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## COLUMBIAN DAY.

[Extract of an address by Prof. E. R. LONG, *Theta*, delivered at the celebration of the Batesville (Ark.) City Schools.]

We have indeed a glorious heritage in our broad expanse of territory—excelled in this by only three empires of the world. We furnish to-day one-third of the mineral products of the world, one-fourth of the manufactures, one-fifth of the agricultural products, and every night as yonder sun sinks to rest behind our western hills, he leaves a country more than two million dollars richer than when he greeted it in gilded glory upon that morning. Such facts give us some idea of the stupendous magnitude of our country's interests in those respects. Let us now note a few of the combined influences which have contributed to the growth which we have attained, and in doing this, let us, first, yield full credit to the work performed by our ancestors. In bringing about this development "other men labored," and we have "entered into their labors." We have no sympathy with that complete idolatry of the past which leads some to ever decry the present times as the worst in the history of mankind, and pine for "the good old times of long ago," nor yet do we have any more sympathy with those who, entirely worshipping the present with its busy activities, would feign have us believe our forefathers of a few generations ago were such old fossils, in the judgment of this railroad age, that their opinions and endeavors are not worthy even of the reverential attention of the present rising generations.

Fellow-citizens, in the magnificent achievements of mind and muscle, in many departments, we are far—yes, very far—ahead of those who lived so recently in the beginning of this magic nineteenth century, but in the solid, highest wisdom, sterling integrity, clear judgment and all cardinal virtues, ever bear in mind that the peers, in these respects, of any now living, existed scores of years ago. In the department of statesmanship,

we had as great statesmen a century since as we have to-day. Could, for example, Thos. Jefferson, the author of the Magna Charter of American liberty, be called back to earth, from which his spirit took its flight more than half a century ago, he would be counted a very ignorant man on many points. He would wonder at a vessel crossing the Atlantic in less than six days. A boy of five years could inform him concerning a railroad and a locomotive. He might inquire what mean these wires so abundantly stretched from pole to pole, and when informed that they were telegraph or telephone lines, it would avail nothing, for neither of these words was in his dictionary. A street railway and an elevated railway would be enigmas to him. The phonograph and electric light, kerosene oil and a gasoline stove, nitro-glycerine and dynamite, a mower and reaper, type-writer, sewing machine, and hundreds of other things of which men, yea, many of the children of the present day are informed, would be wonderful revelations to the Sage of Monticello. But let me ask you, my friends, if living men were to be assembled to-day for the purpose of drawing up a State paper embodying some of the foundation principles of government, do you think many would be likely to surpass in that? They might have an improved type-writer which would click off the words with magical rapidity upon the finest linen paper, but Thomas Jefferson in his knee pants, with an old quill pen, pokeberry ink and yellow wrapping paper, need not feel at all abashed in the presence of the crowd of "moderns," when it comes to that, since there would be stored in that head a lump of brains well able to cope with the matter we have referred to, and a lump which had thought on such a subject more deeply, doubtless, than a majority of the thinkers of the present time. And so with many others of the same period. Alexander Hamilton, who came to his untimely end more than twenty years before Jefferson died, could he be introduced into our midst to-day, would be still more ignorant than the example noted, but the broad grasp of mind, which he manifested in his financial policy at the critical commencement of our nation's career, would make him, in this the opening of a second century of national existence, a leader amongst statesmen as he was at the opening of our first century.

Not only have we built upon the foundations provided by our ancestors, who served as sturdy pioneers, but in the second place it is to the training to work, which they have transmitted to succeeding generations, we owe much, and which has proven a rich legacy indeed. American development would never have followed had not Americans been energetic



and impressed with not only the dignity but the nobility of labor.

A writer of great intellectual ability and fame, upon being reproved once for carrying in his winter's coal, replied : "The man who is ashamed to carry in his own coal deserves to sit all winter by an empty grate." Plain truth was in that remark, and it ever needs to be emphasized that honest labor of any kind whatever, in itself, never does aught but crown life with honor. Wherever or whenever any other idea has prevailed in our broad land, it has gone powerfully towards retarding the development of our country.

Such a blight was almost inseparable attendant of the institutions of slavery in even its least objectionable form in our Southland. Show me a person who sneeringly 'looks down upon' the very humblest, honest mental or physical toil as in some way not deserving of the highest respect, and I'll show you an individual who, lacking in some of the finer traits of humanity—unmindful of the heaven-given injunction, to "be diligent in business"—has never yet caught the spirit which must be infused in all who would be in full accord with the onward tread of American progress. In no other country should the plea for nobility of labor be less needed than in our own, since no other have such results followed the application of it in such a short time. All honor to the workers then, who have aided in making our country what it is to the toiling wives and others, to the humblest sturdy laborer in the most obscure position, to rich and poor, no matter in what sphere of honest labor they have been engaged. Fortunate has it been for our nation that many of its leaders, in every department of professional work have climbed thither from the ranks of poverty, aptly showing in this way that to that extent, this is a "government of the people." As public men, those two strong leaders of the Whig and Democratic parties over half a century ago—Henry Clay and Andrew Jackson—in their careers showed forth the genius of American institutions in this particular. As has been well said, "The monarchies of the old world where the grades of titled aristocracy exist, may be likened to a huge stratified rock, where it is impossible for a man from the lowest strata to pierce his way through those different layers of rank and reach the top; but our Republic is rather like the ocean, where the lowest drop in that surging mass of heaving water is free, through rising, to mingle itself with the foaming crest of the topmost wave."

But in our limited survey of National greatness, we have not yet noted the factors of such tremendous importance that had they not existed, this, our land with its boundless natural

advantages, would have been to-day, as many portions of the earth with like natural advantages, in sluggish ignorance and darkness. Need I add that these two factors of boundless value are the churches and the schools of our Commonwealth. I would not have you infer that the *true greatness* of a land consists in its material wealth or advancement. We have indeed inexhaustible mineral resources—of coal alone more than twenty times as much area as Europe, the great manufacturing continent. We have (or have had,) boundless forests teeming with their enormous supply of timber. We have grand prairies, fertile valleys, magnificent waterways and towering mountains with hidden treasures, but these are not the chief glory of these United States. Never for a moment would I have you believe that these or anything made from them are the gods which have brought our country up from the wilderness of a few centuries ago to its favored rank to-day. Neither in public or private affairs can there be any lasting prosperity without justice, integrity, wisdom and truth, and oft times the promoters of these after a life-time full of glorious work in their promotion go to their graves without leaving a great estate of this world's goods, but leave a richer inheritance in the hearts of fellow men aided in the struggle of life.

Let it ever be borne in mind then, in speaking of any country, it is the people who make the land great, the land alone will never make the people great. Hence the glory, after all, of American citizenship consists in personal character more than aught else. To be the very best citizen, the struggle must be made to become the best morally and spiritually, as well as the best physically and intellectually, of which one is capable. Wherever one finds evil, there is a battle ground even though in self, and upon such battle fields victories may be won, which are as truly for the betterment of our nation, as those won with sabre upon tented field. A man who spent much of his life, in his chosen career as a journalist, in efforts to ever keep a high ideal of American citizenship before his countrymen's view, recently passed away from earth. The journal which he had edited, in noting his death, among other things said of him, "he would have stood in the company of kings without embarrassment, but also without making the least demonstrative display of his ease. He was not ashamed of not being rich." The latter sentence concerning him I could well appreciate. Nearly a dozen years ago we had learned from an authentic source that he had, a quarter century before, embarked in a commercial venture with some friends. But after a time the firm was changed and he became a special partner. In a few years a financial disaster overtook



the company, and what did he do? legally he was free from responsibility in the payment of the liabilities, but not so did he esteem himself morally.

Striving for the highest ideal of commercial honor he set about paying off the heavy debt. Of marvellous literary capacity and skill he delivered one hundred lectures a season for a long series of years, besides doing his journalistic work, and applied all the proceeds beyond his living expenses to the liquidation of that debt. But after 13 years the task was accomplished and George William Curtis, whose selfset aim could have been expressed by the sentiment "thou shalt by no means come out thence until thou hast paid the uttermost farthing," had a heavy burden lifted from his heart, but he was richer in something far more valuable than money in having removed it—and in his career as a citizen, since I learned that fact concerning him, the thought has involuntarily come to me that he was a king amongst men. But in conclusion, though this people of sixty-five millions have a glorious past, it would be folly indeed to claim everything betokens safety for the future. There are about twelve million voters in our land, all of whom should have a just appreciation of their responsibility as engineers of State. Of these a large number are so ignorant as not to be able to read their ballots, many others are so depraved as to sell their votes—and wherever there is a depraved seller, there is a depraved buyer to be held responsible for his crime. Would that the immense importance of an intelligent and honest use of the ballot could ever be kept in view. The engineer who is in charge of a locomotive confessedly occupies an important post, but every voter in our land should seriously ponder his responsibility as an engineer to aid in manning the high ship of State. Doubtless this right has been conferred upon hordes of persons, of different colors, who were not qualified for its intelligent and honest exercise.

But the lurking dangers in the way of our country's highest welfare cannot be enumerated in a short time by any means. Let each one see that no one of these dangers is increased by him, but rather diminished, for, if they are not averted, as a graveyard of other nations, America will surely become that of our own. Let every mother, who is the most influential vote trainer in this broad Republic, instill into the minds of her children those principles which will serve as the safe guards of a State. And let us, my fellow teachers, in our arduous and oftentimes specially trying work, ever keep in mind that we deal not with the marble as it is fashioned by the sculptor, but with immortal beings, whose minds and hearts must affect our beloved country for weal or for woe, and let us in this work, for

which no mortal is sufficient, strive to but touch the hem of the garment of that One from whom virtue still goes forth. And now as a parting sentiment let us each invoke as a wish, and abide by the spirit implied in those lines:

"United in lakes, united in lands,  
United in bonds that none can sever,  
United in hearts, united in hand,  
The flag of our Union forever,"

and for this happy consummation, my countrymen, let us have faith, let us have hope, let us have charity, and above all have vigilance in behalf of our common country, which, if thoroughly permeated with righteousness and intelligence will fall not, for it will be "founded upon a rock."

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### ACTIVE MEN ESTABLISH NEW CHAPTERS.

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Brethren, you at once recognize the importance of Chapter extension. Active men, you have the best opportunities, and so the burden rests on your shoulders, while the duty of the Alumni remains none the less responsible. At this time of the year men are assembling at the colleges and universities from all over the South, and among them are found men whom we would delight to honor—men that would be an honor to our fraternity. We have no Chapter at those institutions, and so they wear other colors. We want to enter the best institutions and plant good, substantial Chapters. We ought to do it for many reasons.

1. We want more men with the true *II* spirit. We number men of note in every profession, but we want more of them. The Chapters now on our rolls grind exceedingly slow, yet they grind fine. Why not increase the power, and with the power the spirit? When we travel through the country it is pleasant to meet a *II*. The more men we have the greater the pleasure; the more Chapters we have the larger the number of workers. Every Chapter on our rolls have sent out a number of fine workers; and with each new Chapter we will receive more valuable acquisitions.

2. During the "rushing season" other fraternities point at our Chapter list and try to discourage men inclined to join us. Jealousy may be at the root of this charge; and, though a poor argument, it has, no doubt, lost us many excellent men. The best way to silence such a cavil is to stir ourselves and lengthen that Chapter list. We can do it, and we need not do it at the expense of quality.



3. It encourages the establishing Chapter. When a Chapter gets cool just see what effect the establishing of a Chapter has. There seems to be new life in the old stock. The men take renewed interest and realize that they are not dead, but like Old Rip, have been asleep. If your Chapter shows any lack of interest just try this plan and see whether it will not help you.

4. It enthuses the Alumni. It was my privilege (?) one session while at college to hold the purse (which was generally empty) and to "dun" the boys (the principal part of the work.) In those days things looked rather gloomy for *Ilism*, but we kept at work. Across *via sacra* from Iota Chapter hall lived a poor, discouraged Semi. His purse was always empty, and he thought we ought to "go under." Finally I heard of some good and encouraging news—new Chapters, Chapters strengthened, and other bright prospects. I knew my time had come. I called on him and told him all the good news, and I tell you he warmed up; his purse was opened and he gladly paid all he owed. If you will let such good news as a few new Chapters being established pass down along the line you will wake the old Alumni in a hurry. That will bring more money and joy, too, than a letter from Smyth saying we are in a very critical condition; "please remit."

5. It will help the SHIELD AND DIAMOND. It will increase our members, and so the number of subscribers will be increased. The matter will be more interesting and from a greater variety of pens. The size can be increased without additional expense. In fact, the whole work of the fraternity will be strengthened through this organ.

6. It lessens expenses. This strikes nearer to the hearts of the men than anything else. Yes, give us more Chapters and we will see the expenses cut down. It is easier to get work than money. If you Active, as well as Alumni *Il*s will do a little work along this line your dues will be diminished. Anything to save money. If I could impress this one point on you I know this article would not be in vain. I would feel that I had gotten a *bonus* for writing. Brethren, for the sake of the poor "Bishop of Appomattox," as well as yourselves, go to work and establish a few Chapters. This is surely the most substantial, everlasting and encouraging way to save your pocketbooks from collapsing, or it may save you from treating your dear old fraternity with contempt after you have gotten all you can from her. The establishing of ten new Chapters this year will, I believe, forever settle the question, give us less expense, enthuse both Active and Alumni members, establish the SHIELD AND DIAMOND, and seal the mouths of cavilers forever.

Brethren, Chapter extension will solve the problem, and then we will stand before the world a stronger and nobler band. We can do it and still maintain the high standard of quality and not quantity which has ever been the motto of *Π. Κ. Α.*

Brethren, I believe that the Alumni Chapters can do almost, if not altogether as much as the Active Chapters. Come, let's establish more such Chapters. I have had but a short time on this, and, on account of my large field, have been compelled to present thoughts that may have suggested themselves to you all. However, I trust that this may move you to action on your own thoughts.

Yours in *Φ. Φ. Κ. Α.*,

*E. M. Craig.*

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### THE BREAKERS.

A PULSING organ-toned arpeggio,  
Crescendo mounting, with a sweep sublime;  
A swift back-rushing of diminished sound,  
A gasp for breath, a futile, long-drawn sigh;  
A momentary hush, with cries of gulls  
Struck through and through, staccato; then the roar  
Of great swift chords, that crash and break and blend,  
A sobbing undertone, marked by the hiss  
Of yellow foam left stranded in the sun.  
And then da capo.

[*Charles Washington Coleman, Alpha.*]

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### ZETA.

Vacation is over and work has begun once more. The last few days have been joyful ones to six *Π* men who constitute the loyal old Chapter of *Zeta*. School opened on the fourteenth, and since the twelfth we have all been together once more brim full of fraternity spirit and eager for a new year of work and profit for our Fraternity. Troy was the first to be welcomed by Brothers Ijams and Borches, who are resident students and who both were early, ready to receive us as we came in.

There is quite a joke among us in regard to the early arrival of Bro. Troy, as he deserted home and friends and what seems to trouble him most, one of North Carolina's fairest daughters, a full week ahead of time, thinking that school opened on the seventh instead of on the fourteenth.

Kesterson and Woodside both got in on the thirteenth, and we immediately adjourned to a good hotel dinner where we feasted, and related our summer adventures, all in the same breath.



Bro. Woodside who went into dinner flourishing a silk umbrella, came out carrying a cotton one very much the worse for wear, some man who was less fond of a good dinner having preceded him from the dining room into the cold and rainy world under Woodsides' new and highly prized umbrella.

Everything seems the same as it was last session, except for the absence of Bro. Long, who is the only man who left in June and failed to appear in September.

But the general report is, that Bro. Long has met his fate during the summer months, and that he is soon to take unto himself a better half. If this be true, *Zeta* extends her most hearty congratulations to him, and his fair intended as well. Bro. Long will be greatly missed this year, and his place in our midst will be hard to fill.

It is rumored that our little Brother Sledge has also had a very gay time during his vacation, and that some young lady down in Alabama has taken full possession of his heart.

Prospects for a strong Chapter this year are very flourishing. In addition to the six old men back this year, Brother Briscoe, of Washington and Lee, although not a member of the University, has signified his intention of connecting himself with our Chapter.

There seems to be a better crowd of new men than usual, and out of this number Pi Kappa Alpha intends to have her full share.

The University of Tennessee has bright prospects in every line this year. The foot ball team will probably be better than ever before.

The students, new and old, are taking a lively interest in the literary societies; the girls annex, which is now in the very beginning of its existence is very prosperous, more than thirty-five young ladies having entered on the first day.

The session is hardly begun yet, and we, of course, are not able to judge very satisfactorily, but we think that our Glee Club and Orchestra will also be of a very fine character.

*Zeta* wishes to be bound closer to all of her sister Chapters than she was last year, and wishes to exchange letters at least once a month with every existing Chapter. Write us a long letter, describing your work, both in Fraternity work and all other college exercises.

Give us anything that you may deem important in regard to spiking a fish, and finally catching him. We want to know more of the members of the Fraternity at large, and to that end we are ready and willing to correspond, to exchange pictures, and to do anything that will draw us closer together. Let us hear from you all soon and often.

*Zeta* wishes you all much success in your entire college work this year, and trusts that your prospects of raising the *Garnet and Gold* banner above every banner that waves in your midst is as good as hers.

*Chapter Correspondent.*

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NU.

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It devolves on the Chapter correspondent to write this time himself. Often he can get some brother to write for him, but it is a sad reality that if he fails, he has to do it himself, whether he has anything to write about or not.

Perhaps this is the worst part of the year to find anything interesting to put in a letter of this kind. One knows nothing of the rest of the boys save a few with whom he may correspond, and therefore he can only write about himself. Certainly that cannot prove interesting to any one but himself.

We have been out of college walls now two months and a half, and have only one month left. How the rest of the *II's* have been spending holiday I cannot say. Only two have written to me, Bros. Edwards and Sessions. The former is doing nothing, and the latter is principal of a high school at Hinesville, Ga. The paper there gives him a pretty good puff. Poor fellow, he's so far away from his girl! May he have much success, although we are sorry to lose him from college and our Chapter, even for one year.

Did you ever notice how different some college men are during vacation and college months? A two-faced man ought to be shunned by all honest folks. We have a few of that kind in our country. During vacation they are your bosom friends, apparently, and when vacation goes their friendship goes with it, and they scarcely speak to you at college. This, together with other things, makes me inclined to the opinion that a man's fraternity is worth more to him while at college than it ever will be again. True, it will be a great benefit to him afterwards if he chooses to throw himself in the current, but college fraternities are organized mainly for college men, and like college text-books, they are never so much used after we leave college.

Ought we not then to make as much use of our fraternity relations as possible while at college?

We can do more for our fraternity now than ever afterwards. Some boys speak of what they will do when they get out into the world, how much money they will give, and how



they will attend conventions, etc. But, if observation is worth anything along this line, we had better do all we can now. Some of our alumni have been breaking those rash promises already.

We had the pleasure of meeting Bro. Belser, of *Xi*. He spent several days in this community. All other *II*'s will be gladly welcomed if they can drop in while passing.

All our Chapter must be sure and come back in October.

Yours in the bonds,

*Chapter Correspondent.*

## XI.

*Xi* will be represented at the South Carolina College this fall by two men, Bros. Belser and Strother.

Fraternities have fared "poorly" at the South Carolina College for the past few years, on account of changing the institution from a University to a College, thereby causing a decided decrease in the number of students, but the prospects, for the historic old College, are brighter than they have been for years.

The Fraternity need feel no anxiety for *Xi*, for these young men return with the determination to make her succeed.

It was with sorrow that we read the resignation of our beloved C. P., Bro. D. J. Brimm. He was the kindest friend, the most profound scholar, and the truest worker for *H. K. A.* that the writer has ever known.

Just at this time a cloud of sorrow rests over *Xi*. One of her most beloved members has been called to his everlasting home. Just as he was entering upon the arena of manhood, and was beginning to cast the sweet perfume of a pure and noble life around him, death claimed him for her own. But the name of J. Douglas Pitts shall ever remain graven upon our hearts; for but to know him was to love him.

With much love to the Brothers, and hoping that the Chapters will increase in love for *H. K. A.*

Sept. 18, 1893.

*Edwin Strother.*

## SIGMA.

NASHVILLE, TENN., September 24th, 1839.

*Mr. Robert A. Smyth, Charleston, S. C. :*

DEAR BRO :—At last we have succeeded in placing *Sigma* at Vanderbilt University, and I have no doubt but what it will be one of old Pi Kappa Alpha's leading chapters.

Through the untiring and faithful work of our now esteemed Bro. Jones we secured three other men, who are to share with him the honor of founding this bright and prosperous Chapter, which will bring honor and strength to the whole fraternity.

The members of this Chapter are Brothers Max M. Jones, George W. Williams, Thomas H. Peebles and James M. Bryson.

The prospects of this Chapter are very favorable indeed, and it will be sure to live, for the Brothers will be at the University for three or four years, and in that time will gain considerable strength.

Although Bro. Arbuckle and myself were not very well prepared for this occasion we put things through in great style.

Faithfully, *E. E. Stone.*

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### ALUMNUS BETA.

At the last regular meeting of our Chapter, on May 26th, your correspondent was unavoidably kept away, as on that night he was in a neighboring town, acting as best man for a friend who was taking unto himself a wife:—This evidently had a depressing effect upon me, as I returned home and in a short while was taken down with the worst spell of sickness I ever had. This, coupled with the stringency of funds, has kept me out in the woods all summer, and another attack two weeks ago, has kept me in such a condition, that I have not heard anything from our headquarters at Memphis; about August 25th, however, I wrote to the "W. M. C.," of Beta Alumnus, to know when he wished the next meeting called; I have since written twice to that dignitary, but have as yet failed to hear from him; just here I will explain some of the workings of our Alumnus Chapter.

As the Alumni are all men of business, we have to try and make our arrangements to suit them; we had it understood that we would meet on the last Friday of every other month, until the close of the Colleges. We then decided that we would call the first meeting of our Chapter for the next session, about the time the Colleges were opening their sessions, and had hoped to have called a meeting so as to have some of the active members to meet with us, as they were returning to the different Colleges in the East.

As our members are somewhat scattered, our meetings have to be called; the "Th. C.," sends out Postal Cards, reading thus:—



The next Regular Meeting of Alumnus Beta Chapter of *Π. K. A.* Fraternity, will be held at the Peabody Hotel, in the City of Memphis, at 8 P. M., on the——day of——1893. You are earnestly requested to be present.

We then meet and discuss such matters as are discussed by the Active Chapters, and review the standing of the Fraternity generally.

*Alumnus Beta* is composed of a very live set of men, and any *Π*, whether active or Alumnus, passing through the Memphis District, will do well to call on some of *Alumnus Beta's* men; they will be most cordially received and royally treated while within our doors.

Your correspondent has a particular friend whom he would like to see enrolled among *Zeta's* men, as he leaves for Knoxville this week; I have been watching for men going to Colleges where we have Chapters, and have found two going to Knoxville; I will advise *Zeta's* men of them in a few days.

As we wish to enlarge the scale of usefulness of our Alumnus Chapter, we wish to enlarge our Chapter roll also; so we hereby cordially invite all *Π's* of the South-west to join us; as at present we are the only Alumnus Chapter in this section, we will be glad for all of our members in the States of Tennessee, Alabama, Mississippi, Louisiana, Texas, Arkansas and Kentucky, to enroll their names with our Chapter, and if in later times their own States shall form Alumnus Chapters, we will transfer their membership.

We expect to discuss matters pertaining to the welfare of the Fraternity, and will give our members a chance to write on some subject.

The dues of our Chapter are comparatively nothing, so that need bother no one.

All Alumni wishing to have their names enrolled will please address, Bro. Milton H. Hunt, No. 20 Madison St., Memphis, Tenn. Or, F. D. Smyth, Hickory Withe, Tenn.

Just at present things in this country are in a very bad fix, from a financial standpoint, but hoping that we may be beneficial to the Fraternity in the coming year, we are willing to do all we can for the sake of *Pi Kappa Alpha*.

*Chapter Correspondent.*

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### ALUMNUS GAMMA.

Since yesterday's sun sunk behind the hilltops another Chapter of *Π. K. A.* has come into existence at this place. The White Sulphur (or Gamma) Alumnus Chapter.

To H. B. Arbuckle, our newly elected C. P., is due the honor of gathering the nine *II*'s at this place last night, and the formation of the Chapter. The Charter was issued to T. H. Rice, Jr., of Alexandria, Va., of *Theta* and *Alpha*, Prof. R. L. Telford, of Lewisburg, W. Va., of *Iota*, Prof. H. B. Arbuckle, of Tallahassee, of *Iota*, J. A. Arbuckle, of Lewisburg, of *Iota*, J. T. McAllister, of Warm Springs, Va., of *Iota* and *Alpha*, and Frank Hopkins, of Johns Hopkins University, of *Pi* Chapter. These men were present, and beside these J. Gray McAllister, H. H. Ervin and Julian Arbuckle, active members of *Iota*. The officers elected for the coming year were Rev. R. L. Telford, Lewisburg, W. Va., President; H. W. McLaughlin, of same place, Secretary, and Frank Hopkins, of Johns Hopkins, (summer address Warm Springs, Va.,) Treasurer.

Those alumni *II*'s in reach, and so desiring, are to become full members and qualified to hold office. Those active member of Chapters within reach, and so desiring, to become associate members until they become alumni, and from that time full members. The meetings are to be held here twice each year, at the call of the President. T. H. Rice, Jr., gave us a magnificent talk on "The benefits of Fraternity Fellowship from a *II. K. A.* standpoint." The Lewisburg brothers provided a bountiful spread and then we sang the old college song, and at one o'clock separated.

The meeting was in every sense a delightful treat, and the member of *II. K. A.* who fails to avail himself of the cordial invitation, which is hereby extended, of joining us and our semi-annual reunions, will deny himself of much pleasure and profit.

*Correspondent.*

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### ALUMNUS DELTA.

A charter has been issued to Robert Adger Smyth, Walter Mickle Smith, John Kennedy Crosswell, Daniel Johnson Brimm, Daniel Asa Blackburn and John Pulaski Thomas, to form *Alumnus Delta* Chapter of the fraternity, with headquarters at Charleston, S. C. The organization of this Chapter will take place in a few days, at a season convenient to its members.



**ACCEPTANCE OF OUR C. P., AND INSTRUCTIONS FOR FALL WORK.**

*To the members of the H. K. A. Fraternity and the Grand Council:*

MY DEAR BROTHERS,—The honor conferred upon me shall be ever dear to me, for it came from those with whom I am bound in brotherly union by the ties of *Φ. Φ. K. A.*, and surely no honor calls forth appreciation like that which is bestowed by those one loves. From you, my brothers, I accept the office and confess to you that my heart has been touched by this manifestation of *H* confidence and love.

Right reluctantly did I allow my name to be put in nomination, for, conscious of my inability to fulfil the duties of the office, I feared its responsibilities, and, were it not that I rely upon your faithfulness to duty and expect from you thorough co-operation in our great work, it would be with many misgivings that I would enter upon the duties of my office.

Most fully do I appreciate the responsibilities that I now assume for *H. K. A.* as her *C. P.* Let me say to you that I shall strive no *trust to betray*, no *duty to leave undone*, no *responsibility to shift*. I trust to you for sympathy, counsel and co-operation.

It is my first purpose to emulate the noble example of him under whose administration *H. K. A.* took her lease for new life; who wisely and well, amid the storms and the strife, guided and guarded the Fraternity we love, and added new stars to her banner, while he kept her escutcheon all stainless and pure. With marked ability amid circumstances peculiarly pressing, he counseled and cared for the Fraternity, until he had won for her no mean place among our Southern sisters, and then he left her to other hands and hearts, and withholds not now his counsel and care. To him be all honor given; to him I pay, in accepting the office vacated by him, this tribute of praise. My duty I shall consider done, if I do half so well as he, and in leaving receive from him his welcome plaudit, "Brother, well done."

We are all earnestly striving to further the interests of the Fraternity and the Grand Council, especially, is anxious to direct its efforts along the quickest, surest lines to success. No doubt every member of our Fraternity would rejoice to see the winged goddess of victory perched upon our banner, but to each one I would say, "Brother, what are you *individually* doing to advance the interests of *H. K. A.*?" Methinks I can hear a hundred *candid H.* whisper back, "nothing!" nothing!"

Yes, many a true *H.* must give this answer, but why? I don't know. Such *H.*'s must expect Smyth, McAllister, and a few members of the Council to play the parts, while they take back seats to applaud. No one considers it his individual duty to establish a Chapter, or write a letter for the Fraternity.

All such duties rests on the officers. How often, oh, how often, in the days that have gone by, have we lifted our hearts and voices in the earnest, anxious cry, "*H. K. A. expects every man to do his duty!*" They heed not the call to duty, which made Nelson's soldiers win their Waterloo. *H. K. A.* has her Waterloo as truly as old England. Her men, too, must do their duty in this fall campaign. We have called on them severally, and many have failed to respond. What do we lack? I say method, co-operation, effort united upon one object. As *C. P.*, I call upon you all once more, to bend every effort to the work we have before us. The Colleges are now open, new men are flocking in.

Let every *H.* see that no opportunity passes, that can be turned to our advantage.

If you have a brother, a relative, or friend, going to some college, where we have no Chapter, secure his services in our behalf, if you can trust him with our colors. Send me his name and address and all information about the college. I shall appoint some Councilman to help you establish the Chapter, and in each case I shall organize our workers, and see that two or more are working along the same line. We want Chapters in the following institutions this fall: University of N. C., Chapel Hill, N. C.; University of Ga., Athens, Ga.; University of Ala., Tuscaloosa, Ala.; University of Miss., Oxford, Miss.; University of the South, Sewanee, Tenn.; Trinity College, N. C.

These are fine institutions and only one has over seven Chapters. Now, Brothers, what can you do? Watch every chance.

We have plans before us for University of N. C., and University of Miss., but there are several yet which need your attention.

It is just the time to strike. We are young, full of life and strong, so we must "wake up things" this fall. *To establish new Chapters* is the first duty I would impose upon you, especially the members of the Grand Council.

Our work has begun. A new Alumnus Chapter was formed at the White Sulphur Springs, W. Va., on August 25th. What is the matter with South Carolina *H. K. A.*'s southern stronghold? Where is her Alumnus Chapter?



We have now ten *active* Chapters and three Alumnus Chapters.\* Think of our past and cheer up. We are sure to win.

We need six more good Chapters immediately, and hence I say that our first duty is to *establish new Chapters*. Why? They are a necessity if we would live and rank with our sister Fraternities.

I shall tell you now my opinions about the success of our Fraternity, for I wish you to know, what I, as *C. P.*, consider it my duty to accomplish.

Our Fraternity *must have* a firmly established and well supported journal or publication, which shall be its official organ and its common means of communication.

Thus, and only thus can the Chapters be bound together, and feel that they are the part of a whole, an organized body, but I won't argue for the truth of the assertion; it is too plain. I simply point you to facts. Three years ago, with three Chapters, which knew little of each other, our *Journal* was started.

To-day every *H.* who cares to know, knows the personnel of every Chapter, the incidents of its history, the acts of Convention, and general Fraternity news; and now we have thirteen Chapters, including Alumnus Chapters, and feel that we are members of an organized Fraternity. Let all honor and praise be given to him who has worked up our SHIELD AND DIAMOND. To it we owe our life, to it we owe the pride, with which we can name our dear Fraternity an honored one among her Grecian sisters.

Yes, the SHIELD AND DIAMOND is our staff of life. Brothers, think, can you give it up? No! you won't give it up.

Again, I say, that more Chapters are necessary, if we would maintain our SHIELD AND DIAMOND. How have we kept it up thus far? By Smyth's oft written "*remit at once*," sent with entreaty on entreaty to Alumni, who could not fail to respond when all seemed lost.

I contend that the SHIELD AND DIAMOND cannot be supported until we have Chapters enough to pay three-fourths of the required amount. As it is, the Alumni pay over half the expenses, probably, two-thirds.

I say one-fourth of the expenses is all we can expect from our Alumni, and the sooner we realize it the better. I have not time in this letter to prove it. I may later. Let me say, however, that the Fraternity is intended pre-eminently for college boys. It appeals in a strong degree to their young natures, and finds a place in their large hearts, that business cares and home's new duties fill in hearts of older men. It is

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\* Since the above was written we have added one Active and one Alumnus Chapter to the order.—EDITOR.

*the college boy* that will read his SHIELD AND DIAMOND before the daily paper; who will open his purse for his Fraternity, when money seems most scarce.

Yes, college boys will support our SHIELD AND DIAMOND. You say, "they haven't done it."

I bid you count your men and take the proportion. You forget that our Alumni outnumber our active men, even to four times their number. Some Alumni will always be boys in love with their Fraternity. They are exceptions. You may say it ought not to be, but it is a *fact*, and with facts we are now dealing. It is a *fact* that we have hardly enough money to run the magazine, after all of Smyth's endeavors. It is a *fact* that our Alumni pay more than three-fourths of our expenses.

Canfield's plan alone, should secure \$250 from the Alumni for three years. The Chapters extant should pledge the same amount, which is the plan suggested by Brother Canfield.

By above plan and pledges, our journal can be assured for three years to come.

Now, Brothers, the duty comes to *each of us* individually, to prepare for *H. K. A.'s* sure future success. Did you know that six new Chapters will, in all probability, insure us that success?

For that reason, Brothers, I bid you be faithful, and in all sincerity say, that your first duty is to *establish new Chapters*.

Asking for your sympathy and co-operation in all that I do, I am most faithfully yours, in the bonds,

H. B. Arbuckle, C. P.

September 20th, 1893.

### THE PI.'S

During the absence of the pastor, Rev. T. H. Rice. *Theta*, who is away in the mountains of Virginia for a much needed rest, the pulpit of the Second Presbyterian Church, Alexandria, Va., it being very acceptably filled by Mr. R. C. Gilmore, *Iota*, of Union Seminary. Mr. Gilmore will remain until September 1st.

—Rev- Joseph Rennie, *Iota*, returned to his work in Louisville the 1st of August. During July he supplied the pulpit of Dr. Hoge, in Richmond, Va., and after a short stay in the mountains of Virginia, he has returned to his charge. He begins his work for the fall, recuperated and refreshed by the change. At a regular quarterly communion service, on



August 13th, there were twelve received into the church. The church is growing in membership, and the congregation is steadily increasing.

—The Second Church, Alexandria, Va., has just completed a most successful year. About one year ago Rev. Theron H. Rice, Jr., just from the Seminary, was ordained and installed pastor of this church, and in this short time has, by his earnest, eloquent and faithful preaching of the Word, greatly strengthened God's people and aroused the impenitent. Truly he is a young man of rare intellectual and spiritual gifts.

There have been thirty-three added to the Church, making a membership of 361 at present. Congregations are large, at night service often filling the auditorium, and at prayer meetings crowding the lecture room. There are forty Sunday school teachers, 416 scholars and a mission school near the river, doing excellent work.

The sum of \$1,595 was contributed to Foreign Missions, including the support of the church's own missionary, Rev. S. R. Gammon, Lavras, Brazil, and \$282 to evangelistic work. Total amount contributed to benevolent objects (outside of church support) \$7,069.

The recent May collection for Foreign Missions was \$428 and the June offering for Lavras workers was \$393.

[*St. Louis Presbyterian.*]

—We clip the following from a newspaper: The new pastor of Westminster Church, the Rev. D. A. Blackburn, *Theta*, is meeting with much encouragement in his work. He goes away for a few weeks rest soon, and his place is to be supplied by several ministers. Bro. Blackburn spent his vacation at the World's Fair.

—The following is an extract from a letter of Rev. Bro. Jos. R. Rennie, *Iota*, in one of the Presbyterian papers:

On the invitation of Mr. Frank E. Robbins, who is supplying the Amelia church, we exchanged pulpits on last Sunday, August 13. He preached for me at Genito, and very acceptably to my people. I preached for him at Amelia C. H., and was cordially received by the brethren and greeted on Sabbath morning by a large congregation. It was a lovely day and the church was filled with worshippers. The occasion was a Sacramental one. There was one, the head of a family, received into the communion of the church on profession of faith, and he and his children baptized. His wife will unite soon by letter. To me it was a delightful service and I felt that it was good to be there. Mr. Robbins has won the esteem and confidence of the church and is doing a good work there. The congregations have been large and there have been many demonstrations of the successful work accomplished

by this faithful young man. The church is now considering the question of calling a pastor, and they hope very soon to secure an active, efficient and consecrated man to carry forward the work which is now so hopeful.

—Bro. James D. Wallace of *Xi*, preached in Knoxville, Tenn. all summer and gave great satisfaction to his congregation. Bro. Wallace gives promise of a brilliant future. He took his B. S. at Sweetwater Military College, Tenn. and his A. M. at the South-western Presbyterian University. He will graduate at the South Carolina Seminary, Columbia, this session.

—On the 25th of June, by order of Roanoke Presbytery, Rev. Dr. T. C. Johnson and Rev. D. P. Rogers installed Rev. E. M. Craig, *Iota*, pastor of Concord Church, and on the evening of the same day pastor of Pamplin City Church.

—We clip the following from the Hinesville, Ga. weekly paper: Bro. Sessions is an initiate of *Nu* chapter. We wish him well in his new field of labor.

Mr. F. W. Sessions, of Marion, S. C., arrived in town last Saturday, August 19th, and opened the Bradwell Institute on Monday. He comes with the best recommendations as a teacher and as a young man of strong character and zeal. He has already made quite a favorable impression on the community, and has quite a nice school.

—The following is clipped from the account of the Democratic meeting held in Richmond, Va., to nominate a Governor for the State. Hon. B. B. Munford is a member of *Gamma* Chapter, and is a rising lawyer of Richmond:

#### CALLED TO ORDER.

At 12.15 o'clock Hon. Taylor Ellyson, chairman of the State Committee, rapped the convention to order, and feelingly alluded to the absence of Chairman Basil B. Gordon on account of sickness. He announced temporary officers as follows: Temporary Chairman, B. B. Munford, Richmond; Secretary, W. H. Mann, Petersburg; Sergeant-at-Arms, Thomas Kiveleyan, Staunton. He then introduced Mr. Munford, who made a brief speech, which was frequently applauded.

Hon. Beverly B. Munford, the temporary Chairman of the Convention, in calling that body to order, blazed the way for anti-silver platform. He declared that this is not a canvass in which federal issues are involved. The present financial laws were enacted, the Chairman said, by Republicans. The Sherman law was passed by that party, and every Democrat in Congress who voted, voted against it. Mr. Munford made a strong speech against the Sherman law, declaring it was a great injury to the business of the country. The speaker believed, he said, that this canvass was one in which federal issues are not involved. Mr.



Munford then reviewed the excellent record of Governor McKinney's administration, pointing to the fact that more money had been spent for public schools this year than during any year since the war. He called attention to what has been done by this State administration for Confederate pensioners and the eleemosynary institutions of Virginia. The whole of Mr. Munford's remarks were intended to pave the way for a platform devoted largely to the consideration of State affairs. The convention seemed to understand his drift. His reference to O'Ferrall evoked the first good hearty applause of the day. The mention by Mr. Munford of Cleveland's name was received with enthusiasm; but as the convention had started out with the view to confine itself largely to State matters, the President of the nation was not as vigorously cheered as the valley gubernatorial candidate. This was in keeping with the drift of things.

Committees on credentials, permanent organizations and resolutions were then called by districts, a resolution to that effect having been adopted. The recommendations of the district delegates for the respective committees were all adopted, after which the convention, at 1 o'clock, took a recess until 4 o'clock, in order to give the committees time to confer and report.

—The following is from the *Richmond Dispatch*, and gives the account of the formation of Alumnus Gamma:

WHITE SULPHUR ALUMNUS CHAPTER.—(SPECIAL.)

WHITE SULPHUR SPRINGS, W. VA., August 26.—The White Sulphur Alumnus Chapter of the Pi Kappa Alpha Fraternity was formed last (Friday) evening at this place. Among those forming the Chapter were: Rev. Theron H. Rice, Jr., of Alexandria, Va.; J. T. McAllister, of Warm Springs, Va.; Rev. R. L. Telford, principal of the Lewisburg Female Institute; Prof. H. B. Arbuckle, of Tallahassee, Fla.; H. H. Ervin and J. Gray McAllister, of Hampden Sidney College; Frank Hopkins, of Johns Hopkins University; H. W. McLaughlin, of Lewisburg, and J. C. Dillon, of Lexington, Va.

This Greek letter fraternity has strong Chapters in Virginia, at the University of Virginia, Hampden Sidney College and Washington-Lee University, and is represented at nearly all the prominent Southern colleges. It has a large Alumnus Chapter in Richmond.

—On July 23rd Rev. Bro. D. J. Brimm preached in the First Presbyterian Church, of Charleston, for Dr. Thompson, who was away on his summer vacation. The following is from *The News and Courier*:

THE SOVEREIGNTY OF GOD.—THE REV. D. J. BRIMM AT THE SCOTCH CHURCH YESTERDAY.

The Rev. D. J. Brimm, of the Columbia Theological Seminary, occupied Dr. Thompson's pulpit at the First Presbyterian Church yesterday morning. He delivered an interesting and thoughtful discourse, "The Sovereignty of God." His text was taken from Psalms. 9th chapter, 1st verse: "The Lord reigneth! Let the people tremble."

He began his sermon by giving a brief review of the authorship of the Psalms, and especially those embodying praise to God. The preacher then divided his subject into three heads—the character of the Sovereign, the characteristics of His government, and reflections upon it.

First. Jehovah reigns. He possesses the attributes of omnipotence,

omniscience and omnipresence. He is the God of providence, the God of justice and the God of love. His dominion is absolute, and an absolute form of government, with a perfect being as its head, is the most perfect government in the world. The existence of evil in the world is a fact that often puzzles theologians, but all we know is that God has willed it for some good and wise purpose. His dominion is universal, else if, as some say, there were an infinite power, one infinite would exclude the other. His dominion is intelligent, righteous and benevolent.

There is no such thing as chance or fate in the world, the whole Agnostic school to the contrary notwithstanding. While there are some general rules by which all things generally move, but God can change the laws. There should be awakened within us a sense of the beauty and majesty of His service. A realization of these truths should cause us to be deeply grateful, and when we think what God has done for us it should make us strive to obey Him.

Reflection on this theme should awaken terror in the hearts of the people. Ours may seem to be a blessed nation, but it does not recognize God as it should. While we put "In God we trust" on our money, it is very vague and ill defined. The United States mail carries letters on Sunday as well as on the week days, and the World's Fair has been on the Sabbath. But the directors will be punished, no doubt, and perhaps He has already punished them. The Lord reigneth, and we as Christians should rejoice that those who oppose Him may well tremble.

—A few days ago we closed a very interesting, and, in many respects, profitable meeting in the Greenville church. Preparatory services were held for a week, conducted by the pastor, Rev. M. B. Porter, and the resident ministers. Rev. Joseph Rennie, *Iota*, of Louisville, was with us for a week, and made a fine impression by his earnest and eloquent presentation of gospel truth. Mr. Rennie was compelled to leave at the end of the week. Rev. L. O. Spencer, of Princeton, came and remained until the close of the meeting. He has a simple, plain and pointed way of presenting the gospel that always tells. There were seven additions to the Presbyterian Church, with others who will join soon. All things considered, it was one of the best meetings ever held in Greenville, within the present pastorate.—*St. Louis Presbyterian, July 21st.*

—The Church at Jackson was injured some, recently, by a storm, and while this was being repaired, the deacons decided to have some work done on the inside. The work was completed last week, and the congregation worshipped in their own house after three weeks' absence. About \$500 was spent on improvements. Sunday, July 2, was the third communion, and the pastor, Rev. W. M. Anderson, *Theta*, received nine members, and announced five others, making fourteen received since the last communion.—*St. Louis Presbyterian, July 21st.*



—Brookhaven was favored on the 6th with a flying visit from Dr. Summey, *Beta*, of Clarksville, the young and popular Chancellor of the Southwestern Presbyterian University. Dr. Summey is traveling in the interest of the University, and meeting with deserved success.—*St. Louis Presbyterian*.

—The Editor has received the following invitation: "Mrs. Mary A. Doak request the honor of your presence at the marriage of her daughter, Minnie, to Mr. James L. Storey, (*Theta*), Tuesday afternoon, August 15th, 1893, at 1 o'clock, Methodist Episcopal Church, Cuba, Missouri." The SHIELD AND DIAMOND offers its congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. Storey, and wishes them a long life of happiness.

—Hon. B. B. Munford, *Gamma*, of Richmond, responded to the toast of "Woman," at the Virginia State Bar Association, at the White Sulphur Springs meeting, August 3rd, in a very fine speech. He has recently made a happy hit by his splendid address before the State Democratic Gubernatorial Convention in Richmond, Va., August 16th. His was pronounced the speech of the occasion.

—Among other *II's* in attendance at this meeting of the Virginia Bar Association, we note Randolph Harrison, *Epsilon*, of Lynchburg. J. T. McAllister, *Iota*, of Warm Springs, and Robert M. Hughes, *Gamma*, of Norfolk.

—Rev. Bro. Theron H. Rice, Jr., *Theta*, *Alpha* and *Iota*, of Alexandria, Va., and Past C. P. of our Order, spent ten days of August at the home of Bro. J. T. McAllister, at Warm Springs, Va. Both McAllister and Rice attended the meeting of the White Sulphur Springs Alumni Chapter. While at Warm Springs Bro. Rice preached two magnificent sermons.

—Bro. Holmes Rolston, *Iota*, at present a student in Union Theological Seminary at Hampden-Sidney, assisted the pastor of Warm Springs Presbyterian Church during the summer, preaching most acceptably to the people at that field, and gaining many friends.

—Bro. H. H. Erwin, *Iota*, spent most of his vacation with his mother, at Warm Springs, but went to West Virginia for the latter part of it.

—Bro. H. B. Arbuckle, C. P., in company with Bro. H. W. McLaughlin, *Iota*, took in the World's Fair together, and had a most enjoyable time.

—Bro. J. Graham Maloy, *Alpha*, after three months' work in the Architect's office at Jackson Park, Chicago, went to St. Louis, Mo., to accept a good position in a large foundry there. Maloy says he knows Chicago's "side show," called "The Fair," from start to finish, and knowing, as we do, the spirit of investigation which he applies to everything, but a University course, we believe the statement.

—Rev. Bro. Jno. M. Wells, *Theta and Iota*, is now filling a temporary call at Buena Vista, Va., reserving his acceptance of a full pastorate until September.

—We congratulate Bro. R. L. Telford, *Iota*, on the appearance of another "heir" to fill the place of the little one whose early death made a deep sorrow in his family.

—The Editor enjoyed a days vacation in the mountains of North Carolina, where he had the pleasure of meeting up with Bro. Will N. Briscoe of *Pi* Chapter, who proved to be a most excellent fellow and a good *II*. On his way down he spent a day and night with Bro. Robert O. Purdy, *Epsilon*, at Sumter, S. C., and enjoyed the royal hospitality of this kind Brother. He reached Charleston the night before the fearful cyclone, and his experience in that will never be forgotten.

—We clip the following from the *Montreal Daily Herald* of August 31st. Bro. Blackburn has been on quite an extended tour and while travelling has secured some titles and degrees.

Dr. D. A. Blackburn, of Westminster Presbyterian Church, Charleston, S. C., was in the city yesterday, and left to-day for a trip down the St. Lawrence.

—Bro. J. P. Thomas, *Lambda*, who graduated from the S. C. Military Academy this year, is with the Cameron & Barkley Co., dealers in machinery, &c, of Charleston, S. C.

—Bro. H. B. Nelson, of old *Zeta*, graduated last year at West Point, with first honor in a large class. He is now in active work in the army. New *Zeta* seems to be standing up to the high record set for her by the old Chapter, for her men captured the two highest prizes to be had at the University of Tennessee, viz ; The appointment to West Point, obtained by Bro. C. T. Kesterson. The appointment to Annapolis, which Bro. W. A. Long secured. We are sorry that *Zeta* will lose these two active workers this year, but wish them great success in their new fields.



## STORY-DOAK.

Mr. Jas. L. Storey, (*Theta*,) and bride returned Wednesday from an extended wedding tour to the World's Fair and other points North.

On the 15th inst. Mr. Storey was married to Miss Minnie Doak, of Cuba, Mo., one of the most popular ladies of that State. No doubt but that he has won a prize, but such he deserves. Jim Storey is one of this county's sons, to whom she can point with pride. He has done well. At the age of only twenty-six, an age when many great men were still in the laps of their Alma Maters, he was elected attorney of this, the Twenty-second Judicial District, which position he holds with honor to himself and satisfaction to his constituency. May the footsteps of our worthy attorney ever trace the paths of fame, and may happiness crown their brows with wreaths of her rarest flowers.

Below we give clippings from two other papers.—*The Lockhart Phonograph*.

The wedding on Tuesday last at Cuba, Mo., of Miss Minnie Doak, daughter of the late J. S. Doak, at the residence of her sister, Mrs. J. M. Wallace, to Mr. Jas. L. Storey, son of Ex-Lieutenant Governor Storey, of Texas, was an event of interest to the society of Eastern Missouri, as the bride is widely known and respected throughout that vicinity, and to Lockhart, Texas, the home of the groom, and the Twenty-second Judicial District of Texas, for which Mr. Storey is district attorney. The marriage ceremony was performed at the Methodist Episcopal Church by Rev. Sappenfield, assisted by the Rev. Adams, and Miss Effie Parks as organist. At the reception following many friends from a distance were present, amongst whom were Mr. A. A. Storey, of Lockhart, and Mr. John S. Doak, of Yoakum, Texas; Mrs. W. C. DeVol, Mrs. B. F. Russell, Dr. and Mrs. J. T. Coffee, and Miss Jessie M. Doak, of Steelville, Mo., and Miss Fannie Withall and others from St. Louis.

The bridal party left for the World's Fair and a tour of some of the Northern resorts. Their future home will be at Lockhart, Texas.—*Galveston News*.

Married at the M. E. Church, in Cuba, Mo., Tuesday, August 15, 1893, by Presiding Elder L. C. Sappenfield, Mr. James L. Storey, of Lockhart, Texas, and Miss Minnie Doak, of Cuba, Mo. The church was beautifully decorated for the occasion and the ceremony was performed precisely at 1 o'clock, in the presence of a large and fashionable audience of friends from various parts of the State. To the strains of the wedding march, played by Miss Effie Parks, the groom and brother, Mr. A. A. Storey, advanced up the right aisle, while up the left came the lovely bride on the arm of her brother, John S. Doak, meeting at the altar, the solemn service of the Methodist Church was said and the happy pair were united for life. Messrs. Lee Doak and Ted Hollow were ushers. Immediately after the ceremony the wedding party proceeded to the residence of Mr. J. M. Wallace, and thence to the train on a wedding tour to Chicago and the East. The bride wore a lovely

dress of cream-white, embossed silk, entrain, trimmed with real lace and pearl passementerie. Her veil was caught in front with a diamond star and crescent. She was surpassingly lovely.

The groom is a prominent lawyer of Texas, being District Attorney of the 22nd Judicial Circuit of the Lone Star State.

The bride is known far and wide as not only one of the loveliest girls of this State, but is a most accomplished musician, and a thoroughly sweet-tempered, graceful and charming girl. Whatever the virtues of the groom may be, has secured an inestimable treasure, in the possession of which he is to be thoroughly congratulated. The Mirror joins a host in warm wishes and congratulations.

The bride was the recipient of many elegant and costly presents, including diamond and pearl broach, silverware, Royal Worcester and many other choice wares.

The bride's travelling dress was of hunter's green, storm serge, trimmed with gilt braid; gloves and hat to match.

Their trip to the East will be extended several weeks.—*Grawford (Mo.) Mirror*.

—Bro. E. R. Long, *Theta*, was sent as a delegate to the International Sunday School Convention which met in St Louis, Mo., this month, from his Sunday School in Batesville, Ark.

—Bro. James F. Harrison, *Alpha*, is Assistant Instructor in the Chemical Laboratory of the Medical College of Alabama, Mobile, Ala. Bro. Harrison has been connected with the college in the capacity of a professor since 1873. The college had 150 matriculates for the session 1892-93 and is quite a large college.

—We have received the Catalogue of Arkansas College, Batesville, Ark., of which Bro. E. R. Long, *Theta*, is President. The attendance on this college for 1892-93 was very large and the prospect for the coming year shows that it will be still larger. The buildings are very handsome and contain ample room for all students. Prof. Long is Professor of Ancient Languages and Political Science.

—Rev. Bro. D. A. Blackburn, *Theta*, returned to Charleston, Saturday, August 9th, after an extensive trip off. He has come back to his work with renewed health and zeal.

—Bro. W. D. Adams, Jr. *Pi*, has accepted the position of Assistant Cashier of the Bank of Warsaw, Warsaw, Mo., and will not return to College this year. *Pi* Chapter will lose a hard worker, and one who had the Fraternity's best interest at heart.

—Bro. J. W. Basore, *Iota* has been elected Principal of the Lewisburg University School, Lewisburg, West Virginia, and has accepted the position.



—Bro. R. R. Jones, *Iota*, has accepted the position of Principal of the High School in Spring Garden, Va., and was also offered the Chair of Mathematics of the Daniel Baker College of Texas.

—On last Monday, a Tennessean, Rev. George Summey, D. D., (*Beta*), delivered a most scholarly address before the Mount Eagle Assembly, on the subject, "The Indebtedness of Letters to Religion, or Mount Sinai and the Alphabet."—*Memphis Daily Commercial*, August 6th.

—Bro. E. E. Stone, *Zeta*, is now in attendance at the University of Tennessee, Medical College, Nashville, Tenn.

—Brothers Ijams, Sledge and Borches, of *Zeta*, have all taken in the wonders of the World's Fair during the summer.

—The editor has received the following invitations :

"Rev. Dr. and Mrs. James S. Cozby request your presence at the marriage of their daughter Wilhelmina Law, to Rev. Samuel Craig Byrd, (*Xi*) Tuesday evening, October 3rd, 1893, Newberry, South Carolina."

"Mr. and Mrs. M. C. Northington, invite you to be present at the marriage of their daughter Corinne, to Mr. F. Norman Smith, (*Theta*) Tuesday evening, October 10th, 1893, Clarks-ville, Tenn.

The SHIELD AND DIAMOND extends heartiest congratulations and good wishes to these young couples.

**EDITORIAL.**

Summer has gone and with it the holiday we have been enjoying so much. The colleges have opened their doors again for another session, the business houses have commenced their fall work, and where a short while ago all was quietness and rest now all is bustling with activity.

The college men have returned to their studies with renewed strength and with fresh hopes of obtaining the coveted prizes and honors to be won at their colleges. The business men after a short respite from the care and worry of their calling, have renewed their battle after the almighty dollar. Our active men have come back to the Chapters with joy in their hearts at the thought of the reunion with the dear fellows around the Chapter altar. Many will be the accounts related of the summer's frolics and pastimes, of the girls we've met, the places we've visited. Those who were fortunate enough to reach the World's Fair will gladly describe to their less fortunate brethren the wonders to be seen there.

But aside from all this gaiety and gladsome talk there comes over us a feeling of sadness as we miss the familiar faces and happy voices of those, who left their Chapter and their college last year to begin the battle of life, and who had been so closely associated with us. Two of our Chapters were visited by death's hand just before the session closed and two noble young lives at the beginning of a promising manhood were cut short. Two places are vacant around the Chapter fireside which will always be held sacred to the memory of the noble fellows who filled them.

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We trust that in this pleasant reunion of the *II*'s, who have returned for another session's work, some serious thoughts will be given to the needs of the Fraternity which are now staring us in the face, and some plans will be discussed for the formation of new Chapters.

We endeavored in our last issue to point out to you Active men before you separated for the summer, the great importance of being on the watch to establish new Chapters and of having a



systematic plan for the work, so that all efforts would run smoothly in the same direction. Of trying to see the men at your home who expected to go to college this year; and endeavoring to do something through them for a new Chapter.

Of talking to the college men you met while on your holiday jaunts and seeing what aid you might secure from them.

Did any of you attempt to carry out our plans? Few, we fear, have thought of *H. K. A.* until a short while before returning to college. Yet had you but been on the lookout many chances have no doubt been open to you whereby you could have placed a new Chapter for *H. K. A.* Like the man in the picture, seen by Bunyan's pilgrim, you have been raking in the ashes for your own pleasure and not heeding the golden chances within your reach to do something for *H. K. A.*, and thus for yourself. Yes, for *yourself*, for each new Chapter established will lessen the pecuniary obligations of the others, and thus your own taxes will be reduced and the load made lighter for each one of us to carry. As the Chapter list increases the strain on the others decreases. Then why do we not do something in this matter?

Many of the men have written us that they were hoping to establish a new Chapter this summer. Yes, that is just the trouble, we sit down and fold our hands and hope for new Chapters, and picture to ourselves what a grand thing it would be if *H. K. A.*'s Chapter roll was doubled or trebled. If we do go to work on the Chapter, we go at it in a half-hearted way, which makes defeat a certainty. If we are not successful with the first man we approach on the subject, we are thoroughly discouraged and give up the attempt. What we ought to do is to determine we shall succeed, and strike that word "fail" out of our dictionary, and then roll up our sleeves and go to work with a will, and with a cheerful expression on our face, and we *will* succeed to an extent beyond our expectations.

Another great trouble with our workers is that they do not go sufficiently far with their work. After getting a man's consent to place a Chapter, they let the matter rest, and do not pledge him according to the Constitution, nor aid him

in getting a few more men associated with him. This was eminently proven true last spring, when we had every chance and prospect of establishing a Chapter in one of the strongest colleges in Tennessee, and lost it because the work was not carried on a little further. The workers got the consent of three men to establish a Chapter, and neglected to pledge them or give them any further assistance, so the matter ended just there.

Now what we want is more system in our work of pledging men for new Chapters. Each Chapter should at once write to the C. P., and secure a copy of the pledge to be used and also his plan for the completing of the work. These should be kept on file in the Chapter room, so the men could obtain a copy at any time. Let us, then, Active men, secure these at once.

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We have devoted all of our space this issue to the subject "The establishment of new Chapters," for we believe it to be the most important matter for us to consider, and to consider at once. It is the only way to settle the financial questions and place our Order on a firm foundation.

To our Active men must we look for the most work in the extension of our borders, and to them, therefore, these words are more especially directed. With the cares of life pressing upon them and their families to support, our Alumni cannot be expected to do much for us in this line. They would gladly aid us, but time will not allow them to visit the men or place the Chapters. They pay more than one-half of our running expenses, and we must look to our Active men to show their appreciation of this by earnest united efforts to establish new Chapters, and thus lessen the heavy financial burden resting upon them. The Alumni provide the means, the Active members must do the work.

We cannot expect the Fraternity to be self-supporting until we have more Chapters to aid our finances. We cannot go on this way much longer, for our Alumni now have too heavy a share of the burden, and it is unreasonable to expect them always to carry the heaviest part of the load. As a last resort



we are trying to carry out the plan suggested by Bro. Caufield, of securing as many of the Alumni as possible to pledge \$10 each for the next three years to be used to support the SHIELD AND DIAMOND. This is done in order to make our magazine a certainty for the next three years, and give the Active men a chance to devote their energies toward the upbuilding of our bulwarks. If by the end of this time you Active men have not more than doubled our Chapter roll, we will not be able to again secure this aid from our over-taxed Alumni, and we shall surely disband.

It therefore behooves us to get to work at once, and with determination and well directed efforts as a harmonious whole, and establish new Chapters. To this end, therefore, let us make some suggestions and offer some plans for this great campaign, this forward movement all along the line.

*First*, therefore, let us say a few words as to where we want these Chapters placed.

As they are to be established for the primary purpose of aiding us in the financial support of our Order as well as increasing our strength, we must select the colleges of high standing and where the men will be able to stand their share of the expenses. In other words, in no small and weak college where the Chapter will be a positive drawback rather than a help. It is not advisable to place a Chapter at a college where there are no other fraternities represented, for unless a Chapter comes in contact with others, they will not keep up their interest, and will not work either to secure the best men or to obtain the reputation of being the best Chapter. This we have illustrated in one of our present Chapters. We do not care, nor have we space or time to prepare a list of colleges for you to enter—this Southland of ours abounds in good institutions where it will be an honor and a benefit to obtain a footing. Our C. P., gives, in his letter published in this number, a list of the colleges where immediate entrance can and should be obtained.

*Now*, as to our *material* or what kind of men do we want with whom to establish a Chapter.

Conservatism has always been our motto and watchword, and we trust it always will be. With its hand on the keys of our Chapter doors, no man can enter the bonds who will not be an honor to the Order, and of whom we will ever have cause to be ashamed.

It is even more important, in the establishing of new Chapters, that those who are entrusted with the building up of our fortresses, in these new fields should be men of exceptional merit and worth. For they can hope to obtain a footing in the camping ground where other Greeks have pitched their tents, only by deserving and obtaining the approval and respect of their competitors.

Our Chapter men must be men whom other Fraternities would be glad to obtain, whose influence with the body of students is strong and acknowledged by all; whose social standing is of the highest and most unquestionable rank. Then indeed can we confidently expect, when the next session opens, that our Fraternity will attract a large share of the new men entering the College and obtain the best material.

*Again.* The charter members, or the majority of them, should be members of the Freshman Class in the College, so that we will be assured of our Chapter's existence for four years. In other words, so that our Chapters will not die out in the first year of their life, but have a strong guard to come back the second year and secure the new material.

Many men who are now bitter anti-fraternity men, because of their dislike of the methods used by the Chapters they see, will gladly join in a plan to establish a new Chapter, whose workings they can mould to suit their ideal of what a Chapter should be. We had the honor of working up and placing our *Nu* Chapter and its charter members, ten as fine men as could anywhere be found, were all bitter anti-fraternity men, and had all, without a single exception, been sought after in vain by the other Chapters. What was the result? *Nu* was at its birth an acknowledged power in the college world, and has ever held high her head as one of the strongest of the many Chapters at Wofford, and one of the most active of *H. K. A.*'s strongholds.



We do not mean by this to say, that anti-fraternity men should be the only ones sought after, but only to show you that because there are a good many Chapters at any College, that there is necessarily no avenue open for more! You will find in nearly every College a fine set of men, who can easily enter any of the Chapters at their College, but because they do not exactly approve of the workings or social standing of the Chapter members, refuse to join. They will gladly aid you in establishing a new Chapter when they feel they can shape and regulate it to suit their wants and desires.

This brings us to a very important fact, and that is, *do not have too many men pledged by the outside workers* to establish a Chapter.

It has always been our opinion that *two* or *three* men should be approached and pledged by the workers from the *old* Chapters, and then after giving them advice and impressing conservatism upon them, leave them free to pick out four or five more men to associate with themselves in the formation of the Chapter. Then apply for the charter. At *Nu* we chose one man, and he picked out and pledged the rest.

You will find the result obtained far more satisfactory than if you choose all the men at once. An outsider, like yourself, cannot know the standing and merit of a man as well as his fellow students who come in daily contact with him. Leave them to pledge the rest of the new men.

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To the work, then, Active Brothers; to the work. All around you are Colleges inviting your efforts. All of our Chapters are so placed, that with very little effort they can easily reach one or more Colleges near them, and there is there fore, no excuse for them to offer. Some of you may have some relative or friend who attends a College near you. You can do something through him. It is worth the effort anyhow.

North Carolina, Georgia, Mississippi and Louisiana have not yet been entered by us. Let us see if we cannot get one or more Chapters in each State ere the next year comes. We can do it if we but try.

You will find our Alumni ever ready to aid you so far as they can, and if you write to them they may be able to tell you something of the students from their homes. Let us all, both Active and Alumni, who claim the privilege of wearing the *old gold and garnet*, make a grand, united effort for a large increase in our Chapter roll. Let all letters asking for information in this matter receive prompt attention, and let the answers be full and explicit.

By union we will gain strength, and with a hearty pull together, keeping our spirits up, and throwing away the word "fail," we will accomplish wonders, and *H. K. A's* banner, ere many months, shall be thrown to the breeze from thirty strongholds. Onward to victory!

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#### OFFICIAL ORDER, No. 1.

##### *To the Members of the Grand Council—Greeting:*

In view of the fact that the colleges of the South will soon open their doors for a new session, and that many young men will attend the same for the first time, I would impress upon each of you the special duty you owe the Fraternity in regard to extending its borders by the establishing of new Chapters. Investigate the condition of affairs in the college near you, and also be on the lookout for good men from your city who will attend these colleges, and send me full information *at once*, as to the prospects of establishing Chapters, giving the names of those who may be the means of accomplishing our plans. Further directions will then be sent you so that you may know how to act as regards the pledging of your men.

This I ask that we may secure method and organization in our work, and if two members, are working for the same college, their efforts may not clash, but work toward the same end and in unison.

Most faithfully in the bonds,

*H. B. Arbuckle, C. P.*

September 20th, 1893.



**OFFICIAL ORDER No. 2.**

In so much as strict attention has not been given the following Order, (No. 4), of Bro. Brimm, my predecessor, I hereby call your earnest attention to it again, and beg that in the Chapter letters and communications for publication in the SHIELD AND DIAMOND, it be strictly complied with.

Most faithfully in the bonds,

*H. B. Arbuckle, C. P.*

September 20th, 1893,

**OFFICIAL ORDER No. 4.**

*To the several Chapters and Members of P. K. A. Fraternity—Greeting :*

It being apparent that using abbreviations even for the Chapter officers in published communications, contravenes the spirit as well as letter of the Constitution, therefore, it is ordered that henceforth all, except in written communications, in which the secret alphabet can be employed, shall employ the following abbreviations: The chief officer in the Chapter shall have the abbreviation S. M. C. (Superior Magister Capitis). Then in order: I. M. C. (Inferior Magister Capitis), Th C. (Thesaurus Capitis), S. C. (Scriptor Capitis), and M. C. (Mercurius Capitis). *Let this order be strictly observed by all.*

Faithfully in the bonds,  
October 23, '91.

D. J. BRIMM, C. P.

**OFFICIAL ORDER No. 3.**

*To those who hold, or shall hold the office of S. M. C. in the various Chapters of the Fraternity.—Greeting :*

By virtue of my office as C. P., I call upon you to accurately observe, this session, that Section of the Constitution which bids you on retiring from office to send to the C. P. a clear and full account of all matters of importance connected with your Chapter during your term of office. This is very important, and should not be overlooked.

Faithfully yours in the bonds,

*H. B. Arbuckle, C. P.*

September 20th, 1893.

**OFFICIAL ORDER No. 4.**

*To the several Chapters of the H. K. A. Fraternity—Greeting:*

At the opening of this a new year, I enjoin you to order your S. C.'s to arrange the Constitution for their respective Chapters in a new book, making all changes in the same which were ordered by the Knoxville Convention. These changes can be had from the minutes in possession of the Grand Secretary.

Furthermore, it is ordered and enjoined that the S. M. C's, or M. C's. shall see that the initiates are thoroughly instructed in the Constitution and understand all its provisions.

Faithfully in the bonds,

*H. B. Arbuckle, C. P.*

September 20th, 1893.

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**OFFICIAL ORDER No. 5.**

*To the several Chapters of H. K. A.—Greeting:*

I would call to your attention that Section of the Constitution that requires that on the night of initiation the full name and address of each initiate be sent to the Grand Secretary for enrollment in the official register of the Fraternity. And also to the Managing Editor of our magazine, to be published in the list of initiates.

This should not be overlooked. as it is of great importance.

Faithfully yours in the bonds,

*H. B. Arbuckle, C. P.*

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**OFFICIAL ORDER No. 6.**

*To whom it may concern—Greeting:*

On and after the 20th day of September, all letters and communications for me should be addressed to Box 198, Tallahassee, Fla.

Keep this in memory.

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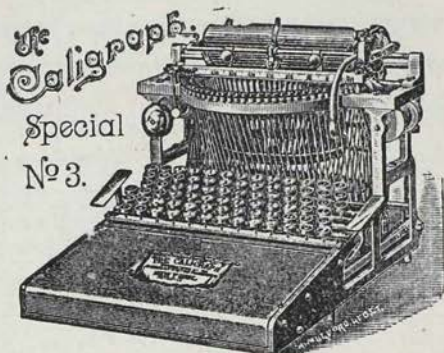
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