComsey, Zecher and Franck have won places on the Glee Club, while F. S. Klein is again on the Mandolin Club. L. S. May is basketball manager, and Amelia and Roberts are on the varsity squad. Williams was recently elected president of Skull and Crown sophomore society. C. B. Clinard is on the junior hop committee.

Recently the chapter received a visit from one of its oldest living members, John B. Cessna '62, of Hastings, Neb. Brother Cessna is now a judge, and the opinion he still hands down is that Phi Psi is the best fraternity.

Among recent additions to the chapter house are a pipe-rack over the mantle in the living room, the gift of Amelia, and an elk's head, donated by Duffy.

Lancaster, Pa. January 12, 1922 WALTER F. SCHAFFNER Correspondent

Pennsylvania Theta-Lafayette College

Pennsylvania Theta held initiation December 17th for the following men: F. M. Potter, Rome, N. Y.; Robert Brandeis, South Orange, N. J.;

Leslie R. Freeman, Maplewood, N. J.; Harry Hunt, Coshocton, Ohio; Richard Sutton, Philadelphia, Pa.; William Dickey and Frederick Humphreys, Pittsburgh, Pa.; Donald Garritt, Indianapolis, Ind.; Herford Eyster, Pittsburgh, Pa.; Allan Carson, Palisades, N. J.; Telford Lewis jr, Johnstown, Pa.; Edmund C. Stoner jr, Sewickley, Pa.; William Trimble, Ben Avon, Pa.

On November 18th the 89th aniversary of the founding of Lafayette College was observed. The ceremony was made especially notable by the unveiling of a splendid bronza statue of the Marquis de Lafayette, executed by the famous sculptor Daniel C. French, and presented to the college by Morris L. Clothier, Pa. Kappa. William C. Sproul, Pa. Kappa, Governor of Pennsylvania, unveiled the statue and Brother Clothier dellivered the speech of presentation. After the ceremony the chapter was honored by a visit from Brothers Sproul and Clothier.

In addition to the participation in activities mentioned in previous letters, Hague and Haliday have parts in the cast of "One Hundred and Eighty Degrees," this year's Sock and Buskin production. Foster, Sutton, Brandeis, Campbell, Freeman, Eyster and Carson are in the chorus, and Dickey has a special act. In "Dandy Dick," the road show of the Freshmen Players, Dickey, Carson, Potter and Humphreys have parts. Ball takes a prominent part in "The Rivals," a production of the Shaksperian Dramatic Club. Hague is on the college junior week committee. Hunt and Humphreys were elected to the Owl Club. Lowrie is on the basketball squad. Freeman is a member of the gym team. Garritt and Romero are on the wrestling team. In the last election, Kirk was elected a sophomore assistant soccer manager, Trubee assistant sophomore baseball manager, and Moore a sophomore assistant tennis manager.

Preparations for junior week, February 1-5, are already under way. The annual Phi Psi tea dance will be held on February 2d, in the chapter house.

Easton, Pa. January 10, 1922 BRUCE H. CAMPBELL Correspondent

Pennsylvania Iota—University of Pennsylvania No Letter Received

## Pennsylvania Kappa-Swarthmore College

It gives us great pleasure to announce that Alan C. Valentine '17 has been chosen as the Rhodes scholar from Pennsylvania. He is the first Rhodes scholar from Swarthmore and Kappa feels proud of his fine work which is a continuation of his good work as an undergraduate.

All the pledges which we announced in a former letter, with the addition of Robert Coale of Riverton, N. J., were initiated in the new lodge just before the Christmas holidays. We had over a score of alumni back and also many visitors from neighboring chapters who all agreed that it was one of the best ceremonies they had ever witnessed.

We are now looking forward to the annual banquet of Kappa which is held in the Bellevue Hotel in Philadelphia. We always contend that a Kappa man has not really finished his initiation until he has attended his first banquet to hear the wonderful speeches of the "Old Guard." This banquet is followed by a special meeting on the following Sunday which is attended by all the old alumni from all over this country. It will be held this Saturday night and we are expecting over 150 in attendance. Under the management of Lanta C. Hastings, with his assistant J. Edward Clyde, both of this chapter, we have a good and varied schedule with the best colleges of the East in basketball. Warren H. Ogden '18 Wm. Sproul Lewis '18, George L. Earnshaw '19, and George Grenhart '21 are on the varsity team and are showing up well. Spencer Keare '21 has made the freshman team and also plays on the junior varsity.

Swarthmore, Pa. January 10, 1922 JOHN R. MCCAIN Correspondent

Pennsylvania Lambda-Pennsylvania State College

Only a week more of the first semester remains and Lambda looks forward to a very successful second term. With one of the best football seasons in the history of the institution completed, Penn State students are now turning their attention toward basketball, wrestling and boxing. The outlook for winning cage, mat and boxing teams is favorable although it is hardly to be expected that last year's sensational success in these winter sports will be repeated. Many brothers on the visiting teams call at the chapter house and we are always pleased to have them visit us.

On December 14th the annual Christmas dinner and party was staged. All the faculty members of Phi Kappa Psi and their families were present and after a turkey dinner followed by a play by the freshmen, Santa Claus made his appearance and distributed the gifts, which had been mysteriously placed around the highly decorated Christmas tree.

It is with deep regret that the chapter announces the death of its senior faculty member, Dr. William Frear, Pa. Gamma '78. Dr. Frear was the oldest faculty member in point of service at Penn State. He was nationally known as a scientist and had been connected with the college for over 37 years.

Initiation will be held in conjunction with the Founders' Day banquet, February 19th.

State College, Pa. January 11, 1922 C. H. LANDEFELD JR Correspondent

#### Maryland Alpha-Johns Hopkins University

On November 16th a very impressive initiation was held for our eight freshmen. Many alumni living in town were present, and the occasion served as a small reunion.

On November 19th Hopkins won the championship of Maryland by defeating St. Johns College, which had defeated the University of Maryland. This is the first time since 1915 that this honor has been held at Homewood.

On December 9th Cooper gave a delightful dance at his home on the Severn river near Annapolis. Nearly all the brothers attended and enjoyed themselves greatly.

The Cane Club tap-day was held December 16th, at which time Crampton and Thompson were admitted as members. This club, in which we now have eight members, though only started last year has proved to be a success as a social organization.

At the annual football banquet, Landy not only received his third consecutive letter in the sport, but was also elected captain of the 1922 eleven. This is the first football captaincy that Maryland Alpha has had for some time.

The Dramatic Club, of which Jacobsen is a member, is holding tryouts for its major production. Several brothers are trying for places in the cast.

At the recent elections of the Omicron Delta Kappa society, of which Thompson is president and Rowland a member, Collins was also admitted. Membership in this society is gained through efficiency in college activities as well as studies. Collins holds as many honors as any man in the junior class.

On January 6th we held our annual midyear formal at the Arundel Club. Fischer's orchestra furnished the music. We were glad at this time to see Brother Larkin, N. Y. Epsilon, who stopped by for a short visit.

Baltimore, Md. January 9, 1922 THOS. M. JENIFER Correspondent

# Virginia Alpha-University of Virginia

The chapter house has finally been repaired and the brothers are busy making preparations for the winter dances.

Since our last letter Virginia Alpha has been honored and benefited by a visit form D. G. Swannell, Mich. Alpha, and Hal Davis, Pa. Iota. We hope we may soon have that pleasure again.

Virginia Alpha is planning for a chapter dinning room and we feel sure that by the next term it will be possible for every Phi Psi to have his meals at the house.

We are much pleased to have Ted Dorsey back with us again.

Virginia Alpha takes pleasure in announcing the pledging of Thomas Deford of Baltimore, Md.

University, Va.

January 14, 1922

C. C. CARLIN JR Correspondent

#### Virginia Beta-Washington aud Lee University

The second term opened on January 3d, all the brothers and pledges returning to college following the two weeks' vacation. At the present time interest on the campus centers largely in basketball, the Generals playing their first game of the season against Emory and Henry College on January 10th. The schedule is one of the most formidable arranged for a Blue and White quintet in several seasons, games with West Virginia, Kentucky State, North Carolina, Virginia, V. P. I. and Tennessee being the headliners. Cameron, who was at guard with the varsity last year, is again out for one of the guard positions and is practically assured of winning a berth again this season. Hall is also out for the varsity as is Pledge Kelly, who is showing up unusually well in practice with the second team. Pledge Kurtz is out for a position on the freshman five. With five letter men back from last year's team around which to build up this season's quintet, chances for a successful season are apparently most encouraging.

First call for candidates for the swimming team has been made and Greiner, who captains the tankmen this year, as well as Mercke, both of whom were on last year's team, are again out daily. Two meets have already been arranged, with several others yet under consideration. The recently organized boxing team has scheduled a match with the University of Virginia to date, Hock having been chosen as manager of the team. He is boxing in the lightweight division on the team as well. Meets with Penn State, Princeton, Navy, Virginia and West Virginia have already been scheduled for the wrestling team. Sutherland, who was the only man on the team last year not losing a match, is manager of the team this year. Prospects for a winning team are unusually bright.

At the annual presentation of football monograms during the Thanksgiving dances, Cameron, who played fullback with the varsity, as well as Pledge Walters, who held down a guard position, were awarded the much-coveted trident.

Initiation of the eight pledges will be held on January 27th, all of the new men having successfully passed the required amount of work. The usual banquet will be held following the initiation ceremonies at the Dutch Inn. A large number of alumni are expected to be present.

The annual fancy dress ball, looked forward to as being one of the most brilliant social affairs in the South, will be held on February 20th and 21st. Johnson, Holt and several others will assist in the figure.

O. W. Hisle, of the class of 1921, has reentered college with the expectation of more fully completing his preparation for the law. His return is greatly appreciated by the chapter and when the baseball season begins he no doubt will be much in evidence on the diamond, having played first base and captained the team last year.

We take great pleasure in announcing the pledging of Edwin W. Brown of Greensburg, Pa., who matriculated with the opening of the second term.

Lexington, Va. January 11, 1922 JOHN C. MORRISON Correspondent

#### THIRD DISTRICT

Pennsylvania Alpha-Washington and Jefferson College

The close of the 1921 rushing season finds this chapter with 14 freshmen pledged. The usual competition was present and we consider ourselves unusually fortunate in pledging the following: Hayden Weller and Ralph Grimm, Washington, Pa.; Paul Craig and William Irwin, Wheeling; Clark Fulton and Harry Bowman, Clarksburg, W. Va.; William Smith, Uniontown; Ted Mathews, Joe Hoerl and Fulton Connor, Johnstown, Pa.; Keith Jones, Kingfisher, Okla.; Aldous Hadden, Toledo; and Edward Manning, Lynn, Mass.

This chapter was represented in the party which made the trip to Pasadena, Cal., by Walter Snyder, substitute center, Alex Wiley, student manager, and Curtis Varner, the head of the chapter. They enjoyed visiting California Beta and meeting many of our alumni.

This year we have in the various activities: Curtis Varner, manager of the Glee Club; W. T. Kirk, manager of the Buskin Club; Alex Wiley, manager of football; W. H. Kirk, assistant manager of football; Wilber Mulhollen, Terrence Kuhn, W. T. Kirk, W. H. Kirk, Curtis Varner and Pledge Paul Craig on the Glee Club.

W. T. Kirk, W. H. Kirk, Walter Snyder, John Bixler and Pledge Hadden are members of the Druids, a sophomore society, while Milton Diemer, Arch Anderson, Dick Smith, John Trimble and Wilbur Mulhollen are members of the Friars, a similar organization. John Trimble is circulation editor of the *Wag-Jag*.

Wash-Jeff has had a great year in football and we think we have helped materially, even though we didn't have many make their letters.

We feel that we will have to be given recognition next year and even now, for our fine showing against the unbeatable California.

Our initiation will be announced shortly and we wish that every chapter that can will send some representative.

Washington, Pa. January 13, 1922 W. H. KIRK Correspondent

#### Pennsylvania Beta — Allegheny College

The basketball season opened January 6th and the season promises to be a good one. Pringle has not yet reported, due to sickness, but expects to start practice after the first semester. Pledges Meyers and Moore are making strong bids for positions. Meyers also made the varsity football team. The bowling season has also started. The Phi Psi team of last year won the championship, and this year's team is composed of practically the same brothers,

Founders' Day banquet is not very far off. The chapter intends to hold the banquet right after the initiation ceremonies. We hope many alumni will be on hand.

The chapter held its annual fall party on December 9th.

President Dan G. Swannell paid the chapter a visit last month, and we surely enjoyed and appreciated everything he told us.

Meadville, Pa. January 10, 1922 F. STEWART ZURBUCH Correspondent

## West Virginia Alpha — West Virginia University

The annual fall party was held at the chapter house on December 3d. Members of the Fraternity, pledges and friends were entertained from 8.30 until 11.30. Nelson Maples orchestra furnished the music.

On Thanksgiving Day, immediately after the football game with Washington and Jefferson, members of the chapter, alumni, and a number of Pennsylvania Alpha men gathered at the house for a turkey dinner.

On December 21st James O. Lakin '15 was married to Miss Marguerite Baker of Morgantown. Lakin will complete his studies in the university, receiving his degree in June. The engagement of Charles J. Shuttleworth '17 to Miss Nina Simon of Fairmont has recently been announced.

The first issue of the *Mountaineer Phi Psi* came out the latter part of November. This paper supplants the old *West Virginia Alphan* and will be published twice a year.

The initiation date for this year has been set for February 18th which conforms to our usual custom of having the initiation as near Founders' Day as possible. We are hoping to have as large a gathering as we had at the memorable 1921 initiation.

On December 5th we had the pleasure of entertaining Dan G. Swannell for a short visit. He gave the chapter a very interesting talk on extension and house management. He urged that the alumni form a house association to take over the tile of the house and the management of sinking funds, depreciation etc. It is hoped that the newly formed Morgantown A. A. will take this matter up and perhaps serve in this capacity.

The chapter regrets that Pledge Thomas Arias has left college. He has returned to his home in Panama City.

### The Shield of Phi Kappa Psi

Dr. Enoch Vickers '90, head of the department of economics in the university, has returned to college after spending over two months in Washington, D. C.

Morgantown, W. Va. January 14, 1922 HARLAN BOVELL SELBY Correspondent

### Ohio Alpha — Ohio Wesleyan University

With the close of the football season Ohio Alpha has three new football letter men. Kirk and R. Thomson earned letters on the team and Milligan was awarded a manager's letter. Pledges Campbell, Ross and Knachel were awarded numerals in freshman football.

In basketball we are represented by Kohn and Harmount, letter men from last year, and R. Thomson, of last year's yearling squad. L. Thomson is assistant manager. This year promises to be a red-letter one in Ohio Wesleyan's basketball history. We are facing the season with last year's team intact and several sophomores are showing great form on the court. On the yearling basketball team we are represented by Pledges Campbell, Pierce and Knachel.

Several weeks ago we received a much appreciated visit from Dan G. Swannell, and our only regret is that he could not remain longer with us. Immediately after his visit the Executive Council convened at Columbus and it was the privilege of several from Ohio Alpha to attend.

Robert J. Bauer is back in college after a year's absence with the A. G. Becker Co. of Chicago.

Delaware, Ohio

WILLIAM S. WILSON Correspondent

### Ohio Beta — Wittenberg University

Following the resumption of college after the holidays, the chapter is directing its efforts toward a high scholarship standing in the midterm examinations, a memorable initiation and Founders' Day banquet on February 20th, and a major participation in plans and preparations for the coming G. A. C.

Heberling and Burgeson were regular members of the varsity football team and received their latters, which entitles them to membership in the Varsity "W" association, the college athletic club. Heberling was the unanimous choice of the mentors for the left halfback position on the second all-Ohio mythical. He has another year with us, and should prove the mainspring of the team next season. Wittenberg is now entering upon the basketball season, the first conference game being scheduled with Kenyon on January 13th. Heberling has been making a creditable showing in the practice games at right guard and as foul shooter. Three practice games during the holidays resulted as follows: Ohio State 30 - Wittenberg 18; Wittenberg 30 - Yale 12; Cornell 23 - Wittenberg 17.

Davis is president of the Spanish club; senior chapter member and treasurer of the Panhellenic Council; stage manager of the dramatic club; and business manager of the senior class committee in charge of coming Ibsen productions at Wittenberg. J. Birch is on the senior play committee and a member of the octet in the dramatic club. Kunkle is also on the dramatic club. Sittler is a member of the intercollegiate debate team and a member of the dramatic club. R. Young is a

member of the junior play committee, junior chapter member of the Panhellenic Council, and treasurer of the *Wittenberger*. Pfeiffer is chapter representative on the Y. M. C. A. council and a member of the chess Passavant is assistant manager of basketball and a member of club. the chess club. Pledge Butcher plays the saxophone in the orchestra. Pledge McDaniel is a member of the intercollegiate debate team, and was accorded second place in the recent annual oratorical contest. Pledge Aleshire is sergeant-at-arms and reporter of the Spanish Club. Passavant and Burgeson have edited and issued a highly commendable Wittenberg calendar for 1922.

Social functions have been rather limited, our only efforts along this line being informal get-to-gethers, smokers or rushee parties following athletic contests in Springfield. A Panhellenic freshman smoker and entertainment was held at our house on December 2d, at which time the freshmen did much to further their common interest. Two registered freshmen did much to further their common interest. social functions will be permissible the second semester, but as yet the chapter is undecided as to what form they shall assume.

Visits tendered us recently have been: John A. Standifer, Miss. Alpha '99; Dr. Winfield Scott Hall, Ill. Alpha '86; Rector, Kirk, R. Milligan, J. Garver, and Meredith of Ohio Alpha; Bauer, McGregor and J. Shouv-J. Garver, and Meredith of Onio Alpha; Bauer, McCregor and J. Shouv-lin of Ohio Delta; Archon Clarence Seimon; Rev. Norman Goehring '13, of Lawrence, Kan.; Robert Boggess '09, Crawfordsville, Ind.; Ward E. Young '12, Lima, Ohio; William G. Wilson '12, Cleveland; Charles S. Passavant '14, Zelienople, Pa.; W. Robert Siders '14, Cincinnati; H. Searl Billings '15, Cleveland; Albert B. Seitz jr '16, Columbus; and Robert R. Burdette '17, Marion, Ohio. Remember the G. A. C. will convene in Springfield June 21-24. Be

there!

Springfield, Ohio January 10, 1922 JOHN H. HEBERLING Correspondent

## Ohio Delta - Ohio State University

The close of the football season was very disappointing by a defeat at the hands of the University of Illinois, wrecking our championship Nelson H. Dunlap was awarded a varsity "O," being one of hopes. the nineteen men to receive that honor.

On December 9-11 the chapter had the pleasure of entertaining the Executive Council which convened in Columbus at that time. On the 10th a dinner at the house was tendered them, followed by a short meeting with the chapter. Various members of the Council spoke and many helpful suggestions were offered. The evening was spent at a basketball game and at the Strollers Dramatic Club plays.

Before going home for the holidays, the annual Christmas party was It proved to be up to former standards and was attended by held. many alumni and brothers from other chapters.

James W. Schlemmer and Hayward M. Anderson were recently initiated into Sigma Delta Chi, journalistic fraternity. Ralph Lock and Kenneth McCreary are preparing for the spring track season. Intramural activities, such as indoor baseball, basketball and bowling, are in full swing, with Phi Psi well represented.

A resume of scholarship, activities and general affairs shows an excellent past semester and best prospects for the future.

DOUGLAS MCGREGOR Columbus, Ohio January 10, 1922

Correspondent

Ohio Epsilon - Case School of Applied Science

Just at present the atmosphere around the chapter house is one of study, as everyone is getting ready for the finals which begin next week. We expect the return of Gay and Pledge Reid with the opening of the new semester on January 31st.

The entertainment committee found that their efforts, in the preparation of the Christmas party on December 16th, were worth while after the party was announced a great success by all the alumni and undergraduates. A little informal dance was held at the chapter house on the first Tuesday night following the close of the Christmas recess.

The chapter is formulating plans for the Founders' Day banquet, for initiation and for fathers' night, all three events coming during February.

Paul Wilson surprised the brothers by the announcement of his marriage on Thanksgiving day. Eddie Hale, Reed, Wise and Houck received their letters in football,

Eddie Hale, Reed, Wise and Houck received their letters in football, Eddie incidentally coming through the season with the record of being the third highest point-scorer in America, scoring a total of 88 points for Case. Hale was selected as an all-state half. Houck and K. Johnson are on the varsity swimming team, and Gribben and Struggles are on the freshman basketball squad. Judging from the showing in the first few games, Phi Psi is going to be a strong contender for the interfraternity basketball cup.

Criley and Owen were elected to Skull and Bones, junior society, and K. Johnson and McDaniel to Alpha Pi, sophomore society.

Čleveland, Ohio January 13, 1922 DEWITT L. OWEN Correspondent

#### FOURTH DISTRICT

Michigan Alpha - University of Michigan

Of paramount interest during the last month has been the 16th annual opera of the Michigan Union. Michigan Alpha was well represented with Arthur Holden, leading man; Arnold Piatt, stage manager; Harry J. Walker and Cornell Walbridge in the cast; and Carlton Hill, assistant master of costumes. The opera played in Ann Arbor the week of December 5th, and was on the road during the two weeks of Christmas vacation, giving nineteen performances in thirteen cities of the Middle West, including Chicago, Detroit, Cincinnati, Indianapolis, Cleveland and Toledo. This year the production was a musical comedy entitled "Make It for Two." The show played to full houses everywhere, and was universally termed a great success.

The university received with great pleasure the news that the junior hop was reinstated. This is the great social event of the college year. A member of the chapter was elected by the junior class to manage the hop, Charles Hummer receiving the honor. He will lead the grand march. Pledge Kirkpatrick was elected to the hop committee of the junior engineer class.

Pledge Kirkpatrick was initiated into Triangles, junior engineering society.

Michigan closed her football season with a victory over Minnesota and a tie score with Wisconsin. The Wisconsin game was played at Madison. Ten members of the chapter made the trip to Madison the weekend of November 12th. Wisconsin Alpha entertained our members very hospitably, so that everyone voted it a very successful week-end.

Before leaving for home to enjoy the Christmas holidays, the chapter gave an informal party as a final get-together of the year. We carried out the old custom of having a tree with presents for the boys from the freshmen, and of outfitting with clothing and entertaining a poor boy. The university has started its new building program, having recently

The university has started its new building program, having recently broken ground for the new Clements Library, which is to house the Clements collection. This spring construction will be begun on the new Administration Building and the new engineering shops. The university has received \$5,000,000 for a two-year building program.

Ann Arbor, Mich. January 3, 1922 Edward S. Reid Jr Correspondent

Indiana Alpha—De Pauw University No Letter Received

Indiana Beta—Indiana University No LETTER RECEIVED

#### Indiana Delta — Purdue University

Purdue has started the basketball season in fine shape, having won seven out of the eight games played thus far. Our schedule of Conference games begins on January 16th. Eversman '20 is playing regularly as forward and Hiser '18 is substituting for the back guard position. Stoever '18 and Youngflesh '21 are out for the varsity swimming team and Cammack '17 has a place on the gymnastic team.

E. E. Murphy '18 has been elected captain of the football team for the next season and has hopes of bringing Purdue out of the slump which we have suffered for the past few years.

Our annual "hard times" dance was held in December and the usual good times attending these occasions were not lacking. Plans are being made for a banquet on Founders' Day and a large number of alumni are expected back.

W. J. Davis of this chapter and Brother Pittinger of Indiana Beta visited the chapter during the recent agricultural short course.

West Lafayette, Ind. January 12, 1922 T. H. PRICE

Correspondent

#### Illinois Alpha - Northwestern University

Northwestern held its annual junior prom during the preceding month and the usual success was attained. Novel decorations in silver and black were used. Douglas Waitley, in addition to being the general manager of the prom, led the left wing of the promenade.

The semester party was held in the chapter house on December 16th. Ransted brought his musicians out from Chicago and furnished the music. The chapter was glad to see so many of the alumni out for the function.

At the end of the football season four of the freshmen were awarded their numerals: Blythe, Roden, Gustafson and Oppfelt. These men will fill vacancies on the varsity to good advantage next year. The basketball team has won seven out of eight practice games and a good season is looked for. Russell Rapp is a member of the squad. Howard Knight has a leading part and Taylor, Ehlers and Hass have minor parts in the Hermit and Crow production this semester. This is the largest and most successful dramatic organization on the campus. It is the men's musical dramatic club.

The monthly alumni meetings held on the first Friday of every month are becoming an institution that every one in the chapter and many of the alumni are appreciating. President Scott addressed the one for January. Dean Wigmore is to speak at the next and the commander of the Great Lakes station will follow at the succeeding meeting.

Evanston, Ill.

January 7, 1922

WINSTON MURRAY

Correspondent

## Illinois Beta — University of Chicago

The start of the winter quarter finds new interests absorbing the energy of the brothers of Illinois Beta. For 16 years Phi Psi has been well represented in Blackfriars, a dramatic organization similar to the Michigan Union Opera and the Princeton Triangle Club. This year Phi Psi has reached its zenith of representation in this organization. Allen Holloway, in the capacity of Abbott, is head of the order, while Frank Linden is manager of this year's production. Rehearsals have already started for this year's show, and many of the brothers are out for parts in the cast or places in the chorus.

The basketball team looks good in its early games, and no doubt by the middle of the season Nels Norgren will be able to put a team on the floor that can cope with the best of them. George Yardley has played in several games already this season, and will likely win his letter in this sport. George is already a letter man in baseball.

The chapter was well represented in the football awards made in December. Captain McGuire, Redmon and Neff won letters, and Schwab won a minor letter in this sport. The indoor track season opens soon, and the possibility of a trip to Japan this summer has greatly increased the prospects of a successful team. There are probably more men out this year than ever before. Illinois Beta is also well represented in this activity with Captain Redmon, Schwab, McGuire, Coulter, McAdams and Omer out for places on the team.

It is planned to start work on the new chapter house in the spring. Two lots have been purchased on the northeast corner of Woodlawn avenue and 56th street, making a total of 90 by 175 feet. A large three-story house with Gothic architecture along the lines of the university buildings will be constructed at the cost of about \$150,000. Howard Shaw, one of the foremost architects of Chicago, has been engaged for this structure.

Elsworth Enoch, a brother of Henry Enoch of Wichita, Kan., has been pledged. In January Don Irwin and Howard Briggs were initiated. About 60 alumni turned out for the initiation and banquet which were held at the house.

During the past quarter the seniors have instigated a new social feature to the campus. Each week they have invited girls from the various halls to lunch at the house. These luncheons have been very successful and it is planned to continue the plan during the next quarter. On December 2d the chapter had a house dance which was successful as well as novel.

McGuire was selected for Walter Camp's all-American team and Redmon was given honorable mention. These men were also selected on several of the all-western teams as well as most of the all-conference teams.

Illinois Beta welcomes any brothers who may happen to be in the city Chicago, Ill. John H. Cox January 14, 1922 Correspondent

Illinois Delta — University of Illinois

Illinois Delta extends its hearty annual invitation to alumni and brothers from other chapters for its initiation and Founders' Day banquet February 18th. We hope that the banquet this year will be even better than the last. Speeches will be given by President Dan G. Swannell, Henry Berks of Kansas Alpha, and Arthur Hamilton.

Paul T. Anderson won his letter and Pat Stoik his numerals during the past season.

Bill Donahue won the homecoming song competition and a silver cup as the reward. He has as his latest achievement written the score to the student opera, "Tea Time in Tibet."

Joe Godfrey has been chosen as athletic editor of the *Illio*. He is also on the editorial staff of the *Enterpriser* and in addition has a very good chance of becoming sports editor of the *Daily Illini* next year. Deveraux Bowly is hard at work for the place of baseball manager. Pledge Jack Ebbert was one of two freshmen selected for the business staff of the *Enterpriser*. Pledge Howard Hill has survived the final cut on the *Illini* business staff. Francis Dawson is on the *Illinois Chemist* business staff. James Keenan is holding down a place on the *Illio* business staff.

Martin Hansen '18 returned from Tulsa, Okla., for the holidays just in time for our house dance.

With the opening of the conference basketball and track seasons, Illinois Delta desires that all visiting brothers will drop in and pay us a visit.

Champaign, Ill. January 11, 1922 VALDEMAR C. LARSEN JR Correspondent

Tennessee Delta-Vanderbilt University

#### No Letter Received

Wisconsin Alpha - University of Wisconsin

Wisconsin Alpha continues to hold court on a strange stamping ground since we have left 811 State street to the mercy of the contractors who are to erect our new house. Plans and specifications have been accepted and contracts are soon to be let, pending the final action of the new house committee.

Bunge wound up his career as center on the varsity with a record of three years without losing a single minute of play. Whitten, a sophomore, handicapped by a late return, soon attracted much attention by his work and was called upon to enter several games. He will be heard from next year and promises to develop into one of the best backs at Wisconsin. He has responded to the call for varsity catchers and should win a place on the first-string battery. Smith and Johnson are playing freshman basketball. Farwell will be a point-winner in track, as will Lewis, a hurdler of some repute. Freshman swimming has attracted Pledge Reid, the Hyde Park merman. The freshmen are all engaged in one or more activities, from which they promise to emerge with worth-while honors. McNeil is out for basketball manager, and Vonnegut will doubtless be coxswain of the varsity crew. Cristman is assistant editor of the *Badger*, the year book, while Reichert, Alexander and Vonnegut are on the staff. Yerly is busy on the production staff of the Haresfoot Dramatic Club. Boardman is associate editor of the *Law Review*. Buell, Alexander and Reichert are active on the junior prom committees, while Pledges Reid and Crawford are chairmen of freshman committees. Pledges McArthur and Crawford have pledged Skull and Crescent, sophomore society, and Inner Gate, its rival, has pledged Reid and Taggart. Buell has been pledged to the junior organization, Ku Klux Klan.

Scholastic investigation seems to indicate that all the pledges will be eligible for initiation at the end of the semester.

Our annual formal party was held on December 16th and 17th at the Park Hotel, much to the satisfaction of all. We are now turning our social efforts toward the junior prom, which will be held in the state capitol early in February.

The recent visits of Brothers Rote, Morris, Jenner, Richards and Telfer have been the source of much pleasure to the chapter.

Madison, Wis.

January 12, 1922

#### JOSEPH E. RYAN Correspondent

#### Wisconsin Gamma — Beloit College

Wisconsin Gamma announces the initiation of William Bunge, La-Crosse, Wis., and Clifford Dexheimer, Fort Atkinson, Wis., December 5th. Both are juniors. Ten freshmen are now on probation and will be initiated January 28th.

Opening of the second quarter January 4th found the chapter membership changed but the same in number. Guy Kesler has been forced to drop out of college and Lawrence Nichols has returned.

Basketball is receiving most attention right now. Phi Psi is represented by Laffin, Dexheimer, Weigert and Pledge Connell. Pledge Thorne earned high praise for his clever interpretation of the character "Earnest" in Oscar Wilde's play "The Importance of Being Earnest," which was staged by the Beloit Players December 2d. A. F. Smith, R. I. Alpha, professor of public speaking, coached the play. Pledge Heckler was also in the cast. Parker has been initiated into Sigma Delta Chi, professional journalistic fraternity. Pledge Kesler is on the editorial staff of the *Round Table*, Pierce is assistant circulation manager, and Pledge Thorne is on the circulation staff. Mitchell and Pledges Hartley and Brenizer represent us this year on the Glee Club, which starts its concert season January 20th. Parker and Pledge Heckler are out for debate. Arnold is president of the junior class and Connell guides the freshman class.

The annual Pan-Hell dance, given by the six national fraternities of Beloit, was held January 6th. Massey was general chairman of the committee in charge, and McCarthy led the grand march. Our annual Christmas party was given at the house December 17th, and was attended by more than 30 couples.

Beloit, Wis.

January 10, 1922

ANGEL ORDONEZ Correspondent

#### Minnesota Beta — University of Minnesota

Minnesota Beta fortunately did not suffer many scholastic casualties from the fall quarter. We are all set to finish the things we started last quarter and go after the activities that begin this year. We have been active in athletics, publications and class organizations so far and plan

to go after winter and spring athletics as hard as we can. Oliver Aas was recently elected president of the junior academic class and Dwight Lyman was elected secretary of the '23 club, a junior organization which promotes college activities. Alfred Partridge was elected president of Tillikum, the freshman interfraternity organization.

We had our winter formal at the Town and Country Club on December 23d. Brothers Balch and Bossard had charge of it and we must congratulate them; it was a winner.

Arnie Oss, hailed as one of the greatest athletes Minnesota has ever had, was graduated last quarter. The chapter certainly misses him and it will be a long time before we find a truer Phi Psi and a better man than Oss directing the activities of Minnesota Beta. Just at present Arnie is employed as assistant basketball coach.

We are planning to give the second of a series of monthly teas on January 22d. The first proved a great success and a mighty good method for bringing the alumni over to the house when there was no particular business that interfered with the social entertainment.

The *Minnesota Daily* conducted a drive for subscriptions recently which was directed by a Phi Psi and the two teams that carried off the honors were captained by Phi Psi sisters, Miss Mary Gillen winning the first prize and Miss Dorothy Partridge capturing second place.

On January 10th Clarence B. Miller passed away. Brother Miller was a Phi Psi in the class of 1891, and was very prominent in all branches of university life and was elected to Phi Beta Kappa. For 10 years he served as a representative in Congress, and in 1920 was appointed secretary of the Republican national committee.

Minneapolis, Minn. January 13, 1922 JOHN K. MORTLAND JR Correspondent

#### FIFTH DISTRICT

#### Iowa Alpha — University of Iowa

The story of recent Phi Psi activities at Iowa is a tale of work and success. Through officers that have a thorough knowledge of fraternity problems and through committees that meet and function properly the chapter has endeavored to take care of the minor details as well as the fundamental considerations that go to make a more perfect organization.

In the first place the chapter has been successful in keeping the organization on a sound financial basis. Activity has been encouraged, freshmen have attended a school of training, supervised study in the dining room has been in vogue, and general fraternity matters have been given proper consideration. The new policy of having a weekly room inspection by the house mother has been very successful.

In accordance with a tradition, the annual stag Christmas party was held on the Thursday night before vacation. The event is staged at a reasonably late hour in order that the brothers may take care of their studies and "outside work" before that time. The pledges furnished unusual entertainment and appropriate presents were received by all.

The chapter is expecting to be well represented at the state alumni banquet in Des Moines on February 17th.

Arnold Oss, Minnesota Beta, was a dinner guest on January 7th.

The university has a new armory completed and basketball games will now be played in that building. Iowa Alpha has five men on the freshman basketball squad of 25. At the final meeting of the first semester Leo Cohrt, former Archon of the fifth district, was elected G. P.; so it is evident that Phi Psi will stay at the front in Iowa University.

Íowa City, Iowa January 16, 1922 B. DEWAYNE SILLIMAN Correspondent

## Iowa Beta — Iowa State College

The chapter regrets very much to lose Arthur Bongert and F. A. Mason as undergraduate members. They were graduated at Christmas time and are now at home before starting work. Both have served as G. P. and have always worked earnestly for the Fraternity. Charles Mason is obliged to drop out the winter quarter to undergo another operation. Everyone else we expect back.

Just before Christmas vacation we pledged Edward W. Serrell from Pearl River, N. Y., and on November 5th Raymond E. Hodges of Omaha, Neb.

Richard H. Berry, Ohio Alpha, from Urbana, Ohio, entered college this quarter and we are glad to have him at the house with us. Ralph Prunty, who was initiated last year, is in college again this winter and is out for wrestling.

Harold Marquis, Washington Alpha, visited the chapter during the Sigma Delta Chi convention in Ames December 10 and 11, to which he was a delegate.

The Thursday before Christmas was the last day of college and on that night the formal dinner-dance was held at the hotel. Cohrt and Dorr were guests from Iowa Alpha and Pledge Scoval from Illinois Alpha. A very peppy Des Moines orchestra played for the dance and then furnished amusement during dinner which was served early in the evening. & Wallace, Prunty, Mattocks, Harmon and Groth are out for wrestling. Tracy is on the indoor track team.

Ames, Iowa

January 8, 1922

LELAND B. JOHNSON Correspondent

## Missouri Alpha—University of Missouri

The second trimester opened January 2d and everyone returned from the holidays determined to make the new trimester the best in the annals of the college. The total enrolment was lowered, as compared with last trimester, but even so exceeds the enrolment of this same period last year. All the brothers, with the exception of five, have returned. Bond finished his requirements for a degree at Christmas and J. J. Smith, G. P. Brown, Bunting and Wetzel did not return.

The basketball season has started off with a bang, the Tiger quintet having won every game so far by large margins. One of our most formidable foes, Nebraska, was humbled by a score of 46 to 31. Craig Ruby, head coach, has turned out one of the best teams in the college's history and we are all looking forward to the Valley championship.

The pledges have moved into the house and initiation is planned for Founders' Day. The social activities will be started with an informal house dance to be held February 1st. Founders' Day banquet will be on February 18th. Missouri Alpha is planning on having a Mother's Day on or about March 16th. A formal reception and dinner will be given to the visiting mothers.

Brother Wilson, Mo. Alpha '70, recently paid us a visit for several days and gave us much interesting information about the early chapter. Brother Wilson was among the first initiates of Missouri Alpha and his visit was very much enjoyed by us all.

Ernest E. Thiemeyer of this chapter has been appointed Archon of the fifth district, due to the resignation of Brother Maier of Colorado Alpha. Missouri Alpha feels much honored by this appointment and knows that Brother Thiemeyer will prove to be well qualified for the position.

Columbia, Mo. January 18, 1922 H. C. SIGMAN Correspondent

#### Texas Alpha — University of Texas

On the eve of coming back for the winter term the brothers from Fort Worth and Dallas had a Phi Psi banquet in Dallas on January 2d, with about 30 present. The occasion served the important purpose of bringing the members of the chapter in touch with our alumni. Plans are on foot to make our Founders' Day banquet a real success, and it is our hope that a good number of alumni will be with us on that day.

Athletic fans are turning their attention from postseason football games to basketball and baseball prospects. George Hill '18 and Ab Curtis '21 will represent Phi Psi on the basketball squad, and Arthur Allen '21, Chris Elliott '21, and Pledges Bashara and Kibbie have already started out for baseball. Coach Billie Disch, baseball coach, has turned out a championship team for the past 11 years, and it is expected that Texas will again win the Southwest championship. The postseason games that Texas teams played with teams from other states have, in the opinion of sport writers and coaches of Texas, gained some recognition for Texas teams among northern football fans.

An edition of the *Texas Alphan* was published in December and 300 copies were mailed to our alumni. It is planned to publish another edition the latter part of this term in order to inform our alumni of the condition and plans of the House Building Association.

Since Christmas Texas Alpha has pledged John Cox of Temple and Gilbert Philen of Hearn. Initiation of William Boyce and Abe Bashara will take place January 14th. Chauncey Gidney '20, who has transferred to Georgetown University to take business administration, is the only brother that did not return after the holidays. The chapter will miss Gidney as it was largely due to his efforts that Texas Alpha had such a good crop of rushees last fall.

Another Phi Psi and athlete was born in Dallas recently to Bro. and Mrs. E. C. Vickers. Bro. Vickers, Mo. Alpha, until recently was located in Austin where he was closely associated with this chapter.

Austin, Texas January 10, 1922 Ed MANN Correspondent

# Kansas Alpha — University of Kansas

The first semester examinations begin in two weeks and a strenuous effort is being made to push Phi Psi forward scholastically. Last year Phi Psi stood in third place, the first three places being contested by three-tenths of one point.

At the second meeting in January the following officers were installed: O'Leary, G. P.; Lauterbach, V. G. P.; Smith, A. G.; Esterley, S. G.; Laming, B. G.; Goggs, P.; Hadley, Hod.; Stevens, Hier.; and Conelly, Ph.

O'Leary, Kearney and Pledge Montgomery are out for track. Scales is a member of the Pen and Scroll society; O'Leary and Pledge Campbell were initiated into Delta Sigma Pi; Smith was initiated Delta Theta Phi; Pledge Hodges is pledged Phi Alpha Delta; Blackburn was the delegate from Delta Theta Phi to their national convention in Chicago; Lauterbach has an important part in a play soon to be given by the dramatic club. The three engineers in the chapter are all members of Tau Beta Pi, Dungan being president of the organization.

Kansas Alpha is reviving an old tradition by holding symposium in the chapter house. This consists of a formal initiation in the afternoon followed by a dance in the evening.

The annual Christmas dinner was held Friday before the holidays.

The close of the semester finds us with our numbers depleted by the loss of Lichty and Ainsworth. Both may return for the fall semester.

Interfraternity basketball starts January 12th with Phi Psi versus Delta Upsilon. We have the greatest faith and expectations in the team and Coach Crow.

Lawrence, Kan.

January 11, 1922

ROBT. M. SMITH Correspondent

## Nebraska Alpha - University of Nebraska

With final examinations in the near future, the brothers have returned from the holiday vacation assuming a studious attitude. The freshmen are all working overtime to make sure that their averages will be equal to that of the male students in the university last semester, so that they can be initiated.

ter, so that they can be initiated. We take pleasure in presenting two new pledges, Charles Spencer of North Platte, and Jack McCreary of Lincoln.

Nebraska had a very successful football season. Coach Dawson of Princeton, assisted by Bill Day '17, captain in 1920, succeeded in putting Nebraska at the pinnacle of western football. She won every game in the Missouri Valley Conference by substantial scores. The climax of the season came when we defeated Pittsburgh with a score of 10-0. This success was a surprise to the eastern colleges who had not anticipated the strength of the Cornhusker aggregation. Nebraska Alpha was fortunate in being represented on the team by Dave Noble '20, and Floyd Wright '17. Both were stellar performers in their backfield positions and were named on several all-Missouri valley mythical teams by various sports writers. Noble was given a place on Eckersall's allwestern team. This was Wright's third year as a regular and the brothers are justly proud of him.

The alumni association of the university is planning a great homecoming commencement week in June. According to plans, which have been backed by every organization on the campus, societies and fraternities will hold their annual banquets during this week. Every effort will be made to bring the alumni back to their alma mater. A baseball game with one of our old rivals will be staged as an added attraction. For this reason Nebraska Alpha will give her annual banquet the last week in June instead of in February as originally planned.

A very successful Christmas party was given at the chapter house December 16th. The first formal party given in several years, due to the war and various drives to bring down high prices, will be given February 3d at the Lincoln Hotel.

Lynn Scott, Kan. Alpha, and Charles Ferrand, Col. Alpha, were recent visitors at the chapter house.

Lincoln, Neb. January 10, 1922 A. BRADFORD WATERS Correspondent

## Oklahoma Alpha — University of Oklahoma

A postseason pep meeting was called December 15th for the purpose of starting a drive for a new \$500,000 stadium. The proposed stadium will be built of concrete, with a seating capacity of 20,000. It will include a football field, baseball diamond and a cinder track.

Bert D. Paine is in the race for the midyear elections for editor in chief of the *Sooner* (year book). Paine is a junior lawyer now serving on the staff of the *Sooner*.

William Renfro is making a campaign in the coming election for the office of representative on the Student Council from the School of Pharmacy.

We take pleasure in announcing the pledging of Hal Jenks, Ada, Okla. He is a musician and entertainer.

Pledges Jenks and Earnheart were recently pledged to Battle Axe, freshman organization. Pledge Mugler has secured a place on the or-Pledges Steinberger and Aldridge won freshman football letchestra. Pledge Twitchel was elected treasurer of the freshman class. ters. Pledge Funderburk is becoming known on the campus for his cartoons and comical drawings. His cartoons have been submitted to the yearbook and he has designed all our programs and place cards this year. Pledge Aldridge has been practicing daily for freshman basketball. He received honorable mention for all-state center last year at Oklahoma Pledge Barham, who was all-round man at the Baptist University. state high school meet in 1920, will report for track. Pledge Twitchell will also be out for the freshman track team.

The *Phi Psi Sooner*, chapter paper, was published December 20th, edited by David Shackleford.

On October 20th the pledges entertained all the pledges on the campus with a smoker. Miniature paddles were given as favors. 170 pledges signed our guest book and all reported a good time.

Bert Paine and Pledge Stinberger entertained the chapter and guests with a Christmas dinner. The chapter house was decorated with mistletoe and Christmas decorations. The pledges volunteered to furnish the amusement.

Plans for our formal dance on February 10th have been completed. George Freeman, Pa. Theta, will be at the piano with the best orchestra in the state and promises some real music.

George Shelton and David Shackleford were recently initiated into the Ruf-Nefs, rooting organization. William Chesher and Glenn Pendergraft have been initiated into the Mystic Keys, sophomore organization.

Eugene Catlett is on the glee club.

A new Steinway baby grand piano, floor lamp, draperies and rugs have been added to make our parlor attractive.

Recent Phi Psi visitors are: F. Edward Walker, Texas Alpha; Albert B. Seitz, Ohio Beta; Fred Shaw, Kan. Alpha; Lee Kennedy, Cal. Beta.

Norman, Okla. December 22, 1921 HOMER L. KEEGAN Correspondent

> Colorado Alpha—University of Colorado No LETTER RECEIVED

Washington Alpha — University of Washington

Moore, Anderson and Bellman, who were not in college last quarter, have returned to continue their studies. Moore is again out for crew and this will make Anderson's second year on the track team. We are expecting big things from Anderson in the sprint events this spring as well as from Bellman who will be out for the weight events.

Washington Alpha now has a varsity football captain. Ingram was elected to lead the next year's Purple and Gold eleven, and with the excellent material that will be on hand from this year's freshman and varsity squads, he should captain a winning team.

Moore, Mason and Ingram are living at the crew training quarters. This will be Moore's and Ingram's second year on the varsity crew, while Mason was a star oarsman in last year's freshman shell and will be a strong contender for this year's varsity.

Crisler was with the glee club on its annual tour during the Christmas vacation.

Washington Alpha wishes to announce the pledging of Casper A. Schneider, Aberdeen, Wash., and Charles Perrine, Twin Falls, Idaho. The chapter greatly misses Edward W. Porep and Phillip L. Slayden

The chapter greatly misses Edward W. Porep and Phillip L. Slayden who were graduated at the end of the fall quarter. Porep was graduated from the College of Business Administration and Slayden with a degree in mechanical engineering.

Although Washington was defeated by Pennsylvania State in the intersectional game on December 3d, 21-7, it was a game that will not be forgotten, either in the East or the West.

Washington Alpha is pleased to have with her this year two members from the East, Norman W. Singley, N. Y. Epsilon, and Harold Leffingwell, Pa. Beta. Both are residing at the chapter house and Singley has registered at Washington. Edward Seward, N. H. Alpha, has been a frequent visitor during the

Edward Seward, N. H. Alpha, has been a frequent visitor during the last month. A cordial invitation is extended to any brothers who may be in Seattle to visit the chapter house and make themselves at home during their stay.

Seattle, Wash.

January 9, 1922

EWART H. CHAMBERLAIN Correspondent

## California Beta - Stanford University

Two men left the chapter at the end of the last quarter, but the addition of two transfers, hailing from Colorado Alpha and California Gamma, left us at our former strength.

Rushing season is again under way, but as the house is comfortably filled, and the chapter numbers 34 members, we expect to take little part in the rushing activities for this quarter.

This year has been an exceedingly fruitful one for Phi Psi. Two of our pledges won their numerals in fresh man football, while prospects for the basketball season are even more bright. Dick Richmond, for two years member of the varsity squad, will again fill his old position, while Wittenburg shows up well as varsity material. Horace Wisely is assured a place on the freshman squad. Track activities have begun, with Swayne, Wittenburg and Bumbaugh rounding into shape for the varsity. It is expected that from our 12 pledges the freshman track team will find some excellent material. Swayne has represented us in soccer, while Genereaux has also taken part in this branch of athletics.

soccer, while Genereaux has also taken part in this branch of athletics. Intramural basketball began last night with a decisive victory for Phi Psi, which gives this chapter more than an even break for the championship.

With the coming of better weather, baseball is getting a start, with Wayland, Mitchell and Patterson, who are "S" men in the sport, representing us.

This year the chapter has tried the experiment of hiring a gardener, rather than having this work done by the freshmen. This has been highly successful, for the tennis court and the grounds present a highly gratifying appearance.

Stanford University, Cal. January 10, 1922 D. WEDGWOOD GRAVES Correspondent

### California Gamma — University of California

The second semester started January 9th with the smallest enrollment in college since the war. Although California Gamma does not depend upon the midyear rushing season for candidates, the loss of the usual great number of rushees is felt by all the houses on the campus. We take pleasure in announcing the pledging of A. E. Omaya of Sacramento.

The theatre-goers in the university were pleased to hear that the dramatic department has opened a new "Little Theater" in Hearst Hall. The performances will occur Friday and Saturday nights throughout the year, with a complete change of program weekly. Our chapter will be represented by two men who are scheduled to appear frequently in leading parts.

ing parts. "Sign up" day for crew practice found W. Dean Loose, Jack Ferri and Ed Pauley out stretching a few muscles in an attempt to make the varsity boat, while Len Renick is straining his voice to sit in the coxswain's place in the freshman boat. Cyril Marelia is working hard to land the manager's job of that sport.

Golf season was most successful this year. Jerry Villain, who was first man on the team, won favorable comment from all those who saw him defeat his opponent from Stanford. Francis Ledyard was also on the team and deserves creditable mention there, as well as at tennis, where he is expected to wield a racket with the first six this spring.

Many from the chapter attended the game with Washington and Jefferson College held in Pasadena New Year's day. While there they had the opportunity of meeting Snyder, Varner and Wylie, the men who made the trip from Pennsylvania Alpha. The California squad took with them Stewart Beam, Darell Hufford and Walter O'Brien from this chapter.

The new year looks very promising for California Gamma on the campus. Men have turned out for almost every activity; some are assured of success and the others are resolved to fight it out with the rest.

Berkeley, Cal. January 10, 1922 EDWIN W. PAULEY Correspondent


#### Clarence B. Miller, Minn. Beta '91

Clarence Benjamin Miller, Minn. Beta '91, died at the Miller Hospital, St. Paul, January 10, 1922. At the time of his death Brother Miller was secretary of the Republican national committee. He left Washington December 31st to spend the holidays in Minnesota. While in Duluth he was stricken with appendicitis. He was hurried to St Paul where he was operated upon and a grave condition disclosed. He put up a valiant fight through peritonitis and was doing well when pneumonia set in ending in his death.

Brother Miller was born in Pine Island, Minn., in 1872. His father died while Clarence was a boy but with characteristic courage and ambition he started to get for himself the education he so much desired. He entered the University of Minnesota in 1891 and was initiated into Minnesota Beta the same year. He was a man of all-round attainments throughout his college career and besides journalistic, oratorical and managerial honors, he was graduated in 1895 as Latin salutatorian of his class with election to Phi Beta Kappa.

After graduation he was superintendent of schools at Rushford, Minn., In the fall of 1898 he returned to the University of for three years. Minnesota and began the study of law. He was one of the founders of the Minnesota Daily, manager of the baseball team and elected to Phi Delta Phi. After taking his degree in law Brother Miller formed a partnership with Bro. Harvey S. Clapp and opened offices in Duluth. He served in the state legislature in 1907 and in the fall of 1908 was elected to Congress from the eighth Minnesota district. During his congressional service he twice visited the Philippines on official missions. He also went to France at the outbreak of the war to investigate condi-After ten years' service as Representative from that distions there. trict he was elected assistant secretary of the Republican national committee in March, 1919. In the spring of 1920 he became secretary of the committee.

Throughout his life Brother Miller was an ardent and loyal Phi Psi. Members of Minnesota Beta cherish memories of his inspiring and devoted messages on the floor of the chapter hall in the old house at 303 Washington ave. S. E. Always an eloquent orator, no theme so roused him as love for his Fraternity. Those who attended the Minneapolis G.A.C. will remember his response to the toast : "Phi Kappa Psi in Washington."

Six Phi Psis contemporaneous with Brother Miller acted as pall-bearers at his funeral in the Masonic Temple in St. Paul. Minnesota Beta has laid her wreath on the grave of a loved and a distinguished son.

#### Andrew C. Carson, Ohio Gamma '76

Andrew Carlisle Carson, Ohio Gamma '76, state historian of Colorado and designer of the Colorado state flag, died at his home in Denver, Col., December 27, 1921, after an illness of only three days. He was born in Chillicothe, Ohio, and spent the early part of his life in Ohio and in traveling. He was manager of the Orpheum Theater in Denver from 1903 to 1914. He was the author of several books, the best known being "Colorado the Top of the World." He had also written several photoplays and various historical and biological works.

#### Ernest L. Tustin, Pa. Gamma '80

Ernest Leigh Tustin, Pa. Gamma '80, director of the department of public welfare of the city of Philadelphia, died at a hospital in Baltimore, Md., on December 18, 1921, following an operation. He was one of the two Phi Psis in the mayor's cabinet, the other being William S. Twining, Pa. Beta '86, director of the transit department. Bother Tustin was appointed head of the welfare department in 1919, and instituted many improvements in the care of the city's penal and charitable institutions.

He was born in Lewisburg, Pa., December 20, 1862, and received his education in the public schools of that place and at Bucknell University. He was admitted to the bar in 1887, and began the practice of law in Philadelphia. He was a member of many legal societies and president of the state bar association. He rose to a high place in the councils of the Baptist Church, and was regarded as one of the greatest Baptist laymen in the country. Last year he was president of the Northern Baptist convention.

He served two terms in the state senate, resigning in 1911 to become recorder of deeds in Philadelphia. He was several times mentioned for the mayoralty, but always declined to become a candidate. He was identified with a number of business and banking interests.

#### Edward C. Gordon, Va. Alpha '60

The Rev. Dr. Edward Clifford Gordon, Va. Alpha '60, one of the most prominent theologians of the Southern Presbyterian Church, died at his home in St. Louis, Mo., January 26, 1922 of pneumonia, aged 79 years. He was born in Richmond, Va., September 1, 1842. He was a law student at the University of Virginia when the Civil War began, and resigned at once to enter the Confederate army, where he served as staff officer in Echol's brigade. After the war he entered Washington and Lee University, and in addition to his work as a student he served as private secretary to Gen. Robert E. Lee and treasurer of the university. He had been for many years and was at the time of his death a trustee of that institution.

After graduation from Washington and Lee, he entered the Union Theological Seminary. He had pastorates in Savannah, Ga., Salem, Va., and Lexington, Mo. He was president of Westminster College, Fulton, Mo., from 1892 to 1898. For the past 10 years he served as treasurer of the home mission committee of his church, and was active in that capacity at the time of his death.

#### William Frear, Pa. Gamma '80

Dr. William Frear, Pa. Gamma '80, vice director of the agricultural department at Pennsylvania State College, died suddenly on January 7, 1922 at State College, Pa. He was the oldest faculty member in point of service, having come to Penn State in 1885. He was born in Reading, Pa., 61 years ago last March.

Doctor Frear was one of the best known scientists of the country. He spent much time in Washington doing special work for the bureau of chemistry. He had been chief chemist for the state department of agriculture since 1885. He was a member of a large number of scientific societies.

Doctor Frear had taken a keen interest in the affairs of the Pennsylvania Lambda Chapter ever since its installation, and was a frequent visitor at the chapter house. His advice was eagerly sought and followed.

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He was a big-hearted man and a loyal Phi Psi. Wherever he went he knew all the Phi Psis in the district, and they all knew and loved him. While in McKeesport he was a member of the Pittsburgh Alumni Association and at one time was its president. He attended all its meetings and knew all its members. He attended several Grand Arch Councils. As an Episcopal rector he was widely known and made many friends, not only in his own congregation and among his own people, but among all classes of people wherever he went.

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## Massachusetts Alpha's New Chapter House

**B**Y common consent, Massachusetts Alpha's new chapter house is one of the finest, most impressive, and most homelike on the Amherst campus. Though not quite complete, and at that time largely unfurnished, it was occupied soon after March 1st by the chapter, the old house having been sold by the corporation. The formal dedication and opening have not yet taken place.

The story of the raising of funds for the new house, the finding of a site, and all the details of discouragement, struggle, good luck and ill, while intensely interesting to those who took an active part in the enterprise, would make too long an account for present purposes. A bare outline will suffice.

The chapter was founded in 1895 by an earnest and impecunious band of charter members who, combining all their resources, succeeded in securing a wooden dwelling house not far from the center of town which seemed then, and for some time afterward, quite adequate to the chapter's needs. But a new spirit of competitive building arose in Amherst among the various fraternities. Psi Upsilon set the fashion with a huge mansion of brick facing the town common, and the others, one by one, fell into line.

Alumni and undergraduate members of Massachusetts Alpha, seeing what was coming, began to talk about a new house a dozen years ago, though their "old" house was still comparatively new. A money-raising campaign was started in a small way, but it got nowhere. It was not until about 1918 that the realization became general that Phi Psi would have to have a new house or fall behind the procession in Amherst College. But still there seemed to be no way to achieve the desired result. One committee after another tackled the job, without success, but with the effect of conolidating opinion and purpose among the alumni. A survey and recommendations were made, but it was found that the alumni body of the chapter was actually incapable of financing the enterprise with building costs soaring. Loyalty could not counterbalance poverty. It looked rather hopeless.

Then, in the summer of 1919 something happened. There was a boy in the chapter named Frank Myers, who had just completed his freshman year. He wasn't much of a shouter but he had somehow developed a firm determination to have his chapter put back on the map. Because of the old house and its location. Massachusetts Alpha found itself fighting against odds in rushing and all along the line. They must get into a house equal to any other in town and nearer the campus. Brother Myers had had some personal discouragements, and he talked about them at home. It so happened that he came from a Phi Psi family, his grandfather being Frank A. Arter, Pa. Beta '63, of Cleveland, a man of means who has always been a stanch supporter of The news was flashed over the wire that his Fraternity. the mother, grandmother and grandfather of Brother Myers had offered a conditional pledge of funds amounting to \$17,500, provided the alumni of the chapter would raise the balance of a \$50,000 building fund by the following Easter.

That started things. The corporation, of which Henry R. French '95 was then president, organized an intensive campaign, with committees in New York, Boston and Amherst. All the following winter they labored. By January 1, 1920, however, only the surface appeared to have been scratched. Then they went to it.

The details of that campaign are interesting but not essential to this history. The names of those who deserve honor and recognition for their unremitting services would fill a long paragraph. Everybody gave to the uttermost of his ability, in sums ranging from two dollars to several thousands. An unprecedented proportion of the membership

## Massachusetts Alpha's New Cpapter House

of the chapter signed pledges. They gave till it hurt, and in the last tense, dramatic week, the last dollar was raised.

That was during the winter of 1919-20. After that the records show many difficulties encountered. Committees and boards of directors underwent changes. The site that had been picked out failed to give general satisfaction. Opinions became divided. Technical difficulties arose in the matter of securing free title. The darkest moment in the entire enterprise was in March 1921, when it looked as though the whole thing were on the point of disintegration. Then a conference was called in Amherst, differences were straightened out, and suddenly, out of a clear sky, came a piece of rare good luck.

On College street, facing the campus proper, and next to the new Chi Phi house, stood a piece of property upon which more than one fraternity had looked with longing eyes. Great trees graced the broad lawns, and the grounds ran down to a beautiful ravine in the rear. On this site stood a square brick house built by President Julius H. Seelye (then Professor Seelye) in 1866, and occupied by him until his retirement in 1890. It was owned by the heirs of President Seelye who, for sentimental and other reasons, persistently refused to sell.

While the conference was in session in Amherst, it was learned that possibly this property might be purchased. Family reasons had caused the heirs to change their minds. It was a complicated situation, but it was cleared up at last, and the property was at length secured for \$22,000. This gave the enterprise a new lease on life. All factions immediately united in a common enthusiasm. The new property fulfilled every requirement.

So much for the dramatic part of the story. The rest was mostly hard plodding. Financial arrangements had to be made, pledges collected, plans approved. A new building committee was formed with Dean Blanchard '12, chairman, and Putnam & Cox of Boston were engaged to prepare plans for making the old house over into a new one, while the directors of the corporation, with Crescens Hubbard '97, chairman, tackled the financial problems. Ground was broken last spring, Mr. Albion B. Allen of Amherst was engaged on contract, and work was commenced.

The lines of the old house have entirely disappeared in the new. The ground plan was enlarged, a third story added, and a classic semicircular portico planned for the west front. The following description is by Mr. Allen H. Cox, the designer:

"The design of the building was dictated by the old house with its beautiful setting. It at once suggested the development toward the north which would leave the house, with its main axis north and south, facing a broad lawn, with trees beautifully framing it on the other three sides.

"Then there was the question of an uncovered eastern terrace (already there, but covered). A study of the plan proved this the best and most economical scheme. There were difficulties in arranging stairs and in bringing the building under one straight roof, but by taking the west front of the old Seelve house as a guide, with its excellently proportioned and spaced windows, and adding as much more to the north, incidentally incorporating the old kitchen ell in this part, we found we had not only the best plan but a very By covering the building with well-arranged elevation. a straight roof with gable ends, and adding pilasters and a curved porch, the thing was done. We had to ventilate and light the dormitory for twenty men under the roof, and used as few and as small dormers as possible with casement windows to insure the maximum of air. The deep cornice was necessary for good proportions, and we had to lower the old house cornice level more than two feet to begin with.

"The building really justifies the use of as pretentious a motive as the circular porch, because of the splendid western lawn. We thought the great hall behind the porch was in no sense an anticlimax; it is larger than the porch and carries out the feeling of openness and dignity, which the tall porch suggests.

"We were fortunate in having the first and second stories of unusual height, and some of the remains of the old house were excellent in quality and splendidly built, such as the doors and other interior woodwork. We did the best we could with a rather ungraceful kitchen ell, transforming it into wash rooms, guest room, etc., and, of course, we inherited the rooms on the second floor of the old house. Where we could, we rebuilt chimneys and added fireplaces, whereever possible, doing everything with a view to economy of cost."

An adaptation of the English Georgian style of architecture, often loosely called colonial, has been pretty generally employed for the new fraternity houses and college buildings of Amherst, as being native to the environment and in harmony with the older buildings. The problem was largely one of securing harmony with the prevailing style and, at the same time, achieving something distinctive and different. This has been accomplished partly by the new lines of the house, and largely by the two-story semicircular portico, somewhat on the lines of the so-called southern colonial. Strict adherence to period style has not been sought outside or in, but rather a harmonious feeling based upon the styles of the late eighteenth century.

The accompanying photograph will serve better than any detailed description of the general appearance of the house. The south entrance was made secondary, partly because it had to be located on the comparatively narrow end of the house, and partly because the lines of the old house brought it too near the street for extensive treatment. Nevertheless every effort was made to treat this south end as a secondary front rather than a mere end of the house. The broad dimensions of the west side presented the best opportunity for the use of the desired portico, which is the distinguishing feature of the house, unlike any other in town, and which is much admired. This faces across the lawn toward the Chi Phi house. The old bay window was originally viewed with doubt, but was at last duplicated on the other side of the portico, furnishing a happy decorative and utility These bays are less obtrusive than was feared feature. and serve to balance the picture. The fenestration of the gables is equally decorative.

The main entrance is from the west porch into a large

hall, on the right of which, entered through a broad archway, is the big living-room, running the full width of the house, and entered likewise through the small south porch. To the left of the hall is the smoking room with its bay window, a first-floor study, lavatory, and conference room or guest room. The meeting hall is in the basement.

At the side of the hall opposite the main entrance an unusually beautiful stairway leads to the second floor, on which there are nine studies, many of them with fireplaces, and the main lavatory and showers. The studies accommodate two or three men each. The entire floor at present is devoted to sleeping rooms.

Probably no fraternity house in Amherst has received as much attention as the Phi Kappa Psi house in the matter of interior furnishing and decoration. It was at first hoped that President Seelve's study might be retained in its original form intact, but this proved to be impossible without spoiling the entire floor plan. His study mantel and that in his dining room, however, were retained and moved into the living room, one on each side of the archway into the These old mantels — much older than the original hall. house — are of black Italian marble, with vellow veining. Though graceful in form, their sombre color presented a somewhat difficult decorative problem, but this has been successfully solved and the twin fireplaces are greatly ad-Mr. Cox, the architect, says of them: "The old mired. marble mantels were really a find. It seems to me that nothing could have been better, as they are well proportioned for the room. Although there are two, they do not dwarf the wall they are against, but leave well proportioned panels above them."

A committee on furnishing and decoration, with Ralph W. Wheeler '02, as chairman, has labored assiduously to achieve a distinctive result, both in style and in color. Furniture, partly chosen for comfort and use, and partly for decorative effect, has been made to order in New York, the upholstered pieces being covered with high-grade tapestries, carefully chosen with reference to color and pattern. Rugs have not been purchased yet, but it is probable that large

orientals will be possible on the first floor, through the generosity of Mrs. F. L. Taft of Cleveland, mother of Kingsley Taft '21.

Wall paper has been used throughout because of its great possibilities for securing effects of color and texture on the walls. The studies, which are furnished by the occupants, have been decorated with a variety of papers in which tans, browns, grays and blues predominate. The woodwork is stained Adam brown.

The large living room has been papered in a soft putty color, with an unobtrusive pattern, which gives a light but subdued effect. The woodwork has been painted ivory. The furniture will be grouped at the two ends of the room. with the fireplaces as centers of interest, leaving a passage through the center from the arch to the south entrance. Davenports and easy chairs predominate, with two formal chairs with high carved backs in the Charles II manner flanking the entrance. The tapestry upholsterings are for the most part dark, blending with the black marble man-The lighting fixtures in this room are antique gold tels. and black. The window draperies, not vet completed, will be of brocade, a dull blue on a putty-colored ground.

The decoration of the entrance hall was a matter of careful study, the committee's desire being to get away from the usual mahogany or white of the so-called colonial hall. The woodwork, including the ornamental stair rail, the doors and the paneled wainscot, are of red birch, and have been given a warm neutral finish, with gray stain, shellac and wax, through which the brownish color of the wood softly appears. Above the wainscot has been hung a deep blue and gold paper in grasscloth effect, and the draperies will match. This hall contains a comparatively few pieces of furniture, chiefly grouped about the corner fireplace.

Two decorative features of particular interest help to lend distinction to the entrance hall. One is an antique mirror, something over a century old, which has been placed above the mantel. It is a good example of the Empire period, of finest French plate in three sections, in a frame of dark mahogany and gold leaf. It was formerly a part of the Wilbur Brooks Smith collection of antiques. The other feature is a rare seventeenth-century altar frontal from Sicily, about seven feet long, of unusual polychrome silk lace, mounted on gold silk. It has been loaned from the collection of Edgar L. Ashley, R. I. Alpha '02, and has been hung on the broad wall space facing the main entrance.

The woodwork of the smoking room has been stained Adam brown, the draperies will be brown rep, and the wall paper is brown and gold grasscloth effect. The furniture is of the Craftsman type. The so-called guest room will be used also as a conference room and as a dressing room for ladies on social occasions. It is furnished with day beds for the possible accommodation of guests at night, and light, domestic furniture suited to the special needs of the room. The lighting fixtures in all the rooms except the living room are in antique gold.

The old stable behind the house has been torn down and plans are under way for planting and beautifying the grounds. With its view of College Hill to the south, its wide lawn adjoining that of Chi Phi, and its background of evergreens on the east, the Phi Kappa Psi house enjoys a setting equalled by no other in Amherst. Considering the limited financial resources of the chapter, it is an achievement that the entire Fraternity has every reason to feel proud of.

## Success and Scholarship

O. M. STEWART, Ind. Alpha '89, Contributor

I IS an old campus tradition that a man is benefited more by participation in general student activities than by his classroom work. Certainly it is true that some forms of campus activities have high educational value. To be a successful president of his fraternity or of any other organization is of great value to a man. Those who are chapter commissaries and chapter treasurers learn things which are well worth while. Being a good "mixer" with men, not women, is a great help to a man in business or a profession. "Butterflying" around with the girls is of no practical value in assisting one to become a successful business or professional man.

But is it true that these outside activities are so much more important than your studies? If they are, college faculties should revise their curriculums and require all students to spend most of their time in these other activities. The best way to find an answer to this question is by looking up the undergraduate records of successful alumni. This has been done for different professions. In all cases the evidence shows that a very large proportion of successful graduates ranked near the top of their classes in scholarshin. The evidence is very positive. There are other ways: for example, attention has often been called to the large proportion of Phi Beta Kappas among the college graduates whose names appear in Who's Who in America.

It has been perhaps easier to rate the relative success of the graduates of engineering schools than those in other Two instances of this will be mentioned. professions. The graduates in engineering at the University of Illinois over a period of about 20 years were divided into five groups according to their success. Independently of this rating they were divided into five groups based on their grades as An examination of the two ratings undergraduates. showed that there was a marked correlation between the Professor Enger in discussing the retwo classifications. sults said that they showed that it was as rare for a man who had ranked in the lowest scholastic group to reach the highest group of success after graduation as it was for a man who ranked in the lowest one-fifth of the class in trigonometry to rank in the highest one-fifth in his next course, in mathematics.

A much more extensive test has been conducted under the auspices of the American Association of Registrars. The results are published in *Engineering Education*, April 1921. The names of over seven hundred eminent engineers were secured in an impartial way and their collegiate records looked up. Of those who were graduates nearly threefourths had ranked in the highest two-fifths of their classes. About one-half had been scholastically eminent.

All the evidence that has been secured points to a marked correlation between success in making high grades and success after graduation. Apparently this has been accepted as true by those corporations which employ large numbers of men. Never before have these corporations been so anxious to secure college graduates and never before have they paid so much attention to grades as they are now doing. One of the large American industrial concerns, the Western Electric Company, has been carrying on by advertisements in college papers a campaign to raise scholastic standards. The following is quoted from one of their paid advertisements:

"... If you intend to make your mark in engineering or business, don't expect that supremacy on the waxed floor will help when you start hunting a job. ... Let us concede that it is all right to minor in sociabilities—but certainly it is only common sense to major in the math and sciences and English that will mean bread and butter to you later on.

"Remember this—the harder you work right now in getting a grip on fundamentals, the easier things will come to you when you must solve still bigger problems. And if you take it easy now, well, look out for the law of compensation.

"It's up to you. While you've got the chance, sieze it, dig in, plug hard. It will pay—in cold cash."

Then in a footnote is added:

"... some men who stood in the upper third in their class and who entered this company years ago have since become its executives."

In a later advertisement they say:

"... Is it too much to trace a logical connection between a man's proficiency in getting ready for his vocation and his success in that vocation? Surely it is common sense that the better grip you get on your work now, the more easily you can handle the big jobs later on... Develop this ability where and how you will, but develop it—because in the world of affairs they reward it liberally."

This is advice, not from a professor or a faculty, but from business men who realize the need to such an extent that they pay for the privilege of giving it.

## **Pledge Education**

It is often said that the war has awakened the American people to the value of a college education. It has done more than that. It has awakened them to the difference between a good and a poor education. They now know that a man who is successful in making grades is more likely to attain success after graduation.

Fraternity men, wake up! Have not many of you been majoring in the wrong activity?

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## ERNEST E. THIEMEVER, Mo. Alpha '20, Contributor

HERE has always been a question in many chapters as to how much a pledge should know about the Fraternity before he is initiated. Everyone is agreed that he should know the names and addresses of the national officers and the chapters, but once beyond that many questions arise. How should fraternity history be taught, if at all? Is the history something we should guard as we do the "shield and the lamp" or should we broadcast it to our pledges? The history of the Fraternity has been a great factor in arousing the freshmen's interest and in making them realize the kind of organization they have allied themselves with. On the basis of past experiences in using the history it has been assumed in this article that it should be used. Then farther than just fraternity matters, how should the chapter prepare its freshmen to take their place on the campus? Should the chapter look carefully after their manners and personal appearances? There are dozens of such questions which arise and a thousand answers to each of them. The question of pledge education is one upon which volumes could be written and still leave many important phases untouched. Each freshman is a problem and an interesting one. The big question is how to solve each individual's problem in a collective meeting lasting for possibly one hour each week.

The first problem which arises in connection with pledge

meetings is whether to have them open to all the upperclassmen or whether to turn the pledges over to some one man. There are disadvantages to both and often it may seem like choosing the lesser of two evils. If all the upperclassmen are present the freshmen are inclined to be embarrassed and will not get the best out of the meeting. On the other hand, if one man is given complete charge of the freshmen, the objection is often raised that the chapter as a whole does not know just what the pledges are doing. Then, too. the man you place in charge gains the confidence of the freshmen and they are inclined to rely absolutely upon his judgment without questioning it. A combination of both plans works well. Many of the upperclassmen have announcements to make to the class as a whole which it is best they present in person. If the upperclassmen are invited to attent the first part of the meeting and to make their announcements they should be asked to leave just before the pledges begin to discuss their assigned lesson. It is not always desirable to have all the upperclassmen present when the pledges are being criticised, but that phase of the work will be taken up at a later time. The general trend of this article is based upon the plan of having one man in complete charge of the education and inviting the other upperclassmen to make their announcements early in the meeting, this plan having worked out with decided success over either of the other two.

We now come to a consideration of the type of man who should be chosen to be the leader in freshman meetings. Whichever plan is adopted there must be some one person who is the leader of the meeting. It is needless to say that this man should be very much interested in freshman discipline and also must be one who can judge men and one who has a good general knowledge of the Fraternity and his own chapter. These three qualifications are essential because a man placed in charge of meetings in which he has no definite interest will neglect the work unless he is very conscientious. If he has the last qualification only he is likely to handle them purely from a sense of duty, and will not be thinking of plans for bettering freshman conditions.

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A man who knows the Fraternity and his chapter can give talks to the freshmen on such subjects as history and general policy of the organization, which will do much to instil fraternity interest in the freshmen and will help greatly in making them willing workers before they are initiated. The ability to judge men is very essential because each freshman presents his own peculiar problem: it is the individual personalities of each man that must be studied so that when criticisms arise the man in charge can offer suggestions and criticisms to the freshmen in such a way that he will not incur the antagonism of the class either to himself or to some member of the chapter.

These criticisms often bring about many problems. There are freshmen who are eccentric in dress and manner, whose ideas of courtesy are not always of the best, and whose attitude toward the chapter and its organization is not all it should be. These faults should be corrected and the pledges should be watched to see that they do not develop such tendencies. General talks on such things as table manners, dress, courtesy and many other subjects have a very beneficial effect if they come from a man of proper character. When the tendencies above referred to do crop out, and they will in spite of anything a man may do, it is only through personal criticism that they can be corrected. Here the best method of criticising the pledges arises. Shall you have all the upperclassmen present at a freshman meeting and take each pledge in turn, every man telling him all that he can think of that is wrong, or shall the matter of criticising the pledges be left to one man, or just what plan should be adopted? The most vital criticism of the first plan is that some members of the chapter are not sufficiently diplomatic in their criticisms to "put them over" without raising personal animosities. The trouble with the second method is that one man cannot see all the faults. He is inclined to have preferences among the pledges, and no matter how impartial he may want to be, these preferences will make themselves evident. A most satisfactory system can be worked out by compiling a list of the names of all freshmen and providing each upperclassman with one, asking that

he make statements of his criticisms of each man. If these lists are then compiled into one to be used in some meeting of the pledges the desired effect will be obtained. If your class is organized, probably the best effect will be obtained by having these criticisms read in a pledge meeting where none of the older men is present and have the pledges encouraged to discuss them openly. Such a plan does away with any possibility of arousing the animosity of the pledges toward any one man or any of the upperclassmen and relieves one man of the entire responsibility of compiling all the criticisms to be made. The freshmen, too, will realize that those criticisms represent the consensus of opinion of the whole chapter and will take them more to heart than they would if they came from one person.

Class organization was mentioned above. Some may doubt the advisability of such a practice, saying that it gives the pledges too much leeway for concerted action against chapter customs and traditions. That objection is purely theoretical and one which does not work out in practice. There are many benefits to be derived from such organization which will be of great help to the chapter. Through the election of a class president, the active chapter has one man upon whom it can shift the burden of criticism to a considerable extent. Through organization and encouraging the freshmen to hold meetings of their own to discuss their problems, many interesting sidelights on a freshman's line of thought can be obtained. The class can be encouraged to have smokers for the upperclassmen, to have several meetings of a "get-together" nature for them and to promote good fellowship generally in the organization. You have, no doubt, noticed that there is a certain self-centered interest in all freshman classes. It is through these "gettogether" affairs that much of this interest is scattered and the upperclassmen begin to associate more freely with the pledges and the pledges with the upperclassmen.

Just how far this organization should be carried is a question which is not easy of solution. There should be a president elected, and a vice president to assume the duties of the president in his absence. The class has no need of other officers, unless the member who has charge of their education wants them to keep minutes of any meetings they may have so that he can check up on what they are doing. The president is the man upon whom the leader of the meetings depends to convey information to various pledges. Often when a pledge has become slightly wayward a word from some upperclassman to the freshman president will soon straighten matters out. It is wise to wait until the pledges as a whole have become acclimated and have become fairly well acquainted with one another before trying to have them elect a president. They should be told at the time of election that they are expected to pick a man from whom they will be willing to take criticism, and the general workings of this system of organization should be explained to them.

The upperclassman whose duty it is to oversee the pledges can convey to them much information concerning the Fraternity and chapter which will tend to make the freshmen more interested in the organization. If he is well acquainted with fraternity and chapter history and policies, short talks along those lines form valuable accompaniments to the regular lessons. Regular assignments during the course of the pledge year in THE SHIELD Van Cleve's "History," and the chapter scrap book will help him greatly in conveying this information to the pledges. The general discussion which is bound to arise over these assignments will present many opportunities for words of good advice and an equal number of occasions for bringing out interesting details about fraternity history. Such discussions will do much to cultivate a general interest in the Fraternity and to make the pledges willing workers for it after they are initiated. But more can be done than the mere teaching of the history and locations of chapters that will develop this interest. If, on occasions when the meetings are short and there is plenty of opportunity to continue the discussion, questions of general fraternity policy and the discussion of our policy as compared with that of other fraternities are brought up, you will find that the freshmen become greatly enthused and will listen intently to what is said and will bring up questions

that show their interest. They should be encouraged to interrupt and ask questions. The answering of these questions may become embarrassing at times and it will be necessary to ward them off, but if the discussion is carefully planned, there is no occasion for opening subjects that may bring up trying situations. To carry the matter still further, talks should be given on the importance of good manners, social ease, personal appearance, campus activities, and unlimited stress laid upon the importance of scholarship, not by threats of not being initiated or of being paddled, but with an idea of building up a spirit of study and a personal responsibility in each pledge to get his work from day to day so that as the classes become active in the chapter they will not lag behind in their scholarship and will be ready to put the chapter in the front in this respect.

If you have never tried a scheme of extended pledge education in your chapter, give it a fair trial and you will find that in two or three years you are initiating men who have the spirit of Phi Psi instilled into them before the "great day" comes and that they will start off with a rush to do good and accomplish things in your chapter. It will help vour internal organization in many ways and you will have men entering the chapter who are sufficiently well posted on general fraternity problems and policies so that they will be able to think for themselves and you will not have the usual leading of the freshman class by one or two upperclassmen. They will not vote as a unit on questions that come up simply because many of the older men think it a good move. They will take active part in chapter meetings and will bring up many points for discussion that will help the chapter generally.

## G. A. C. Dance

"Girls! Did you say girls! Well, we hope to show you the fairest in the land, for we are combing the state for your escorts at the ball. Not the old bromidic ball either, fellows, something new, something different, and you dare not miss it!"— William G. Wilson, Ohio Beta '12

## Archon Seimon Interrogates Chairman Ultes on G. A. C.

PLACE: Springfield, Ohio

TIME: Present

DRAMATIS PERSONAE: Clarence Seimon, Archon Third District; Carl Ultes, General Chairman G. A. C., June 21-24

SCENE: Foyer, Hotel Shawnee

Seimon: Hello, Brother Carl!

Ultes: Hello, Brother Clarence!

S: How's the G. A. C. getting on?

U: Swimmingly, old dear, swimmingly!

S: By the way, Carl, I heard someone say that Springfield did not have sufficient hotel capacity to accommodate the big crowd that you will undoubtedly be drawing this June?

U: What! Who would attempt such a misstatement? Why, listen to the facts, Clarence; we have the Shawnee Hotel, a new and most excellent hotel, capable of accommodating 450 Phi Psis above their regular transient trade; Hotel Bancroft, also new and extremely high class—Ritz-Carlton rooms at the college man's prices, which can accommodate 250 exclusive of the transient trade; Hotel Hume, a new structure, which will house 200 during the convention; then we have two other hotels that will take care of the overflow. And too, Clarence, enough Phi Psis own their own homes to tuck away three hundred more.

S: How large an alumni body have you, Carl?

U: Now you are giving me the opportunity to sell this G. A. C., Clarence! I dare say we have the largest number of alumni in proportion to population of any alumni association of any fraternity in a city of similar size in the country over 135 without the active chapter of Ohio Beta resident in Springfield. Should my shrinking modesty not prevent I could tell you much more about your hosts.

S: Are they actively interested in the coming G. A. C.?

U: Are they? Man alive, even John L. Bushnell is on hand at every executive committee meeting, and nothing short of a horse show at Madison Square Garden attracts him otherwise. Come to think of it he does like Scotch too!

S: Have you organized your committees?

U: Yes, the executive committee has already met with the heads of the various subcommittees and budgets are being prepared to be submitted to the finance committee, preliminary to taking up the usual offering from the local brothers.

S: It appears that you are pretty well set for the show?

U: For a starter, yes, but much stern encouragement is necessary before the delegates from Pennsylvania Omega arrive.

S: How about girls, Carl?

U: Clarence, you have an uncanny way of detecting my weaknesses! Girls, bless you, we need all the girls in Ohio, if the reports that I hear about attendance are true. Now listen, we do have some requirements along this line. None of these French notions about long skirts are encouraged. We very much dislike revivals! We need the skirts short, old topper, so that they will not interfere with the gyrations of the jazz. And make them young, too, Clarence, to withstand a long night of unremitting dance to the dizziest melodies that ever dulled the delicate Phi Psi sensibilities. Do send us a bunch from Cleveland, but be mindful of the requirements. Columbus, Dayton and Cincinnati will send their best flappers.

S: I understand it will be strictly dry, Carl?

U: Strictly! I know one man that had a hip-pocket made strictly for the G. A. C.

S: What a lot of notables you have among the Spring-field alumni.

U: Yes, better in than out, old thing,— both judges are Phi Psis, and sh!— the clerk of the police court, where the cases first appear. I'll say we have foresight as Phi Psis! Looks as though we had enough votes to swing things in politics in anticipation of the G. A. C. coming to this man's town, eh?

S: How far are you from Kentucky, Carl?

U: Just 94 miles,-paved all the way!

S: What are you doing to get the crowd?

U: To get them? We already have 1000 promises; and if these reports on 100 per cent delegations do not stop



G. A. C. ENTERTAINMENT HALL Memorial Hall, Springfield, Ohio


GEORGE B. LOCKWOOD, IND; ALPHA '94 (See page 201)

GENERAL J. WARREN KEIFER, OHIO BETA '68 (See page 206) coming in, I'll frame something with the local health department. According to the Cincinnati fellows there are only a few Phi Psis living beyond the 200 mile circle from Cincinnati, and as we are 100 miles closer, there can be no more beyond our 200 mile circle.

S: Where will you hold the meetings?

U: At the Lagonda Club, our city club, where I fed you today. Personally I forgot about the meetings, but Dan advised me that they still hold them at G. A. C's, and he thought this year the meetings would be better attended. Wise old Dan, I see now what he meant. Does it not occur to you too, Clarence, that a better interest will be displayed in the meetings since there is no more need of getting better acquainted with the man that shook up those headaches?

S: I understand that you have a splendid country club for the golf hounds?

U: Yes, and the president is a Phi Psi. If some of those aforesaid hounds would only bay a bit we would pull off an honest to goodness tournament for them.

S: Well, I sure am glad to get this dope, Carl,—sorry we can't get the glad news to the Phi Psis at large.

U: It is a shame, isn't it? I wish there was some way to do it without seeming to be bragging about our tremendous possibilities!

## Going to the G. A. C.? Certainly!

"Dum vivimus, vivamus!" Waste no time to look it up, you undergraduates, for it means that your life will be incomplete without the G. A. C. And you grads too, com' on! We promise that you will have more fun at this G.A. C. than you have had since prohibition began to be enforced. Put all your cares inside your roll-top desk about June 20th, tell the ticket agent: Spring field, Ohio, for one or two, and the rest will be up to us!"— Carl Ultes, Chairman G. A. C. Committee

"Spring field, the best 60,000 city in the United States, will prove to you from a Phi Psi standpoint that this statement is correct."— Charles L. Bauer, Ohio Beta '87

# Fraternity Bonds Put to a Test

THE story of Phi Psi brotherhood contains many pages of sacrifice. None of them goes deeper into the spirit of fraternity than does the remarkable page that has just been written within the Ohio Epsilon Chapter at Case. Here it is:

Walter Williams was initiated into the Indiana Beta Chapter at Indiana University in 1905. While at Indiana he made a record as an athlete and student, but particularly is he remembered by those who were associated with him in Phi Psi halls there for his cheerfulness, his honesty, his energy, his good-fellowship and his splendid loyalty to Phi Kappa Psi.

He was not graduated at Indiana. He fell in love with Gray Davis, sister of Brother Paul G. Davis, now of Indianapolis, and a member of Kappa Kappa Gamma. Their devotion was constant from the time they met. They were married and went to Fairbanks, Alaska, where they remained for five years, Brother Williams serving as a missionary from the Episcopalian Church. Later they removed to Cleveland, where Brother Williams was connected with a chemical company. Two children were born to them—Jane, now 13 years old, and Charles Walter, now 11 years old.

On December 28, 1921, Brother Williams was removed to a hospital in Cleveland and there operated on for mastoid trouble. Blood poisoning developed and his life was dispared of in January of 1922. His physicians finally determined that blood transfusion was the only possible chance he had for recovery.

Brother Williams had become identified with Ohio Epsilon Chapter at Case. The brothers there followed the progress of his illness. They heard that only blood transfusion could save him. The call for volunteers went out—and Phi Psi answered as a man.

The nature of the case was such that the physicians needed for the transfusion, men whose blood fulfilled certain requirements. Four Phi Psis were found to have blood meeting the requirements. They were DeWitt L. Owen '18,

### Memorial Elm Recalled at Washington Dinner

J. Reynolds Konold '20, Stewart Tame '17, and Royale C<sup>•</sup> Wise '19. For a period of approximately six weeks those four brothers voluntarily went to Brother Williams's bedside at the hospital and from them—once every five days the physicians took a pint of blood, which was transfused into Brother Williams in an effort to save his life.

The day before he died it appeared that he would get well. He had been unconscuois for days. Suddenly he regained consciousness and apparently grew better. Then, on March 6th he died rather suddenly from the bursting of an abscess.

But the memory of the sacrifice of those four brothers at Ohio Epsilon, who gave of their very being that a brother might live, will not die in the hearts of those who revere the spirit of Phi Psi. Of such stuff is the groundwork of Phi Kappa Psi built.

## Memorial Elm Recalled at Washington Dinner

Seventy-five Phi Psis attended the Founders' Day dinner of the Washington Alumni Association, held in the Blue Room of the new City Club on February 18th. It was the most successful Phi Psi meeting held in Washington in many years and marks, it is believed, the beginning of a new era in the history of what was once one of the largest and most active alumni organizations of the Fraternity.

Col. Edward Little, member of Congress from Kansas, lieutenant colonel of the famous Twentieth Kansas volunteers, former consul general to Cairo, chairman of the committee which revised the constitution of the Fraterntiy and provided the new form of government at the famous Indianapolis G. A. C. in the eighties, and who was one of the earliest editors of THE SHIBLD, presided. The speaking program was most interesting. Senator James E. Watson, of Indiana, delivered one of his characteristically eloquent Phi Psi speeches. Former Senator George R. Chamberlain paid high tribute to the Fraternity in a forceful address. Short speeches were made by President H. L. Hodgkins, of George Washington University, and Prof. John Paul Ernst of the law school of the same institution. The program was concluded with an address by Dr. Ernest M. Stires, rector of St. Thomas Church, New York, and prominent in the Fraternity since his college days, which stirred every Phi Psi present to the depths with its strong appeal for the Fraternity as an influence in public as well as private affairs.

Attention was called by George B. Lockwood, former editor of THE SHIELD, to the fact that in honor of the fiftieth anniversary of the founding of the Fraternity, the Washington Alumni Association planted a memorial tree at Mount Vernon 20 years ago, on March 19, 1902. Brother Lockwood secured permission to plant this tree from the board of regents of the Women's Mount Vernon Association, and the tree itself, an American elm, was secured from the U.S. Agricultural Department. It was the first tree planted by a college fraternity on the Mount Vernon estate. The tree has grown rapidly, and is now one of the most beautiful on the grounds. It is situated near the pathway which leads from the steamboat landing to the tomb of Washington. It may be located by any Phi Psi interesed on the plat in the office of the superintendent of the grounds; the custodian of the tomb of Washington has pointed out the wrong tree to a number of visitors.

The tree was planted by a party of Washington Phi Psis headed by Dr. W. C. Alexander, then Vice President of the Fraternity, who delivered a brief address. On the evening of March 19, 1902, a semicentennial dinner was given at the New Willard Hotel. Among the speakers were Senators James E. Watson and Joseph B. Foraker, Representatives Arthur L. Bates and James W. Needham, W. L. McCorkle, Col. E. B. Hay and Dr. Frederick D. Power. The following letter was read from Judge C. P. T. Moore, one of the two founders of the Fraternity—the last letter written by him for a Phi Psi occasion; it referred to the planting of the memorial elm earlier in the day:

Elwell, W. Va., March 18, 1902 To the Washington Alumni of Phi Kappa Psi:

Fifty years ago a departed colleague and I planted a tree.

It was small, but injected with the sap of life, and with roots so strong that slowly but surely it grew upward and inward, with branches so far extending that lo, it stands today, a mighty monarch of the forest, giving joy in the morning, shelter at noon, and comfort at the sunset of life, ever teaching us to look out, not in, look up, not down, for heaven smiles above us.

That tree is Phi Kappa Psi, and, my boys, the tree you have planted today is a most fitting symbol of this stalwart oak.

When another fifty years have rolled away, and the centennial jubilee is at hand, though I will have crossed the bar to the land that is fairer than this, I will unite with my comrade brother, and be with you in spirit, and I pray that the little twig you have planted will shelter not only the heads of ten thousand Phi Psis, but many times that number.

With best wishes for all the boys, I am your father in Phi Kappa Psi, forever and ever.

C. P. T. MOORE.

# New York A. A. Has Record Crowd

What is believed to be the largest Founders' Day banquet ever held, was given by the New York Alumni Association on February 18th. Two hundred seventy-three members of the Fraternity, representing 45 chapters, crowded the ballroom of the Hotel McAlpin in what, according to the members of the Old Guard present, was one of the most enthusiastic and inspiring Phi Psi banquets in their experience.

The New York A. A., under the leadership of Cecil Page, Ill. Beta '96, is establishing itself upon a new basis and entirely reorganizing its records and systems, and the banquet was its first attempt at a real Phi Psi gathering.

George W. W. Porter, Pa. Theta '81, presided and the principal speakers were Elbridge R. Anderson, Ill. Beta '84, of Boston, and Joseph H. Appel, Pa. Eta, of New York. An unusual feature was that the entertainment throughout was practically entirely provided by members of the Fraternity. The Amherst jazz band, a Columbia quartet and a Van and Schenck stunt by C. Alan Eckels, Pa. Beta, and a partner with the addition of a pianist who filled in at odd moments, provided excellent entertainment. Brother Anderson spoke upon the founders of the Fraternity and disclosed a great deal of interesting Phi Psi history.

The Old Guard was especially in evidence and occupied several tables in the center of the hall. Among them were Robert Louis Harrison, Va. Beta '67, Edward Van Cleve, Ohio Alpha '82, Walter McCorkle, Va. Beta '80, W. C. Wilson, Pa. Beta '80, Charles M. Wales, Wis. Alpha '85, James F. Case, Wis. Alpha '90, Burch Foraker, N. Y. Alpha '95, Louis E. Tieste, Pa. Beta '77, John I. Anderson, Ill. Beta '80, George Smart, Ohio Delta '83, Newton Gilbert, Ohio Delta '83. Twenty-four undergraduates were present, including 12 from New York Gamma.

Much of the success of the banquet must be accorded to the whole-hearted support given to the officers by the chapter representatives appointed to the membership committee. Several well-attended meetings were held in Brother Page's office and the enthusiasm and cooperation given by these twenty-five or more representatives had much to do with the large turn-out.

# Founders' Day in New Orleans

Historic old New Orleans, the city of Mardi Gras and Saints' days, added yet another feast day to her imposing list when on February 19th, four Phi Psis gathered from the four corners of the country and celebrated Founders' Day. The banquet was held in old French town at Galatoire's, famous for its old Creole cuisine. Toward the close of the evening, the old gravy bowl was utilized for the cup that cheers, the toasts and "bons mots" given proving the excellence of the potions.

The brothers in attendance were "Jim" Carter, Tenn. Delta '15, Al. Seitz, Ohio Beta '16, Ed. Hirschfeld, Texas Alpha '19, and "Dubbs" Dubus, Tenn. Delta '21.

# Lockwood Succeeds Miller

George B. Lockwood, Ind. Alpha '94, editor of THE SHIELD from 1899 to 1909, has been chosen secretary of the Republican national committee to succeed the late Clarence B. Miller, Minn. Beta '91. Brother Lockwood is editor of the National Republican, published in Washington, D. C., and for some time has had supervision of the publicity work of the Republican national committee. He will retain editorial supervision of the National Republican, and his headquarters will be in Washington.

In his statement announcing the appointment of Brother Lockwood, Chairman Adams of the national committee declared that this action had been taken following consultation with President Harding, Attorney General Daugherty and other party leaders.

Brother Lockwood has long been active in publicity and organization work for the Republican party in Indiana and also in national campaigns. He was born in Forest, Ill., in 1872. He was graduated from DePauw University in 1894. At the age of 21 he founded the Terre Haute Evening Tribune and has successfully conducted a number of other newspapers in Indiana. He still publishes the Muncie Evening Press.

From 1896 to 1902 he was secretary to Congressman George W. Steele, also acting as a Washington correspondent of the American Press Association. For six years he was superintendent of the press bureau of the Republican state committee of Indiana. He was secretary to Vice President Fairbanks during the last two years of his term and was one of his close friends. He was secretary to Col. W. T. Durbin while governor of Indiana, and for two years was assistant general manager of the Winona Assembly and schools. He is the author of a book entitled "The New Harmony Movement," which has had a wide sale.

Brother Lockwood has been closely identified with the Fraternity ever since his initiation. While still an undergraduate he was elected Historian of the Fraternity. In 1897-98 he was Archon of the old third district. In 1899 he became editor of THE SHIELD, and served efficiently for ten years. He was the first of five brothers to join Indiana Alpha, and at present has a son, Gordon B., an undergraduate member of New Hampshire Alpha. Brother Lockwood has been a frequent and forceful speaker at fraternity gatherings, and enjoys an unusually wide acquaintance throughout the Fraternity.

# Kansas Alpha Issues Model Directory

The Kansas Alpha Chapter has just published a directory of all its members, which is a model of its kind. It consists of 32 pages and cover, and is conveniently arranged for ready reference. The pamphlet was compiled by George Esterly jr, editor, and August Lauterbach jr, assistant editor. An interesting feature is an account of the founding and early history of the chapter by the Rev. Dr. Valorous F. Brown, one of the charter members.

The first section contains a list of all the members arranged by classes, beginning with the first initiates in 1876 and including those who became members in 1922. There is given brief biographical information concerning each member, including his present position or profession, address, degrees, and important civil and military honors. Those members who are deceased are also indicated, with the dates of death when known. This is followed by a geographical list and by an alphabetic list, and also a tabulation showing those members who have had brothers and sons in the chapter. The membership is now scattered in thirty-two states and in the Philippines, Canada, Mexico and Ecuador. Eight members have had sons in the chapter, and forty-one families are represented by brothers. In the latter classification the Ainsworth family leads, with four brothers, Alfred '20, David '18, Samuel '04 and William '12,

The record of Kansas Alpha thus presented calls attention to the large number of members of the chapter who have achieved prominence. In the list appear the names of men who have become well known in many walks of life. It includes a governor, foreign minister, congressman, college president, deans and trustees, bank presidents, railroad officials, authors, editors, actors, surgeons, lawyers, clergymen, members of various state legislatures, and army and navy officers.

A picture of the present chapter house at 1100 Indiana avenue is used as a frontispiece.

# Senator Kenyon Resigns

Hon. William S. Kenyon, Iowa Apha '86, United States Senator from Iowa, resigned from the Senate in February in order to accept appointment as United States circuit judge of the eighth district. His nomination by the President was immediately confirmed by the Senate, and he has already assumed his duties on the bench.

Senator Kenyon was born in Elyria, Ohio, June 10, 1869. He was educated at Grinnell College and the University of Iowa Law School. He was prosecuting attorney of Webster county, Iowa, for five years, judge of the 11th judicial district for two years, and assistant to the Attorney General of the United States 1910-11. He was first elected to the Senate in 1911 to fill an unexpired term, and was reelected in 1913 and in 1919. He served on many important committees, and just before resigning was chairman of the committee to investigate conditions in the West Virginia coal fields. He was acknowledged as the leader of the so-called "agricultural bloc" in Congress. His home is in Fort Dodge, Iowa.

## General Keifer Wants You!

"We bespeak a hearty welcome to Spring field and extend the right hand of good fellowship to all Phi Psis during the week of June 21st."— General J. Warren Keifer, Ohio Beta '68.

# Club Formed by Erie Phi Psis

Twelve members of the Fraternity living in Erie, Pa., and vicinity gathered at the University Club in Erie on November 22d at a dinner. The purpose of the meeting was to discuss the possibilities of organizing an alumni association. Owing to the small number of members, it was decided to consider the organization as a club until such time as membership would warrant an alumni association.

Among the members present were: A. A. Culbertson, Harry G. Riblet, L. F. Van Orsdale, Hugh M. Nelson, T. J. Gelbart, Charles M. Hatch, J. Orin Wait and Enoch C. Filer, Pa. Beta; Harold L. Andrews and Walter E. Anderson, Ohio Epsilon; E. H. Lamberton, Pa. Theta; J. B. Cessna, Pa. Eta. The organization takes great pride in having as one of its members "Judge" Cessna, and feels that he is the eldest living Phi Psi. He was initiated in November 1861, and has been a Phi Psi for 60 years. The judge is hale and hearty, and practising law every day in Erie.

It was decided at the dinner that the members should hold luncheons the first and third Tuesday of every month at the Boston Store. The luncheons have been very successful, a representative number of the members having been present on each occasion.

J. Orin Wait was elected president of the club and Enoch C. Filer secretary.

## Iowa State Banquet

The second annual banquet of the Iowa Phi Psi Association was held February 18th at the Hotel Savery in Des Moines. Harry M. Reed of Waterloo presided over a gathering of 60 Phi Psis who had assembled from all parts of the state. Of this number about half were alumni and half undergraduates from Iowa Alpha and Iowa Beta. The latter chapter reported 100 per cent attendance, including pledges, which aided materially in the success of the banquet.

### Iowa State Banqnet

Between courses all joined in on the old Phi Psi songs with Sid Boggs of Iowa Alpha officiating at the piano. A program of talks and reminiscences was thoroughly enjoyed. Vice President Letterman, who was to be the main speaker of the evening, was forced to remain at home through illness in the family, and Professor Stewart of the State University of Iowa failed to come for the same reason. Brother Stewart, however, had prepared his thoughts on the occasion in advance and his speech was given *in absentia*. A very worthwhile informal program was carried through with the following brothers doing their bit: Frank S. Dunshee, Wis. Gamma; C. A. Rockwood, Mo. Alpha; Ted Garfield, Iowa Alpha; "Polly" Wallace, Iowa Beta; "Hick" Ricketts, Iowa Beta; Leo Cohrt, Iowa Alpha; and Judge E. M. McCall, Iowa Alpha.

Following the program a short business session was held during which it was decided to hold the banquet in Des Moines next year at the same time. Frank S. Dunshee was elected president of the association and Newman Door was reelected secretary-treasurer.

The evening was concluded by the initiation of W. T. Harman into the mysteries of the Fraternity, the ceremony being conducted by the officers of the Iowa Beta Chapter. The gathering was larger than last year and next year will see even a greater and more successful meeting. The time is coming when Founders' Day will be *the* big date on the calender for Iowa Phi Psis.

## The President Will Welcome You

"Wittenberg College and Ohio Beta esteem it a favor to be welcoming the next G. A. C. of the Fraternity. We shall try to entertain you in true Phi Psi style."— Dr. Rees Edgar Tulloss, Ohio Beta '01, President Wittenberg College.

"Why look forward to cheaper railroad rates; borrow the money and come anyway. What we will offer you in the way of enjoyment will make you smile at the payee upon your return home!"— Judge Frank W. Geiger, Ohio Beta '87

## **Pilgrimage to Mount Vernon**

Washington alumni will make a pilgrimage to Mount Vernon, the home and tomb of Washington, leaving the city of Washington by boat at 2 o'clock Saturday, April 15th, returning late in the afternoon. Exercises will be held at the semicentennial memorial tree planted at Mount Vernon by the Washington alumni 20 years age, as recorded elsewhere in THE SHIELD of this issue. Ladies will accompany the party. A general invitation is extended to Phi Psis everywhere to come to Washington and take this interesting trip. It might be well for those who expect to come to notify George B. Lockwood, 425 10th st. N. W., Washington.

# Meet General Keifer at the G. A. C.

J. Warren Keifer was born in Clark county, Ohio, on January 30, 1836, and will have attained the age of 86 at the time of the G. A. C. to be held in Springfield. Having been admitted to the bar in 1858, he has been a lawyer ever since, practising continously in Springfield, Ohio.

At the outbreak of the Civil War he enlisted as a private in 1861; in fact he fought his first field battle July 11, 1861 at Rich Mountain, West Virginia, previous to the Battle of Bull Run. He was under arms continually from the date of his enlistment to June 27, 1865, going from private to major general.

General Keifer participated in twenty-eight general battles, the last being Appomatox, April 6, 1865; he was also present at the surrender of Lee, April 9, 1865. He was wounded four times in battle, only one other general having been wounded as many times. Today General Keifer is one of the three major generals surviving the Civil War.

From 1869 to 1899 he was a member of the Ohio State legislature. For fourteen years he was a member of the lower house of Congress, having been Speaker thereof from 1881 to 1883.

## General Keifer at the G. A. C.

At the outbreak of the Spanish-American War, Brother Keifer was made major general and served as such throughout the war. He and his troops took possession of the city of Havana, Cuba.

For the past forty-six years General Keifer has been President of the Lagonda National Bank at Springfield, Ohio, and has practised law before the courts of Ohio and the Supreme Court of the United States.

Phi Psi should be proud of him and his record. Come to Springfield in June and meet him!

# Notice of Biennial Meeting of the Endowment Fund of the Phi Kappa Psi Fraternity

In accordance with our by-laws notice is hereby given that the regular biennial meeting of the members of the corporation known as the Endowment Fund of the Phi Kappa Psi Fraternity will be held in Springfield, Ohio, Thursday, June 22, 1922, at 2 o'clock at the place used for G. A. C. meetings. At this meeting the annual report of the officers will be made and a trustee will be elected for six years, Brother George Smart's term expiring at that time. Any other business proper for the association may also be brought up at this meeting.

D. G. SWANNELL

Champaign, Ill., January 18, 1922 Secretary-Treasurer

#### And the Banquet!

"As chairman of the speakers' committee for the banquet, June 23d, the word "snappy" alone will express the manner in which the committee will conduct this affair. Come prepared for a surprise—watch the billboards!"— Hon. Chase Stewart, Ohio Alpha '78



LLOYD L. CHENEY, Editor

Albany, N. Y.

## The Grand Arch Council

Our Fraternity meets in national convention only once every two years. To those who have acquired the habit of attending these gatherings, and have become acquainted with the keen pleasure and profit derived from such attendance, the interval between meetings seems long. It is all the more important that all members who can possibly do so should attend the conventions when they do occur. The next Grand Arch Council is scheduled to meet in Springfield, Ohio, June 21-24 of this year.

There will, of course, be much important business to be done. Perhaps the foremost, and certainly the one arousing the most interest, will be action upon several petitions for charters that will be presented at that time. There is no doubt but that the Fraternity is fortunate in having several unusually strong local societies knocking at her door for admission; some of these will return next June after several years of waiting. The officers of the Fraternity have. during the past two years, made a greater effort than ever before to make our chapters and alumni familiar with the merits of the various petitioning groups, and it should be possible to act on these matters in June with more real knowledge than in years past. Other matters of scarcely less importance effecting the growth and development of the Fraternity will demand the attention of the convention. Among these will doubtless be the condition of our present chapters and alumni associations, the endowment fund, pub-

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lications, chapter houses, scholarship, closer relations between the alumni and the general Fraternity, interfraternity relations, etc. It is important that the G. A. C. have the counsel of our alumni as well as of the undergraduates.

But aside from the business demands, the G. A. C. this year, as in other years, will offer much of pleasure for all who attend. The convention will be held in a medium sized city where members of the Fraternity are unusually prominent. In addition, an active chapter is located in Springfield. All the local members are uniting, under the leadership of able men, to make the 1922 convention a memorable one; they are bound to succeed. There will be entertainment for all spare moments.

Plan now to attend the Springfield G. A. C. It will be two years before another comes.

# **Chapter House Activites**

The Fraternity has been very fortunate during the past two years in the number of new chapter houses acquired; and the good work is not yet at an end. Last fall Colorado Alpha acquired a wonderful piece of property; Pennsylvania Kappa has recently built a new lodge of commanding importance: Massachusetts Alpha has just occupied its beautiful new home, second to none on a college campus known for its elegant chapter houses. Indiana Alpha has broken ground for a new home at De Pauw: New York Beta will shortly start work on a much needed home to replace one already owned: Illinois Beta has a fund well under way for the construction of the finest chapter house at Chicago: and Wisconsin Alpha will have a new home under construction soon. Other chapters also have plans for new or rebuilt homes. The entire situation is a cause for just pride throughout the Fraternity. We are not very far away from a realization of the hope, long little more than a dream, that every chapter may be in a home of its own.

This situation suggests the practicability of insisting that every petitioner for a charter should first show title to a substantial chapter house owned by the organization. Why not? Experience has shown that it is much more easily acquired before a charter is granted than during the years immediately following. We do not believe this would be an unreasonable requirement.

# G. A. C. Delegates

Chapters and alumni associations will soon be choosing their representatives to the coming G. A. C. The importance of carefully selecting such delegates can not be overemphasized. This is especially true of the chapters. The undergraduates should realize that the reputation of their chapter, not only at the time of the convention but also for the ensuing two or more years, may be greatly influenced by the character and ability of its delegates. We have known in more than one instance of chapters that have been greatly misjudged simply because their delegates at a G. A. C. have been below the caliber of the chapter they were sent to represent, but which they were unable to do creditably. Those undergraduates who may not be privileged to attend the forthcoming convention can not afford to send as their representatives any but their best members. The mere fact that a member resides in Ohio and can conveniently make the trip should not, in itself, qualify a brother for the honor. Let the chapters make no mistake about the very great importance of this matter.

"Are you a lover of the ancient game of golf? Then say whether a little tournament would be to your liking in June over our new eighteen-hole course?"— Hon. A. N. Summers, Ohio Beta '75



William McAndrew, Ill. Beta '10, is now living at Carbondale, Ill.

Robert M. Fisher, Mass. Alpha '13, is practising law in Indiana, Pa.

C. H. Yoder, Pa. Kappa '16, is living at 55 Hanson pl., Brooklyn, N. Y.

Paul A. Parker, N. Y. Gamma, is with the Parker Laundry Co., Rock Island, Ill.

A. L. Stauft, Mass. Alpha '17, is with the Bourne-Fuller Coke Co. of Uniontown, Pa.

Charles Lahr, N. Y. Alpha '11, is at Saranac Lake, N. Y., in an effort to regain his health.

Willis B. Conner jr., Ind. Alpha '17, is living at 2135 N. New Jersey st., Indianapolis, Ind.

William K. Runyon, Pa. Theta '93, is representative of Wessel, Duval & Co. at Lima, Peru.

Henry S. Enoch, Ill. Beta '13, is with the Cudahy Packing Co., 111 W. Monroe st., Chicago.

L. P. Atkins, R. I. Alpha'17, is with the Connecticut Mutual Life Insurance Co. at Albany, N. Y.

Walter L. Pate, N. Y. Alpha '89, is associated with the law firm of Camp & Pate, 2 Wall st., New York.

Edward E. Miller, Pa. Beta '89, is the senior member of the law firm of Miller & Yonkee, Youngstown, Ohio.

John A. Rockwood, Mass. Alpha '95, is valuation engineer for the Portland (Ore.) Railway Light and Power Co.

M. D. Womer, N. Y. Beta '17, is in the mechanical department of the Standard Oil Co. at Plattsburg, N. Y.

George F. Phillips, W. Va. Alpha '10, is sales manager for the Lawrenceburg Roller Mills Co., Lawrenceburg, Ind.

Carl F. Gesell, Wis. Alpha '09, is with the Northwestern Mutual Life Insurance Co. at 1 Madison av., New York.

John D. Gold, Pa. Lambda '14, has accepted a position as metallurgist with the Weirton Steel Co., Weirton, W. Va.

James R. Mood, Md. Alpha '01, has nearly completed the two-year course at the Georgetown University School of Foreign Service. William J. Knox, N. Y. Gamma '12, was recently married to Miss Ruth Jacobsen of Hamburg, N. Y. They reside at 153 Folger st., Buffalo.

Charles L. Bauer, Ohio Beta '87, of Springfield, Ohio, has been elected president of the Young Men's Christian Association of the state of Ohio.

William H. Buck, Pa. Lambda '12, was married February 1st to Mrs. Marjorie Duke Golden of Buffalo, N. Y. They are living at 91 Fordham drive, Buffalo.

Stockton Gaines, W. Va. Alpha '20, now attending Princeton, is a regular on the Tiger basketball team this year. He is a member of the Quadrangle Club there.

John L. Porter, Pa. Beta '86, is the author of an article entitled "Introducing Art into the Public School Buildings," which appeared in the March number of the American School Board Journal.

Alfred F. Westphal, Mass. Alpha '01, has left the Buick Motor Car Co. to become physical director of the Michigan School of Mines, Houghton, Mich., and secretary of a hardwood lumber company.

A daughter, Crissy Jane, was born January 6, 1922 to Bro. and Mrs. George W. Simons, Wis. Gamma '09, at Jacksonville, Fla. Brother Simons is chief sanitary engineer to the Florida board of health.

Edmund Brown jr, Mass. Alpha '08, has resigned his position as examiner with the Federal Trade Commission, Washington, to become professor of business administration and head of the School of Business Administration at the University of Richmond.

A quartet of Phi Psis are studying at the American University, Washington, D. C., this year. Forrest D. Stout, Kan. Alpha '19, and Briggs G. Simpich, Wash. Alpha '14, are in the graduate school of business administration, and R. E. Acron, Pa. Theta '14, and Milton Conover, Pa. Zeta '12, are in the graduate school of diplomacy and jurisprudence. Brother Stout is assistant to the dean.

J. Claude Latham, N. Y. Beta '99, who has been owner of the Canisteo, N. Y., Times for the past 22 years, is president of the Canisteo Savings and Loan Association. He is director of the First State Bank of Canisteo and is financially interested in the Up- to-Date Advertising Co., the Canisteo Roller Mills, and the New York & Pennsylvania Railway Co. He has not missed a copy of THE SHIELD since he was a freshman at Syracuse.

#### Phi Kappa Psi Notes

Arthur W. Towne, Mass. Alpha '97, has resigned his position as superintendent of the Brooklyn Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Children to take up a new line of public welfare work. He has been appointed by the Commonwealth Fund as director of the newly created joint committee for the study of child welfare problems and the prevention of delinquency throughout the United States. About \$165,000 has been appropriated for the first year's work. Brother Towne's headquarters will be in New York City.

A letter from Dr. Edwin St. J. Ward, Mass. Alpha '96, professor of surgery at the American University, Beirut, Syria, states that the university is carrying on under the most difficult conditions at present. He is planning to spend the summer in postgraduate work in Europe. His brother Mark, Mass. Alpha '02, he writes, "is still buried in the heart of Anatolia at Harpoot." Mark's twin brother, "Bill," also Mass. Alpha '02, recently underwent a serious operation in Calcutta. He has obtained a furlough and plans to come home in June.

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#### Springfield, Mass., Alumni Association

The Founders' Day dinner of the Springfield A. A. was held jointly with the Amherst chapter at the Nayassett Club, February 18th. A resume of the business of the year just past was read by Brother Litchard, the report showing the steps which have been taken to put the association on a better organized basis. Dr. Snow submitted the new constitution and by-laws for the association, which were adopted without change.

Reporting for the Amherst house fund, Brother Cross stated that half of the \$500 quota had been pledged to date, and that he was willing to receive the other half at any time. Brother Litchard reported completion of an up-to-date mailing list.

In a brief talk, Brother Merriam very forcibly indorsed extension in general and in the University of Maine in particular. He quoted extracts from a speech of Brother McCorkle which showed that our Fraternity has grown only one-half of one per cent in over 40 years.

The following officers were elected: president, E. A. Merriam; vice president, Snow; treasurer, Wallace E. Dibble; secretary, C. K. Litchard. Brothers Chase, Cross, Dibble, Litchard, Merriam, Thompson and Trout were chosen members of the governing committee.

The officers elected and the business despatched, our ever dependable toastmaster, Brother Trout, took charge and introduced the speaker of the evening, Raymond McFarland, a charter member of Massachusetts Alpha. Brother McFarland gave a splendid talk on the early days of his chapter and what the Fraternity had meant to him. Brother Spafford of the Amherst chapter told how alumni gatherings brought home to him the fact that Phi Psi affiliations do not end at commencement, but continue and grow throughout a man's whole life. A plea for better organization, closer relationship and more mutual support of the chapters and alumni associations of the first district was made by Jess Bell, also of the Amherst chapter.

Springfield, Mass.

March 20, 1920

C. K. LITCHARD Correspondent

#### New York Alumni Association

Elsewhere in THE SHIELD will be found an account of the highly successful Founders' Day banquet commemorating the 70th anniversary of the founding of the Fraternity.

Considerable work has been done by the officers of the association during the past few months in reorganizing and completing the records and address lists. By the questionnaire system we have increased our list of correct addresses from 300 to nearly 900 names and we expect in a short time to have all the 1200 or 1500 Phi Psis whom we believe to be in the metropolitan district. Standard files and addressograph lists are being compiled and within a short time we expect to have a set of very comprehensive records.

## Alumni Correspondence

We are planning to hold several affairs during the spring and summer which we hope to make as successful in their way as the Founders' Day banquet.

Our officers solicit the support and cooperation of all chapters and members of the Fraternity, and will be glad to receive any information of members of the Fraternity residing in New York or vicinity, who may not be on our list, changes of address, items of interest, etc.

The officers of the association are: Cecil Page, president, 120 Broad-way; George H. Sheldon, vice president, 489 Fifth av.; Harry S. Gor-gas, secretary, 562 Fifth av.; H. L. Roberts, treasurer, 562 Fifth av. New York, N. Y. March 8, 1922 Correspondent

#### Rhode Island Alumni Association

The Rhode Island A. A. began a new year in its history with the an-nual meeting in February. So successful has been the administration of the officers of the past year, the association had no desire to change The officers for the ensuing twelve months are: J.  $\bar{N}$ . the personnel. Alexander, president; A. B. Comstock, vice president; J. B. T. Coop, treasurer; and M. L. Edinger, secretary.

Discussion of plans for the initiation banquet with the chapter resulted in a decision to hold a joint celebration in March not only in honor of Founders' Day with the customary dinner to the pledged men, but also as a celebration in commemoration of the twentieth anniversary of the installation of Rhode Island Alpha Chapter. The date was set for March 4th and at the duly appointed hour approximately 70 brothers sat down at the Turks Head Club in Providence for an evening of Phi Joseph W. Ince, a charter member of Rhode Island Alpha, Kappa Psi. acted as symposiarch and called upon R. L. Ryder, Pa. Kappa '02, A. B. Comstock, R. I. Alpha '06, W. H. Shupert, R. I. Alpha '17, and C. C. Myers, R. I. Alpha '22, to respond to toasts. Brothers Anderson and Baker of Boston spoke feelingly to the initiates, W. M. Fay respond-ed for the Harvard Club and delegates from every chapter in the district presented congratulations from their chapters to the Brown chapter and the incoming delegation of eleven men.

We are particularly pleased to have with us again C. H. Parker, R. I. Alpha '08, who has been for some years in Everett, Wash., with the Puget Sound Telephone Co. He is now located in Providence in the employ of the United Electric Railways Co. in the line and signal department.

News has come to us that "Russ" Haire, R. I. Alpha '11, has been admitted to the Rhode Island bar and intends to pursue the windings of the law in his home town of Newport.

Providence, R. I. March 6, 1922

M. L. Edinger

Correspondent

#### Pittsburgh Alumni Association

The Pittsburgh A. A. celebrated Founders' Day by a banquet at the University Club on February 17th. At the start of the banquet Frank Glover was named as toastmaster and after being introduced by our president, called our attention to what proved to be a program at each As we examined them all that could be made out by most of us place.

was  $\Phi K \psi$ . Then the toastmaster called upon Jack Roberts to stand, and they carried on a lengthy conversation in the Greek language. Of course we barbarians knew little of what was spoken until it was translated by Frank Glover, who informed us that he was merely asking Jack what we had had for the second course.

Then came Bob Crawford with two new songs which he had just composed and which he is going to sing at the G. A. C. One of them is to a marching time and before many strains had been played, the entire attendance were engaged in an old-time snake dance around and among the tables. There were many good talks and stories which made the evening one long to be remembered by all.

Our new president, Edward N. Dashiell, promises to be on the job and even though a Greek student of renown, he like so many of us had to admit that some things he enjoyed that evening will always be an unsolved problem to him.

Pittsburgh, Pa.

March 1, 1922

MILES H. JONES Correspondent

## Southern California Alumni Association

Our official register shows 128 names of Phi Psis who were in attendance at the Founders' Day banquet held in the ball room of the Hotel Alexandria on February 18th. This "flu" epidemic kept nearly 30 brothers from attending. And they missed a real Southern California Founders' Day. The entertainment was varied and well received even to Jinmy O'Brien's unannounced accompaniment to the quartet selections.

The policy of "no speeches," which has been adhered to for the past two Founders' Day banquets, was excusably broken to admit talks from John A. Rush, Kan. Alpha, and one of the moving spirits of the Denver A. A., who told us about the Rocky Mountain Phi Psis and the acquisition of the fine new home for Colorado Alpha, and a message brought by our honored guest and national President Dan G. Swannell, who is on a visitation to the chapters and petitioning bodies in the western states. We could not help but feel how fortunate the Fraternity is in having at the helm one who will take the time and give the honest effort that Brother Swannell has.

In again nominating Shirley E. Meserve, Cal. Gamma, as president of the association, Hewlings Mumper moved that the office of the "Czar" be immortalized. As usual, the subjects acquiesced by voting unanimously. Other officers elected were Lovell Swisher jr, Iowa Alpha, vice president; Ray J. Folks, Kan. Alpha, secretary; and Texas E. Schramm, Texas Alpha, treasurer.

We hope you have seen a copy of the *Southern California Bazoo*, for we are just a little proud of this issue of that spasmodic publication. The editorial staff and committees appointed by Brother Meserve took the assignment seriously and put forth some earnest work which showed in the result. The bulk of the work again fell to Shirley Meserve, but like Dan Swannell, he seems to thrive on these Phi Psi tasks.

For some weeks we have had two of the boys from Zeta Kappa Epsilon, the petitioning local from the University of Southern California, with us for Friday luncheon, while four members were with us for our Founders' Day banquet. In this way we are becoming better acquainted with the individual members and are more able to judge their personnel.

Los Angeles, Cal. March 7, 1922 RAY J. FOLKS Correspondent

#### Alumni Correspondence

#### Kansas City Alumni Association

This letter, written shortly after our very successful Founders' Day banquet, leaves the writer still imbued with the spirit of that occasion and with thoughts only toward old Phi Psi. Our banquet was held at the University Club on February 18th with a total attendance of 125 of whom 25 were undergraduate members of the chapters at Kansas and We were also graced with the presence of a considerable Missouri. number of brothers from the surrounding cities such as Leavenworth, Liberty, Paola, Topeka and Lawrence. The entire assemblage was particularly pleased with the program, the speakers being E. C. Jacques, toastmaster, Fred V. Loos, Judge E. E. Porterfield and George A. Neff. All who heard Dr. Loos will unite with me in saying that it was positively the best we have ever heard at a Phi Psi gathering. Owing to the effort of George Bowles we were entertained by the Deep River jazz orchestra, the finest of the South, and the pep which this music put into the gathering was one of the features of the banquet. Larry Winn, chairman of the entertainment committee, and also secretary of the Kansas City police board, furnished some very good entertainment, the main points of which he probably gathered from his experience while in the police department.

The business meeting following the banquet was opened by President Royal Fillmore and the following officers were elected: James Ray Blacker, president; Charles H. Griesa, treasurer; and E. F. Schooley, secretary. Brother Griesa was reelected on account of his excellent work during the preceding year.

Our luncheons every Monday at the University Club have been very successful during the year past, and the attendance has been very pleasing. We feel that the Kansas City A. A. ranks right near the top with regard to attendance, which, although no accurate count has been made seems to run about 18 a week, and often as high as 25, with a low limit of about 14. For this reason we wish to put our hat in the ring with the Detroit A. A., which boasts of an attempt to beat the present record of the Pittsburgh A. A.

Being centrally located in the United States we find that a large number of brothers traveling both from the East and from the West pass through Kansas City, and for this reason we extend an invitation to all who contemplate trips of this nature. Buy your tickets via Kansas City. Our weekly luncheons are held at the University Club, Mondays at 12.15 p. m.

Under the leadership of Brother Blacker, who has been instrumental in securing the new Phi Psi house at Lawrence, we should be able to strengthen our organization in Kansas City materially during the coming year, and we hope to be able to come in closer contact with all the 350 brothers who live in and near Kansas City.

Kansas City, Mo. March 8, 1922 E. F. SCHOOLEY Correspondent

#### Jacksonville Alumni Club

The annual Founders' Day anniversary was fittingly observed by the Jacksonville Alumni Club with a dinner at the Hotel Mason on February 18th. Unquestionably it was one of the best, most spirited meetings the Florida brothers have ever experienced. The total attendance was small as compared with similar dinners held elsewhere in the country at this time, but it is very doubtful if any group could show more of a genuine fraternal spirit and express a greater, deeper love for Phi Kappa Psi. This year it was endeavored to make the annual dinner of more than local importance; invitations and press notices were sent throughout the state and to brothers whose addresses were known. As a result several new brothers were located.

Those in attendance were: Judge George Couper Gibbs, J. J. G. Cooper and J. M. Sommers, Pa. Beta; A. G. Cummer, Mich. Alpha; W. A. Miller, N. Y. Alpha; Ralph Murphy, Neb. Alpha; A. V. Snell and J. M. Davidson, Ill. Beta; George W. Simons jr, Wis. Gamma; and S. K. Guernsey, Pa. Iota. Brother Guernsey resides at Orlando and journeyed to Jacksonville especially to meet with the local brothers.

Following the dinner the brothers engaged in a round-table discussion of plans for future association development. Sentiment freely expressed seemed to favor the early organization of a southeastern alumni organization of Phi Psis, also the formation of a Florida State Association, to meet annually at some Florida point easily accessible to brothers located in remote sections of the state.

The brothers voted to institute an investigation of schools in the southeast with an idea of locating Phi Psi timber. Isolated in this section of a growing, progressive country without a chapter nearer than six or eight hundred miles makes it difficult to keep in active touch with the Fraternity and the time is rapidly approaching when the southeast should receive consideration.

The club voted to continue its monthly luncheons, but changed the time and place of meeting to the third Thursday of each month in the dining room of the Chamber of Commerce.

Officers for the year 1922 as elected are Judge G. C. Gibbs, president, G. W. Simons jr, secretary, and Snell, Murphy and Davidson as members of the executive committee.

The Jacksonville brothers were glad to welcome W. A. Miller of Brooklyn, N. Y., who chanced to be passing through Jacksonville on the 18th and seeing our notice in the local press remained with us.

It is earnestly desired that all Phi Psis located permanently or temporarily in Florida for business or pleasure, get in touch with members of the local association as they pass through Jacksonville. A. W. Snell as manager of the Jacksonville Commerce is centrally located, and is in a position to welcome each and every one of you. He can also give you information and advice as to the wonderful possibilities of Jacksonville and Florida.

GEORGE W. SIMONS JR Correspondent

## Tulsa Alumni Association

The Tulsa A. A. has moved again. We are back in our old quarters at the Coffee Cup Inn, in the Elks Club Building, at 3d and Boulder streets. There each Friday noon the brothers gather round a table in a private room, and have a big time. We have mighty few visitors, and bewail the fact. Any Phi Psi who happens in on one of the luncheons will find a warm welcome.

February 18th we held our annual meeting and Founders' Day banquet. Fifteen brothers toasted the 70th birthday of our Fraternity with sparkling old water, ate turkey, and had a good time. We took advantage of the absence of one of our most esteemed members, and elected Milton Neely, Ind. Alpha and Delta, president for the coming year. Howard N. Cole, Pa. Beta, was elected vice president, Robert Gordon, Okla. Alpha, secretary, and Earl Deputy, Ohio Alpha, treasurer. The latter two were reelected unanimously because of their faith-

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ful (?) service during the year just past. A. A. Small, Ind. Alpha, gave the main speech of the evening. Short, very short, talks were made by our two newly-weds, Earl Deputy and Frank Pettus, Col. Alpha, by request.

Loyal brothers who signed the "book" were Albert A. Small, Frank Pettus, Robert Gordon, Walter E. Kelley, T. R. Buell, R. L. Lowe, Donald Witten, L. M. Lamberton, Edward C. Hansen, J. Bennett Por-ter, W. F. Palmer, F. D. Graf, Henry Langspecht, Grey Moore, and Earl Deputy.

During the last few months several of our members have moved away. R. Z. McGowan, Pa. Epsilon, is now with the Humphreys Mexia Com-pany at Mexia, Texas. Stanley Catlett, Okla. Alpha, is with Pierce & McClelland, attorneys, at Oklahoma City. Martin Hansen, Ill. Delta, has returned to Chicago, and is at work (?) in a bank there.

Don't forget the time and place for our weekly luncheon - Coffee Cup Inn, 3d and Boulder streets. Drop in and see us.

Tulsa, Okla. February 23, 1922 ROBERT GORDON

Correspondent

## San Francisco Alumni Association

President Swannell's visit to the Pacific coast and San Francisco will always be memorable to the 40 alumni who greeted him at our regular luncheon on February 24th. Politics never placed Brother Swannell at the head of our Fraternity. As a man of high ideals and striking personality, working hard to lift the standard of the Phi Psi manhood to a higher plane, he won our hearts. He left with us a great deal of food for thought, especially calling attention to the fact that, as an alumnus becomes more worldwise, it becomes his duty to actively en-deavor to explain to his younger brothers the satisfaction derived in being known as a "he" man and a good American citizen among his fellow men.

We are also advised that if the policy of "You tickle me and I'll tickle you" in connection with the Fraternity's far west extension, were pursued we could expect to get just about as far as does a wool golf ball, coming in contact with a strong-willed putter's putter. Our extension committee is already at work and here's hoping for a sixth district and an archon. We were delighted to know that Brother Swannell contemplates coming to California unofficially next spring to play. Iust a word of caution: "He who steps through the Golden Gate never turns back.' Either the Northern or Southern California Alumni Association may expect to permanently increase its membership by one. Here's to the long life of our brother as President of Phi Kappa Psi.

Founders' Day was celebrated with a banquet on February 18th at the Bohemian Club (thanks to Hal Allen). While our attendance was curtailed somewhat by the ravages of the flu, we marshalled a force 87 strong. A talk on the history of our Fraternity by Judge J. E. Richards, associate justice, district court of appeals, needs special mention.

It is with sorrow that we mention the demise of our beloved brother

C. C. Cunha, Cal. Gamma, from pneumonia on February 16th. The prestige and standing of the San Francisco A. A. will increase greatly due to the recent arrival of F. D. Lucas, Ind. Alpha, and Charles H. Sum, N. Y. Gamma, both stating it will be no trick at all to collect their dues for the coming year.

San Francisco, Cal. March 4, 1922

C. T. CARR Correspondent

#### Cleveland Alumni Association

The 70th anniversary Founders' Day banquet was held on February 18th in the Statler Hotel by the Cleveland A. A. and the Ohio Epsilon Chapter. There were 121 brothers representing 20 chapters present, all filled with the old Phi Psi pep. Ted Robinson, the famous "Philosopher of Folly" and author, was at the helm of the Phi Psi ship for the evening and introduced the speakers and the events as only he can.

The events of the evening ranged from the joys and frivolities of the songs and music to the deeper and more serious thoughts of the day. We were entertained by professionals of the theatrical world as well as several of our talented brothers, including Warren Whitney, Morse Smith, Ben and Dave Shupe and a group of Pennsylvania Iota brothers.

The eloquence for the evening was furnished by our former National Secretary, Bill Williams. Fred Luff, Cleveland's only ace during the world war, held the brothers' interest with a short recitation on some of his experiences in the air service. Other speakers were J. Milton Dyer and R. A. Wright. Brother Wright was spokesman for the Akron delegation, numbering seven. We were very glad to have them with us.

and K. A. Wight. Brother Wight was spokesman for the Akton detergation, numbering seven. We were very glad to have them with us. The annual meeting of the association was held on February 20th. The following officers were elected for the ensuing year: H. C. Williams, president; Dr. R. P. Bell, vice president; J. C. Alexander, secretary and treasurer. E. S. Davis, L. B. Gregoire, W. W. Criley and the officers were chosen as the governing committee.

Plans are in progress now to keep alive the spirit and interest that was shown in the attendance at our banquet by the arrangement of a program for our weekly meetings. Once a month a prominent citizen of Cleveland will be chosen to address us. At the other weekly meetings one of the brothers will give a short talk.

ings one of the brothers will give a short talk. We have just completed a search to locate all of the Phi Psis in Cleveland and have the names of 220 brothers in the city. Our new slogan is "Meet us in Springfield."

Cleveland, Ohio

February 21, 1922

J. C. ALEXANDER Correspondent

## **Alumni Association Luncheons**

Luncheons are held by the various alumni associations as scheduled below. Visiting brothers are always welcome.

BUFFALO: Thursdays, 12m.; Wilcox Restaurant.

CHICAGO: Tuesdays, 12 m., Marshall Field Grill.

CINCINNATI: First Wednesday of each month, 1 p. m., Automobile Club, Haulin Hotel.

CLEVELAND: Mondays, 12 m., Engineering Society Rooms, Winton Hotel.

DENVER: Saturdays, 12.30 p. m., Grill Room, Denver Dry Goods Co.

DES MOINES: Wednesdays, 12 m., Grant Club.

DETROIT: Thursdays, 12.15 p. m., Room 7, Board of Commerce.

INDIANA, PA.: Last Tuesday of each month, 6 p. m., Hile's.

INDIANAPOLIS: First Friday, 6 p. m., Columbia Club.

JACKSONVILLE FLA.: Third Friday of each month, 1 p. m., Hotel Seminole.

JOHNSTOWN: Second and fourth Tuesdays, 12 m., The Tea Room, 521 Main st.

KANSAS CITY: Mondays, 12.15 p. m., University Club.

KOKOMO, IND.: Second Monday, Frances Hotel.

Los Angeles: Fridays, 12.30 p. m., Apollo Cafe, 421 W. 8th St.

MINNEAPOLIS: Thursdays, 12.30 p. m., Dayton's Tea Rooms.

NEW YORK: Thursdays, 12.30 p.m., Lobby Cafe, Hotel Commodore.

OMAHA: Fridays, 12 m., University Club.

PHILADELPHIA: Thursdays, 12.45 p. m., Grill Room, Arcadia Cafe, Widener Bldg.

PITTSBURGH: Thursdays, 12.15 p. m., 9th floor, McCreery's.

PORTLAND, ORE.: 19th of each month, 12 m., University Club.

PROVIDENCE: Second Monday, 6 p. m., 108 Waterman st.

ST. LOUIS: Fridays, 12.15 p. m., St. Louis Lunchroom, Kinloch Bldg.

SAN FRANCISCO: Fridays, 12.15 p. m., Tait's Cafe.

SEATTLE: Wednesdays, 12.15 p. m., Seattle Hotel Grill.

TOLEDO: Mondays, 12 m., Toledo Womans Club, 427 Superior St

TULSA: Fridays, 12 m., Ed Wood's Cafe, 4th and Boulder sts.

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#### FIRST DISTRICT

#### New Hampshire Alpha — Dartmouth College

At the culmination of a four-day rushing period New Hampshire Alpha pledged the following men on February 7th: from the class of 1923, Ruel S. Smith, Brooklyn, N. Y.; from the class of 1925, Robert P. Bingham, Manchester, N. H.; Eugene M. Callis, Baltimore, Md.; Thomas P. Carpenter, Oak Park, Ill.; Bradbury P. Foss, Harrisburg, Pa.; Wilson E. Gardner, East Orange, N. J.; C. Lane Goss, Dover, N. H.; Richard G. Heydt, Montclair, N. J.; A. C. Clifton Hill jr, Boston, Mass.; William S. Jenkins, Malden, Mass.; Lawrence G. Leavitt, Wollaston, Mass.; Donald A. Lyman, Minneapolis, Minn.; Lawrence C. Marshall, East Orange, N. J.; John M. Palmer, Grand Rapids, Mich.; Richard W. Plummer, Malden, Mass.; and James W. Todd, Akron, Ohio. Todd has recently transferred to Wittenberg University where he has been pledged by Ohio Beta.

Carpenter, Hill, Leavitt and Plummer won their 1925 numerals in football, while Callis was playing regularly in the line until he broke his ankle in a midseason game. Jenkins, Lyman and Plummer played on the freshman hockey sextet, Lyman being captain. Carpenter is vice president of the yearling class and a member of the Christian Association cabinet. Palmer is on the glee club; he and Hill were in the chorus of the Winter Carnival musical show, "Hush." Carpenter, Goss, Heydt, Jenkins, Lyman and Plummer have answered the first call for freshman baseball candidates. Jerman, who transferred from Columbia last fall, is running on the 1925 track team, his specialty being the one-mile event.

In the annual senior society elections Carpenter, Dodd and Taylor were elected to Casque and Gauntlet, and Bunnell was elected to Dragon. Lockwood and Robinson, both of whom took leading roles in the Winter Carnival show, were recently elected to The Dartmouth Players. Lockwood was also taken into The Lambs, the inner organization of The Players.

Stetson has been chosen permanent president of the senior class, while Dodd is a member of the executive committee. In the sophomore elections Swan was elected vice president of his class and Austin was reelected secretary.

In indoor track Smith is doing well in the pole vault, tieing for second place in that event in the intercollegiates in New York March 11th. Stetson is manager of track this year.

Interfraternity basketball has taken on renewed interest at Dartmouth this winter; New Hampshire Alpha's team is running Psi Upsilon a close race for first honors in League A.

The chapter will hold its initiation banquet in Hanover Friday evening, March 24th.

Hanover, N. H. March 13, 1922 W. H. Hilton

Correspondent

#### **Chapter Correspondence**

#### Massachusetts Alpha — Amherst College

On March 1st the alumni and undergraduates of Massachusetts Alpha realized one of their long-cherished hopes for the chapter, for on that day our new chapter house was opened for occupancy. On March 18th the house will be formally opened by a dance. During the spring term we are planning on holding receptions for the faculty and undergraduates of the college and alumni of the chapter.

The swimming team has completed a successful season, losing only two meets out of eight. Myers '18 was a member of the relay team which broke several tank records.

Prospects for winning the interfraternity relay races are very good as we have beaten all opposing teams to date. Our own team is composed of two varsity men.

A long spring tour has been arranged for the musical clubs. This will be the first time in five years that an extended trip has been taken. The clubs will play at Springfield, Mass., Montclair, Summit, and Cranford, N. J., University of Virginia, Sweetbriar, Randolph-Macon College, and Washington, D. C. Cowan and Bailey will make the trip.

Munn and Hill are candidates for the track team. Both are varsity men.

Our house is open for all visiting brothers, and we hope to entertain several during the spring term.

Amherst, Mass.

GORDON MACKAY Correspondent

## Rhode Island Alpha - Brown University

Rhode Island Alpha takes pleasure in announcing the following initiates: Russell De Hart Ames, Franklinville, N. Y.; Charles Haynes Cuddeback, New York, N. Y.; Rene Francis Dunne, Weehawken, N. J.; Evan Lawrence Fellman, Oak Park, Ill.; George Engs Kelley, Hyannis, Mass.; Charles Chauncey Myers, Ardmore, Pa.; Edward Thomas Peterson, Woburn, Mass.; Leslie Baxter Ryder, Yarmouthport, Mass.; and Albert Ormond Saart, Attleboro, Mass.

The initiation banquet was given in conjunction with the Founders' Day banquet, which was the twentieth anniversary of the installation of the Rhode Island Alpha Chapter, and was voted a great success. We had a 100 per cent representation of delegates in the first district.

Quimby left at the close of the first semester, while John Decker has returned. Blocker was graduated at the end of last semester.

"Bob" Spellman, captain of the wrestling team, has not lost a bout this season.

John Spellman has just won the New England amateur championship in the heavyweight class.

Howe has been made junior editor of the *Herald*. Siddell is on the *Brown Jug*.

John Decker, Ryder and Saart are on the baseball squad.

A formal dance in honor of the initiates will be held at the house April 7th.

Providence, R. I. March 15, 1922 R. I. SIDDELL Correspondent

#### New York Alpha — Cornell University

New York Alpha entertained 24 guests at the annual junior week house party, February 8 to ll. The chapter held the opening dance of the winter party at which there were approximately 600 guests during the evening. The Masque gave two performances during the festivities, in which Todd took the leading male part.

With February graduations New York Alpha lost one of her most active members. Voigt, who has been manager of varsity basketball, president of the Cornell Christian Association, Sphinx Head, senior honorary society, member of numerous undergraduate committees, and Cornell representative to the Student Disarmament Conference, and former president of the chapter, received his A. B. and is now leading a life of ease in Florida.

Schreyer has recently been elected to the assistant managership of varsity baseball, and is chairman of the junior smoker committee.

The chapter is compiling an *Alphan* which will be published within two weeks.

Cornell has met and defeated Dartmouth and Harvard in a triangular indoor track meet in Boston, and defeated the Penn State runners at Ithaca by the score of  $73\frac{1}{2}$  to  $30\frac{1}{2}$ .

The crews left the rowing machines and launched their shells on the inlet on March 9th, and will get out onto the lake in about a week when the ice goes out. Baldwin is holding down his old position at No. 2, in the heavy varsity boat, and Volkening is coxswain of the same shell. Stevenson is competing for the managership of crew. The crews will meet Yale and Princeton at Derby, Conn., on May 21st, and the following week will row against Harvard at Ithaca. This meet will be the annual Spring Day race. On June 26th the varsity, junior varsity and freshman eights will enter the intercollegiates at Poughkeepsie.

Wrestling season has been a great success so far, Cornell having defeated Pennsylvania, Lehigh, Columbia and McGill, losing to Penn State, last year's intercollegiate champions. Bissell is standing a good chance of entering the Syracuse meet in the 158-pound class.

At the beginning of the present term the following were elected officers of the chapter for the coming year: president, Schreyer; vice president, Moore; treasurer, Bell; secretary, Williams. The chapter received a fleeting visit from Lee Heist of Philadelphia.

The chapter received a fleeting visit from Lee Heist of Philadelphia. Many alumni are expected to return for the indoor track meet with Michigan on March 25th. Michigan has one of the strongest teams in the middle west, and with the victories which the Cornell team already has behind it, a close contest is assured.

The house hockey team had a successful year in the interfraternity league, being defeated in the semifinals by Delta Tau Delta, who ultimately won the championship.

Ithaca, N. Y.

March 11, 1922

O. P. WILLIAMS Correspondent

## New York Beta — Syracuse University

The annual Block "S" dinner in honor of the varsity athletes will be held March 25th in the Archbold Gymnasium. The varsity letters are awarded at this time, and each major sport is represented on the toast list by a prominent speaker. Prep school athletes are brought here for this affair and approximately one thousand men enjoy the dinner and program. The list of speakers has been arranged by Page who is a member of Phi Kappa Alpha, senior society in charge of the dinner.

During Easter vacation the Glee Club will appear in Albany, New York City, Philadelphia and Scranton. Fisher, who is assistant manager of the club and pianist in the instrumental club, will be on this trip. Millen, manager of Boar's Head Dramatic Society, announces that the society will present three one-act plays at the Little Theatre in the near

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future. Pinder, who played the heavy part in "Secret Service" with great success, will appear in these productions. Tamborine and Bones, musical society, will present "O, Lady, Lady!" early in the spring. Pinder has been retained for a part in the musical comdey. Taylor is one of the leading candidates for assistant manager of T & B.

Monie and Suttner, who have been alternating as anchor men of the one mile relay team, were on the team which tied Princeton for the intercollegiate indoor championship held March 11th in New York City. Manager Cribb has received word that the rifle team ranks high in the intercollegiate matches shot to date. Hunter has been a fixture on the team for four years. Rattigan, whom we recently pledged, is making a strong bid for the position of assistant manager of tennis. Scoville. varsity pitcher, is working out daily with the baseball squad. Webster and Wood are promising candidates for the freshman nine. The Phi Psi basketball team was nosed out by one point for the league championship. The varsity crew took to the water this week. This is the earliest that the Syracuse crews have ever been on the river. Coach Ten Eyck and Captain Page expect winning crews this year, as the oarsmen are showing exceptionally good form for their first week on the water.

The Phi Kappa Psi formal, the leading fraternity social event of the year at Syracuse, will be held April 1st at the Sedgwick Club. Elaborate plans are being made and many alumni have signified their intention of attending.

On Founders' Day we held our initiation banquet, which was well attended and enjoyed by undergraduates, alumni and delegates from other chapters in the district.

Ferguson and Holzwarth are pledged to Nu Sigma Nu medical fraternity. Cribb, MacBean, McNeal, Harter, Foster and Suttner have been pledged to Chi Delta Psi, honorary foreign trade fraternity.

We take pleasure in presenting Charles Rattigan of Auburn, and James MacCullough of Syracuse, our latest pledges. The following will be honored at the Block "S" dinner by the award

The following will be honored at the Block "S" dinner by the award of varsity letters: Foster, football; Monie and Suttner, track; Campbell, cross country; Page, crew.

Syracuse, N. Y.

March 11, 1922

C. M. LOVELL Correspondent

#### New York Gamma — Columbia University

Final plans are being made for the annual varsity show, "Steppe Around," which will be given in the Grand Ballroom of the Hotel Astor during the week of March 27th, Hal Salmon is assistant manager of the show and will become manager next year. Tom Conroy has won a place in the chorus, Ted Wear plays a part in the cast, and Harry Clark will render several tenor specialty selections, while several of the other brothers are taking part in minor roles.

Coach Coakley has started baseball practice on South Field and has as two of his most promising candidates "Cort" Wilson, who played guard on the consistently successful frosh basketball team, and Pledge Fred Latham. The baseball team will play an unusually heavy schedule this spring beginning with the opening contest with Brooklyn Poly on April 1st and playing an average of more than three games a week until the middle of June. A three game series with each of the following colleges will be played: Penn, Dartmouth and Cornell. Yale and Princeton will also face the Blue and White but Harvard is not on the Morningside team's list this year.

The hockey team concluded a successful season on March 4th with a

victory over Williams. Warren Squires has played defense throughout the season and Hal Gately has been elected manager for next year.

Outdoor crew practice has been started, New York Gamma being represented by Malcolm Brown, who stroked last year's freshman eight and is in line for a varsity berth this season. "Chink" Aldrsich is also a candidate for the varsity and "Phil" Dreesbach, the veteran 150 pounder, will attempt to land a seat in the light-weight boat.

In the swimming season, now drawing to a close, Louis Balbach, Olympic diving star, and Bill Lange, a member of the sprint and relay teams, have been consistent point and first place winners. Carl Lange is also a member of the varsity squad.

In an attempt to foster closer interfraternity relations at Columbia, Phi Psi will give an interhouse dance at the chapter house on April 21st. It is planned to invite one or two prominent seniors from each of the other chapters.

New York Gamma now has three pledges who will be eligible for addition to our present chapter roll of 33 after the midterm exams at the end of March. It is planned to hold the annual freshman banquet at the chapter house about the middle of April.

The Phi Psi swimming team reached the final round in the interfraternity tournament, where they were nosed out by a narrow margin. The bridge team held its own in the first round of the recently organized interhouse tournament.

Founders' Day was celebrated by the chapter in conjunction with the New York A. A., holding a monster get-together dinner at the Hotel McAlpin. Over 200 Phi Psis were present, marking the function as a red-letter day in fraternity history in New York. A feature of the dinner was a special edition of the Columbia Daily *Spectator* in which was recounted the history and achievements of Phi Kappa Psi.

Six men from the chapter are now members of *Spectator* staff. "Dink" Squires is editor in chief, Irv Ferris is assistant managing editor, and Don Waugh is on the news board, where he is competing for a position on the new managing board which will take office April 12th. George Waldo is on the associate editorial board, while Raymond and Schultz are members of the business staff.

New York, N. Y. March 15, 1922 DONALD R. WAUGH Correspondent

## New York Epsilon - Colgate University

The chapter held its 33d annual initiation banquet March 4th. At this time many alumni returned, including H. F. Cotter '09, who acted as symposiarch, H. S. Jones '12, R. W. Craine '06, J. H. Lahey '06, J. L. Wheaton '07, W. Miller, Baker and W. S. Smith. Every chapter in the first district was represented by one or more delegates. The new brothers are J. P. Abel and R. D. Hausauer, Buffalo; J. F. Barnes and J. M. Conners, Fulton; C. J. Doody, New York; A. L. Moshier, Rochester; and H. B. Tuttle, Gouverneur.

At the recent elections of the junior class, MacKelvey was elected president, Shallow, treasurer, and Nelson, secretary. Connors, in the freshman election, was chosen president of that class. Snow was reelected secretary to the sophomore class.

Sterling was chosen an assistant manager of varsity track. Linnehan and Steffen, on the basketball team, have been instrumental in defeating such teams as Syracuse, Pittsburgh, Rochester, Hamilton and Creighton University. Crofoot and Pratt have made places on the University's Yearbook board for 1923.

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The scholarship standing of the chapter was much higher last semester than it has been in many years, and before the year is over New York Epsilon hopes to rank near the top of the list. We are planning an alumni banquet to be held during commencement week in June and are making every effort to get as many alumni back as possible.

Hamilton, N. Y. March 13, 1922

THEODORE G. PRATT Correspondent

#### SECOND DISTRICT

#### Pennsylvania Gamma — Bucknell University

Pennsylvania Gamma wishes to announce the following new brothers: W. S. Mengel, Shamokin, Pa.; C. Brown Hyatt, Logantown, Pa.; and Floyd G. Hempt, New Cumberland, Pa. A. W. Tarr has recently been pledged, and Pledge Wilsbach has returned to college after a half year's absence.

Founders' Day was celebrated with the usual banquet. Several alumni were present, W. G. Owens acting as symposiarch.

On February 24th-25th the chapter held a successful week-end dance. In basketball Bihl, Julian and Bunting are letter men. The interfraternity league is nearing its close with Pennsylvania Gamma tied for the lead. Needless to say we expect to retain the cup which we have held for the past year.

The chapter was honored by receiving a visit on February 23d from Archon George Kingsley. The visit was all too short, but he promises an early return and a longer sojourn the next time.

C. B. Hyatt has installed a radio-telephone in the house and the brothers have been delighted listeners to concerts and orchestras from different parts of the United States and Canada.

Lewisburg, Pa.

March 10, 1922

J. HOWARD WALTER Correspondent

#### Pennsylvania Epsilon — Pennsylvania College

Since the latest issue of THE SHIELD much has happened at Gettysburg that is of interest to Phi Psis. First and foremost was the initiation banquet, held on February 17th, at which time six new men were received into the Fraternity. We are proud to introduce the following: Edward Francis Emanuel, James Grayson Peters, George Granville Wren, David McConaughy Gilbert, William Stanley Ray jr, and George Vaughn Doehne. At the banquet which followed the initiation Charles Duncan again proved a wide-awake symposiarch. Toasts were responded to by Dr. G. D. Stahley, Donald Ikeler, Chester Simonton and John F. Dapp, the last named being president and moving spirit in the board of governors of Gettysburg College. The hearty good fellowship and genuine Phi Psi spirit displayed on this occasion did much toward adding another link to the already strong chain of alumniundergraduate cooperation.

Gettysburg's basketball season, now on its last lap, was very successful. Phi Psi was represented on the varsity by Gantz and Emanuel. Both played the forward position and were equally clever in their speed and accurate shooting. Prospects for representation on the diamond are very bright. Mordan, who held third base last year, will likely retain that position, and Emanuel bids fair to hold down the middle sack, made vacant by graduation. The biggest social event of the year was held on February 24th, when the class of 1923 put on the junior prom. In point of size, spirit, appointments and genuine enjoyment, it was a world-beater. The chapter entertained many out-of-town guests over the prom week-end.

ter entertained many out-of-town guests over the prom week-end. The interfraternity basketball league is just closing its season. The championship series is still to be played between the winners in the two divisions. Judging from the present standing of the teams, Phi Psi and the Star Club will again battle for the championship.

The Y. M. C. A. building, which has been under construction for some time, will, according to the contractor, be ready for occupation by April 1st. This will fill a long-felt need and will greatly beautify the campus.

The college authorities have been very fortunate in securing men of national prominence for the commencement exercises in June. President Granville has announced that General M. W. Ireland, surgeon general of the U. S. Army, will be the chief speaker.

A new fraternity made its appearance at Gettysburg in February. Scabbard and Blade, an honorary military organization, was given its charter and eight members were initiated. This, however, will not effect the fraternity situation in the least, owing to the nature of the new organization.

Gettysburg, Pa.

March 3, 1922

E. MARTZ SCHOFFSTALL Correspondent

#### Pennsylvania Zeta — Dickinson College

The basketball team has finished the most successful season in the history of the college, closing the season by two victories on the home floor. Bucknell was overwhelmingly defeated and Ursinus suffered a set-back by a very comfortable margin. Basketball fans therefore look forward to a wonderful season next year, as the present team will be intact. Manager Irwin, guard on the team, not only managed the team well but also earned his letter in this sport.

Baseball practice has been started in the gymnasium. Collins, Irwin and Heller, regulars on last year's team, responded to the call. Phi Psi was also given a boost when five of our underclassmen answered the call. They are Madore, Tribit, Carter, Sharp and Goodall.

Schuchart, Meyers and Green are representing us on the cinder path, while Olewine recently obtained a place on the dramatic club.

Football enthusiasts were given a surprise when the Athletic Association announced that Glenn Killinger, the all-round star of Penn State, had been secured to coach the football team.

Anticipating the coming spring weather, the chapter has started to clean up the premises and get ready for the spring opening.

On Founders' Day a banquet and dance were held. Several of our alumni were present for both events.

All our freshmen are competing for places on the *Dickinsonian* board. All have likewise been elected to membership in the Belles Lettres literary society.

Carlisle, Pa.

March 10, 1922

LEIGHTON J. HELLER Correspondent

#### Pennsylvania Eta - Franklin and Marshall College

Franklin and Marshall College has just completed one of the most successful basketball seasons she has had in recent years. Louis S. May was manager of the team and T. O. Amelia and R. H. Roberts were on the squad.

#### Chapter Correspondence

Work has been started on the new concrete grandstand. This is the first tier of stands which, according to present plans, will shortly surround the gridiron. The stands are to be completed by May 13th, for the official opening of the New Williamson Field when the Middle Atlantic States athletic meet will be held here. Pennsylvania Eta extends to all brothers who will be at this meet a cordial invitation to make the chapter house their headquarters.

In recent try-outs for the Green Room Club (college dramatic club), Phi Psi was unusually successful, landing seven out of a possible twentysix places, the following brothers being the successful contestants: D. B. Birney, L. S. May, W. F. Schaffner, C. B. Clinard, R. C. Zecher, T. O. Amelia and Pledge J. C. Truxal.

Founders' Day was fittingly observed February 20th at the chapter house when the chapter tendered an informal smoker to the alumni.

On February 24th the chapter had the pleasure of entertaining Archon George M. Kingsley. He stated he was pleased with the internal organization of the chapter, and gave us some very helpful advice as to methods of raising our scholastic standing, as he found that to be the chapter's greatest deficiency.

Spring sports are calling for candidates. In baseball D. G. Williams and L. S. May, former letter men, will again be on hand, while R. H. Roberts and J. E. Geesey will make strong bids for the varsity. C. E. Hoster is manager of tennis. In track we have out for the squad C. P. Hershey, D. W. Franck, D. B. Birney, H. K. Schaffner, R. M. Duffy and T. O. Amelia.

Lancaster, Pa.

March 14, 1922

Walter F. Schaffner Correspondent

#### Pennsylvania Theta - Lafayette College

Pennsylvania Theta takes pleasure in introducing William Addams of Shippensburg, Pa., a recent pledge.

The anniversary of the founding of Phi Kappa Psi was observed by a smoker and banquet in the chapter house attended by local alumni. The chapter also sent six representatives to the Founders' Day banquet in New York City.

The chapter entertained nineteen guests at the annual junior week house party, February 1st-5th. The Phi Kappa Psi tea-dance on February 2d was well attended.

The Sock and Buskin production, One Hundred and Eighty Degrees, given during junior week, was very successful. Hague, Haliday, Sutton, Campbell, Freeman, Carson and Eyster took part in the show.

At the annual Western Union track meet, held at the 22d Regiment Armory, New York City, on February 21st, Kelly won the novice 100 yard dash. At the John Hopkins meet held in Baltimore February 25th Kelly won the open 220 yard dash, and placed third in the open 100 yard dash. In this meet Hunt was a member of the winning Lafayette mile relay team.

The call for baseball candidates has been issued and Starcher is trying for a position on the pitching staff. Trimble, Eyster, Humphrey and Sutton are out for freshman baseball. Humphrey was elected vice president of the class of 1925. Trimble was elected to the Owl Club. Hague is a member of the committee on student government. Haliday, Carson, Dickey and Freeman are cast in the Latin play. Humphreys and Potter are each managing plays, which are to be given by the Freshman Players. Moore and Potter have been elected officers of the Washington Literary Society.
A date for the annual Phi Psi spring dance has not yet been definitely decided upon, but it will be held early in May.

Easton, Pa. March 12, 1922 BRUCE H. CAMPBELL Correspondent

Pennsylvania Iota — University of Pennsylvania

Rushing season ended on March 1st and thirteen were pledged. On March 10th they were initiated, and we take great pleasure in introduc-ing William M. Cooper jr, Salisbury, Md.; William B. Tucker, Salem, Pa.; Arthur W. Baum, Chicago; Francis C. W. Peyton, Cleveland; Norman L. Pancoast, Miami Beach, Fla.; William H. Gilbert, Los An-geles; Henry C. Williams, Youngstown, Ohio; Alexis H. Bostwick, Vincentown, N. J.; Samuel B. Crowell jr, and Richard G. Westerfield, Philadelphia; Robert W. Zehring, Dayton, Ohio. These freshmen are all very active on the campus and Walker is president of the freshman A bright future is anticipated. class.

Founders' Day banquet was held on March 11th and about 90 broth-This was held in conjunction with the annual initiers were present. Dave Halstead '94, former President of the Fraternity, ng address on the founding of the Fraternity. David ation banquet. gave an interesting address on the founding of the Fraternity. J. Myers, Pa. Zeta '69, explained in a very unusual manner the founding The activities and conditions of the chapter of today of this chapter. were presented by Paul H. Jordan, the G. P. of the chapter. The charge to the new brothers was given by the Rev. Richard Montgomery, Pa. Iota '77, and the charge to the active chapter delivered by John H. Frizzell. Short addresses were given by Walter Sheppard and Harry Cortright, the symposiarch.

The Phi Psi team won the interfraternity basketball championship on March 11th by defeating Sigma Chi. The league was composed of 25 fraternities and much talent was exhibited by some of the teams, but under the able leadership of Captain Jordan our team won every game The team was composed of Jordan, Hillman, Beck, Benjamin easily. and Curtis, and they deserve much credit for the excellent brand of basketball displayed.

Very soon now the alumni smoker and show will be given at the house. Every year the chapter gives this smoker for the alumni in or about Philadelphia and some kind of an entertainment is worked up by the more talented brothers. It is usually a very enjoyable affair and a large The date has not yet been decided. turnout is expected.

The following brothers were affiliated here on March 6th: Fred Campbell, Ohio Delta; Frank White, Iowa Alpha; and Curtis, Ind. Alpha.

Philadelphia, Pa. March 17, 1922 STORM VANDERZEE Correspondent

# Pennsylvania Kappa --- Swarthmore College

Swarthmore College under the new administration of President Aydelotte announces the establishment of five annual, competitive scholarships for men. They are to be based upon the general plan of the Rhodes scholarships, and are to be granted regardless of the school, locality or the course of study.

Archon George M. Kingsley visited us on February 21st. Alexander G. Cummins '89 was the toastmaster at the 34th annual Swarthmore Club dinner, held in Philadelphia.

The college is holding its first "prom" March 30th, and much of its success will depend upon William S. Lewis, chairman of the committee.

Geiges, a veteran from last year, and Cochrane, Long, Lewis, McCain and Clyde are working on the lacrosse team. On the track team, Spackman, Asplundh, Sharpless and Turner should make a good showing. Captain Ogden and Earnshaw will make up the pitching staff for the baseball team.

This semester every class president is of our chapter. Ogden was reelected president of Student Government, and Geiges and Clyde were reelected on the executive committee.

Our scholastic standing is up to second place and we are working to bring it up to first place this semester.

Swarthmore, Pa. March 8, 1922 JOHN R. MCCAIN Correspondent

#### Pennsylvania Lambda — Pennsylvania State College

Founders' Day was observed on February 18th, by an initiation at the chapter house in the afternoon, after which we adjourned to the Nittany Inn where a banquet was held. We were fortunate in having with us John Henry Frizzell, Mass. Alpha '02, chapter "daddy" until 1920. J. A. Hyde '18 and H. E. Newcomer '18 came back to offer toasts to the new brothers.

Winter sports are almost over. The basketball team is finishing the season in good shape after completing an eastern trip that spelled disaster. The freshman quintet finished the season undefeated, with Stuckman playing guard. The boxing and wrestling teams suffered reverses at the hands of Navy. Attention is now being directed to spring sports. Captain "Bill" Ullery will again hold down the initial sack on the baseball team. "Bill" is also a varsity track man. Glen Beard, captain of last year's tennis team, is awaiting the call in that sport. Intercollegiate golf will be introduced at Penn State on Fathers Day, May 6th, with a match with the University of Pennsylvania. This will be received with much enthusiasm by the many golf followers in college. "Jimmy" Crookston, medalist in the tournament last fall, has been mentioned as the logical man for captain.

The freshmen have been very active with Malin on the frosh eleven, Stuckman playing basketball, and McClure and Loy on the freshman cross-country team. Johnston, Malin, Armstrong and McCaslin will try for berths on the yearling nine. McClure, Loy and Pledge Durborow will fight for places on the track team. "Bud" Beard will try for the tennis team.

Gamble is on the art staff of *Froth* and a member of Scarab. Porterfield is art editor of *La Vie*, the junior annual; Gamble held the job last year. Porterfield has held leading roles in dramatic productions of the Penn State Players. Stern took a prominent part in the vaudeville show, the midyear production of the Thespians. "Fats" Hoffman made the Glee Club trip to New York and Philadelphia where he took part in the intercollegiate glee club contest. Moore was recently elected to Alpha Xi Sigma, honorary forestry fraternity.

The chapter paper, *The Palm*, made its appearance last month and the board received many compliments from chapter alumni.

The chapter has held two house dances this semester, February 4th and March 10th. Plans are already under way for the entertainment of the fathers on Fathers Day. Pennsylvania Lambda takes pleasure in announcing the pledging of I. Newton Durborow of Media, Pa.

State College, Pa. March 11, 1922 Edward J. Stern Correspondent

#### Maryland Alpha - Johns Hopkins University

With midyear examinations safely over, the brothers are throwing themselves wholeheartedly into college activities. Jenifer and Jacobsen have places in the cast of the dramatic club's performance. Captain Joe Thompsen is heading a host of promising track material that has just begun outdoor practice. Hammond, Turner, Turnbull, O'Con-nor, Morrison, Landy and Griffiss (last year's captain), are all out for lacrosse, and at least three of them seem sure of landing positions in the The entire management of lacrosse is made up of four regular line-up. Phi Psis - Collins, Baker, Watts and Hensel; Hensel being the manager this year with Collins as his first assistant. Jacobsen and Morrison are in the Glee Club and Cooper is working hard on the *Black and Blue Jay*, our humorous publication. Collins is on the board of the same publication and has been elected business manager for next year. Crampton has an important post on the Publicity board. Daub and Stevenson have just been elected to our college newspaper, the News-Letter.

The Cotillion board is again giving the afternoon dances which were so much enjoyed last fall. These parties will be held after all the games in the spring and should prove most popular.

Maryland Alpha is planning to entertain the alumni by one or more smokers to be held in the house in the near future. The attendance at these functions has always been very good, and by this means we hope to bring ourselves into closer touch with our older members.

Baltimore, Md. March 11, 1922 HOWARD B. HENSEL Correspondent

#### Virginia Alpha — University of Virginia

During the midwinter dances Virginia Alpha gave a tea-dance for the fraternities. The house, which had just been painted and decorated, made an appropriate setting for such an affair. With the coming of the Easter germans, Virginia Alpha is looking forward to another enjoyable time.

The University of Virginia won the South Atlantic intercollegiate basketball championship by defeating Washington and Lee in one of the fastest games of the season by a score of 35 to 25. The varsity suffered but one defeat during the season and this was administered by the fast Catholic University quintet.

M. A. Foster has been elected to the editorial staff of the Virginia Law Review and T. T. Adams to the commercial fraternity, Alpha Kappa Psi. M. P. Macgill and M. A. Foster are out for the baseball team. Foster is trying for the twirler's position and Macgill for first base. L. Showalter and F. Jamison are out for the freshman team and are showing up well in their respective positions, shortstop and outfield. Both teams are rounding into fine shape and should make a reputable showing during the coming season. K. Nelson and T. T. Adams are out for adjunct manager of the varsity baseball team.

At a special initiation held on January 1st, Thomas Deford, of Baltimore, Md., was initiated.

The chapter regrets the withdrawal of J. R. Ruffin.

Virginia Alpha has recently had the pleasure of visits from J. C. Parrott, Bill Thomas, and Rightor of New York Gamma.

University, Va. March 14, 1922

HAROLD S. VOGES

Correspondent

#### Virginia Beta — Washington and Lee University

Initiation ceremonies were held in January, at which time all the eight pledges, having successfully completed the required amount of work, were taken in. This was followed by a formal banquet at the Dutch Inn which proved to be one of the most enjoyable social functions given during the year. Several alumni attended and took part in the evening's program of speeches, Hepburn acting as toastmaster.

Fancy Dress festivities on February 20th and 21st brought more than 200 fair visitors to the university during the two days, the chapter, in conjunction with A. T. O., being hosts at an informal dansant on the afternoon of the second day. Jordan, Morrison and Donnally had leading roles in the Troubadour's original musical comedy, "Mlle. Gaby," which returned from a successful trip of a week's duration into West Virginia and Virginia in time to stage a performance before the visitors on the afternoon of the second day at the New Theatre. Fancy Dress ball, on Tuesday night, easily eclipsed all former attempts in this direction as regards costuming, decorations, music and girls, the huge floor of Doremus Gym being completely packed. Several of the brothers took part in the pageant-figure.

The Generals closed their basketball season on March 2d at Raleigh with a 39-36 defeat over the University of North Carolina, which had captured the southern championship at Atlanta the day before. Eleven victories and three losses during the season was the very excellent record for the 1922 quintet. Cameron played a sensational game at left guard in every game of the season and was awarded his monogram. Kelly was also on the squad and played in several games. Kurtz and Brown were both out for the freshman team, Kurtz making the trips until forced out by illness.

The swimming team ended its season with a loss to the Navy at Annapolis, Captain Greiner, Mercke, Walters and Hock all participating in the meet. Walters recently established a new record for the plunge in the local pool. Washington and Lee's wrestling team defeated Trinity by a one-sided score in the last meet of the year. Manager Sutherland again demonstrated his abilities as a grappler by losing but one match during the year. Winning all but two bouts, the boxing team defeated Virginia at Lexington in a series of fast goes and wound up its first season of intercollegiate boxing. Hock captained the team during the season and won all his bouts in the 145-pound division.

Kelly was recently taken into the David Humphreys Memorial Engineering Society, the only honorary society in the School of Engineering. Cameron was initiated into Omicron Delta Kappa, national fraternity for the recognition of college leadership, at its public initiation last week, being the only sophomore in college to attain this distinction. Jordan was initiated into "13" Club, while Donnally was initiated into Phi Alpha Delta, honorary legal fraternity. Johnson made Sigma, honorary senior society.

Call for candidates for the baseball team was issued two weeks ago and daily practice sessions on Wilson Field have been held since. Hisle, star third sacker and last year's captain, is assured of a position in the infield, while Payne is also out for the infield. Hancock is out for as-Carskaddon is among the milers on the outdoor sistant manager. track squad, while Collins is out for coxswain on the Albert Sidney crew. Hall and Payne will be out for tennis.

The Easter dances will be held on April 16th and 17th and several social affairs are already being planned for that time. The baseball schedule as recently completed includes 24 games, the majority of them to be played at home, with a week's trip into the South. The opening game will be played on March 31st against Randolph-Macon. Lexington, Va. JOHN C. MORRIS

**JOHN C. MORRISON** 

March 14, 1922

Correspondent

#### THIRD DISTRICT

Pennsylvania Alpha --- Washington and Jefferson

The seventieth annual initiation of Pennsylvania Alpha was held at the chapter house on February 22d, and the chapter wishes to introduce the following brothers: Aldous B. Hadden, Toledo, Ohio; Fulton I. Connor, Kenneth Mathews and Joseph P. Hoerle, Johnstown, Pa.; William W. Irwin and Clark Fulton, Wheeling, W. Va.; Charles Paul Craig and Harry W. Bowman, Clarksburg, W. Va.; Ralph C. Grimm and E. Hayden Weller, Washington, Pa.; William R. Smith, Union-town; E. Morgan Manning, Lynn, Mass.; and W. Keith Jones, King-cates, Ohle fisher, Okla. A dinner and smoker were held after the ceremony for the initiates and alumni.

Of the seven managerships in the college, Pennsylvania Alpha has Wiley of football, Trimble of baseball, Varner of the glee club, and Ferree of the Buskin Club.

The Glee Club has had a very successful season and is now planning on a trip to the Edison laboratories at Orange, N. J. during the spring vacation. A unique feature of the club is its novelty dance orchestra consisting of seven members, of whom four are from the house.

Snyder, Hood, Craig, Kuhn, Kirk and Anderson have parts in the Buskin Club's annual production. This year the play is entitled "Sick Abed" and will be staged in Washington's new theater the latter part of this month.

Kuhn is a member of the Cotillion committee, while Trimble was on the Greek swing-out committee which was the first interfraternity for-The second interfraternity formal, the Panmal, given last December. hellenic dance, was held on March 3d. Due to recent action of the faculty no house parties were given but we are looking forward to one at the time of the junior prom.

While on the California trip, Wiley, Warner and Hood visited the os Angeles A. A. and the California Beta Chapter. They were royally Los Angeles A. A. and the California Beta Chapter. entertained and report a fine time.

After at last succeeding in working the combination, several of the brothers examined the old papers of the Fraternity which are kept in one The old minute books dating from November 1852 of the bank vaults. and the Mystic Friend, the first volumes of which were written in the handwriting of the founders, contained much that was of interest.

The Chapter is making plans for a record attendance at Springfield next June for the G. A. C. In closing we wish to state that pictures of

the chapter house have been ordered and will be sent to each of the chapters in the near future. We wish to thank those chapters from whom we have always received pictures and hope that we will soon have some more additions to our collection.

Washington, Pa. March 11, 1922 WILLIAM H. KIRK Correspondent

#### Pennsylvania Beta — Alleghenv College

The semester examinations were successfully survived by the majority of the brothers. All but one of the pledges were initiated on February 17th, having their examinations with an average of C or better in 12 17th, having their examinations with an average of C or better in 12 hours work. The new brothers are: Henry Harry Rice, Indiana, Pa.; Harold Fludi Rink, Indiana, Pa.; Frank Elmer Reed, New Brighton, Pa,; Jamieson S. Sides, Blacklick, Pa.; Robert Russell Hayes, Blacklick, Pa.; Brayton O. Myers, Washington, D. C.; Francis A. Drake, Cam-bridge Springs, Pa.; Everett McCurdy, Cazenovia, N. Y.; Alexander D. Moore, Reynoldsville, Pa.; Robert T. Alker, Indiana, Pa.; Charles C. Wolz jr, Washington, D. C.; Elgin S. Wood, Franklin, Pa. We also wish to announce the pledging of Carl Kalter, New Brighton, Pa. An informal dance was held at the house between semesters, the music being furnished by Gages Collegians, which is composed of four brothers from the house

brothers from the house.

The interfraternity duck pin league is being led by Phi Psi, and we hope to win the cup again this year. Myers and Moore are our representatives on the basketball squad. Class basketball has started and Phi Psi is well represented.

G. B. Hafer is again the college cheerleader, H. F. Rink and W. F. Tannehill are out for managers of basketball, C. H. Wills is general manager of publications, W. L. Henry is manager of the Kaldron (year book), and J. E. Larson is manager of the Literary Monthly.

Clark, Larson, Malon, Krelis, Henry and Zurbuch are members of Modern Problems Club; J. W. Kamerer, G. D. Prather, P. W. Clarke, J. E. Larson, C. H. Wills, W. E. Devern, H. G. Ware are members of Duzur Du Dramatic Club. G. W. Pringle, J. S. Conroe and A. D. Moore are members of the Dutton Society of Applied Science.

We celebrated Founders' Day by a banquet, and were rewarded by aving many alumni with us. John L. Parter of Pittsburgh was toasthaving many alumni with us. master and the affair was conducted as he only can conduct it.

Meadville, Pa.

March 13, 1922

F. STEWART ZURBUCH Correspondent

#### West Virginia Alpha — West Virginia University

The undergraduates and local alumni were entertained at a dinner and dance at the Fairmont Country Club on February 10th, by the recently organized Monongahela Valley Alumni Association. About The annual initiation and Founders' 80 Phi Psis attended the affair. Day banquet was held in the chapter house February 18th, when eight new brothers were the honor guests. The initiates were: Howard Gibson, Masontown; John Trotter and Robert Wilbourn, Morgantown; George Duncan, Clarksburg; Howard Klostermeyer, Herbert Garred, Philip Hill, and Grant P. Hall jr, all of Charleston

It has been decided to be best for the chapter to make some provisions for the building of a new house in the future. With this in view a building association has been formed, including both alumni and undergraduates, which will have made ample provision by the time a need for a new house arrives. In the meantime extensive improvements are being made in the furnishing of our present home.

West Virginia Alpha welcomes William Hopke back to college and the enrolment of Richard Smith, Pa. Alpha, in the university.

The basketball and wrestling teams have just completed very satisfactory seasons. Hill and Hall played on the freshman basketball team. Chrisman, Courtney, Garred, Hall and Gibson are out for track. The chapter basketball team is leading in League "B," with a good chance of winning the Panhellenic championship. At a recent meeting of the letter men of the university, the W. V. Varsity Club was formed, having as its object the encouraging of athletics in the university. Pool, Hopke, Chrisman, Courtney and Riley have been elected to membership.

Willard Pool '17, was elected president of the chapter for second semester, and Joseph Greer '19, was reelected as treasurer.

Morgantown, W. Va. March 12, 1922 ROBERT J. RILEY

Correspondent

#### Ohio Alpha — Ohio Wesleyan University

Ohio Alpha wishes to introduce the following brothers who were initiated February 21st: Frank D. Weeks and Edwin Knachel, Marion, Ohio; William S. Ross, Fremount, Ohio; John D. Raabe, Tyrone, Pa.; James A. Pierce, Detroit, Mich.; George Grassman, Portsmouth, Ohio; Thomas Hayward, Springfield, Ohio; Griswold Campbell, Delaware, Ohio. The chapter held its initiation banquet the evening of the 21st. A large number of alumni and visiting brothers were present.

On February 22d an open house was held for our alumni and guests. This was followed by a basketball game with Denison and a dance which lasted until the wee hours of the morning.

which lasted until the wee hours of the morning. We announce the pledging of Morris Crass, of Cleveland, and Raymond Gerken, of Norwalk. We are glad to have Robert J. Bauer back as an active member. He has been with the A. J. Becker Co., of Chicago, for the past year.

We have appreciated recent visits from Brother Plum, Pa. Beta; Mauk, N. H. Alpha; Barnard, Mich. Alpha; and brothers from Ohio Delta and Ohio Beta.

Delaware, Ohio

March 8, 1922

FRANCIS N. BARNES Correspondent

### Ohio Beta — Wittenberg University

Ohio Beta takes pleasure in introducing the following, who were initiated on February 20th: Richard H. Butcher, Robert E. Bunnelle and Raymond W. Hagenbuch, Urbana; Paul C. Krumm, Columbiana; Clarence J. Heltzel, Canton; John H. McDaniel, Woodleaf, N. C.; Edwin B. Arthur, Springfield; Lyle H. Franks, Philo, Ill.; and Edwin A. Bowers, Sterling, Ill. The chapter is grateful to all brothers and sister chapters who have so kindly recommended men.

Following midterm examinations, Phi Psi won distinction for the second time in as many years of being the only organization on the campus which did not lose a man through failure to meet the college scholastic standards.

Wittenberg has once again barely missed winning the Ohio conference basketball championship, losing the title to Wooster in the last game

Interest is now being centered on intercollegiate baseof the season. ball, which the college has resumed since dropping the sport during the war.

The observance of the second annual Honor Day at Wittenberg will occur on April 7th. Honoring of all students who have demonstrated

through work their abilities and their college loyalty is the purpose of this day. With the increasing number of activities that have been under way during the past year, there will be a large number of awards. The newest faculty addition has been a dean of women in the per-sonage of Miss Grace Webb, formerly assistant dean of women at Car-thage College, Carthage, Ill. Miss Webb received her degree from the University of Michigan, and comes well qualified to assume her new duties.

A deep loss is felt in the death of Dr. David H. Bauslin, dean of Hamma Divinity School and a prominent figure in Lutheranism in this country, who died suddenly in Bucyrus, Ohio, on March 3d. A new Greek-letter local, Pi Alpha Epsilon, was recently organized

and has been recognized by the faculty, making the fifth fraternity at the college. Skull and Chain, honorary senior fraternity, was also recently installed.

At this period of the year, annexation of new activities is very lax In the intercollegiate debate held on February 24th, the negative team, of which Sittler was captain, defeated Baldwin-Wallace at Berea. How-ever, the affirmative team, of which McDaniel is a member, lost to Heidelberg at Springfield. Both men will win letters at the presenta-tion of literary "W"s. J. Birch is a charter member of Skull and Chain and is also on the senior play cast. Davis is stage and property manager of the senior play. Hiestand is on the junior play committee. Heltzel proved quite a sensation on this year's freshman basketball Pledge Aleshire holds an office in the newly formed college team. Masonic club.

Through the kindness of Hiestand, a splendid formal dance at his home was enjoyed by the chapter on March 1st. We have had several informal parties, smokers and receptions at the house during the past At the initiation and Founders' Day banquet on February month. 20th, undergraduates and alumni held a symposium which was indeed The chapter is now contemplating the annual fitting to the occasion. formal dinner-dance scheduled for the latter part of next month.

Above all-don't forget G. A. C. in Springfield June 21-24. She's going to win the steam-heated handlebars for pep and punch, or else we're not cyclists! Gonna' be there? Well, I hope!!

Springfield, Ohio March 12, 1922 ROBERT M. YOUNG

Correspondent

#### Ohio Delta - Ohio State University

Ohio Delta takes pleasure in announcing the initiation of Dwight Friend on February 20th. The initiation was held just before the Founders' Day banquet. The banquet was given in the chapter house very successfully, about 60 actives and alumni being present. Following the dinner the alumni gathered for a meeting to discuss local conditions.

The indoor track season finds Ralph Lock and Kenneth McCreary already in good shape. Both have earned enough points to bring them the varsity "O." Lock advanced to the finals in the dash at the Illinois relays and great things are to be expected of McCreary as he is a very good hurdler.

Joe Shouvlin is very busy as manager of the baseball team. Howard Hamilton has been elected to the student council. Leroy McGregor and Clayton Crafts have been initiated into Phi Delta Phi. "Punk" Chamblin is attending a meeting of Union boards at Boston.

The chapter is looking forward to the annual spring party which is to be held on May 19th. It is planned to make the party just as good or even better than those of previous years.

Ohio State's new stadium is progressing rapidly, all of the steel work being completed. It is hoped to have the field in shape for the games of next fall.

Columbus, Ohio March 11, 1922 DOUGLAS MCGREGOR Correspondent

Ohio Epsilon — Case School of Applied Science

The second semester has opened with all the old men back with the exception of Bradley and Morrison. Gay has returned and we have initiated the following: Biggar, Manternach, Skirvin and Struggles. The initiation was held at the chapter house on February 11th followed by the ritual on February 12th. We were greatly pleased to have some of the older brothers present and wish that more of them would return at initiation time and renew in their minds the obligations of our Fraternity.

The chapter attendance at the Founders' Day banquet was 100 per cent, thus helping to make it one of the largest gatherings of Phi Psis in the city since the D. C. in 1919.

An informal dance was held at the house on March 10th. The entertainment committee is formulating plans for the annual picnic which will be held some time in May for all Phi Psis in and around Cleveland.

In accordance with the movement by the general Fraternity for better scholarship, the chapter is doing everything within its power to cooperate with this plan, and feels confident that at the end of this semester the average of this chapter will be raised considerably.

On March 21st Case men in twenty-eight of the larger cities of the United States will meet in their respective Case Clubs and listen by radiophone to a concert by the Case musical clubs and a talk by President Howe.

Eddie Hale, president of the Case Club board of managers, is attending a national convention of student unions at Harvard University. Wise was appointed chairman of the Case stunt night committee, and he expects to make stunt night this year the best and largest on record. Fred Struggles was elected to the *Tech* board.

The chapter has commenced looking over men who are coming to Case next year, and has started rushing the prospective Cleveland men.

We are spreading propaganda among the members of the chapter and the Cleveland alumni in an endeavor to have a large representation of Cleveland Phi Psis at the G. A. C.

Harts, Pa. Lambda, and Davis, Ind. Beta, are some of the out of town brothers who have visited us recently.

Cleveland, Ohio March 11, 1922 DEWITT L. OWEN Correspondent

#### FOURTH DISTRICT

#### Michigan Alpha — University of Michigan

Of greatest interest among recent events was our annual initiation banquet, which was held at the house on February 25th. In the afternoon of the same day we initiated the following eight men: Leland W. Kirkpatrick, Battle Creek, Mich.; Eugene L. Dunne, Albert R. Pyott and Robert J. Hummer, Chicago; William E. Parnell, Ann Arbor; John G. Plain, Aurora, Ill.; Marvin K. Berry, Oak Park, Ill.; and William R. Prosser, Helena, Mont. The initiation banquet was presided over by Judge Rush of Chicago. We had nearly fifty present including many of our own alumni, and representatives from several other chapters. Among those present were George Moore, James H. Prentiss, Ebenezer Walbridge, John Watling, Brewster Loud, W. P. Verner, John R. Effinger, John A. Weightman, C. Kenneth Barnard, R. Allan Gibbons, John N. Garver, Christopher Parnell, J. B. Reid, Stewart B. Smith, Paul R. Kempf, W. Bronk, John F. Dodge, E. H. Luther, C. L. Cruikshank, and Fred E. Nagel.

The chapter enjoyed its big social event of the year the week-end of February 11th, when a house party was given at the time of the junior hop. The party was a great success for us and for the university at large, assuring the permanent restoration of the junior hop. The hop was led by Charles A. Hummer.

Many members of the chapter were guests of the Detroit A. A. at its Founders' Day banquet at the University Club in Detroit. George A. Moore gave an inspiring address. He also delivered the initiation address at our banquet, giving a speech which was a fine welcome to the new members of the chapter.

With the end of the first semester, two new names appear in the list of alumni. Stewart B. Smith and Elmer Hardy Luther completed their work at that time, and will receive their degrees in June. Elmer H. Luther is now working for the Consumer's Power Co. at Jackson, Mich.

The chapter wishes to announce the pledging of Hayden Mills, of Oak Park, Ill. He is a member of the freshman class.

Ann Arbor, Mich. Edward S. Reid jr March 6, 1922 Correspondent

#### Indiana Alpha — De Pauw University

Seven men were initiated on February 18th. About 40 alumni were back for the rites and the banquet which followed. The new men are: Robert W. Conder and Herman L. Carrington, Indianapolis; Harry A. Trees, Kokomo; William W. Downs, Circleville, Ohio; James T. Mountz, Garrett; and Robert B. Talley, Terre Haute.

C. E. Sullivan of Indianapolis presided over the banquet. Talks were given by alumni and undergraduates, the theme being the new Phi Psi house which is now under construction at the corner of College avenue and Larabee street. An interesting talk on "How Indiana Alpha was founded" was given by Dr. Salem B. Town, a charter member.

"Fuz" Cannon and Piercy Allee will receive "D" sweaters in recognition of their service with the basketeers this year. Coach Fred Walker reports a very successful season, winning 20 out of 23 basketball contests.

President George R. Grose of the university is home from China where he has been for the past four months obtaining data for his book, "A Biography of the late Bishop Bashford." The junior and senior members held a formal party on February 24th celebrating Washington's birthday. The sophomores are next in line on the social calendar.

The spike committee is hard at work and already has some good prospects for next year.

Greencastle, Ind. March 13, 1922 HARRY PHILIP MAXWELL Correspondent

#### Indiana Beta — Indiana University

We take pleasure in introducing the following brothers, initiated February 17th: Stewart Butler, Wabash; John Butler, Wabash; Harry Yoars, Amboy; and Donald Healy, Michigan City. Indiana Alpha was represented by Brother Beame. Longfellow represented Indiana Beta at Indiana Alpha's initiation.

On the afternoon of February 18th we held our annual Founders' Day reception for Phi Psi wives, mothers and sweethearts. The reception rooms were crowded until after five. We are greatly indebted to Mrs. Buskirk, Mrs. Sanford Teter, Mrs. Hubert Beck and Mrs. McFaddin, who acted as hostesses, for the success of the affair. The annual initiation and Founders' Day banquet was held that evening and was declared by all to be a complete success. The weather kept many of the alumni from driving down from Indianapolis and the surrounding towns but the Bloomington alumni were there almost to the man. Several excellent talks were given but among the outstanding ones was the inspiring talk given by "Daddy" Beck. In a very able manner he told of how Phi Psi struggled in its early days at Indiana, of how the members stuck to it, sometimes only five in the chapter, and then dwelt upon the final achievement as easily discerned today.

Hauss played back guard on the varsity basketball team all season and was awarded an "I." Spring football started a few weeks ago and each day finds France, Cox and Butler along with Pledge Woodward cavorting on the field with the rest of Stiehm's proteges. Kidd is bidding strong for a berth as catcher on the baseball team and if he is successful it will mean a trip to the Orient for him. The baseball team sails. March 21st from Seattle for Tokio, where they will play the University of Waseda in a series of twelve games, three to be played each week.

In the panhellenic basketball league Indiana Beta is tied for first with Sigma Nu and as soon as the members of the team recover from their vaccinations, made necessary by Bowser's case of small-pox, the tie will be played off.

Indiana Beta will give a dance April 7th and some time during April or the first part of May the annual dads' week-end will be held. Our scouts are on the look-out for all likely Phi Psi material and several will go to Indianapolis next week to look over the basketball players. But if any of the alumni know of a good man send his name in immediately to the rush committee.

Bloomington, Ind.

March 13, 1922

W. EARL KEISKER Correspondent

#### Indiana Delta — Purdue University

The basketball season was brought to a close with Purdue at the top of the Conference, having lost only one game. W. G. Eversman '20 played a wonderful game at forward for the entire season and won a place on the All-Conference second team. W. C. Hiser '18 played his

last game of basketball for Purdue against Illinois and performed creditably in this and the other games in which he participated. Indiana Delta is represented on the gymnasium team by H. B. Cammack, captain, and R. S. Moore, and on the swimming team by E. C. Stoever. Baseball practice has begun and Eversman, Hiser and E. E. Murphy are out for their old positions. Murphy as captain of the next year's football team will necessarily divide his time between baseball and spring football practice.

On April 1st eight freshmen will be initiated into the Fraternity. This class has already made itself felt on the campus, being represented by Edward White on the freshman-varsity basketball team, Robert Kniptash as captain of the freshman swimning team, Gordon Crawford on the wrestling squad and John Capper on the freshman baseball team. Joseph Hartley is doing good work on the *Exponent*.

Founders' Day was celebrated by the alumni and chapter attending the Chicago basketball game on Saturday night after which a smoker was held at the house and on Sunday the usual banquet was held. Plans are under way for Mothers Day, spring house party and Gala Week. The plans of the chapter for a new house are now becoming more

The plans of the chapter for a new house are now becoming more definite. A preliminary plan has been drawn up by W. F. Verner '06 and is being revised according to the suggestions of the alumni and undergraduates. It is expected that we shall be able to start building a year from the coming spring.

Among the brothers who have visited the chapter recently are J. W. Wheeler, P. J. McAllister, R. E. Adams, Marshall Haywood, H. F. Reinhard, G. E. Morgan, C. R. Milford, C. B. Kern, M. R. Bone, M. B. Raub, W. A. Searight, D. B. Hill, J. T. Andrews, and G. S. Garrard.

West Lafayette, Ind. March 14, 1922 T. H. PRICE Correspondent

#### Illinois Alpha -- Northwestern University

No Letter Received

#### Illinois Beta - University of Chicago

The passing of winter and the coming of spring brings new activities within the range of the brothers of Illinois Beta. Soon we shall be competing for the interfraternity cups in the relays, indoor baseball and tennis. These trophies have been in the possession of this chapter many times. Last year was the first time in years that we did not win at least one cup, and this phenomenon was due to a series of misfortunes which put us out in the semifinals of the baseball series and the finals of the relays. The prospects are very bright this year for a winner in at least one of these sports.

In the varsity spring sports Illinois Beta will be well represented. In track Captain Redmon is expected to heave the hammer over the fence many times before the season is over. In baseball Yardley, regular catcher on last year's team, is expected to put in a big year. Forkel, regular first baseman on last year's freshman team, is scheduled to win a place on the varsity. In golf McGuire will in all probability represent Chicago again this season.

When the basketball season started, Chicago was considered to have about the poorest prospects of any team in the Western Conference. By the end of the season Coach Nels Norgren had whipped together a team that could cope with the best of them. Brother Norgren will also coach baseball. After playing substitute guard for the first few games, Yardley was given a chance at center, his normal position. One chance was enough for George. He made good and finished the season as regular center, playing a stellar game at that post.

The chapter regrets the loss of Harry Omer as an undergraduate mem-He has been active in the affairs of this chapter since his transfer ber. Besides being from Illinois Alpha about two and one-half years ago. on the football squad for three seasons Omer had time to make Phi Beta Kappa on the side. This chapter will feel the loss of him very keenly when he is graduated in March.

Since the last letter to THE SHIELD five new men have been pledged. They are: Fred Hobschied, Fred Coltrin, Milton Swenson, and Jack Long of Chicago; and John Longwell of Oak Park. Hobschied, Swenson and Long will enter college for the spring quarter while the others will enter in the fall.

On February 20th Illinois Beta was 100 per cent strong in attendance at the Founders' Day banquet given at the University Club under the auspices of the Chicago A. A.

On March 11th a meeting of the house committee was held at which plans for the new house were thoroughly discussed.

During March a very good party was held at the house. Among the visiting brothers were Saunders, Mich. Alpha, and Smith, Wis. Alpha. Joe Ryan, Wis Alpha, will be in college here during the spring quarter.

Linden is circulation manager of the Daily Maroon, which position will put him in line for business manager next year. Coulter was recently elected secretary of the Reynolds Club, the club for all the men of the Redmon is the outgoing president of this organization. university. McAdams has received considerable favorable comment upon the way in which he handled the sale of tickets for the sophomore-freshman prom, as manager of ticket sales. Collins, Illinois Beta's representa-tive on the varsity gymnastic team, has broken into the scoring column This is his first season on this team, and it is several times this year. expected that he will be one of the mainstays for the next two years. Chicago, Ill.

March 12, 1922

JOHN H. COX Correspondent

#### Illinois Delta - University of Illinois

On February 18th Illinois Delta added the names of Esser, Whitney Carr, Hill, Salfisberg, Dunn, Cox, Stoik and Cusic to the chapter roll, The formal initiation was completed in the afternoon after which was held the annual initiation and Founders' Day banquet. Arthur Hamilton, Md. Alpha, presided as toastmaster, and excellent talks were given by "Ken" Barnard, Mich. Alpha, R. B. Miller, Ind. Gamma, and R. S. Stevens.

Illinois Delta has four new men this semester. Philip Porterfield and Carter Bailey were pledged and T. E. Mueller and N. L. Mahan returned to the life of a student.

During the Easter vacation the student opera, "Tea Time in Tibet," will be played in both Champaign and Chicago. Illinois Delta is well represented for the music was composed by "Bill" Donahue, and Pledge Porterfield took the male lead. A. C. Baur, R. E. Burns and H. W. Walker took minor parts.

This semester we have two more honors to add to our 1922 list. P. B. Bass was made a member of the senior ball committee and Francis Ronalds won one of the highest scholastic honors a student can obtain, the university scholarship.

Champaign, Ill. March 11, 1922

R. W. TURNBULL Correspondent

### Tennessee Delta — Vanderbilt University No LETTER RECEIVED

#### Wisconsin Alpha — University of Wisconsin

At last Wisconsin Alpha's new home is almost a reality. The final contracts have been let and all arrangements made for work to start next week on a chapter house which will be second to none at Wisconsin. The new house is to be erected on our old lot at 811 State street, in the heart of the university district, rather than a more distant lake shore location. We hope to be able to use it for rushing in the fall and will surely be ready to welcome visiting brothers when football season rolls around again. In the meantime, don't forget to look us up at 28 East Gilman whenever you are near Madison.

We held our formal initiation ceremonies on March 11th and have three new brothers of whom we are proud; they are Rene Hemingway of Chicago, Donald MacArthur of Antigo, and Fred Taggart of Lake Geneva. As the result of a very successful second semester rushing season we are able to announce the pledging of the following men: Delbert Talley, Terre Haute, Ind.; Win Tompkins, Clarion, Iowa; and Lauren Drake, Chicago. The first two are sons of loyal Phi Psis from Indiana Alpha and Minnesota Beta respectively.

Whitten, a sophomore, is practically sure of winning a place on the varsity baseball team this spring. Farwell and Lewis should do as well as usual in track. Vonnegut is the leading candidate for varsity coxswain. The freshmen are all out for teams or managers' positions and we think we have some real material among them. Bellows is swimming manager.

Haresfoot, the leading dramatic organization at Wisconsin, is preparing for its spring show, which will be produced in about ten large cities. Niles, Farwell and Vonnegut have been chosen for the cast, while Bellows is working on the production staff. Fred Johnson is active in the management of the military ball, which is to take place next month. Buell and Shockey were committee chairmen for the charity ball last month. Boardman, a senior in the law school, is taking an active part in the management of the *Law Review*.

We are trying to do as much advance rushing this spring as possible and would like to have information about any possible rushees you may have in mind. We shall be very glad to hear from either our own alumni or brothers in other chapters.

Madison, Wis. March 14, 1922 JOHN ALEXANDER JR Correspondent

#### Wisconsin Gamma — Beloit College

Wisconsin Gamma takes pleasure in introducing the following brothers: Don Kesler, Quincy, Ill.; Edwin Heckler, Wilmette, Ill.; Frank Roberts, Missoula, Mont.; Willis W. Thorn, Hudson, Wis.; Ralph Wilford, Kenneth Sturtevant, Albert Bradley and John Connel, Beloit. We also take pleasure in announcing the pledging of J. Lohrer Tunstead, of Janesville.

Phi Psi is well represented in every activity on the campus this year. We have two men in the Beloit Players, one on the debate team, three on the Glee Club, men on both the business and editorial staffs of the *Round Table*, and representatives in all branches of athletics. In addition, we have the usual quota of class and other officers.

Beloit has just finished a glorious basketball season with an enviable record of twelve straight wins. Connell and Laffin were the two speedy forwards talked so much about.

The annual formal dinner-dance was held at the Hilton Hotel March 4th. Several alumni returned for the affair.

Founders' Day was observed with an informal smoker and sing at the house. "Shorty" Thompson gave a short talk on the early history of the chapter, and the building of the present house.

Please do not forget that 1125 Chapin street is your address when in or near Beloit. The latch string is always out.

Beloit, Wis. March 9, 1922 WALTER MASSEY Correspondent

#### Minnesota Beta - University of Minnesota

We have gone through another short midseason rushing period and wish to announce the pledging of George Hagen and Edwin Nichols. Hagen is a graduate of West High School of Minneapolis, where he played tackle on the football team. Nichols is a Chicago man and attended St. John's Academy.

Dwight Lyman was recently promoted from advertising manager to business manager of the *Ski-U-Mak*. Jim Bohan also won a berth on the advertising staff. Oliver Aas completed a successful season at center by being elected captain of the next year's football team. "Ollie" made a great name for himself this year playing a veteran's game although it was the first time he had competed in intercollegiate football. Frank Hubachek has been initiated into Phi Delta Phi.

A month or so ago Clark Nicholson blew into the house unexpectedly and after asking about thirty leading questions finally announced that he was considering a party for the chapter at one of his new stores. Before he got any further his suggestion was accepted unanimously. The result was a party that will be remembered as long as some of the freshmen will be in college, which promises to be some time.

Founders' Day was celebrated at the Minneapolis Club. Ray Jackson acted as toastmaster and Miles McNally made the principal address of the evening. Doctor Fansler was elected president of the alumni association for the coming year.

Minneapolis, Minn. March 8, 1922 JOHN K. MORTLAND JR Correspondent

#### FIFTH DISTRICT

#### Iowa Alpha --- University of Iowa

Iowa Alpha takes pleasure in introducing the following: Hector Janse, Luverne; Harry Boyson, Harlan; Martin Cooney, West Union; William Kuser, Eldora; Frank Williams, Hampton; Edward Howery, Waterloo; Charles Larrabee, Fort Dodge; and Gerard Gage, Sibula. These brothers are rapidly entering into college activities.

The athletic prospects for Iowa Alpha are bright. Janse, Howery, Boyson and Pledge Jensen are on the freshman basketball squad. Gage is captain of the freshman swimming team, while Eric Wilson continues to take first place in his events on the track team. Paul Minnick and Glen Miller are out for spring football and will no doubt have their old places on next year's team.

Our track team won second place in the interfraternity relays and we expect to win the interfraternity basketball tournament. Pledge Ricketts as official score keeper is the last word in case of controversies.

Bill Telfer has been spending a few days with us. We're sorry Bill was feeling poorly but mighty glad that he could be with us.

The university's new million dollar chemistry building is now under construction, as well as extensive improvements on the athletic field.

On February 18th several of the brothers attended the Founders' Day banquet at Des Moines. We are sorry that more Iowa Alpha men could not attend. It was well worth while. Congratulations to Iowa Beta on their splendid attendance. Every man in that chapter was there.

lowa Alpha extends a cordial invitation to any who can visit us at any time. Don't forget the Big Ten track meet June 3d.

Iowa City, Iowa March 11, 1922 Donald H. Soper

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#### Iowa Beta — Iowa State College

Combining with Iowa Alpha and the Des Moines Alumni Association Iowa Beta celebrated Founders' Day in a most fitting and enjoyable manner. The banquet was held in the Savory Hotel and was attended by the chapter and pledges en masse. All agree that it was an occasion long to be remembered.

With the end of the quarter close at hand everyone is cracking the books, intent upon making Iowa Beta's scholastic standing an enviable one. "Polly" Wallace will be graduated at the end of this quarter and his loss will be a severe one for the chapter. Ames men will not soon forget his wonderful work for the Cardinal and Gold.

Word was recently received of the death of P. D. Lamson '20. Words can poorly express the chapter's loss by the death of this loyal brother.

Iowa Beta takes pleasure in introducing Waldo T. Harman of Ellsberry, Mo., who was initiated at the Founders' Day banquet. We are also glad to announce the transfer to Iowa Beta of Richard H. Berry, formerly of Ohio Alpha.

Tracy and Rice are out for track and Pledges Brown and Serrell are out for freshman track. Rigler is a member of the general committee in charge of the all-college celebration which is to be held in May. Wright was a delegate to the A. I. C. E. convention which was held in Rolla, Mo., last month. Prunty recently won the all-college 145pound wrestling championship. Pereboom is working on the *Student* staff. Pledge Brown is a member of the *Green Gander* staff. From the advance interest shown Iowa Beta will be almost 100 per cent in attendance at the G. A. C.

We have enjoyed visits in the past month by the following brothers: "Ty" Cobb, Frank Carter, F. A. Mason, Arthur Bongert, Gerald Cobb, and Smith and Noble of Nebraska Alpha. Bill Telfer also arrived after being delayed several weeks in Minneapolis and Iowa City by the flu. We are anticipating with great pleasure the visit of President Swannell, who is expected tomorrow.

Ames, Ìowa March 11, 1922

H. F. MELLINGER Correspondent

#### Missouri Alpha — University of Missouri

Missouri Alpha takes pleasure in introducing the following brothers who were initiated on March 4th: Charles E. Heite, Frederick H. Smith, Thomas P. Headen, Kansas City; Harry W. Thomas jr, Moberly; Harold Standish, Bedford, Ind.; Jesse Boatman, Maryville; John Martin and Henry W. Michels jr, Booneville. We were fortunate in having Gordon Letterman with us during initiation.

Dean Clark of the University of Illinois, president of Alpha Tau Omega, spoke to all fraternity men at a smoker given at the Daniel Boone Tavern on January 23d. His topic dealt with fraternities and their future.

Missouri Alpha has been gathering more honors this year. H. F. Misselwitz is now on the *Savitar* advisory board, and is editor of the Sigma Delta Chi *Quill*. Wakefield and Benson have been initiated into Chi Chi Junior-senior interfraternity, and Heite has been initiated into Tomb and Key, freshman-sophomore interfraternity. John Gilmore was recently recommended for the Rhodes scholarship. W. M. Marbut is now a member of Missouri's dairy judging team. Leeds is secretary of the junior class.

Politics is fast becoming the main topic of discussion about the campus, as the annual student election is to be held within the next few weeks. We shall probably have several candidates entered, but as yet no announcements have been made.

Founders' Day was celebrated by a banquet at the Tavern on the evening of February 18th.

The brothers are anxiously looking forward to the opening of the interfraternity basketball season. A large silver basketball is offered to the championship team. Phi Psi has unusually good prospects this year, and we hope to make an announcement confirming this statement in the next issue of THE SHIELD.

The chapter has recently had the pleasure of entertaining the following alumni: T. C. Wilson, E. U. Bain, Norton Shepard, Ben F. Seward, Mo. Alpha; and Bud Stevenson, Kan. Alpha.

Columbia, Mo.

March 10, 1922

GEORGE W. WALDEN

Correspondent

#### Texas Alpha — University of Texas

Texas Alpha celebrated Founders' Day on February 19th with a banquet at the chapter house, which was pronounced to be the best and most enthusiastic of its kind within the memory of the oldest men in the chapter. Besides the undergraduates and pledges there were present

Brothers Henderson, Patterson and Simmons of the university faculty; Granberry and Bergstrom of Austin; Wood of Belton; Henderson of Cameron; and Cook of Lufkin. Enthusiasm ran high and culminated in the speech of J. L. Henderson in which he made real and apparent the worth of the Fraternity throughout the entire life of a member.

Albert Curtis was awarded a varsity letter in basketball as the result of his good work during the past season. The chapter is represented on the diamond this spring by Allen and Elliott and Pledges Ward and Stinnett and Rowland are aspirants for the track team, the Kibble. former having won a letter in that sport last year. Pledge Tom Jones is on the cinder path for the freshmen.

In dramatics, Gano Lightfoot is representing the chapter, he having taken part in the recent production of the Curtain Club, leading dramatic organization of the campus. Pledge Deskins Wells has been elected to the staff of the Daily Texan.

Three members of the chapter have lately been added to the list of Phi Psi's representatives in the two leading social clubs, Allen to Rattler and Boyce and Pledge Schmidt to Arrowhead.

Since the holidays, three alumni of Texas Alpha have become benedicts and are now telling the less fortunate brothers of the joys of mar-ried life. They are Bill Ruggles '08, Johnny Shields '17, and George Finlay Simmons '18.

The latest pledge to the chapter is Bill Murphree of Wellington, who gives promise of being a good cartoonist as well as a good fraternity man.

Austin, Texas March 6, 1922 ED MANN Correspondent

#### Kansas Alpha — University of Kansas

Kansas Alpha takes pleasure in introducing the following newly initiated brothers: Wilfred L. Belgard, Newton; Don. G. Boggs, Wichita; William T. Campbell, Kansas City, Mo.; William H. Glascock, Hutch-inson; John D. Montgomery, Junction City; Jack M. Thompson, Mar-ion; and Vern M. Wilkins, Kansas City, Mo. Initiation was held February 17th in the chapter house, followed by a

banquet the next night in Kansas City.

Kearney represented Kansas at the Illinois meet but owing to a bad leg was defeated; O'Leary was unable to attend the meet as he was suffering from an injury. Both men are in good condition now and will participate in the Missouri-Kansas meet March 17th in Kansas City. Farrell, letter-man last year, Campbell, D. Boggs and Pledge Hodges are out for baseball. Lauterbach had a leading part in a dramatic club play which made a week's tour through the state. Dugan again will debate for the engineers in the annual engineer-law debate.

The chapter is publishing a catalog containing the names and a short history of all the initiates of this chapter. It is to be sent to all the alumni.

Roland Thompson '20 returned to college this semester. He has just recovered from an operation.

On March 10th the upperclassmen were entertained at a party given by the freshmen at the chapter house. May 6th is the date set for the annual rush party. It will be held at F. A. U. hall and all alumni are invited.

Kansas tied Missouri for first place in basketball in the Missouri Val-Two Kansas men were placed on the all-valley team. lev Conference. ROBERT M. SMITH Lawrence, Kan.

March 9, 1922

Correspondent

Nebraska Alpha — University of Nebraska No Letter Received

### Oklahoma Alpha — University of Oklahoma No Letter Received

#### Colorado Alpha — University of Colorado

Initiation ceremonies were held at the chapter house February 18th, and Colorado Alpha takes pleasure in introducing the following brothers: Lawrence Blunt, George Marlow and Burns Ellison, all of Denver; Cliffton Lott, Hendersonville, N. C.; and Edward Kneale, Boulder. Kneale is a brother of William Kneale '12. The Founders' Day banquet was held in Denver at the Metropole Hotel, and was attended by all the undergraduates and many alumni.

On February 24th the winter quarter dance was held at the chapter house. Several rushees from Denver and Boulder were entertained.

Colorado Alpha was successful in her winter quarter rushing, pledging Francis Scott and William Fitzhugh from Colorado Springs. Fitzhugh has been prominent in track work, and Scott held the presidency of his class in high school and many other honors.

The Boosters Club held its annual high school basketball tournament in Boulder March 9, 10, 11. The team from Greeley, which was quartered at the chapter house, won the championship of the state without losing a single game. A smoker was held March 11th after the final game, at which we entertained the Greeley, Colorado Springs and Grand Junction teams.

About twelve members of the chapter are planning to attend the summer school session which begins June 19th. A summer chapter will be run here if enough men attend school. All Phi Psis who plan to attend a summer school are urged to consider the one at Colorado. Information regarding the chapter house, the school, its location, and the courses has been sent to all the chapters with the news letter.

The chapter enjoyed a brief but very pleasant visit from President Swannell on March 10th and 11th. A Phi Psi luncheon was given in his honor at the University Club in Denver March 11th.

We receive frequent visits from Frank Wilkin, Robert Harris, Douglas Havens and Bruce Wallace, Col. Alpha. John A. Rush, Kan. Alpha, also honored us with a visit recently.

Boulder, Col.

March 12, 1922

J. L. CAMPBELL Correspondent

#### Washington Alpha — University of Washington

Washington Alpha takes pleasure in introducing the following new brothers, who were initiated February 18th: Beryl W. Davis, Seattle; LeRoy J. Vestal, Juneau, Alaska; Charles A. Estey, Seattle; Perry N. Clark and Hubert P. Lewis, Aberdeen; D. Trevor Davies, Seattle; John H. Weiser, Bellingham; Edward C. McManus, Richard C. Holbrook and Thomas S. L. Allen, Seattle. The initiation was followed by a banquet at the Washington Annex, which 85 members attended.

We have recently had the pleasure and profit of a visit from President Dan G. Swannell.

Jack Bole and Herbert Brink are doing well as managers of the *Daily* and *Tyee* in spite of the business depression. Washington Alpha is well represented on the staffs of all the student publications. Harold Marquis has recently been initiated into Sigma Upsilon, national honorary literary fraternity, which publishes the Columns.

Bob Ingram, Lynn Moore, Lloyd Mason and Tom Etherington are turning out for crew and all have good chances of making the varsity shell. Holbrook and Clark have received freshman football numerals. Holbrook has answered Coach Bagshsaw's call for spring football turn-out.

Anderson and Bellman and Pledge Egtvet are out for track.

Crisler is rapidly becoming a celebrity due to his part in the Glee Club feature act, "In those Dear Old College Daze," which has been haled by critics as the best piece of college humor which has ever been produced in this part of the country.

A chapter of Sigma Phi Epsilon has been installed at Washington since our last letter to the THE SHIELD.

Seattle, Wash.' March 5, 1922 Owen S. Cowling Correspondent

#### California Beta - Leland Stanford University

On January 29th California Beta held initiation for the pledges then eligible, and it is with pleasure that we announce the following brothers: Jack Stephens, Alan Robertson, Horace Wisely, Robert Myer, Harold McAllister, Stewart VanHook, Charles Parks, Willis Clayton, Fred Barlow and Jerry Draper.

The dramatic season is in full swing, with Phi Psi ably represented in the current productions. Dick Richmond took the lead in the Masquer's play, while Jerry Draper was in the cast of Ram's Head performers. The English Club play required the efforts of Charles Parks, Fred Barlow and Carl Newlin to asure its success.

Basketball season ended with Dick Richmond acquiring his third "S" in this sport, and with Wisely starting his frosh career by winning his numeral in the California game. Swayne was recently awarded his letter for his activities in soccer, and is now out for track. Bumbaugh is making fast time in the sprints, and Parks is also rounding into form on the track. Bob Myer was elected to captain the water polo team, and with Harold McAllister and Jerry Draper on the frosh swimming team, Phi Psi is ably represented in this sport. Baseball practice is flourishing, with three Phi Psi letter men back at their positions. Patterson is playing the initial sack, with Mitchell covering second, while Wayland chases flies in the outfield. In interfraternity basketball, Phi Psi lost but one game during the season, finishing second in our division.

During the last part of last month, we were accorded the honor of a visit by President Dan G. Swannell, who was accompanied by Shirley Meserve, president of the Southern California A. A. Although unable to stay over night, we enjoyed their visit a great deal, and look forward to the promised visit of Brother Meserve this month.

Founders' Day was appropriately celebrated by a banquet held in the Red Room of the Bohemian Club in San Francisco. California Gamma, California Beta and Northern California A. A. joined in this celebration, at which all three bodies were well represented. It is needless to say that the brothers enjoyed themselves to the utmost. Phi Psi started this year's social season by a successful dance on February 24th, and we are now planning for the tennis court dance early next quarter.

Pinkston of this chapter, world's champion fancy diver, is now visiti ing us, as he is taking part in the national diving championships n-San Francisco.

Stanford University, Cal. March 10, 1922

D. WEDGWOOD GRAVES Correspondent

California Gamma — University of California No Letter Received

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Charles Pinkley Knight, Ind. Alpha '88, died at the Methodist Hospital, Indianapolis, January 29, 1922. Brother Knight had made his home at the English Hotel in Indianapolis for the past several years. After being initiated into the old Indiana Gamma Chapter at Wabash in 1886, Brother Knight entered the law school at DePauw and was transferred to Indiana Alpha. He entered the law profession following his college work, but soon engaged in the brokerage business, living in Indianapolis and Chicago. He retired in 1916. He was a cousin of A. W. Knight, Ind. Gamma '80, and of Edwin H. Knight, Ind. Gamma '93. He is also survived by a brother, Carl P. Knight, Indianapolis, who was pledged at Indiana Gamma, but withdrew from college before initiation.

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Harry S. Stewart, Pa. Beta '94, died after a short illness at his home in New York City on March 4, 1922. He was a lawyer at 160 Broadway, and was a member of the New York A. A.

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Archie Leroy Sawtelle, W. Va. Alpha '96, died at his home in Wheeling, W. Va., March 5, 1922. He was a prominent attorney and a member of the West Virginia state democratic committee.

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Sheward Hagerty, Pa. Iota '93, died at his home in Philadelphia, Pa., March 16, 1922, at the age of 53. He was born in West Chester, Pa., and was graduated from the high school in that place, and from the University of Pennsylvania Dental School in 1895. He was president of the Keebler-Weyl Baking Co. at the time of his death.

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### The Old Fraternity<sup>1</sup>

By Dr. Edgar Fahs Smith, Pa. Epsilon '72

Some three or four days ago while in Rochester, I received a telegram from a Sigma Nu in the university, asking whether I would be here tonight and speak briefly to you.

For three or four years it has been my privilege to receive every three months a copy of your publication. I read the last number I think from cover to cover, so that as I thought over the invitation conveyed by the telegram, I could not help but say to myself, it is an invitation to the Fraternity that has won a place in your heart. Go! So the word came back, "Unless ordered to Washington, I will be with you."

I joined my college fraternity in 1872—almost fifty years ago. It appealed to me. And from that time to this fraternities all through the country have appealed to me. I never saw a fraternity badge on a man but that there comes to me the thought that he is my brother.

You do honor to the letters "Sigma Nu," I to "Phi Kappa Psi," others to "Beta Theta Pi," to "Sigma Chi," and so on down the line; and when we come to interpret the words for

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> This is a toast given by Brother Smith, provost emeritus of the University of Pennsylvania, at the banquet held in connection with the convention of the Sigma Nu Fraternity in Philadelphia during the Christmas holidays. THE SHIELD is indebted to *The Delta* of Sigma Nu for this very interesting address.—EDITOR

which those letters stand we find they have a common meaning. They stand for practically the same thing—lofty ideals.

In 1750, the first Greek-letter society was formed at William and Mary College. It antedated Phi Beta Kappa twenty-six years. It struck into existence, why? Because there were in that old institution spirits who were congenial, spirits who had high aims, before whom stood ideals, and they sought to attain them, and that fellowship characteristic of fraternity became theirs.

In 1776, Phi Beta Kappa, moved, undoubtedly, by what she saw in the Flatheads, gathered to herself a goodly number of students of William and Mary, and they launched forth the second fraternity, the ideals of which were, of course, brotherhood, first, and later scholarship. But when that fraternity came north of the Mason and Dixon's line and established itself along the rocky coast of Massachusetts, somehow or other there disappeared from it the fraternal spirit and the intellectual took absolute sway, and we then learned Phi Beta Kappa as we know her today.

But that there was something wanting in the great student body of this country, something that had gone out with the Flatheads, the first fraternity, because of its death, and something that was eliminated from Phi Beta Kappa, prompted a group of men at Union College in 1824 to launch Kappa Alpha—and one of the cardinal things in Kappa Alpha is fraternity—brotherhood.

Some of you may know Kappa Alpha better than I do, but it has been my luck to associate with me a number of Kappa Alphas of my own age, and from them I soon learned that the one thing that has knit them together, and the one thing perhaps that is responsible for their being a rather small organization is that intense fraternal love.

Yesterday, passng down Sixteenth street, I chanced to meet a Kappa Alpha, a man of about 76 years of age, and I greeted him as I had many times before, although I had not seen him for two years.

He immediately began to speak of his old fraternity and said to me, "Isn't it remarkable how that old fraternal spirit grips one? I know how you feel about your fraternity. You have told me and I have told you my feelings—this brotherhood spirit."

Of course, the world generally thinks of us Greeks as people who are addicted to liquor drinking, and maybe it is true that in the days gone by there were those of our number who at certain times forgot themselves, went beyond what was right and proper, but no fraternity has ever written into its foundation, its fundamental laws, anything that would indicate that it approved of that sort of conduct; and nowadays the fraternities are making it an unalterable rule that, in their chapter houses and at their banquets, liquor shall not find place.

Your toastmaster has indicated that I might speak on "The Old Fraternity." The other day, one of your number, Mr. Carlson, called at my home and we promptly fell into a bit of discussion. I asked him the number of men in the chapter at Pennsylvania, and then like one on in years, I naturally said, "Well, in my college days, chapters were very small." I think I astonished him when I said that old Pennsylvania Epsilon, of which I am still a member in Phi Kappa Psi, in my student days, never had more than There was no law forbidding us taking more, nine men. but for some strange reason the history of the chapter showed that from the very beginning down until within the seventies, that was about our number. Perhaps for a short while there might have been seven, but nine was properly the number the chapter had either by initiation or in some other way.

The old fraternity that is in my mind is the fraternity with a small chapter. Please don't for a moment think that I am criticizing modern conditions. But to me Greekletter societies means "fraternity," it means "brotherhood," it means that I could go from my room to the room of a Brother Phi Kappa Psi, and occupy his bed and take anything that was in that room, reporting to him when it suited me to do so; and he had the same privilege with my property.

I told Mr. Carlson that the first original oration that I was called upon to deliver before my class and afterwards

the faculty, after I had written it, had to be read to my chapter brothers and the criticisms that it received there at their hands were such as made me shiver. They simply tore the oration to pieces and ordered me to go back and rewrite it and present it again. And that was done until the eight men, acting as the judges, said to me that I could get it off before the class.

So it went. In our studies, we were not allowed to fall behind, and those of the chapter who had ability for mathematics were made to stand first in mathematics.

I recall one member of that little group of nine, who was particularly able with the pen, a beautiful writer, and there was a senior prize essay for which we all competed. We felt that it was ours, that our senior would win it without trouble. But no, boylike, even he procrastinated until within less than a week of the time when the essay was to be ready to pass upon, and then we, to save ourselves, locked him in a room and kept him there for three days and three nights, bringing him his food and looking after him generally so that he might write the essay, which he did—and won the prize.

Now, it did him good, and it did the rest of us no harm. We took lessons from him, and later on when our turn came we didn't permit ourselves to be shut up, but we went to work early.

It was just like a little family, you know, as you see them gathered about the table, now, one brother looking after the other, and some one, the head of the table, acting the part of father.

Those were the glorious days, and that was the fraternal spirit which developed there and took hold of my heart, that has kept me true to the Greek-letter spirit all of these years.

Most of you know that for 40 years I served the University of Pennsylvania in various capacities, and through all of those years I have stood out in favor of the Greek-letter society, even when men of other fraternities would come and say, "Why, Smith, you do not mean to say that down in that house there at the corner of 34th and Woodland Avenue, those fellows are sober and industrious and straight-walking men?" And I said, "I do." "Well," he says, "You are the most gullible old chap I have met for a long while." "No," he said, "I am a Greek-letter society man of your own age, and I don't believe that these places are any more what their earlier chapters were," and "they ought to be eliminated."

And through all that objection and through all that attack that came, I have felt firm in the belief—I know that I am right—that the spirit that animates us all is the same.

Brotherhood is the thing that I am after. A great danger of the big chapter is the club spirit. You know everybody, of course; you call everybody by his first name, but is there that hooking together of soul to soul that there is in the smaller combination?

Now, what I mean by the "Old Fraternity," is that it has small membership, that men were united in a way that they can't be united where the membership is so extensive. Naturally, having been the editor of my fraternity journal for some years and made the acquaintance of the editors of all the fraternity journals published at that time, having met them for purposes of discussion and consideration of Greek affairs, I couldn't help but inquire as to what their thought was about the growth of chapters, the extension of fraternities, and one thing that worried us those days was, Is the fraternal spirit going to go? Is it going to leave the Greekletter society? Will they become a club, and will the club spirit prevail there?

As I read, in the years gone by, the pages of *The Delta*, and tried to catch the spirit of the correspondents of the various chapters of Sigma Nu, somehow or other I saw two things: I saw the lingering fraternal spirit, but I saw, too, this wonderful desire for expansion—the creation of a club. It is not alone with you, it is in my own Fraternity; it is in many other fraternities, and I wonder whether we ought not to think a bit, if the chapters are to be large, what steps are we taking to preserve in them the fraternal spirit. If the fraternity is to be large, and if she is to be located in all respectable institutions of the land, what steps are we taking to preserve in those many institutions the spirit that led your men in 1865—I think there were five of them—down in Virginia to come together of a night and, looking into the stars and asking for guidance, founded your fraternity? Is that spirit still with Sigma Nu?

Of course, we say—those of us who are in college and university life—there have been great changes. When I was in college, and first appeared on the campus, a friend said, "There goes the first honor man of the senior class;" "there goes the best Greek scholar in the college," "there goes the best mathematician," "there goes the fellow that has won the freshman and sophomore prizes in mathematics."

I have been listening for years at the universities for the boys to tell me, as I have been used on the campus, "There goes the first honor man of the senior class." The voice has not been heard. Another voice has come: "That is the quarterback of the eleven." "That is the captain of the varsity." "That is the stroke of the crew." "That is the cracker-jack short stop," and so on.

The old spirit of the Flatheads, the earlier spirit of Phi Beta Kappa, and all of the rest that came down the line since then, I think, was on the other side. Not that we as fraternity men are to be blind to the value of athletics; on the contrary we want to encourage that, but you know the spirit of competition gets great and the spirit of rivalry grows and we sometimes see a strong organization becoming stronger in athletics, and we feel that we ought to be doing something of that kind; and we are aware that as our thoughts are more on the athletics, more on those things that are not fraternal, more of the thing as a club, the more we are losing a bit of that old Greek-letter fraternalism.

I ask you to think of it, and I have come down these hundreds of miles just for the sake of talking to you as my younger brothers. That is what you are. You prize your fraternity just as I prize my fraternity. All fraternity men prize their fraternities. And what is it that made them so dear to us? My love was developed because of closeness, the nearness of the fellows with whom I began my career as a Greek-letter society man, and it exists today with those of us who are still living.

Brethren, one of the things that I read in *The Delta* that made tears come to my eyes, was the death of the last one of When I read of that man, as I had previvour founders. ously read in earlier issues of the journal, the stories of the men who made your fraternity. I thought to myself, if I might just have taken his hand before he passed the bar and just exchanged a few fraternity words with him. I think that he and his associates in the founding of the fraternity and I could have well joined one fraternity. We would have forgotten, that they were Sigma Nus, and I that I was a Phi Kappa Psi. We could have joined hands and hearts and We would have written over it formed a new fraternity. "Love" and "Brotherhood." That would have been enough.

That is it. Now, are we going to have that spirit continue in our fraternities? As I am preaching a bit to you, I am going to ask you to keep it in your fraternities. If you have a large chapter, all right, but make fraternal spirit the thing; just be as close as you can get to one another, and if you can't be close to all real brothers, then you better just withdraw and go out into the world.

I have joined since I am a man, the Masonic fraternity, and I have gone through all its degrees, and somehow or other in that period of Masonic activity, there will come to me at times when I least expect it, the recollection of my first obligation of brotherhood in fraternity, and I find this feeling coming to me in these days of activity in the Masonic order.

Do we still have the spirit of our fathers in Masonry? Do you have tonight the spirit of your father in Sigma Nu? Of the men who under the starry sky down in Old Virginia Military Institute, linked hands and joined hearts and resolved that their lives would be in accordance with certain things, and then handed them down to the fellows who succeeded them?

Phi Beta Kappa lost her sentiment when she came north of Mason and Dixon's line and stood for scholarship alone. Intellectuality is all right, but the heart has got to have a part in it, too, or nothing will live.

## A Day in the G. A. C. City

By the Editor

ES Sir, we are going to have a great convention in June." The gentleman who made this statement with a good deal of sincerity and enthusiasm was sitting next to me at the Rotary Club's Monday luncheon in Springfield. He looked so prosperous and showed so much interest that I at once concluded that that particular question was definitely settled.

"From all the information I have gathered during the forenoon, I certainly would not dispute that proposition," I ventured.

"You know nearly everyone in the city is cooperating to make the convention—the G. A. C., I mean—a success," he continued, "and we are going to put it across."

"Again I am ready to agree with you."

At this point Brother Bauer, the president of the club, pounded the gavel in a partially successful effort to subdue somewhat the "roughneck" table. As soon as a bit of quiet was restored, I whispered to the prosperous looking gentleman who had engaged me in G. A. C. conversation, "By the way, I did not get the name of your chapter."

"Oh," he said with a slight chuckle, "I am not a Phi Psi; I am a Beta."

This remark stunned me for a moment. Nearly all the prosperous looking fellows I had met during the morning had been Phi Psis so that I had come to assume that all such gentlemen in Springfield wore the shield. And the interest shown in the forthcoming convention had of course deceived me as to my neighbor at luncheon.

I soon discovered my mistake, however. It was twofold. In the first place, there are a great many fine fraternity men in Springfield, although Phi Psis do hold so many places of honor and responsibility. And my second slip was in assuming that interest in the convention was confined to members of this Fraternity.

Springfield is different from other cities in which Grand Arch Councils have been held. It is small enough so that all the business and professional men are keenly interested in its success, regardless of the fraternity badge they wear. They want all delegates to have a good time, and they feel it to be a matter of civic pride to help put across such a convention that all will leave saying, "The Springfield G. A. C. was the best we ever had." From the spirit shown and the plans made, I am confident they will realize their expectations.

In discussing with Carl Ultes, the general G. A. C. chairman, my luncheon conversation with Mr. Beta, he said, "Why, sure, all the fraternity men in the city are helping us. You recall the hotel proprietor to whom I just introduced you, and who was so enthusiastic about making the banquet a big success? Well, he is also a Beta, and he is going to give us the greatest banquet ever. The contracts are even now all signed and detailed plans are made. He is as interested as though it were his own fraternity." And that, I discovered, seemed to be the attitude everywhere.

"Suppose we drive down and look at the big hall where the smoker, banquet and ball are to be held," said Brother Ultes, and within a few blocks from the G. A. C. hotels we came to a fine large building known as Memorial Hall, ideally arranged for all these functions, with ample room, fine dancing floor, balconies, check rooms, stage and all conveniences.

"What is upstairs in this building?" I asked. Upon being informed that the circuit court chambers were there. I inquired as to whether any Phi Psis were around. "Oh yes," Carl said, "that is where Judge Geiger presides. We must see him while here." Court was in session, but the delightful presiding justice found time to leave the bench, give us the grip, and inquire from Chairman Ultes as to the progress of G. A. C. plans. I thought then that little short of a general railroad strike could prevent the success of this G. A. C., when prominent and busy Phi Psis evince so much interest. And I am not at all certain about the ability of a railroad strike to interfere seriously with plans, for nearly all Phi Psis in Ohio are coming, and would still come even if it should be necessary to drive or walk. And the Springfield Phi Psis believe that about 50 per cent—or is it 75 per cent?—of all our members live within a radius of 100 miles from their town.

When we were leaving Memorial Hall, someone called to Chairman Ultes, and, after a brief interview, he informed me that he had just signed contracts for the hall for all the G. A. C. entertainments. Getting these details definitely settled early in April still further impressed me that the Springfield Phi Psis meant to make this G. A. C. a big success, and also that they would not fail in their intentions.

"Now suppose we drive out to the Ohio Beta chapter house," said Carl, and as soon as we were in high I asked him more questions about the entertainment features of the G. A. C. He told me of some novel stunts for the smoker, mentioned the names of prominent Phi Psi orators for the banquet, showed me contracts for two orchestras for the dance, and delighted me with the mention of other features to keep both undergraduate and alumnus from getting lonely while in Springfield.

"But this dance, Carl; you know there will be a big crowd of young fellows without girls. They won't care particularly about jazzing with their good brothers. How are you going to arrange that?"

"It's all arranged now," the genial chairman said. "We have invited the pick of the girls from all over the state, have them all card-indexed as to local headquarters and will see that every brother has a delightful partner."

"Yes, but what are you going to do with four hundred or more out of town girls? You will have a big job as to housing, won't you?"

With this question I expected I would have the businesslike chairman sidestepping. But again I was wrong. "That is all taken care of now. Right there is where some of this cooperation on the part of other fraternity men in the city is shown. They have opened their homes to us, and the girls will have the best the city has to offer." And from my view of Springfield homes, I venture the out of town girls will not suffer from lack of homes or hospitality.

"How about entertainment for visiting ladies?" I asked,

### Railroad Rates to G. A. C.

knowing of the large number of ladies who have acquired the G. A. C. habit and for the two years following a G. A. C. plan for the next convention.

"That is also being taken care of. Tomorrow there is a meeting of the committee, consisting of 35 Phi Psi ladies. They are arranging for several teas, luncheons and receptions."

Arriving at the local chapter house, I found the excellent group of boys there no less enthusiastic than were the alumni. And I also found the same spirit of cooperation among the Wittenberg undergraduates as among the alumni. No sooner had we arrived at the chapter house than someone handed Brother Ultes a letter from a local chapter of another fraternity, offering the use of their entire chapter house for G. A. C. week.

After a day in Springfield, I was especially impressed with the completeness of the plans made at so early a date and with the outstanding spirit of helpful cooperation manifested on every hand. It is clear that the Springfield G. A. C. will not be an eleventh-hour convention.

### Reduced Railroad Rates to G. A. C.

The various railroad associations have granted a roundtrip rate to Springfield, Ohio, of a fare and one-half on account of the G. A. C. In order to secure this advantage, however, it is absolutely necessary that all who will attend the convention observe the following instructions:

1 Tickets at the regular one-way tariff fare for the going journey may be obtained on any of the following dates (but not on any other date), June 17-23. Be sure that, when purchasing your ticket, you request a CERTIFICATE. Do not make the mistake of asking for a "receipt."

2 Present yourself at the railroad station for ticket and certificate at least 30 minutes before departure of train on which you will begin your journey. 3 Certificates are not kept at all stations. If you inquire at your home station, you can ascertain whether certificates and through tickets can be obtained to the place of meeting. If not obtainable at your home station, the agent will inform you at what station they can be obtained. You can in such case purchase a local ticket to the station which has certificates in stock, where you can purchase a through ticket and at the same time ask for and obtain a certificate to the place of meeting.

4 Immediately on your arrival at the meeting present your certificate to the endorsing officer, Thomas A. Cookson, Secretary, as the reduced fare for the return journey will not apply unless you are properly identified as provided for by the certificate.

5 Arrangements have been made for the validation of certificates by a special agent of the carriers on June 21 to 24, if the required minimum of 350 certificates is presented.

6 No refund of fare will be made on account of failure to obtain proper certificate when purchasing going ticket, or on account of failure to present validated certificate when purchasing return ticket.

7 So as to prevent disappointment, it must be understood that the reduction on the return journey is not guaranteed, but is contingent on an attendance of not less than 350 at the meeting and dependent members of their families, holding regularly issued certificates obtained from ticket agents at starting points, showing payment of regular one-way tariff fare of not less than 67 cents on going journey. Members who take their wives should secure certificates for them also.

8 If the necessary minimum of 350 certificates is presented to the special agent as above explained, and your certificate is duly validated, you will be entitled up to and including June 28th to a return via the same route over which you made the going journey, at one-half of the regular one-way tariff fare from Springfield to the point at which your certificate was issued.

9 Return ticket issued at the reduced fare will not be good

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on any limited train on which such reduced fare transportation is not honored.

No member of the Fraternity entitled to a certificate should fail to obtain it; for you will be depriving another brother of a privilege which will mean much to him. Those brothers living near Springfield will not be greatly benefited by it, but they will be doing their part in securing the necessary 250 for the benefit of those coming from distant points. All tickets over 67 cents will permit the use of a certificate.

Owing to the fact that certificates are not kept at all stations, it is advisable that members living in small towns ascertain in advance if certificates are obtainable at their stations, so that if necessary the local agent may send to a larger station for them, or local tickets may be purchased to stations where through tickets to Springfield and certificates may be obtained.

Members living in the territories where Trunk Line Associations have not granted reduced rates may purchase tickets to the nearest point within the territory of a Trunk Line Association which has granted the rate, and there secure a certificate which will enable them to get a half-fare to that point on the return trip.

*Postscript:* Think of having your ticket available anytime to June 28th. This latter emergency is the accommodation that the far-seeing committee affords the young men that fall for the charms of the Springfield girls. Some inducement to be able to get home for half price after one is broke and has stayed over until the following Wednesday courting the debutante he met at the dances?

## G. A. C. Expenses Need Not Be Heavy

By the Springfield G. A. C. Committee

This may get you, frosh! We want you to get the G. A. C. spirit, and the best way to get it is to get it *now*.

We have high-class hotels for the high-class. But I am talking to you, penniless frosh; we also have good hotels at

reasonable prices. I dropped in on the Bookwalter and the Arcade hotels to inquire about the prices just for you, and I was pleased to hear the hospitable proprietors say that there was such a thing under their roofs as a \$1 room. I ask you, frosh, can't you afford a real G. A. C., if we can offer you the expensive part of the trip as cheaply as that? Any number of rooms at this price, so don't imagine that the other freshmen will beat you to it. Bath, did you say, well, maybe not, but why be so proud? You'll be home by Saturday night, borrowing an old one.

Just wink at the registration clerk, this way, you see, and he will know that you want a cheap room. We are too far inland to mistake the wink. And then it is only the rich man that can wink expensively.

We want you to taste of this best G. A. C. that the old birds have ever attended. Enough real enjoyment will be uncorked,—that is not the proper word at all—unleashed, to make you go back and sit around the fire telling the guys that refused to believe in our cheap rooms that it sure is strange how a town of the size of Springfield could put it over so inexpensively and yet so famously.

*Note:* The word "Frosh" may mean you too, upperclassman, for these rates are for all. Get the G. A. C. spirit!

### G. A. C. Hotel Rates

Springfield has several modern hotels which will give special attention to delegates and visitors to the G. A. C. The official headquarters will be at the Shawnee, but all other hotels are within a short walk from this hotel. The rates are as follows:

Shawnee Hotel, Main and Limestone sts.: Rooms with private bath, \$3 up; without bath, \$2.50 up. If three are in a room with double bed or twin beds and cot, \$7 up.

Bancroft Hotel, High and Limestone sts.: Two in a room, double bed, \$2 each; one cot additional, \$2. Four in a room, two double beds, \$2 each; one cot additional, \$2. Two in room, two single beds, \$3 each; one cot additional, \$2. One large room with eight or ten cots, \$1.50 a person. All rooms with bath.

Heaume Hotel, Fountain and Columbia sts.: One in room, \$1.50. Two in room, double bed, \$3; one cot additional, \$1. Two in room, single beds, \$3.50; one cot additional, \$1. Two in room, single beds, \$4; one cot additional, \$1.

Bookwalter Hotel, High and Limestone sts.: All rooms from 1 to 2, with and without baths.

Arcade Hotel, Arcade Building: All rooms from \$1 to \$2, with and without baths.

Sidelights

Where large delegations are planning on coming, special room accommodations can be made at reasonable rates by means of cots in sample rooms.

Where possible, three should occupy rooms in the Hotel Shawnee, which will be headquarters for the convention.

For room accommodations, address Robert M. Young, care Phi Kappa Psi House, Springfield, Ohio.

For the accommodation of those brothers who are not rated in Dun's or Bradstreet's, the committee has made arrangements with the Heaume Hotel to place cots on the unfinished fifth floor at \$1 per. It's rough, but cheap. And if you adhere to traditions, you will see about as much of your little cot as you would a \$3.50 bed. The committee wants to put this G. A. C. within reach of every Phi Psi, although it does come at the end of the college year.

## G. A. C. Committees

The general chairman of the committee of Springfield Phi Psis arranging for the G. A. C. is Carl Ultes. The executive committee consists of John L. Bushnell, Louis E. Bauer, George M. Winwood, A. D. Hosterman, Dan R. E. Shouvlin. The general chairman of the ladies committees is Mrs. Louis E. Bauer. The chairmen of the various other local committees are as follows:

Banquet	. Brown Burleigh
Dance	
Smoker	. James Turner
Finance	
Speakers	Hon. Chase Stewart
Entertainment	Judge Frank W. Geiger
Publicity	A. D. Hosterman
Decorations	Dan R. E. Shouvlin
Music	Charles L. Bauer
Registration	Frank H. Mills
Hotels	Robert M. Young
Visiting ladies	William G. Wilson

### Regular One-way Fares to Springfield, Ohio

Note reduced rate, described elsewhere in this issue

New York	\$24.34	Minneapolis	\$25.54
Boston	31.07	St. Louis	13.73
Philadelphia	21.10	Kansas City	23.77
Washington	19.42	Los Angeles	87. <b>37</b>
Pittsburgh	8.52	San Francisco	87.37
Cleveland	6.59	Portland, Ore.	88.31
Toledo	4.85	Indianapolis	5.06
Detroit	6. <b>92</b>	Buffalo	13.15
Chicago	10.88	Denver	46.53

# G. A. C. Program

The thirty-second biennial Grand Arch Council will convene in Springfield, Ohio, at 9.30 a. m., Wednesday, June 21st. The first day will be devoted to the election of convention officers, appointment of committees and the reading of the reports of officers and editors. The committees will meet and formulate their reports on Thursday, submitting the same for G. A. C. action on Friday and Saturday. Election of officers will occur Saturday morning.

On Thursday afternoon there will be a meeting of the Endowment Fund Corporation and an alumni symposium.

### Entertainment

The Springfield A. A. has arranged the following entertainment features: Tuesday evening, informal reception at Shawnee Hotel; Wednesday evening, smoker at Memorial Hall; Thursday afternoon, tea dansante and golf; Thursday, 9 p.<sup>F</sup>m., dance at Memorial Hall; Friday afternoon, terrace party; Friday evening, banquet at Memorial Hall.

For the ladies the following entertainment program has been arranged: Tuesday evening, informal reception at Shawnee Hotel; Wednesday afternoon, tea; Wednesday evening, musicale at Lagonda Club; Thursday afternoon, tea dansante; Thursday evening, dance at Memorial Hall; Friday afternoon, terrace party and dancing; Friday evening, buffet dinner and bridge.

## G. A. C. Clothes

G. A. C. CLOTHES! That little old dress suit; that little old dress suit, That little old dress suit that Daddy wore; It was fine when it was new, way back there in '52; Let it hang there for the moths for ever more!

Yep! Flannels will take the place of that tail-bearing monstrosity.

Boys, but won't it be fine to know that the lid is off as to formality, and that you can come to a hot dance in June with a cool covering? The boob that wants to dress up for the occasion should be told right now that his dear old "swaller-tail" is out of fashion; all dress-suits are except those in the movies, and on closer inspection they might all be dickies!

Whether you ride the bumpers to this Ohio town or come in a sleeper, be advised that no dickies go, either at the dances or banquet.

Comfort! Yes, but no rest! Bring more than one collar, for we have a surprise in store for you. The Springfield alumni and Ohio Beta are running a beauty contest and every beauty in southern Ohio will be here to worry you, so don't forget that extra soft collar.

Just remember if you come with a "tux" or dress-suit vou'll be just like certain chapters are on expansion, "you can't get by."

G. A. C. Publicity Committee

## Wanted—A Song

Rossiter G. Cole, Mich. Alpha '84, is one of this country's most distinguished composers. He has been connected with the teaching staffs of Columbia University and the University of Chicago, and in his studio in the Fine Arts Building, Chicago, many of the most talented musicians of the country have received instruction in composition and the theory of music at his hands.

Brother Cole has written to the Editor of the Song Book as follows:

Dear Brother Robertson:

If you can get me some good words for a fraternity song I will gladly If you can get me some good words for a fraternity song 1 will glady try my hand at making a setting for one. I do not do it for the prizes, but if one comes my way I will not refuse it, as Caesar did the crown. Send me some words and I will feed my muse some oats. Fraternally yours Rossiter G. Cole

Brother Cole has already contributed to the Fraternity two of its best songs, namely, "Bonds of Youth" and "So Soon Cut Down." It is hoped that some one will arise to this occasion and collaborate with Brother Cole and the Editor of the Song Book to the end of securing another classic song for the new Song Book, to be published during the year.

### **Finding Your Job**

THE SHIELD is in receipt of a new book by Mr. N. G. Shidle, entitled "Finding Your Job" (Ronald Press, \$2). It contains a valuable and comprehensive analysis of effective methods of hunting a job and keeping it. It is primarily for those seeking their first business positions, and will be helpful to college men who are now being graduated. It stresses the necessity for self-analysis in job selection and gives useful advertisement and letter forms.

Dr. Edward C. Elliott, Neb. Alpha '95, for the past seven years chancellor of the University of Montana, has been elected president of Purdue University, and will be installed next month. He will succeed the late Dr. W. E. Stone, who met a tragic death a year ago while on a mountainclimbing expedition in the Rockies.

President Elliott was born in Chicago December 21, 1874. He received his bachelor's degree from the University of Nebraska in 1895 and his master's degree two years later. Columbia gave him a doctor's degree in 1905. During the summer of 1904 he studied at the University of Jena. From 1898 to 1903 he was superintendent of schools at Leadville. Col., and from 1907 to 1916 was professor of education at the University of Wisconsin. Since February 1916 he has been chancellor of the University of Montana, having charge of the four state schools. He has made several investigations for the United States Bureau of Education, and has acted as adviser to various state and municipal educational He is the author of several books dealing commissions. with educational matters.

Doctor Elliott, who was a charter member of Nebraska Alpha, has always maintained a deep interest in the Fraternity, and has been especially interested in extension into Montana.

### Col. Donovan Receives Federal Appointment

Col. William J. Donovan, N. Y. Gamma '03, of Buffalo, N. Y., has been appointed United States district attorney for western New York. This is another important honor in Brother Donovan's already illustrious career.

When the United States entered the World War, Brother Donovan, who was practicing law in Buffalo, was made major of the 69th regiment. He had had considerable experience in the national guard, and made an enviable record in France. He was wounded three times during the fighting about Cote de Chatilion, suffered a broken leg from a rifle bullet in another engagement, and though weak and bleeding refused to leave the scene of action, directing his men from a shell hole until relief came.

Colonel Donovan was decorated with the Distinguished Service Cross, the Palm (twice), Legion of Honor, the Italian War Cross and the French Croix de Guerre. Since the war he visited the Orient with Ambassador Morris to study conditions there.

### Iowa Beta Building New Home

Construction work has started on a new chapter house for Iowa Beta at Iowa State College. The chapter has sold its old house and acquired a choice location south of the college campus. The house is being built on a lot containing an acre of ground, and the property, when the building is completed, will have a value of about \$40,000. It is expected the new house will be ready by October.

### Song Book Prizes

Francis H. Robertson, Editor of the Song Book, is now busily engaged in compiling the new edition of the Song Book. A number of new songs have been submitted in the prize competition, but it is not too late for additional entries. The Executive Council has authorized liberal cash prizes for the best songs submitted, and many brothers are after some of the cash.

The appropriation of \$200 is to be divided as follows:

First prize, \$100	Fourth prize, \$15
Second prize, \$ 50	Fifth prize, \$10
Third prize. \$ 25	

The contest will not close until after the coming G. A. C. It is planned to publish the new book during the summer.

The rules of the contest are as follows:

I Members of the Fraternity, their wives, sisters and daughters are eligible to compete for prizes.



MAJOR LEON FRASER, N. Y. GAMMA '10

Dr. EDWARD C. ELLIOTT, NEB. ALPHA '95



PRESIDENT SWANNELL AT "MOVIE" HEADQUARTERS, LOS ANGELES With Shirley E. Meserve, Cal. Gamma (left) and Joe A. Jackson, N. Y. Gamma (right)

### Fraser Heads Veterans' Bureau

2 Words and music must be original.

3 If one person writes the words and another person the music of a song that is awarded a prize, the prize is to be divided equally.

4 No person shall be awarded more than one prize.

5 Members of the song book committee and of the jury shall be excluded from participation in the contest.

6 The Fraternity may use all songs submitted whether or not prizes are awarded to the contestants submitting same.

7 Any contestant submitting a song that is accepted for publication, but not awarded a prize, shall receive a copy of the new Song Book, autographed by the Editor.

8 Any contestant submitting original words to popular music may be awarded a copy of the Song Book, but a person submitting original words set to popular music which is not original, shall not be awarded one of the cash prizes.

Copy of songs to be entered in this contest should be submitted at once to Francis H. Robertson, 415 Madison av., New York, N. Y.

## Fraser Heads Veterans' Bureau

The director of the War Veterans' Bureau has announced the appointment of Major Leon Fraser, N. Y. Gamma '10, as manager of district 2, which comprises New York, New Jersey and Connecticut. Major Fraser has been executive officer of the central office of the bureau at Washington. His appointment follows a long investigation of charges that war veterans have been the victims of inefficient management in the New York district. There are about 1600 employees in the New York office.

Major Fraser enlisted in the headquarters troop, 30th division, in the war, but was commissioned a major less than five months after he entered the service. He served as assistant judge advocate, service of supply, until August I, 1919, when he was discharged.

Brother Fraser was Archon of the first district 1911-13,

and was afterward appointed Attorney General, which office he held at the time of his enlistment. He later resigned when he found his duties would not permit him to give the proper attention to the work connected with the office.

## As to Fraternity Conventions

The 87th annual convention of Delta Upsilon was held with its chapter at Carnegie Institute of Technology, Pittsburgh, September 8-10. Charters were granted to petitioning locals at Oregon Agricultural College and at the University of Virginia. The latter is the first chapter the fraternity has ever placed south of Mason and Dixon's line.

Referring to fraternity conventions, the Delta Upsilon Quarterly says:

"It costs about \$3500 to bring the delegates from our 46 chapters to a convention held at the approximate center of our population, we are told, and about \$1200 more to take care of them at its sessions, beside the cost of the social entertainment that the hosts may provide. That is a good deal of money to spend for a brief period, crammed with business, especially in hard times.

The council has considered this, and having in mind increased efficiency, has changed the date from the end of October to early September, just previous to the opening of college, and the place from a city hotel to a college campus where all the delegates and visitors can be housed in the dormitories and meet in a college building, thus maintaining an atmosphere that we have missed for many decades. It is obvious that this costs less, so the session may be lengthened by a day, giving more time for deliberations and conferences and much more time for getting acquainted. Many thoughtful alumni believe that if nothing more were accomplished than the getting acquainted of the men from our widely separated chapters, the money would be well invested."



LOYD L. CHENEY, Editor .

### Albany, N. Y.

## All Ready for G. A. C.

News comes from Springfield that all plans for the G. A. C. have been completed long before the opening of the convenion. The members of the Fraternity residing in Springield have constantly kept before them the determination to nake the 1922 gathering the best the Fraternity has ever have and there is no doubt of their success. The local prothers have set about their tasks with the definite object of making the coming convention noteworthy as the Fraternity's best rather than as its largest; indications are, however, that it will be both.

All those who attend the convention—including delegates, visitors and visiting ladies—should take advantage of the opportunity to secure reduced railroad rates, not only for their own saving but also for the help it will mean to others. Care should be taken to comply with the regulations of the railroads in this matter, as stated in detail elsewhere in this issue.

## Get Back of the Song Book

For many years the members of the Fraternity have been asking for a new Song Book. But mere asking will not produce the book. The Executive Council has been fortunate in securing a most capable editor—one who has the additional qualifications of having already edited one of our best song books. Brother Robertson will give us a highly creditable book if he gets the essential cooperation. The E. C. has attempted to arouse the members to the importance of the work in hand through the offering of very liberal prizes for words and music.

A fair amount of material has already been submitted to the editor, but there should be much more. There must be much talent in the Fraternity that has not yet been heard from. The editor desires more original music or lyrics. Lyrics may be submitted without music or music without lyrics, if the contributor wishes to depend upon the editor to find others to collaborate in the completion of the composition.

While it is true that many brothers—probably the most of us—do not have special talent for composing words or music for fraternity songs, yet all can do much in this matter by seeing that those who do have talent are awakened to the importance of the work. When it is recalled that a new Song Book is not issued very frequently, and that its importance in arousing and maintaining fraternity enthusiasm is very great, no effort should be spared to make this coming issue the best fraternity song book in existence.

## Alumni Association Name

There seems to be a misunderstanding relative to the necessary procedure to effect a change in the name of an alumni association. The Alumni Association Board has issued a manual in which it is very properly suggested that the names of associations might well be of a character to indicate a wider territory than merely a city. In other words, the name might well indicate the territory from which the membership is drawn. The reasons for such a designation are manifest. Thus, we have recently chartered the Southern California A. A., the Rhode Island A. A. and the Western New York A. A.

It should be understood, however, that a change in name involves the approval of the Executive Council, which is secured upon submission of a formal petition. Such a procedure is necessary in order that the fraternity records may be kept accurately. Merely the favorable action by an association upon a suggestion that its name be changed is not sufficient.

UHI KAPB

Thomas E. Huser, N. Y. Gamma '11, was married recently.

Thomas F. Pinder, N. Y. Beta '07, is living at Merion Station, Pa.

J. H. Bower, R. I. Alpha '11, is superintendent of schools in Mounds, Ill.

H. L. Jacobs jr, Pa. Zeta '09, has opened a printing office in Orlando, Fla.

A. F. Smith, R. I. Alpha '03, is instructor in public speaking at Beloit College.

E. H. Matlock, Ind. Delta '01, formerly of Detroit, is now living in Rushville, Ind.

W. H. Caruthers, Texas Alpha '06, is with the Barrett Company at Fairfield, Ala.

C. J. Opperman, Wash. Alpha '15, is at 601 Puget Sound Bank Bldg., Tacoma, Wash.

A daughter, Margaret, was born recently to Bro. and Mrs. C. K. Perkins, Mass. Alpha '07.

Jerry Frock, Pa. Lambda '18, is with a candy manufacturing concern at Harrisburg, Pa.

E. Sawyer Smith, Ill. Alpha '14, was married recently to Miss Katherine Raithel of Chicago.

L. E. Caster, R. I. Alpha '13, is proprietor of the U. S. System of Bakeries, in Rockford, Ill.

A son, James B. jr, was recently born to Bro. and Mrs. James B. Melcher, Mass. Alpha '05.

Frank B. Gantz, Pa. Epsilon '20, is sojourning at Atlantic City with K. D. Wren, Pa. Gamma '21.

Charles S. Marsh, Pa. Gamma '05, is professor of chemistry at the Kiski School, Saltsburg, Pa.

D. Victor Emanuel, Pa. Epsilon '16, is principal of the public schools at Progress, a suburb of Harrisburg, Pa.

William R. Harmon, N. Y. Alpha '02, is with the Aberthaw Construction Co. at Willimantic, Conn.

C. William Duncan, Pa. Epsilon '16, has a reportorial position with the Philadelphia Evening Ledger.

John R. Dumont, Neb. Alpha '04, is vice president of the Love-Haskell Co., insurance agents, Omaha, Neb.

Ralph W. Hughes, R. I. Alpha '20, has been employed at the San Juan Hotel, Orlando, Fla., since January.

Dr. Selby James Day, N. Y. Gamma '13, announces the birth of a new Phi Psi, Selby James jr, April 5, 1922.

Dr. Craig S. Thoms, Ill. Beta '82, is head of the department of sociology of the University of South Dakota.

C. H. Burlingame jr, Iowa Beta '18, has removed from Sioux City, Iowa, to 1302 N. Hudson st., Pasadena, Cal.

A son, Heman B. jr, was born on April 27th to Dr. and Mrs. Heman B. Chase, Mass. Alpha '00, of Westfield, Mass.

Paul K. Lovegren, Iowa Alpha '17, has removed from Charleston, W. Va., to 1305 Ashmun st., Burlington, Iowa.

A daughter, Edith Patricia, was born April 1st to Bro. and Mrs. Paul R. Kempf, Mich. Alpha '20, at Ann Arbor, Mich.

Perley F. Blood, R. I. Alpha '07, who was with the U. S. Nitrate Division, has been transferred to the Post Office Department.

W. R. Waterman, R. I. Alpha '11, who received the degree of Ph. D. last June at Columbia University, is now teaching at Dartmouth.

Harold L. Wheeler, R. I. Alpha '06, has left Rolla, Mo., to become head librarian of the Hackley Public Library, at Muskegon, Mich.

W. B. Drayton Henderson, R. I. Alpha '06, who has been at his home in Jamaica, B. W. I., for several years, is now at Yale University.

C. P. Morgan, Wash. Alpha '16, will be married on June 6th to Miss Frances Garbutt, of Aberdeen, Wash. They will reside in Hollis, N. Y.

The Rev. T. Valentine Parker, Mass. Alpha '96, is the author of an article in The School Review for April entitled "The Classics as Cultural Studies."

W. G. Kaylor, Ind. Delta '03, is manager for the Orient for the Westinghouse Air Brake Co. of Pittsburgh. His address is Grand Hotel, Yokohoma, Japan.

Al Barrett, N. Y. Gamma '11, in addition to his screen acting, played on Broadway in the legitimate attractions "The Purple Mask" and "The Elton Case."

### Phi Kappa Psi Notes

A son, Thomas Arthur, was born to Bro. and Mrs. N. H. Boyd, Pa. Beta '14, on February 7th. Brother Boyd is a professor at the Kiski School at Saltsburg, Pa.

R. C. Gross, Pa. Zeta '10, who has been representing a business house in Japan during the past year, has returned to Philadelphia, his address being 3335 N. 17th st.

THE SHIELD acknowledges receipt of *The Palm* (Pennsylvania Lambda), *Michigan Alpha News*, *Ames Phi Psi* (Iowa Beta), the *California Phi Psi* (California Gamma), and *Le Gamma Cri* (Pennsylvania Gamma).

George D. Fawcett, Va. Alpha '79, has just completed a successful engagement with Sydney Blackmer in "The Mountain Man" at the Maxine Elliot Theatre, New York.

Edwin H. Reese, N. Y. Gamma, was married October 15, 1921, to Miss Barbara Romeyn of Keeseville, N. Y. Brother Reese is junior partner in the Glens Falls (N. Y.) Optical Co.

Wayne Tomb, Pa. Theta '16, and Miss Helen Elizabeth Wentz of Harrisburg, Pa., were married on March 29th. They are at home in the Tomb Apartments, Carpenter avenue, Indiana, Pa.

The Rev. Dr. Joseph R. Wood, Pa. Gamma '92, has resigned as executive secretary of the Federation of Churches of Newark, N. J., to become assistant to the president of Bucknell University.

L. S. Adams, Texas Alpha '07, is secretary and treasurer of the Great Southern Life Insurance Co. He entered the employ of the company in 1911 as a clerk, and has been rapidly promoted since.

The. Rev. Raymond A. Houk, Ohio Beta '07, pastor of St. Paul's English Lutheran Church of Cincinnati, Ohio, has conducted a successful campaign for \$70,000 for a new church and community house.

C. B. Gladfelter, Pa. Epsilon '04, permanent secretary of his class at Gettysburg College, has recently issued the annual edition of the "1904 Bulletin," which is a newsy and interesting pamphlet of 50 pages.

W. T. Chollar, Ill. Beta '94, is now representing the W. B. Conkey Co., of Chicago, book manufacturers, in New York. "Tommy" can always be reached at the Thursday luncheons of the New York A. A. at the Commodore.

Nevin O. Winter, Ohio Delta '96, well known author and traveler, has this spring been touring the Orient in search of new material, representing a syndicate of newspapers. He is now preparing a new book on China. The Easter sermon preached by Dr. W. W. Youngson, Pa. Beta '89, district superintendent of the Methodist Episcopal Church at Portland, Ore., was sent broadcast by radio to thousands of people in Oregon and the Northwest.

Rev. Joseph D. Piper, Pa. Beta '07, has removed from Black Lick, Pa., to Irwin, Pa. Brother Piper assumes charge of the First Methodist Episcopal Church at Irwin after serving the Black Lick Methodist Church for several years.

Byron W. ("Rube") Yarrison, Pa. Epsilon '16, is with the Philadelphia Athletics and is getting a thorough tryout. Cullen Cain and other authoritative sport writers have hailed him as the best pitcher seen in the southern training camps.

On May 1st the Indiana County Deposit Bank of Indiana, Pa., opened up what is said to be one of the finest banking rooms in Pennsylvania. It is known as the Phi Psi bank in Indiana. Harry White, Pa. Alpha '92, is president and Daniel Ritter, Pa. Epsilon '04, is one of the directors.

The engagement is announced of Carroll H. Cowan, Mo. Alpha '17, to Miss Corinne Mackey of Kansas City, Mo. The wedding will occur this month. Miss Mackey is a member of Pi Beta Phi at the University of Missouri. Brother Cowan is in the lumber manufacturing business at Walley, Miss.

H. G. Denham, R. I. Alpha '13, who has spent the past six years in the service of the Standard Oil Co. in China, has been promoted to assistant manager at Han Kow. Brother Denham has been located in Cheng-Chow (Honan), Shanghai and other smaller cities of China in connection with his work in the Far East.

Elliott Nugent, Ohio Delta '19, has collaborated with his father, J. C. Nugent, in writing "Kempy" which will probably open at the Belmont Theatre, New York, shortly, Grant Mitchell and Lotus Robb heading the cast. Brother Nugent appeared during the past season in "Dulcy" at the Frazie Theatre, New York. This play was one of the most popular of the year.



#### San Francisco Alumni Association

We are to petition the E. C. for a change of name from San Francisco Alumni Association to Northern California Alumni Association. Α circular letter was sent out to each brother in this part of the state in an effort to include in our fold all Phi Psis in the vicinity. By this means we hope to keep in closer touch with the many brothers about us and foster a stronger spirit and more intelligent cooperation with the Fraternity.

We continue to hold the weekly luncheons at Tait's every Friday, and the attendance increases with every meeting. On March 24th we were glad to have James Snitzler, Ill. Beta, and F. H. Robertson, Ill. Beta, with us, and welcome visits from all brothers who may be passing through San Francisco.

An effort is being made to get in closer touch with Beta and Gamma chapters and in this way be of some real assistance to them. At nearly every luncheon there is one or more undergraduates from each of the chapters and smokers are planned at both houses for the near future for the alumni association. After all, one of the chief reasons for an as-sociation's existence is to aid the chapters in carrying on the work of the alumni association. Phi Psi, and we are working toward this goal. San Francisco, Cal.

May 3, 1922

C. S. DAVIS Correspondent

### Tulsa Alumni Association

After the rainest spring in years, the Tulsa brothers are again able to ke to the road. Practically every member of the association is dirtake to the road. ectly connected with the oil business and whenever the roads get sufficiently dry to permit traveling there is a general exodus to the oil fields. This is particularly true after a siege such as we have just been experiencing. However the attendance at the weekly luncheons, which are held Friday noon at the Tea Cup Inn, is good. M. L. Neely conceived the idea of having celluloid discs attached to telephone receivers as a made in this part of the country and finally had to appeal to Guernsey Van Riper at Indianapolis—and he got them. Then, as an added im-petus, each brother who is in town of Data just before noon—so we are having a good attendance and mighty good luncheons. But it just looks as if no out-of-town Phi Psis ever visit Tulsa. They don't know what they are missing.

The Tulsa Phi Psis have a picnic planned for May 21st, when they will go to a camp a few miles east of Catoosa, where Howard N. Cole and some of his friends have a club house and hunting rights to several thousand acres of land. Judge Gray Carroll, who attended college back in Virginia with Woodrow Wilson as a fellow chapter member, is one of the most enthusiastic boosters of the picnic plan. He insists, however, that in order that he may have the fullest enjoyment of the occasion, five other brothers must accompany him out to the camp on the previous afternoon to see what the country offers in the way of young squirrels, etc., etc. Of course he isn't thinking of shooting any of them, but just wants to look them over and then spend the evening—oh, probably playing checkers or something. The judge also has been "honin" to go down into the south country to observe the wild turkeys, but the wet weather has been interfering with his plans until he fears that the birds will have entered the moulting season-and then they will not be as pretty to look at as earlier in the season.

M. L. Neely has been spending considerable time in the Amarillo district of the Texas Panhandle recently. His company has been drilling a well somewhere down there and the latest word from him was that they were in the midst of a "fishing job." It might be well to explain to the uninitiated that a "fishing job" means tools or a joint of pipe or some other article of equipment lost in the hole. R. H. Ernest, N. Y. Gamma, who is in charge of the properties of the Manhattan Oil Co., hied himself to Kansas as soon as the roads became passable, while W. F. Palmer also N. V. Gamma, chief angineer for

Dassable, while W. F. Palmer, also N. Y. Gamma, chief engineer for Cosden & Co., has been busy making locations for new wells. R. S. McBeth, Ind. Alpha '05, formerly with the Oklahoma Produc-ing & Refining Corporation, spent several afternoons and evenings last month getting mired in mud holes between Tulsa and the Bird Creek district, where two wells have been drilling on a property in which he is interested. Brother McBeth resides at 1435 S. Boston av. Edward C. Hansen, Ill. Delta, has returned from Chicago, where he

was called by the death of his grandfather. R. Z. McGowan, Pa. Epsilon '09, returned to Tulsa early in April to resume his old position as assistant treasurer of the Pure Oil Co. after having spent several months at Mexia, Texas, as an officer of the Humphreys Mexia Company, in which the Pure owns a substantial interest. Bert D. Paine, Okla. Alpha, completed his work at the University

of Oklahoma this spring and now is in Tulsa as a member of a firm of motor car dealers. His business address is 215 S. Detroit av. The car he handles is manufactured in Springfield, Ohio. This may be a

valuable tip to him in connection with the G. A. C. Robert S. Gordon, Okla. Alpha, now receives callers at the county clerk's office, Tulsa, having abandoned the insurance business in order He is considering the possibilities of a rich to become a court clerk.

wife and then a legal career. Don't push, girls! Claude Gilchrist, Pa. Kappa, who is with the Wooster Drilling Co., Tulsa, has been spending most of his time recently in the Osage superintending a couple of drilling wells.

Tulsa, Okla.

May 12, 1922

R. S. McBeth Correspondent

#### New York Alumni Association

Eighty members of the New York A. A. attended the annual meeting and dinner at the Columbia University Club May 15th. Entertain-ment by a prerelease exhibition of First National pictures was provided through the cooperation of G. P. Morgan, Wash. Alpha. Jesse Norman, N. Y. Gamma, also aided materially at the piano.

Officers of the association for the year 1922-23 were elected as follows: president, Cecil Page, Ill. Beta; vice presidents, George Sheldon, Ill. Beta, H. O. Ballou, N. Y. Alpha, L. M. Clark, Mass. Alpha, Robert McCorkle, Pa. Theta, Russell Racey, Ind. Beta; secretary, Harry S. Gorgas, Ill. Beta; treasurer, H. L. Roberts, N. Y. Gamma; auditor, H. O. Westman,

Ind. Alpha; board of governors, E. M. Stires, Va. Alpha; Dr. Richard T. Bangs, N. Y. Gamma; John W. Davis, Va. Alpha; Joseph H. Appell, Pa. Eta. W. P. Sturtevant, Pa. Beta.

The following were elected delegates to the Grand Arch Council: Cecil Page, Henry McCorkle and W. P. Sturtevant. In July the association will hold a field day and golf tournament at

New York, N. Y. May 16, 1922

HARRY S. GORGAS Correspondent

### Rhode Island Alumni Association

Individual members of the Rhode Island A. A., in cooperation with the chapter, assisted in entertaining subfreshmen on Brown's subfreshman day the last of April. This occasion is an annual affair with the college and was primarily brought into existence for the purpose of ac-quainting preparatory and high school graduates with Brown. The number of prospective college entrants was well above expectation and the opinion has been repeatedly expressed that the number to apply for admission this fall will be the largest on record.

The association will not give up its monthly meetings during July and August but will follow the plan which was so successful last year. In-stead of the regular assemblies at the chapter house the members will gather on the second Mondays of the months at the call of the entertainment committee, upon whom devolves the duties of selecting a place of meeting and of furnishing entertainment. The committee is not yet prepared to announce a program but we assure any brother who may happen along in this territory on the second Mondays of the hot weather

Mappen and that he will have a treat. Roger U. Allard, R. I. Alpha '13, is all smiles at the birth of a daughter, Janet Ray, on March 29th at Hampden Meadows. J. B. T. Coop has been advanced to the position of assistant master

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Providence, R. I. May 13, 1922

Correspondent

#### Chicago Alumni Association

At this time the thoughts of the members of the Chicago A. A. are largely occupied with the coming G. A. C. A large and enthusiastic delegation from the Chicago A. A. will be present with lots of Phi Psi spirit.

The regular election of officers occurred at the Founders' Day banquet at the University Club. Frank H. Oates, Ill. Alpha, is our new president; John H. Bartelme, Mich. Alpha, vice president; W. C. Gorga, Ill. Beta, secretary; and Homer Lininger, N. Y. Gamma, treasurer. Following the very successful Founders' Day, the association and new-

ly installed officers are planning an active campaign for the coming year. installed officers are planning an active campaign for the coming year. In addition to the plans for the delegation to the G. A. C., a field day to be held at Olympia Fields the latter part of June after the G. A. C. is on the program.

The weekly luncheons on Tuesday at Field's Grill are well attended and all brothers living in Chicago or visiting are urged to come and make the weekly meetings an even bigger factor in the activity and strength The average attendance is close to 25 and there is of the association. plenty of space for all the brothers who can attend.

A new feature is about to be incorporated among the activities of the Chicago A. A. This is in the form of a monthly bulletin to be mailed to all the members. Announcements of events, personal items of interest, and other Phi Psi news will fill the bulletin. It is not planned to make it elaborate at the first, but we all feel it will be an important factor in welding the association into a closer and more active unit. Clyde Joice, Ill. Beta, is the first editor, and is supported by a staff of capable assistants.

By fall it is hoped that a new official register can be published of the Chicago A. A. Any information regarding brothers now located in Chicago is welcomed and such communications may be addressed to W. C. Gorgas at 127 N. Dearborn st., Chicago.

Chicago, Ill.

May 14, 1922

W. C. Gorgas Correspondent

### Indiana Alumni Association

Look out Springfield, Indiana's coming! Our caravan will probably leave Indiana bright and early Monday morning June 19th and will be en route two days, stops being scheduled for Washington, to inspect the new Pennsylvania Alpha house, and at Wheeling. Fifteen brothers have already signed up and we are trying mighty hard to have the whole gang there. Of course we are going to bring our wives and sweathearts. The delegates chosen at our last meeting are Hal White, "Doc" Ritter and Dave Blair, with "Red" Lowther as alternate.

The last meeting in April happens to fall on Dave Blair's birthday and Hal White took care of the plans for a surprise party. It was a real party and although it was Blair's fiftieth anniversary no one ever would suspect it as he was feeling and acting like an active that night.

We were very sorry to lose one of our old standbys last month, but you can't keep a Phi Psi down. Rev. Joseph Piper, Pa. Alpha, was transferred from the Black Lick Methodist Church at Black Lick, Pa. to the First Methodist Church of Irwin, Pa., which is a much larger and more responsible charge.

You could'nt guess who jumped off the dock a couple weeks ago, so I have to tell you. "Nink" Tomb, Pa. Theta '16, and Helen Eliza-I'll have to tell you. "Nink" Tomb, Pa. Theta '16, and H beth Wentz of Harrisburg were married on March 29th. "Nink" The May meetpulled one over on the brothers and just slipped away. ing will be held on the 23d in his honor at Brother McCreary's farm just outside of town.

A son, Thomas Arthur, was born on February 7th to Bro. and Mrs.

N. H. Boyd. Yes, he is pledged for Pennsylvania Beta. Clark Keener, a former pledge at Pennsylvania Gamma, died last month of injuries received while fighting with the marines in France. He had been ill for some time; we kept flowers in his room and several of the brothers often called and talked over old times. We were all sorry that he was compelled to leave Bucknell before he was initiated into Phi Psi.

We intend having a rushing party early in June and will entertain several boys from high school as well as from Indiana Normal and Kiski.

Indiana, Pa.

W. CLINE LOWTHER Correspondent

### Southern California Alumni Association

As secretary of the association I have just signed credentials for Shirley Meserve, Harold Reed and Hewlings Mumper as delegates to the G. A. C. We all have the Springfield fever and probably more will be able to get away by June. Some day we are looking to a G. A. C. for the coast so that some 1000 good Phi Psis in the Coast States may have the opportunity to attend.

On March 31st a special luncheon was given to honor Walter Hampden, N. Y. Zeta, one of America's foremost actors who was playing in Los Angeles that week. Forty-two were present. Then again on April 27th eighty-five of the brothers got together at

Then again on April 27th eighty-five of the brothers got together at Rector's for the first of a series of good-fellowship dinners planned for the season. Ben Rooks, assisted by Ike St. Johns, Dick Millar and Harry Woods, was in charge. They obtained the services of several stars and celebrities so that the amusement end was amply provided for. Several new Phi Psis were present and we believe the evening served its purpose in getting a large number of the members of the association together for an informal dinner. Another is planned for June.

Phi Psi authors and actors in Los Angeles have been before the public eye since our last letter. Edward Everett Horton's first picture "Too Much Business" had its first showing in Los Angeles during early May. We trust Brother Horton will have the same unmeasured success in the movies that he is having in his stage career. Waldemar Young, Cal. Beta, the well-known scenario writer, was co-author of "The Follies" recently staged in Los Angeles by the Writers' Club of Hollywood. He is also writing the play produced annually by the "Uplifters," which is an inner society of the Los Angeles Athletic Club.

Bert Howell of the San Francisco A. A. paid us a visit recently and was present at our good-fellowship dinner. Come oftener, Bert. We are still lunching at the Apollo Cafe on West 8th street every Fri-

We are still lunching at the Apollo Cafe on West 8th street every Friday at 12.30, but are not just sure of our plans for the summer. Our headquarters will be the same, however, and visiting brothers can get all information at 417 Union Oil Building from Brother Meserve or from the secretary.

the secretary. Los Angeles, Cal. May 13, 1922

RAY J. FOLKS Correspondent
# Alumni Association Luncheons

Luncheons are held by the various alumni associations as scheduled below. Visiting brothers are always welcome.

BUFFALO: Thursdays, 12m., Wilcox Restaurant.

CHICAGO: Tuesdays, 12 m., Marshall Field Grill.

CINCINNATI: First Wednesday of each month, 1 p.m., Automobile Club, Haulin Hotel.

CLEVELAND: Mondays, 12 m., Engineering Society Rooms, Winton Hotel.

DENVER: Saturdays, 12.30 p. m., Grill Room, Denver Dry Goods Co.

DES MOINES: Wednesdays, 12 m., Grant Club.

DETROIT: Thursdays, 12.15 p. m., Room 7, Board of Commerce.

INDIANA, PA.: Last Tuesday of each month, 6 p. m., Hile's.

INDIANAPOLIS: First Friday, 6 p. m., Columbia Club.

JACKSONVILLE FLA.: Third Friday of each month, 1 p. m., Hotel Seminole.

JOHNSTOWN: Second and fourth Tuesdays, 12 m., The Tea Room, 521 Main st.

KANSAS CITY: Mondays, 12.15 p. m., University Club.

KOKOMO, IND.: Second Monday, Frances Hotel.

Los Angeles: Fridays, 12.30 p. m., Apollo Cafe, 421 W. 8th St.

MINNEAPOLIS: Thursdays, 12.30 p. m., Dayton's Tea Rooms.

NEW YORK: Thursdays, 12.30 p.m., Lobby Cafe, Hotel Commodore.

OMAHA: Fridays, 12 m., University Club.

PHILADELPHIA: Thursdays, 12.45 p. m., Grill Room, Arcadia Cafe, Widener Bldg.

PITTSBURGH: Thursdays, 12.15 p. m., 9th floor, McCreery's.

PORTLAND, ORE.: 19th of each month, 12 m., University Club.

PROVIDENCE: Second Monday, 6 p. m., 108 Waterman st.

ST. LOUIS: Fridays, 12.15 p. m., St. Louis Lunchroom, Kinloch Bldg.

SAN FRANCISCO: Fridays, 12.15 p. m., Tait's Cafe.

SEATTLE: Wednesdays, 12.15 p. m., Seattle Hotel Grill.

TOLEDO: Mondays, 12 m., Toledo Womans Club, 427 Superior St

TULSA: Fridays, 12 m., Ed Wood's Cafe, 4th and Boulder sts.



# Letters for the next issue of THE SHIELD, to insure publication, must reach the Editor by July 10th.

#### FIRST DISTRICT

#### New Hampshire Alpha — Dartmouth College

With junior prom scheduled for May 11, 12 and 13, New Hampshire Alpha starts on its last four weeks of the college year. For the last two months Hanover has been emerging from a long winter season into a much belated spring. Final examinations come June 5-14 and commencement June 16-20.

In the musical show, "Hush!," which the Dartmouth Players are presenting at prom, Lockwood and Robinson take leading roles, while Hill and Palmer are in the chorus. A campus supper for undergraduates and guests, as the first event on the prom program, will be an innovation.

Maynard is playing his third season at shortstop on the varsity nine and is leading the team in hitting. Smith is consistently doing over 11 feet in the pole vault; Wylie is also on the track squad, competing in the broad jump and high jump. Dodd is manager of tennis this spring and Stetson manager of track. Jerman is running the mile on the freshman track team.

In the freshman class elections held in March, Carpenter was chosen president and Leavitt treasurer.

Hilton has been elected intercollegiate editor of *The Dartmouth* for the coming year, and Austin, also a member of the board, has been elected to Pi Delta Epsilon, national journalistic fraternity. Gallup has been chosen advertising manager of the *Bema* for next year.

Askew and Swartzbaugh have left college for the remainder of the year.

Hanover, N. H. May 11, 1922 W. H. HILTON Correspondent

#### Massachusetts Alpha — Amherst College

On April 15th a most successful dance was held. About 75 couples attended and in addition the chapter entertained a delegation of Vassar girls who came up to Amherst with their debating team. This marked the first formal opening of our new home. Around commencement time a reception will be held for the faculty, students, alumni and friends.

The following were recently elected officers for the new term: president, Cowan; vice president, Giles; treasurer, Smith; secretary, McGrath.

Williams, captain of the house baseball team, has been putting his team into good shape and in the interfraternity league we expect to make a good showing. So far we have won from Delta Upsilon and lost to Psi Upsilon.

Cowan has recently been elected leader of Glee Club and member of Student Council, thus adding two notable honors to those of the house This is the first time we have had a man on Student and to his own. Council since it was established about 10 years ago and therefore are justly proud of it. Pike, Canfield and Pledge Ver Nooy were elected members of the Glee Club.

On the week-end of May 6th the annual subfreshman day will be observed by the college. A large group of prospective Amherst men will be entertained at the house. McLeod, chairman of the rushing committee, will appreciate any communication regarding men entering Amherst in the fall.

Giles has again been taking parts in different productions of the Masquers. The work of the Masquers this year has been especially deserving of praise and all the plays presented have been received by an appreciative audience. The plays have been chosen from the works of Shaw, Dunsane and others.

Scott was elected to the "Bond Fifteen" a few days ago. This is From this composed of the fifteen seniors having the highest average. group four are selected to speak at commencement on the merits of essays submitted beforehand. There is no higher scholastic honor except Phi Beta Kappa.

Manager Myers and Assistant Manager McLeod have been working hard over track schedules for the varsity. At this early date Amherst has one victory to her credit, Boston University having been defeated 70-38.

In the competition for the editorial board of the Student, Taft is making a fine showing.

McKay was forced to leave college in April on account of serious illness and we all look forward to having him with us again next fall. Amherst. Mass.

E. K. Morsman

Correspondent

#### Rhode Island Alpha - Brown University

On April 7th Rhode Island Alpha held its annual spring dance in honor of the initiates. A buffet supper was served and the decorations created a novel effect.

The junior prom and frolic closed a junior week which will be remembered as one of the most successful in the history of Brown. E. B. Peterson was on the committee. During the prom John Spellman was elected to Pi Kappa, the honorary junior society.

Bill Shupert and Fred Baurenfiend were members of the subfreshman day committee. Myers and Fellman are doing well in track. Fellman has also won a position on the tennis team.

Bob and John Spellman, Myers and Sweet are out for spring football Saart and Ryder are with the second team in baseball. Walt practice. fillson has just returned from a successful trip with the musical clubs.

In the recent interfraternity bowling tournament Phi Psi won second place, and annexed a new silver cup, which has been engraved and placed in the chapter house.

Providence, R. I. May 14, 1922 R. V. SIDDALL Correspondent

#### New York Alpha — Cornell University

On May 27th Cornell will celebrate her annual spring day and the chapter is preparing to entertain at least 50 alumni and guests who will be here from all over the country. The events of the day are all in the interests of the Athletic Association, the proceeds from the circus in the morning being used to fill the association's coffers. This year the circus will be in the nature of a medieval tournament, entitled "Knight after

Knight," with all the pomp of the ancient lists. In the afternoon Cornell will meet Yale in baseball, and following that the annual regatta will be rowed on Lake Cayuga, Cornell's opponent this year being Harvard. Baldwin is holding down his old position 

to Sphinx Head, senior society. Elliot W. Gumaer has recently been elected to the business board of the Annuals, as the result of an eight months' competition. He is eligible for the position of business manager in his senior year.

The chapter baseball teams are making good showings in their respective leagues, and from present indications have an excellent chance to get into the finals.

During the past month the chapter has had the pleasure of entertaining several brothers who have been on the teams meeting Cornell in the various sports. William A. Telfer, Ind. Beta, dropped in for a day, and Brother Curtis of the same chapter has spent several week-ends with us.

The annual Eastern Intercollegiate Newspaper Association convention will be held at Cornell this week-end, and several brothers will be here as delegates. Williams is the delegate to the convention, representing the Sun.

The chapter is planning to have between 15 and 20 men at the G. A. C. next month, and we have heard from several alumni who state they will Schreyer and Williams will be the undergraduate delegates be there. of the chapter with "Winks" Voigt as the alumnus delegate.

On May 20th Cornell will meet Yale and Princeton in the annual triangular regatta at Derby, and at the same time the baseball team will meet Yale at New Haven. This will be the first crew race of the season for Cornell, and will be followed by the Harvard and Poughkeepsie regattas.

Davis is holding down the third sack on the freshman nine, and is playing a stellar game, being one of the heaviest hitters on the team.

Ithaca, N. Y.

May 11, 1922

O. P. WILLIAMS

Correspondent

#### New York Beta - Syracuse University

The work of remodeling our old chapter house is progressing rapidly and when the boys return in the fall they will have a new home that will be the finest fraternity house at Syracuse. The plans call for a threestory brick house with colonial pillars in front and will make an imposing appearance on the site which is adjacent to the campus.

The one-mile relay championship won by Syracuse at the Penn relays last month is the second consecutive time that the Syracuse team has shown the way in this classic. Monie, who was on last year's championship team, repeated this year and ran a beautiful race as he started three yards behind his man and handed a five-yard lead to the next Syracuse In the Pitt-Colgate-Syracuse meet Monie won the 440-yard runner. dash and got second in the 220. Suttner placed third in the half mile which was rather remarkable as he has been on the sick list since Easter and that was his first appearance since his illness. The doctors have ordered him to abandon track work for the rest of the year. Foster made his first appearance in the field in two years in this meet and won the 16-pound shot put. Two years ago his arm was injured in a football game and this spring was the first chance he had to get into form. Webster is catching on the freshman baseball team and has shown good hitting ability as well as being a clever catcher.

The recent pledging to the honorary class societies shows Gold in Devil's Own, senior law: Suttner, Monx Head, junior class; Bachman, Corpse and Coffin, junior class; Pinder and Martyn in Beta Gamma Sigma, honorary business; and these two with MacBean made Phi Kappa Phi. Lovell made Sigma Delta Epsilon, honorary scholarship pedagogical. Pinder also made Sigma Mu Beta, honorary advertising.

The Administrator, annual publication of the College of Business Administration, appeared this week and was declared the best ever published. Page was editor in chief, MacBean, joke editor, and Taylor, associate editor. Schnauber is alumni editor of the Syracuse University Harvester, publication of the College of Agriculture.

Monie, as president of the junior class of the College of Business Administration, presided at the last and best convocation of the year. "Cap" Page was one of the speakers at this meeting.

Millen completed his duties as manager of Boars' Head Dramatic Society by presenting three one-act plays which were very well staged. Pinder played the lead in one of the plays. Cribb has wound up his duties as manager of rifle team which had a successful season. Lovell is a candidate for cheermaster and will undoubtedly land the job.

The Syracuse crews leave this week for Annapolis where the varsity, junior varsity, and freshman crews will have their first race of the season against corresponding crews of the Naval Academy. Page, captain of crew this year, is rowing bow in the varsity shell. This is his third year on the varsity and, although he admits the Navy has the best crew in the world today, expects his crew to make a good showing against the pick of the Navy.

Syracuse, N. Y. May 15, 1922 C. M. LOVELL Correspondent

#### New York Gamma — Columbia University

New York Gamma takes pleasure in introducing Fred Latham, of Port Jefferson, N. Y., who was initiated May 1st.

At the last chapter meeting of the spring semester, held on May 15th, the following officers were elected: president, Marshall D. Raymond; vice president, Henry M. Robinson jr.; recording secretary, Fred Latham; corresponding secretary, George T. Waldo; historian, Robert V. Schultz; doorkeeper, H. Cortland Wilson; messenger, George W. Tully.

Several brothers were among those who recently were awarded insignia for activity in winter sports; Squires earned his second "hCt" for his work on the hockey team, while Balbach and O. Lange each were awarded letters for swimming. Balbach was one of the leading pointearners on the team, and has been elected captain for next year. Wilson received his 1925 numerals for playing on the freshman basketball quintet. He starred at right guard in many of the season's games, and in running up the highest point score on the team, bids fair to win a place on the varsity next year.

The chapter is well represented in spring sports. Brown, who stroked the freshman crew last year, is rowing No. 5 in the junior varsity shell; Dreesbach is at No. 4 in the 150-pound boat, while Aldrich is No. 6 in the sophomore shell. Wilson is substitute on the varsity baseball nine, as well as leading shot putter on the freshman track team. Latham is showing up well on the golf team and will probably earn his "gCt." Pledge Waldorf is on the 1925 tennis team.

Robinson has won an exceptional number of honors in recent elections, having been chosen editor in chief of the Varsity Literary Magazine for next year, president of the Philolexian Literary Society, as well as being elected to Pi Delta Epsilon and to Sachems, senior society. Waugh was also elected to Pi Delta Epsilon, and will be assistant managing editor of Spectator next year. During the summer session, Waugh will be editor in chief of Spectator. Waldo has been elected to the associate board of Varsity, and also to Philolexian.

The chapter will lose several very active men by graduation this June. Squires, who has been editor in chief of *Spectator* during the past year, and one of the most active undergraduates; Ferris, who has been assistant managing editor of *Spectator*, as well as an officer of the Eastern Intercollegiate News Service; and Walther, who led the Mandolin Club in one of its most successful seasons in years, are all in the graduating class. Squires has been elected permanent vice president of the class.

New York, N. Y. May 16, 1922 GEORGE T. WALDO Correspondent

#### New York Epsilon — Colgate University

We are glad to announce two new brothers, Dean P. Taylor, of Troy, and Merrill B. Wilcox, of Cory, N. Y.

Steffen, who is captain and plays centerfield, and Barnes, who plays behind the plate, appear on the varsity baseball team. Reddall and Hill are hard-working members of the squad, while MacKelvey is manager. Such teams as Cornell, Army, St. Bonaventure and Hamilton College have come out on the short end of the score pitted against the Maroon.

Welsh and Doody, two letter men of last year, are showing up well in spring football practice under Coach Richard Harlow. Snow is assistant manager, while Hausauer is competing for that position next year. Conners is working hard for assistant manager of baseball. Wilcox is competing for manager of track.

Masque and Triangle, dramatic society of the university, recently dramatized a play written by Pratt and Crofoot. The latter is showing up well in the competition for manager of musical clubs. On May 6th and 7th the chapter held a subfreshman day, when it entertained about twenty prep school men and lined up rushing material for next fall.

Shallow is chairman of the junior prom committee, A party is to be held in the house May 17th to 21st. Mrs. Leland, of Hamilton, will chaperone, and at that time we expect a number of our alumni to visit us.

Hamilton, N. Y. May 13, 1922 THEODORE G. PRATT Correspondent

#### SECOND DISTRICT

Pennsylvania Gamma — Bucknell University

Pennsylvania Gamma takes pleasure in announcing the winning, for the second consecutive year, of the interfraternity basketball championship. The chapter is represented by Julian and Pledges Tarr and Mackenzie on the baseball diamond, while Morrett and Pledge Wilsbach are weight men on the track team.

Of late we have been making some extensive improvements about the house. With the revarnishing of the floors and the papering of the lower parlors, the brothers and pledges have been quite active. All this is in preparation for the house party May 17-23, which is the biggest social event of the season for the chapter.

Bunting and Lowry have been elected delegates to the G. A. C. From present indications these, however, will not be the only undergraduates present from this chapter. Already we have heard the vows of numerous boys who swear they will get there by "hook or by crook."

Lewisburg, Pa. May 5, 1922 J. HOWARD WALTER

Correspondent

#### Pennsylvania Epsilon – Gettysburg College

With spring athletics booming and the postlenten social season at its height, the campus is a very busy place. Immediately after the Easter recess the chapter gave an informal dance at the Hoffman House, and had the pleasure of entertaining many alumni. On May 9th a smoker, characterized by the usual snap and enthusiasm, was held at the chapter hall and served as an ideal forum in which the alumni and the undergraduates discussed fraternity matters, notably the G. A. C. The annual commencement banquet will be held on the evening of June 12th, and Epsilon expects many of the old guard to spend a Phi Psi evening with her.

On the diamond and track Phi Psi is not without adequate representation. Emanuel plays in the outfield on the varsity and Mordan holds down the third sack. Both are working well, their hitting being the subject of much commendation. Lee and Wolfe did good work for their respective classes in the recent interclass track meet, the former in weights and broad jump and the latter in weights and high jump. The chapter was very much pleased to entertain four Phi Psis from

The chapter was very much pleased to entertain four Phi Psis from Pennsylvania Zeta who came to see the Gettysburg-Dickinson track meet.

In the Owl and Nightingale Dramatic Club's commencement play, Pegg has been chosen to enact the leading role.

A student forum, organized for the discussion of current events and present-day problems, was held for the first time on May 2d, and was a success in point of the subjects of discussion and in the handling of them. The forum was instituted through the suggestion of J. Stitt Wilson, who recently lectured to the student body.

Gettysburg, Pa. May 6, 1922 É. MARTZ SCHOFFSTALL

Correspondent

#### Pennsylvania Zeta — Dickinson College

In the last issue of THE SHIELD, the chapter announced that several freshmen were competing for places on the board of the *Dickinsonian*. We take pleasure in announcing that Olewine and Carter were successful against a strong field and took two of the four openings. Olewine was elected athletic editor and Carter, social editor.

Phi Kappa Psi is well represented in baseball at Dickinson, both on the varsity and in the interfraternity league. On the varsity we have Captain Collins, Irwin, Tribit and Heller, with Hoy on the mound for the scrubs. In the interfraternity league, Pennsylvania Zeta is holding her own and so far has not suffered a defeat. Hopes are running high among the brothers that we will repeat our performance of 1920, when we won the cup.

Baseball prospects at Dickinson are brighter than for several years. The standing of the team is now five wins and two defeats. Dickinson expects to encounter some very hard opposition in the games against Bucknell, Gettysburg and Swarthmore.

Myers and Schuchart, of the freshman class, took part in the track meet at Gettysburg last Saturday, and both placed against strong competition.

The chapter will hold the annual commencement dance in the chapter house on June 2d. The symposium will also be held in the house on June 3d. We expect to have one of the best symposiums in years. The main reason for this statement is that seven of the classes are planning reunions and many Phi Psis plan to be present.

Among recent visitors were Brothers Storey, Evans, Wile, Mumma and Mumper.

Carlisle, Pa. May 8, 1922 LEIGHTON J. HELLER Correspondent

#### Pennsylvania Eta — Franklin and Marshall College

The tenth annual meet of the Middle Atlantic States Collegiate Athletic Association, held at Franklin and Marshall May 12th and 13th. proved an entire success. More than 400 contestants were entered, the largest number in the history of the association. Among the contestants were brothers from Pennsylvania Kappa, Theta, and Eta chapters.

On May 12th the Green Room Club presented Mollieres' "Le Bourgeois Gentilhomne," at the Fulton Opera House. The production proved to be remarkably successful and was rated as the best in recent years. Birney, Clinard, May, W. F. Schaffner, Zecher, and Pledge Truxal were members of the cast.

With the coming of commencement on June 14th, we shall lose C. P.

Hershey, L. S. May and W. F. Schaffner through graduation. Pledge J. C. Truxal will be initiated May 22d. He has proved him-self a man who will be a great asset to the chapter, as he was a member of the football squad, has won a position on the Student Weekly staff, made the dramatic club, and is a member of the track squad, besides being interested in all campus activities.

It seems fitting to make a brief resume of the chapter activities during Pennsylvania Eta can safely say she leads all fraternities the past year. at Franklin and Marshall in this line: four varsity football men, managers of football, basketball and tennis, three class presidents, six men on the glee and mandolin club, three varsity baseball men, four men on the Student Weekly staff, seven men in the various class honorary societies, six members in the dramatic club, five men on the track squad, one member of the tennis team, and in all lines of campus activities the Coupled with this the chapter stood fourth brothers are interested. scholastically among the fraternities.

Plans are being laid to make the symposium on June 12th the biggest and best ever held, and the report that the building and loan association will render should prove a source of joy to all well-wishers of the chapter.

Extensive preparations are being made for the coming G. A. C. Pennsylvania Eta counts on having a large representation of alumni and undergraduates present.

Lancaster, Pa.

May 14, 1922

W. F. SCHAFFNER Correspondent Pennsylvania Theta — Lafayette College

Final examinations begin May 29th, while commencement activities will take place June 8th-10th.

The recent agitation for student government at Lafayette has resulted in a student government constitution, which has been ratified by the faculty. In the primary elections for the new Student Council, Porter and Hague were both nominated.

Starcher is playing right field on the varsity baseball team. Kelly ran anchor on the Lafayette 440-yard relay team that placed second in that event at the Penn relays. Campbell has been elected sports editor of the *Lafayette Weekly*. Starcher and Kelly were recently elected to K. R. T., junior and senior society.

Pennsylvania Theta elected as chapter officers for the coming term: president, Porter; vice president, McLaughlin; corresponding secretary, Carson.

The chapter will entertain at the annual spring dance, to be held in the chapter house May 20th.

Easton, Pa.

May 11, 1922

ALLAN M. CARSON Correspondent

#### Pennsylvania Iota — University of Pennsylvania

The chapter had the pleasure of entertaining the alumni with the annual show and smoker on April 27th. As this event is always looked forward to by the alumni, there was a large gathering. The show received the name of "Phi Psi Assininities of 1922," the success of which is all due to the efforts of Niesley and F. S. Smyth, who wrote the show.

The Mask and Wig Club has returned from its successful tour of the principal eastern cities, where it received much tribute from leading critics. As usual, Phi Psi was well represented, Vanderzee, Wilson and Compton all having prominent parts.

The chapter has been presented with a silver loving cup by the A. G. Spalding Co., for having won the interfraternity basketball championship the past season.

Henn is rowing on the 150 pound crew, which, by its superior performances over the two varsity crews, was sent to Princeton to row in the Childs Cup regatta as the varsity. Although defeated by a small margin, rowing critics claim it is the best light-weight crew in action. Sweeney has been playing on the varsity lacrosse team, while Gillette and Curtis have been engaged in spring football practice. Rownd, Baum and Williams are showing their ability in golf, the former being on the varsity team, and the latter two on the freshman team. Paton was successful in making the freshman lacrosse team, and Pancoast and Baum made their numerals in freshman soccer.

Sweeney was recently elected to the editorial board of the student daily, the *Pennsylvanian*.

Compton has just been elected to Beta Gamma Sigma, Wharton School scholastic honorary society, as well as Sphinx, senior society. He is manager of football for the coming year.

With nearly all the brothers out for some form of activity, and with the sophomore managerial competitions drawing to a close, in which several of the brothers are leading in their competition, Phi Psi promises to start off the coming year with an unusually large number of activities.

The social functions of the year will come to an end with the chapter picnic on May 21st.

Philadelphia, Pa.

May 16, 1922

STORM VANDERZEE Correspondent

#### Pennsylvania Kappa — Swarthmore College

This is the first time in several years that Kappa can boast of being first in scholastic standing. Clement M. Biddle '92 made an offer of \$10 a man if we could keep away from the bottom of the list. Part of this will go to the "lodge fund" and the remainder will be used to furnish the lodge. This offer was made instead of making a subscription to the lodge fund, and will continue year after year until the maximum subscription amount has been reached.

John McCain and Herbert Spackman were elected delegates to the G.A.C.

Asplundh and Clyde were tapped for membership in the Book and Key senior society.

Our lacrosse team, under the coaching of Grant E. Benjamin '21, made a good start in defeating the strong Oxford-Cambridge team. We are represented by Lewis, Clyde and Frank Long.

The baseball team is doing well under the leadership of Ogden and the support of Butterworth, Earnshaw, Shoemaker and Grenhart.

In track, Asplundh is doing the hurdles in addition to the field events, Sharpless is doing both the pole vault and the broad jump, Spackman is taking care of the sprints, and L. Blair is coming along well in the high jump.

The rushing committee has been appointed and has already made plans for next year. Any information regarding men coming to Swarthmore should be sent to Herbert Spackman, Coatesville, Pa.

Swarthmore, Pa. May 9, 1922 JOHN R. MCCAIN Correspondent

Pennsylvania Lambda --- Pennsylvania State College

A publicity campaign which is to pave the way for a gigantic effort on the part of Penn State to raise \$2,000,000 was launched May 1st. The publicity that is to be given the campaign will reach every nook and cranny of the commonwealth. It is a call to the men of the state to approve an emergency building fund, which may be used for the erection of buildings for social, athletic and health activities of the students.

The junior prom was held in the Armory on April 28th. The house dance was held the next night. The social calendar for the rest of the semester includes Fathers' Day on May 28th and the June house party during commencement.

This is the silver jubilee year of the Thespian Club, the twenty-fifth anniversary of its founding. The annual commencement production this year will be "The Fair Co-ed." Hoffman will play a leading role in the show and Stern is a chorus man.

Captain "Bill" Ullery is leading the varsity nine to success. Bucknell has been the only college to defeat the varsity this season. The freshman nine has won every game to date. Johnston, Malin and Stuckman are on the team. McClure, Loy and Durborrow have made the frosh track team which will meet Pitt frosh on the afternoon of the annual interscholastics to be held May 13th and 14th. The varsity track team defeated Virginia 76 to 50 on May 6th. "Bill" Ullery ran the sprints.

The chapter has recently had the pleasure of visits from W. T. Conlon, Ind. Delta; W. E. Balliet and Bunting, Pa. Gamma; C. R. Dooley, Ind. Delta; and John Henry Frizzell, Mass. Alpha.

State College, Pa. May 10, 1922 Edward J. Stern

Correspondent

#### Maryland Alpha — John Hopkins University

Maryland Alpha is much interested in the interfraternity baseball tournament which was started this year to provide some fun and bring the various chapters into closer contact. Our hasily organized nine has already met and defeated their first victim, a local fraternity. Hammond, who started on the mound, sent out an S. O. S. after the first inning, but Captain Jacobsen went to the rescue and soon put the game on ice. A handsome cup goes to the winner, and our hopes are high.

The annual freshman-sophomore fracas began last week when Homer and Jenifer kidnapped O'Connor, president of the freshman class, immediately after the fraternity meeting. They planned to take him and some other freshmen to their banquet that evening, and in the meanwhile took their prospective victims into the wilds of our suburbs and tied them up. Then, with a sense of blissful security, the sophs went swimming. Suddenly the woods became alive with freshmen, who swarmed down to the water's edge. To fight against such numbers was useless; to run in nature's garb impossible. The sophs came out of the water and were tied up, Jenifer, Homer and Morrison among them. They ate no banquet that night, and O'Connor was freed. The lacrosse squad went to Philadelphia last week and lost to Penn-

The lacrosse squad went to Philadelphia last week and lost to Pennsylvania in a hard-played game. Seven Phi Psis made the trip, Turner, Griffiss, Landy, Turnbull, O'Connor, Collins and Hensel. We go to Swarthmore next Saturday.

Landy has been elected a member of Omicron Delta Kappa, to which only three per cent of the student body is eligible. Maryland Alpha now has five undergraduate members in that organization. Cooper has made the art staff of the *Black and Blue Jay*, while Hensel is on the business staff. Crampton is editor of a new literary paper, *The Hori*zon, which he was instrumental in starting. Jacobsen and Rowland have made the tennis team.

Maryland Alpha loses by graduation Rowland, Turner, Randall and Jacobsen. Thompson, who will also be graduated, will return to the university next year for graduate work. We know of several good prospects for next year, and hope to hear of more through Phi Psis of other chapters.

Baltimore, Md.

May 15, 1922

HOWARD B. HENSEL Correspondent

Virginia Alpha — University of Virginia No LETTER RECEIVED

Virginia Beta — Washington and Lee University No LETTER RECEIVED

#### THIRD DISTRICT

Pennsylvania Alpha — Washington and Jefferson College

Three more weeks and then commencement! The chapter will lose Varner, Wiley and Craig. With the closing of the term activities are on the wane. The Buskin Club performance was a great success. Snyder, Hood, Craig and Weller were in the cast while Ferree was manager.

On April 28th occurred the annual junior prom, held in the Masonic Temple. Due to a recent faculty ruling, no house parties were allowed but on the following evening a dinner was given at the house, followed by an informal dance at the Temple where the prom was held.

The elections for the management of the Wag Jag for the coming year were held recently. Kirchner was elected editor in chief, his clever work in the art department this year winning this position for him. Weller, a freshman, also holds a place on the art department while Ferree and Diemer are in the business end of the organization.

The chapter suffered a great shock in the death of George H. Baldwin '21. He was taken ill with a slight cold and an infection set in on his face, which rapidly spread. An operation was performed but the infection had spread too far. Early in the morning of March 23d we received word of Brother Baldwin's death. His quiet manner and habits were such as to nake friendships which, broken by his sudden departure, were deeply appreciated by all who knew him.

We are looking forward to our homecoming week, beginning June 4th. We hope to have a record-breaking attendance of alumni.

Washington, Pa. May 11, 1922 WILLIAM H. KIRK Correspondent

#### Pennsylvania Beta — Allegheny College

The track season is in full swing at Allegheny and prospects are for a successful season. The chapter is represented by Hafer in the 100 and 220-yard dashes, Pringle in the quarter, and Moore in the pole vault and broad jump.

The chapter will hold its annual spring party at the chapter house on May 18th.

The annual college dance was held on May 11th. The affair is put on by the seniors.

Larson, chairman of the college Y. M. C. A., and Wills, vice president, represented the local branch of that organization in a conference held in Pittsburgh recently.

We shall soon lose by graduation W. E. Severn, J. W. Kamerer, H. G. Ware, G. W. Pringle, John S. Conroe and W. H. Krebs.

Meadville, Pa. May 13, 1922 Z. STEWART ZURBUCH

Correspondent

#### West Virginia Alpha — West Virginia University

The second issue of the *Mountaineer Phi Psi* has been sent to the press and should be available for distribution within the next few days. It will contain detailed information concerning the building project set on foot at the last initiation banquet, by which adequate provision will be made in the next few years for providing West Virginia Alpha with a new home.

The chapter basketball team, composed of Fitch, Snyder, Hopke, Johnson, Riley, Courtney and Anderson, succeeded in winning the interfraternity championship after an exciting three-game series in the finals. Also the Phi Psi track team won the Panhellenic meet. Hopke is playing on the varsity baseball team; Courtney, Chrisman, Garred, Hall and Gibson are members of the varsity track team; Riley is on the tennis team.

Construction of the new Law School has been commenced. Plans call for completion by the first of the year. This building will mark the commencement of an extensive program by the board of control for improvement of facilities for students in all departments of the university. The rapid increase of enrolment has made this imperative. Snyder has been elected to the university social committee. This year's graduates from the chapter are Lakin, Pool, Selby and Shaw.

Morgantown, W. Va. May 9, 1922

ROBERT J. RILEY Correspondent

#### Ohio Alpha — Ohio Wesleyan University

With the coming of spring Ohio Alpha has come into the limelight. In the recent intramural track meet we were awarded second place and Ross was high point man. Coffield is the pitching ace of the Ohio Conference and with the aid of Harmount and Thomson should bring to Ohio Wesleyan the baseball championship of the state. Kirk is manager of track and Dorner is always high point man for the Wesleyan team. Timmons is also on the track team.

Lawrence Thomson has been selected to edit the college paper for the ensuing year.

We are looking forward to the big social event of the spring when we give a party at the chapter house on May 24th. We expect several alumni back at this time and many more at commencement. Parents Day will be observed May 14th.

The whole active chapter is looking forward with great interest to the Springfield G. A. C. Because of its proximity we are expecting to attend en masse. The chapter will maintain a suite of rooms at the Shawnee Hotel as its headquarters. The alumni are being solicited to attend. The outlook for a large attendance is promising. Our slogan is "One hundred Ohio Alphans at the Springfield G. A. C."

Delaware, Ohio May 14, 1922 RICHARD L. ANDERSON Correspondent

#### Ohio Beta — Wittenberg University

The plans for a greater Wittenberg are gradually assuming a concrete form. The first step along this line is the beginning of the erection of a new girls' dormitory. An addition has been made to the faculty in the person of Ross P. Thomas, formerly of Wooster College, who has been elected assistant professor of physics and engineering.

In the first semester scholarship report recently issued by the dean, Phi Psi led all the fraternities, one sorority and the nonfraternity groups.

Ohio Beta takes great pleasure in introducing the following who were initiated on March 27th: Edwin D. Kirby, of Urbana, and Frank Benton Anthony of Springfield.

The second annual honor day banquet was held April 7th at the Arcade Hotel. At this affair, students received rewards for faithful work in the various activities during the past year. Sittler was admitted into Tau Kappa Alpha, honorary forensic fraternity. Both Sittler and McDaniel received literary "W's."

Birch has been chosen to give the "last will and testament" of the senior class at commencement. Sittler and Birch played leading roles in the senior play and McDaniel is rehearsing for the junior class play. Franks, as chairman of the committee on arrangements, has been working hard on the big freshman party of the year to be given at the Arcade Hotel on May 12th. Bowers was elected one of the three trustees of Philosophian Literary Society, and also representative of this organization on the Boost "W" Association. He was, moreover, elected circulation manager and appointed associate editor at the recent staff election

for *The Wittenberger*, the college year book printed by the junior class. McDaniel has been elected chaplain of Philosophian Literary Society. Pledge Aleshire is the new president of the college Masonic Club. George Birch '13 has reentered college and is carrying graduate work.

The Phi Psi team won the intranural bowling championship, having defeated every team it rolled against. Young and Heberling are on the baseball squad, the former hurling and the latter on the receiving end. Heltzel has been with the team during spring football practice and has excelled along the punting line. Pledge Todd is out for the freshman track team, and is considered the fastest dash man in college.

Allbeck was graduated by Hamma Divinity School on April 31st, and has accepted a pastorate in Pittsburgh, Pa.

A tea-dance was held at the house on the afternoon of April 8th, and proved to be a delightful affair. Dinner parties at the house have been given the past few Sundays, and they have aided greatly in bringing the brothers into a closer relationship with members of other campus groups. Plans for the annual formal dinner-dance have been abandoned, and time will be devoted to preparations for G. A. C. functions.

During the past month we were paid a visit by Lloyd L. Cheney, editor of THE SHIELD; J. A. Jackson, Ohio Alpha '68, of Montclair, N. J.; and J. C. Price, Sigma Chi of Center College. In closing, remember that 1922 G. A. C. in Springfield June 21-24.

In closing, remember that 1922 G. A. C. in Springfield June 21-24. What you can't find at home will be at the G. A. C. There are two great events held bienially in this world and the G. A. C. is both of them! So come all ye faithful!

Springfield, Ohio May 10, 1922 Edwin A. Bowers Correspondent

#### Ohio Delta — Ohio State University

With examinations only three weeks away the brothers are waging a campaign for better scholarship this semester than last. This is the last examination before the four-quarter plan goes into effect. This new plan will probably change the dates of attendance for the college year but it is hoped the schedules will be so arranged that the chapter will be able to be in college at the same time.

By a united effort on the part of the chapter Howard Hamilton was elected by a big majority to the Ohio Union board for a term of two years. Hamilton also made Bucket and Dipper, junior society. It is with the aid of such men that Ohio Delta is able to keep her position among the leaders.

Arthur Windett is playing regular on the varsity baseball team this season. He covers right field in good shape. Richard Brashear and Bob Hoffman have made the freshman team and much is expected of them next year. Among those who helped make a good showing for Ohio State at the Penn relays this year were Ralph Lock, Kenneth McCreary and Douglas McGregor. McCreary recently tied the Western Conference record for the 220-yard low hurdles, and is due to break a record with conditions favorable.

Visits have been made to Pennsylvania Iota and to Pennsylvania Kappa. The members of the chapter at Swarthmore are to be congratulated on their new lodge as it certainly is complete in every detail.

Being situated close to Springfield we hear considerable about the coming G. A. C. From all the arrangments it looks as though it would be the best yet, and the whole chapter expects to be there.

Columbus, Ohio

DOUGLAS MCGREGOR

May 15, 1922

Correspondent

### Ohio Epsilon - Case School of Applied Science

The chapter wishes to announce the initiation of William I. Gribben and the pledging of Leonard Reeve, Lakewood; Donald Hester, Cleve-land; and Ashton Marshall, son of Brother Lyman Marshall, East Cleveland.

As the school year draws to a close, the campus is in a frenzy of preparation for examinations mingled with a full activities schedule. Stunt Nite, the biggest traditional celebration of the year at Case, comes on May 23d and will be under the direction of Royale Wise with Owen as chairman of the booth committee. At the recent spring elections, Criley was elected treasurer of the Boost Case Association and K. Johnson, secretary. Pledge Nolan got track marshal, which leads to manager in the senior year.

Ohio Epsilon is particularly well represented on the track team this spring with Reed, Houck, C. Hale and G. Hale all letter men. Case has lost but one dual meet out of seven so far this season and Phi Psi has been responsible for over one-third of the total points scored. The interfraternity track cup is resting above our fireplace for another year. giving us three of four legs to date on the ten-year trophy.

The Northeastern Ohio scholastic field meet will be held in conjunction with the northern section of the Big Six meet on May 19th and 20th under the direction of Case School. About 600 college and high school athletes will participate.

The annual May party was held at Willoughbeach Park, May 13th, and was very successful, with a number of alumni present.

The coming G. A. C. is occupying a prominent place in the conversation around the house lately, the chapter intending to attend en masse if it is possible. Houck, Owen and Biggar are delegates with G. Hale as alternate. The chapter regrets to lose by graduation Wise, C. Hale, Reed, V. Johnson, Houck, Mix, Jung, Gay, Haber and Tame. Brothers Thomas, Ohio Delta, and Hanna, Pa. Beta, were recent

guests.

Cleveland, Ohio May 13, 1922 J. KIMBALL JOHNSON Correspondent

#### FOURTH DISTRICT

#### Michigan Alpha — University of Michigan

Attention at present is turned toward the prospects of a championship baseball team. Hugh Wilson is manager this year and accompanied the team on a very successful southern trip during the spring vacation. Thus far Michigan has won all its conference games, the most important victories being over Illinois and Wisconsin.

The Mimes Dramatic Society, after the successful presentation of the annual opera, is now characterizing "The Thirteenth Chair." Arthur Holden has been given the juvenile lead in this play. Holden and Carlton Hill have been elected to Mimes and Hill has also been made chairman of costumes for next year's opera.

The sophomore prom, which took place March 31st, is a pleasant mem-Carlton Hill was on the committee and helped to make this ory. festivity one of the most successful.

Jerome Dunne is again representing this chapter in track. On account of trouble with his leg he has been handicapped to some extent but should soon be in condition again.

The twenty-ninth annual May festival, given under the auspices of the University Musical Society, is to take place during the week of May 17th. The festival is always of great interest, as leading musical artists from all over the country take part. For the first time in its history the festival will be without the direct presence and guiding hand of its founder and master-builder, Dr. Albert A. Stanley. Mr. Earl V. Moore is taking up his work and is acting director this year.

Cornell Walbridge has been appointed assistant basketball manager for the coming year. Milo Oliphant and Pledge Clark Field are tryouts for baseball manager.

The return to college after spring vacation brought a great surprise to the chapter, in the announcement of Charles Hummer's marriage to Grace Pattinson of Manistique, Mich. He exp college course and enter the Law School next year. He expects to complete his

Michigan Alpha takes pleasure in announcing the pledging of Kenneth C. Seick, Des Moines, Iowa, and Theodore B. Hanna, Detroit, Mich. They are both members of the freshman class.

Ann Arbor, Mich. May 3, 1922

E. CORNELL WALBRIDGE Correspondent

#### Indiana Alpha — DePauw University

When this letter goes to press work on the superstructure of the new Phi Psi house will have begun. This announcement was received by the brothers from Fred O'Hair, president of the Central National Bank, Greencastle, and member of the house committee. The foundation is in and everything is pointing to the work being rushed toward completion during the summer. George Martin, Fort Wayne High School, 1922, was pledged April

30th. Six men were guests of the annual spring "spike" party. Oliver W. Baxter, of Knightstown, a sophomore, and Samuel Mathews, of Anderson, a freshman, were recently pledged. Simpson, a junior, has just returned from a ten-day tour as pianist with the Glee Club. Bent-ley, a junior, and Simpson have been initiated into Tusitala, campus authors club. Maxwell was initiated into Sigma Delta Chi, national journalistic fraternity, April 27th.

On the social calendar, May 14th has been designated as Mothers' Day and on the week-end of May 13th another "spike" party will be held. The sophomores will entertain at Torr's on the evening of May The college "May Day" will be celebrated May 13th. 19th.

The fellows have lately enjoyed the visits by the members of Beta and Delta Chapters. The alumni are most cordially invited to come to Greencastle to attend the annual symposium to be held on June 6th.

Greencastle, Ind. May 4, 1922

H. R. MAXWELL

Correspondent

#### Indiana Beta-University of Indiana

Dad's week was observed April 28-30 at Indiana Beta and was a com-There were 12 fathers down for the first day and on Sunplete success. day many of the dads in nearby towns drove down. Saturday evening a banquet was held for them and after the banquet about 20 members of the faculty attended a smoker at the house and the usual "chinning" went on between fathers and profs. The week-end was spent in golf, baseball, a visit through the university, and Saturday afternoon the entire chapter and the fathers journeyed to Jordan field to witness the S. A. E.-Phi Psi baseball game.

With the coming of spring our thoughts are turning to final examinations and inspiring each with additional hopes for the recapture of the scholarship cup. Indiana Beta has won the scholarship approximately 25 out of the 28 times that count has been kept in the university office. At the last count it was found that Indiana Beta had won again but a few days later on a recount it was found that we lost the cup by threehundredths of one point. Determined by defeat to win it again and keep the second silver Panhellenic scholarship cup, the brothers are burning the "midnight oil." Examinations start in two weeks and then we expect to reap the fruits of concentrated cooperation with regards to study.

Stuart Butler, one of our freshman athletes, placed second in the State A. A. U. indoor track meet at Indianapolis May 9th. He put the 16-pound shot 39 feet 10 inches.

A rush party was held the week-end of May 12th. Ten men were present. This was a hand-picked bunch of rushees and excellent results are expected.

Indiana Beta has been visited by Brother Peters, Tenn. Delta, who is Deputy Archon for this district. E. Arlo Byrum, Ind. Beta '20, also paid us a visit. Arlo was captain of one of the best basketball teams ever turned out of Indiana. He was teammate to Phillips and Jefferies in 1919-21.

The junior prom was held March 31st and was a wonderful party. Indiana Beta entertained before the dance with a formal dinner. A seven-course dinner was served with dancing between courses. Several of the brothers from Indiana Delta and Alpha were here for the function.

With the G. A. C. not far away much talk is being heard of the wonderful time that is coming. Indiana Beta's delegation will surpass that of any other Indiana Beta delegation that has ever attended a G. A. C. This is the first G. A. C. that has been held "near to home" for many years and "We're comin' strong."

The rush committee is hard at work lining men up for next year. Any names from any Phi Psi will be appreciated.

Bloomington, Ind. May 10, 1922 W. E. KEISKER Correspondent

#### Indiana Delta — Purdue University

On April 1st there were eight new names added to the roll of Indiana Delta. The men initiated were all freshmen and are Thomas F. Mc-Nutt, Indianapolis; Edward White, Muncie; David J. Miller, Indianapolis; John S. Capper jr., Chicago, Ill.; Gordon L. Crawford, Peru; Robert M. Ward, Winchester; Joseph Hartley, Muncie; and Robert Kniptash, Indianapolis. After the initiation ceremonies a banquet was held at which we were glad to have present a number of alumni.

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D. H. Walker '20 was recently elected to membership in Tau Beta
Pi and to Contour, civil engineering society. E. E. Murphy '18 was
also elected to Contour. Walker has been chosen president of Contour
for the coming year. D. B. Botkin '18 and J. C. Sackman '21 have been
chosen as managers of the baseball and minor sports teams, respectively.
W. G. Eversman '20 is playing center field on the baseball team and is
helping a great deal to hold Purdue at the top of the Conference.

At the Purdue Circus held recently Indiana Delta was awarded second prize in the side show entries and D. T. Caunter first prize for the best individual float in the parade.

During the week-end of May 5th Purdue held its junior prom and Indiana Delta its customary spring house party. Both were as usual said to be the "best ever." In the Harlequin Club show given the same

week the chapter was represented by F. L. Murphy '18 and D. T. Caunter. R. B. Colter '17 and D. B. Botkin are on the board of directors of the club.

On May 13th Mothers' Day was observed at the chapter. We were delighted to have most of our mothers here for the entire week-end.

Indiana Delta is working hard for the success of the coming G. A. C. and every brother will make a special effort to attend.

West Lafayette, Ind. May 13, 1922 T. H. PRICE Correspondent

#### Illinois Alpha — Northwestern University No Letter Received

#### Illinois Beta — University of Chicago

The month of May finds Illinois Beta as well as the university in the midst of spring activities. The various interfraternity contents are now well under way, and prospects for at least one cup are very bright.

In varsity athletics our representatives are for the most part experiencing successful seasons. Captain Redmon, who won the hammerthrow in numerous meets last year, is again getting good distance and has won his event in both of the meets in which he has thus far participated. Yardley is again regular catcher on the baseball team and is one of Coach Norgren's mainstays. Forkel, a regular on last year's freshman team, is getting into most of the games this year either in the out-field or at first base; he is doing good work with the bat and with a little more experience will be a valuable man. McGuire is again a member of the Maroon golf team and has been victorious in all of his matches to date.

George Yardley, who played center on the basketball team, has been elected to captain next year's quintet.

Illinois Beta is also well represented in freshman athletics. Hobscheid is working with the hammer and shot in track; Windette, Wells and Jack Long are on the baseball squad; and Windette is showing up well in golf. Curley, Hobscheid and Tom Long are out regularly for spring football practice.

Robert Curley and Tom Long have recently been pledged to Skull and Crescent, the sophomore athletic society.

This has been a big year for Phi Psi in Blackfriars, the men's dramatic organization, as we are well represented in practically every department. In the business and executive divisions we have Holloway as abbott (head of the organization), Linden as business manager of the annual production, McInnis as manager of programs and McAdams in charge of the box office. The 1922 production, "Anybody's Girl," has been pronounced one of the best staged in several years. Brown was leading man, while Allen and Neff, last year's leading man, had important parts in the show. Coulter did good work behind the scenes and Irwin was a member of the chorus.

Illinois Beta wishes to announce the pledging of Gavin Hamilton of Oak Park.

Chicago, Ill. May 12, 1922 Don D. IRWIN Correspondent

#### Illinois Delta - University of Illinois

Three freshmen, Phil Porterfield, Fort Wayne, Ind., Jack Ebbert, Oak Park, Ill., and Bill Baur, Chicago, were initiated May 6th, which marked the second initiation ceremonies of the year.

Illinois Delta is making a drive for a 100 per cent representation at the G. A. C., and hopes that its alumni will turn out in large numbers. As chapter delegates, Homer Irving Mc Eldowney, and Joe Godfrey jr, were selected. In order to make it easy for two more to attend and as an inducement for better scholarship, the chapter will vote the expenses paid to the two brothers making the highest grades this semester.

Richard H. Pentecost entered his name on the ballot with seven others for senior councilman in the recent Illinois Union elections, and in the most closely contested and heated fight ever staged, was elected to this position for next year.

Paul Anderson was initiated into Alpha Kappa Psi, professional commerce fraternity. Dev Bowly was initiated into Ku Klux Klan, junior interfraternity society, and Pat Stoik and Hi Whitney were selected for Skull and Crescent, sophomore interfraternity society.

At the annual Illinois gridiron banquet, which is attended by the supposed bright lights of the campus, Illinois Delta, with a delegation of eight, had a greater number than any other fraternity on the campus, of which there are eighty-eight. At this banquet Spurs Mc Eldowney was pledged to Sigma Delta Chi, honorary journalistic fraternity. Following are the brothers who were present: K. Watson, Burt Ingwerson, Bill Donahue, Jumbo Walker, Joe Godfrey, Oss Harding and Professor Hamilton.

Bill Baur is pitching good ball on Burt Ingwerson's freshman-varsity squad and is making hay this semester for his chances on the varsity Bill is also a star at the bat. next year.

The week-end of May 12th will be celebrated with the annual formal dinner-dance, which is the best social function of the season. After this comes the annual interscholastic, during which rushing festivities feature, and then come the final examinations one week later. Illinois Delta has entered a stunt in the interscholastic circus, called, "Throwing the Bull.'

Champaign, Ill.

R. W. TURNBULL Correspondent

Tennessee Delta - Vanderbilt University NO LETTER RECEIVED

Wisconsin Alpha — University of Wisconsin NO LETTER RECEIVED

Wisconsin Gamma — Beloit College

Wisconsin Gamma wishes to introduce Lohrer Tunstead of Janesville. Although a new man on the campus, he is already occupying a respon-sible position on the *Round Table*. In baseball and track Phi Psi is occupying her usual place. Laffin is

Laffin is holding down his old position of short stop and is showing up in even better form than usual. In track Connel, Bradley, Wilford and Bunge are now shining. Connel took second place in a field of seasoned milers.

An informal spring party was given on April 1st at the mansion at 1125 Chapin and even though it was April Fool's day, the party was a great success. The annual spring party was given at the Beloit Country Club May 6th. The dance hall was decorated with apple blossoms and other flowers and everyone agreed that it was the last word. There were several rushees at the party and, although nothing definite was done, it certainly looks as though we shall have some good new boys with us in the fall.

At present we have two of the four men on the golf team, and if the fever does not abate it will not be long before they will have to enlarge the team to take care of the Phi Psi contingent.

The reunion promises to be the best in the history of the chapter. Arrangements are already being made and even the old boys who have not been around since 1884 will have to be superhuman to resist the efforts that are being made to bring them around.

Beloit, Wis. May 8, 1922 W. WHEELER BUNGE Correspondent

#### Minnesota Beta - University of Minnesota

Some of the snow has gone off the ground, several of the brothers have paid an installment on their last fall suits and asked for credit enough to get a new spring one, three of the boys have borrowed books and announced their intentions of studying for finals; spring must be approaching even this frigid region; all the signs are present. We are getting ready for spring sports; the baseball team is in shape and the relay team getting tuned up for the annual race.

approaching even this frigid region; all the signs are present. we are getting ready for spring sports; the baseball team is in shape and the relay team getting tuned up for the annual race. James Bohan and Jack Bossard were recently elected to White Dragon, junior men's organization. Oliver Aas was elected academic representative to the All-university Council by a large majority. He was also elected to Grey Friars, senior men's organization. Dwight Lyman was reappointed business manager for the *Ski-U-Mah* and James Bohan was reappointed on the advertising staff. Frank Hubachek was elected president of the Aero Club of Minneapolis. Hubachek was a flight commander in France and was decorated with the croix de guerre.

We have had two parties recently and the formal is planned for June 14th, the day after college closes. The annual mother's tea will take place on May 14th.

From the way things look the entire chapter intends to move on the G. A. C. en masse. Every one who can beg or borrow the fare will be present.

George Hagen and Edwin Nichols were initiated this spring. They were pledged the beginning of the winter quarter. Hagen is a line candidate for next year's football team.

Minneapolis, Minn. May 11, 1922 JOHN K. MORTLAND JR.

Correspondent

#### FIFTH DISTRICT

#### Iowa Alpha — University of Iowa

With final examinations in the near future, the brothers are dusting off the books which were laid away during the picnic season and are preparing for a big campaign against the dreaded bug. Some are quite susceptible to the disease while others are absolutely immune. Carl Matthey and Glen Miller are the latest additions to the latter class and will be protected for the rest of their career by two of the fairest in the Other brothers claim great ability but as yet have anuniversity. nounced nothing but silence.

Iowa Alpha is about to close a successful year and will end the social side of it by a dance May 29th at the chapter house. In scholarship we hope again to have first or second honors and in athletics the pleasure The "gang" won both the Pan-Hell and Interfraternity is all ours. basketball tournaments and by doing so added three more cups to the list. Second place was our lot in the relay carnival and in baseball we are undefeated.

Much stress is being laid upon the coming G. A. C. and Iowa Alpha hopes to have a good representation.

The chapter has been represented in university activities during the year by the following; football, Minnick and Miller; track, Wilson; Swimming, Gage; freshman basketball, James, Howry, Jensen, Boyson; Glee Club, Nagle, Kuser; *Hawkeye* editor, Ray Peterson; Student Council, Nash, Soper; A. F. I., Goodrich; president Y. M. C. A., Nash; Phi Beta Kappa, Ernstene, Ensign; Sigma Xi, Ensign.

Iowa City, Iowa

May 12, 1922

D. H. SOPER

Correspondent

#### Iowa Beta — Iowa State College

Iowa Beta takes pleasure in introducing Raymond E. Hodges of Omaha, Neb. In Brother Swannell. Initiation and banquet were held during the visit of We also have with us this quarter Lynton H. Chambers, N. Y. Alpha. Brother Swannell's visit stirred up our spirit and enthusiasm to such

a point that we took definite action on our plans for a new house. We sold our present home and have let a contract and work has already started on our new house, which is of brick, southern colonial in type. We have a fine large lot located near the campus, which was purchased some time ago for this purpose. We are very busy with the work and organization which accompanies such a project.

The college has recently had the first annual three-day celebration. At this time a high school invitation meet was held, and all the different divisions were prepared for visitors. A large parade was a feature and all the shops and laboratories were open with their exhibits. Dancing and other amusements were held. It was a big success and a large out-of-town crowd attended. At this time we looked over some very good rushing material.

On May 29th we are giving our spring rushing party at the Country We have some good prospects for next fall who will be enter-Club. tained at this time; also it will be sort of a farewell party for Bigler, Tracy, Rice, Johnson, Jones and Guilford, who will receive their degrees this spring.

Rice and Tracy are making good on the track team. Prunty is out for spring football.

Among chapter visitors have been Dan G. Swannell, O. N. Gjellefold, John Foster, Fay Barney, Gus Albert, Art Bongert, Pat Mason, Chuc Mason, Guy McNeil, Cliff Paxton, Ted Aulmann, Frank Carter, and Don McKee; Guyon Whitley, Dow Grant, Don Soper of Iowa Alpha; Engler, Ill. Alpha; French, N. Y. Alpha; and Withey, Neb. Alpha. *Ames, Iowa* ROBERT L. WRIGHT

May 14, 1922

Correspondent

### Missousri Alpha — University of Missouri

Missouri Alpha had the pleasure of entertaining fifteen mothers the week-end beginning March 17th. Saturday afternoon we gave a tea in honor of our mothers which was well attended by university girls and townspeople. A mothers club was organized at this time with definite actions in view which will be influential in helping us work for the betterment of the chapter.

Dr. and Mrs. O. M. Stewart entertained the entire chapter and alumni on March 19th. An excellent dinner was served, after which the evening was made gay with songs and stories.

Our formal was held March 24th, and was a lively party from the first dance to "Home Sweet Home." The orchestra featured the Phi Psi Rag, and dancing to that "tantalizing air" proved to be the real hit of the evening.

The annual interfraternity basketball tournament was played during Missouri Alpha had an exceptionally good team composed of April. Captain Peck, Robinson, Whitcomb, Olson and Sanders. All opponents were successfully eliminated until the final game when Delta Tau Delta defeated us 20 to 19.

Craig Ruby '16, who has coached basketball at Missouri so successfully the last two years, having lost only one game each year, will leave next fall to become coach at Illinois University.

A silver loving cup has been given to the chapter by Gordon Letterman, and each year the fershman having the highest scholastic standing will have his name engraved upon it. This has proved an incentive to hard work.

John Gilmore was elected to Phi Beta Kappa at the time of his graduation April 26th. He had the highest average of any fraternity man during the three years he attended Missouri.

At the end of our regular college year April 26th, seven of our men were graduated, namely, F. Marbut, Vasse, Misselwitz, Gilmore, Bond, Sanderson and B. Brown. Spring term ,which began immediately after the regular session, is being attended by eight brothers. We have received visits from Misselwitz who will leave in two weeks to begin newspaper work in Honolulu, and from Thiemeyer, who has just returned from a visit to Colorado Alpha.

Columbia, Mo. May 10, 1922 BEN H. BROWN Correspondent

#### Texas Alpha — University of Texas

As a result of one of the hardest fought political battles ever waged at the university all the fraternity men who were competing for the various offices were elected, among whom was Henry C. Fulcher who was chosen as managing editor of the Daily Texan for next year.

A movement to raise funds for a \$1,000,000 Memorial Union has been launched on the campus. Black '17 is handling the publicity and Hill '18 is in charge of the organizations committee. Bill Schmidt '22 has been recently elected to membership in Alpha Kappa Psi, business ad-ministration fraternity, and Warren Scarborough '21 and Ed Mann '21 were recently tapped for Chancellors, local honorary legal society. Beaumont Stinnett '20 was one of the four members of the junior class elected this spring to Friar, academic senior society, and Scarborough is next year's president of Phi Delta Phi. Henry R. Hoskins '18, who is in attendance at the University Medical School at Galveston, has been elected president of the student body of that branch for next year. It seems assured that Arthur M. Allen '21 and Pledge Ward will re-

ceive letters in baseball and that Stinnett will annex his second letter in track. Albert Curtis '21 was recently awarded a loving cup in spring football training for displaying the most ability at the position of end of any man who does not hold a varsity letter in football.

In keeping with the many delightful courtesies which are shown the chapter by them, Dr. J. L. Henderson, W. Va. Alpha, and Mrs. Henderson on April 27th entertained the entire chapter with a buffet supper at their home, which is immediately across the street from the chapter house.

Texas Alpha regrets to announce the sudden death on March 9th of Pledge Thomas M. Jones of El Paso, Texas. Tom, who was the brother of Earnest Jones, Mo. Alpha, was one of the most promising of this year's pledges and was showing up well on the freshman track squad.

The chapter has this spring had the pleasure of entertaining a number of alumni, among whom were Ross Boothe and Bill Carruthers of Texas Alpha; Brown, Ill. Alpha; E. C. Vickers, Mo. Alpha; and E. E. Thiemeyer, Mo. Alpha, Archon of the fifth district.

It is with pleasure that the chapter introduces William F. Schmidt of Fort Worth, for whom initiation was recently held, and Pledge Jack Binion of Lufkin.

In order to make the rushing season a greater success than ever next fall, it is desired that alumni write to the chapter with reference to men who will enter the university next year and whom they consider as Phi Psi material.

Austin, Texas

*May 10, 1922* 

ED MANN Correspondent

### Kansas Alpha — University of Kansas

Three more weeks will bring to a finish another college year, and also close the school days for ten brothers of Kansas Alpha. The men who will sing "School Days are O'er" for the last time as undergraduate members of our chapter at the farewell party on June 3d are Bradner Davidson, Roy Farrell, Robert Blackburn, Ralph Brigham, Richard Dungan, Raymond Kerfoot, Paul O'Leary, William Stevenson, Winston Tate and Edwin White.

It is with no little pride that Kansas Alpha announces that the only fraternity Sigma Xi and the only fraternity Phi Beta Kappa call the Phi Psi house home. Edwin White was elected to the former honor while Paul M. O'Leary obtained the latter. This has indeed been a banner year for O'Leary and White. On March 1st O'Leary, the Missouri Valley quarter mile champion, broke the Kansas University quarter mile record established by his brother, Dorman, Kan. Alpha '15, and has, besides many other activities, served as president of the chapter during the spring term. White has been more than busy as president of the Men's Student Council during the year.

In activities we find John Montgomery and Pledge Simmons making Black Helmet, sophomore society; Dean Boggs, Owl, junior society, and the *Daily Kansas* board. Connelly has been initiated into Sigma Delta Chi and is out for track learning the art of the discus. Wilkins, Belgard and Pledge Wimmer have spent the spring in basketball practice, having won their freshman numerals in the sport. Campbell and Pledges DeWeise and Doge have been playing with the freshman baseball squad. Montgomery has been reporting regularly for freshman track and Pledge Hodges is establishing a "rep" with the spring football squad that will carry him far in the sport next fall. Farrell is playing left field on the varsity nine and his hitting is the delight of the club. Both Kearney and O'Leary brought home points for Kansas in the dual

meet with Nebraska, May 6th, which Kansas lost by a score of 72-59. It was the first defeat for the local team this year, it having won besides several dual meets, first place in the special events at the Drake relays, and second in all events. In spite of their disastrous action against Kansas on the cinder track the chapter was very glad to have with us over the week-end Noble and Captain Smith of Nebraska Alpha, sprinters par excellence. In dramatics, Pledge DeWeise had an important part in the Dramatic Club play "Issims," while Lauterbach held down the lead in the senior play, "The Prince Chap." Dick Stevens as manager made a howling success of the annual K. U. Carnival.

In Panhellenic baseball we stand a good chance to win the pennant. In our first game we defeated Phi Delta Theta 15 to 6, and our boys behaved like real leaguers.

On May 6th we entertained with our spring rushing party, which met with the approval of all attending, much credit being due to Hollingberry.

In the spring chapter elections, Augustus Lauterbach was elected president for the fall semester. Campbell '10 was elected alumnus delegate to the G. A. C., while Lauterbach and Easterly are the chapter delegates.

Lawrence, Kan. March 13, 1922 GEORGE ESTERLY JR Correspondent

Nebraska Alpha — University of Nebraska No Letter Received

#### Oklahoma Alpha — University of Oklahoma

Oklahoma Alpha has just completed a very satisfactory rushing week when we had, as guests, visitors to the state high school track meet.

Charlie Davis made his letter by winninr the 440 yard dash in the dual meet with Oklahoma Aggies. Charlie is also a member of Oklahoma's undefeated relay team. Bill Chester has made his letter as varsity catcher.

At a recent special election Jack Rone was chosen president of this year's senior class. At the spring election Harry Mills was elected treasurer of the junior class and Pledge Lynn Lee was elected president of the sophomore class for next year.

Bill Cline was recently initiated into Phi Beta Kappa.

Wilbur Bunderburk has been appointed on the art staff of the Whirlwind.

Oklahoma Alpha finished second in the interfraternity basketball series and at present stands second in the baseball series with a fine chance of winning the cup.

Oklahoma Alpha will publish a chapter paper in the near future under the editorship of D. S. G. Shackelford.

Plans have been completed for a real Phi Psi rushing banquet to be held in Oklahoma City September 12th at Haskins Hotel, just before the opening of college next fall.

The recent visit of Ernest E. Thiemeyer, Mo. Alpha, was greatly appreciated by the chapter and it is hoped that more officers and brothers who reside in or who pass through Oklahoma will pay us visits.

Norman, Okla. May 5, 1922 W. D. RENFRO JR Correspondent

#### Colorado Alpha — University of Colorado

Initiation ceremonies were held April 9th for Francis Scott of Colorado Springs, whom we take pleasure in introducing to the Fraternity.

Delightful spring weather such as only Colorado sunshine and climate can produce, together with the many attractions of our new house, tend to make studying difficult. However, when the final bell is rung for the end of this quarter, Colorado Alpha will surely be found among the leaders in scholastic standing. The election of A. S. U. C. officers occurs May 11th and we have great confidence in Jack, captain-elect of the 1923 football team, who is a candidate for the commission.

Our baseball team has won one game out of two starts, and a new team will be built up as a result of our last win. The varsity baseball team has won its first three games, and now stands at the head of the Conference. The track team has swamped every competitor thus far. Jones, last year's Conference champion pole-vaulter, is again showing form and should repeat his past performance.

Eddie Kneale was initiated Torch and Shield, sophomore society. Agnew and Cassell were initiated into Eta Kappa Nu, eletrical engineering society. J. Pyper, Griffith and Pledge Fitzhugh are taking prominent parts in the Booster's Club operetta which will be given in Boulder and Denver, May 26th and 27th.

Rushing for next fall will take a definite step forward at our spring dance, May 20th. About fifteen rushees will be entertained at this party, and a number of alumni are also expected. Clem Beels, Mo. Alpha, and Fred Hecker, Neb. Alpha, who are attending the School of Mines at Golden, are planning to be here.

Mines at Golden, are planning to be here. The chapter house will be run by H. D. Burk during the summer sessions, and several brothers are planning to be here. Several others will attend the G. A. C., with Britzman and Campbell as the delegates. All Phi Psis who happen to be in Colorado this summer are expected and requested to pay the chapter a visit.

Boulder, Col. May 11, 1922 J. L. CAMPBELL Correspondent

#### Washington Alpha — University of Washington

Washington Alpha wishes to introduce Pledges Orville R. Stendal, Sedro Wooley, Wash., and Charles W. O'Connell, Kalipell, Mont.

Washington is still celebrating the ten-length crew victory over California, which means that Washington will represent the west in the regatta at Poughkeepsie this summer. Bob Ingram and Lloyd Mason rowed in the race and will make the trip east.

Bob Ingram and Jack Bole were recently initiated into Oval Club, upperclass society, and Bob was elected president of the organization at the first meeting following his initiation.

Four former Washington track records were broken by Pledge Percy Egvett in the novice meet, May 4th. Perc will be a strong addition to next year's track team and will offer some real competition for a place on the football team.

"Casey" Anderson has been laid up with a torn tendon all this season but will probably be able to enter some of the later meets. Powell is assistant track manager.

Jim Palmer has been initiated into Phi Delta Phi, Ingram and Bole into Alpha Kappa Psi and Owen Cowling into Sigma Delta Chi.

The freshmen are all trying to make names for themselves, and most of them have chosen managerial jobs to strive for. Weiser is shadowing the crew manager, Lewis is doing the same for the baseball manager, Vestal is dividing his time between helping Herb Brink pay for the year book and working on the track, Clark is holding a place on the freshman baseball squad.

Crisler and Cowling have recently made an inspection trip to the two petitioning bodies in Oregon, Omega Upsilon, and Kappa Theta Chi, and have given a very favorable report to the chapter. A report of the trip has been prepared and will be mailed to each of the chapters as soon as copies are made.

Seattle, Wash.

May 4, 1922

Owen S. Cowling Correspondeni

#### California Beta - Stanford University

With the spring quarter in full swing, Phi Psi added strength to its freshman class by the addition of Harry Steward and Hal Warner. Both boys hail from Los Angeles, and while fraternity regulations prohibit initiating them until the fall quarter, they will go home wearing the pledge pin. It is with pleasure that we announce the initiation of Phillip Stephens, also of Los Angeles, which took place last month.

Phillip Stephens, also of Los Angeles, which took place last month. We shall lose four or five of the "Old Guard" when graduation comes around this spring, but with the large freshman class we acquired this year, and good rushing material already in the offing, we seem assured of as large a chapter as we can handle next fall.

Phi Psi is coming to its own in the dramatic field this year. Having had members in the Ram's Head, English Club, and Masquer's productions, the chapter is finishing the year in a blaze of glory with Dick Richmond starring in the junior opera, and Charlie Parks adding his voice and grace to the production.

The athletic year is completed, with many of the brothers running around in "S" and numeral sweaters. Mitchell won his third "S" in baseball, while Wayland also drew his letter in this sport. Interfraternity baseball is coming to a conclusion, and with a clean score of victories, Phi Psi stands better than an even chance to take the cup.

Socially, the chapter is planning a successful conclusion to the year by making the annual tennis court dance the best in the history of the chapter. It will be a "rep" dance, and all the brothers are working faithfully to give the visiting lads and ladies a royal time.

At present, the house is busy installing a system of fire-fighting equipment. Being far from a hydrant, and upon a hill with little available pressure, the brothers are looking forward to equipping it so that we shall not some night have to grab a shirt or two and sleep underneath the palms.

The scholarship committee has been very busy, with the result that the house average will undoubtedly improve a great deal this year.

Stanford University, Cal. May 11, 1922 D. WEDGWOOD GRAVES

Correspondent

California Gamma — University of California No Letter Received



#### Arthur B. Milford, Ind. Gamma '75

Arthur B. Milford, Ind. Gamma '75, formerly professor of English in Wabash College and widely known in educational circles, died of heart disease at Fort Myers, Fla., April 27, 1922. He was regarded as one of the most brilliant faculty members Wabash ever had and was popular with students, who referred to him affectionately as Daddy Milford.

He was born in Attica, Ind., September 28, 1857. After spending a few years in Wabash College, he entered Princeton, where he was graduated in 1879 in the same class with Woodrow Wilson. He served several years as principal of various high schools, becoming a member of the Wabash faculty in 1884. He resigned in 1916, being retired on a Carnegie pension. He received his master's degree from Princeton in 1882, and in 1909 Wabash gave him a doctor's degree.

#### George H. Baldwin, Pa. Alpha '21

George H. Baldwin, Pa. Alpha '21, died at the home of his parents in Pittsburgh, Pa., on March 23d. He was the son of H. M. Baldwin of the Pittsburgh Stove and Range Co.

#### Robert S. Williams, Pa. Theta '92

Robert S. Williams, Pa. Theta '92, died at his home in Baltimore, Md., December 5, 1921.

#### Henry W. Berks, Kan. Alpha '77

Henry Woodside Berks, Kan. Alpha '77, one of the charter members of his chapter, died at his home in Champaign, Ill., March 26, 1922. He was vice president and director of the Trevett-Mattis bank of Champaign, and was prominent in civic affairs. He was born in Philadelphia, Pa., July 11, 1857, but spent his boyhood and young manhood in Kansas. He was graduated from the University of Kansas in 1877 with high honors in mathematics.

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# The Thirty-second Grand Arch Council

A NOTHER Grand Arch Council has come and gone, leaving behind it a feeling of greater enthusiasm and interest in the Fraternity among nearly five hundred loyal brothers who were privileged to be in Springfield, Ohio, June 21-24. It was the first time in many years that the convention had met in one of the smaller cities, but none regretted the experiment. The smaller city population was more then offset by the large Phi Psi population in Springfield. The Springfield brothers had promised much, and made good on all their promises. Interesting business sessions, abundant entertainment and delightful weather united to make the 1922 G.A.C. days particularly enjoyable.

It was not possible to house all delegates and visitors in one hotel, nor to hold the business sessions in the official headquarters at the Shawnee Hotel. The arrangements provided, however, presented little or no difficulty. All found ample hotel accommodations, and the Lagonda Club, near all hotels, provided satisfactory rooms for general sessions and committee meetings. Most of the entertainment features were held in Memorial Hall, which had abundant space for all events.

Everyone in Springfield was aware of the convention. Appropriate welcome signs in stores and stations, on the streets and on automobiles, indicated the warmth of the greeting extended from all sides. The newspapers were generous in the space given to the convention and carried many pictures of brothers prominent at the meetings. On or near the residences of the many Phi Psis living in Springfield were conspicuous placards bearing the words "Another Phi Psi Lives Here," which emphasized not only the large number of members living in the city, but also the material prosperity of those brothers as evidenced by the many beautiful homes.

The Old Guard was there in force—34 G. A. C'ers, 22 members of S. C., and 28 brothers who have been members of the Fraternity for 40 years or more. Every chapter was represented, and 25 alumni associations sent delegates. The constitution was amended, as usual, the colors were again changed, there was about the usual amount of oratory concerning extension matters, with about the usual results, and nearly an entirely new set of officers were elected. Out of nine or ten petitions, no charters were granted, but the University of Oregon was placed upon the accredited list. There was excitement aplenty, at times, so that even the old, hardened G. A. C'ers felt well repaid for their biennial pilgrimage.

President Swannell opened the convention promtly at 10 o'clock on the morning of June 21st. The invocation was pronounced by the Rev. Dr. Hough Houston. W. Va. Alpha '91. Addresses of welcome were delivered by Mr. H. C. Corv. president of the Springfield Chamber of Commerce, in behalf of the city; by Mr. Paul C. Martin, a member of Beta Theta Pi, in behalf of the local fraternity men; and by Hon. Frank W. Geiger, Ohio Beta '87, judge of the court of common pleas, in behalf of the Springfield On Thursday morning an inspiring address of Phi Psis. welcome on behalf of Wittenberg College was delivered by President Reese E. Tulloss, Ohio Beta '01. These addresses were appropriately responded to by President Swannell.

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The credentials committee reported the following duly accredited delegates:

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(A) Pennsylvania Epsilon: E. M. Schoffstall, C. R. Wolfe, D. E. S. Gotwald (A) Pennsylvania Zeta: A. B. Shaw, J. M. Klepser Pennsylvania Zeta: C. P. Myers, D. G. Williams, A. G. Truxal (A) Pennsylvania Iota: P. H. Jordan, F. S. Smyth, R. B. Jones (A) Pennsylvania Iota: P. H. Jordan, F. S. Smyth, R. B. Jones (A) Pennsylvania Lambda: C. W. St. Clair, W. C. Stephens Maryland Alpha: J. B. Powell, Eric Jacobsen Virginia Alpha: M. A. Foster, M. P. Macgill Virginia Beta: R. D. Jordan, E. M. Cameron Pennsylvania Alpha: B. C. Patterson, J. C. Bixler Pennsylvania Alpha: B. C. N. Bland, H. L. Snyder jr Ohio Alpha: A. F. Dorner, R. L. Milligan, Chase Stewart (A) Ohio Delta: J. C. Shouvlin, M. W. Roderick, John Hamilton (A) Ohio Delta: J. C. Shouvlin, M. W. Roderick, John Hamilton (A) Ohio Delta: J. C. Shouvlin, M. W. Roderick, John Hamilton (A) Ohio Delta: J. C. Shouvlin, M. W. Roderick, John Hamilton (A) Ohio Delta: J. C. Shouvlin, M. W. Roderick, John Hamilton (A) Ohio Delta: J. C. Shouvlin, M. W. Roderick, John Hamilton (A) Ohio Delta: J. C. Shouvlin, M. W. Roderick, John Hamilton (A) Ohio Delta: J. C. Shouvlin, M. W. Roderick, John Hamilton (A) Ohio Delta: J. C. Shouvlin, M. W. Roderick, John Hamilton (A) Michigan Alpha: C. B. France, J. S. Adams, H. H. Buskirk (A) Indiana Beta: C. B. France, J. S. Adams, H. H. Buskirk (A) Indiana Delta: T. H. Price, H. B. Storm Illinois Alpha: S. B. Zaring, F. H. King Illinois Keta: F. L. Linden, C. M. Redmon, J. J. Donahoe (A)

Illinois Delta: H. I. McEldowney, C. R. Bear (A) Tennessee Delta: S. L. Blackman, M. J. Jackson, S. G. Hughes (A) Minnessee Deuk: S. D. Biackinan, M. J. Jackson, S. C.
Wisconsin Alpha: T. D. Barney, John Alexander
Wisconsin Gamma: W. I. Massey, A. F. Collins (A)
Minnesota Beta: D. P. Lyman, Stephen French
Iowa Alpha: R. C. Nash, DeWayne Silliman
Iowa Beta: L. B. Johnson, E. S. Pereboom
Missouri Alpha: W. M. Peck, J. G. Wakefield Missouri Alpha: W. M. Feck, J. G. Wakeheld Texas Alpha: Beaumont Stinnett, J. M. Neely Kansas Alpha: A. W. Lauterbach, G. R. Esterly, F. J. Merrill (A) Nebraska Alpha: W. M. LeClere, J. R. Fike Oklahoma Alpha: C. A. Ferguson, H. E. Earnheart Colorado Alpha: H. E. Britzman, J. L. Campbell Washington Alpha: R. H. Crisler California Beta: C. A. Newlin, H. A. Wittenberg California Gamma: H. A. Kelly Boston A. A.: E. R. Anderson, R. L. Ryder Rhode Island A. A.: Fred H. Gabbi New York A. A.: H. T. Scudder, H. S. Gorgas Syracuse A. A.: H. H. Smith, Lloyd L. Cheney Syracuse A. A.: H. H. Smith, Lloyd L. Cheney Western New York A. A.: C. A. Lonergon Philadelphia A. A.: L. R. Stewart, W. L. Sheppard, E. M. Bassett Johnstown A. A.: A. T. Smith, G. E. Anderson, F. G. Smith Pittsburgh A. A.: C. F. Williams, R. S. Marshall, G. D. McIlvaine Indiana A. A.: H. C. McCreary, W. C. Lowther, Daniel Ritter Morganiown A. A.: J. K. Buchanan Cincinnati A. A.: Arthur Metzger, T. A. Ratliff Cleveland A. A.: L. B. Gregoire, E. S. Davis, H. C. Williams Columbus A. A.: E. W. Dillon Spring field A. A.: R. E. Tulloss, F. W. Geiger, Carl Ultes Toledo A. A.: J. F. Swalley, R. D. Logan, E. F. Walbridge Detroit A. A.: E. H. Knight, Frank Todd Indianapolis A. A.: Cecige A. Moore Indianapolis A. A.: E. H. Knight, Frank Todd Chicago A. A.: A. W. Holden Minneapolis A. A.: Arnold Oss Des Moines A. A.: Newman Dorr Kansas City A. A.: W. R. Tate, H. E. Clark Oklahoma A. A.: J. B. Porter Portland A. A.: Baltis Allen, E. T. Sturgeon Southern California A. A.: S. E. Meserve, H. B. Reed San Francisco A. A.: R. A. Yater

President Swannell, in his address to the convention, carefully reviewed the general conditions of the Fraternity. His information was largely gained from personal knowledge, as he has visited every chapter of the Fraternity, and all but four chapters during the past two years. He told of the effect of the war upon the chapters and their gradual recovery from conditions brought about by the catastrophe. He urged especially a more active interest in the chapters and in the general Fraternity on the part of the alumni. Among the definite, serious problems affecting the colleges and the fraternities which are yet unsolved, President Swannell mentioned as most important liquor, moral standards and scholarship. He sounded a warning against chapters taking men whose sole qualification for membership was ability in athletics or some other college activity, overlooking the essential qualification of fellowship. He urged great care in encouraging local societies to petition for charters year after year, where there is evidently little or no chance of a successful outcome.

#### Committees

The presiding officer announced the appointment of the following committees, the member first named being chairman:

State of the Fraternity: T. A. Ratliff, R. F. Carrier, O. P. Williams, M. A. Foster, P. H. Jordan, P. W. Clarke, M. W. Roderick, P. T. Anderson, S. B. Zaring, G. R. Esterly, R. C. Nash, R. H. Crisler. E. M. Bassett

Constitution: J. H. R. Roberts, T. F. Herbert, J. W. Klepser, E. W. Dillon, T. D. Barney, H. E. Clark, R. C. Love, W. R. Law

Finance: H. S. Gorgas, E. M. Schoffstall, S. L. Blackman, H. A. Kelly, R. H. Spellman, R. L. Milligan, H. F. Biggar, F. H. King, J. L. Campbell

Grievances: W. A. Staats, W. M. Porter, U. E. Salinas, B. C. Patterson, C. R. Bear, H. E. Wittenberg

Extension: A. G. Truxall, A. F. Collins, W. A. Schreyer, J. T. Taylor, F. S. Smyth, R. D. Jordan, J. C. Shouvlin, H. B. Selby, L. C. Paisley, C. M. Redmon, D. P. Lyman, E. A. Patterson, A. W. Lauterbach, Beaumont Stinnett, A. W. Cummins

The Shield: C. F. Williams, Charles Beattie, W. C. Turner, R. E. Young, P. D. Allee, L. B. Johnson, M. J. Jackson

Song Book: J. L. Porter, J. H. Powell, W. I. Massey, J. G. Wakefield, H. B. Spackman, C. B. France

History: F. J. Merrill, C. J. Spaulding, C. N. Bland, H. E. Britzman, A. B. Shaw, H. L. Carrington, John Alexander

Catalog: E. S. Davis, E. K. Bailey, Stephen French, C. M. Lovell, H. L. Snyder, H. E. Earnheart

Chapter houses: George Smart, C. C. Pinder, T. J. Maloney, C. P. Myers, C. W. St. Clair, J. C. Bixler, D. L. Owen, T. R. Price, H. I. McEldowney, W. M. Peck, C. A. Ferguson

Alumni associations: W. C. Lowther, B. H. Campbell, Eric Jacobsen, C. A. Lonergon, J. K. Buchanan

Resolutions: E. R. Anderson, W. H. Little, C. T. Bunting, I. E. Larson, H. B. Storms

Place of next G. A. C.: E. H. Knight, D. G. Williams, W. C. Stephens, M. P. Macgill, W. M. LeClere

Convention photograph: F. W. Geiger, J. C. Shouvlin, C. A. Bauer

Scholarship: J. H. Frizzell, W. L. Sheppard, F. W. Deisroth, K. A. Lowry, A. F. Dorner, J. R. Fike, E. S. Reid. I. S. Adams

Credentials: C. W. MacKelvey, G. M. Kinglsey, Clarence Seimon, E. E. Thiemeyer

#### **Reports of Officers**

Formal reports were made by all officers, editors and standing committees, and were referred to the various G. A. C. committees. As the committees reported upon the recommendations made in these several reports, the reader is referred to the digest of the committee reports given below.

#### Greetings from the Convention

Upon motion of George Smart, the Secretary was instructed to send the following telegram:

Honorable Woodrow Wilson

Washington, D. C. The Grand Arch Council of the Phi Kappa Psi Fraternity with five hundred members from all parts of the country present, sends greetings to you, the beloved and most eminent member of the Fraternity. Our prayer is that you will be restored to health and that for many years you will be a leader of the people not only of the United States but of the world.

Messages of greeting were also sent to Mrs. Sarah B. Cochran, who has shown great interest in the Fraternity

for many years, and to Mrs. Laura Letterman Boyer, widow of one of the founders.

#### **Report of Catalog Committee**

The committee on Catalog recommended that a new edition of the Catalog be published before September 1st, the Editor having reported that the work of compilation had been completed, and the committee having considered the several bids presented to the E. C. for its publication. Other recommendations of the committee were: (1) that the new Catalog be published under the supervision of a committee consisting of the President, Secretary, Editor of the Catalog, and Editor of THE SHIELD; (2) that each undergraduate and initiate of the first year of issue, and each initiate of the year following issue, be required to purchase one copy at the approximate cost of publication; (3) that 2200 copies be published; (4) that the Catalog contain only the alphabetical and geographical lists; (5) that a new edition of the Catalog be published every five years. These recommendations of the committee were adpoted.

#### Report of Committee on Chapter Houses

"We especially urge," said this report, "that our alumni use their influence to the utmost at all times to promote enforcement of the laws of our country and of our Fraternity, to check all tendencies toward intemperance and immorality and to support everything that promises to make the ideals of Phi Kappa Psimore influential in the lives of its members."

The committee deplored the tendency to incur unjustifiably heavy indebtedness in the erection of chapter houses, placing emphasis upon character building rather than house building. The committee believed that "competition to see who can spend the most money in building chapter houses is deplorable and almost certain to result in weakening and financially embarrasing any organization which engages in it. We heartily indorse reasonable extension in chapter house building and improvement of the older houses."

#### Report of Constitution Committee

Several amendments making slight changes in the constitution as to administrative details, which had been approved by the Attorney General and the E. C., were likewise approved by the committee and the G. A. C. A recommendation of the committee that constitutional amendments might be submitted to the Attorney General at any time prior to the morning of the second day of the G. A. C., was not adopted, leaving the requirement that such amendments must be submitted 30 days before the G. A. C., as heretofore. An important amendment provides that no candidate shall be initiated until after he has satisfactorily completed a one-half year's school work, unless otherwise authorized by the E. C. An amendment prescribing uniform regalia for use at initiations was also adopted.

The G. A. C. approved an amendment which requires the dues of members of all alumni associations to be at least five dollars a year, of which sum an amount equal to the subscription price of THE SHIELD shall be used as a subscription for the member, and one dollar shall go to the endowment fund. The fiscal year of alumni associations was changed to begin on February 19th.

The committee urged an amendment changing the fraternity colors back to pink and lavender, and the flower to the sweet pea. After considerable debate, this recommendation of the committee was approved by a vote of 46 to 23.

(*Editor's note:* It should be remembered in reference to constitutional amendments that it is required that all such amendments must be ratified by the chapters before becoming effective. The amendments approved by the G. A. C. will therefore be referred to the chapters this fall for ratification.)

The committee on constitution also recommended the appointment of a committee to recodify the constitution.

#### Report of Song Book Committee

The Song Book committee urged the immediate publication of a new edition of the Song Book, suggesting that it

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should be ready for distribution by January 1, 1923. The committee recommended that the book be limited strictly to Phi Psi songs and instrumental pieces, and that the number of selections be not more than sixty. It was recommended that the book be printed on a high grade of paper, and be bound similar to the 1904 edition. The committee believed it desirable to provide for a revision of the Song Book every six years. The report was adopted as presented.

#### **Report of The Shield Committee**

The committee made the following definite recommendations: (1) that all chapter and alumni association letters to THE SHIELD be typewritten and prepared with greater care: (2) that all chapter letters be read in open chapter meeting at least a week before the letters are due to be sent. and approved by the chapter; (3) that chapter and alumni associations select correspondents who have ability to prepare suitable and interesting copy, and that chapters select special correspondents if their services are needed: (4) that all members take a greater personal interest in the magazine by submitting personal items about Phi Psis: (5) that chapters and alumni associations should inaugurate active campaigns to increase the subscription list, not only for the benefit of the magazine but quite as much for the benefit of the Fraternity and its various organizations. The reports was adopted as presented.

#### Report of Committee on Finances

The committee examined and commended the reports of the Treasurer of the Fraternity and the treasurer of the endowment fund. The former report showed total receipts during the past year of \$17,048.63, and expenditures of \$9077.19. The total assets of the Fraternity (exclusive of the endowment fund) on May 31, 1922 were \$22,172.35. The endowment fund report showed receipts during the year of \$4296.87; \$2775 was disbursed on loans and \$1091.44 interest paid to the general Fraternity. The total amount of the endowment fund is \$21,122.43. Both financial reports were certified by public accountants. The committee urged that all chapters establish their finances on the budget system, as recommended by the Treasurer, and also that they follow the standard fraternity bookkeeping system. The committee expressed its belief that the Fraternity should continue the publication of the *Mystic Friend*, using it as a clearing house for all private fraternity thought and discussion. The increase of the principal of the endowment fund the committee regarded as the Fraternity's most important problem, and the report stated that such fund should be at a minimum of \$100,000, with a million dollar fund as the goal. The report was adopted as offered.

#### Report of Scholarship Committee

The committee interviewed a large number of delegates and offered to them suggestions for improving scholarship in their respective chapters. The committee found evidence of an increased interest in scholarship throughout the Fraternity, and a desire on the part of the chapters to cooperate with the standing committee on scholarship. The committee report recommended (1) that the E. C. direct each chapter to read at the first chapter meeting this fall the report of Dr. O. M. Stewart, chairman of the standing committee on scholarship, and to put the suggestions made therein into practice; (2) that the E. C. be directed to continue its efforts in raising the scholarship of the Fraternity; (3) that the E. C. be directed to impose on each chapter a scholastic requirement which must be met by each pledge before he may be initiated, "this requirement to be set to fit the conditions in each chapter and to be gradually raised each year until the pledge is required to pass 100 per cent of his work for one semester before initiation." The report was adopted.

#### Report of Committee on the State of the Fraternity

This committee made an investigation of the internal conditions of the various chapters, and in a few cases made definite recommendations. The committee found the condition of the chapters as a whole, however, satisfactory, and noted a gradual recovery from conditions existing during the war years. The Council removed from probation the two chapters placed on probation by the 1920 G. A. C. Two supervisory committees appointed at the same time were discharged.

#### Report of Alumni Associations Committee

This committee recommended (1) that the dues of all members of alumni associations be at least five dollars a year, two dollars of this amount to be for a subscription to THE SHIELD and one dollar for the endowment fund; (2) the adoption of a simple obligation of office to be administered to the officers of an alumni association, at the annual meeting; (3) that the boundaries of associations, where feasible and when confusion will not result, be extended to include a section of a state, and that the names be changed accordingly. The committee urged greater activity on the part of associations, and the organization of new associations in territory where there reside sufficient members. The committee suggested the advisability of associations presenting scholarship cups to nearby chapters. The report was adopted.

#### **Report of History Committee**

The committee concurred in the recommendation of the historian (1) that a new edition of the History be prepared for publication by February 19, 1927, that date being the seventy-fifth anniversary of the founding of the Fraternity; (2) that chapters be required to bring their chapter histories up to date before January 1, 1924, following an outline suggested by the Historian. The committee further recommended that a fine of \$10 be imposed upon each chapter that fails to have its history prepared by the date mentioned; that an experienced upperclassman be made S. G. in each chapter; and that the Fraternity issue a small reference manual. The report was adopted.

#### **Report of Extension Committee**

As a result of the recommendations of the extension committee, and subsequent vote of the organizations, no charters were granted by this G. A. C., but the University of Oregon was placed upon the accredited list. There were ten petitions for charters. A more detailed report of the disposition of these petitions will be given in the next issue of the *Mystic Friend*.

#### Boston Gets 1924 G. A. C.

The committee on the place of meeting of the next G. A. C. reported it had received invitations from the Milwaukee A. A. and from the combined New England alumni associations to hold the convention in Boston. Several other associations were willing to entertain the next convention, but these two were the only active applicants. Upon vote of the delegates, Boston was chosen.

The committee recommended that it would be well for the E. C. to consider the advisability of holding some future meeting of the G. A. C. at some resort such as French Lick Springs, White Sulphur Springs, Chautauqua or Put-in-Bay. The committee also urged the E. C. to consider the curtailment of some of the entertainment features which have assumed lavish proportions in late years.

#### **Election of Officers**

When the election of officers was reached in the regular order of business, George D. McIlvaine, Pa. Theta '85, and Howard C. Williams, Ill. Delta '04, were placed in nomination for President, the former winning the honor. Shirley E. Meserve, Cal. Gamma '08, was the only nominee for Vice President. For Treasurer, Edward H. Knight, Ind. Gamma '93, and Carl Ultes, Mich. Alpha '03, were nominated, the former being successful in the voting. Thomas A. Cookson, Ind. Beta '02, was unanimously reelected Secretary. David Halstead, Pa. Iota '94, and Harry S. Gorgas, Ill. Beta '12, were chosen members of the Alumni Association Board.

The convention adjourned sine die shortly after noon on Saturday, June 24th.



SHIRLEY E. MESERVE, Vice President]

GEORGE D. McILVAINE, President



THOMAS A. COOKSON, Secretary

EDWARD H. KNIGHT, Treasurer

# Eat, Drink and Be Dyspeptic

C. F. WILLIAMS, Ill. Delta '06, Contributor

G. A. C'ers, neophytes and S. C'ers all pronounced the entertainment features of the Springfield Grand Arch Council a knock-out.

From the moment the primrose philistine, garbed in a simple Seric bathrobe, stepped into the resined ring on Tuesday, June 20th, until Carl Ultes counted  $99\frac{3}{4}$  over the supine form of dare-devil-david, who had been hit on the left hind jaw with a chilly chunk of chewing gum, on the afternoon of the following Saturday, everybody had a G-r-a-n-d and G-l-o-r-i-o-u-s time.

Carl and Billy Wilson and Louie Bauer and the rest of the Springfielders were tired. They were sore tired, you might say. But not sore. Any entertaining host has a wholesome respect for the curfew the week following a G. A. C.

Most of the visiting delegation was tired, also; it had been on the merry go night and day for several days and as many nights. G. A. C'ing, dancing, smoking and chinning are a lot of fun, but they also make a fellow appreciate his old bed. Then, too, a few of the summer school students who probed into the causes and effects of an anti-Volstead Bacchical celebration claim this course is enough to make a healthy Hercules headachey, say nothing of that tired feeling which comes when Jack pots are highest and vitality lowest.

But, no one kicked. Everyone was happy.

An informal reception, officially scheduled for 8 p m, the opening night, actually got under way when the van guard arrived, several days previously, to attend a meeting of the E. C. And this reception didn't actually end until all the visitin' brethern and sistern had become component parts of the reception committee. All of which proves beyond a scintilla of doubt that a Phi Psi reception can become hilarious even though the country, and the cities too, it is alleged, are supposed to be dry. Due to a typographical error, the program announced a "smoker" at 8 p. m., Wednesday night; this should have read "joker," at 9.30 p. m., to enable the gigantic gang of smokers to get ready for the funniest prize fight ever witnessed in this country, Europe, Iorupe or Syrup. The way those birds walloped each other with wreckless abandon precluded the possibility of a fake or frame-up. This bout was the best single event ever staged at a G. A. C. smoker or joker, whatever you want to call it.

Following a tea dansante at the Country Club Thursday, during which there was more dancing and teeing than teaing, Phi Psis and Phi Sighettes tripped back to their hotels, washed their faces (his or hers), and dolled up for the big ball in Memorial Hall. William A. Bauer, chairman of the dance committee, in a belated issue of THE SHIELD threatened to shoot on sight any man who showed up in the regalia which goes with a two-gallon hat, and the Attorney General promised to shoot any man, woman or child showing up with two gallons or more or less. Both edicts were respected; no one was shot; at least, not on sight.

In the words of Butch McDevitt, the Wilkes-Barre social hound, of "millionaire-for-a-day fame," the ball was a neoclassic, whatever that means. Anyway, it was a classic: it was a joy for those who came attached; a treat for those unattached and a cure for misogamists and misogvnists. If the editor of THE SHIELD will send a copy of this issue to Miss Tennant, who covered the convention for the Springfield News, I'll say "a good time was had by all." An imported orchestra, just as good as the famous Bill Donahue band of Phi Psi fame, was on hand. So was a bevy of beauties, imported and domestic, sometimes referred to as flappers, subflappers or ex-flappers. Everybody, except a few old timers whose shoes hurt so darned bad they had to go home, danced until morning newspaper boys shouted and cried the break of another day.

The banquet, with such headliners as Chase Stewart as general director and Brothers A. F. Broomhall of Troy, Ohio, and Province Pogue of Cincinnati; and the Reverend Brother Youngson acting as a pinch hitter, stirred things up to a high Phi Psi pitch Friday night. Since one can't attempt to tell in detail about the fine messages these men brought to the assembled host, what's the use of trying? Their glowing tributes to Phi Kappa Psi brought the social end of the convention to a fitting and triumphant climax.

# S. C. Members Return Strong

It is a rather remarkable fact that of the original 17 charter members of S. C., who were present at the organization of the society at the Minneapolis G. A. C. in 1920, all but two were in attendance at the Springfield meeting. Those unable to be present were Orra E. Monnette and Henry H. McCorkle. The following members answered the 1922 roll call: Sion B. Smith, Edward H. Knight, C. F. M. Niles, Rev. Henry T. Scudder, E. Lawrence Fell, Stanley G. Brooks, George D. McIlvaine, Dan G. Swannell, Frank J. Merrill, John L. Porter, Albert T. Smith, Rev. W. W. Youngson, Lloyd L. Cheney, Walter Lee Sheppard, George M. Winwood.

The society found there were present at the Springfield G. A. C. several other brothers who, by their attendance at seven or more conventions, had become eligible for membership. Upon invitation, initiation rites were administered to George Smart, D. Carter List, Norman C. Raff, Nevin E. Veneman, David Halstead, Howard C. Williams and Lee R. Stewart.

The S. C. society held an enjoyable dinner at the Bancroft Hotel on Thursday evening. Several other meetings, at various hours of the day and night, were held during the week, at which times important plans for future activities were made. Sion B. Smith was chosen president and Lloyd L. Cheney secretary for the ensuing two years.

It is interesting to note that the aggregate number of Grand Arch Councils attended by the 24 members of S. C. is 258, or an average of 10.75 for each member.

## G. A. C'ers at Springfield

HE recent G. A. C. did not see any change in the standing of the leaders among the G. A. C'ers. George Smart and Sion Smith were both present, and still stand tied for first honors. Eddie Knight maintains his 100 per cent score but can not get on top until George and Si miss a convention. They insist that the only hope for Eddie is to fight it out with Dan List for third place. Dan says that Eddie's only hope for an undisputed third is that he (Eddie) is a few years younger. So there you have the story of the race for first honors up to date. There can be no change for nearly two years, or until the Boston G. A. C. in 1924.

There were 34 G. A. C'ers at the convention, each having attended a minimum of five Grand Arch Councils. This is an increase of 9 over the number of G. A. C'ers at the Minneapolis convention two years ago. C. A. Lonergon and W. A. Reinoehl qualified this year, and half a dozen brothers made Springfield no. 6 in their record, thereby putting them in easy reach of membership in S. C.

Ohio Delta has the honor of having had the largest number of G. A. C'ers at the convention, with 5 members. New York Beta was second with 4, and Ohio Gamma and Pennsylvania Beta followed with 3 each. Pennsylvania Iota, Indiana Alpha, Pennsylvania Alpha and Indiana Beta each had 2 members. Indiana Gamma, Ohio Alpha, New York Gamma, Pennsylvania Kappa, West Virginia Alpha, Pennsylvania Theta, Michigan Alpha, Kansas Alpha, Illinois Delta, Illinois Beta and Pennsylvania Eta were each represented by one member.

The total number of G. A. C'ers is about 65. Those who were present at Springfield, with the number of conventions attended, were:

George Smart, Ohio Delta '83: '85, '86, '90, '92, '94, '96, '00, '02, '04, '06, '10, '12, '14, '16, '18, '22 - 16

Sion B. Smith, Pa. Beta '81: '85, '90, '92, '94, '98, '00, '02, '04, '06, '10, '12, '14, '16, '18, '20, '22 - 16

Edward H. Knight, Ind. Gamma '93: '94, '96, '98, '00, '02, '04, '06, '08, '10, 12, '14, '16, '18, '20, '22 - 15 D. Carter List, Ohio Gamma '76: '80, '85, '86, '94, '00, '02, '04, '06, '08, '10, '12, '14, '16, '18, '22, -15 C. F. M. Niles, Ohio Gamma '78: '80, '85, '00, '02, '04. Henry T. Scudder, N. Y. Gamma '73: '92, '94, '96, '98, '00, '02, '04, '10, '12, '14, '16, '18, '20, '22, -14 E. Lawrence Fell, Pa. Kappa '92: '92, '94, '96, '98, '00, '02, '04, '06, '10, '12, '16, '20, '22, — **13** Frank S. Monnett, Ohio Alpha '75: '80, '83, '85, '90, '92, '96, '00, '02, '06, '10, '14, '22, — 12 George E. Anderson, W. Va. Alpha '96: '98, '00, '02, '04, '06, '08, '10, '12, '14, '16, '22, --- 11 Stanley G. Brooks, Ohio Delta '99: '00, '02. '04, '06, '08, '10, '12, '14, '16, '20, '22, — 11 Nevin E. Veneman, Ohio Delta '97: '00, '02, '04, '06, '08, '10, '12, '14, '16, '18, '22 - 11 David Halstead, Pa. Iota '94: '94, '98, '02, '04, '06, '08, '10, '12, '16, '22 - 10 Norman C. Raff, Ohio Gamma '76: '00, '02, '04, '06, '08, '10, '12, '14, '16, '22 ---10 George D. McIlvaine, Pa. Theta '85: '88, '94, '98, '02, '04, '06, '14, '16, '20, '22 - 10 Dan G. Swannell, Mich. Alpha '93: '00, '02, '04, '10, '12. '14, '16, '18, '20, '22 -- 10 Frank J. Merrill, Kan. Alpha '99: '02, '04, '06, '08, '10, '12, '14, '20, '22 — **9** Wilbur G. Neff, Ind. Alpha '86: '90, '92, '00, '04, '06, '12, '14, '16, '22 — **9** John L. Porter, Pa. Beta '86: '90, '92, '10, '12, '14, '16. '18, '20, '22 — **9** Albert T. Smith, N. Y. Beta '01: '02, '04, '06, '10, '14, '16, '18, '20, '22 — **9** William W. Youngson, Pa. Beta '89: '92, '94, '96, '98, '00, '02, '06, '20, '22 - 9 Lloyd L. Cheney, N. Y. Beta '02: '04, '10, '12, '14, '16, '18, '20, '22 - 8

Russell C. Love, Pa. Alpha '99: '02, '04, '06, '08, '10, '14, '16, '22 - 8

Walter Lee Sheppard, Pa. Iota '98: '06, '08, '12, '14, '16, '18, '20, '22 - 8

George M. Winwood, Ohio Delta '05: '06, '08, '10, '12, '14, '16, '20, '22 - 8

Lee R. Stewart, Ohio Delta '91: '92, '96, '06, '10, '14, '16, '22 - 7

Howard C. Williams, Ill. Delta '04: '06, '12, '14, '16, '18, '20, '22 - 7

Elbridge R. Anderson, Ill. Beta '81: '06, '12, '14, '18, '20, '22 - 6

Will A. Cavin, Ind. Alpha '03: '04, '10, '12, '14, '18, '22-6

Thomas A. Cookson, Ind. Beta '02: '04, '10, '12, '14, '16, '22 — 6

W. Gordon Letterman, Pa. Alpha '02: '02, '12, '14, '16, '20, '22 - 6

Fred G. Smith, N. Y. Beta '05: '10, '12, '14, '16, '18, '22 - 6

William A. Telfer, Ind. Beta '05: '08, '12, '14, '18, '20, '22 — 6

C. A. Lonergon, N. Y. Beta '84: '04, '16, '18, '20, '22 - 5 W. A. Reinoehl, Pa. Eta '87: '88, '14, '16, '20, '22 - 5

NOTE. Members of the Fraternity who have attended five or more Grand Arch Councils, and whose names do not appear in this list or in similar lists previously published, are requested to notify the Editor of THE SHIELD in order that our records may be accurate.

# The New Officers

#### George D. McIlvaine, President

HE new President of the Fraternity is a business man of wide experience and high standing. Although he has never before held an office in the Fraternity, he has been closely identified with the organization through attendance at conventions and through his activities in the Pittsburgh A. A. He served as the efficient presiding officer at the recent G. A. C. Brother McIlvaine was initiated by the Pennsylvania Theta Chapter in 1885, and was graduated from Lafayette College in 1889. He is at present a trustee of Lafayette College and also president of its alumni association. He was one of the charter members of S. C.

President McIlvaine is secretary of the Association of Tin Plate Manufacturers, secretary of the Enameled Sanitary Ware Manufacturers' Association, secretary-treasurer of the National Pipe & Supplies Association, and president of the American Trade Association Executives. His offices are at 909 Oliver Building, Pittsburgh, Pa.

#### Shirley E. Meserve, Vice President

Shirley E. Meserve, Cal. Gamma '08, resides in Los Angeles where he was born in 1889. After completing the courses in the Los Angeles public schools and at Harvard Military School, Brother Meserve entered the University of California in the class of 1912. Since 1912 he has been engaged in the practice of law with his father at 417 Union Oil Building. He is vice commodore of the Newport Yacht Club, and a member of several other Los Angeles clubs, including the city's exclusive Bohemian club, the Uplifters.

Brother Meserve has been closely identified with fraternity affairs since his graduation. He held nearly all the chapter offices, and since his graduation has visited each California chapter at least once annually. He has been particularly interested in the development of our alumni associations, himself serving as president of the Southern California Alumni Association during the past four years. He prepared the Alumni Association Manual, which has been of much assistance to associations throughout the country. During the past two years he has been the Executive Council's representative on the Pacific coast.

#### Edward H. Knight, Treasurer

Edward H. Knight was born May 26, 1877, at Brazil, Ind. After attending the public schools in Brazil, he entered the preparatory department in Wabash College in the fall of 1892 and was then pledged to Phi Kappa Psi, being initiated September 16, 1893, into Indiana Gamma. Being elected to fill a vacancy in the office of P., he continued in that office three years, and in his senior year served as G. P. of his chapter. He was active in college and class affairs, serving as president of the athletic association, on the business staffs of the junior class annual and senior class monthly magazine, on committees for Panhellenic and senior dances; and in the cast of senior class play. He was graduated in 1897 with the B. A. degree. His older brother and a cousin were both members of Indiana Gamma at Wabash College.

At the D. C. in 1897 Brother Knight was elected Executive Councilman for the old third district, and when that office was abolished by the G. A. C. of 1898, he was appointed as first Archon of the new fourth district, serving until 1899. He attended the G. A. C. of 1894 in New York City and has never since missed attending either a G. A. C. or D. C. in his district, as a delegate, now holding the record for continous attendance at either G. A. C's or D. C's. He is a charter member of S. C. He served as temporary S. W. G. P. at the 1900 G. A. C., and in 1901 assisted in the installation of both Indiana Delta and Tennessee Delta Chapters, having also helped organize each set of petitioners.

He organized the Indianapolis A. A. in 1899 and has served as its secretary and president, and also has held each of those offices in the informal Indiana State Association, which has held annual banquets in Indianapolis since 1894. At the G. A. C. of 1904 in Indianapolis he served as vice chairman of the general committee and with a few others managed the entertainment features. Until his election as Treasurer at the recent G. A. C. he has not sought any fraternity office since retiring as Archon.

Brother Knight was also graduated at Yale University (academic) in 1898, receiving the B. A. degree; and in 1899 was graduated at the Indiana Law School of Indianapolis, where he has remained in active legal practice. He attended his class reunions at Yale until they conflicted with G. A. C's, whereupon he chose the latter. During the

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World War he served for two years as chairman of one of the selective service local boards in Indianapolis, and is now president of the Indiana Selective Service Association, composed of former members of the local and district boards.

#### Thomas A. Cookson, Secretary

The only officer reelected at the Springfield G. A. C. was Thomas A. Cookson, Ind. Beta '02. When Howard C. Williams resigned as Secretary a year ago. Brother Cookson was chosen by the Executive Council as his successor, and has served efficiently since that time. He was born in Cleveland, Ohio, January 5, 1881, and moved to Anderson Ind., in 1892. He entered Indiana University in the fall of 1902. In 1908 he was appointed assistant bursar at his Alma Mater, resigning 10 years later to accept a business position. In July 1920 he again returned to Indiana University, having been chosen registrar, a position he now holds. Brother Cookson was Archon of the fourth district from 1909 to 1911, and has always maintained a close interest in all fraternity affairs.

## Entertainment for the Ladies

Once again in June Phi Psi wives, sisters, mothers and sweethearts enjoyed a wonderful G. A. C. It is to be regretted that there were not more ladies present to enjoy the week's festivities that had been carefully planned for us. About fifty ladies were at the Shawnee Hotel, besides a large number of young ladies who came for the dances and were entertained at the homes of various Springfield ladies.

Tuesday evening we met our hostesses informally on the mezzanine floor of the hotel and that night we realized how much we had in store for us that week, and looked forward to meeting the Springfield ladies and guests at the various social functions.

Wednesday afternoon the ladies enjoyed an automobile ride about the city, especially through beautiful Snyder Park. Mrs. Shouvlin and her two daughters were very gracious hostesses at a lawn party later in the afternoon. That evening we were entertained at the Lagonda Club at a musicale. Afterwards punch was served and we spent a happy hour chatting and becoming better acquainted.

Thursday afternoon there was a tea dansante at the Country Club. Owing to the burning of the club house the week previous to the G. A. C. a dance platform had been erected on a portion of the lawn. Those who did not care to dance enjoyed walking about the grounds, particularly over the golf course. Thursday evening the grand ball was held in Memorial Hall. It was one of the prettiest of the many G. A. C. dances. The decorations were artistic, the music excellent, and the whole affair exceptionally well managed. It was estimated that there were 1100 people in the hall that evening, the majority of whom were dancing. At 12 o'clock lunch was served.

Friday afternoon the ladies were entertained on the terrace of Mrs. Louis Bauer's home. An orchestra furnished music for the afternoon and, as at all functions of the week, refreshments were served. Friday evening Miss Margaret Baker was hostess at a dinner, followed by bridge until 10 o'clock. Shortly afterwards we were taken to Memorial Hall where the men's banquet was in progress. When the banquet was nearing the close, the ladies were invited to go into the balcony and listen to the remaining speeches. After the banquet the floor was cleared, an orchestra appeared and dancing commenced, continuing until the early hours of the morning.

Then came the farewells, the sad part of the convention. We reluctantly said good by to one another and to the Springfield ladies who had entertained us so royally. We are already looking forward to meeting them all at Boston in 1924. The visiting ladies most heartily thank the Springfield hostesses for their wonderful entertainment and appreciate the excellent work done by each committee to make the G. A. C. a memorable one.

Mrs. Lloyd L. Cheney

#### Ladies in Attendance

Out of town ladies registered at the Springfield G. A. C. included:

Mrs. Dan G. Swannell, Champaign, Ill. Mrs. W. G. Letterman, St. Louis, Mo. Mrs. Shirley E. Meserve, Los Angeles, Cal. Mrs. Laura Letterman Lynott, St. Louis, Mo. Mrs. Lloyd L. Cheney, Albany, N. Y. Marion Swannell, Champaign, Ill. Helen Swannell, Champaign, Ill. Mrs. William A. Staats, New York, N. Y. Mrs. John L. Porter, Pittsburgh, Pa. Mrs. W. C. Lowther, Indiana, Pa. Mrs. George D. McIlvaine, Pittsburgh, Pa. Mrs. John S. McIlvaine, Pittsburgh, Pa. Mrs. J. H. R. Roberts, Pittsburgh, Pa. Mrs. J. G. Chalfant, Pittsburgh, Pa. Mrs. C. F. Williams, Pittsburgh, Pa. Mrs. R. S. Marshall, Pittsburgh, Pa. Mrs. C. S. Passavant, Zelienople, Pa. Mrs. Louisa M. Smith, Johnstown, Pa. Rhea Louise Smith, Johnstown, Pa. Mrs. W. G. Letterman, St. Louis, Mo. Mrs. Louisa M. Smith, Johnstown, Pa. Rhea Louise Smith, Johnstown, Pa. Mrs. J. B. Porter, Tulsa, Okla. Mrs. B. H. Clingerman, Akron, Ohio Mrs. J. E. Harris, Wooster, Ohio Mrs. John Chester, Columbus, Ohio Catherine Werts, Wooster, Ohio Mrs. James W. Welsh, New York, N. Y. Mrs. John E. West, Bellefontaine, Ohio Mrs. Richard P. Bell, Cleveland, Ohio Mrs. Louis B. Gregoire, Cleveland, Ohio Mrs. O. D. Donnell, Findlay, Ohio Mrs. E. H. Wicks, Pittsburgh, Pa. Mrs. R. G. Geiger, Canton, Ohio Mrs. R. C. Geiger, Canton, Ohio Mrs. J. F. Swalley, Toledo, Ohio Mrs. George F. Phillips, Lawrenceburg, Ind. Mrs. W. K. Gotwald, Newberry, S. C. Mrs. E. T. Rayner, Washington, D. C. Mary S. Gotwald, York, Pa. Mrs. H. S. Gorgas, New York, N. Y. Mrs. L. J. Hoyt, Norwood, Ohio Mrs. A. D. Finkel, Pittsburgh, Pa. Mrs. Payson Dufford, Newark, N. J.

### **Executive Council Meeting**

The annual summer meeting of the Executive Council was held in Springfield June 17th-20th, just preceding the G. A. C. Those in attendance were President Dan G. Swannell, Vice President W. Gordon Letterman, Treasurer George A. Moore, Secretary Thomas A. Cookson, Archons C. W. MacKelvey, George W. Kingsley, Clarence Seimon, and Ernest E. Thiemeyer, Attorney General Sion B. Smith and Lloyd L. Cheney. Archon Hugh McFaddin of the fourth district was unable to be present, as was also his deputy, Lisle Peters.

Nearly all the time of the Council was devoted to the discussion and transaction of routine matters, and to the formulation of matters to be presented to the G. A. C., which are reported more fully under the account of the convention. Reports were made by each officer, Archon and editor, and the condition of each chapter was thoroughly reviewed.

Because of continued inactivity, the E. C. revoked the charters of the Yale Club and the Albany Club.

The Council appointed as a committee to devise plans and to supervise the increasing of the endowment fund, Dan G. Swannell, George A. Moore and Sion B. Smith. This committee will make a systematic effort to increase very materially the principal of the endowment fund.

F. Lisle Peters, Tenn. Delta, submitted his resignation as Deputy Archon of the fourth district, because of his entry upon business in Lake Charles, La. A successor has not yet been appointed.

The book of instructions on chapter bookkeeping will be revised and distributed to the chapters early this fall. The E. C. also authorized the publication of a map showing the location of our various chapters and alumni associations.

Bids for the publication of the new Catalog were received by the E. C. and referred to the G. A. C. for final action.

The Council appointed as delegates to the next meeting of the Interfraternity Conference Walter Lee Sheppard, Lloyd L. Cheney and Henry H. McCorkle, with Cecil Page and Harry S. Gorgas as alternates. This conference convenes in New York City on December 1st.

Immediately following the adjournment of the G. A. C. a short meeting of the new Executive Council was held, with all members, except Archon McFaddin, present. At

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this time Sion B. Smith was reelected Attorney General, and Kenneth Barnard, Mich. Alpha '14, of Toledo, and Harold A. Moore, Ill. Beta '12, of Chicago, were chosen members of the Alumni Association Board.

# The Forty-year Club

It is interesting to know that of those in attendance at the G. A. C., twenty-eight have been members of the Fraternity for 40 years or more. Two of this number were initiated 56 years ago, and one 54 years. It was a source of much pleasure to the younger men to see the continued activity of those who became Phi Psis so many years ago.

Those who were initiated in 1882 or before, and were present at the G. A. C., were: E. R. Anderson, Ill. Beta '81; Edwin L. Arthur, Ohio Beta '82; A. F. Broomhall, Ohio Beta '77: V. F. Brown, Ill. Alpha '79: John J. Chester, Ohio Gamma '76; George S. Dial, Ohio Alpha '81; C. W. Dustin, Ohio Alpha '66: John N. Garver, Ohio Alpha '77: R. C. Gotwald, Pa. Epsilon '80: Charles L. Harris, Ohio Beta '77: J. E. Harris, Ohio Gamma '79: A. D. Hosterman, Ohio Beta '76; Joseph Warren Keifer, Ohio Beta '68; William W. Keifer, Ohio Beta '82; A. K. Kunkle, Ohio Beta '78; J. P. Lansing, Wis. Gamma '82; D. Carter List, Ohio Gamma '76: Robert J. Miller, Ohio Beta '82: Frank S. Monnett, Ohio Alpha '75: C. F. M. Niles, Ohio Gamma '78: Hubert C. Pontius. Ohio Beta '75: B. F. Prince. Ohio Beta '66: Norman C. Raff, Ohio Gamma '76; A. D. Rodgers, Ohio Gamma '77; Henry T. Scudder, N. Y. Gamma '73; Sion B. Smith, Pa. Beta '81: Chase Stewart, Ohio Alpha '78: Frank A. Todd, Kan. Alpha '79.

# Endowment Fund Corporation Meeting

On Thursday afternoon of G. A. C. week a meeting of the corporation of the Endowment Fund of Phi Kappa Psi was held at the Lagonda Club, as required by law. In the absence of Chairman George Smart, Dan G. Swannell, secretary-treasurer of the trustees, presided. The secretary presented his annual report, which was accepted and approved. George Smart was reelected a trustee of the endowment fund, to succeed himself. The term is six years.

The secretary reported that, since the last meeting, the Endowment Fund of the Phi Kappa Psi Fraternity had been incorporated under the laws of the state of Illinois. Bequests can now be made to the corporation without legal complications. The charter and by-laws provide for the permancy of the principal of the fund.

In urging the appointment of a committee to attempt to increase the fund, the secretary said: "It is deplorable that so few alumni associations take any interest at all in the endowment fund. Only two associations have contributed anything to the fund during the past year, namely, the Southern California A. A. and the Tulsa A. A. There was also paid on the old subscriptions only the small sum of \$340. The general Fraternity from its funds contributed Since the organization of the fund the alumni \$863.01. have shown a remarkable lack of interest in the way of financial contributions: if the receipts were analyzed it would appear that the greater proportion came from undergraduates and the general Fraternity. Something must be done to create interest in the endowment fund on the part of the alumni, and the committee referred to will need the cooperation and earnest support of all alumni."

During the past year the board of trustees has made nine loans to undergraduates to assist them to complete their college courses. The aggregate of these loans was \$2775. The trustees collected in interest during the year \$1091.44. There was paid on undergraduate loans \$1666. All of the first eleven loans have now been paid.

"The first loan to an undergraduate," said the report, "was made January 1, 1915. No loans were made during the war years because of the uncertain conditions. Since the fund was established there have been made thirty-two loans to undergraduates and two chapters have been helped

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in financing house propositions. Considering the size of the fund, we have done remarkably well to have helped thirty-two boys through college and to have been of assistance to two chapter house organizations."

The principal of the endowment fund is slightly over \$21,000. The board of trustees urged that this should be increased to at least \$200,000.

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How many did you guess would be in attendance? There were just 488 names on the official register.

The ladies register contained 85 names, but this number did not include the large crowd of girls brought to Springfield for the two big dances.

The Johnstown A. A. has already thrown its hat into the ring for the 1926 G. A. C. See the association's letter in this issue.

The convention picture was made by Pixley & Messick Co., 433 W. Main St., Springfield. Copies may be secured from that firm at \$1 each.

The convention received an interesting reminiscent letter from John B. Cessna, who was initiated at Pennsylvania Eta in 1862.

Secretary Cookson managed to dispose of a large number of the new recognition buttons, but still has an ample supply.

A large number of visitors took full advantage of the splendid golf course which was at the disposal of all Phi Psis.

It was a dry convention. During the entire week, including the time the E. C. was in session, there was not a drop of rain.

The members of the E. C. were the guests of the Springfield A. A. at an enjoyable dinner at the Bancroft Hotel on June 17th.

When the doormen at Memorial Hall had counted the tickets presented at the dance on Thursday night, it was found there were 1100 in the spacious hall.
One of the most interesting brothers in attendance was General Joseph Warren Keifer, former speaker of the national House of Representatives and soldier of Civil War fame.

What would a G. A. C. do without Hays Buskirk in his familiar position at the door? Not many get by Hays, especially when he stands in the doorway.

A telegram expressing regret at their inability to be present was read from Brothers E. M. Stires, R. T. Bang, W. L. McCorkle and H. H. McCorkle, all of New York.

One of the interesting innovations at this convention was a luncheon of undergraduate delegates Wednesday noon. Sixty-five were present and many others were turned away because of lack of room.

Pittsburgh Phi Psis never hide their light under a bucket. Several drove from the Smoky City, and had on their windshields especially designed posters announcing their local association and the object of their trip.

The total registration at Springfield G. A. C. was 488. Recent Grand Arch Council attendance figures are: Minneapolis 356, Detroit 170, Pittsburgh 586, Cleveland 438, Chicago 532, Toledo 331, Denver 225.

George Smart and Si Smith were both present at Springfield, thus keeping the record for number of conventions attended at a tie. Each has been present at 16 biennial Grand Arch Councils.

The L. G. Balfour Co. distributed attractive watch chain souvenir pendants to the men and bar pins to the ladies. The D. L. Auld Co. also presented souvenir lapel buttons.

Cities that have been hosts to recent G. A. C.'s sent good delegations to Springfield. There were 6 from Minneapolis, 5 from Detroit, 13 from Pittsburgh, 19 from Cleveland, 10 from Chicago, 10 from Toledo and 15 from Indianapolis.

The delegations of former Archons was noteworthy. These included C. R. Bear, A. F. Collins, Thomas A. Cookson, H. S. Duffy, H. S. Gorgas, A. W. Holden, Edward H. Knight, Richard D. Logan, Frank J. Merrill, Robert R. Otstot, Fred G. Smith, W. A. Staats, Andrew G. Truxal.

Seven former Presidents of the Fraternity were at the convention. These loyal brothers, with the years during

which they served as chief executive, are: E. Lawrence Fell, 1902-4; C. F. M. Niles, 1906-8; David Halstead, 1908-10; George Smart, 1910-12; Sion B. Smith, 1914-16; Walter Lee Sheppard, 1918-20; Dan G. Swannell, 1920-22.

Evidence of the large number who came to the convention by automobile was seen when it was found that the convention fell far short of having the 250 railroad certificates necessary to secure the reduced return fare. This was in spite of the fact that there were present over 400 from outside of the city of Springfield.

## Song Prize Awards

One of the features of the G. A. C. banquet was the announcement of the winners of the prizes for the best songs written for the new Song Book. The first prize of \$100 was awarded to G. Edward McComsey, Pa. Eta '21, for his song entitled "A Phi Psi Toast." Brother McComsey composed both the words and the music. Second prize of \$50 was awarded to Robert P. Crawford, Pa. Theta '08, for "Phi Psi Triumphant." Robert C. Zecher, Pa. Eta '20, won third prize for his song "To Old Phi Psi." The fourth prize song is entitled "When Phi Psi Meets Phi Psi," with words by Eugene Catlett, Okla. Alpha '20, and music by George S. Freeman, Pa. Theta '11.

The songs were sung at the banquet by a quartet, and the brothers soon caught the swing of the music and all joined in giving them a good first rendering.

Some of the winning songs were as follows:

### FIRST PRIZE

#### A Phi Psi Toast

Words and music by G. Edward McComsey, Pa. Eta '21

Oh, happy and gay are the times we spend with our brothers in old Phi Psi; Good fellows and true all the boys who join in shouting the glad "High, High!"

So take up your glass and drink her right down, your troubles and cares dispel,

For here's a toast to our Phi Kappa Psi, and the name we love so well!

Fraternity fair, we will drink to thee and thy glory will we proclaim; Wherever we go we never will fail to uphold thy beloved name. Then here's to our banner of red and green, and here's to our mystic tie,

And long live those who are true to the pledge that they're keeping for old Phi Psi!

#### SECOND PRIZE

#### Phi Psi Triumphant

Words and music by Robert P. Crawford, Pa. Theta '08 Old Phi Psi thy name we glorify, Praise to thee-those noble letters three.

Aloud we raise our voices triumphantly in praise, Forever we will live for thee, and pledge fidelity.

#### THIRD PRIZE

#### To Old Phi Psi

Words and music by Robert C. Zecher, Pa. Eta ''0 Phi Psi. we hail thee, joy of our college days! Brothers united, we will ever sing thy praise. So join in the song, the red and green wave on high;

Our glorious shield will guide us on in old Phi Kappa Psi.

Here's to our college, old Alma Mater fair!

Here's to the friendships that we won and cherished there, And here's to the pledge that we will keep till we die! A Lamp of true fraternal love, burn on for old Phi Psi!

#### FOURTH PRIZE

### When Phi Psi Meets Phi Psi

Words by Eugene Catlett, Okla. Alpha '20 Music by George Freeman, Pa. Theta '11

It's a great big joyous feeling when Phi Psi meets Phi Psi,

And it sets your heart to music, there's a twinkle in your eye That brings the thoughts of good times, and friendships i ied and true, And a spirit that's been with you, since way back in fifty-two;

Oh, it sets your heart to music, there's a twinkle in your eye;

It's a great big joyous feeling when Phi Psi meets Phi Psi.

# Phi Psis in Poughkeepsie Regatta

Every college that sent crews to compete in the twentyfifth annual regatta of the Intercollegiate Rowing Association at Poughkeepsie on June 26th (excepting the Naval Academy) included at least one Phi Psi among its oarsmen.

Robert R. Ingram rowed no. 5 in the great varsity crew sent by the University of Washington. The captain of the Syracuse crew was C. A. Page, who rowed the bow posi-



DAN G. SWANNELL Retiring President

WILLIAM GORDON LETTERMAN Retiring Vice President



DAVID HALSTEAD Member A. A. Board

> GEORGE A. MOORE Retiring Treasurer

tion. In the Cornell varsity shell F. C. Baldwin rowed no. 2. M. D. Brown went to Poughkeepsie with the Columbia junior boat, but improved so rapidly that he was soon shifted to the varsity, and rowed no. 2 in the great race. Pennsylvania's Phi Psi representative was R. L. Henn, who rowed no. 3 in the 150-pound crew.

The races were remarkable in many respects. Rowing under ideal water and weather conditions, every one of the six varsity crews corssed the finish line ahead of the record, the order of finish being Navy, Washington, Syracuse, Cornell, Columbia, Pennsylvania. The winning time for for the 3-mile course was 13:33%.

The record was also broken in the junior varsity event, Cornell winning over the 2-mile course, foollwed in order by Columbia, Syracuse, Pennsylvania and Pennsylvania 150-pound crew.

Syracuse won the freshman race, with Cornell second, Columbia third and Pennsylvania fourth.

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Wicks, E. H., Pa. Alpha '05, Pittsburgh Pa Wicks, E. H., Pa. Alpha '05, Pittsburgh, Pa.
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Wigton, S. R., Ohio Beta '04, Roseville, Ohio
Wilburn, Bryan H., Wis. Gamma '16, Missoula, Mont.
Williams, A. G., Pa. Iota '15, Columbus, Ohio
Williams, David G., Pa. Eta '20, Lancaster, Pa.
Williams, Howard C., Ill. Delta '04, Cleveland, Ohio
Williams, O. P., N. Y. Alpha '19, Norwalk, Ohio
Wilson C. S., Ind. Delta '05, Hamilton, Ohio
Wilson, Hamilton, Ind. Delta '09, Cincinnati, Ohio
Wilson, J. Bradford, N. H. Alpha '21, East Orange, N. J.
Wilson, W. R., Ohio Alpha '93, Urbana, Ohio
Winger, S. D., Ohio Delta '98, Columbus, Lhio
Winwood, George M. jr, Ohio Delta '05, Springfield, Ohio
Witenberg, Howard E., Cal. Beta '21, Bloomsburg, Pa.
Wyatt, W. W., Ohio Delta '18, Cincinnati, Ohio Wicks, E. H., Pa. Alpha '05, Pittsburgh, Pa. Yater, R. A., Cal. Gamma '16, Berkeley, Cal. Young, Boyd B., Beta '14, Springfield, Ohio Young, Robert M., Ohio Beta '18, Springfield, Ohio Young, W. E., Ohio Beta '12, Lima, Ohio Youngson, W. W., Pa. Beta '89, Portland. Ore.

Zaring, Stanley B., Ill. Alpha '20, Chicago, Ill. Zecher, Robert C., Pa. Eta '20, Lancaster, Pa. Zurburk, Stewart, Pa. Beta '21, Steubenville, Ohio

## **Chapter Representation**

As was expected, the local Ohio Beta Chapter carried off the honors for the number of members present at the convention. It was a close race for second place, however, between Ohio Alpha and Ohio Delta, the former having in attendance 39 members and the latter 44. Outside of these three Ohio chapters, Pennsylvania Iota, with a delegation of 20, stood high. Ohio Gamma—a chapter that has been inactive for the past 30 years— was represented by 7 members, a larger number than was sent by any one of twenty-five of our active chapters.

The representation by chapters was as follows:

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Ohio Beta	96	Pennsylvania Eta	6
Ohio Delta	44	Wisconsin Alpha	6
Ohio Alpha	39	Iowa Alpha	6
Pennsylvania Iota	20	New York Epsilon	5
Indiana Alpha	17	Pennsylvania Theta	5
Ohio Epsilon	16	Massachusetts Alpha	4
Indiana Beta	16	New York Gamma	4
Illinois Beta	14	Pennsylvania Gamma	4
West Virginia Alpha	11	Tennessee Delta	4
Pennsylvania Alpha	10	Missouri Alpha	4
Michigan Alpha	10	Nebraska Alpha	4
Pennsylvania Kappa	9	California Gâmma	4
Pennsylvania Beta	9	Rhode Island Alpha	4 3
Indiana Delta	9	New York Alpha	3 3 3 3
New York Beta	8	Maryland Alpha	3
Illinois Delta	8	Texas Alpha	3
Wisconsin Gamma	8	Oklahoma Alpha	
Minnesota Beta	8	California Beta	3
Iowa Beta	8	Pennsylvania Zeta	2
Kansas Alpha	8	Pennsylvania Lambda	2
New Hampshire Alpha	7	Colorado Alpha	2
Virginia Alpha	8 8 8 8 7 7 7 7	Washington Alpha	2
Illinois Alpha	7	Virginia Beta	1
Ohio Gamma	7	Indiana Gamma	1
Pennsylvania Epsilon	6	Mississippi Alpha	1

# Massachusetts Alpha's Dedication

The new chapter house of Massachusetts Alpha was formally dedicated on June 17th. In the afternoon a reception was given to members of the faculty, alumni of the college, and other friends of the chapter.

The dedication banquet was held in the evening. Crescens Hubbard '97, president of the corporation, opened the ceremonies and introduced the toastmaster. Frank L. The chief speakers were the Rev. Samuel Boyden '00. A. Fiske '95, one of the charter members of the chapter, who delivered the dedicatory address: Elbridge R. Anderson, Ill. Beta '81, president of the Boston Alumni Association; Frank A. Arter, Pa. Beta '63: and J. Pier Munn, Mass. Alpha '18. Walter A. Dyer, Mass. Alpha '96, read an original poem, "The Ballad of Ahasuerus Jenkins," and there were numerous informal toasts. A number of mothers and wives of the brothers were guests of the chapter.

The new house has been occupied since March 1st. The grounds have been graded and plans for planting have been Commencement visitors were unanimous in their made. commendation of the house and its appointments.

## The Ballad of Ahasuerus Jenkins '07<sup>1</sup>

By WALTER A. DYER, Mass. Alpha '96

Ahasuerus Jenkins, from Hick's Corner, Tennessee, Came and entered Amherst College in the fall of nineteen-three.

He wasn't much for looks,

And as for love of books,

He harbored no ambition for a gold Phi Beta key.

But Ahasuerus Jenkins was a decent sort of guy. He knew enough to wash his face and use his fork on pie.

His clothing was outrageous,

But his grin was quite contagious, And first he made a score of friends and then he made Phi Psi.

They took him and they paddled him and taught him how to dress; They showed him that a freshman is neither more nor less;

They tidied up his pompadour,

And made him change his pinafore,

And when they'd finished with him, why, he wasn't such a mess.

Ahasuerus Jenkins made the track team junior year.

He learned the way to Rahar's, but he always stuck to beer.

He danced as well as most of us.

(You really couldn't roast the cuss.)

In fact, by senior Christmas he was running on high gear.

<sup>1</sup>Original poem read by Brother Dyer on the occasion of the dedication of the new Massachusetts Alpha chapter house.-EDITOR.

When at last Ahasuerus plugged his way to his degree, And packed his grip and took the train for sunny Tennessee. There was not a man in college Who'd not willingly acknowledge That you couldn't find an Amherst man more popular than he. Ahasuerus Jenkins had a heart beneath his vest. He knew he'd started groggy and had finished with the best. And when in later days He passed around bouquets. He handed one to Jenkins, but old Phi Psi got the rest. Ahasuerus Jenkins went to work for six a day. He made a hit as shipping clerk, and so they raised his pay. He is still a little shy On the wherewithal to buy, But he's running strong for mayor of Hick's Corner, so they say. Ahasuerus Jenkins got a letter from a guy Who used to be his roommate in the happy days gone by. It told him of the saving, Of the scrimping and the shaving That was going on to build a house for old Phi Kappa Psi. A finer house than that of any other frat in town-That every one was putting up-Smith, and Jones and Brown-That he must come across Or be scored a total loss-For the sake of old Phi Kappa Psi he mustn't turn them down. Ahasuerus Jenkins lighted up his old dhudeen, And stuck his Oxfords on his desk and gravely scratched his bean; He dreamed of college well, Of the gym and the chapel bell, And pondered on the days of yore and all the years between. There came before his vision many a well-remembered face-Gilbert, Wheeler, Pond and Andrews, Field, the brothers Ward, and Chase-These and many others, All jolly, loyal brothers-Friendships time cannot destroy nor later ones replace. Ahasuerus Jenkins, as he puffed his pipe of clay, Recalled more ancient worthies of an even earlier day-Old grads who came to light On initiation night-He always thought he'd never met more noble souls than they. There was Burrage who had never scored a flunk in all his course, That prince of men, McFarland, Sammy Fiske, and Plugger Morse, Henry French and Eddie Gaylord, Always suave and neatly tailored, And Teeny Manwell who had never even seen a horse. Ahasuerus Jenkins felt his eyes grow strangely dim As he thought of old Mass. Alpha and of Bill and Tom and Jim; And now a call had come From his dear old college chum;

He needed once Phi Kappa Psi and now she needed him.



THE EXECUTIVE COUNCIL IN SESSION AT SPRINGFIELD Brothers Swannell, Thiemeyer, Cheney, Cookson, Letterman, Seimon, MacKelvey, Smith, Kingsley, Moore



FORMER PRESIDENTS AT G. A. C. Brothers Smart, Niles, Smith, Swannell, Halstead, Fell, Sheppard



## KAPPA THETA CHI UNIVERSITY OF OREGON

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### The Kappa Theta Chi Fraternity

For Ahasuerus Jenkins had the notion in his bean That Massachusetts Alpha had been always sound and clean, Always honest, decent, and strong, And to help the cause along She must have a house to suit her if it took his last long green. Now Ahasuerus Ienkins was no millionaire at best: He never had succeeded in feathering his nest; So, having many bills to pay, He borrowed on the Chevrolet, And promptly sent the proceeds to the keeper of the chest. Well, we've got this stately mansion, and it's certainly some shack, And I only wish Ahasuerus Jenkins could be back, For our chapter, good or bad, Got nearly all he had; We asked him for a two-spot and he gave us all the pack. Ahasuerus Jenkins has a smile upon his phiz, For he thinks the banner chapter of Phi Kappa Psi is his; And I think you will agree That it's up to you and me To make that chapter what Ahasuerus thinks it is.

# The Kappa Theta Chi Fraternity

JOHN DIERDORFF, Kappa Theta Chi, Contributor

N January 5, 1919, a small group of men then living in Friendly Hall, the men's dormitory at the University of Oregon, organized themselves into a fraternal group which they then called the Owl Club. It was a quiet organization and only the members knew of its existence until it was announced as a residential local fraternity the following October, but because it was founded upon essential principles of fraternal strength—common ideals, friendships and ambitions and a willingness to sacrifice individaul interests for the good of all—it grew rapidly and solidly until it attained the position of eminence on the Oregon campus which it now can justly claim.

The first months of the year 1919-20 were occupied with the many details of organization and establishment as a factor to be counted on from the very first in campus life. And while the men worked they studied national fraternities, for they looked far ahead and planned for the day when this local organization would be a chapter of a national fraternity of which they might be justly proud. Their ideals were high, because theirs was a natural fraternity, and they did not hasten in the choice of a national to petition. Instead, they considered with conservative standards the field before them. They talked with men from other universities, men who represented various fraternities, and they weighed carefully the evidence thus gathered. And when they came to the end of their investigation there was but one choice, Phi Kappa Psi.

It was then late in the winter of 1920. The intention of the Owl Club to petition for a chapter in Phi Kappa Psi was at once communicated to the national officers. The Portland Alumni Association had already been approached and from the first this body worked in hearty cooperation with the petitioners. A formal petition was printed and mailed out, together with other informative matter, and as much done in the short time before the meeting of the Grand Arch Council in Minneapolis in June as was possible.

Two delegates were sent to this meeting by the Owl Club and they did such as they could to further the cause of the local fraternity. The petition came before the extension committee for consideration and although not granted the committee requested and was assured that it would again be presented at the 1922 G. A. C. This action was not unexpected, knowing the conservative policy of Phi Kappa Psi, and it was with redoubled efforts that work was actively begun at the beginning of the next university year.

Many valuable suggestions had been received by the fraternity's delegates at the G. A. C. and these were acted upon as quickly as possible. Among them was the suggestion that a Greek-letter name be adopted as a matter of policy, the reason being that it was not thought that the word "Club" conveyed the true idea of the nature of the organization. So on the second anniversary of the organization, January 5, 1921, it was announced that thereafter the Owl Club would be known as Kappa Theta Chi. The

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new name was quickly adopted on the campus and the transition of name, and it was of name only, took place without stir.

About this same time was begun the publication of a small newspaper called "The Quest." It was believed that in this way the achievements and aims of Kappa Theta Chi could best be kept before the chapters of Phi Kappa Psi. Through it were made known essential facts regarding the local fraternity and the University of Oregon. The effort was made to keep it free from the atmosphere of a publicity organ and to relate in it unvarnished accounts of the steady achievements of the men of Kappa Theta Chi and to set forth the salient facts about the university itself.

All the while the relations of Kappa Theta Chi were growing closer. Men from the Oregon local visited the coast chapters of Phi Psi while on trips with athletic teams, and in turn Kappa Theta Chi was visited by men from these chapters. Phi Psi alumni in the state visited from time to time and the house was represented regularly at the luncheons of the Portland Alumni Association.

These visits culminated in the inspection trip of Dan G. Swannell, former national President, in February of this year and with an official visitation of representatives of the chapters at the University of California, Stanford University and the University of Washington in April, members of the Portland Alumni Association also being in the party.

Upon the impressions of these visitors backed by the actual achievements of the fraternity, Kappa Theta Chi rested its case before the G. A. C. of this year. All the organizations of Phi Kappa Psi on the Pacific coast, those most vitally interested in whether or not Kappa Theta Chi was deserving of a charter, had pledged their support to the petition and upon the wish of the Executive Council no delegates were sent to Springfield.

The action of this G. A. C., as is well known by all Phi Psis, was to place the University of Oregon upon the accredited list. There it now is, awaiting the action of the Executive Council. That a charter will be granted as soon as possible is the earnest wish of every member of Kappa Theta Chi, for strong as the local organization is, constitution as a chapter of Phi Kappa Psi would be an asset of great worth and would give the national Fraternity just that much earlier a start on the University of Oregon campus, where Kappa Theta Chi has for four years been preparing a foundation for its establishment.

Next fall Kappa Theta Chi moves into a beautiful new home, the finest of any fraternity at the university. The old house, which was until this spring the best available for rental, has been vacated. It served its purpose while the fraternity was unable to get anything better but with the completion of plans for buying a house and the opening of a wonderful opportunity to buy an ideal house in an ideal location its day passed.

The honors won by the men of Kappa Theta Chi have been chronicled from time to time in the pages of "The Quest." It is no news to tell how last year the house had a senior man on the student council, the news editor and the manager of the Oregon Daily Emerald, the manager of the 1922 Oregana, lettermen in basketball, baseball and track and more men in honor societies than any other house on the campus. And it is no news to tell of next year's honors already won, of the big majority by which two of the men won the editorship of the Emerald and a seat on the student council in the spring election, of the choice of a man to be manager of the Emerald and of still more elections to honor societies and to class and minor student offices.

Each year has been a big year in the life of the fraternity and next year will be yet a bigger one. So will the year after that, and the next and the next. For Kappa Theta Chi is built upon enduring principles, principles of true brotherhood which do not weaken.

"For Phi Kappa Psi!" has been a motto of the fraternity in the past. Kappa Theta Chi now awaits the right and priviledge to work with as well as for.



## The Grand Arch Council

That one of the smaller cities is amply able to entertain a Grand Arch Council was proved beyond a question by the Springfield Phi Psis in June. It has been 40 years since a city as small as Springfield has been host to our national convention. The large number of Phi Psis residing in the city and nearby places made the task easier, perhaps, than it would be for some other places of similar size, yet much credit is due our hosts for the splendid convention so well handled. The business sessions were well attended, the entertainment was more than generous, and the registration was large.

The outstanding features of the business sessions were the changing of the colors back to the former pink and lavender; the authorization of the immediate publication of new editions of the Catalog and of the Song Book: the adoption of uniform regalia for use at initiation ceremonies: the passage of a constitutional amendment providing that no candidate may be initiated until after the satisfactory completion of one-half year of college work; the fixing of annual dues of all members of alumni associations at a minimum of five dollars, to provide for a subscription to THE SHIELD for each member and also a contribution to the endowment fund; the emphasis given to scholarship; the placing of one university on the accredited list, no new charters being granted; the impetus given to a movement looking toward a material increase in the principal of the endowment fund: the selection of an entirely new set of officers

with the exception of the Secretary; the selection of an eastern city as the meeting place for the next convention in 1924.

One of the interesting features of the convention was the large number of older members in attendance. The stability, as well as the worth, of Phi Kappa Psi is eloquently manifest year after year by the attendance of these brothers who have retained their fraternity spirit and loyalty so many years. It is one of the great assets of the Fraternity, and one which it is hoped we may never lose. It is to be regretted, on the other hand, that the undergraduate delegates take so little part in the discussions on the floor of the convention, although it is always true that their opinions prevail as they have the controlling vote in all committees as well as in the convention itself.

A few matters acted upon by the G. A. C. that are not reported in this issue of THE SHIELD will be presented through Executive Council edicts and through the next issue of the *Mystic Friend*.

## The Colors

The discussion of the fraternity colors has come to be about as regular a G. A. C. feature as the report of the extension committee. After many futile attempts, advocates of a change from the pink and lavender were successful at the Detroit G. A. C. in 1918. Action at that time was almost unanimous, and enthusiastically received by the delegates. After four years' experience with the red and green, as adopted at that time, there was evident a desire to return to the old colors, and the constitution was accordingly once more amended.

Unfortunately, there appears to be little accurate information as to the history of our colors, except in more recent years. There seems to be no authoritative information as to what the original colors were or when they were adopted. This much is certain, however—if our colors are to mean anything, they should be permanent and not subject to

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constant discussion and frequent change. The amendment adopted at Springfield must be ratified by a two-thirds vote of the chapters. It is to be hoped that these organizations will give this matter serious thought, and whatever colors may be their choice, let the decision be final.

Our songs furnish an illustration of the embarrassing position into which we have been drifting. Many of our older and popular songs contain references to the pink and During the past four years such songs have lavender. seemed a bit strange and evoked a pardonable smile when Just as we were becoming somewhat accustomed to sung. the new colors, and the song judges awarded first prize to a song referring to "our banner of red and green," and another prize to a song that makes the "red and green wave on high," the G. A. C. abolishes the red and green, and restores the pink and lavender! Now our newest prize songs Again we say, let us now settle this are thus out of date. question definitely and finally.

The pages of THE SHIELD and the *Mystic Friend* are open for any helpful discussion of this question.

## Old Officers and New

With the exception of Thomas A. Cookson, who has served as Secretary for a year, the recent G. A. C. selected an entirely new set of officers. The retirement of Brothers Swannell, Letterman and Moore removes from the official life of the Fraternity three men who have served it long and Brother Swannell, through his long period of official well. life, has been especially active and forceful. He has the unique achievement of having visited every chapter of the Fraternity, as well as many petitioning groups and alumni associations. His period of official service covers twelve years-eight as Treasurer, two as Vice President and two as President. He has devoted a large amount of thought and time to fraternity matters, for which Phi Kappa Psi is indebted to him. He will continue has activities as a member of the board of trustees administering the endowment fund, which he originated and has fathered from the beginning. The Fraternity is likewise indebted to Brothers Letterman and Moore for painstaking attention to the duties that have fallen to them. Each has given generously of his time and has done much to further the interests of the Fraternity.

While the new officers have not had wide experience in official fraternity life, yet each assumes his duties with an unusual record of fraternity loyalty, backed by years of sound and successful business and professional experience. They will, of course, receive the same cordial support and cooperation from all organizations and individual members that has been extended to their predecessors. Any organization is fortunate that can command the services of men like Brothers McIlvaine, Meserve, Knight and Cookson. Under the guidance of the new Executive Council the Fraternity may confidently look forward to two more years of progress and achievement.

There must be something radically wrong in the organization of an alumni association when an association is not represented at a G. A. C. by official delegates, yet has one or more members in attendance.

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Armin Barteldes, Kan. Alpha '15, is the proud father of a son born in April.

Harry L. Raub, Pa. Eta '10, has been elected solicitor for the city of Lancaster, Pa.

Wirt Wright, Wis. Gamma '97, is vice president of the Illinois Bankers Association.

Ralph Vellom, Ind. Beta '13, is with the Southern California Edison Co. at Visalia, Cal.

Walter H. Bosworth, Ill. Delta '15, is connected with the Union National Bank, Elgin, Ill.

The address of Dr. A. B. Lyon, Mass. Alpha '08, is 9 Nottingham rd., Newton Center, Mass.

James Gorton Marsh, Ill. Beta '84, is vice president of the Astoria Lumber Co., Astoria, L. I.

Clifford Hum, Col. Alpha '14, is with the Will H. Wade Co., investment bankers, Denver, Col.

Robert M. Henry, W. Va. Alpha '14, is living in Fairmont, W. Va., where he is operating a coal mine.

Henry C. Swasey, Mass. Alpha '11, has been chosen football coach by New Hampshire State College.

William W. Brennan, Texas Alpha '15, is with the Edison Electric Illuminating Co. at Brockton, Mass.

J. K. Buchanan, W. Va. Alpha '01, is general manager of the West Virginia Utilities Co. at Morgantown.

George S. Stewart, Pa. Iota '11, has been appointed attorney in the bureau of legal aid of Philadelphia.

J. B. White, Ill. Delta '06, is the father of twins, born February 2d, at the White home in Hillsboro, Ill.

B. B. Laidley, W. Va. Alpha '11, is an assistant superintendent for the Jones & Laughlin Steel Co., Pittsburgh.

William E. Glasscock jr, W. Va. Alpha '15, is practising law in Morgantown. He is the father of a new daughter.

Vice President and Mrs. Meserve returned to their home in Los Angeles from the G. A. C. via the Pacific Northwest.

The engagement was recently announced of William C. Gorgas, Ill. Beta '16, to Miss Jean Hemmingway of Chicago.

Harry Omer, Ill. Beta '18, is now living in Detroit and is connected with the American Telephone and Telegraph Co.

A son, Charles Jay, was born May 11th to Bro. and Mrs. Raymond W. McClain, Ind. Alpha '12, at Colorado Springs, Col.

Scott Woods Baker, Pa. Eta '92, is the candidate for the state legislature from Lancaster, Pa., on the Republican ticket.

James B. Riley, W. Va. Alpha '12, is practising law in Wheeling, W. Va., where is is a member of the firm of Riley & Riley.

Loren H. Rockwell, Mass. Alpha '97, has moved with his family from Rockville Center, N. Y., to 172 N. Euclid av., Westfield, N. J.

On October 10th Dr. Richard T. Bang will celebrate the fiftieth anniversary of his initiation as a charter member of New York Gamma.

M. F. McOmber, Ohio Epsilon '08, is now identified with the United Alloy Steel Corp., Canton, Ohio, with headquarters at Pittsburgh.

Carroll H. Cowan, Mo. Alpha '17, was married June 14th to Miss Corinne Mackey of Kansas City, Mo. They are living at Walley, Miss.

Jerome C. Neff, Ill. Beta '18, is associated with his brother, Clarence C. Neff, Ill. Beta, in the Bellamy-Neff Co., advertising agents, Chicago.

Dr. Hyder E. Rollins, Texas Alpha '11, is the author of a volume entitled "A Pepysian Garland," recently issued by the Cambridge University Press.

Paul E. Stevenson, W. Va. Alpha '16, is vice president and treasurer of the Schon-Stevenson Grocery Co., wholesale grocers, at Huntington, W. Va.

Herbert F. Hamilton, Mass. Alpha '95, has been teaching during the past year in the English department of Evander Childs High School, New York City.

Since the last issue, THE SHIELD has received copies of *The Illinois Beta Echo*, *The Drocer* (Wisconsin Gamma), and the *Alumni News* (Chicago A. A.).

Harp McFarland, Ill. Beta '11, is general sales manager of the Bassock Manufacturing Co., which produces the Alemite high pressure lubricating system. Joseph H. Penniman, Pa. Iota '89, acting provost of the University of Pennsylvania, was awarded the honorary degree of doctor of laws by his Alma Mater.

The many friends of Henry Pegram, former Attorney General, will sympathize with him in the death of his mother, which occurred recently at Essex Falls, N. J.

Gerry B. LeVan, Pa. Epsilon '89, for several years general manager of the LaBelle Iron Works, Steubenville, Ohio, resigned some time ago, and has since been sight-seeing in the West.

Charles H. Burns, Pa. Eta '09, has become associated as chemist with the United States Asbestos Co. of Manheim, Pa. S. R. Zimmerman, Pa. Eta '97, is president of the company.

Brooks Fleming, W. Va. Alpha '04, is vice president and assistant to the president of the Consolidation Coal Co., at Fairmont, W. Va. The company owns nearly a hundred coal mines.

J. P. Dawson, W. Va. Alpha '11, is superintendent of the Connellsville Basin Coke Co., near Morgantown, and assistant superintendent of the Elk River Coal & Lumber Co. at Widen, W. Va.

Virgil W. Spaulding, Mass. Alpha '01, is reported to be regaining his health after a long struggle. His address is Stonewall, cor. Holliston av. and Palm Drive, P. O. Box 193, Altadena, Cal.

Earl B. Robinson, Mass. Alpha '04, principal of the Riverhead (N. Y.) High School for the past 14 years, has tendered his resignation to become supervising principal of the school at Islip, N. Y.

Ralph S. Marshall, W. Va. Alpha '11, has resigned as statistician for the Keynote Consolidated Publishing Co., Pittsburgh, to become president of the Automatic Typewriter Co., that city.

John B. Bissinger, Pa. Eta '02, is an official of the Dombach-Bissinger Automobile Co. of Lancaster, Pa., which has just completed the largest and one of the most modern garages in central Pennsylvania.

Richard Peters jr, Pa. Kappa '98, is the author of an attractive booklet entitled, "Two Centuries of Iron Smelting in Pennsylvania." Brother Peters is also manager for the Pulaski Iron Co. of Philadelphia. Austin C. Waller, Ill. Beta '05, is vice president of the International Bank, Washington, D. C. Bro. Waller was instrumental in organizing the International, one of the large new banking organizations of the capital.

Dr. George Clark Mosher, Ohio Delta '79, of Kansas City, Mo., is the author of important medical articles appearing recently in the American Journal of Obstretrics and Gynecology and in the Southern Medical Journal.

J. M. Orr, W. Va. Alpha '95, is vice president and general manager of the Hudson Coal Co. of Clarksburg, W. Va. The company's Lewis mine, designed by Brother Orr, has been called "the world's most modern coal mine."

Brother and Mrs. Sion B. Smith of Pittsburgh spent July and August in Canada. Brother Smith has been an active member of the Iron City Club, having headquarters in the Moon River district, Georgian bay, for many years.

F. D. Glover, Ohio Gamma '87, accompanied by Mrs. Glover, spent the summer months in Europe. Brother Glover, upon his return to Pittsburgh, will tell the Phi Psis about political and economical conditions in the Old World.

Rev. Philip A. Job, Mass. Alpha '96, has resigned the pastorate of the People's Church of Providence, R. I., to become assistant pastor of the First Congregational Church of Adams, Mass. He entered upon his new duties on April 1st.

The engagement of W. Norman Singley, N. Y. Epsilon '21, to Miss Evelyn Walker of Seattle, Wash., was recently announced. Brother Singley has been attending the University of Washington for the last year. Miss Walker is a member of the Washington chapter of Alpha Phi.

James McCoy, Pa. Iota '91, has become secretary to the governor of Pennsylvania. Brother McCoy is one of the most popular men who have passed through the University of Pennsylvania and has had a distinguished career. In former days "Jim" filled a number of prominent editorships.

Walter A. Dyer, Mass. Alpha '96, in addition to his department in the Springfield (Mass.) Sunday Union—"Notes of a Connecticut Valley Observer"—is writing editorials for *Country Life, Collier's*, and the Springfield Union. A story of his, "The Dog Doctor," appeared in the Delineator for June. A college textbook in English was published in April, by Harper & Bros., New York, written by Prof. Karl O. Thompson, Mass. Alpha '00, of the Case School of Applied Science. Its title is "Technical Exposition," and it is adapted to advanced work in English in technical and scientific schools.

H. I. McEldowney and "Andy" Anderson, delegates representing Illinois Delta at the G. A. C., left Springfield immediately after the convention for New York, where they planned to board a ship for a European port, via the cattleboat route. Anderson will return in time to participate in the first football practice at the University of Illinois.

June was a busy month for Frank L. Boyden, Mass. Alpha '00, principal of Deerfield (Mass.) Academy. On June 15th he presided at a large banquet of the alumni of the academy and received many signal honors. On the 17th he presided at the dedication banquet of Massachusetts Alpha, and on the 21st was awarded the honorary degree of master of arts by Amherst College.

Zanesville, Ohio, entertained a miniature G. A. C. Saturday night, June 24th, when Phi Psi tourists stopped there en route to points in the east. Among G. A. C'ers taking in the sights at Zanesville were: Bro. and Mrs. George D. McIlvaine; Bro. and Mrs. Ralph S. Marshall, Bro. and Mrs. J. D. Chalfant, Bro. and Mrs. J. H. R. Roberts, and Bro. and Mrs. C. F. Williams, of Pittsburgh; and "Ad" and Fred Smith, and their mother and their sister, Miss Reah Smith, of Johnstown, Pa. A vest-pocket edition of the Pittsburgh-Johnstown picnic, an annual event until the war, was held the following day.



### Johnstown Alumni Association

The Johnstown Alumni Association held an informal dinner in honor of Brother Henry Townsend Scudder, of New York, at Ye Olde Inn, Jennertown, on the evening of July 7th. Dr. Scudder stopped off in Johnstown on his way home from the G. A. C. and while in the city was the guests of Albert F. and Fred G. Smith. The guest of honor told of the proceedings at the G. A. C. His additional remarks on the late revered Robert J. Lowry and what the Fraternity has meant to him during the many years of his active and honorable life were an inspiration to those present. Brief reports on the G. A. C. were also made by Russell C. Love, Albert and Fred Smith and Clifford Pinder. The Johnstown A. A. was represented at Springfield by three "Red carnation" brothers, Albert T. Smith, Russell C. Love and George E. Anderson. The following were at the dinner: Russell C. Love, Wilbur Mulhollen, John Trimble and Lloyd Bryon, of Washington and Jefferson; Charles C. Greer, of Dickinson; George A. Foster, of the University of Pennsylvania; Curtis Truxall, of Franklin and Marshall; Albert T. and Fred G. Smith and Clifford Pinder, of Syracuse; James Y. Piper, of Allegheny; E. Arthur James jr., George C. Buchanan and Howard J. Roberts, of State; and Telford Lewis jr and Harold W. Swank, of Lafayette.

After the dinner a movement was started toward securing the Grand Arch Council of 1926 to meet in Johnstown. That's a few years in the future, but the local men feel that it's none too early to let the Phi Psi world know that Johnstown is in the field for a G. A. C. For many years the Johnstown A. A. was the most active in the country and with the 1926 G. A. C. as the goal it will regain its former leadership. In the city proper there are more than 50 active Phi Psis, while within a radius Johnstown is the seventh city of 100 miles there are several thousand. It is on the main live of the Pennsylvania Railroad; in Pennsylvania. 2 hours from Pittsburgh; 7 hours from Philadelphia, 14 hours from Chicago. It is a two-hour ride from the main line of the Balitmore and Ohio Railroad. Concrete roads lead into the city from the William Penn and Lincoln Highways and the National Pike. There are hotels here to accommodate more brothers than have ever attended a G. A. C. In addition, the homes of the many brothers, and their many friends, will be open to the visiting brothers. A magnificent country club, with There are numerous other tertain. The citizens are an 18-hole golf course, is now constructing. social clubs that will delight in helping to entertain. famous for their hospitality. Keep in mind that Johnstown wants the 1926 G. A. C. From time to time during the next two years you will be told why this city should have the honor of entertaining the G. A. C.

The Johnstown A. A. will hold its annual summer outing, the 21st, in August. The committee in charge consists of George E. Wolfe, Albert F. Smith, Howard Roberts, Clifford Pinder and Richard Haws. Due notice of the time and place of holding the outing will be sent to all on the mailing list, but in case you do not receive notice consider this announcement a cordial invitation and arrange to be on hand.

Johnstown, Pa.

July 10, 1922

George A. Foster

Correspondent

### New York Alumni Association

Sixty-five members of the New York A. A. attended the second annual golf tournament and outing at the Sleepy Hollow Country Club on July 14th. It was a most successful party staged under the direction of Tommy Chollar, Ill. Beta '94.

Golf was the main activity of the day and the prizes for low gross and second low gross went to J. K. Van Vranken, N. Y. Zeta, and R. H. Schmid, N. Y. Alpha. Low net prizes went to J. E. Mason, Ind. Delta, and B. W. Wilson, Neb. Alpha, while prizes for the lowest number of putts went to H. B. Abell, N. Y. Alpha, and Cecil Page, Ill. Beta. The prize for low gross was a box for "Kempy," one of the current hits on Broadway, donated by Elliott Nugent, Ohio Delta, who is one of the authors and plays the leading part.

Dinner was served for sixty, previous to which President Cecil Page officiated at the ceremony of the "presidential libation" in the locker room, a most impressive and notable function, which met with unanimous approval. It is to be hoped that this quaint old custom will be continued at future outings.

Moving pictures of the activities of the day were taken by a camera man secured through G. P. Morgan of the First National pictures and H. M. Kimberland, one of our coming picture magnates. They will be shown at one of our parties early in the fall.

Carl S. Clancy, N. Y. Beta '08, who is at the head of the picture corporation producing "The Legend of Sleepy Hollow" with Will Rogers in the lead, was shooting pictures in the vicinity.

The association now has a paid up membership of over 150 members and an accurate mailing of more than one thousand Phi Psis in the vicinity of New York. We believe, however, that there are additional members of the Fraternity in the Metropolitan district, and would like to get in touch with all Phi Psis living near New York who have not been receiving our literature.

Herbert S. Bowman, N. Y. Alpha, has been rapidly increasing his reputation in Metropolitan tennis circles. He now holds the New Jersey and Maryland state championships and was runner up in the recent Westchester county championship tourney.

Walter L. Pate, N. Y. Alpha, is active in the affairs of the United States Lawn Tennis Association and chairman of one of its important committees. He has been prominent in the various championship tournaments.

W. D. Thomas, Pa. Zeta, is president and general manager of Sandvik Steel, Inc. with offices in the Woolworth Building. Sandvik Steel is the American subsidiary of the largest steel corporation in Sweden. He has recently returned from an extensive inspection of the steel industry in Europe.

> HARRY S. GORGAS Correspondent

### Southern California Alumni Association

With the close of the college year at California and Stanford, we are glad to have the undergraduate brothers with us again. Our average luncheon attendance is increasing weekly, and it will soon be necessary to make arrangements for larger quarters.

We have not yet heard the details of the Springfield G. A. C. and are anxiously awaiting the return of Brothers Meserve and Reed. But we are indeed proud of Shirley Meserve's honor in being elected Vice President of the Fraternity. We feel that there is no one who could deserve the distinction more, for we know Shirley as a tireless worker for the Fraternity and one who will take the time and energy that the office demands.

The social activities of the association have not been much in evidence for the last month or two. However, some ten brothers who are by nature liberally endowed with "pep" staged a little dinner-dance at Marcell's on June 23d. It was rather an impromptu affair but most enjoyable.

Edward Everett Horton, N. Y. Zeta, who has been in Los Angeles for about three years as leading man in stock at the Majestic Theatre, left last week for New York where he is to appear in "The Nervous Wreck" this fall. We wish Brother Horton the same success he has attained in Los Angeles, yet hope it will not keep him too long away from us. His brother, Win Horton, is remaining in Los Angeles where he is engaged in the steel manufacturing business.

Vacations have taken some of the regulars away for part of the summer but we have been fortunate in having a number of new faces too. Lovell Swisher has his family at Hermosa Beach for July. Bill Warmington, Shirley Meserve and Fred Pettit spend most of the time at the Newport Yacht Club where they are enthusiastic members. Larry Boothe is on a trip to the Yosemite and Lake Tahoe. We have been glad to have with us Brother Rich, active in Michigan, and Brother Wallace, active in Colorado. We want to see you all when you come to Los Angeles.

Los Angeles, Cal. July 12, 1922 RAY J. FOLKS Correspondent

### Kansas City Alumni Association

The Kansas City A. A., since the last letter to THE SHIELD, has been progressing a great deal in luncheon attendance, which we believe is a very good indication of the general condition of the association. At the suggestion of our president, J. R. Blacker, we have started a weekly register of attendance for our Monday luncheons and in the past four months we have received the signature, chapter and address of every Phi Psi attending the luncheons. In this way we have been able to keep our alphabetic list of members correct to the minute.

By means of this same register we are able to keep track of our increase in attendance, and it is with much satisfaction that we announce that since the adoption of this system we have increased the average attendance to 22 members, with a low record of 15 and a high record of 30.

As in our last letter, Kansas City A. A. still has her hat in the ring for a high attendance at the weekly luncheons, and we feel that our association now stands equally as high as any other in our Fraternity. Some of the local brothers modestly predict a large increase over the above figures by the next issue of THE SHIELD.

During the past few months we have had with us the following brothers, some of whom are not permanently located in Kansas City, and others who have only recently come here: J. B. Cissna, Pa. Eta '61; Capt. Leslie M. Skerry, Col. Alpha 14; David W. Pratt, Tenn. Delta '15; Allan G. Elbon, Ohio Alpha '14; Arthur Barnes, Pa. Beta; Charles Wilbur, Wis. Alpha; George S. Garrand, Ind. Delta '22; Hollenbury, Kan. Alpha '21; James W. Cox, Jack Pierce, Ohio Delta '17; John H. Keyes, Mass. Alpha '11; B. W. Davis, Wash. Alpha '22; C. J. Cadle,

### Alumni Correspondence

Ill. Delta; Leland Thompson, Kan. Alpha '12; J. L. Campbell, Col. Alpha; J. D. Boggs, Kan. Alpha '20; D. G. Boggs, Kan. Alpha '21; A. Lauterbach, Kan. Alpha '18; Olin M. Tufts, Mo. Alpha '16; Beaumont Stinnett, Texas Alpha; Jeff M. Neely, Texas Alpha. On June 19-20, the last luncheon before the G. A. C., we were favored with the presence of J. B. Cissna, the oldest living Phi Psi. Brother Cissna is visiting with members of his family who live in Kansas City, and was asled to make a talk before the bester the brother the presence of states and the before the based of the brother the br

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Leland Thompson, former Archon of the fifth district, has come to Kansas City for the summer to recuperate from a rather serious illness, and has been attending all of the weekly luncheons. We sincerely hope that he recovers completely and will soon be as "fit as ever." This will be saying a lot for Tommy.

Capt. Skerry and Brother Pratt, who have come into our midst recently, have become acquainted very rapidly, and we now feel that we have known them all our lives. Colorado Alpha and Tennessee Delta take notice: send us a few more like Brothers Skerry and Pratt.

We regret very much that no more of the brothers going to the G. A. C. were able to stop over in Kansas City on their way through. We were prepared to take care of a large number at that time and we were keenly disappointed not to have had them. We were particularly pleased, however, with the favorable reports which our delegates made on the G. A. C., the items of which are too numerous to mention in this letter.

In closing we wish to urge further that all Phi Psis in our vicinity make it a point to attend our gatherings at the University Club at 12.15 on Mondays, and join in the usual celebrations. We've got so much "PEP" that one might easily be led to believe we were back in the Pre-Volsteadian days.

Kansas City, Mo.

July 12, 1922

E. F. SCHOOLEY Correspondent

## Minneapolis Alumni Association

In spite of the summer dullness which must be expected as a result of many vacations and diversified interests, the association is maintaining a good attendance at the regular weekly noon-day luncheons which are held at Dayton's Tea Rooms on Thursdays. Many of the older alumni are showing a particularly keen interest in the activities of the Fraternity. The father of the Twin City Phi Psis, L. L. Longbrake, who has been a member since 1856, attended a recent meeting and renewed many of his old acquaintances with younger members of the Fraternity.

Special attention is being paid to cooperation with the chapter at the University of Minnesota. A scholarship committee has been appointed to work with the students and closer relations are anticipated, particularly during the fall rushing season.
It is always interesting to know the whereabouts of traveling brothers. Brother Vivian, Mich. Alpha, is now located in Minneapolis. F. S. Kelly jr, Minn. Beta, has recently left the Federal Reserve Bank of New York and can be found at the offices of the Guaranty Company of New York. Mauri Martin of Duluth was recently through the Twin Cities on a trip to southern Minnesota. E. A. Paulet jr, announced his recent marriage to Miss Edith Murray of St. Paul.

If you are acquainted with any good men who intend to come to the University of Minnesota during the coming year, it will be appreciated if you notify the secretary of the Twin City Alumni Association so that they can be taken care of.

Minneapolis, Minn. July 11, 1922

C. L. GRANDIN JR Correspondent

#### San Francisco Alumni Association

On May 24th the association had a dinner-dance at Tait's at the Beach. There were about 20 couples present and the affair was a great success. It is planned to have these parties at regular intervals and so keep up a lively interest in the affairs of the association.

The luncheons are not so well attended lately due to many brothers leaving town on vacations. Barney Smutz has gone to Stockton where he is associated with the Zellerback Paper Co.

We are at present awaiting the return of "Russ" Yater from the G. A. C. He intends to visit relatives in Chicago before returning.

Tait's on O'Farrell street is still the scene of the Friday luncheons, so don't fail to come when in San Francisco.

San Francisco, Cal. July 5, 1922 C. S. DAVIS Correspondent

#### Rhode Island Alumni Association

Since the last letter the association has been through another class day and commencement with the chapter and the attendant graduate reunions. Of particular interest was the twentieth reunion of the class of '02 to which five of the members of Rhode Island Alpha hold allegiance. They are Brothers Aldrich, Holt, Gabbi, lnce and MacPhail. Of these five only Aldrich and Holt were present for the reunion, Gabbi being our delegate to the G. A. C. and Ince and MacPhail were prevented from coming by important business.

We are particularly pleased to know that the East will entertain the next G. A. C. two years hence and we assure the Boston A. A. of our full support and cooperation in putting over the best convention ever.

W. H. Beattie, R. I. Alpha '16, who is with the National City Bank in Brazil, has changed his business address and residence from Pernambuco to Sao Paulo.

G. W. Waterman, R. I. Alpha '11, has begun practice in Providence as a full fledged medic. His office is at the corner of Thayer and Angell streets.

H. G. Marsh, R. I. Alpha '08, has severed connections with the Providence Washington Life Insurance Company and has taken a position with the Aetna Insurance Company in Hartford, Conn. His engagement to Miss Sara Shupert of Ardmore, Pa., sister of W. H. Shupert, R. I. Alpha '17, has been announced recently.

#### Alumni Correspondence

N. O. Howard, R. I. Alpha '02, of the department of botany at Brown, is devoting his time to research work on the microscopy of textile fibres with particular attention to cotton, on which subject he recently addressed the Providence Engineering Society.

Providence, R. I. July 10, 1922

M. L. EDINGER Correspondent

#### Tulsa Alumni Association

Ever since the Phi Psi picnic May 21st the usual salutation among the brothers is "When are we going to have another picnic?" H. N. Cole and Mrs. Cole were the host and hostess, the affair being held at Brother Cole's hunting camp on the bluff overlooking the Verdigris river bottoms east of Catoosa, Okla. And it surely was "an picnic." Something like 50 of the brothers, their wives, children and "lady friends" were there. Brother Cole, who had gone out the evening before to have everything in readiness, had some of the natives down in the bottoms early in the morning and they came back with enough squirrels and fish to make an excellent feast outside of the food that already had been arranged for.

There are still some violent controversies as to who really is the champion horse shoe pitcher and who swatted the indoor baseball the farthest. The golf "bugs" were there with a couple of putting irons. In short everybody had a grand and glorious time, the climax of which was an exhibition of dancing by some of the neighbors to the tune of "Turkey in the Straw" and "Fire in the Mountain" as played by a trio of Stetsoned horsemen armed with a "fiddle", banjo and guitar. Eddie Hansen, however, was awarded the dancing championship when he introduced the "shiver" into the Catoosa hills. It struck such a popular chord that he was compelled to stop at one of the neighboring houses on his way home and repeat the performance for an audience composed entirely of the "home folks." The yells of approval could be heard all over the country.

The weather was a bit erratic about the time of the picnic, but it didn't play any pranks that day until everyone had gotten safely back into Tulsa. But, oh boy, what happened just after that. The wind hit 90 miles and it rained—well, everything it ever does rain. The weather changes quickly in Oklahoma. The story is told that a pioneer once was driving an ox team through Oklahoma when one of the animals died of the heat. While he was skinning the animal, the other one froze to death. This undoubtedly is a true story.

J. Bennett Porter and H. N. Cole represented the association at the G. A. C. Dewey Graf had his ticket purchased and was all ready to go when he was called to Texas—and Texas isn't a nice place to go in hot weather at best.

M. L. Neely spent the early part of June in Indiana, having taken his family to Crawfordsville, Mrs. Neely's old home, for the summer. He attended the commencement festivities at DePauw University and was present at the laying of the cornerstone of the new Indiana Alpha chapter house. He was compelled to return to Oklahoma a few days before the G. A. C. and had no more than arrived here when he went over into Arkansas to see a "wildcat" well near some of his acreage. (A "wildcat" is a well drilled in new territory). This particular well showed a little oil and then a veritable ocean of artesian water, which is not valuable to an oil operator. Milt likes Oklahoma better now. Robert S. Gordon, Okla. Alpha, who has been secretary of the association and was active in organizing it, went to Washington, D. C., this week to study law and work for the Government. He had excellent training in this latter respect by working at the court house for a couple of months and having his head shaved.

Dick Ernest and Tom Buell, both N. Y. Gamma, have been checking up properties recently in southern Kansas. Like practically all the rest of us, they are hitting the oil business hard these days.

Several of the undergraduate brothers and visiting wearers of the shield have dropped in for luncheons recently, very much to our delight. The luncheons are held Friday noon at the Tea Cup Inn on Fourth street between Boulder and Cheyenne. Any visiting brother will find a dozen to 18 on hand to give him the grip and talk Phi Psi.

Tulsa, Okla. Julv 11. 1922 R. S. McBeth

Correspondent

#### Chicago Alumni Association

Following the G. A. C. at Springfield, the Chicago A. A. continued with true Phi Psi activity, and staged a successful field day at the Olympia Fields Golf Club on June 28th. All brothers who attended whether they shot good or mediocre golf, voted the day a big success. Plans for another field day in September are under consideration although nothing definite is planned at this time.

To John J. Donahoe and Hans Norgren, both of Illinois Beta, went the premier honors of the day. Donahoe came in with the low gross score but Hans took the president's cup with the aid of his handicap, giving him low net score. Both brothers received close competition and although the golf may not have been quite as high class as the National Open held at Skokie this year, it was lots of fun.

The *Alumni News* edited by Clyde Joice and his efficient staff of correspondents is progressing nicely and seems to be a real success. With its assistance, the association is planning an active fall and winter.

The latter part of July or during August it is planned to mail out a questionnaire in order to correct and increase the list of Phi Psis residing in Chicago, and it will be the basis for the proposed new edition of the Chicago Alumni Association Directory.

All visiting brothers are sincerely welcomed at the Tuesday luncheons at Field's Grill and during the summer we hope to see many Phi Psis.

Chicago, Ill. July 15, 1922 W. C. GORGAS Correspondent



Letters for the next issue of THE SHIELD, to insure publication, must reach the Editor by September 10th.

#### FIRST DISTRICT

#### New Hampshire Alpha — Dartmouth College

The chapter expects this fall to open with a full membership, due primarily to a general raising of scholastic standards in the whole college. In addition to the ruling that no student who fails to pass the required number of courses may return, the college inaugurates this year the selective system for entering men. With this scheme in force and added communication privileges between fraternity men and freshmen during the first semester, it is hoped that all brothers will make any recommendations they may have, as early as the middle of September. Promptness will aid more than ever this year.

Although a number of honor men were graduated in June, the chapter will lose little of its activity strength. Taylor and Carpenter, both letter men, will be on hand for the varsity football team this fall, with the addition of Hawes and Swan, and five numeral men from last year's freshman team. Hamilton has been elected to lead the mandolin club for the coming season. Hilton holds the position of intercollegiate editor on the daily. Hayes has been chosen assistant manager of the gym team.

Hanover, N. H. July 10, 1922 CHAUNCEY J. SPAULDING Correspondent

#### Massachusetts Alpha — Amherst College

The junior prom took place on May 19th. On the night before, the fraternities held their round robin house dances. We joined with Delta Upsilon in our party. Ray Miller and eight pieces of his Black and White orchestra played at both the prom and our house dance. A number of the men from the house attended both parties. Cowan was a member of the prom committee.

Cowan and McLeod are among the twelve jurors who were recently elected members of Scarab for the coming year. This is the senior honorary society for men excelling in extracurriculum activities. Cowan has also been elected a member of the Committee of Seven which oversees the moral situation of the college. McLeod was a member of the temporary committee.

McLeod was recently appointed treasurer of the Christian Association for the coming year.

Giles has been elected president of the Masquers, dramatic association of the college.

Freeman has been appointed managing editor of Lord Jeff, the college humorous publication.

The track team completed a successful season by winning two of its three dual meets and scoring 16 points in the New England intercollegiates. Phi Kappa Psi was represented on the varsity by Hill, Manager Myers and Assistant Manager McLeod. McLeod has been elected vice president of the New England Intercollegiate Athletic Association for the coming year.

Cowan was recently elected president of the Interfraternity Council. Taft has been elected to the editorial board of the *Student* as a result of the first competition for the class of 1925.

The official opening of the new chapter house took place at a reception on the afternoon of June 18th. In the evening, the alumni and friends of the chapter attended the dedication banquet. Frank L. Boyden '98 served as toastmaster, and Samuel A. Fiske '95 delivered the dedication oration. The guests of honor were Frank A. Arter, Pa. Beta '61 and Mrs. Arter, Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Myers, Mrs. F. L. Taft, and Bro. E. R. Anderson of the Boston A. A.

The chapter regrets the loss through graduation of Bell, Munn, Myers, Scott and Spafford.

Amherst, Mass.

June 21, 1922

E. K. MORSMAN Correspondent

#### Rhode Island Alpha — Brown University No LETTER RECEIVED

#### New York Alpha — Cornell University

Plans are being formulated for the fall rushing season, and since once more the fraternities have failed to come to any agreement there will be a return to open and almost unrestricted rushing. We urge all brothers, and particularly those of New York Alpha, to favor us with better interest than they did last year.

The house is open this summer for brothers attending the summer session, and at present there are 15 men living in the house. For the first time in several years the steward department is serving meals during the summer. Included in the list are several brothers from other chapters who are taking advantage of the summer school.

Schreyer, Williams and Quick represented the chapter at the G. A. C. at Springfield. Much credit is due the Springfield A. A. and the Ohio Beta Chapter for the spirit they showed and the success of the convention.

Due to graduation the chapter will miss McMillan, Hays, Quick, Stephens, Pancoast, Hill and Seney when it gathers again in the fall. At the Poughkeepsie regatta held on June 26th Baldwin, veteran of

At the Poughkeepsie regatta held on June 26th Baldwin, veteran of last year's eight, pulled his old position at number 2. The race was the fastest ever rowed over the course, the Navy setting a new world's record and all six crews in the race beat the record time made by the Navy combination last year. Cornell placed fourth in this race, and captured the first honors in the junior varsity race.

Ithaca, N. Y.

July 12, 1922

O. P. WILLIAMS Correspondens

#### New York Beta - Syracuse University NO LETTER RECEIVED

#### New York Gamma -- Columbia University

Several brothers from this chapter, as well as some from other chapters, are attending Columbia's twenty-third summer session, which be-Eight brothers from other chapters are staying at the gan July 10th. house during the summer, some of whom are working in the city and others are attending the university: George Stevens, Kan. Alpha; Shelly Hughes, Tenn. Delta; Sam Smallpage, Iowa Alpha; Robert Riley, Pa. Iota; Earl Bidwell and James Drummond, N. H. Alpha; and Rice, N. Y. Alpha.

The Spectator, which is the college daily during regular sessions, is

appearing three times a week during the summer under the direction of Don Waugh as editor in chief. Waldo is serving as news editor. Although Columbia failed by a large margin to win the Poughkeepsie regatta, the varsity eight finishing fifth in the race, there is little disap-pointment over the showing made by the Blue and White. Columbia's shell crossed the finish line but five lengths behind the Navy, which was doing well, considering that the middles shattered the world's record. New York Gamma had the pleasure and honor of being represented by Malcolm Brown, who rowed number 2 in the varsity boat. Brown went to Poughkeepsie as a member of the second varsity crew, but his excellent work during the last training period won him a place in the first shell, and his "C with crossed oars," the highest award in crew. Dreesbach earned his "C" earlier in the season by rowing in the 150pound varsity shell in the race with Pennsylvania's light-weight crew. Preparations are being made for a hard rushing campaign this fall. The chapter lost several of its most active members in June by gradua-

tion. Âmong these were Squires, editor in chief of Spectator last year and defense man on the hockey team; and Ferris, who was assistant managing editor of Spectator and an officer of the Intercollegiate Newspaper Association.

New York, N. Y July 13, 1922 GEORGE T. WALDO Correspondent

#### New York Epsilon - Colgate University

The chapter is glad to announce that its alumni banquet, held June 20th, was attended by over 40 brothers, most of whom were alumni of Jack Lahey acted as toastmaster, and there were speeches this chapter. by Brothers Jones, Craine and others, with impromptu remarks. The affair marked the close of one of the best years the chapter has had in its history, scholastically, financially, socially, and in extracurricular activities.

At the G. A. C. New York Epsilon was represented by Moloney, MacKelvey, Little, Carrier, and Hunt. Moloney was appointed on the chapter house committee; Archon MacKelvey took a very active part, and acted as chairman of the credentials committee; Little served on the resolutions committee, while Carrier was on the committee on the state of the Fraternity.

Prior to the closing of college, Sterling was elected manager of scholastic track. Steffen and MacKelvey were bid Skull and Scroll, senior society. Shallow was chairman of the junior prom committee. Pratt and Crofoot have been elected to Mash and Triangle, dramatic society. Crofoot will be advertising manager of *Banter*, college humorous publication, next year. Hausauer played number 2 man on the varsity tennis team, and played in all the matches.

New Rochelle, N. Ý. July 14, 1922 THEODORE G. PRATT Correspondent

#### SECOND DISTRICT

#### Pennsylvania Gamma — Bucknell University No LETTER RECEIVED

#### Pennsylvania Epsilon — Pennsylvania College No Letter Received

#### Pennsylvania Zeta — Dickinson College

Phi Psi finished one of her most successful years at Dickinson. After rushing season, she had a chapter roll of 27. Of these the chapter has lost 8 by graduation, namely, Rich, Klepser, Shaw, Flickinger, Hand, Stevens, Crunkleton and Ivan Daugherty. The chapter will have 19 experienced men to start the 1922-23 college year.

The chapter held a very successful commencement dance at Boiling Springs Park on June 3d. Many alumni from all over the state and surrounding states were present. The annual symposium was held June 4th in the chapter house with Brother Storey of Johnstown acting as symposiarch. He filled his position well and the spirit of old Phi Psi was rejuvenated in the old boys and kept up to the top in the undergrads. The alumni are on the job and from all accounts they intend to send some good boys to Dickinson, so that rushing season looks fairly rosy at present. Extensive plans for improvements were discussed and topics of interest to Phi Psi were uppermost so that all in all the symposium was a success. It was the first banquet held in the house and the success of the affair promises a recurrence next year.

Collins and Heller won their letters in baseball, while Schuchart, Carter, Meyer and Bacon received theirs in track.

Carlisle, Pa.

July 18, 1922

LEIGHTON J. HELLER Correspondent

Pennsylvania Eta — Franklin and Marshall College No Letter Received

#### Chapter Correspondence

#### Pennsylvania Theta — Lafayette College

The eighty-seventh commencement of Lafayette was celebrated June 8th-12th. One of the noteworthy features of the exercises was the laying of the cornerstone of the new gymnasium on June 10th. This event marked a great step toward the materialization of the plans for the new gymnasium and stadium. Senator George Wharton Pepper delivered the commencement day address and the degree of doctor of laws was conferred upon him.

One hundred thirty-one members of the class of 1922 received degrees. This is the largest graduating class in the history of Lafayette. Of this number there were three from the chapter, G. W. Hess, R. A. Ball and F. S. Jacobson.

On June 9th the chapter held its annual alumni banquet. About sixty alumni were present and the affair proved to be a most successful reunion. A very definite step was taken, in the form of a proposed bond issue, to carry on the finances of the chapter. Although such a step has been suggested before, there has never been a plan so definite in detail as the one now put forward. A committee was appointed at the banquet to make an investigation of the finances of the chapter and to decide upon the best means of floating the bond issue. These bonds will be sold to the alumni and also to the undergraduates.

will be sold to the alumni and also to the undergraduates. Starcher and Kelley have both earned their varsity "L." Starcher played right field on the baseball team and Kelley was on the track team. Carson took part in the annual commencement play given by the Shakespearian Club.

Easton, Pa. June 30, 1922

ALLAN M. CARSON Correspondent

#### Pennsylvania Iota — University of Pennsylvania No Letter Received

#### Pennsylvania Kappa — Swarthmore College

Pennsylvania Kappa has had a banner year, which was largely due to our senior brothers. It was with a feeling of deep regret that we said farewell at the "senior grind" and we certainly wish them the greatest of success and that they will come back to visit us often.

We held our last meeting of the year on Alumni Day, June 9th, when many alumni came back to see us.

The baseball team had a very successful season, with Ogden, Earnshaw and Butterworth playing throughout the season. Herb. Spackman, Asplundh and Sharpless were on the track team, and at the close of the season Spackman was elected to lead the team next year. William S. Lewis and Edward Clyde represented us on the lacrosse team. Bob Bodine was elected president of the junior class.

We hope to keep in touch with all the brothers during the summer and have already started the chapter "round robin" letter on its way. We would appreciate any rushing information or any help in rushing next fall.

Swarthmore, Pa. July 10, 1922 CARL F. KNAUER Correspondent Pennsylvania Lambda — Pennsylvania State College

The chapter lost 12 by graduation on June 13th which brings the present chapter roll down to 25.

Commencement house party furnished a fitting climax to the social life of the year. enjoy the party. Many alumni came back for class reunions and to The Thespians presented "The Fair Co-Ed," the twenty-fifth annual production of the club, as a part of the commencement program.

The baseball nine finished the season in poor shape, losing two games to the University of Pittsburgh during commencement week. The track team, however, overwhelmed Pitt and closed a very successfulseason.

Summer session is now in full swing with the largest enrolment in the history of the college. The chapter house is at present occupied by women students.

Plans have already been laid for the coming rushing season which begins about September 9th.

State College, Pa. July 12, 1922

EDWARD J. STERN Correspondent

#### Maryland Alpha — John Hopkins University

Jacobsen and Powell have returned from the G. A. C. full of praise for the committee whose efforts made the convention so entirely satisfactory. Indeed, they are quite carried away by their experiences, and vow that Springfield, Springfield pep, and Springfield girls are the very pinnacle of perfection. We certainly thank the brothers of Springfield for the splendid time our delegation enjoyed.

At the annual class day exercises the university took a great step forward in the breaking of ground for a dormitory. This building, which will be ready for occupation in the fall, is the first of a series of four that are to be erected. Heretofore Hopkins has had to do without dormitories, thereby losing many out-of-town students who were unwilling to board with private families in Baltimore. With the dormitories and the additional number of students will come a marked increase of fraternity material, from which Maryland Alpha expects to benefit.

The brothers are pretty far scattered at present. Hammond and Powell have gone as seamen on a cruise to South America. Turner is in Pittsburgh with an engineering concern. Hooper is traveling and half a dozen others are at their distant homes. There are still a few of us in town, though, and our house is open as usual to all wearers of the badge.

Baltimore, Md. July 14, 1922 HOWARD B. HENSEL Correspondent

Virginia Alpha — University of Virginia NO LETTER RECEIVED

Virginia Beta — Washington and Lee University NO LETTER RECEIVED

#### THIRD DISTRICT

Pennsylvania Alpha — Washington and Jefferson College No LETTER RECEIVED

> Pennsylvania Beta — Allegheny College No LETTER RECEIVED

West Virginia Alpha — West Virginia University No LETTER RECEIVED

Ohio Alpha — Ohio Wesleyan University No LETTER RECEIVED

#### Ohio Beta — Wittenberg University

Ohio Beta closed a most successful year by acting as host, in conjunction with the Springfield A. A., to the G. A. C. It was the chapter's privilege at that time to become acquainted with the many brothers who monopolized the city of Springfield, as it were, and the pleasures and benefits derived from that short association will not soon be forgotten (and especially will the fine fraternal spirit which pervaded the smoker remain as a fond reminiscence!)

Immediately following the close of college, the chapter house was completely renovated, being repapered and refurnished with various and important necessities, so that it is now in excellent condition. The chapter lost by graduation on June 9th J. B. Birch, E. B. Davis, F. H. Mills and W. W. Sittler. It is with no little regret that the chap-

The chapter lost by graduation on June 9th J. B. Birch, E. B. Davis, F. H. Mills and W. W. Sittler. It is with no little regret that the chapter must lose these brothers who so staunchly supported the ideals of our Fraternity in the postwar upheaval. The chapter takes great pleasure in presenting to the Fraternity Elmer Swackhamer of Roseville, who was initiated on May 26th. Pledge James Todd has returned his pin, due to the fact that he anticipates entering Dartmouth this fall. Wittenberg completed her first intercollegiate baseball venture in sev-

Wittenberg completed her first intercollegiate baseball venture in several years by recording four victories and three defeats. R. Young and Heberling were the mainstays of the squad; the former hurling and the latter catching.

The attendance at summer school is exceedingly large. Siders, Krauss, McCuaig, B. Young, J. Birch, Heberling and R. Young are registered.

A new local fraternity, Kappa Alpha Kappa, announced itself immediately preceding the end of the collegiate year, making the seventh of the Greek-letter groups. It is impossible to recount accurately the many visits paid the chapter during G. A. C., but the chapter does desire to express its appreciation to the many brothers who, in one way or another, showed a keen and lively interest in its welfare.

Springfield, Ohio June 15, 1922

ROBERT M. YOUNG Correspondent

#### Ohio Delta — Ohio State University No LETTER RECEIVED

#### Ohio Epsilon - Case School of Applied Science

With the advent of a new school year comes the inevitable outlook and planning for another Phi Psi year. The present undergraduates of Ohio Epsilon realize the loss to the chapter in the unusually large senior class of last year and are necessarily inspired by their example to more and harder work for Phi Psi in the coming term. The chapter will be unusually well represented in literary activities

The chapter will be unusually well represented in literary activities with McDaniel as editor of the *Differential* and three men on the *Tech* board. Gribben, star of last year's freshman team, will make a strong bid for a place on the varsity football squad along with Criley, Konold and Gordon Hale.

The house is being kept open during the summer for the convenience of the resident alumni, and we cordially invite any visiting brothers to make it their home during a visit to Cleveland.

The G. A. C. was profoundly enjoyed by the Ohio Epsilon representation, which was diminished in numbers by the conflict with the spring practice term, much to the sorrow of the unfortunates affected.

Cleveland, Ohio

July 13, 1922

J. KIMBALL JOHNSON

Correspondent

#### FOURTH DISTRICT

#### Michigan Alpha — University of Michigan

This chapter was favored with the return of a great many alumni at commencement time. Those who have completed their work and are now in the ranks of alumni are as follows: Robert Vail, Bruce Van Dusen, John Gordon Hill, H. E. Wilson, R. J. Dunne, Bruster P. Campbell and Lewis Paisley. R. J. Dunne will still be around the campus, however, as he is at present in the law school and will continue his studies there.

Clark Field, in the class of '24, through his good work as a try-out for baseball manager, has been elected as one of the assistants for next year. Hugh Wilson has taken a position as assistant football coach at the University of Alabama. He will begin his duties there this fall.

C. F. Lyman who has been an instructor in English here and a booster of Michigan Alpha and the Fraternity, has taken a better position at the Massachusetts Institute of Technology.

#### Chapter Correspondence

When college opens this fall Michigan will have many improvements on its campus. An extensive building program is being carried on to make room for the great increase in students in the last few years. An athletic house is also being constructed on Ferry Field which is large enough to have an entire football field within its walls.

E. CORNELL WALBRIDGE

Correspondent

#### Indiana Alpha — De Pauw University

The brothers are all on vacation except Hayden and Williams, who are in summer school. Our new president, "Ged" Bentley, is busily at work on the Anderson *Herald* and is keeping in touch with the fellows in splendid shape.

Everyone is enthusiastic over spike for fall and with the new house coming on things are looking bright. Bean, Watson and Dunlavy are employed at Indianapolis.

Don Renfro and Miss Grace Bebee were married in early July.

Allee, J. E. Talley, Robert Talley and Carrington reported a fine trip to the G. A. C. The chapter house is open at Greencastle. Brothers passing through are welcome. Bring your own towels. Roundrobin letter to start soon.

Brazil, Ind. July 13, 1922 H.PHIL MAXWELL Correspondent

Indiana Beta — Indiana University No LETTER RECEIVED

#### Indiana Delta — Purdue University

Toward the end of the college year at Purdue University the board of trustees elected a new president for the institution. Dr. Edward C. Elliot, Neb. Alpha '95, was chosen, and as a result Indiana Delta feels justly proud to be under the jurisdiction of a brother.

During the past year the chapter maintained its usual standing on the campus and intends to do its best next year. Eversman '20 played consistently on the varsity nine; White '22 won his numerals in freshman track; Botkin '20 and Storm '21 were elected to the *Harlequin* board.

At commencement five seniors were graduated. An extensive spring rush was conducted during which three men of next year's freshman class were pledged. Plans have been laid for a good rush next fall and by the cooperation of the brothers a successful year is assured.

The college year was closed by a gala week attended by many of the alumni.

Allegan, Mich. July 7, 1922 O. S. HULLEY Correspondent

#### Illinois Alpha — Northwestern University

The annual graduation exercises were held June 19th at Patten Gymnasium. Among those graduating were "Winnie" Murray, O'Reilly, and Harsin. Carrall was unable to graduate on account of sickness, and may be back next year. Chandler is attending summer school, and will receive his sheepskin in August.

An unusual number of Phi Psis are attending summer school, Blythe, Oppfeldt, Scovel, Kendricks, King, Hass and H. Chandler, and Pledge Harrington are enjoying the cool summer breezes. Bunnell, N. H. Alpha, is also entered, and is living at the house. Bunnell's first pet, a toy size dog, has been replaced by an earth-eating Ford, red wheels, and real rubber tires.

Fetzer and Wheeland are at their respective summer homes in Michgan. A number of Northwestern and Illinois men enjoyed themselves at the Fetzer home, the week following G. A. C. Ned Greiner is learning how to be a soldier at Camp Custer, Battle Creek, Mich., and is getting fat, according to recent reports.

Just at present things are rather quiet about the house. The house is being overhaulled by "Brer" Mason in preperation for the fall rushing season. We have four men already pledged (Harrington, Whipple, MacCarrison and Canning) and prospects for a large class of new men are exceedingly bright.

The chapter has been honored by the frequent visitations of many outof-town and neighboring brothers. Among the more recent were Bauer, Burns and Cusic, Ill. Delta, Trees, Ind. Alpha, and J. Greiner, Va. Beta.

> Illinois Beta — University of Chicago No Letter Received

> Illinois Delta — University of Illinois No LETTER RECEIVED

Tennessee Delta — Vanderbilt University No LETTER RECEIVED

Wisconsin Alpha — University of Wisconsin

Wisconsin Alpha takes pleasure in introducing the following brothers, initiated June 11th: Delbert Talley, Terre Haute, Ind., and Lauren Drake, Chicago.

At last from the ruins of our old house at 811 State street there rises a new home for our chapter. We have had a long wait but we have at last received something worth while waiting for. The new house is of red brick with Bedford stone trimmings, to house 28 and to acommodate 40 in the third floor dormitory. We will have lots of room for visitors from other chapters. Enough can not be said of Brother Boardman and his untiring efforts to make our new home a reality. It is with sincere regret that the chapter sees him leave our midst this June and we wish him the same happiness that he has brought to us.

The annual commencement reunion was a larger success than ever this June and some 70 loyal Phi Psis witnessed the laying of the cornerstone of our new "chauteau" on June 10th.

The fall rushing will be quite a problem for our chapter as it is doubtful if our new home will be ready for guests by then. We are confident, however, that we shall land a worthy class, house or no house. It will mean hard work and we shall appreciate the interest of any brother who can send us recommendations on Phi Psi material entering Wisconsin in the fall.

The following brothers left us by graduation in June: N. S. Boardman, Theodore Bussey, George Bunge, Curtis Morsell and Tyler Barney. We wish them continued success and happiness.

Indianapolis, Ind. July 10, 1922 CARL VONNEGUT Correspondent

Wisconsin Gamma — Beloit College No LETTER RECEIVED

#### Minnesota Beta — University of Minnesota

Finals are over for the time being and the house is practically deserted this summer. The marks for the past quarter are coming out and they seem to be a little higher than those of the past two quarters. Frank Hubachek was the only graduate this quarter from Minnesota Beta. He was graduated from the Law School and intends to practice in Minneapolis.

The last party of the season was given on June 14th at the White Bear Yacht Club. Balch and his henchmen, Leitz and Bossard, spared no energy or cash in making the evening a glorious one.

spared no energy of cash in making the evening a several to the Minnesota Beta was well represented at the G. A. C., Steve French and Dwight Lyman acting as official delegates. Several brothers departed for the convention in machines but French and Coffee decided that to be sure of getting there they would take no chances on the trains and started off afoot. They got there a little ahead of the fellows who went by train. The reports that have come back from the convention, although not official, are that it was as good as any experienced by even the eldest of the alumni. Congratulations, Springfield.

We are going to start the midsummer Monday evening meetings next week in order to be running when the rushing season begins. Prospects are good so far and any suggestions from alumni or other chapters will be given prompt attention and appreciation.

Minneapolis, Minn. July 14, 1922 JOHN K. MORTLAND Correspondent

#### FIFTH DISTRICT

#### Iowa Alpha — University of Iowa No Letter Received

#### Iowa Beta — Iowa State College

Iowa Beta takes pleasure in introducing Edward W. Sorrell, Pearl River, N. J., and Charles H. Brown, Waterloo, Iowa.

The chapter has been busy organizing the alumni to aid in the financial campaign for the new house. Brother Aulman, Barney, Foster, Gjellefald, Carson and Roberts have been the most active in the campaign. The house is nearly ready for plastering and we hope to move in about September 15th. College opens September 25th and we hope to be mostly settled by rushing time.

Eight Iowa Beta men attended the G. A. C. at Springfield. Alumni were Si Otstot, Hi Johnson, Jake Rice and Jim Tracy. Undergraduates were Jew Mellinger, Frank Pereboom, Chuck Mason, and Dick Berry. Johnson, Pereboom, Mason and Tracy drove through from Ames and stopped at Burlington, Iowa, on the way to select furniture for the new house. Jones, Putnam and Bongert were also on the committee who who helped with the selection.

We have over one hundred on our rushing list for this fall, which affords good selection of material. The chapter would appreciate any names of possible rushees. Correspondence addressed to 316 Lynn, Ames, Iowa, will be carefully attended to, and acknowledged. Homecoming and house-warming will be October 14th. Any Phi

Homecoming and house-warming will be October 14th. Any Phi Psi who will be in Ames at that time is welcome to participate in the celebration.

Ames, Iowa July 12, 1922 J. B. TRACY Correspondent

#### Missouri Alpha — University of Missouri

Nine members of the active chapter returned for spring term after the regular session was over April 26th. This term was enlivened with baseball games and track meets.

Missouri Alpha entertained with a unique party at the chapter house May 26th. All the fraternity men in college were invited to a dance, and as this was the first one of its kind to be given it proved a big success.

At the end of the spring term Miller Peck, Gordon Wakefield and Wilse Robinson left for Springfield to attend the G. A. C., Ernest Thiemeyer having left St. Louis for the G. A. C. several days before.

Jerry Maddox, who was in college during the sessions 1919-21, returned for the summer term which began June 19th. Martin Marbut and Plattenburg Brown are the only other members of the chapter attending summer school.

Missouri Alpha and Kansas Alpha entertained their rushees with a breakfast dance in Kansas City July 4th.

Columbia, Mo. June 12, 1922

BEN H. BROWN Correspondent

Texas Alpha — University of Texas No Letter Received

#### Kansas Alpha — University of Kansas No Letter Received

#### Nebraska Alpha — University of Nebraska

Nebraska Alpha completed a very successful year with the close of the university in June. The chapter took part in many activities and still was able to attain third place in scholarship among the Greekletter societies. The scholarship report for the second semester is not out as yet, but we hope to make as good or better showing than in the past.

An initiation was held at the close of the year, and the chapter is glad to present the following new brothers: Jack McCreery, Lincoln; C. Haver Giddings, Brush, Col.; Giles Henkle, Lincoln; Donald Hollenbeck, Lincoln; Max Arkwright, Beatrice; Alvin Giddings, Beatrice; Frederick Fall, Beatrice.

Nebraska Alpha was represented at the G. A. C. by delegates Walter LeClere, John Fike and Bryce Crawford jr. They expressed their delight for the manner in which the convention was held.

The chapter regrets to announce the loss, by graduation, of N. S. Harding, Earle Coryell, Earl Howey, Rutgers Van Brunt, Edward Smith, Glen Sire, Floyd Wright, and Bryce Crawford jr. The chapter greatly feels their loss and extends its best wishes for their future seccess.

Roope Kenner '17 is living at the chapter house this summer, and taking some postgraduate work during the summer session.

The chapter would appreciate any information concerning desirable men from both our alumni and those of other chapters. We expect to make this year one of the best ever in the history of the chapter, and feel the need of cooperation of every alumnus member as well as undergraduates.

Lincoln, Neb. July 12, 1922 Asa Waters Correspondent

#### Oklahoma Alpha — University of Oklahoma

Oklahoma Alpha held spring initiation on June 2d and announces the following initiates: Lynn K. Lee, Gainsville, Texas; Jack Scanlon, Duncan, Okla.; Adrian Smith, Perry, Okla.; Robert Catlett, Weleetka, Okla.; and Hal Jenks, Ada, Okla.

The chapter has purchased six lots on Elm street, facing the campus. The site has a south and east exposure and faces the new oval of the campus.

Plans have been completed for a rush banquet at the Huckins Hotel in Oklahoma City, September 12th.

Ferguson, Earnheart and Jenks represented the chapter at the G. A. C. Mrs. Francis Todd-Wheeler will be our house mother next year.

Mrs. Wheeler was formerly hostess for the soldiers of Camp Doniphan. George Freeman's music to Eugene Catlett's song, entitled "When

Phi Psi Meets Phi Psi'' was awarded fourth prize at the G. A. C. Esker Lee of Hollis, Okla., was recently elected president of the chap-

ter for the coming year.

This summer John Shelton is attending the University of Colorado, Lynn Lee is located at Fort Logan, Denver, Col. William Cruce is with a law firm, 429 Liberty National Bank Building, Oklahoma City. Harry Mills is at home in Jacksonville, Fla. Adrian Smith is working with the city engineer at Wichita, Kan. John Mugler is at home in Perry, Okla. Shackelford and Keegan are holding down the chapter house in Norman.

George Freeman is playing with Doc Davis' orchestra at Sulphur, kla. Esker Lee and William Chester are located at Anadarko where Okla. they are working. Bart Aldridge is spending part of his summer on a vacation at Sulphur. Hugh Putman and Jack Rone are working in Oklahoma City. Wilbur Funderburk is in a bank at Shreveport, La. Buck Graham is in Ardmore.

Plans were made that all the brothers be back not later than September 9th. First dates start September 14th.

Norman, Okla. July 4. 1922 HOMER L. KEEGAN Correspondent

Colorado Alpha - University of Colorado No LETTER RECEIVED

#### Washington Alpha — University of Washington

Three members of Washington Alpha were graduated this spring. Donald Cornue was graduated from Law School and will take a posi-tion in a Seattle law firm in the fall. Harold Marquis was graduated from the School of Journalism and has been employed by the Miller Freeman Co., publishers of trade journals. Laurence Hick was gradu-ated from the College of Fisheries and is in Alaska with the U. S. He will study medicine in the East next year. Fisheries Bureau.

Washington Alpha is proud of Bob Ingram and Lloyd Mason, who rowed in the Washington shell in the Poughkeepsie regatta. Ingram has returned to Seattle and has registered for summer school.

Three other members are attending the summer session, Roy Vestal, Charles Perrine and Owen Cowling. Cowling is editing the summer school paper. Hubert Lewis, Ray Crisler and Ralph Marquis are liv-

ing at the chapter house and are working in the city. We were glad to learn that Kappa Theta Chi, of the University of Oregon, was put on the accredited list at the G. A. C. and hope to see a chapter installed there soon.

Rushing dates are begining to come in from the brothers, who ar-spending the summer in their home towns and we hope to have a suce cessful season in the fall.

Seattle, Wash. July 8, 1922

**OWEN S. COWLING** Correspondent

California Beta - Stanford University NO LETTER RECEIVED

California Gamma — University of California NO LETTER RECEIVED



#### Perry N. Clark, Wash. Alpha '22

Perry N. Clark, Wash. Alpha '22, who finished his freshman year at the University of Washington this spring, was drowned in Lake Quinault, near Aberdeen, Sunday July 2d. His funeral was held on July 5th. Brother Clark was swimming with his two younger brothers and James H. Palmer, Wash. Alpha '21, when the accident occurred. A doctor worked on him with a pulmotor for four hours but was unable to restore conciousness.

#### Dorrance Dibbell, Ill. Beta '65

Judge Dorrance Dibbell, Ill. Beta '65, who had been a circuit judge in Will county, Illinois, since 1885, and who was the oldest jurist in Illinois in point of service, died July 16th, following a day's illness. He was born in Wooster, Ohio, February 16, 1844. He is survived by a son, Charles Dorrance Dibbell, Ill. Beta '94.

#### G. D. Woodside, Pa. Theta '81

Pennsylvania Theta has received notice of the death of G. D. Wood-side 381.

#### A. Haven Dale, Pa. Theta '11

Notice has been received of the death of A. Haven Dale, Pa. Theta '11.

#### George B. Bridenbaugh, Pa. Eta '02

George Bowman Bridenbaugh, Pa. Eta '02, died of a complication of diseases at his home at Sinking Springs, Pa., April 11, 1922.

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