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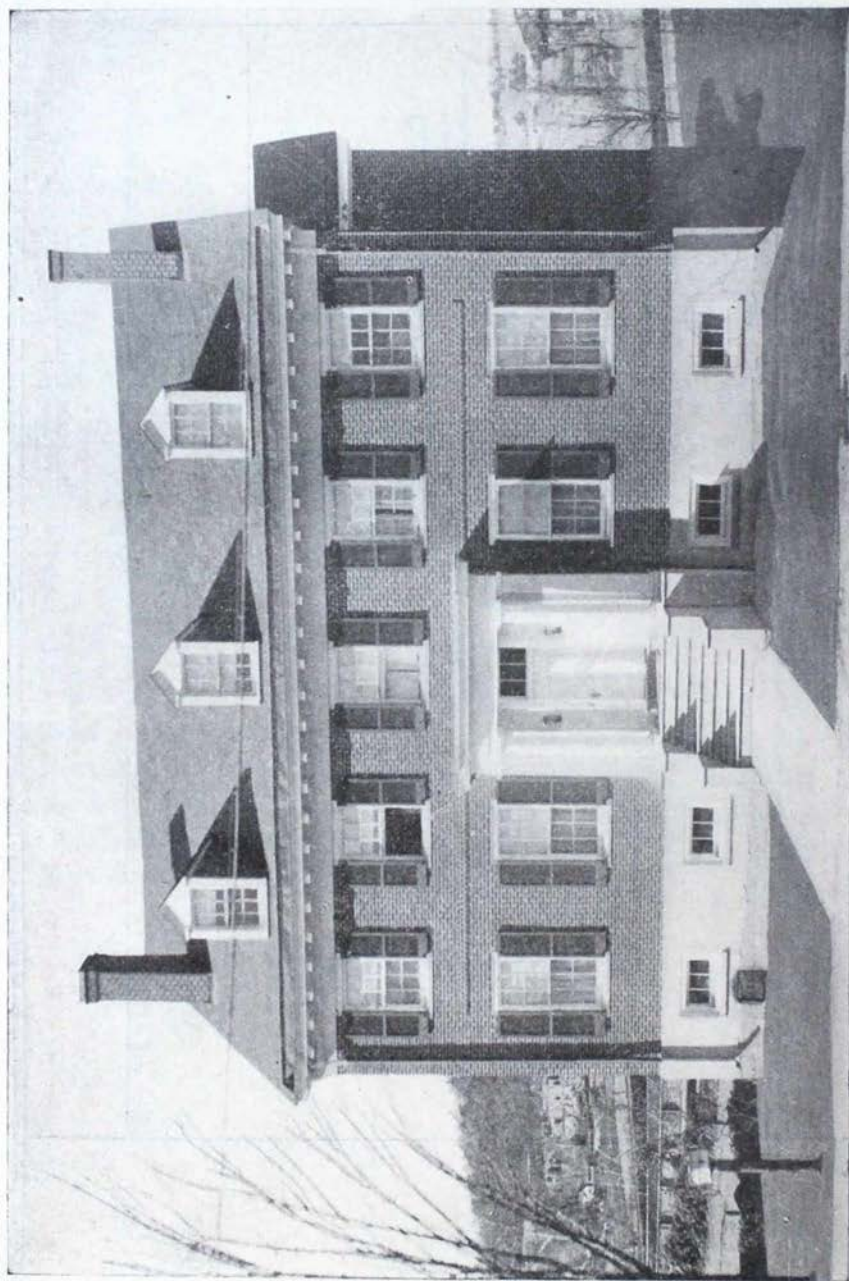
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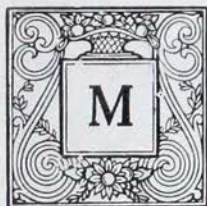
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The Yesterday of Pi Kappa Alpha



ANY requests have been received of late for information concerning the early days and the early growth of our beloved Fraternity. Requests of this nature are always welcomed by the officers for it is felt too little is known of the stirring and tempestuous times of the yesterday of the Fraternity—those days of struggle; of the gallant men who fought against what at that time seemed to be overwhelming odds, to keep alive Pi Kappa Alpha and to whose work, faith, and determination is due the Pi Kappa Alpha of today.

March 1, 1868, is a date dear to the heart of every loyal Pi for on that date the conception of Pi Kappa Alpha breathed for the first time the breath of life in the Greek letter world. That is the date when its existence became a fact. But just as it is necessary, in order to catch the vision of the greater things of life, that one "must be born again," our organization on December 20, 1889, was reborn and blossomed anew with a keener realization of the many opportunities before it. The memorable convention at Hampden-Sidney held December 20-23 in the year of our Lord 1889 witnessed the re-birth of the Pi Kappa Alpha Fraternity.



LITTLETON WALLER TAZEWELL



JAMES BENJAMIN SCIATER
Three of the Founders.



JULIAN EDWARD WOOD

The 50th anniversary number of the SHIELD AND DIAMOND, issued April, 1918, contained several stirring articles by the warriors who have "fought the good fight, finished the course and kept the faith." It is therefore fitting and proper on this, the 33rd anniversary of our re-birth, that excerpts be quoted from these stories, that these facts of yesterday may become better known to the chapters of today.

The following is taken from an article by our Worthy Grand Councilor, Doctor Howard B. Arbuckle, entitled "The Conventions of 1889 and 1917—twenty-eight years of Π K Α's real growth."

The writer was initiated into Iota Chapter of Pi Kappa Alpha on March 18, 1886. There were only three chapters then, Alpha, the Mother Chapter, called by us the Grand Chapter, was located at the historic University of Old Virginia; Theta had its home at that sturdy Presbyterian University, hard by the Cumberland River in middle Tennessee; and Iota was planted in that quaint and ancient college that harked back to the days of Hampden and Sidney just after the Revolution. Other chapters had been founded, but one by one they had fallen under the strain, and were no more. The real life of the fraternity had been placed in the keeping of Theta and Iota in 1889, for Alpha had suffered, too, and was ready to hand in her charter.

In 1889 Theron H. Rice went to the University of Virginia, carrying that undying fire in his heart that Theta never failed to kindle in the hearts of her sons. He saw the hopeless condition of Alpha, and was the first to see that the life of Pi Kappa Alpha was at stake, for was she not the Grand Chapter, in whose hands was the granting of charters, but the sceptre had departed from Alpha. Grand Chapter she had been in very truth. At one time she held the leadership among the Greeks at the University of Virginia. The mention of such names as Frederick Southgate Taylor, James Alston Cabell, Robert Mor-

ton Hughes, Dr. Henry Dickson Bruns, Floyd Hughes, Oscar Underwood, Rev. Robert Kinloch Massie, D. D., and dozens of others whose names would adorn any register, is sufficient to prove that our Mother Chapter was, indeed, a Grand Chapter in more than name. Hers was a real leadership, and Alpha could well handle the reins of government, but her glory abated, and Theron Rice saw that the principle was wrong, and forthwith issued a call for a convention to establish a new form of government.

During this year, 1889, Iota Chapter had succeeded in founding Lambda Chapter at the South Carolina Military Academy. This chapter gave us Robert A. Smythe, than whom no fraternity has ever known an abler, more devoted, more loyal member.

The convention was called to meet in the chapter hall of Iota Chapter at Hampden-Sidney, Va., December 20 to 23, 1889. Theta sent a delegate, J. S. Foster; Alpha sent a delegate, Theron H. Rice; Iota was represented in full force, and a telegram announced that Lambda's delegate, Robert A. Smythe, was prevented from coming by sickness.

This was a small convention, three chapters answering the roll-call, but it was fraught with stupendous importance for Pi Kappa Alpha. Theron Rice was elected chairman. The writer had the honor of being elected as Iota's regular delegate. The chairman presented his plan of government to the convention, which was received with enthusiastic approval. A committee was appointed to draw up the new Constitution, and the writer counts it one of his chief honors that he was appointed on this committee, and remembers with genuine pleasure that the meetings of this committee were held in his room on the northwest corner of the fourth floor of the old brick dormitory building, now almost one hundred years old. Rice, Chairman, Foster, Moore and Arbuckle constituted the committee.

This Constitution placed the government of the fraternity in a board to be elected by the convention, called the Grand Council, and the three officers first named were Councilor Princeps, Grand Secretary and Grand Treasurer. Rice was elected Councilor Princeps, J. T. McAllister, Iota-Alpha, Grand Secretary, and Robert A. Smythe, Grand Treasurer. The Constitution was adopted, and the grand officers were elected December 22, 1889. It must be recorded here that Robert A. Smythe has held this office since that date, a period of over twenty-nine years, and this possibly constitutes a record for tenure of office among officials of Greek-letter fraternities.

Many in the fraternity will be interested in some of the historical notes taken from the records of these early years. First, let us remember that this was before the days of THE SHIELD AND DIAMOND. The *Pi Kappa Alpha Journal* was the first printed publication of the fraternity. It was founded and financed by Robert A. Smythe, and it is easy to prove to you that it must have been a heavy financial burden on him, as he was just starting in business. The first issue was published in December, 1890. On November 27, 1890, every man in the fraternity known to Robert A. Smythe received a letter reading thus: "We are about to edit a magazine in the interests of the fraternity, our December number being the first number. . . . We wish you to give us 25c for the same." (You see how modest and kind our young treasurer was. He had not learned that it was necessary to say, "*Please remit at once.*")

This first number was a paper of great interest to the fraternity, and several copies should be preserved in the archives of Pi Kappa Alpha. In it you find the report of the Convention of 1889 and the facts concerning the reorganization. You find there announcement of the founding of a new chapter, the first of a long series of one following another in quick succession. This was the



LITTLETON WALLER TAZEWELL
Taken just before his death, July 15, 1918.

first fruits of reorganization begun at the Convention of 1889.

This first number of the *Journal* throws some light on the financial condition of the fraternity. The first money that came into the treasury seems to have come through the personal appeal of Smythe. His first financial report was published in this number of the *Journal*, and it shows total receipts of \$37.30. It is significant that the disbursements are not given. It would have embarrassed our large-hearted treasurer to have recorded how much he had "chipped in" to defray expenses of this first number. In later issues we find other financial reports. For instance, the financial report of February, 1891, shows "total receipts, October, 1890, to February, 1891 (half year), \$67.25." In the October, 1891, *Journal*, which was the sixth issue, the editor announced that "henceforth we shall be known as THE SHIELD AND DIAMOND," but for some reason, probably financial, very likely because our good treasurer was "broke," the first issue of THE SHIELD AND DIAMOND did not appear till January, 1892. These are facts of rare interest, and the younger men of the fraternity should know them.

Think of it! A fraternity twenty-one years of age without a treasury; no publication, three widely-separated chapters.

The most striking proof of the result of the new government conceived by our splendid, well-beloved brother of Theta, Theron H. Rice, and put into action through the Convention of 1889, is the immediate growth of the fraternity and the steady development of a financial system which has been called a model by other fraternities. During the twelve years immediately following this convention, seventeen chapters were chartered or revived. Only one year, 1896, passed into history without a new chapter, and one year, 1892, gave Pi Kappa Alpha three new chapters. In 1904, five chapters were chartered. From

that time on Pi Kappa Alpha's history has been brilliant with success.

It was the pleasure and privilege of the writer to preside over the Convention of 1917 at Jacksonville, Fla., the largest convention of the fraternity, and one that would do credit to any fraternity, whether it be measured by the personnel of the delegates present, the number of chapters represented, the number of active alumni in attendance, the business-like methods employed by the Supreme Council, the ability displayed by many of the gifted men that held the floor, the social features, or the actual work done for the fraternity.

This article in our anniversary number would be incomplete without some record of Pi Kappa Alpha of today as represented in that great convention.

At the right of the chair sat the man that has been the making of Pi Kappa Alpha, Robert A. Smythe. His hair was a trifle thinner, and there were more silver locks now than when we first sat together at the Convention of 1893, but twenty-five years had passed away since then. When he spoke, it was with the same soft South Carolina accent; there was the same merry twinkle in those clear, gray eyes that look you clear through and through; it was the same cordial hand-clasp, and that same gracious, courteous, genuine manner that none but Smythe ever had.

What memories were these coming back? Tears may have gathered in the chairman's eyes, as he sat there and remembered the past as the delegates kept marching in. They were tears of joy. For the years had been years of struggle, and there were two men at that convention that thought much of the past, as they surveyed the splendid scene in that hall.

There were men among the delegates that appreciated the self-sacrifice of men like Smythe that never gave up the fight. For in *The Dagger and Key*, our secret publication, I read in the report of the Committee on Grand

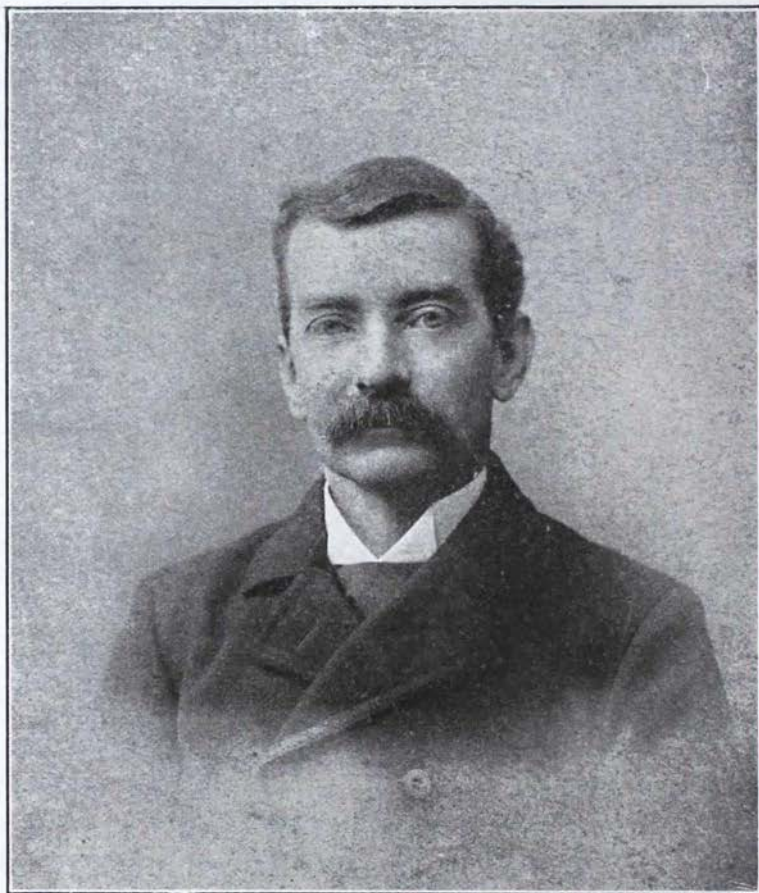
Officers' reports: "*In unmeasured terms commend and congratulate our Grand Treasurer for his earnest work of the past two years, as well as does it appreciate and consider with praise a life given to the noble work of the fraternity.*" This puts it beautifully. Nearly thirty years Smythe has labored for Pi Kappa Alpha, giving freely of his money and his time, and his business talents. Possibly no fraternity can point to such unselfish service and devotion. But we are reminiscing, and the Grand Secretary is handling the gavel and asking that the convention be called to order.

The chairman rises and faces, not three chapters, but forty-five chapters.

Truly, twenty-eight years has developed a wonderful fraternity, and this suggests that there was something in those three struggling chapters of 1889 that could not die. This enduring principle has come into glorious flower and fruitage at last.

The reports of the Grand Officers show what large business interests are handled in the various departments of the fraternity. The Grand Treasurer's report furnishes the culmination of success achieved during these years, and you have but to compare these figures taken from that report of 1890 to comprehend what advances have been made in twenty-eight years. We must remember that Pi Kappa Alpha is among the younger fraternities if measured from the date of its birth, but if measured from 1889, when it came into its real life, it is only twenty-eight years old.

Truly this Convention of 1917 gives one who wears the "garnet and gold" an enthusiastic pride in the fraternity. The beautiful spirit that prevailed throughout the meeting, despite the heated discussions on the floor, the eagerness with which busy men undertook hard tasks for the fraternity, the leadership exhibited among this splendid band of college men, and the patriotic ideals that seem to inspire and uplift every delegate made us older men



FREDERICK SOUTHGATE TAYLOR

feel that the high and glorious principles of old Pi Kappa Alpha were safe in the hands of the men of this generation who wear the "Shield and Diamond."

When we seek for the enduring element in our fraternity, it is easy to believe it can be found in the characters of the men who are the incarnation of those principles so dear to us and they must needs pass it on through the years in the lives of those who earnestly strive to emulate them.

Yes, Theron H. Rice, that prince among men, chivalrous, gentle as a woman, pure of soul, who conceived the greater Pi Kappa Alpha; and Robert A. Smythe, that gracious gentleman, loyal, devoted, unselfish, who has borne the brunt of the battle for Pi Kappa Alpha through these years, and others bound in the same fetters of love to these lofty ideals, have wrought better than they thought, and verily they are handing down to generations yet unborn the most glorious principles that could inspire the college men of America.

Next, "Pi Kappa Alpha—Then and Now," by the distinguished divine, author and educator—Theron H. Rice, D. D.

Let us go back to the time when we were only one chapter strong, plus the Mother Chapter. Pi Kappa Alpha was organized originally under a form of government very simple; that form of government provided that everything should emanate from the will of the Mother Chapter. That Mother Chapter was located at the ancient and honorable seat of learning, the University of Virginia. I suppose it never occurred to the founders that the men who made up Alpha Chapter would be other than men of ability and power to govern well. The fraternity reposed great confidence in that chapter by making it the source of all authority. Not only so, but all executive work must be done by that chapter.

Being eager to see the fraternity grow, we determined

to establish, if possible, some chapters elsewhere. We began by writing to Alpha for permission to do this work. After a good deal of correspondence, and some patience-taxing delays, Alpha agreed to give us carte blanche to select the colleges and secure the initiates. She also gave us some blank charters, signed with her official signature.

Armed with this equipment, we proceeded at once to found a chapter which has been one of the most radiant stars in our galaxy, Iota, of historic old Hampden-Sidney. This chapter gave us some of our best men, among others, Arbuckle and McAllister.

When the writer went on to take a postgraduate course at the University of Virginia in the year 1889-90, he found at Alpha, as a transfer from Iota, that man who has already been mentioned as a factor in our transformation, J. T. McAllister. He participated heartily in conferences concerning the reorganization of the fraternity, and when I went on to Hampden-Sidney during the Christmas holidays of 1889 as a delegate from Alpha, to meet the delegates that were gathered there from Theta and Iota, he had conferred with me about plans, and was in full accord with the ideas and purposes that I carried with me to that gathering.

We come now to the story of the gathering at Hampden-Sidney at which the Constitution was adopted. This little college town, while not very large on the map, is one of the most historic spots in the nation. Its name is commemorative of two of the most remarkable figures in England's struggle for constitutional liberty.

I remember so well the scene. The plain, almost rude brick building in which we met, the upstairs room occupied by Arbuckle, and the simple table on which he studied, and the warm fire around which we gathered, for it was cold. Arbuckle's bright face and Foster's stern, almost melancholy countenance as we wrestled over the problems. Things of this sort stand out. But I can also recall with what forgetfulness of all the externals we

bent together over the problem which was before us; how to reorganize the fraternity so as to give it in the future a scope and a field which we had long coveted for it, for its noble principles and its powers for good.

Well, we need not go into the details, even if we could, as to how this principle and that principle was evolved, discussed, modified, and finally embodied in the Constitution, but I can say that *no work was ever more wholeheartedly done, more earnestly co-operated in, ever more thoughtfully and carefully weighed, ever more joyfully and happily accomplished.*

One of the things that I feel almost a hesitation in mentioning—and yet I would hardly feel my duty done if I did not mention it—is *the way that Smythe dedicated himself and his work to the fraternity.* When the convention was held, Smythe was sick and went through a very serious spell of illness, and, on recovering, wrote me a very beautiful letter.

In this Smythe said practically that his life had been marvelously spared, and, out of profound gratitude for the new gift, he felt under special obligation to dedicate that life to some noble and useful work. No man ever went into the ministry under a more solemn conviction, or with a more distinct ideal of service, *than the conviction and the ideal which carried Smythe into his life-long service for our fraternity.*

The thing that offered itself to Smythe at that time was the fraternity's regeneration, and he took up this work with all the ardor of youth, *and that ardor, fed by the spirit of noble self-sacrifice and consecration, has never grown cold in all these years of unprecedented service.*

This spirit it is, which has given a touch to all his work, *that men have revered, feeling it to be something quite distinct from the ordinary spirit in which men do work even of an unselfish character.*



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I trust that this sketch, imperfect as it is, may give readers some conception of the forces which gave birth to our new era. *Those forces were certain noble ideals and certain young men who had faith to work for them.*

From that time on the story of the fraternity is well known. At first we did not make rapid progress numerically, but, after a time, we did begin to grow, and when we began to grow our growth was very rapid.

The fraternity today amazes a man who sat in that little room and brooded over the possibilities when there were only three chapters in existence. Not having attended the various conventions as some of you have, I can feel, as perhaps many of you cannot, the tremendous contrast between then and now. The contrast is more external and formal, however, than essential; a Pi today, no matter where he is, feels at home; the fraternity, though so much more extensive, is the same old fraternity still. The fact is we have here the expansion of a germ. *The acorn has become the oak.*

It is really marvelous how life can grow. In those early days the cynic might have said, "What can come of this little gathering?" But if he looks today he will see that to which such life was bound to grow, by reason of the essential vitality which throbbed within it.

Let us remember this: that the fraternity today is "in trust" with that which was then, and is now, a sacred thing. Let us see to it that no glamour for bigness, no ambition to be considered large and imposing, shall rob us of our choicest glory, the principles for which we stand.

Also, the editorial from the fluent pen of our former Grand Editor—P. Tulane Atkinson.

Here standing at the fiftieth milepost on the pathway of Pi Kappa Alpha we would do well to glance backward as well as look forward. In taking stock of the past we may gain new strength for the future. While the embers

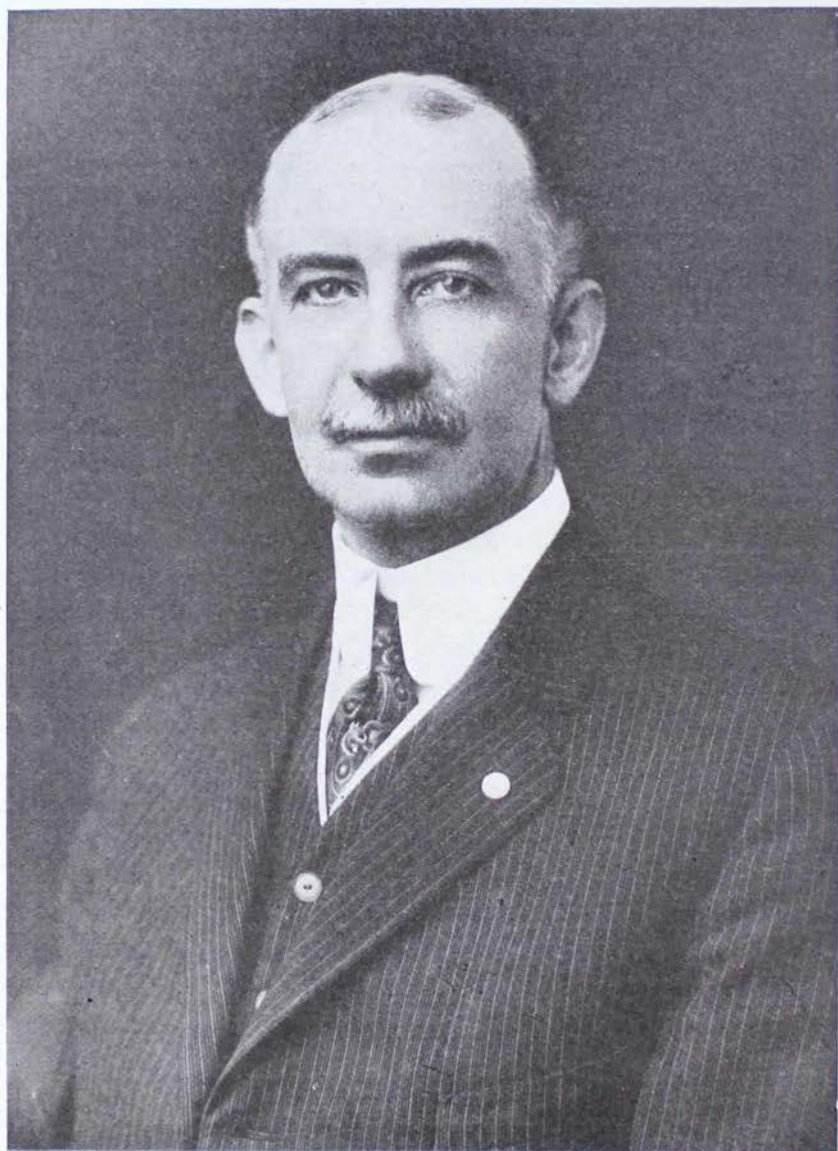
of civil strife still smouldered in those days of early reconstruction, there came into being at Virginia's classic university this brotherhood to us so dear. For its birth we have to thank our founders five: Taylor, Tazewell, Sclater, Howard and Wood. To them is owed a debt that each new generation sees materially increased. Of them, three were students of medicine, one was in the academic department, and the fifth was a lawyer—Frederick Southgate Taylor—to whom belongs the credit of labeling the love he bore his fellows with the Greek title we all revere. In selecting our founders, the Fates drew upon Virginia for three, North Carolina for one, and the other she chose from the District of Columbia. Wisely and well had Taylor chosen his associates, for in the stern crucible of life each measured up to the virile test imposed upon him. Honorable and highly respectable lives lived they all—citizenship calling oft upon them for responsible civic service. Already four have laid their armor by, while the fifth—we rejoice to say—is still permitted to speak to us, as he does elsewhere in these pages. But even he grows conscious of time's fleet passage and the fickleness of health for a man full of years. Yet old age has its compensations, and amid the tender ministrations of loving friends there is abundant cause for the joy that floods the soul of our beloved founder.

But, lifting our eyes, we glance over the first twenty-one years of our history, and behold the shattered remnant of a fraternity as with but three active chapters it gathers in convention assembled at old Hampden-Sidney College. That memorable date, December, 1889, is in significance second only to March 1, 1868, for was not this a second founding? In very truth it marked a new birth. Thirty years later not three, but forty-five worthy chapters strongly attest the efficacy of the second birth. Of the travails and pains of that birth eyewitnesses tell us on other pages. Much they tell us, but, with becoming modesty, much they leave untold. The cold facts of

achievement they record, but on the costs of these accomplishments they are silent. If our first founders were five, then can it well be said that in all Pi Kappa Alpha boasts eight men who gave her birth—the original five and Theron Hall Rice, Howard Bell Arbuckle, and Robert Adger Smythe. Nor is more of honor due the five than should be meted out to the three. To the early founders it was given to conceive the plan, to the latter it was permitted to deliver it in such form as to pass it to eternity. Had not the clear head and purposeful heart of Rice planned the '89 convention; had not the pure spirit of Arbuckle ably assisted and sustained the planner, had not Smythe executed with masterful efficiency, where today would be our struggling little chapter roll of three isolated groups? There is no better time than the present to tell these facts to the new men—to recall them to the minds of the old—to impress them indelibly upon the hearts of us all.

The achievement of these junior founders (if we may be permitted thus to term them) furnish honor enough for each to enjoy a generous share. Soon after establishing the machinery with which successfully to work out Pi Kappa Alpha's future problems Rice's time and talents were claimed by the Master in His vineyard. Arbuckle, too, heard the call that took him for years from active participation in the fraternity's work, but though removed far from the sphere of activity he could not be separated from the love of Pi Kappa Alpha, which had its lair in his heart, and at the earliest opportunity he once more accepted the role of leader, as we all know well.

But what of the third "Junior Founder?" Turn to the record. You can find it on any page of our proud history. Brief the record given by his own pen, for Robert Adger Smythe, a chivalrous son of a chivalrous family, can countenance nothing that smacks of egotism. Yet such has been the brand of his service extending over



ROBERT A. SMYTHE.

thirty of Pi Kappa Alpha's fifty years, that if he did but give the facts the result would look like boasting. Could the key to his gentle heart be stolen, no doubt we could there read how in hours dark his indomitable will, his undaunted zeal, his fine spirit that knows not defeat, has often stood single-handed and alone between his beloved fraternity and dire destruction. Indeed, fortunate is that order which for nearly two-thirds its natural life falls heir to the dominating spirit of such a man of whom it has been written: "For more than a quarter century he has unselfishly devoted his time, means, talents to the advancement of Pi Kappa Alpha, by his wisdom and labors lifted it from a condition of weakness and disorganization, and guided it to its present position of strength and power." His noble life has been literally given, not lent, to the work of the fraternity, and, in return, a brotherhood presenting a solid phalanx gives back to him its love and loyalty undivided.

Such then is the rich heritage we receive from our founders that like true sons of noble sires Pi Kappa Alpha arises everywhere today to call them blessed.

Lastly, the article written by our beloved Grand Treasurer, Robert A. Smythe, also taken from the same number.

It has always been a matter of deep regret to me that I was unavoidably prevented from attending that memorable gathering at Hampden-Sidney during the Christmas holidays of 1889, when the fraternity was "*re-founded*," if such a word may be coined, and the steps taken which resulted in the reorganization of Pi Kappa Alpha, and the foundations laid for its subsequent marvelous growth. In all these 'nigh thirty years I have been absent from only one other convention.

Had that convention seen me, and realized all the trouble I was to cause the members, in the years to come, *through the money-extracting process*—doubtless a dif-

ferent course would have been pursued by them, and the members allowed to keep peacefully many of the dollars in their pockets. Such was not the case, however, and I was elected "the Grand Secretary and Treasurer."

The first part of my title must have escaped my notice, as I do not recollect concerning myself in any manner whatever with it. But I do remember, a few months after my election, *proceeding to secure money for the fraternity*—a pursuit to which a great deal of my time in these subsequent years has been devoted!

A very desperate illness, from which recovery was slow, held me prisoner from all work about a year, and thus additional time was given me to commence the work of the fraternity. After some difficulty, I secured a list of addresses of the then known alumni of the fraternity, and, getting authority from a clause in the newly-adopted Constitution making alumni dues \$3.00 a year, I wrote each alumnus for this amount. Naturally only a few responded, and the net result, if memory serves me right, hardly repaid the cost of postage.

In 1891, in some way not now recalled, the title of my office was shortened to that of "Grand Treasurer," by which title it has been known ever since.

From the first, my earliest conviction was, that the chapters needed some means of inter-communication—something that would awaken an interest among the alumni as well as hold the interest of the undergraduate members. Therefore, on November 27, 1890, styling myself as "*Managing Editor and Treasurer of Pi Kappa Alpha*," a circular letter was issued, commencing: "*We are about to edit a magazine in the interest of the Pi Kappa Alpha Fraternity*," and to which was attached a blank subscription pledge promising "*to pay 25c on receipt of the December number of the 'Pi Kappa Alpha Journal.'*" The first issue contained 24 pages, and the only advertisement therein was "J. F. Newran, College Fraternity Badges." Five issues of this *Journal* were

published from then until October, 1891. In this issue it is interesting to note that the *chapter roll numbered seven active chapters*.

After collecting a number of names and addresses, I published in July, 1891, the *Catalogue of the Pi Kappa Alpha Fraternity*. It contained 60 pages, with a sketch of the 13 chapters which had previously been established, the names of 389 alumni, and an account of the life of each. The price was 50c, but it never paid for itself.

From October, 1891, until January, 1892, no issues of the *Journal* appeared, but in the latter month THE SHIELD AND DIAMOND, to which name the publication was changed, made its bow, with 50 pages.

There was another suspension of the publication of THE SHIELD AND DIAMOND known to very few. That was from March, 1894, Issue No. 2, of Volume IV, to January, 1896, Issue No. 1 of Volume V.

On April 16, 1894, the General Office issued "A Plain Statement" to the members of the fraternity, calling attention to the failure to keep the office supplied with funds, and stating that although we had \$200 pledged to be paid March 1st, none of it had been collected. For this reason the March issue, 1894, did not appear until the end of April, and it was for this same reason that no other issue appeared until January, 1896. "A Plain Statement" dealt with every detail of the situation, and was "Approved and recommended to the earnest attention of the fraternity" by D. J. Brimm, Grand High Councilor; H. B. Arbuckle, Councilor Princeps; and J. T. McAllister, Grand Secretary.

During this period—nearly two years—some of the hardest work that your Grand Treasurer has ever done for the fraternity was put forth to arrange the finances so as to publish again THE SHIELD AND DIAMOND. This was a dark time for the old fraternity, and many despaired of bringing her through in safety.

It was one of the keenest joys I have ever known when

the publication was revived in January, 1896, and, strongly entrenched, has never failed to appear since. The Grand Treasurer edited it until 1907, when the increasing claims of business necessitated his giving up this branch of the fraternity work.

Up to January, 1892, my letters had all been written by pen. By publishing a half page in January, 1892, issue, the advertisement of a typewriter called "International," a second-hand machine of this wonderful make, was secured in payment.

The first "General Office of the Fraternity" was for a few years *in one corner of my little bedroom* in my father's home, No. 14 Legare Street, Charleston, S. C. The equipment consisted of the aforesaid second-hand typewriter, a table, and a box of printed envelopes and paper—for the office had then blossomed out with printed stationery—and there the letters for the General Office were written after the evening meal was over. During the day I worked in the cotton business, and the fraternity work was done at night. I remember my father's saying that my plugging on this old typewriter, with pauses after each letter was struck, sounded like the chopping of wood, and must have made quite a noise.

The months when the issues of the magazine appeared were, indeed, busy ones for "*the office force*" of the General Office. The Grand Treasurer had to address the wrappers for mailing the issues, as in those days there was no money to pay the printers to do it. Then when the magazines came from the printers, in the evening hours, at the cotton office, when work was over, he would wrap them and seal with mucilage, and the next day take them to the post office. This continued for years.

In those days the financial accounts of the fraternity were kept in a little 5-cent composition book, and "the funds" re-posted in an envelope. A roller-top desk later on became a valued and much admired addition to the General Office. And the same desk was brought to At-

lanta in 1907, and only within the last year or so, when time had finally severed it almost part from part, was given up—and even now I often miss that old companion of the night hours in which the fraternity work was done.

I would like to tell you step by step the increase in the necessary means of carrying on the fraternity work. The employment at first of an hour every other day of a stenographer; then one hour a day, and finally dividing part of the time of my business stenographer for this work. However, your editor has asked me only for a short sketch of the General Office in its thirty years, so I must pass on to a statement of the present work and methods.

Previous to the San Francisco Convention my good associates on the Supreme Council were urging that the work of the General Office was too heavy for one man to conduct with such limited help. Between our convention at the Golden Gate and the Jacksonville one, it proved impossible for me to continue doing so much of the work myself, and those who visited the office during these two years were among the leaders who, at the last convention, insisted on our securing the full needed help. The work of the General Office now employs the entire time of a secretary, who can answer some of the mail, as well as write my dictation, and keep the many files. Often we require additional typewriting help, and also mimeographing. The bookkeeping is now very largely done by a bookkeeper, though the Grand Treasurer still does much of this work himself. It has been such a large part of my life for so many years, that I can not give it all up.

With the payments of the dues as arranged at the last convention, it is necessary to keep several books. A General Ledger, in which is kept the Cash Account, General Chapter House Fund, the Convention Account, and the Advertisers' and Jewelers' Accounts. Another ledger is necessary for the deposits of graduate 3-year SHIELD AND DIAMOND subscriptions, and still another ledger is needed

for the individual accounts of each chapter separately.

The general funds are carried in a checking account in one bank. In the savings department of another bank we carry two accounts, and in a third bank's savings department we carry the convention expense account.

The conduct of the business end of the fraternity has come to be "a business" in itself, and the members would be surprised to see the volume of work that passes through the General Office every day—there are no idle moments, there is work always to be done. It is my desire and hope that at some time the members from all the different chapters may be able to visit the General Office and thus understand better the work that it takes to keep the Pi Kappa Alpha Fraternity abreast the field.

Thus it will be seen that the primary function of our busy General Office for the past 33 years has been to keep the chapters as the edge of a bell so that the same true note of fraternalism will respond no matter where the edge is struck.

J. LORTON FRANCIS.

EVER PROMISED YOURSELF A TRIP TO NEW YORK?
OR A II K A CONVENTION? DO BOTH IN APRIL.

THE NEW YORK ALUMNI HAVE PROMISED "THE BEST
CONVENTION EVER." MAKE THEM PROVE IT!

The Convention City of the World



HAT American hasn't heard of Broadway or Fifth Avenue, of Riverside Drive or the Statue of Liberty? What individual hasn't hoped to visit the Hippodrome or Times Square some time in his life? The Woolworth Building and Grant's Tomb illustrate every school book. Washington Square and Greenwich Village have been immortalized in jazz music. What city offers as many nationally known places to visit as New York?

As a city of entertainment, New York is supreme. Some fifty theatres offer the country's best of drama, musical comedy and burlesque. The ultimate in an actor's life is to play on Broadway. Who hasn't heard of the Great White Way?

Hotels and restaurants have world-wide reputations. The Waldorf-Astoria, the Astor, the Ritz-Carlton, the Biltmore, Delmonico's, Sherry's, Churchill's, Reisenweber's have helped make New York famous.

And then Columbia and New York Universities, the Museum of Natural History, the Art Galleries, the Aquarium, the Zoo, the great Library, have attained an enviable place in the educational life of the country.

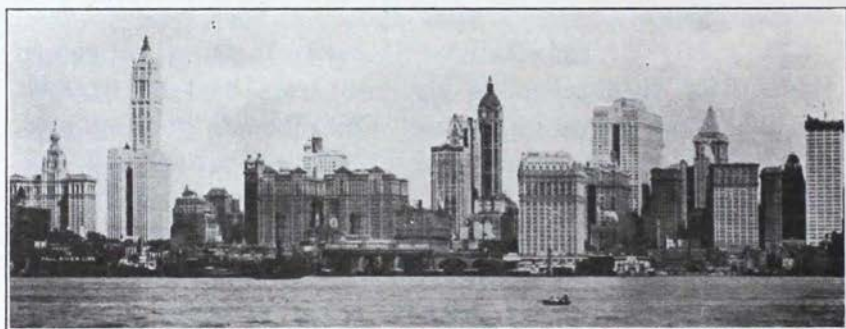
What engineering feats are there. The three great suspension bridges, the tubes under the Hudson, the great railroad terminals, the 64 miles of subways, the skyscrapers and huge office buildings are the greatest in the world.

The New York skyline, the Palisades, the Hudson, Spuyten Duyvil, the Harbor, the Ocean Steamers, the Narrows, make a boat trip around Manhattan Island worth while. The homes of great men like Morgan, Vanderbilt, Gould, Rockefeller, Schwab, Belmont; the finan-

cial district with its Wall Street and Stock Exchange; Riverside Drive with its beautiful residences; Fifth Avenue with its great stores and exclusive shops, its cathedrals and clubs; Times Square at night; all are worth seeing.

These help make New York the Convention City of the World.

Come to the convention for them if you wish, but remember that a convention is more than sightseeing. The spirit and inspiration, the privilege of meeting the brothers, the opportunity of doing concrete things for our



fraternity, the good fellowship of a convention, are benefits which last long after the more material things.

CONVENTION HEADQUARTERS

The Hotel Pennsylvania is the largest hotel in the world with a normal, daily population of 10,000. The 2,200 outside rooms, each with private bath, cover 46 acres of space, while $2\frac{1}{4}$ acres are covered by the public rooms alone. A room clerk and desk is located on each of the 22 floors while 2,250 employes make one's stay a pleasant one.

Every guest room, whatever its price, is equipped with a telephone, ample wardrobe, a full length mirror, an electric reading light attached to the bed and a portable

light on the writing desk, besides the light over the dressing mirror and the ceiling light. And on every dresser there is a pin cushion with pins, needles and thread.

Contact with servants is eliminated by the servidor, a device which permits the valet to get your clothing for pressing or a bell boy to deliver packages without his coming into the room or the occupant seeing him. Circulating ice water, telegrams and letters delivered to the floor clerk, the newspaper under your door every morning, have eliminated tipping for everything but extra service.

Seven restaurants in the building with different price scales, fit all pocketbooks. From the lunch room to the main dining room, the quality is the same.

There is no hotel in New York which offers as much.

In short, the Pennsylvania is Statler operated, the ultimate in hotel operation. Everything the management can do to make the convention a success, will be done.

SOCIAL PROGRAM.

Alpha-Psi, Alpha-Upsilon and Alumnus Alpha-Epsilon chapters are the hosts. They are preparing a convention program as elaborate as they know how. A smoker, with the best talent available, a theatre party, followed by a supper, the convention banquet, automobile and boat sightseeing trips are planned. You may be assured that the facilities for entertainment at the disposal of a New Yorker are being utilized to the full by the energetic committee and that a social program worthy of the Empire City of the World will be offered.

ON TO GOTHAM.

What man hasn't wanted to visit New York? The opportunity is now here. It will cost you less, all things considered, to come to the convention than to come at any other time. You couldn't make as advantageous hotel arrangements, you couldn't buy the entertainment to be

provided, you couldn't see the city as well at any other time. Two hundred alumni brothers in New York and two active chapters are working to make you feel at home and to give you the best New York provides.

The inspiration of a convention leaves a long cherished memory. To meet brothers from every active and alumnus chapter in the country, to discuss problems of vital importance to our fraternity, to meet on the plane of friendship the brothers of a common bond, is the experience and the privilege of a lifetime. Make the most of it.

Come to Gotham!

2200 ROOMS—2200 BATHS! COME TO HOTEL PENNSYLVANIA, IN NEW YORK, ON APRIL 18, 1922.

NEW YORK VAUDEVILLE? THE CONVENTION SMOKER ON APRIL 18, 1922, WILL HAVE THE BEST.

The 1921 Inter-Fraternity Conference, New York, November 25 and 26, 1921



THE Conference was called to order by Don R. Almy, chairman. Approximately one hundred and forty-seven delegates reported and there were present about one hundred visitors, including college presidents, deans of men of the various universities, prominent fraternity men and other educators who were vitally interested in the Inter-Fraternity Conference movement.

The chairman then appointed the conference committees, which were the Nomination Committee and the Credential Committee. The Grand Princes of Pi Kappa Alpha Fraternity was appointed on the Nomination Committee. The Nomination Committee recommended to the Conference for officers, Fred H. Nymeyer, 66 Broadway, New York City, treasurer of Zeta-Psi Fraternity, for chairman; John J. Kuhn, Cornell '98, 115 Broadway, New York City, ex-president of Delta-Phi, for secretary; and Wayne Montgomery Musgrave, Harvard '11, 51 Chambers Street, New York City, Grand Junior President of Alpha Sigma Psi, as treasurer. These recommendations were adopted by the Conference and these men were unanimously elected to serve in the capacities set forth above for the ensuing year.

The reports of the various officers, particularly those of the chairman, secretary and treasurer, were very thorough and complete in every detail, and outlined very accurately the work which is being conducted by the Conference. The reports of these various officers, as well as the committees, have been printed in pamphlet form and they might easily be secured by addressing Mr. F. H. Nymeyer, 66 Broadway, New York City.

The reports and discussions thereon of the standing committees, among which were the following: Conference, Plan and Scope, James Duane Livingston; Extension, Henry H. McCorkle and Wayne M. Musgrave; Expansion, J. Lorton Francis; Publicity, Peter Vischer; Organization Antagonistic to Fraternity Ideals, Dr. Thomas Arkle Clark; Fraternity Secretaries, James A. Farrell; Editors' Dinner, Frank Rogers, and Health and Hygiene, Dr. Frank Wieland, were all very complete and interesting. There was a little more discussion on the report of the Committee on Conference, Plan and Scope than on most of the others, and with a few amendments the report of this committee was adopted. These various reports have also been printed along with the reports of committees to the 13th Inter-Fraternity Conference, and can be secured by addressing Mr. Nymeyer.

The presentation of a paper, "The College and the Fraternity," by Dean Edward C. Nicholson, was very illuminating indeed and was received by the Conference with a great deal of interest. Dean Nicholson has taken an active part in the affairs of the Conference, when the paper submitted by him was very indicative of his interest.

Under the heading "Discussion of Special Topics" there were taken up the following:

- (a) Influence of Alumni visiting the Chapter.
- (b) Local Inter-Fraternity Councils, their organization, limitation and functions.
- (c) Rushing.
- (d) Is it possible and desirable to limit by appropriate local agreement the Chapters' expenditures for building Fraternity Houses?
- (e) Is it possible and desirable to limit the number of members which shall constitute the Chapters?
- (f) Is it possible and desirable to modify, limit or abolish rough-house initiations?

- (g) The professional Fraternity organizer.
- (h) The relation between the General College Fraternity and the Professional Fraternity.

Under the above topics interesting and serious discussions took place, which I am sure will be the result of great benefit to the fraternity system as a whole.

Under the heading "Local Inter-Fraternity Councils, Their Organization, Limitation and Function," the Inter-Fraternity Conference went on record as resolving to stand behind the local Inter-Fraternity Councils to the very utmost to the end of assisting them in seeing that their regulations are enforced and respected by the various fraternity members thereof. It was recognized that in the past the local Inter-Fraternity Councils have suffered materially by chapters of various fraternities refusing to live up to the gentleman's honorable agreement which they entered into at the time they became members of the local Pan Hellenic. Several instances of that kind having occurred during the past year, the seriousness of the situation was recognized and definite resolutions were adopted along the above lines.

Under the heading "Is it possible and desirable to limit by appropriate local agreement the Chapters' expenditures for building Fraternity houses?" it was the sense of the Conference that some fraternities were exceeding the respectable limit as to the cost and sumptuousness of their respective chapter houses. It was recognized that over expenditure and lavishness in connection with fraternity houses was very apt to be misunderstood by the non-fraternity world and thus bring unnecessary criticism upon fraternities. It was the sense of the Conference that modesty and good judgment be employed in the erection and furnishing of chapter houses on our various campuses.

Under the heading "Is it possible and desirable to limit the number of members which shall constitute the Chapters?" it was recognized that the chapters which

were too large in membership were apt to become top-heavy and instead of being chapters of National Fraternities for the purpose of supporting the ideals and spirit of the fraternity, were apt to become clubs and thereby cause the members to fail to grasp and appreciate the real purpose of the fraternity. It, therefore, was the sense of the Conference, that the chapters be not too large and that in order that all men, fraternity material, at the various universities, might have an opportunity to become fraternity men that the members of the Conference, that is, the National Fraternities, encourage the organization and promotion of a larger number of National Academic Fraternities.

Under the heading "Is it possible and desirable to modify, limit or abolish rough-house initiations?" ensued lengthy, serious and interesting discussions, when instances were related by a number of men on the floor of the result of rough-house initiations in some of their chapters and in some of their communities. The result of the discussion was the adoption of a resolution to the effect that the Conference go on record as *being absolutely opposed to rough-house initiations in connection with fraternities at any and all times.*

Under the heading "The Professional Fraternity Organizer," it was the sense of the Conference that the professional fraternity organizer was and is a menace to the General National College Fraternity, therefore, it was the general understanding that the fraternities as a whole do what they could to discourage this movement.

Under the heading "The Relations Between the General College Fraternity and the Professional Fraternity," most of the discussion on this topic, as usual, was directed against Theta Nu Epsilon, when the same resolution as was adopted at the 12th Conference was again adopted to the effect that all national fraternities be requested to have incorporated in their Constitutions, or By-Laws, a provision whereby they would specially and particularly

legislate against any of their members becoming members or being members of Theta Nu Epsilon. In this connection others were discussed, the activities of which were generally conceded to be detrimental to the interests of the General National College Fraternity world. Of course, these did not include the fraternities which stand for merit and scholarship.

A very interesting talk was made by the Hon. Will H. Hayes, Postmaster-General of the United States, who is president of the General Council of Phi Delta Theta, who represented his fraternity. Mr. Hayes, in addition to explaining at length the benefit which his college fraternity and the whole fraternity world has been to him, also explained to the Conference the inside workings of the great Postoffice Department of the country, all of which was very interesting and illuminating indeed.

In rendering this, my report to the fraternity, I would be very derelict in my duty indeed if I would not state in passing that Pi Kappa Alpha today occupies a position in the fraternity world, due principally to its connection with the Inter-Fraternity Conference, that it has never enjoyed in all of its previous history. The result of this has been due to energetic and untiring efforts of our Grand Secretary, J. Lorton Francis, who has been a member of the National Executive Committee of the Inter-Fraternity Conference and has represented our fraternity in all matters in connection therewith during the past two years. His very close connection and affiliation with the various national officers of the Inter-Fraternity Conference and his active and wide-awake interest in our behalf has certainly been crowned with success.

I would urge very strongly that all officers of our fraternity, as well as our chapters, secure a printed *copy of the Reports* of Committees to the 13th Inter-Fraternity Conference and that when they are published, a *copy of the Minutes* of the Conference of which they will be

advised by our General Office, and that these be read very carefully and closely.

JOHN R. PEREZ, *Grand Princeps*.

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For the first time since its organization, I had the pleasure of attending the Inter-Fraternity Conference this year. Grand Princeps Perez, Grand Secretary Francis, and "*our regular delegate*," since the inception of the Conference, Dr. R. M. Bird, were Π K A's delegates. Fred Kopff and I were alternates.

It was an inspiration to be present at this Conference, and to note the earnest attention given to its work from the opening to the closing session. One could see that men were there for business, not for pleasure; that they were giving their time and their thoughts to the work at hand; and indeed the work at hand warranted same, as it concerned the welfare of the entire fraternity and college world.

I will not go into details as to subjects discussed, as that will be ably covered by Delegates Bird and Perez, but will deal more with the impressions which this Conference made upon me, from a business standpoint.

There were very vital subjects considered during the two days' sessions. Presidents and deans of colleges, business men, and delegates from fraternities, all gave to these discussions that earnestness of purpose; that devotion of thought; that recognition of their vital importance, which stamped this meeting as indeed a momentous one for the fraternity world.

I was glad to see the resolutions adopted against horse-play, as well as the condemnation, again, of T. N. E. and kindred organizations, which all present showed as detrimental to the best interests of the college-fraternity world.

I was proud of Pi Kappa Alpha's recognized position in this Conference. Grand Secretary Francis is an active

member of the Executive Committee, and as chairman of its Committee on Expansion, made a splendid report. It should be read, as should all the other Conference reports, by every fraternity member.

Grand Princeps Perez spoke in many discussions in a forceful, impressive way, and the applause which always greeted him was pleasing to note.

In my report to our 1920 "Victory" convention I mentioned that in the published records of the 1919 Inter-Fraternity Conference there was but one fraternity named and one grand officer mentioned—the Pi Kappa Alpha Fraternity, and John R. Perez, who was cited for his splendid work in furthering the interests of the Conference.

In the minutes of the 1920 Conference I note again the name of John R. Perez, and also Frank T. Scott, of Pi Kappa Alpha, in connection with their splendid work against the anti-fraternity laws in Louisiana and Mississippi.

I wish that more of our members could attend these Inter-Fraternity Conferences. It would give them information and experience which would indeed be most helpful in their fraternity work, as well as make them more appreciative of the things that can be done, and should be done, by the fraternities in furthering the best that is in our young men, in their college work, and throwing around them the best of associations and help in the Fraternity Chapter.

The Inter-Fraternity Conference is a growing power, and with the work that it is doing, must soon have the entire time of a paid executive to handle promptly the accumulation of its business matters. No one could have attended the November, 1921, Conference without being impressed with its potentiality; its possibilities; the big work that it is already doing, as well as planning to do, for the great uplift of the fraternity world and the stu-

dent body, in setting forth those high ideals towards which both of these associations of men should strive.

ROBERT A. SMYTHE.

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THE EDITOR'S DINNER. INTER-FRATERNITY CONFERENCE.

The writer attended the 12th annual dinner of the Editors of Fraternity Publications the other night at the Columbia University Club at the request of Brothers Perez, Francis and Smythe.

There were some forty-five in the group. Of this number, four had been editors for over twenty consecutive years. Many ranged around ten.

It was an inspiration to hear these men tell of their problems, and what they had found useful and were planning to do.

Nothing was advanced which had not been tried. For every suggestion made, some experience was available.

My report sums up the best of what interested me. We spent four hours together, but this report can just be the things that seemed the best to me.

EDITORIAL

Several old-timers said that the importance of the editorial was underestimated. Too often, the editor became convinced that it was not worth while.

The results of several surveys were read in which it was stated that 80 per cent of the readers read the editorials. Kappa Sigma stated that they had omitted their editorial section for a while but that they had been literally forced to resume it. The editor of the Delta Chi magazine stated that his fraternity had changed from a professional fraternity to a semi-professional one and that eventually it would be entirely general. This was credited to the editorials. The question of policy, conflict with national policies, etc., does not interest us.

CHAPTER LETTERS.

Approval of letters by chapter head or vote at chapter meeting was suggested. Prizes, uniform outline, etc., were more or less condemned. It is effective to telegraph colleges the day after letters are supposed to be in. News heads on each letter in place of the stereotyped heading had produced results.

EXCHANGES.

The best thought in fraternity matters is constantly being repeated. Notice the articles which appear in one and then the other. If this appeals to several editors, what is the common interest? Perhaps it is worth an editorial. Always give credit where credit is due.

MISCELLANEOUS.

The problem of making the student read the magazine was debated. The estimated percentage, based on an extensive survey, was 20 per cent.

It was believed that bulk wrapping meant few distributed, that individual wrappers prevented this but that stamping the name direct on cover was the best.

The scheme of sending to the secretary and having him place same in the rooms of the brothers seemed to me to be the best and cheapest.

The use of type on the cover was strongly advocated. People buy magazines from newstands because the titles on the cover attract them and make them want to read. Several fraternity publications follow this plan with apparent excellent results. You put the sentence on a cover that President Harding has written an article and every boy will want to read it.

Some District Officers should send a letter to the chapter calling attention to some article in the current issue. Some fraternities have the alumni advisor of the local chapters hold a quiz ten days after the issue has been distributed.

Delta Upsilon puts the President of each College, where an active chapter is located, on their Quarterly mailing list. Their Grand Officer in his recent inspection asked the Presidents whether they wished it continued and if they read it. The figures show that three-fourths wanted to be kept on the list and that five-eighths read at least the local chapter letter.

J. HAROLD JOHNSTON.

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The Thirteenth Interfraternity Conference had forty-seven fraternities represented and two hundred and forty odd delegates and visitors present. A number of representatives of colleges were present on invitation of the Executive Committee.

The work of the Conference has grown to such an extent that it consumed a day and a half, instead of the usual one day.

The constitution was amended so as to permit of a larger membership in the future.

Among the reports of committees the following are of more general interest.

On Student Extra Curriculum Activities. This was an interesting discussion based on long experience and close study of the subject. One conclusion was that "college activities are a good thing for the undergraduate who indulges in them moderately, and that the student who fails to take part in some extracurriculum activity usually makes a mistake."

On Theta Nu Epsilon and Kappa Beta Phi. Facts were brought out which if generally known and contemplated would arouse among fraternity men an opposition that would effect the conclusion of the committee, viz., that they should be routed out of college life, because utterly unworthy in aim and practice.

On Extension. A report that should be read by all who are interested in fraternities, both in active and

alumni chapters. It contains late information of great value.

On Expansion. Contains valuable advice to those who compose "locals" which contemplate joining "nationals," to nationals who are considering the establishing of new chapters, and to individual fraternity men in whose charge is the growth and maintenance of a home chapter.

On Health and Hygiene. Written by a committee of physicians. Full of common sense, free from cant or religion. Contains a list of books which treat the various sides of the subject.

On Publicity. What it means to fraternities. What it does and what it ought to do.

The officers for the ensuing years are:

Chairman, F. H. Nymeyer, 66 Broadway, New York City.

Secretary, J. J. Kuhn, 115 Broadway, New York City.

R. M. BIRD.

NEW YORK CITY IS COMPLETELY SURROUNDED BY
WATER. MOST FAMOUS SKY-LINE IN THE WORLD. BOAT
RIDE 'ROUND THE ISLAND APRIL 21, 1922.

WE'VE BOUGHT A THEATRE FOR II K A, IN NEW
YORK, APRIL 19, 1922.

Memory



HE fireplace stares upon the empty room,
All, all are gone, nothing but ghosts remain.
And I; I hold my solitary reign
Over the darkness, and too vacuous gloom.

What else is left? O God, why could not I
Have been the first? Better to lose the bloom
Of life, and lie forgotten in the tomb,
Than live, the mockery of earth and sky.

But—— what is that! Can I believe I see?
The firelight flickers, blazes, warmly flares,
Upon old friends, old faces, well-filled chairs,
Goodfellowship holds sway, mirth, jollity.

Just for a moment? Nay, say hours, years.
The cold heart thaws and memory is king;
The old room empty? Why I hear it ring
With well-loved laughter. What place here for tears?

But fires grow cold, and embers soon must die.
Ah, yes, but in my heart shall glow for me
The fires, the ardor of old memory,
Forever cheer, content, and glorify.

CHAS. L. REESE, JR., *Alpha*.

The Installation of Mu Chapter



U Chapter of the Pi Kappa Alpha Fraternity was revived at the Presbyterian College of South Carolina Saturday night, Nov. 19, 1921. Old Mu Chapter relinquished its charter in 1909 when the trustees of the college ruled that fraternities should not be permitted to remain in the institution.

Last May, Brother Robert A. Smythe, Grand Treasurer, honored us with an inspection of our local. During his brief stay here, he met Dr. Douglas, President of the College; Colonel Glasgow, Professor of Military Science and Tactics; Mr. Johnson, Athletic Director, besides other members of our faculty and prominent citizens of the town. He discussed the fraternity situation at the College with these men, and all believed the prospects good for the establishment of several chapters of strong national Greek Letter fraternities. Bro. Smythe's impression of the College and the local made it possible for him to present a favorable report to the Grand Council which resulted in the re-establishment of Mu Chapter.

Just before the installation ceremonies the banquet was held in the Commercial Club Hall. The following menu was served:

	Grape Fruit	
Carolina Turkey		Dressing
Giblet Gravy		Steamed Rice
	Potato Compote	
Chicken Pie		Hot Biscuits
Cranberries		Pickles
	Coffee	
Ice Cream		Cake

The guests of honor, and who were to conduct the installation of the chapter were: Grand Councilor H. B.

Arbuckle; Grand Treasurer Robert A. Smythe; District Princeps W. L. Ferrell, Jr.; Assistant Grand Treasurer Robert M. McFarland, Jr.; ex-Grand Princeps J. Gordon Hughes; Capt. T. S. Dunn, Alpha-Kappa; Frank C. Smith, Alpha-Alpha; local IIs, Dr. D. J. Brimm; Dr. F. D. Jones, D. W. A. Neville, chairman of arrangements; B. H. Boyd, A. H. Copeland.

Representing the College were Dr. D. M. Douglass, President; Dr. A. E. Spencer, chairman of Committee on Fraternities; and Mr. Herbert Crawford, of Pi Kappa Phi. After an hour of pleasant conversation, these guests withdrew and the installation took place in the Masonic Hall nearby, lasting from 9 p.m. to 1:30 a.m.

The following were initiated: J. D. Henderson, J. M. Dick, M. S. Dickson, L. C. LaMotte, J. L. McCord, C. E. Piephoff, H. M. Wilson, J. L. Nickles, J. C. Young, V. K. Bland, W. J. Cherry, W. D. Hudson and J. G. Miller.

Numerous telegrams and letters were received from all over the United States bearing congratulations and welcome to the revived Mu Chapter and to the new brothers. The following telegrams and extracts from letters were received:

Williamsburg, Va., Nov. 19, 1921.

Mu Chapter Pi Kappa Alpha Fraternity, Presbyterian College, Clinton, S. C.

Gamma Chapter sends greetings and best wishes to Mu.

Atlanta, Ga., Nov. 18, 1921.

D. W. A. Neville, Clinton, S. C.

Alpha-Delta Chapter of Pi Kappa Alpha sends greetings and felicitations to Mu Chapter revived and wishes for the utmost success for Mu Chapter in the future.—
E. F. Tippetts, S. M. C.

Davidson, N. C., Nov. 19, 1921.

Pi Kappa Alpha, care D. W. A. Neville, Clinton, S. C.

Congratulations and best wishes. You can't keep good things down.—*Beta Chapter.*

Ithaca, N. Y., Nov. 19, 1921.

Mu Chapter, Clinton, S. C.

We are mighty glad to hear of the revival of Mu Chapter. Accept our hearty greetings and sincere wishes for the best of success. Yours for prosperity and increased activity.—*Beta Theta Chapter, Cornell University.*

Fayetteville, Ark., Nov. 19, 1921.

Pi K A House, Mu Chapter, Clinton, S. C.

Congratulations on your re-entrance to active chapter roll. Wishing you much success.—*Alpha Zeta.*

West Orange, N. J., Nov. 19, 1921.

D. W. A. Neville, Clinton, S. C.

Kindly extend my felicitations to all present on this glad occasion. I sincerely regret not being able to be present, but rejoice that our Grand Councilor and Grand Treasurer, both examples of the personification of our ideals, will represent the Supreme Council.—*J. L. Francis, Grand Secretary.*

Lexington, Ky., Nov. 19, 1921.

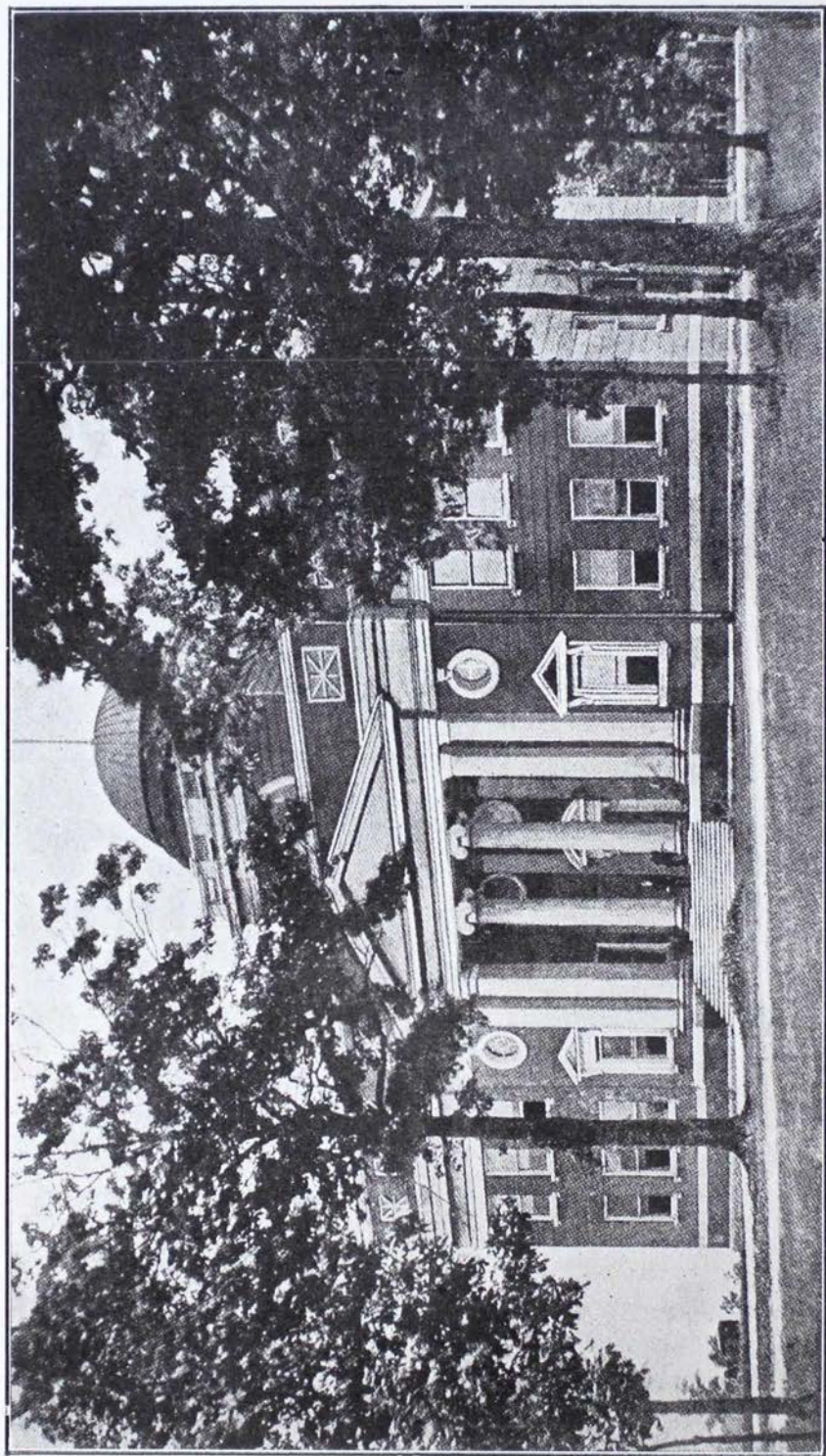
Mu Chapter, Pi Kappa Alpha Fraternity, P. C. of S. C., Clinton, S. C.

Please accept our heartiest congratulations.—*Omega of Pi Kappa Alpha, University of Kentucky.*

Philadelphia, Pa., Nov. 19, 1921.

Pi Kappa Alpha, Clinton, S. C.

Alumnus Alpha Mu welcomes Mu back into the bonds. Best wishes.—*H. M. Gehman.*



ADMINISTRATION BUILDING
Presbyterian College of South Carolina

Chapel Hill, N. C., Nov. 19, 1921.

Mu Chapter, Pi Kappa Alpha, P. C. S. C., Clinton, S. C.

Hearty congratulations and sincere good wishes for all prosperity to our youngest sister.—*Tau Chapter of Pi Kappa Alpha.*

Raleigh, N. C., Nov. 19, 1921.

Pi Kappa Alpha Fraternity, Presbyterian College,
Clinton, S. C.

Alpha Epsilon sends congratulations and hearty welcome to Mu Chapter.—*Alpha Epsilon Chapter.*

New York, N. Y., Nov. 19, 1921.

D. W. A. Neville, Clinton, S. C.

Alumnus Alpha Epsilon sends greetings and best wishes to Mu.—*J. H. Johnston.*

Clarkesville, Tenn., Nov. 19, 1921.

D. W. A. Neville, Clinton, S. C.

Greetings and felicitations to Mu in her new relations.—*Theta.*

Portland, Ore., Nov. 19, 1921.

D. W. A. Neville, Clinton, S. C.

Congratulations, Pi Kaps. Washington, Oregon, delighted to hear of revival of Mu Chapter.—*Everett W. Fenton, Princeps District 14.*

Sherman, Tex., Nov. 19, 1921.

Mu Chapter, Pi Kappa Alpha, Presbyterian College of South Carolina, Clinton, S. C.

Eleventh District Pi Kappa Alphas send congratulations and best wishes.—*R. M. Rolfe, District Princeps.*

Berkeley, Cal., Nov. 19, 1921.

D. W. A. Neville, Clinton, S. C.

District 15 rejoices with you, greetings to Mu.—*C. B. Marsh, District Princeps.*

Berkeley, Cal., Nov. 19, 1921.

D. W. A. Neville, Clinton, S. C.

We rejoice with you in the realization of our long-cherished hope. The recovery of our lost chapter is a vindication of fraternities, and proves the strength and glory of Pi Kappa Alpha. Your leadership in the re-establishment of fraternities in South Carolina carries the interest and hopes of all Greek Letter organizations. May success follow the revival of your pledge in Mu Chapter.—*Roy E. Warren.*

Beta Iota most heartily welcomes the revived Mu Chapter, and offers sincere wishes for continued success.

The Alumnus Alpha Epsilon Chapter of the Pi Kappa Alpha Fraternity desires to extend their best congratulations to you upon the revival of your chapter.

Heartiest greetings and felicitations to Mu Chapter.—*Alpha-Nu Chapter.*

We extend to our new sister chapter congratulations and best wishes for the successful career that is sure to be hers.—*Kappa Chapter.*

May the best success and luck be with you all.—*Alpha-Omicron Chapter.*

Mu's additional strength to her sister chapters will be felt.—*Beta Lambda Chapter.*

A cordial invitation is extended to all the members of Mu Chapter to visit the Beta-Xi chapter house.—*Beta-Xi Chapter.*

May Pi Kappa Alpha in South Carolina grow in prestige through your efforts and may you hold high once more the shining standard of our fraternity in a region that has been long denied its light.—*Alpha-Iota Chapter.*

Delta is very gratified to know of our historic chapter's revival.—*Delta Chapter.*

Beta-Eta wishes to extend to you its sincere congratulation and appreciation of this eventful occasion.—*Beta-Eta Chapter.*

Alumnus Alpha-Nu, St. Louis, wants to extend its greeting to Mu Chapter on this occasion of great joy.—*Alumnus Alpha-Nu.*

Many wishes for a happy and joyous meeting.—*John P. Thomas, Charleston, S. C.*

Greetings and best wishes to the new Mu Chapter.—*Raven McDavid, Greenville, S. C.*

With sympathy for the initiates and best wishes to Mu Chapter.—*Benj. R. Mullins, Jr., Sellers, S. C.*

I am delighted to know that old Mu is to be revived.—*Dr. William Wallace, Chester, S. C.*

Sorry I can not be with you. My best wishes for success of Mu.—*J. D. Jacobs, Atlanta, Ga.*

My sincere good wishes for the revival of the old life and activities of Mu Chapter.—*Rev. R. T. Gillespie, Louisville, Ky.*

I am sure that all of us will enjoy the revival of the Pi Kappa Alpha Fraternity in your state.—*W. H. Ferrill, Winston-Salem, N. C.*

I wish to extend to the members of Mu Chapter my best wishes for a bon voyage.—*Thornwell Jacobs, Oglethorpe University, Ga.*

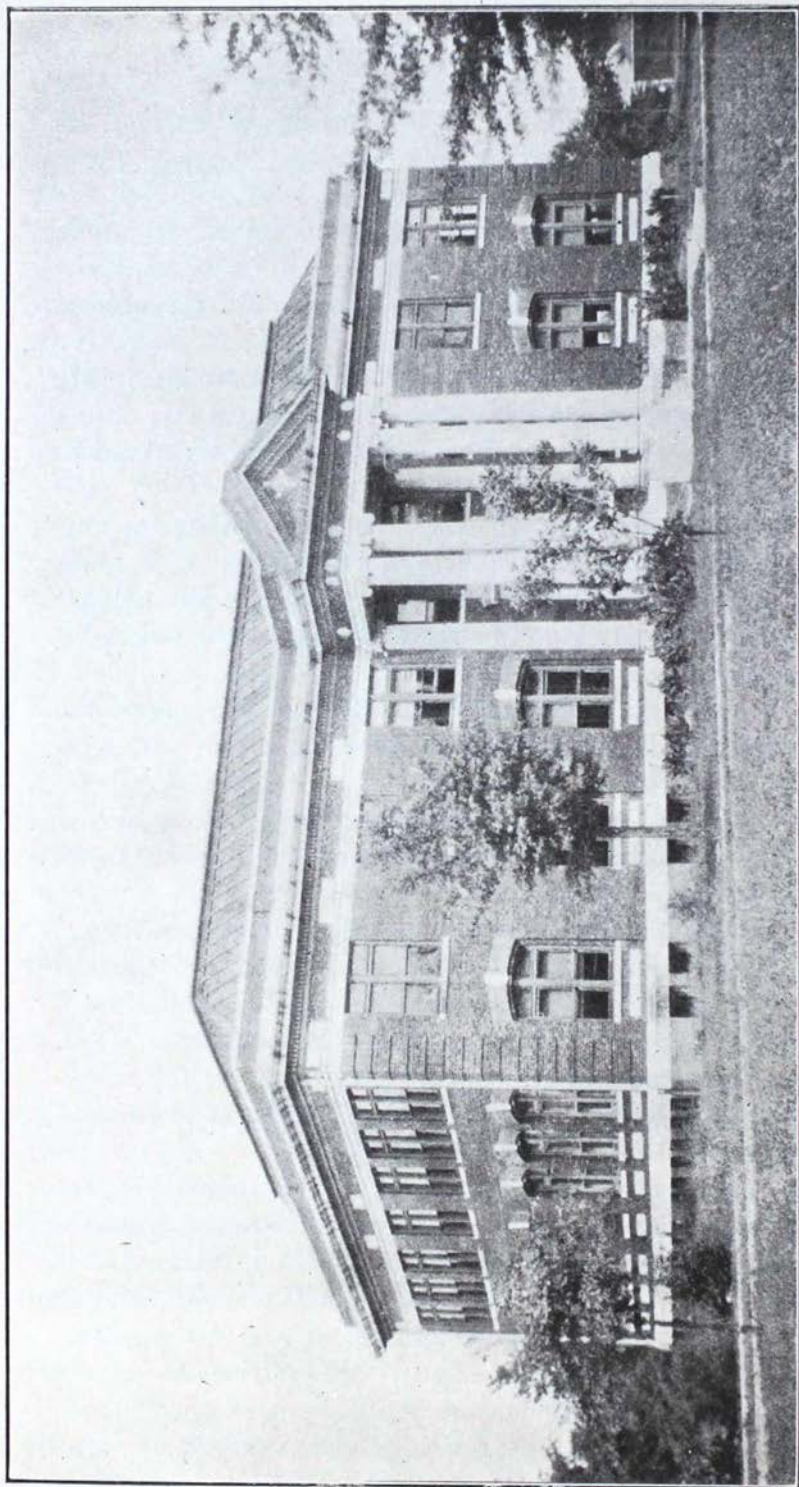
It certainly was a great pleasure to know that your chapter had been revived.—*Garland W. Spencer, Gainesville, Fla.*

Greetings to Mu and all of her loyal members.—*T. C. Gower, Greenville, S. C.*

More than delighted to know that old Mu is to be soon revived.—*Richard Fewell, Rock Hill, S. C.*

My best wishes for success in reorganizing a chapter that will continue to bring honor to Pi Kappa Alpha.—*D. Baker Smith, Vidette, Ga.*

LOUIS C. LAMOTTE.



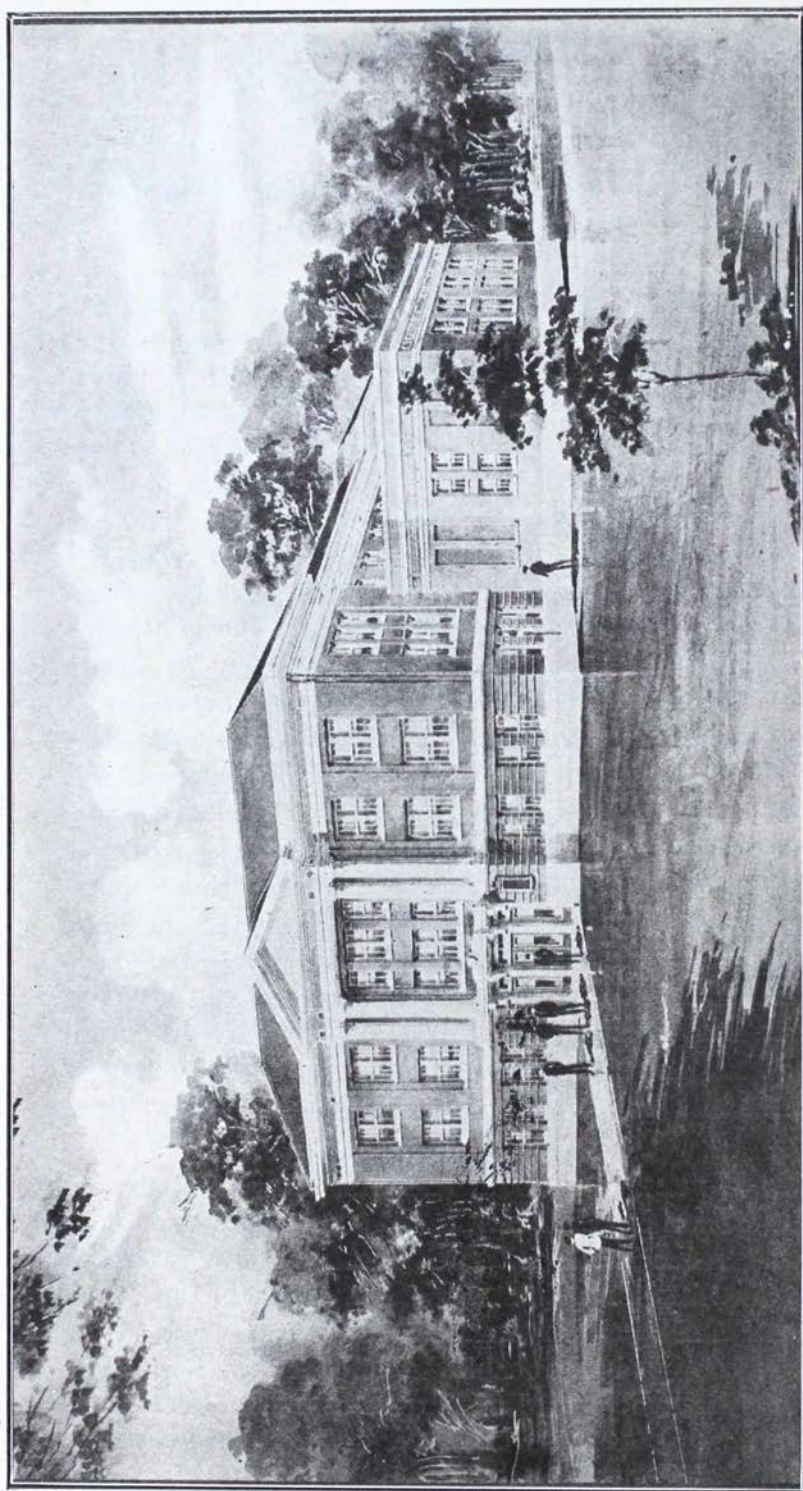
W. P. JACOBS LIBRARY AND SCIENCE BUILDING
Presbyterian College of South Carolina

History of the Presbyterian College of South Carolina, Home of *Phi* Chapter



THE embryo stage of the Presbyterian College of South Carolina is very skillfully recorded by a loyal *Pi*, Brother Thornwell Jacobs, now President of Oglethorpe University, in the biography of his father, Rev. William Plumer Jacobs. He was from 1864 to 1912 the very earnest pastor of the Presbyterian Church at Clinton. Realizing the need, Dr. Jacobs began making plans for the building of a college at Clinton to take care of the education of the Presbyterian youths of the state of South Carolina. His lack of finances and the indifference of the Presbyterians of the state made the development of his plans very slow at first. But in 1880 the Clinton College Association was granted a charter for an institution to be called Clinton College. The College then took an upward trend and in 1888 its name was changed to the Presbyterian College of South Carolina, and the various Presbyterians were asked to elect trustees who should act with the above Association in the management of the College. But it did not become the property of the Presbyteries until 1904 when the "Board of Trustees of the Presbyterian College of South Carolina" was chartered by the legislature.

When the new charter was adopted, the building used as a recitation hall was on the campus of the Thornwell Orphanage, the Presbyterian Orphanage of the States of South Carolina, Georgia and Florida. After a few years the possibilities of the College were realized more than ever before and the material equipment was then greatly enlarged. In 1907 the modern Administration Building was completed and occupied, standing upon a



PROPOSED GYMNASIUM AND SWIMMING POOL
Presbyterian College of South Carolina

beautiful thirty-four acre campus belonging to the College. The campus is situated in the heart of the best section of Clinton, only about five blocks from the railroad station.

The growth of "P. C." (the popular name of the College) in recent years has been phenomenal and its present efficiency is most gratifying. Twelve years ago the student body numbered 85, of which at least half were co-eds. But at present the co-educational feature and all the sub-freshman work has been eliminated. The entrance requirements have been raised to fifteen units, which gives the college an academic rating unsurpassed by any institution in the state. A very high standard of work is maintained, and a diploma from P. C. has come to be recognized in all educational circles as representing education of the highest order. In spite of the great advance in entrance requirements, the enrollment has continually increased until it has reached the present 165 male college students. Ten years ago there were only six men employed to do the executive work and give the instruction. Today the faculty consists of fifteen professors, who without exception, have had extensive training in their special fields. Several of them are recognized as authorities in their subjects. Besides the faculty, the college employs a business manager and several assistant professors. Ten years ago not a single professor devoted his entire time to science. Today the scientific departments are housed in a large modern scientific building where three professors and three assistants give the instruction. The laboratory equipment is all new and modern. The College has gained an excellent standing with the medical colleges of the country for its pre-medical course.

At present the material equipment of the College consists of six commodious college buildings, of comparatively recent construction. The campus has been developed according to plans made by one of America's great-

est landscape engineers and therefore the position and appearance of each building has been made to harmonize with every other building. Pressed brick is the finish used in all but one of the buildings. The Administration Building contains class rooms and the offices. Spencer Hall is the largest and newest of the dormitories, but it is only slightly superior to Laurens Hall in modern equipment and facilities. Alumni Hall dormitory is undergoing remodeling at the present time and when finished will be up-to-date in every respect. The W. P. Jacobs Science Hall has already been mentioned. The College Refectory occupies a large and well arranged building, Judd Hall. In addition to the college proper, the president's home, four professors' homes, and a recently installed heating plant occupy positions on the campus. All buildings are connected by concrete walks and the central driveway is macadamized. Several thousand dollars was spent for shrubs and flowers last year, which should soon transform the campus into a garden spot.

This year it was necessary to move the athletic field so as not to interfere with the excavating for the new \$80,000 gymnasium building. The new field was completed barely in time for the first football game of the season. This athletic ground is probably the best in the state. It is perfectly leveled, topsoiled and artificially drained. The stands have not yet been completed.

The excavating for the new gymnasium and natatorium will begin soon. This building will be a great addition to the College. The present gymnasium is small and no provision is made for swimming. In the new building a large and completely furnished gymnasium and a 30x20 ft. swimming pool will fulfill all that could be desired of this order.

The entire college plant is being renovated and improved at this time and for this purpose a contractor is retained by the College continually.

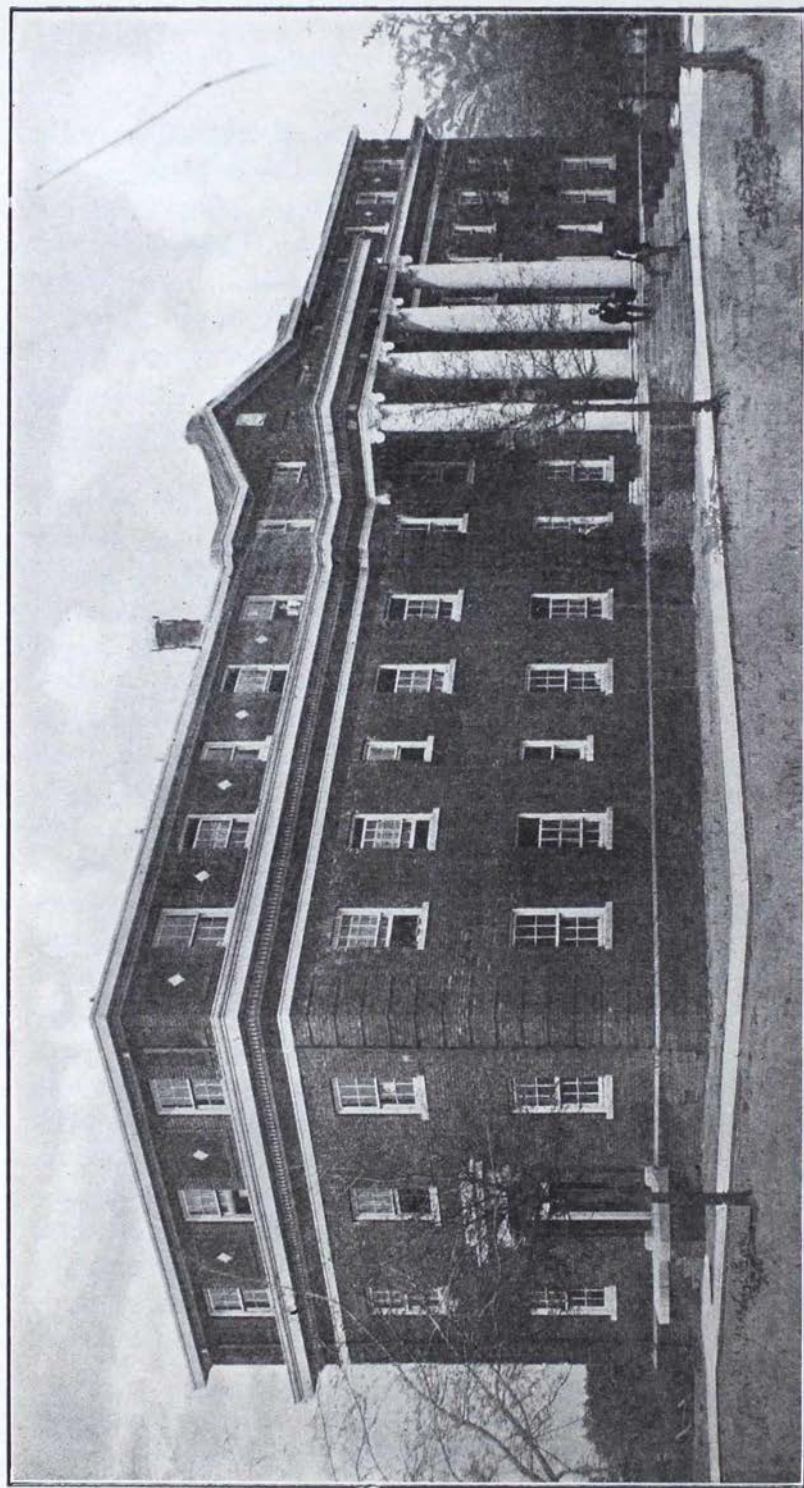
Financially the College does not appear as strong as

it really is. The endowment is only \$50,000, but if the \$30,000 contributed each year by the Presbyteries is considered as interest at 6 per cent from an endowment, the total endowment is raised to \$550,000. The College will receive practically all that was raised for it in the recent Presbyterian Million Dollar Campaign in South Carolina. This money will be expended in further increases of facilities and improvements. This year the College was recognized by the Rockefeller Foundation and is to receive \$5,000 a year from this source.

The students at P. C. enter into college activities with much pride and enthusiasm. They support three college publications: An annual called *The PaC-Sac*; a bi-monthly literary magazine, *The Collegian*, and a fortnightly paper, *The Blue Stocking*. Every student belongs to one of the two literary societies and receives there practical training in debating, oratory and public speaking. The Debating Club, the Oratorical Club and the Dramatic Club furnish an opportunity for special training. The Glee Club makes two trips over the State each year and has always met with success. "P. C." has been a member of the South Carolina Inter-Collegiate Oratorical Association since its organization and has never failed to send a representative. Each year finds the College taking a larger and more important part in the other inter-collegiate organizations of which it is a member.

A unit of the Reserve Officers Training Corps is maintained at the College by the War Department. The Military Training is in charge of Col. E. L. Glasgow, U. S. A., who is assisted by a sergeant. It affords Government aid to students, furnishes a reasonable and agreeable discipline and physical training that shows us well, especially in the period of training. The R. O. T. C. has proved popular with the student-body and the science and art of war is being successfully mastered.

Believing that the best education is worth little without physical fitness, the College takes complete control of



SPENCER HALL (DORMITORY)
Presbyterian College of South Carolina

all athletics. The Presbyterian College is equally as thorough in this phase of college work as in any other department. Few are the small colleges that can boast of a better athletic record in any phase of athletics than can P. C. Until 1915 the College did not participate in intercollegiate athletics except in playing freshman teams of larger institutions of the state. At that time Prof. Walter A. Johnson took charge of all athletics and has succeeded in making a five-year record unsurpassed by any coach in the state.

P. C. is a young college, but it is growing fast. The developments of the past few years are probably but the shadow of coming events. Each year finds the student-body larger and the rate of increase is itself increasing. When the additions and improvements outlined above are completed, the College will have the needed capacity for students. The academic standing is already firmly fixed. There is nothing to prevent a rapid and wholesome growth within the next few years. The brothers of Mu Chapter are proud of their Alma Mater, because it possesses the virile spirit of all-conquering youth. The Presbyterian College of South Carolina is a fine specimen of a healthy young college.

LOUIS C. LAMOTTE.

THE LARGEST HOTEL IN THE WORLD IS OURS ON
APRIL 18-21, 1922.

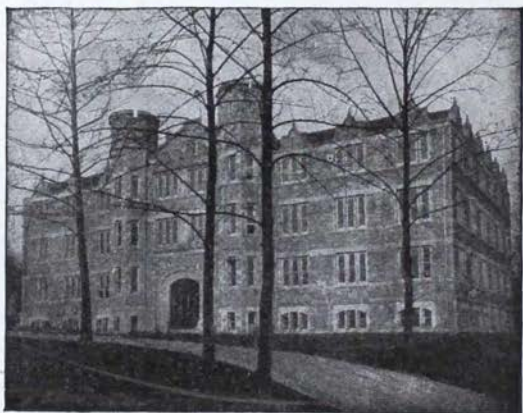
History of Vanderbilt University

(Home of Sigma Chapter, recently revived.)



ANDERBILT University was founded with the financial aid of Cornelius Vanderbilt, of New York, who made a donation of \$500,000. This donation was the beginning of a series of gifts which finally amounted to \$1,000,000.

The original endowment was added to later by the son

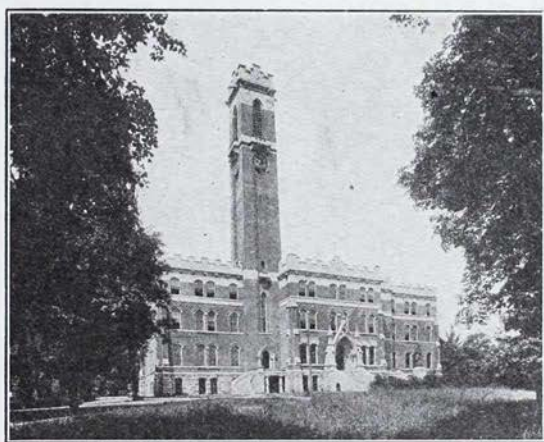


FURMAN HALL
Vanderbilt University

of the founder, Mr. W. H. Vanderbilt, who gave several large sums to the university which altogether totaled \$450,000. This second endowment made possible the erection and equipment of Wesley Hall, Gymnasium and Science Hall. Again, in 1888, a donation was made by the grandson of the founder which was added to later, making a sum of \$80,000, which was used in the erection of a building to be used for the teaching of engineering. In the next year Mr. W. K. Vanderbilt, also a grandson of the founder, donated a sum of \$140,000 which was

applied toward the building of a dormitory called KISSAM Hall in memory of his mother. Later on he made contributions amounting to \$300,000, to be used in the purchase of the Peabody Campus for the use of the School of Medicine and the School of Dentistry.

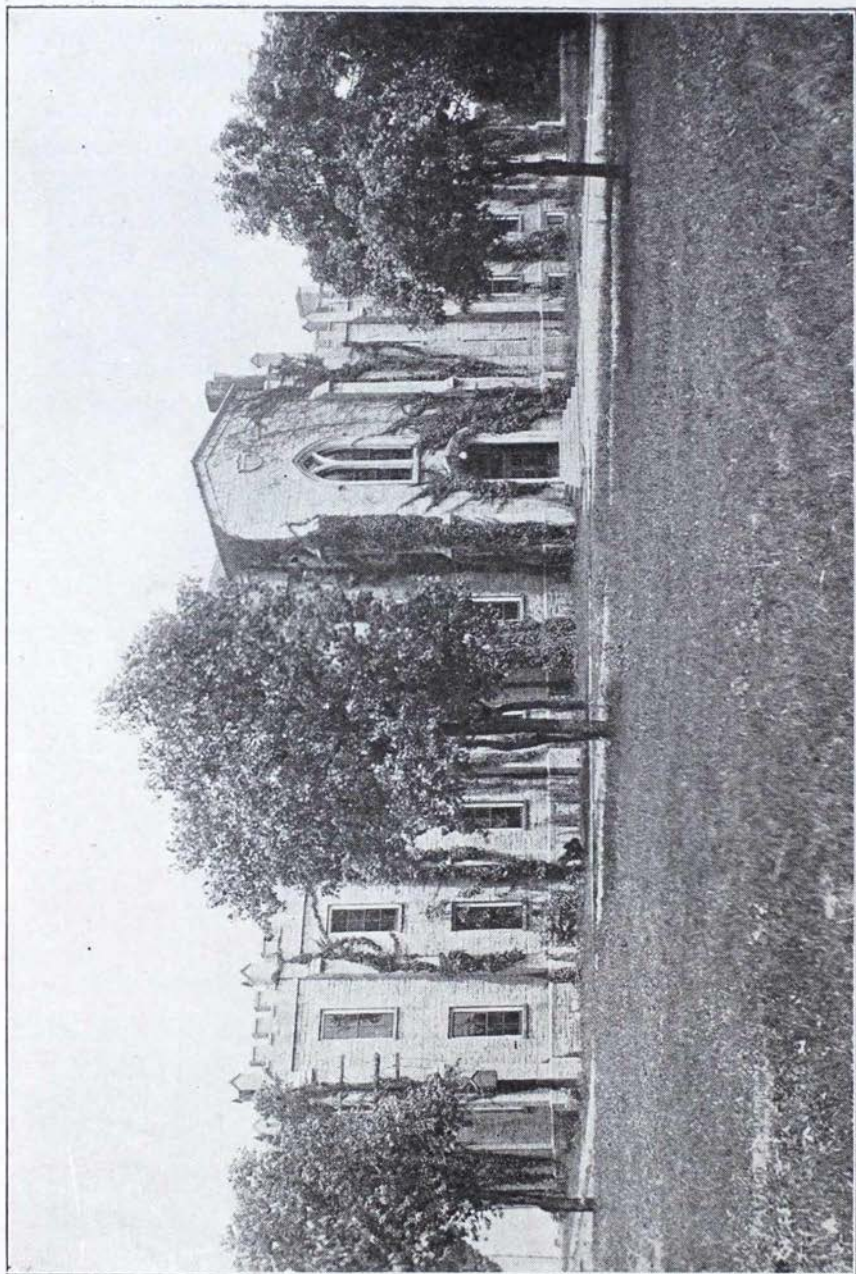
Mr. Andrew Carnegie has made two gifts for the benefit of the Medical Department of the University, one of \$200,000 in May, 1913, for the erection and equipment of a laboratory and one of \$800,000 in 1914 for endowment. In January, 1918, was completed a movement for adding \$1,000,000 to the endowment of the College of



COLLEGE HALL
Vanderbilt University

Arts and Sciences. This has made possible the present extensive development of the College of Arts and Sciences.

In 1919 the General Education Board of New York appropriated \$4,000,000 to the School of Medicine. This donation will be used in the removal of the Medical School to the Campus now occupied by the other departments of the university and will make possible the erection of one large complete building, equipped with hospital and clinical work, with the latest apparatus. This great improvement will place Vanderbilt School of Medicine on a



MAIN BUILDING (SOUTH CAMPUS)
Vanderbilt University.

par with any medical school in the country. This donation will effect an entire reorganization of the Medical School in accordance with the most exacting demands of modern medical education.

RESOURCES.

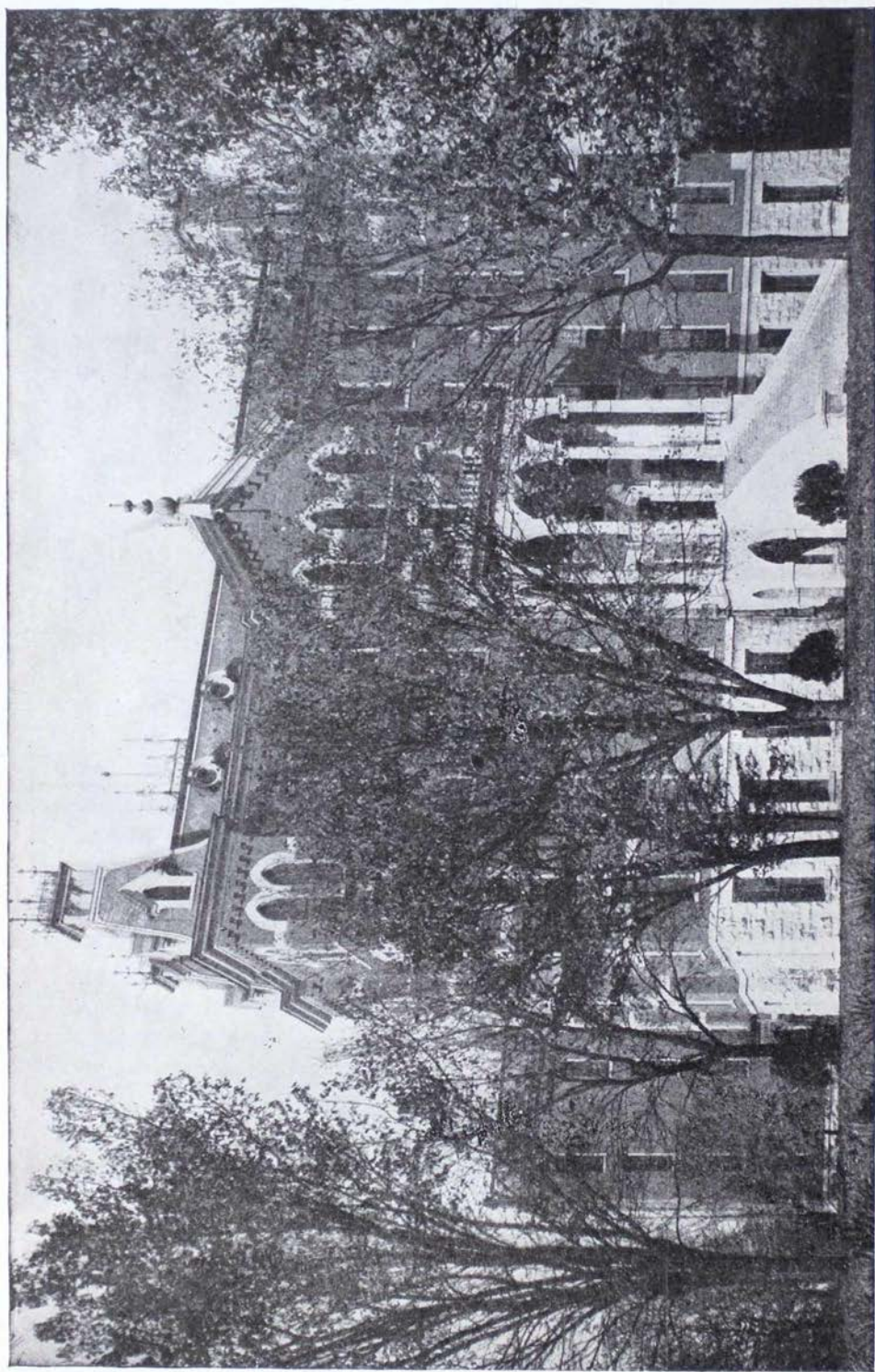
The productive funds are	\$3,400,000
Medical School appropriation	4,000,000
Value of grounds	400,000
Value of buildings	1,400,000
Value of apparatus, etc.	225,000
Total annual income	250,000

The University as now organized comprises:

- I. The College of Arts and Sciences.
- II. The School of Engineering.
- III. The School of Religion.
- IV. The School of Law.
- V. The School of Medicine.
- VI. The School of Dentistry.

Each of the schools as well as the college has its faculty of instruction charged with its special management. The first four of these schools are housed on the University Campus sometimes called West Campus, the grounds comprising 76 acres, are tastefully laid out in drives and walks which are lighted at night by electricity, and are ornamented by flower pots and about one hundred and fifty varieties of shade trees. The buildings located on West Campus are: College Hall, Science Hall, the Observatory, the Gymnasium, Engineering Hall, Wesley Hall, Kissam Hall, Furman Hall, the West Side Dormitories, West Side Hall, and nine residences for professors. The new proposed stadium composed of a plot of eleven acres is adjoining West Campus. The stadium when completed will seat 40,000 people and will have ample room for all forms of athletics.

The South Campus comprising sixteen acres, is in the southern part of the city on College Hill, the former site



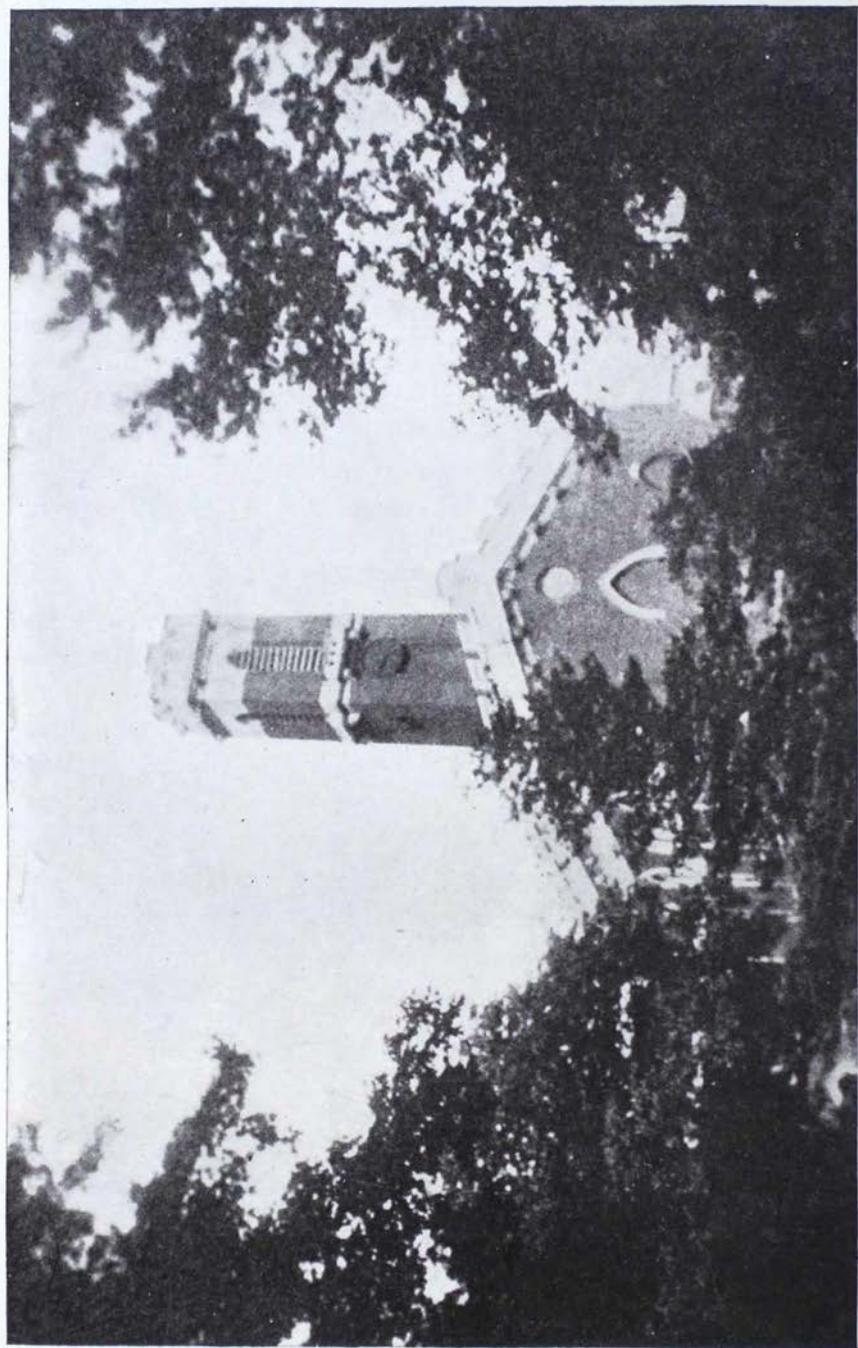
WESLEY HALL—THEOLOGICAL ROOMS AND DORMITORIES
Vanderbilt University.

of the University of Nashville. The buildings of the Schools of Medicine and Dentistry are located on this Campus. Central Hall is a stone building especially adapted for lectures and laboratory work. This building contains the heating plant which supplies heat to all of the buildings on the campus. It also contains the Chemical, Physiological and Pharmaceutical Laboratories.

Other buildings on the campus are: The New Dental Operatory and Dental Laboratories, the Gymnasium, the office Building of the School of Medicine and which contains, in addition to the office, the book store and the reading room, Medical Library and Y. M. C. A. rooms. The Gallaway Memorial Hospital, not quite completed, is in the southwest portion of the campus. The College Hospital is a handsome building on the corner of Fifth Ave. and Elm St. College clinics and ward class work are carried on in this hospital, and also in the city hospital.

The reorganization and the purchase of new equipment which will be made possible by the late \$4,000,000 appropriation, will insure Vanderbilt's position as one of the leading medical schools in the country. This should offer every inducement to men taking professional work to transfer to Vanderbilt to secure the decidedly better advantages which this school can offer in the Medical, Legal and Dental Schools.

WALL STREET AND THE STOCK EXCHANGE ARE IN
NEW YORK. COME SEE THE MONEY GROW.



COLLEGE HALL, MAIN ADMINISTRATION AND CLASS ROOMS, VANDERBILT UNIVERSITY.

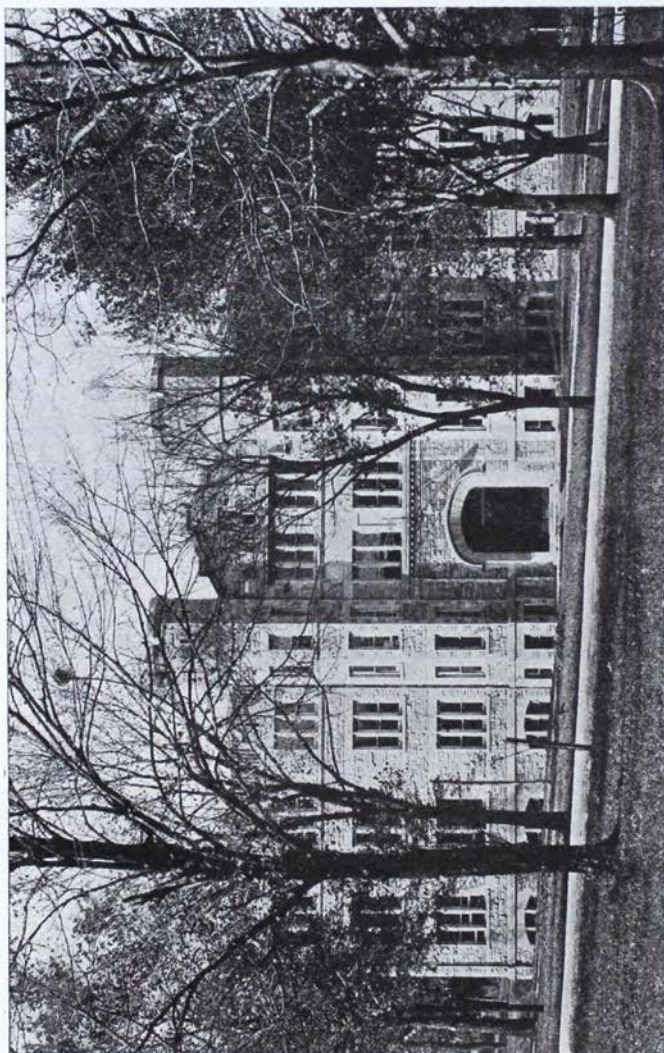
The Early History of Sigma Chapter

Before the year 1893, there had been no chapter of Pi Kappa Alpha at Vanderbilt University, although there had been numerous efforts made by the different members of the fraternity to have one installed at this school.

Consequently the efforts of the alumni culminated on Sept. 23, 1893, when a charter was granted to the following men in Vanderbilt: Max Miller Jones, George William Williamson, Thomas Henry Peebles, and James Madison Bryson, these being the charter members and given authority to exist as Sigma Chapter of Pi Kappa Alpha. They existed during that year and the following one but in the fall of 1895, none of them returned to school and the chapter consequently became inactive.

Two years later, through the efforts of Robert Hill, Theta, the Grand Secretary at that time, Sigma Chapter again was reorganized, there being at that time several of the members of the fraternity in Vanderbilt, although no new charter was granted. The chapter prospered from that year until 1906, when only one man returned to school and then the charter was voluntarily surrendered.

The year before the charter was given up, Sigma was considered as one of the strongest chapters at Vanderbilt, and its death was caused by a number of men graduating, which at that time was a serious problem for fraternities, as the chapters were not so large then as they are now. This is very easily shown by the fact that Sigma, during its existence only initiated forty-four men although there were ten transfers during that period. During this time it produced some alumni who have been active in national work, two of whom have been Grand Officers, William Clark Lowe, A. B., was a former Deputy Grand Treasurer, and James Richard Williamson, A. B., was the Grand Secretary in 1905.



FURMAN HALL
CHEMISTRY BUILDING
Vanderbilt University

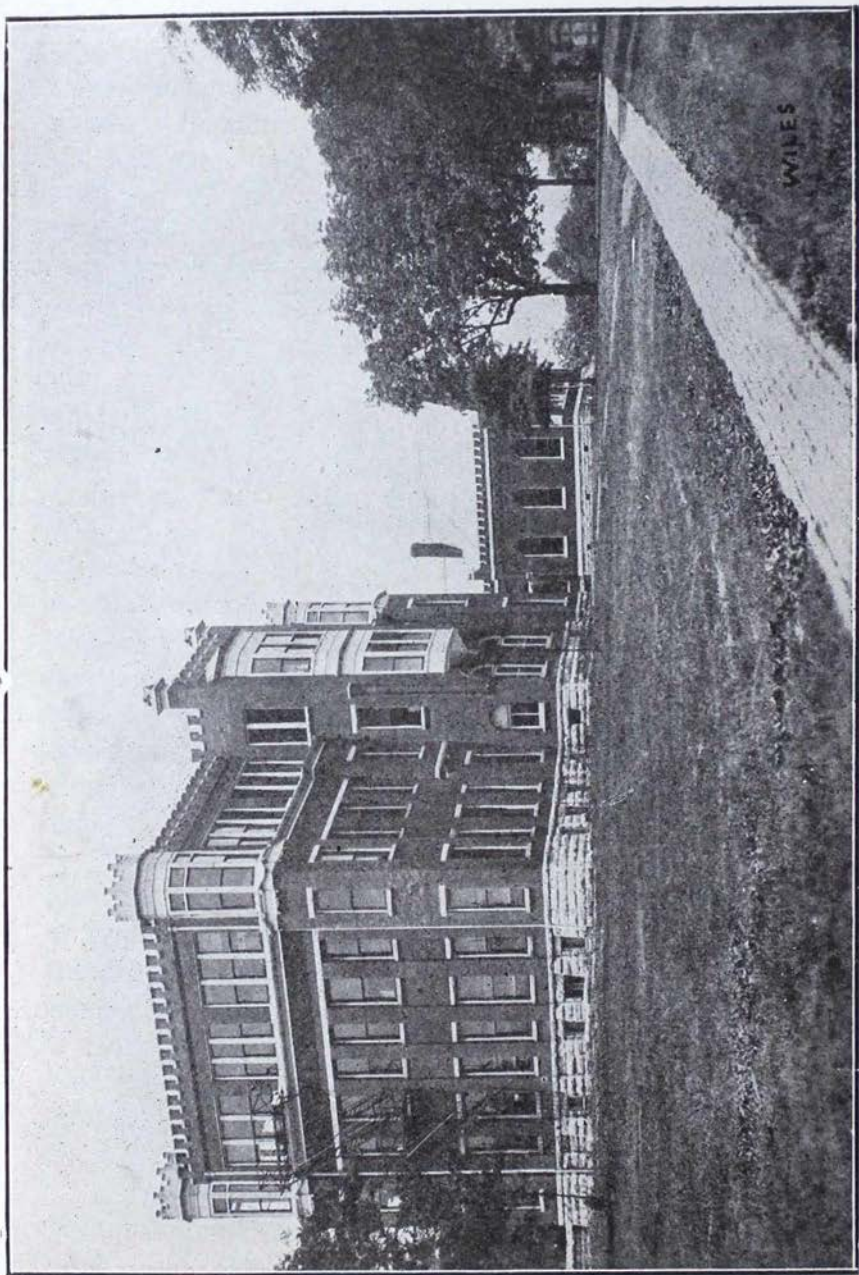
THE REVIVAL OF SIGMA CHAPTER

The loss of Sigma Chapter at Vanderbilt was keenly felt by all of the chapters but more especially was it felt by the chapters in the State of Tennessee and the adjoining states. Many a Pi K A saw a good man from his home town go to Vanderbilt only to be lost to Pi Kappa Alpha because there was no chapter there. Vanderbilt being a good exchange and transfer school, there was always some Pis in school but usually not enough to band together and revive Sigma. As said before, the loss was most keenly felt in Tennessee and consequently one of the chapters in that state was first to any movement to revive Sigma.

Before the war, Zeta Chapter, through a representative, W. J. Wadlington, took steps to see what could be done as to this good movement. Much correspondence was carried on by Bro. Wadlington, but all of his efforts were of no avail, for at that time our country was plunged into the World War and then even the position of old and stable chapters was turbulent and unsettled. Consequently these efforts were unsuccessful and only successful in that they left the spirit implanted in some of the brothers to do this seemingly impossible task.

In the spring, after the war, a delegation from Theta came to Nashville to confer with the Pi Kaps then in school as to the advisability of starting a chapter, but at that time all the Pi's were in the Medical School with the possible exception of one. The Medical School is separated from the main school and so it was seen that nothing could be done toward a chapter on the West Campus, as the men on South could not support a house on the West Campus.

In the spring of 1921, this matter was again brought up in Zeta Chapter by Milton Davenport and Zeta Chapter promised him support in what action he might take. He at once got in touch with other chapters and the Supreme Council. At the District Convention held in



DENTAL BUILDING (SOUTH CAMPUS)
Vanderbilt University.

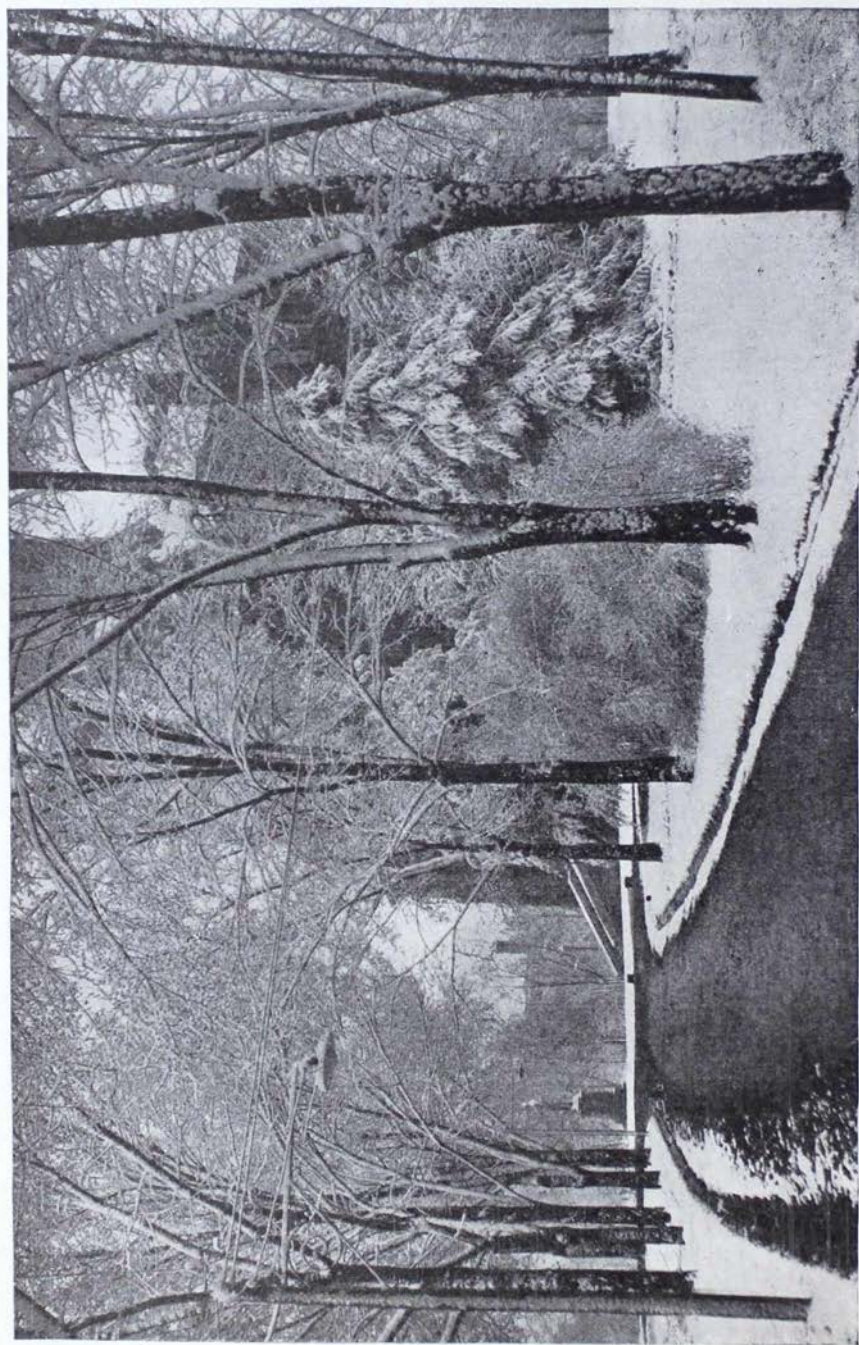
Raleigh, N. C., Bro. Davenport introduced the movement and the Convention went on motion as heartily favoring such a move and each chapter promised their individual support.

During the summer, after much correspondence with all the Southern chapters and through the splendid aid and co-operation of Bro. Smythe, it was discovered that there would be three Pi's in the Medical School and several others were thinking of attending Vanderbilt. These men were written and urged to come to Vanderbilt and aid in this noble work. Letters were received from some of them promising to attend and the best part of it was that some of them were to be in the Academic and Law Departments.

With this to depend on, Bro. Davenport assisted in the organization of the alumni in Nashville. Bro. Davenport was very ably assisted in this work by Hon. Luis Leftwich, Sigma, and P. G. Cantrell and A. L. Rawlings, Zeta. It was at this time that the present house was secured. This was made possible by the loyal support of the Pi's in Nashville at that time.

It was then only a short time until that important time of matriculation and it was wondered by several, how many Pi's will matriculate? After matriculation, it was found that the following men were in school: Milton Davenport, Frank Davenport, and James Comfort of Zeta; E. M. Regen, Theta; John A. Martin, Henry F. Martin, Kappa, and W. G. Scanlon of Iota. These men immediately had a meeting at the chapter house, elected officers and began to function as a club. They drew up a petition to the Supervisory Committee of the faculty and asked permission to exist in Vanderbilt as Sigma chapter in case a charter was granted by the Supreme Council. Just at this time W. T. Farmer, of Upsilon, made his expected arrival.

Bro. J. Pike Powers, Zeta, District Princeps, inspected us the following week and made a favorable report to



SNOW SCENE ON THE CAMPUS. STATUE OF THE COMMODORE IN THE DISTANCE.
Vanderbilt University.

the Supreme Council, who immediately granted us a charter, and a week later Bro. Powers installed us as a chapter and a week later Bro. Powers installed us as Sigma with a very simple ceremony. The following alumni were present at the installation: E. B. Eleazer, Theta; D. W. McCollough, Alpha-Pi; W. H. Blake, Upsilon; R. B. Harrison, A. L. Rawlings, P. G. Cantrell, Avent Murphree, H. C. Boone, H. T. Polk of Zeta, B. F. Madden, Alpha Delta, and A. B. Cummings of Rho. It was regretted that no formal installation could be held but it was imperative that we function as a chapter at once so as to get our share of the good men who were then entering Vanderbilt. We succeeded in pledging eight men, three of whom we have already initiated, making our number eleven when it was increased to twelve by the affiliation of Chas. R. Wharton of Alpha-Iota.

Since our entrance here we have been admitted to the Pan-Hellenic and have been accorded a cordial welcome by the other chapters, many of whom have assisted us in any way they could and we feel perfectly at home now.

This enterprise has from the very outset received help and special thanks should be given to Bro. R. A. Smythe for his splendid aid during last summer and fall. Also the neighboring chapters should not be left out of the praise, especially has Zeta been helpful, both in moral and financial support. The different alumni of Nashville rendered valiant service in every way and manner that could be supposed.

More than ordinary credit is due to Milton Davenport, Zeta, the leader in this movement, it was his incessant labors in the summer and fall that made this movement a success and his labors are rewarded by Pi Kappa Alpha being firmly entrenched again at Vanderbilt University.

In Memoriam

EDWIN RAY GUNN

ALPHA-OMEGA

WHEREAS, God in His Predestined pleasure has taken from us our beloved brother, Edwin Ray Gunn; and

Whereas, The Pi Kappa Alpha Fraternity, in the death of Brother Gunn, has lost a true, faithful and conscientious member, and one who has done honor to his country, as well as to our Fraternity; and

Whereas, We, the members of Alpha Omega Chapter, do deeply mourn the loss of our Brother; now, therefore be it

Resolved, That we, the members of Alpha Omega Chapter, extend to the family of Brother Gunn, in this hour of sorrow, our deepest sympathy; and be it further

Resolved, That a copy of these resolutions be sent to the family of Brother Gunn, that they be published in THE SHIELD AND DIAMOND; and that they be recorded in the minutes of Alpha Omega Chapter.

RALPH ADAMS.

In Memoriam

PRESTON EDWARD BROWN

ALPHA-OMEGA

WHEREAS, It has been the will of the Almighty, who knoweth and doeth all things well, to call from our midst, Preston Edward Brown, and

Whereas, The memory of our Brother will be always dear to us who knew him and loved him as a true friend and Brother; and

Whereas, In the death of Brother Brown, the Pi Kappa Alpha Fraternity has lost a loyal, devoted member, one who was an honor to his country, his family and our Fraternity; therefore be it

Resolved, That we of Alpha Omega, in this hour of sorrow, extend to the family of Brother Brown, our deepest sympathy, and be it further

Resolved, That these resolutions be sent to the family of Brother Brown; that they be published in THE SHIELD AND DIAMOND and that they be spread upon the minutes of Alpha Omega Chapter.

RALPH ADAMS.



EDITORIAL

Can we add to the glowing words of Brother Johnston on the coming Convention which appear on a preceding page of this issue?

The Convention Can mere word alone convey an adequate idea of a Convention of Pi Kappa Alpha.

Banquet and balls, smokers and sightseeing trips; all these are the more material side of the reunion; they perhaps can be pictured.

But who can put into words the atmosphere of good fellowship, the indefinable spirit that brings back a host of memories of the happiest days of one's life.

Business is business, Brother Alumnus, but conventions and your brothers in Pi Kappa Alpha are life; and a few days in this genial air of youth and comradeship will pay golden dividends in a more vigorous and more youthful outlook upon the world.

Can you afford, then, to miss Pi Kappa Alpha's greatest convention in the greatest city of the world?

We know you will be there, for these four great days of Pi Kappa will be four of the greatest days of your life.

To you the active chapters is entrusted the active and militant leadership of Pi Kappa Alpha. In the eyes of the world you are Pi Kappa Alpha; you bear aloft her banner of garnet and gold; we, the alumni exist only for your greater good and more perfect success.

Your Responsibility Active Chapter!

And as your position is high, so your responsibility. The golden chain is ruined by one rusty and weakened link, one traitor blackens the fair reputation of an army.

Need we tell you, then, to bear ever before you the fact that by your actions Pi Kappa Alpha will be judged and by your deeds, will its name stand out more brightly on the pages of fraternity annals.

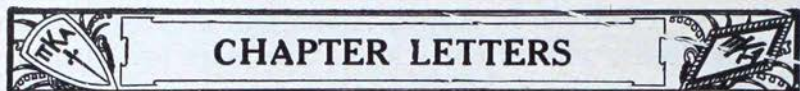
The revival of Sigma and Mu is closely followed by the chartering of Beta Sigma Chapter at
The Newest Chapter Carnegie Institute. More will be said of our most recent acquisition in the next issue. For the present: The heartiest of welcomes to you, Beta Sigma.

Every honored name is sought by the unworthy. Every worthwhile institution gives rise to a multi-
Fraternities tude of imitations.

So has the college fraternity its counterfeits. Greek titles mask the pernicious activities of a host of so-called fraternities, who bring disfavor and disgrace upon its honored name.

As was emphasized at the Interfraternity Conference with reference to Kappa Beta Phi and T N E, fraternities must take definite steps against those of their members who are found to belong to such organizations; and such action we heartily recommend.

GRATIFY THAT DESIRE. VISIT NEW YORK IN APRIL.



CHAPTER LETTERS

Chapter Letters must be mailed to **General Office** by 1st of October, December, February, April and June. (Section 29, National By-Laws.) Chapters are advised to Register these Letters, preventing loss in mail.

ALPHA.

University of Virginia.

As the old year draws to a close, and the new, as always, occupies our best thoughts, Alpha may well look back with pride upon the past year, and hope for and believe in even better success in the future. And it is with great pleasure, and a reasonable amount of satisfaction that we present to our sister chapters, our best guarantee for future achievement, our initiates.

Hubbard Hood, Richmond, Ky.
Hamilton Doane Darby, Jacksonville, Fla.
George Winchester, Wilmington, Del.
William Durham Carver, Morristown, Tenn.
Charles Henry Lewis, Fredericksburg, Va.
Fred William Catterall, Galveston, Texas.
Chester Bedell, Jacksonville Fla.

The Football Season drew to a rather unhappy close upon our defeat at the hands of Carolina. But we were not altogether unsuccessful for last year's defeat by V. M. I. was thoroughly revenged, and the strong West Virginia eleven held to one well won touchdown. Alpha was not represented on the team this year, but in other branches of sport she stands high, and bids fair to place men on several Varsities. "Bill" Gammon and Graham Preston are standing out well in basketball, while on the mat, Atteberry, Hanger and McHaney are making a strong bid for the team. Initiates Lewis and Carver are representing us this year on the Glee Club.

During the Fall Germans, by the combined efforts of all the Brothers, a most successful four-day House-Party was given and an informal afternoon dance. The reception of both was so enthusiastic that plans are already being made for a more extended affair at Easter.

On Thanksgiving Day we were honored by a visit from Grand Princes John R. Perez and Grand Treasurer Robert A. Smythe.

It was with great pleasure that we welcomed them upon their first visit to Memorial Hall, and hope that it may prove an inspiration for many future ones.

Alpha extends greetings to her sister Chapters, wishing them new success and new achievements, with the coming year.

CHAS. L. REESE, JR.

2200 ROOMS—2200 BATHS! COME TO THE HOTEL PENNSYLVANIA IN NEW YORK ON APRIL 18, 1922, AND GET YOURS.

BETA.

Davidson College.

Beta takes pleasure in introducing to the fraternity at large a new brother:

H. Francis Northrop, St. Paul, N. C.

Since our last letter we have been very busy for we are in the heart of our rushing season. On October 13th we had our annual freshman feed. We had twelve of the choicest freshmen with us and all enjoyed a good time. Our prospects look good for this year and we hope by our next letter to report a most successful rushing season. Bid day comes during the early part of February.

On November 5th many of our number were guests at the banquet given by Alumnus Upsilon chapter of Charlotte. We enjoyed meeting the brothers from Alpha Epsilon who were present in Charlotte for the Davidson-N. C. State game, and we were glad to be with the brothers of Charlotte again who are our old friends.

Davidson's social event of the fall, Senior Speaking, has just passed from November 25th thru the 28th. The fairest of the ladies were here on our bid. To say that we had a good time during Speaking does not adequately express our sentiments. Grantham, Beta, and Sherrill, Alpha, spent that time with us and we enjoyed having them very much.

Since our last letter the appearance of our old campus has been marred. Old Chambers building, a massive structure, stately in its Colonial architecture, picturesque with clinging ivy and weather-worn brick, went up in flames on the morning of November 28th. This old dormitory was erected in 1865. Its history is entwined in the traditions of Davidson and sight of its

ruins leaves a sore spot in the hearts of those who knew it best. The Trustees, however, are already planning a new structure to take its place and we hope that from this may begin a great building program that will greatly advance our college.

With best wishes from Beta.

A. M. HILLHOUSE.

GAMMA.

College of William and Mary.

Gamma has had a thoroughly successful and enjoyable autumn. Since our last letter our rushing campaign has been launched and brought to a successful close, and as a result, we take great pleasure in announcing the following pledges:

Aubrey Archer Aaron, Richmond, Va.

Arthur Chase Bennett, Cincinnati, Ohio.

Donald Kappleman, Norfolk, Va.

Thomas Newman, Jr., Newport News, Va.

J. Asa Shields, Hampton, Va.

John Buxton Todd, Newport News, Va.

These men are Gamma's peerless selection; from a field of the most promising set of new men ever enrolled in the College of William and Mary. Aubrey Aaron of Richmond comes to us as a three-year man from the Virginia Polytechnic Institute and has already made a name for himself on the campus. Arthur Bennett of Cincinnati comes to us from the Tennessee Military Institute from which school he graduated last June. While there he was captain of the football team and president of the senior class. Donald Kappleman of Norfolk hails from a Wisconsin high school, where he graduated several years ago. He has since received an appointment to the United States Military Academy for which he will take an examination next spring pending his entrance to that institution. Thomas Newman, Jr., comes to us from the Augusta Military Academy of Fort Defiance, Va., where he acquitted himself nobly, coming to us with a fine record. Asa Shields of Hampton, Va., entered from the University of Virginia, carrying with him an enviable record for his freshman year at that institution. John Todd of Newport News comes to us from the celebrated high school of that city, bringing with him the unusual record of captaining all four teams during his senior year in addition to an enviable scholastic record.

On the night of Tuesday, November 22nd, we held our rushing parties in the form of a stag banquet at one of the local hotels, and later, returning to the confines of the chapter house, a dance

to the strains of the "Dream Girl" of II KA." The day was "red-letter" one for Gamma.

Plates were set at the banquet for forty men, including in that number our alumni, rushees and active members. A decorative scheme of the fraternity flower and colors was carried out in a lily-of-the-valley favor placed beside each plate and tied with a Garnet and Gold ribbon. Extremely attractive menus were also placed at each plate, carrying with them the glad tidings that a turkey dinner was in order, and in addition, the personnel of the active chapter and also local alumni. Brother Oscar L. Shew-make served as Toastmaster, and by reason of his rich anecdotes and spontaneity, and also by virtue of a few well-chosen and sincere words to our guests brought the first half of our party to a successful close.

The dance at the chapter house was a decided success. The decorative scheme had been carried out in a Garnet and Gold with the aid of a few evergreens and multicolored autumn leaves. A celebrated local orchestra, the Jolly Jazzers, were the "pep" instillers, aided by the presence of many of our fair co-eds and visiting girls, and also by the preponderance of arranged-for stags. A Pi Kappa Alpha special dance was staged, during the course of which all were presented with gay caps of many shapes and colors, and in addition our lady guests were presented with a tiny bracelet favor, made up of our coat-of-arms placarded on a sterling silver base; all fastened to the wrist with a black gros-grain ribbon. It is needless to say that these favors made a decided hit, and that we have gained many a lady champion to our cause.

During the intermission Pi Kappa Alpha was again in evidence when colored cream and ice was served with tink cakes which had II KA inscribed upon them in candy fréscoing. Later the usual gay streamers and confetti were introduced and so the party ended in a flourish of gayety and enjoyment.

Gamma Chapter has been well representd on the football field this fall. Sorg, Hastings and Dietz played stellar ball on the regular varsity all season, as did two of our pledges, Todd and Bennett. All five are in direct line for a letter.

Basketball practice is now holding sway, and each afternoon finds Dietz and Sorg, and pledges Todd and Kappleman making a bid for a place on the squad.

Since our last letter Lowe was nominated for Editor-in-chief of the Colonial Echo (annual), was elected to the Flat Hat Club (honorary society). and succeeded to the captaincy of baseball, from which we expect great things this year. He also received

the college nomination for the Rhodes Scholarship from Virginia, and is scheduled to go before the committee on December 3rd.

Inasmuch as we shall have no further opportunity, we hereby wish to extend to our sister chapters and the general officers, our very best wishes for a Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year.

E. C. W. DIETZ.

**WE'VE BOUGHT A THEATRE FOR 11 K A IN NEW YORK
ON APRIL 19, 1922.**

DELTA.

Birmingham-Southern College.

We have recently closed one of the most interesting periods of the college year. We have become well settled in our work, and have been thoroughly introduced to a certain amount of pleasure. Our freshmen have conducted themselves like "Rats," and have shown an excellent spirit toward the college which they represent. Some have proved their ability on the athletic field, and others have demonstrated theirs within the confines of their college. More harmony and co-operation among faculty and students have never before been present at Birmingham-Southern. Dr. Snively is proving himself a very capable administrator, and he is ardently supported by the student body.

On the gridiron the "Panthers" have fought many fierce battles, and have brought home their share of the bacon. The annual contest against our ancient rivals on the eastern border of the city, Howard College, was by far the most interesting game of the season to the students. The "Panthers" proved their superior strength over the "Bulldogs" by a few points. Delta's contribution to the letter men group of football players is five or six. Only two men sustained broken limbs, Bagley and Richardson. The season was ended when the team went to Tampa, Fla., and played Rollins College.

At a recent Birmingham-Southern road race de Yampert showed his ability on the flying squad by winning the three-mile run, thus receiving a gold medal. He will represent Delta on the team which will participate in the cross-country road race at Emory December 3.

Locke has been elected Editor-in-Chief of the "Revue," and is arranging the material with great rapidity in order to get it to press as soon as possible. Scrivner and Davidson have been

selected as debaters on the teams to go against Howard and Millsaps colleges, respectively, the contests to be held after Christmas.

Our chapter will lose several active members next spring and its members have made careful observations since the opening of college for men to fill the ranks. Resulting from our efforts and considerations, we have six very promising pledges who will soon be initiated into our great brotherhood.

Delta extends the best wishes to all sister chapters, and looks forward to great enjoyment during the holidays and to a pleasant introduction to the approaching New Year.

A. B. DAVIDSON.

ZETA.

University of Tennessee.

Zeta is glad to introduce to the fraternity, Brother Charles Bell, of Powell Station, Tenn.

The football season has come to a close, and though Tennessee did not win the Southern championship, we had a successful season. The most bitter disappointment we experienced was when Vanderbilt won our game with them. Our prospects for a good team next year do not look as bright as they did at the beginning of the present year, but we hope for the best. We were represented on the team by Sloan and pledge Clemens. Clemens was handicapped at the beginning of the season with an injured shoulder, and it was not until the last of the season that he was able to give his best to the team. Sloan was honored by being placed on the all-Tennessee state team by the local papers.

Since the close of the football season all eyes have turned to basketball. The varsity began practice November 28, and it looks as though Tennessee will make a strong bid for the championship. Zeta boasts of Troutman, last year's captain and forward, and Aycock and Cullis of last year's squad. Our chapter team stands a good chance to land in the finals in the Pan-Hellenic league. We are in a three-corned tie for first honors now, and if we go through the season at the rate we have been going, we should win the cup. Though we have not always won the championship, we have never failed to play in the finals but once since the league was organized five years ago.

On the night of November the 4th Zeta gave an informal dance at The Whittle Springs Golf and Country Club. Haddox as chairman of the entertainment committee deserves the highest praise

for the way in which he handled the affair. Though we must hold off and let our guests do all the talking, it is hard to keep from telling what a good time we had!

The O. K. O. Senior honorary fraternity elected its members recently, and Pi Kappa Alpha has three men among the number, Myrick, Bell and Sloan. Though we were not at all surprised that these three men were chosen, we are as proud of them as if we had not expected such a thing.

The annual carnival is being planned to take place on the 16th of December. Heretofore, it has always been after the Christmas holidays, but it has been decided to move the date up this year because there is not really time between the holidays and the first term examinations to spend on such a big undertaking. We have several men on the staff, and from their reports, we expect the whole thing to reach a degree of success that will be a mark to aim at for years to come.

We have been favored with an unusually large number of visitors this year. The alumni seem to be more deeply interested in our welfare than ever before, and nothing can help the spirit of a chapter more than the co-operation of the alumni.

Zeta wishes to every chapter the same degree of success that seems to be in store for her for the year.

FULTON.

**NEW YORK VAUDEVILLE? THE CONVENTION SMOKER
ON APRIL 18, 1922, WILL HAVE THE BEST.**

THETA.

Southwestern Presbyterian University.

Theta Chapter wishes to introduce the following initiates to the Fraternity at large:

George C. Smith, Montgomery, Ala.
Jerome H. Bowen, Little Rock, Ark.
C. Currien Smith, Sumner, Miss.
Clarence W. Speight, Clarksville, Tenn.

Since Theta was last heard from these worthy men have been added to our chapter roll, and on Thursday night, November 3rd, a banquet was given in their honor. The fair sex added greatly to the spirit of the occasion and a great evening was spent by all. All committees responsible for this are to be congratulated on their efficiency. The decorations were beautiful and a pro-

gram of delightfully informal toasts and after-dinner stories were carried out with Person as toastmaster.

Theta at present feels the absence of Person, who has gone to Oxford, Miss., to take the examinations for the Rhodes Scholarship to Oxford, England. We hope that next October we can add a Theta man to the number of II's in England, though he will be sadly missed here.

Football season is over and basketball has already begun and the chapter looks forward to great things. G. C. and C. C. Smith are both showing up well on the floor while Roberts Person and Mount were members of the Fraternity team last year along with J. D. Davis, who intends coming back to us after Xmas. With these men we hope not only to put two or three men on the varsity, but to win the interfraternity basketball cup as well.

Theta has added several honors to her list recently. In addition to: President of the Boosters' Club and Managing Editor of the Sou'wester, we now hold: President of the Junior Class, Secretary of the Stylus Club (Sigma Upsilon) and Treasurer of the Senior Class, Manager of Athletics, President of the Glee Club, Business Manager of the Glee Club, Vice President of Stewart Literary Society, and others.

Theta had the misfortune of having quite a bit of damage done to her hall during a recent wind and rain storm but we are optimistic enough to count it only a good opportunity for redecoration. Theta has this year next to the largest chapter on the campus and has all prospects for an excellent year. She sends her regards to sister chapters and wishes Sigma and Mu unbounded good fortune and success.

CHAS. E. MOUNT.

IOTA.

Hampden Sidney College.

With the close of such a successful season on "Turkey Day," the subject of football is still in the hearts and minds of all "Tigers." Out of nine games played Hampden-Sidney lost but two, and both of those to colleges much larger than her own. These were the first games played, and after that the record was six victories and a tie. Iota contributed Smith and Blankenship to the Varsity, and White made a good showing with the "scrubs." Had Simmerman remained in college, he would have been a valuable man on the varsity. However, after participating in only one game, he was forced to leave on account of injuries, and will not be with us again until next session.

It was with much satisfaction that we learned that Smith was elected to captain the team next year, thus succeeding Sands of Chi Phi, who graduates this coming June. This will make Smith's fourth year on the team, and everyone knows that he is well equal to the position.

Although little can be done in basketball until after the Christmas holidays, yet there has been practice during the past week. That Smith is not a football star alone is attested by the fact that he is leading the basketball team. He succeeds Brittain, who is finishing last year, also completed his third year as captain of the team.

We have been deeply concerned lately about Kilmon, who developed pneumonia several weeks ago. He suffered three relapses, at times when it was thought that he was out of danger. However 'Kil's' resolute spirit is not to be downed and he is now well on the way to recovery.

Since the writing of the last letter, Iota has been strengthened by the addition of Harold James Dudley of Richmond, Va., to her group of initiates. Dudley entered college quite late, having been held back on account of illness. However, last month, he proved his scholastic ability by showing a better report than any other members of Iota.

One night last week the brothers of Iota spent a very enjoyable evening when they entertained Kilmon's mother and father, and Dudley's sister, who were on the "hill" at the same time. About two weeks ago, we were glad to have with us Brother Blanton from Richmond.

With only one more week before examinations begin, everybody is assuming a more serious attitude than usual, and exerting greater effort to prevent dismissal under the "Automatic Rule." By this rule freshmen, sophomores, juniors and seniors are required to make three, six, seven and eight hours of work respectively at the end of the first term in order to be able to return after Christmas. It is hoped that at the first roll call the new year, there will be no members of Iota absent under pressure of this rule.

H. T. HOLLIDAY.

SEE THE STATUE OF LIBERTY ON THE TRIP 'ROUND
MANHATTAN ISLAND.

KAPPA.**Transylvania College.**

Kappa takes pleasure in announcing to her sister chapters the initiation of:

Charles L. Martin, Cullman, Ala.
and the pledging of:

Carroll E. Ratliff, Flemingsburg, Ky.

Transylvania closed her football season with defeat to her ancient rival Georgetown College, on Thanksgiving Day. The year's record shows four victories and four defeats, one of which was to the famous Centre Colonels. Under the guidance of an old Kappa man, the team put up their best for the old school. Sweaters will be awarded in the near future, and four brothers and one pledge will win the coveted "T." The team was led by a Pi Kap—Brother Henderson—who kept the men fighting the whole season. Smith led the yelling again this year and got some good results.

With football over, basketball occupies the center of the lime-light and attention has turned from the sod field to the hardwood floor. Practice has started and prospects are good for a winning team. Smith and Carter were on the squad last season, and several of the brothers and pledges are going out for the team. Basketball fares much better, in a small college like Transylvania, than does football, and we are looking forward to a successful season.

Kappa has entertained with several informal dances this year, and we are looking forward to a formal later on. Of a slightly different but just as delightful nature was the annual feed, held at the house Thanksgiving night. Festivities began at 12 p. m. and lasted till 4—only the capacities of the brethren prevented continuation. The boxes from the fellow's homes were pooled, and a grand total of fourteen cakes, twelve pies, fourteen gallons of cider, five chickens, one turkey, and other things in like proportion, was sacrificed to the cravings of the brethren. With the last football game in the afternoon, the athletics "turned loose" and made up for opportunities lost because of training. At the end of each month, Kappa and Omega meet for a luncheon at one of the hotels and a fine spirit is being developed.

We now have twelve men at Neal Hall, and several more will move up after mid-semester. On a recent Saturday, the whole chapter, by request and threats of violence from the house committee, turned out and a general clean-up was held. The house and surroundings were put in order, and the hall looks much bet-

ter. If most of the men return next year, we are looking forward to another house.

Several of the brothers have made places on the cast of the Stagecrafter's annual production, and are lending every effort to make the play a success. Sandy Smith managed to survive the hardest initiation on the campus and made Lampas, the honorary fraternity for men who have done something for the school. Bill Carter has been in charge of several "Y" programs this year and has had unusual success.

Kappa extends greetings to all the chapters, and wishes them every success in forwarding the high ideals of the fraternity.

GRAYDON BOWER.

MU.

Presbyterian College of South Carolina.

The re-establishment of Mu chapter at Presbyterian College of South Carolina finds us eager to hold our own in the great fraternity. From our success in college activities for the first term the year promises to be an eventful one. This chapter will be well represented in all branches of college activities. In the 1921 football season Miller was one of our most brilliant stars, a gridiron hero truly. Bland fought valiently for the scrubs and will probably be classed with varsity men next season. The college annual, "The Pac Sac," of which LaMotte is editor-in-chief, will no doubt be one of the best in the history of the College. Also the presidents of the two literary societies, the Eukosmian and the Philomathean, are men of this chapter, McCord and Wilson. On the Student Council we have LaMotte, Wilson and Young. Dick is president of the Debating Club, and McCord is president of the Senior class. Wilson is president of the Y. M. C. A.

From this it will be seen that the brothers of Mu chapter are endeavoring to make themselves worthy of their charter. With this policy of entering college activities with our greatest efforts, we hope to excel in all, and thereby prove Pi Kappa Alpha to all the world, the best fraternity in college.

Our hall is attractively furnished. In several years we hope to have a fraternity home, but at present there are no fraternity homes at this college.

Mu has twelve men at present. On account of college regulations forbidding the pledging of men before Christmas, we have no pledges to report. The names and addresses of the charter members are:

LaMotte, L. C., Columbia. S. C.
 McCord, J. L., Hodges. S. C.
 Dick, J. M., Sumter, S. C.
 Dickson, M. S., York, S. C.
 Piephoff, C. E., Spartanburg, S. C.
 Wilson, H. M., Bowling Green. S. C.
 Cherry, W. J. Rock Hill, S. C.
 Young, J. C., Hodges, S. C.
 Nickles, J. C., Hodges, S. C.
 Hudson, W. D., Savannah, Ga.
 Blank, V. K., Mouth of Seneca, W. Va.
 Miller, J. G., Atlanta, Ga.

We wish to express our appreciation for the many messages of welcome and congratulations sent by sister chapters at the time of initiation. We will strive to make Mu a worthy sister.

J. L. McCORD.

**WALL STREET AND THE STOCK EXCHANGE ARE IN
 NEW YORK. COME SEE THE MONEY GROW.**

PI CHAPTER.

Washington and Lee University.

We take pleasure in introducing to the Fraternity the following new pledges:

Tom Blair, Belton, Texas.
 C. E. Crockett, Oxley, W. Va.
 W. L. Nash, Graham, Va.
 C. W. Meadows, Beckley, W. Va.

These four new goats give us ten in all, and will be initiated in January with the others named in the last issue.

Washington & Lee has just closed a very successful football season—having become South Atlantic champions. We beat V. P. I. and Johns Hopkins also all of the other games with teams in the S. A. I. A. A. We are also South Atlantic champions in Cross Country for the year.

Our Thanksgiving dances are just over and we all can say that these were one of the best sets of dances ever had here. Tucker Harrison '12 our "Old Faithful," who hasn't missed a dance since his graduation, was with us and stayed out at the house. Brother Swain of William and Mary College was also a visitor during the dances and while here made all necessary arrangements to enter college after Christmas.

Since our last letter Sedwick and Norvell have been elected to membership in the Cotillion Club and to Kappa Beta Phi.

Pledge Earp has been selected as a member of the Mink staff, our humorous monthly magazine.

Pledge Penny is Assistant Property Manager for the Troubadours.

On October 15, U. Va. played V. M. I. in Lexington and the entire Virginia student body came over to see V. M. I. defeated by the score of 14 to 7. Alpha came over in a bunch and we had the pleasure of meeting and entertaining them for the time. We are glad to have had them come around to see us and hope that soon they may be able to come again.

With examinations only a few weeks off—all are buckling down tight and working hard. Especially the goats, so as to pass the requirements for initiation after the holidays.

Best wishes for a pleasant holiday season to all of our sister chapters, and especially do we wish Mu and Sigma chapters a successful and happy year.

C. M. LEWIS.

SIGMA.

Vanderbilt University.

Sigma chapter greets the fraternity at large for the first time since 1905. She has again come forward to take her place in the life of Vanderbilt University and in the life of the fraternity.

The brothers who assembled at the opening of college and to whom the charter was granted are:

J. Milton Davenport (Zeta), Woodbury, Tenn.
Frank Davenport (Zeta), Woodbury, Tenn.
W. G. Scanlon (Iota), Durham, N. C.
Henry Martin (Kappa), Cullman, Ala.
John Martin (Kappa), Cullman, Ala.
Eugene M. Regen (Theta), Franklin, Tenn.
J. Comfort (Zeta), Knoxville, Tenn.

Two transfers have also affiliated:

W. T. Farmer (Upsilon), Birmingham, Ala.
C. W. Wharton (Alpha-Iota), Jackson, Miss.

At the installation meeting, election of officers was held with the following result:

J. Milton Davenport, S.M.C.
W. G. Scanlon, I.M.C.
Henry Martin, Th. C.

After the election of these officers, the S.M.C. appointed these officers:

Frank Davenport, S.C.

John Martin, M. C.
J. Comfort, M. S.

Sigma Chapter wishes to present to the fraternity, the seven new brothers:

Erskine M. Chenault, Albany, Ala.
John L. Cooke, Franklin, Tenn.
H. Frank Hunt, Madisonville, Tenn.

These men have been pledged:

John C. Drennon, Nashville, Tenn.
Maurice Speck, Monteray, Tenn.
George Clarke, Christiana, Tenn.
R. Patterson, Gallatin, Tenn.
J. D. Kensers, Bedford, Va.

A banquet was held on the night of the 23d of this month, at which all of the fraternities at Vanderbilt were represented, and was a memorable affair. John DeWitt, ex-president of the Phi Delta Theta Fraternity, and J. Washington Moore, ex-president of the Sigma Alpha Epsilon Fraternity, were the principal speakers of the evening, and their addresses carried messages that will not soon pass from the memories of those present. Pi Kappa Alpha was third in percentage of members present, and besides the active members, quite a large number of the local alumni were also present. Twenty-five other fraternities were also present at the banquet.

The chapter is going about its work in an earnest manner and does not intend to make any social plans until it is upon a firm basis in the university. The average of scholarship thus far has been far above that of most of the other fraternities and we are hoping to be able to sustain this enviable record throughout the entire year.

Sigma Chapter would be more than glad to receive visitors from the other chapters, and we hope to entertain not a few during the next few weeks as the brothers pass through here on their way home for the holidays.

J. COMFORT.

TAKE YOUR VACATION IN APRIL, VISIT NEW YORK.

UPSILON.

Alabama Polytechnic Institute.

We are pleased to introduce to the Fraternity the following pledges since our last letter:

G. B. Ollinger, Mobile, Ala.
T. M. Nesbitt, Birmingham, Ala.
W. W. Warner, Jackson, Ala.

Football season is just over and while it was not a very successful one, it showed the fighting spirit that all Auburn men are proud of. Upsilon was represented on the gridiron by Rodney Ollinger and Feny Crane.

Basketball now holds sway in Auburn and from the looks of things we should put out a winner, in spite of the fact that none of last year's men returned.

The chapter was well represented in Atlanta on Thanksgiving for the Tech game. Although we lost the game and were inclined not to be in a very receptive mood, our thoughts were made much lighter by the wonderful smoker that was given in our honor by Alpha-Delta Chapter. We assure them that it was enjoyed by everyone of us, and we hope that it will be our pleasure to entertain them sometime in the near future.

Upsilon wishes a Merry Christmas and a successful New Year to her sister chapters.

SIDNEY L. NORWOOD.

PSI CHAPTER.

North Georgia Agricultural College.

With the close of the first semester we are very proud of the exceptionally high averages made by the chapter in their various studies.

Psi has the greatest prospects for a brilliant record this year, the chapter roll is much larger than it has been in many years. We are expecting Brothers H. L. Gibbons and V. F. Hollingsworth back to our folds after Christmas, which will be a great addition to our chapter.

We wish to introduce to the Fraternity at large:

Walter Dean Owens, 251 West 11th Street, Jacksonville, Fla.
Paul Frederick Koerber, 312 Acosta St., Jacksonville, Fla.

Also the pledging of:

J. B. Cheatam, Jefferson, Ga.
C. V. Parham, Nashville, Ga.

We are contemplating the greatest social event of the year on December 2, when the Pan-Hellenic Council will entrain the many friends of the local clubs and fraternities at a dance to be given at the Mountain Inn. This will be the final social affair before the Christmas holidays. We are sure it will prove a great success.

We have just closed a very successful football season. Psi was well represented, having five men on the varsity squad. We are

now looking forward to the opening of the basketball season in which we hope to be represented equally as well. We are confident of at least four men on the varsity, as we have already two of last year's regulars.

Psi is well represented on the campus this year in student activities, having Hawkins and Malone representing us on the Pan-Hellenic Council; Weaver, vice president of the senior class and business manager of the annual Futral, vice president of the Junior class and Phi Mu Literary Society; Koerber, historian of freshman class and art editor of the annual; Owens, president of freshman class and treasurer of the Phi Mu Literary Society.

Psi takes this opportunity to extend to every II a merry Christmas and a happy prosperous New Year.

W. B. HAWKINS, JR.

OMEGA.

University of Kentucky.

This year shows prospects of being a very good one. We have twenty-eight active members and pledges, the largest number the chapter has had in some years. Out of this number we have some prominent figures on the campus.

"Mikado," a comic opera, presented by the music department of the university, has in its cast one of our men as a leading part and one in the chorus. M. Thomas Brooks as Mikado, the emperor of Japan, in the leading character. Latta Smith is the other representative. Strollers, the dramatic organization of the university, has elected Petrey and Pledge Kenneth Tuggle and have selected them to try out for parts in the cast of the annual production. Davis has been made a member of the "Suky" Circle, a booster's club on the campus. Chas. R. Bourland has received one of the highest honors that may be bestowed on a student in the engineering college, that of being taken into Tau Beta Pi. Boyd has been taken into Alpha Delta Sigma, honorary journalistic fraternity. Ferguson has been elected president of the Freshman class and also Freshman representative on the student council.

Captain Marvin W. Marsh, Alpha-Omicron, of the famous Rainbow Division, has been added to the staff of the Military Department. Captain Marsh makes the fourth member of II K A on the university faculty.

Basketball season is now open and a call has been issued for men. The same team that defeated Georgia 20-19 in the finals

of the S. I. A. A. last winter will again represent Kentucky and we expect the same outcome. Omega had only one member on the squad last year, he being Selle. He isn't in school this year and will leave his position for some of the other prospective basketballers of the chapter to fill.

The Pan-Hellenic dance, a formal affair, will mark the opening of the social season. The date set for it is December 16, and if it lives up to the traditions of the past years it promises to be one of the best if not the best dance of the year. Each fraternity on the campus is allowed one large dance every other year, and this being our year we have been very fortunate in having May 7 as our date. The last fraternity dance of the year is by far the coveted date and this time it luckily comes to us.

Omega Chapter, this year has revived the Omega Magnet, a chapter publication, and the first issue is to be gotten out before Christmas. Copies of it will be sent the sister chapters. Bourland, Sears and Petrey are on the staff.

Kentucky's football season of 1921 has gone into history and this part of Kentucky's history is very interesting. The much talked of "Wonder Team" from our neighbor, Centre College, has made an enviable record for Kentucky in football circles, and the University of Kentucky team has likewise just passed through a decidedly successful season. At the beginning of the season Coach Juneau had but little material with which to work, but he succeeded in making a team that we are proud to claim as Kentucky's. We won four games, tied one and lost three. The season ended with the Thanksgiving game between Kentucky and Tennessee ending in a scoreless tie. The Tennessee aggregation outweighed the Wildcats twenty pounds to the man, but our goal was never threatened but once, and on this occasion with the ball on our five-yard line Ferguson, one of our pledges, evaded the entire Volunteer outfit and skirted right end for a fifty-yard run, this being the most thrilling run of the day. Ferguson was the only Wildcat able to gain consistently. The annual football banquet was held November 25 and the letters awarded.

Sixteen "K's" were given out, one of which was given to Boyd, our sensational center and state representative and one to Pledge Ferguson, halfback. W. B. Moore failed to get into enough games to make his letter. Moore has been playing in the backfield.

In closing we extend our best wishes to all sister chapters for an enjoyable holiday season.

JOHN C. RILEY, JR.

THE GREAT WHITE WAY? RESERVED FOR II K A ON
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ALPHA-ALPHA.

Trinity College.

Pledge day is past and Alpha-Alpha has five good pledges to her credit. They are as follows:

J. R. Shute Monroe, N. C.
Everett English, Monroe, N. C.
Frank H. Kendall, Shelby, N. C.
Robt. L. Smith, Jr., Albermarle, N. C.
Worth E. Dobbins, Mt. Airy, N. C.

Out of the thirty men pledged to fraternities on the Park we believe we have five good ones. Dobbins, who is a sophomore, will be initiated soon. The others will cross the sands after the first semester.

Trinity has had a very successful football season. She has won six games out of nine and tied two more, losing only to William and Mary. The game with New York University was played in New York. The score was tied, 7-7. Wake Forest, whom everyone believed would defeat us, was annihilated on Armistice Day by a score of 17-0. Wake Forest has long been Trinity's rival in baseball, and it is with a sweet spirit of revenge that we look on our victory.

Alpha-Alpha has her share of men on this team. Simpson, who has been named by some of the leading sport writers as all-state center, was the man around whom the team was built. Neal, at left end, and Crute, at fullback, have been mentioned as possible all-state men. English pledge, made his letter as halfback. Folger, Shute and Lee were on the squad. It is almost certain that Neal will be captain of the team next year.

Basketball practice began December 1st. Our prospects look good. Here again Simpson and Crute are two of the strong men on the quintet. Simpson is a fast forward and Crute is right there as a guard. Neal, Lee and one or two of the pledges will possibly be on the squad. The squad will make a southern trip this year going as far south as the University of Florida.

Alpha-Alpha gladly welcomes Mu and Sigma Chapters back into the fold and hopes that they will meet with great success in their renewed careers. She also sends the season's greetings to her sister chapters.

JOHN B. HARRIS.

ALPHA-DELTA.

Georgia School of Technology.

Alpha-Delta has enjoyed a very successful term so far, with all the old men and pledges doing satisfactory work in their studies and activities. We are very proud of our pledges, for they are a fine bunch of fellows, and have already got the good old spirit of II K A in their bones, the spirit which will put them or any man to the front wherever they go.

Tech had a very good football season, losing one game only. This was an inter-sectional game and it was a game which we hated to loose, but we cannot hope to be victor always, so Tech lost to Penn State. The game was played on the Polo Grounds in New York and a "Tech Football Special" carried nearly a thousand Tech supporters to the "Big Town" to see the great battle. Joe Cronk and Pledges Hazelhurst and Perrine were the fortunate ones from Alpha-Delta, and made the trip with the Yellow Jacket Band. Tech's schedule for next year takes in three Eastern teams, Notre Dame, Navy and Georgetown.

Thanksgiving Day, after the game with Auburn, Alpha-Delta gave a "smoker" for the visiting brothers. Most of them were from Upsilon Chapter, but eight other chapters were represented. Several girls were present and as usual when girls, boys and good music are together the dancing must not be missed. Everyone seemed to have had a fine time, some of the alumni stating that they had never attended a better affair of the kind.

Two more weeks until the great days, initiation of our Freshmen. Then they can go home and swell their chests out with just pride, for on their vests you will see our well-known and greatly loved badge, the Shield and Diamond.

The first call for basketball candidates has been made and almost one hundred and fifty men reported for tryouts. Out of these Tech should surely draw some material for a wonderful team.

The Pan-Hellenic Council has decided that there will be two Pan-Hellenic dances this year instead of one, as has been the custom heretofore. The first will be formal and will be given just before the Christmas holidays; the other at the end of the school year as usual. No one fraternity is expected to give a dance of their own now; however, they may if they so wish.

To the fraternity at large we wish to present two pledges whom we pride very much:

J. F. McElwee, York S. C.

C. A. Phipps, St. Petersburg, Fla.

Alpha-Delta wishes a merry Christmas and a Happy and Successful New Year to her sister chapters.

PORTER H. REGENOLD.

ALPHA EPSILON.**North Carolina State College of Agriculture and Engineering.**

The football season drawing to an end, we are glad to be able to announce that Tom Park and Nat Pierson were two of the main factors in winning the state championship for North Carolina State of A. & E. Park is well known for his punting and has an average of about 57 yards. Nat is the most consistent player of the state champions. These two men have done well in upholding the name of Pi Kappa Alpha on the gridiron. Our next and last game is to be played November 24th, with University of Maryland at Baltimore, Md. With football going out Pi Kappa will furnish some of the material for the basketball quint.

At an informal feed Monday evening, November 14th, we had with us several picked freshmen. We were very glad to have with us Alumni: Brother P. C. Park of the U. S. Navy, Brother Charlie Park of Raleigh and Brother Jim McDougal of Raleigh. These men, although alumni of several years, are still earnest workers for the fraternity and furnished a large part of the entertainment for the evening. The feed was very successful and we intend to follow it up with earnest work to secure the best possible men for future Pi Kappa Alpha.

We extend heartiest congratulations to the Sister Chapters Mu and Sigma, which have recently been revived, and wish them the best luck in carrying on the important work of upholding Pi Kappa Alpha in their respective colleges.

Alpha Epsilon wishes the merriest and happiest Christmas ever experienced to every II.

CHAS. H. NEAL.

2200 ROOMS—2200 BATHS. COME TO THE HOTEL PENNSYLVANIA IN NEW YORK ON APRIL 18, 1922 AND GET YOURS.

ALPHA-ZETA.**University of Arkansas.**

As the Christmas holidays draw near every one is very busy preparing for the first term exams which come just before vacation starts.

Arkansas finished second in the Southwest football conference this year. Alpha-Zeta was represented on the Varsity squad

by Hansard, Basore, Garbriel and Kilbourn. Pledge Harper made a good record on the Freshmen football team and promises to become one of McLaren's famous "flying guards" next year.

Alpha-Zeta celebrated her seventeenth anniversary on November 19th, and altho she has gone through many trials and tribulations these last seventeen years, she hopes that in the years to come she may continue in her efforts to further the interests of Pi Kappa Alpha.

At present the chapter is busy preparing plans for the publication of a news pamphlet to be sent to the alumni. We hope to have the first edition out before the holidays.

Richardson is out for the intercollegiate debating team. He won in the preliminary debate a short time ago and is now hard at work for the final debate. Richardson and Russell are members of the Arkansas Advancement Association, which has been organized to work in conjunction with the state association in the advertising of Arkansas to the nation.

Alpha Zeta extends greetings to her sister chapters.

A. JAY RUSSELL.

ALPHA ETA.

University of Florida.

Now that the college year is in full sway, Alpha Eta's men are getting to work in earnest. There is in general a more earnest interest in scholarship than in the two previous years. This probably is due to the gradual death of the S. A. T. C. effect which had a long and bad influence upon all the colleges that came under its supervision. The grades of the chapter for the first month have been announced and show that the rest of the chapters will have to "bone" some more for that scholarship cup this year.

Football has had a prosperous season for Florida. The only game lost so far being to the University of Tennessee by a small score. The game of interest now is with North Carolina in Jacksonville this coming Saturday. "Bobbie" Swanson, playing his third year on the varsity, made his first touchdown in the game against Oglethorpe. "Bobbie" plays end and there are few that play the game better from all standpoints than does this hard-hitting 'Gator. Stuart Pomeroy, the brilliant star in the last few minutes of play in the game against Tulane last year, has won his place as regular half on the varsity by his spectacular running and consistent offensive game. "Dick" Burnett has won

his position as regular end on the team through his consistent playing. This is his first year here.

Again Alpha-Eta reports that she is going to have a house. This time it can't fail. The plans are being worked over and the money is ready for the taking. We plan to spend \$14,000 on this house, thus making a home that will be a credit to Alpha-Eta, Pi Kappa Alpha and the University of Florida. So far the plans call for a house about seventy feet wide by thirty-three feet deep. A large living room across the lower floor with a dressing room for the ladies and a stairway arranged so the landing may be used for a platform where the orchestra can play, will make a real dace hall. Then there is a dining room and kitchen on this floor. Upstairs the rooms are made to accommodate two, there being nine in all. Added to this is a large sleeping porch and three shower baths. Taking this as only a skeleton idea of the house you can see that the home which Alpha-Eta will have on her spacious lot will be a drawing card and a real home for her boys. When this is realized and it can't be far off as the ground should be broken early in the year, we want to have visitors come and be at home with us at any time.

Alpha-Eta wishes every II the merriest of Christmas and a New Year full of happiness.

R. E. DUCKWORTH.

**WE'VE BOUGHT A THEATRE FOR II KA IN NEW YORK
ON APRIL 19, 1922.**

ALPHA IOTA.

Millsaps College.

It is with much pleasure that we announces the initiation of Hermes H. Knoblock, of Jackson, and J. C. Murray, of Pelahatchie, Miss. Because of a new faculty ruling pledge day must now be defererred until after the first term examinations, about the second week in December. These two men, however, are sophomores, hence their early initiation.

Millsaps has just closed her football season by a game with the University of Tennessee Doctors, in which the Doctors were held to their lowest score of the year. This is only the second year that Millisaps has been allowed to have intercollegiate football, and we did not expecet our team to make a spectacular showing. However, under the expert management of Coach Freeland we expect the team to make itself known next year. Alpha-Iota was represented on the team by Scott and King.

Again in an athletic way we are represented by Collins, who is Secretary of the Athletic Association and Track Manager. He and Scott are working for places on the team that will represent Millsaps in the Methodist Cross Country road race to be held in Atlanta December 3d.

On the staff of the **Purple and White**, our college weekly paper, we are represented by Collins as business manager; Watts as assistant business manager, and Watkins, Knoblock and Hebert.

Collins is also a member of Sigma Upsilon, assistant in English, and associate editor of the **Bobashela**, the annual.

Those who have gone to other colleges: Howorth, Corban and Smith to "Ole Miss." Boatner to the University of Illinois, and Wharton to Vanderbilt, are greatly missed, and we wish them success for the school year. The fourteen who have returned have settled down to studying and other activities and are determined to make this year a most successful one for II K. A.

We join with our sister chapters in extending a hearty welcome to our two revived chapters at Vanderbilt and the Presbyterian College of South Carolina.

LEIGH WATKINS.

ALPHA-KAPPA.

Missouri School of Mines.

Alpha-Kappa does not introduce any new initiates to the fraternity this semester on account of the Pan-Hellenic ruling, which requires them to pass fifteen hours work during the first semester.

In college activities, we are, of course, concerned more about football than anything else at present, and from the showing our team has made to date we feel that our chances for winning the conference championship are excellent. We have won four of the five conference games played, and this in spite of the fact that injuries have kept from three to five regulars out of the championship games.

There will soon be in progress an interfraternity club basketball tournament and with Signer leading our team we have high hopes. "Sig" is an "M" man for the last three years and will be able to give the team excellent coaching.

Since our last letter we have had the misfortune to lose Whitworth, who was compelled to leave college on account of illness. His absence necessitated a new election of officers, the result of which follows: S. M. C., J. F. Hosterman; I. M. C., J. B. Rixleben. The other officers remain unchanged.

Leonard starred in the play "Nothing But the Truth," which was presented during the Home Coming week just passed. He is a fine actor, having scored a number of decided "hits" in collegiate plays in the last three years. Hosterman was stage manager. Leonard, in addition to being a Thespian, is also a runner of no mean ability, capturing fourth place in the cross-country run with Central last Saturday with but a week's notice.

Alpha-Kappa extends a hearty welcome to all brothers to visit her, and wishes all her sister chapters the new year's best.

C. F. SCHAEFER.

NEW YORK VAUDEVILLE? THE CONVENTION SMOKER
ON APRIL 18, 1922, WILL HAVE THE BEST.

ALPHA-NU.

University of Missouri.

With Thanksgiving over and the Yuletide drawing near, all thoughts are turned to the term examinations which mean so much to the student. Dates and social events are forgotten in the "grind" toward high scholarship.

About nineteen of the brothers had a most delightful visit with Beta-Lambda during the week-end of the Washington University-Missouri University game. A splendid dance was given at the Planters Hotel the night following the game, and all present reported a wonderful time. We hope that Beta-Lambda will favor us with a return visit in the near future.

Homecoming this year was a decided success. Many of the Alumni members and friends honored us with a visit and we feel amply repaid for the trip. A large mass meeting Friday night, a wonderful exhibition of football between Oklahoma and Missouri Saturday afternoon, followed by a banquet at the Chapter House and a "mixer" at the Gym, made the day one long to be remembered.

The football classic of the year was played at Lawrence, Kansas, on "Turkey Day" with the resulting defeat of Missouri. About twenty members and pledges made the trip and called on Beta-Gamma and were more than favorably impressed with the chapter, Chapter House, and "feel-at-home" spirit. We enjoyed ourselves and only hope that we may have the pleasure of repaying the good times and courtesies that were shown to us in the near future.

Since the last letter we have had one informal dance at the Chapter House, and several dinner dances at frequent intervals.

We have our annual formal and several informals planned for next semester. Due to a Pan-Hellenic ruling each national fraternity represented on the campus is limited in social activities. One informal at semester and one formal a year tend to decrease the cost of a college education.

We have the pleasure of announcing the pledging of Hiram Lloyd, Jr., of St. Louis, Mo.

Alpha-Nu extends Christmas greetings and wishes a prosperous New Year to all her sister chapters.

L. M. CROUCH, JR.

SEE THE STATUE OF LIBERTY ON THE TRIP 'ROUND MANHATTAN ISLAND.

ALPHA XI.

University of Cincinnati.

An incident of unusual concern to Pi Kappa Alpha since our last chapter letter was written is that of the recent pledging of three U. C. freshmen. These men we are pleased to introduce:

George Hughes, Washington, D. C.

Donald Becker, Cincinnati, Ohio.

Harold Imboden, Dayton, Ohio.

Aside from competing in several cross-country track events, football has held the individual interest of everyone at the University of Cincinnati with regard to athletics this fall. To digress a moment, it will be of interest to note that U. C. has placed from one to four men in every cross-country event in which it has been represented. To return to football, figures will reveal that our season has not been a very successful one in some respects, while in others it has. Interest in this major sport has kindled to a point far beyond the hopes of the authorities in charge. And it was with considerable satisfaction that the coaches noted an enhanced loyalty to the team, characteristic of U. C. students and alumni, even in the face of an eleventh-hour defeat.

Fred Schierloh, Mike Palmer, Percy Fitzgerald and Carl Rankin represented Pi Kappa Alpha on the Varsity football team of 1921. At the "C Club" banquet at the close of the past football season, Mike Palmer of our chapter was elected to the captaincy of next year's team. No man on the squad is better qualified to fill this place of honor than Mike Palmer. The captain-

elect has just completed his second year as a regular backfield man. His playing has not only been consistent at all times, but has often been brilliant.

Considerable interest has been manifested in the class elections at the University of Cincinnati this fall. Here also you will find Pi Kap well represented. Bill Havelaar was singularly honored by being elected president of the Junior Class. Howard Curtiss and Fred Schierloh were elected to Student Council, while Donald Smith and Carl Runge were elected Assistant Cheer Leaders for this year. All these brothers are students in the Engineering College.

Several pleasing events have marked the social season this fall as a most successful one for Alpha Xi of Pi Kappa Alpha. Occasional visits by out-of-town II's combined with the ever increasing interest of our alumni have more than flavored the good old Pi Kap spirit at our social functions and reunions. This is especially true with regard to the Halloween party on the evening of October 29th, and the monthly alumni dinners which are given at the Chapter House. The unusual feature of the Halloween dance was that everyone came garbed in the oldest clothes they possessed, and it was known as the "Old Clothes Party." The alumni dinners have been jolly good affairs participated in by both alumni and active Pi Kaps. These periodic reunions serve to keep alive and deepen the ideals, associations, and spirit of our beloved fraternity. Long may they continue here and far may they spread to all of our sister chapters.

BYRON H. WYDMAN.

ALPHA-OMICRON.

Southwestern University.

Final examinations are now dawning upon us and we are making all preparations to meet them with a firm belief that we will make a good average.

Brother Rolfe, District Princeps, visited us recently and discussed some very important fraternity matters with us.

We are glad to say that we have pledged J. D. Hollingsworth of Grapeland, Texas, a man who was here last year.

Several of our brothers have brought into our possession new sisters, and have thus taken it upon themselves to follow the footsteps of some of Southwestern's fair maidens.

We are well represented on the football team. Foster and Campbell making letters and several of the brothers are out for basketball. Holloway and Campbell being old letter men.

Pledge day has been set for January 9th and we are looking forward for men who will make II K. A.'s. No rushing has been allowed this term, but we can see the men that are of the II K A type.

Alpha-Omicron sends best wishes to all her sister chapters, and to each a pleasant time during the holidays.

H. E. SULLIVAN.

**WALL STREET AND THE STOCK EXCHANGE ARE IN
NEW YORK. COME SEE THE MONEY GROW!**

ALPHA PI.

Howard College.

The scholastic year at Howard College is well under way and old Alpha-Pi is settling down to a series of new resolutions. Rush week is long past and Alpha-Pi has received numerous congratulations on her pledges.

On the night that closed rush week Alpha-Pi entertained as did all the fraternities on the campus and every candidate was there. After a most delicious supper the boys gave cheers for our fraternity mother, Mrs. Whatlington, and for our sisters, Miss Gladys Whatlington and Mrs. Ben Walker, who assisted her in preparing the feast. Words cannot express the love and esteem with which our boys regard Mrs. Whatlington. For years she has served Alpha-Pi with a motherly spirit that can only be found back at home. Ben Walker, Roger Allen and Day made some very interesting speeches and not for a minute was that true spirit of Pi Kappa Alpha lessened. Alpha-Pi pledged the following men:

Calvin Hamilton Stevens of Jackson, Tennessee.
Hulan E. Whitehead of Ensley, Alabama.
William L. Linderman of Ensley, Alabama.
Harry Eugene Whatlington of Birmingham, Alabama.
Jackson Lee Gregory of Birmingham, Alabama.
Roswell Edward Owens of Enterprise.
Norman C. Sudduth of Birmingham, Alabama.
Marvin McCarthy of Birmingham, Ala.
Lee Ford, Birmingham, Alabama.

Stevens, Whitehead, Owens, Sudduth, Ford and McCarthy are taking a prominent part in football. Gregory has become a first-rate student. Whatlington is a member of the Glee Club and Lenderman is upholding the admiration of Pi Kappa Alpha among the ladies.

Alpha-Pi is well represented on the campus this year. Every man in the chapter contributing to the many honors garnered by the chapter. Othar Alford is captain of football and basketball and Webb is captain of baseball. Gaylord is manager of the the baseball team. Bennett is president of the Pan-Hellenic Council as well as president of the Sophomore class. Lee Heard is assistant coach. Owens is president of the Y. M. C. A.

Alpha Pi sends her best wishes to her sister chapters.

W. ARVEL LOGAN.

ALPHA RHO.

Ohio State University.

Ohio State University is gradually recovering her equilibrium after one of the most hectic and illogical football seasons in her history. Starting with a team that was for the most part an unknown quantity, she lost by one point her game with Oberlin—something that has not happened in almost two decades, and something that has been undreamed of since Ohio State entered the Western Conference. However, she completely silenced her calamity howlers the very next week by soundly trouncing the much-feared team from Minnesota. Followed similar defeats administered to Michigan, Chicago and Perdue. Then as the most illogical development of the season, she lost to Illinois, who had lost every conference game of the season. And we are compelled to admit, moreover, that the team from Urbana played th better game.

But it was a good season in spite of reverses. And since we had to lose to someone, it might better have been Illinois than any other conference team. Pauley did creditable work at center, and will doubtless wear his "O" as a result. Metzger did his duty all season on the second team.

Ken Pauley was one of those who reported when calls were issued for basketball. While this is his first year on the basketball floor, he did good work last year on the championship intramural team, an has an excellent chance of placing on the varsity this year.

Intramural athletics is becoming more and more an established institution at Ohio State. Teams are entered from fraternities, boarding clubs, and from the different colleges. Alpha-Rho has won both of the soccer games she has played thus far, and in baseball has won one and lost one. The organization piling up the most points during the year, from all intramural sports, will

be awarded a silver cup which stands fully eighteen inches high. Our standing was helped when our team of Altdoerffer, Collis Dickson and Theron Wright placed first among the fraternities, and second among all organizations, in the intramural cross-country contest. We crave that goblet for our mantelpiece

The dance held the night of the Illinois game was a huge success. The punch flowed freely, and the music was grand, and—well, we had a good time, anyway. Many of the old-timers who appeared in town for the home coming festivities, turned up smiling at the dance. It is true that some of them are growing a bit portly and rotund of figure, but that made them all the more capable of enjoying themselves. And we, needless to say, enjoyed having them in our midst even for so short a time.

Ray Fesler, who was selected last year for Bucket and Dipper, has honored himself and his fraternity by being elected junior representative to Men's Student Council. His vote was large enough to place him in office for the two-year term.

Warren Baker, our brother of the willowy figure and the huge appetite, was pledged Tau Beta Pi at the fall elections. We don't care if we do have another scholastic celebrity in the house.

I tis our pleasure to announce the pledging of Harold Freeman, who hails from the thriving metropolis of Westerville, not far from Columbus. Freeman is a junior in the Commerce College, he having spent his first two years at Otterbein.

In the scholarship averages published for the past year, Pi Kappa Alpha stood eighth among the twenty social fraternities in the Pan-Hellenic Council. Her average of 161 out of a possible 400 points indicates a rise of 12 points from her standing of the previous semester. The average number of points of other fraternities runs from 118 to 199.1 in the social fraternities, and slightly higher in the professional fraternities. Alpha-Rho therefore stood three points above the average which may be struck between the fraternity which won the cup and the one on the extreme southern end of the list.

RICHARD D. McCLURE.

TAKE YOUR VACATION IN APRIL, VISIT NEW YORK.

ALPHA SIGMA.

University of California.

We all have a feeling of joy and relief as we look ahead and can see the fast approaching Christmas holidays. But, at the same time, each Pi Kap of Alpha-Sigma can look back and be

proud to experience that joy of achievement to which he is entitled, owing to the worthy deeds accomplished. It seems too much like boastfulness to enumerate all that Alpha-Sigma has done. However, I just have to add a little here and say that this chapter has again shown the campus that she is supreme by winning the Inter-Fraternity Track Meet with a total of forty points, with Alpha Kappa Lambda having 30 points for second place. This is the second time that Alpha Sigma has captured the track cup, one more time will give us permanent possession of it.

Of the five major sports on the campus, we have captains in two, Bob Hutchinson is to captain the track team to another I. C. A. A. A. A. championship next spring. We have the same hopes for Art Eggleston, leading the basketball team to another Pacific coast conference championship. Varsity basketball has started, and we find six Pi Kaps in competition. We hope that all may draw places on the Varsity squad.

Dunc Graham is practising the pole vault and is jumping 12' 6" consistently. His chances to go East next spring surely look good.

We are pleased to say that fraternities and sororities are moving into houses all around us. In fact, Alpha Sigma seems to be a nucleus of which we are very proud. In less than a year our chapter house will be right in the center of fraternities and sororities.

On November 11th we had our first formal in our new cozy home. How well the fifty-three loyal Pi Kaps who were there that evening will remember what a wonderful paradise we were in, and especially will Mother Camper! Mother had an extra tinge of joy besides that of having us all there as her boys—that very night as the tenth anniversary of her being our honored guest and Mother of the chapter. How happy she was and we also.

Alpha-Sigma wishes her sister chapters the best luck in the world and sends the heartiest greetings of a Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year.

JOE SHAW.

ALPHA UPSILON.

New York University.

The short but exciting football season is now history. Nelson, of whom much was expected this year, was obliged to quit because of injuries. Weatherdon, S. M. C., and pledge Meyers made the squad and helped to keep us represented. Weath-

don, regular right tackle, made his letters and also a big name for himself.

With the passing of football, basketball now holds the interest of the campus. Although we may not be able to repeat the wonderful records made by the teams of the past two years, we will at least have a successful season. Captain Goeller, who has been instrumental in making Pi Kappa Alpha famous at N. Y. U., will without a doubt be the outstanding star of the season, Nelson, who has recovered from his injuries, hopes to obtain a berth at center.

The freshman team, under the guidance of Brother Leahey, assistant basketball manager, promises to uphold the record made, in first year football. Passing through a season without a loss and without a score against them, they feel confident as to what the season will bring. As in football II K A will have its quota of pledgees on the basketball team. Pledge Shipley and Carlson are sure of their positions at center and left guard respectively. In football pledges Carlson, Owen and Rockefeller won their numerals; while Hargrove, Petrilli and Shipley made the squad.

We have the greatest pleasure in introducing two newly initiated brothers, namely, Brothers John Kavanagh and John Flynn. Brother Flynn was the Varsity's crack third baseman last year and hopes to occupy the same position this coming year. Brother Kavanagh in spite of his playing the banjo in the instrumental club, is no mean slouch on the cinder path.

Alpha Upsilon extends its heartiest congratulations to the brothers of Mu and Sigma, and wishes them the best of luck.

RICHARD A. KELTING.

**THE GREAT WHITE WAY? RESERVED FOR II K A ON
APRIL 18-21, 1922.**

ALPHA PHI.

Iowa State College of Agriculture and Mechanic Arts.

Alpha-Phi looks on the first quarter of the year of 1921-1922 as one of the shining lights of her history. From all phases of college activities, she has held her end higher than ever before.

Iowa State's varsity football team contained Wolters and Brorby of Alpha-Phi. In fact Pi Kappa Alpha of Iowa State had the position of quarterback on the varsity cornered by Wolters and Brorby, each winning their "A" in the major sport this fall. Pledge Wernentin represented the chapter on the Fresh-

man football squad. Wolters has made a name for himself among the football fans this year because of the handicap of lightweight and then too this being his first year out for the gridiron sport. This year is expected to be a banner year for Wolters in track, this being his last. His speed in last year's relay team and quarter mile run marked recognition for him, so we are looking for big things this year.

Alpha Phi was proud to note that P. A. Potter was elected chairman of the arrangements for the national conclave of Sigma Delta Chi, national journalistic fraternity, to be held in Ames in December. Potter was also appointed to the position of Sport Editor of the Iowa State Student staff. This is the last year for Brother Potter and the chapter will feel the loss of a valuable man.

Another Homecoming for Alpha-Phi has come and gone. Fruitful results were obtained this fall in getting the alumni to return. Brother George headed the committee for homecoming and he was successful in getting about forty old men to return. Each individual alumnus was written and requested to come back. The exterior of the house was decorated with an illuminated football and a ray of streamers ran to each corner of the house. The guests were entertained at a dinner given in the chapter house on Saturday night, November 19.

We have given three fine dances this quarter. One, the first, was given in the chapter house; the second was held in the Sheldon-Munn ball room. Fitting and proper decorations for the occasion and Metcalf's jazz band, made the dance one which will not be forgotten. Then on December 9, an informal party was given in the chapter house.

We are glad to announce that F. L. Burrows was taken into the bonds on November 19. Brother Burrows is attending the State University of Iowa. Also we are proud of our additional list of pledges, including:

Nelson T. Powers, Little Rock, Ark.
Ralph Readhead, Corning, Iowa.
Glen Moore, Newton, Iowa.
Edwin G. Wernentin, Davenport, Iowa.
Hoyt J. Booth, Harlan, Iowa.
Frank G. Snyder, Jr., Jewell, Iowa.
John M. Rae, Storm Lake, Iowa.
Carl F. Bartels, Dubuque, Iowa.
Philip H. Hersema, Pipestone, Minn.
Fred H. Stoddard, Ames, Iowa.
Walter T. Lawrence, McIntosh, S. Dak.
Charles B. Sillito, Dennison, Iowa.

With best wishes for all sister chapters.

FRED POWERS,

ALPHA PSI.

Rutgers College.

We wish to introduce the following initiates to our sister chapters:

Kenneth M. Eden, 44 Bughter Avenue, East Orange, N. J.
Condit S. Atkinson, 117 Benner St., Highland Park, N. J.
James R. Dey, Dayton, N. J.
Roy C. Collins, 19 Montrose Terrace, Irvington, N. Y.
William O. Allen, Bernardsville, N. J.
Edgar H. Rossback, 730 Styvesant Avenue, Irvington, N. J.
Douglas D. Silner, 81 Crook Avenue, Brooklyn, N. Y.
Edgar T. Smith, 119 Gates Avenue, Brooklyn, N. Y.

Now that the football season has come to a close, we anxiously turn our attention to basketball. The victory over West Virginia in our closing game ended a fairly successful season. The impressive way in which it was won helped to make us forget some of the previous defeats. The winning of that final game awoke the spirit that had been deadened by trying to support a losing team. The spirit which is now running high will help to usher in the basketball season. Our motto at present is: That which we failed to gain on the gridiron we will win on the court.

The prospects for a good basketball team this year are very promising, every man that started in the final game last season has returned to college this fall. Aided by some first-class material in the freshman class, a well rounded team should be formed. Brother Pancoast has reported for practice. Tim expects to make the boys step to keep him from holding down the pivot position. Pledge Rossbach is out for the assistant managership.

The annual alumni banquet and freshman initiation was held on Saturday, December 3d. A large gathering of alumni took part in an extensive banquet and entertainment. Brothers Morris and Pratt of the faculty with many other alumni brothers helped welcome in the new initiates.

Interfraternity basketball started the first of December, with Brother Pancoast acting as our captain. Our prospects for winning a leg on the cup look very promising at the outset.

A very enjoyable dance and house party followed the West Virginia game. Nearly thirty-five couples, including alumni, friends and active memebbers, attended the game in a group. Several couples had to leave immediately after the game and about twenty couples remained for the dance and over-night party. Special faculty permission was granted for over-night parties on that week-end. The house was artistically decorated by our social committee and a very tasty lunch and Sunday din-

ner were prepared by the steward department. We hope to have a number of these dances during the year.

We send to our sister chapters our best wishes for the new year and an invitation to visit us at any time.

ALFRED W. PLATT.

2200 ROOMS—2200 BATHS! COME TO THE HOTEL PENNSYLVANIA IN NEW YORK ON APRIL 18, 1922, AND GET YOURS.

ALPHA-OMEGA.

Kansas State Agricultural College.

Since the opening of college we have pledged three more new men, and we take pleasure in announcing their names to Pi Kappa Alpha, they are:

Frank Erwin, Leroy, Kans.

Ralph Erwin, Leroy, Kans.

William Altamari, Parsons, Kans.

Kansas State finished a very successful football season credited with four wins and two losses in the Missouri Valley Conference. More especially do we think this a good record as we came from the cellar position to a tie with Missouri for second place honors. Nichols was Alpha-Omega's representative on the team.

Basketball is now under way and Jenkins, Graham and Pledge Frank Erwin are out for Varsity. Inter-mural basketball will start soon and we are going to give some one a run for the cup.

N. V. Platner and Pledge Frank Erwin were initiated into Sigma Tau, both of these men have worked hard for this honor and may well be proud of their achievement.

Brother Wilkinson, Pachett, Boyd and Pledge Hurt came up from Beta-Omicron to see the Aggie-Oklahoma game and pay us a visit. We were mighty glad to meet these men and hope we can repay their visit next year.

Beta-Gamma gave a Hallowe'en dance in honor of Alpha-Omega at the week end of the K. U.-Aggie game, although we lost the game we cannot but feel that the trip was a success, for we became better acquainted with our brother II's at Lawrence, who entertained us royally and did everything to make us feel at home in their wonderful new house, Beta-Gamma has a regular bunch of men, a snappy lot of pledges and a fine new home—a combination hard to beat!

Our annual homecoming dance was given at Elk's hall. Friday, November 18. This is always our biggest dance of the season, in which both old men and active members take part, altho many of our old men could not be with us in person we feel sure they were here in mind at least.

RALPH ADAMS.

BETA ALPHA.

Pennsylvania State College.

Over half of the first semester is now over, and the months just passed have been "red letter" ones in the history of Beta Alpha and Penn State.

The outstanding event of the period just passed was the inauguration of John M. Thomas, formerly of Middlebury College, Vermont, as president of the college. President Thomas succeeds Edwin E. Sparks, a man who through his conscientious devotion to duty and to the college has won a place in the heart of every Penn State student. The new "Prexy" has taken up his tasks with a determination that bodes well for the future of Penn State.

The second annual Alumni Day following close on the heels of inauguration was a momentous one for the college and the chapter. The following brothers honored us with a visit at this time: "Bill" Traeger, "Red" Davis, "Alec" Simpson, "Cotton" Lindquist, "Jack" Dyer, "Bill" Marvin, Clark Wiggins, Frank Humphries, and John Fluek. Bill Marvin was exceedingly happy to introduce to the boys his recently acquired better half.

The Pennsylvania Day House Party was acclaimed a genuine success by all participants, including the victims of "cellar digging."

It is hardly necessary in the face of all the publicity, to mention the worth of "Penn State's 1921 football team, which has earned a just claim to the Eastern championship, and is at present on its way West to clash with the University of Washington at Seattle. Georgia Tech, Navy, Carnegie Tech and Lehigh could not withstand the crushing offence of Bezdek's "steam roller." Many of the boys have been following our traveling eleven in spite of expense and distance. Notwithstanding the extravagant use of shoe leather two hundred mile jaunts have become unusually common. There has been a great deal of entertainment provided through the relating of experiences on such trips.

In activities around college the brothers are showing up well. The new men in particular are starting out right. Hagenbuch is

out for his numerals in soccer and will in all probability be a regular next year; Lilley is out for boxing, Lingle and Eicholzer are going good in track; Barto is making a try for the Froth Staff; Pickel is on the class finance committee and was also on the Freshmen football squad. Other brothers active at this time are Keller, Bace and Harral in soccer; Brokenshire in freshman football, and Clappier in wrestling. Leslie has been recently elected to Eta Kappa Nu and Sigma Tau, honorary engineering fraternities. The boys are all working scholastically and the yellow slips were less numerous than usual.

Beta-Alpha takes great pleasure in introducing the following new IIs.

Jack B. Hagenbuch, 5050 Baltimore Ave., Philadelphia, Pa.
Charles Lilley, 7 Barstow Avenue, Towanda, Pa.
Walter C. Lingle, 407 Agatha Street, Pitcairn, Pa.
Elmore G. Barto, 97 Center Ave., West Haven, Conn.
Walter S. Rearick, Elk Lick, Pa.
Adolphus R. Allison, 105 Shaw Ave., Lewistown, Pa.
Russel E. Eichholzer, Forest City, Pa.

Beta Alpha joins with her sister chapters in welcoming the reinstalled chapters of Mu and Sigma. May this year continue as a banner one for Pi Kappa Alpha in all lines of activity.

E. V. LESLIE.

**WE'VE BOUGHT A THEATRE FOR II K A IN NEW YORK
ON APRIL 19, 1922.**

BETA BETA.

University of Washington.

How the time does fly. There are three weeks and two days left of this college quarter, and we feel as though it was only yestrday that we began the year's work. The football season has come and gone, those restful autumn days have passed and now we face the gloomy, rainy winter time. We get so fed up with this constant drizzle, that we're almost ready at times to exchange our moderate temperature for the bitter cold, that you other people who live in the East must endure.

Athletics continues to be the most interesting feature of our college life. Although the regular football season has closed, we still have the annual post-season game to play. This year it is to be with the powerful Nittany Lions from Penn State, and although it is generally felt that Washington hasn't a chance, it is the uncertainty, which has done as much as any other one thing

to make the game of football the most popular intercollegiate sport, which lets us hope that we may win. The Frosh football team won every game they played this year, Pledge Roy Olson making his numerals.

The jinx still hounds poor Beta-Beta. For the fourth consecutive year we have fought our way through the interfraternity league, only to be beaten in the final game. However, we do get some consolation from the fact that Keyes, Roth and Liston are out with the ararsity squad and should land a position or two thereon.

Socially we have fared well. At the rushing smoker which we gave during the first week of the quarter, three of the boys put on a minstrel act that went so good, that they decided to try out for the Junior Girls Vodvil. They have been practicing ever since and are to know very soon whether or not they will be among the chosen. The Mother's Club gave us a delightful little dinner in October, and on the eighteenth of this month we gave an informal dancing party in the house, which everyone seemed to think was unusually successful.

Since our last letter we have discovered three men who were thought worthy of our pledge pin and whom we wish to introduce. They are:

Clarence Ritchie, Centralia, Wash.

Kirk Herre, Bellingham, Wash.

Albert Flower, Seattle, Wash.

Orrin Vining and Bartlett Rummel have been pledged to Phi Alpha Delta honorary fraternity and Fred Howard to Beta Alpha Psi.

For the Thanksgiving game with Washington State College and the homecoming week we had several of the old men back. Cecil Jamieson, Al Harsh, Don and Howard Keyes spent the short holidays with us and we found that there were sufficient who had not gone home to warrant us in having a little dance. "Jamie" has just received his second lieutenant's commission in the regular army as a result of his being chosen distinguished cadet at the R. O. T. C. last year.

Brother Fenton, our district princeps paid us a visit last evening. We certainly enjoyed having him here and were very sorry that he was obliged to return to his home in Portland so soon.

In closing Beta-Beta extends to all her sister chapters heartiest New Year greetings and best wishes.

GUY M. TUDOR.

BETA GAMMA.**University of Kansas.**

With the college year well under way and the Thanksgiving recess over, December finds the men of Beta-Gamma working hard. Every one came back from the holidays happy and ready for the hard grind.

A unique party called the First Annual Hullabulloo Barbecue was given November 19, which made a big hit according to all reports. The meat for the feed was prepared in true barbecue style.

On Wednesday night before Thanksgiving the annual Thanksgiving banquet was held. About seventy-five II K A.'s and pledges were present and the banquet was made quite lively by various stunts put on by the freshmen.

Four of our men have received honor so far this semester: Harold Dennis is assistant cheer leader; Russell McCullough was elected to Sigma Gamma Epsilon, professional geological fraternity; Gerald Kasee was elected to Sigma Tau, professional engineering fraternity, and Marion Collins was elected to Sigma Delta Chi, professional journalistic fraternity.

Beta Gamma extends greetings to all sister chapters.

M. F. COLLINS.

**NEW YORK VAUDEVILLE? THE CONVENTION SMOKER
ON APRIL 18, 1922, WILL HAVE THE BEST.**

BETA-ZETA.**Southern Methodist University.**

Beta-Zeta Chapter wishes to introduce to the fraternity at large the following new men who were initiated at the chapter house on the evening of October 1st:

Forest C. Whitehead, Del Rio, Texas.
Charles Hardwicke, Dallas, Texas.
Paul B. Leavell, Dallas, Texas.
James Albright, Cooper, Texas.
A. P. Boyd, Paris, Texas.

Willie B. Whitehead and Dick Troy, other pledges of last year were not initiated, but are back with us this year.

The following new men have been pledged:

S. G. Waggoner, Wichita Falls, Texas.
Melvin Moore, Dallas, Texas.

Hardy Browder, Groesbeck, Texas.
John Kilman, Dallas, Texas.
Allan Rowson, Fort Worth, Texas.
Webster Langston, Dallas, Texas.
George Davis, Houston, Texas.
Lidell Davis, Dallas, Texas.
Selma Ingram, Decatur, Texas.
G. E. Huff, Lawton, Okla.
Kennedy Black, Honey Grove, Texas.

A. B. Boyd has recently affiliated with Beta- Omicron, and Charles Hardwicke with Beta-Mu. James Albright has withdrawn from college and is working in the city. The chapter feels the loss of these men and will welcome their return any time they may be able to pay us a visit.

Our old house was sold this past summer and we have been forced to seek new quarters. We have moved across the street into a very comfortable house, formerly occupied by the K. A.'s. In the meantime we have furnished the downstairs with a new living room set of furniture, which does credit to the chapter.

Jimmie Kitts again distinguished himself and won honors for the chapter. He captained the football team and played a superior brand of ball throughout the season in spite of injuries received early. This is his fourth letter and he does not expect to return to college next year.

Pledges Rowson and Huff starred on the Freshmen team, which is one of the strongest aggregations in the state. This team went through the season without a defeat and ran up a high score against their opponents.

Basketball practice is in full sway and prospects for a winning team looms rightly. Whitehead, Kitts and Gable are contending for positions. Pledge Whitehead is also eligible for the varsity and shows up well at practice.

Pan Hellenic held its annual banquet on November 17th. Dick Dickson spoke in behalf of the alumni. Waggoner was the spokesman for the Pan-Hellenic. Pan-Hellenic has been very successful at S. M. U. and is doing a great work.

Although the chapter is unusually small this year, the spirit remains the same. An effort is being made to keep in constant touch with our alumni, in regard to all the chapter achievements. We have had two very successful entertainments this year, and are planning another for the next term.

With best wishes for a Happy Christmas and a Prosperous New Year to all the chapters of Pi Kappa Alpha.

J. L. WREN, JR.

BETA ETA.**University of Illinois.**

Beta Eta has just passed through a lively and successful Homecoming. About forty of the old brothers returned to help back the team against Chicago. After the game the brothers returned to the house, where a hearty "feed" was awaiting them, and after the meal stories were swapped in front of the fireplace.

The football season at Illinois this year was not as successful as in the past few years. Although "Zup" had plenty of material the men were inexperienced. In the last game of the season, to the surprise of many of the dopesters, we succeeded in bating our friendly enemy, Ohio State. Five of the brothers made the trip via "Blind Baggage" to Columbus, and had many interesting tales to tell of their experiences when they returned. They also wish to thank Alpha-Rho for the royal treatment accorded them.

On the eve of the Wisconsin game we held our first informal house dance of the year. The usual pep was prevalent, the house was decorated with corn stalks and pumpkins in order to create a Hallowe'en atmosphere. Our next dance is on December 3d and plans are being formulated to make this affair the talk of the campus. The social committee is working hard so that this will be the real party of the year. The brothers are to be garbed as "knights of the road" and their lady friends will come dressed accordingly.

In spite of our social obligations we are still holding our own in activities. Rial Rolfe, a member of the Varsity golf team annexed the university golf championship medal, thus making it the fourth consecutive time Beta-Eta has held the championship.

"Bugs" Burge, our man of letters, has just been pledged to Mask and Bauble the honorary dramatic organization in recognition of his talents as displayed in the last campus production.

Bissell and Paxton are working hard for berths on the Varsity basketball 'squad. Both are conscientious players and we feel sure the house will not be without representation on the team this year.

Beta-Eta extends her best wishes to all her sister chapters.

T. E. TEBO.

**SEE THE STATUE OF LIBERTY ON THE TRIP 'ROUND
MANHATTAN ISLAND.**

BETA THETA.**Cornell University.**

Organized rushing held sway at Cornell this fall and we were very successful in pledging the men we wanted. The following pledges will be initiated into the bonds December 3d:

Walter Reginald Beaven, New York City.
Clarence Travis Brown, Yonkers, N. Y.
Walter Russell Fippin, Roslyn, Va.
Lester Forseberg, Yonkers, N. Y.
Thomas Berkeley Lippman, Sag Harbor, L. I.
Herbert John Marchand, Buffalo, N. Y.
Edson George Mosier, Penn Yan, N. Y.
Robert Mott-Smith, Honolulu, T. H.
Frank John Novotny, Long Island City.
Schuyler Brother Pratt, Wayland, N. Y.
Charles Sumner Rich, Mount Vernon, N. Y.

These men are showing up well in athletics and on publications, and we all feel well pleased with our present Freshman class. Plans are going forward now for an excellent initiation ceremony and banquet.

The first social event of the year will be in the form of a dinner dance to be held December 8th. Probably about all of the brothers will assemble with "The One" of his choice. Just now the choosing seems to be a bit difficult, but once the decision is made, all will be well.

The result of the annual football clash with Pennsylvania was most gratifying to Cornellians. It looks as though we have, in the pessimistic Dobie, a man who can turn out winning football teams consistently. He did it on the Pacific coast, at the Naval Academy and now he is doing it at Cornell. Those who saw the game will realize that victory did not come as a result of breaks of trick plays, but by plain line bucks and end runs where every man had a particular duty and performed that duty well. This style of offense together with the defense shown by the Big Red Team this season is apparently an unbeatable combination. "Charlie" Cassidy has played at left end in every game this season and his hard-working and consistent style of playing has been a big factor in the team's success. "Tex" Marshall played in a few early games before he was forced out by an injury and "Ed" Calleson made all the trips as a substitute back.

Cornell's Glee and Mandolin Clubs journeyed to Philadelphia and gave a concert in conjunction with Pennsylvania's Instrumental and Glee Clubs on Thanksgiving eve, the night before the football contest between these two universities. This concert at the Bellevue-Stratford hotel was a musical treat of high

order and afforded an excellent opportunity for the alumni and undergraduates of the two institutions to renew old acquaintances and make many new ones. "Jack" Sturgis made the trip as one of the Glee Club soloists and "Windy" Windnagle performed creditably with his mandolin.

About half of Beta-Theta chapter was in Philadelphia over Thanksgiving and many of our alumni were there so it was indeed an enjoyable day for those of us who were fortunate enough to make the trip. More will be said about the alumni in the Alumni Notes, but we would like to mention here that the fact we did have such a pleasant trip was due principally to the hospitality of Beta-Pi. We wish to again tender our thanks and remind the members of that chapter that they are always welcome here.

Cornell has again captured the cross-country championship. Coach Moakley and the squad deserve much credit for their unusual showing this year for two perfect scores and taking first, second, third and fifth places in the intercollegiates shows a team of unquestionable merit.

With the close of the football season we are turning to basketball as the next center of athletic interest. A very good schedule has been ratified by the Athletic Council and Coach Ortner has some experienced veterans of last year's Varsity and freshman teams to build a winning five. Between "Bill" Rippe and "Joe" Porter varsity letter men and "Shrimp" Capron of last year's Fresh, Pi Kappa Alpha will undoubtedly be represented on the basketball court this season.

Already this year Cornell athletes have been engaged in twenty varsity contests. Out of eight soccer games, eight football battles and four cross country meets, they have met defeat but once. Were it not for a soccer game in which Princeton showed a better team than Cornell, the latter could boast a perfect athletic record. However, nineteen victories out of twenty contests is an average any university can be proud of and we feel that the much prophesied return of the "Good Old Days" is at hand.

With best wishes for a succesesful year to all our sister chapters.

A. C. MATTISON.

BETA IOTA.

Beloit College.

Late November finds Beta-Iota and her fourteen pledges holding her own on the campus at "Old Beloit." While she has not

had numbers of any great proportion on the team that has carried Beloit through her best football season in the last decade, she has been proud to have ben who figured very noticeably in the real fighting spirit that has developed at Beloit this year. Eddie Schacht has figured in every game and has been one who showed that never die spirit which pulled more than one game out of the fire. Jencks and Bardell, and Pledges Robotham and Mackey have also figured in the varsity uniform.

Schacht acted as captain at the last three football games. This gives Beta-Iota the distinction of having four captaincies in one year. Winkenwerder will captain this season's basketball team. Picken next spring's track team, and Schacht will also be captain of the 1922 baseball team.

Although Beloit did not win all of her football games, and did lose the state title by dropping one of her games to Lawrence while she was in a bad slump, she did have the satisfaction of downing her oldest and bitterest rivals, Ripon and Knox, by decisive scores.

With the football season over, all eyes are now turned to Winkenwerder and his basketball team who have already spent many hours in practice and getting into condition. Winkenwerder promises to give Beloit the best basketball season she has had in years.

Being nicely housed in her new "mansion" Beta-Iota has been able to uphold her standing in the social world as well as in athletics. On October twenty-second she threw open her doors and entertained the college and community at an "open house," which proved to be a very pleasing event. A week later on the twenty-eighth of October, she entertained at an informal dancing party which showed the manner in which the new house would lend itself to such an occasion. On Sunday evening, November 20th, the co-eds were entertained at a peppy sing. II songs and yells were given with real spirit. Thanksgiving refreshments were served. The pledges of Beta-Iota are planning on entertaining the chapter at an informal dance on December 16th.

Beta-Iota had ten men selected in the first picking of the Glee Club personnel. The Glee Club is planning an extensive trip through the West. Canty takes a leading part in the plays given by the Beloit players. Lawver is burning midnight oil in preparation for tryouts for debating teams and oratory. Beta-Iota as a whole seems to be taking college life in earnest and we predict that she will rank at or very near the top in the scholarship ranking among the greek letter groups.

Beta-Iota takes pleasure in introducing the following pledges:

Harold Austin, Lancaster, Wis.
 Herbert Comstock, 1516 Whitney St., Belvidere, Ill.
 Dwight Mackey, Oregon, Ill.
 Earnest Miller, 2109 N. 7th St., Sheboygan, Wis.
 Donald Gilly, Stoughton, Wis.
 Harvard Gleasman, 1606 White Avenue, Beloit, Wis.
 James McAllister, 608 Concord St., Milwaukee, Wis.
 Harvey R. Jewett, Oregon, Ill.
 Boyce Baird, Evansville, Wis.
 George Kiethley, 807 Bluff St., Beloit, Wis.
 Wilmont Pierce, Medford, Wis.
 Claire Pierce, Medford, Wis.
 Holden Bort, 421 Prospect Ave., Beloit, Wis.
 Norris Rowbotham, Walworth, Wis.

CLYDE CHAPEL.

WHY NOT SPEND YOUR SECOND HONEYMOON IN NEW YORK IN APRIL?

BETA KAPPA.

Emory University.

College opened here September 30th and found a majority of our men back. We were all sorry to give up Bill Turner, who sailed for Japan immediately after graduation, where he is professor of English in one of our universities there.

We have just closed a very successful track meet, in which were contested nine of the foremost Methodist colleges. Emory lead the day with the first four places. As this is the only form of intercollegiate athletics Emory enjoys, we all were happy at the outcome.

Our rushing season was a wonderful success. We have annexed a promising bunch of freshmen and we feel that they will be heard from in the future.

We take pleasure in introducing our new pledges:

John L. Jenkins, La Fayette, Ala.
 H. B. Scott, Murray, Ky.
 S. E. Wasson, Atlanta, Ga.
 E. C. Locklear, Homerville, Ga.
 W. S. Hardin, Bradentown, Fla.
 L. E. Pentecost, Lawrenceville, Ga.
 J. S. Hunt, Powder Springs, Ga.
 T. O. Martin, Atmore, Ala.

The following men have returned to the university and are taking active parts in college activities

E. G. Hamlett, Water Valley, Ky.
 C. L. Tally, Panama City, Fla.
 C. H. Deterly, Baton Rouge, La.

N. C. Mars, Philadelphia, Miss.
E. F. Tilly, Atlanta, Ga.
J. P. Turner, Meridian, Miss.
H. M. Tolleson, McDonough, Ga.
J. D. Kilpatrick, Atlanta, Ga.
Ruskin King, Decatur, Ga.
T. I. Willingham, Atlanta, Ga.
J. R. Boswell, Penfield, Ga.
A. E. Barnett, Opelika, Ala.
W. C. Calhoun, Natasulga, Ala.
D. M. Beeson, Meridian, Miss.
A. B. Austin, Wingo, Ky.

Beta Kappa sends greetings to all sister chapters.

A. B. AUSTIN.

BETA-LAMBDA.

Washington University.

It is with pleasure that we introduce to the fraternity the following pledges:

Donald Coffman, Cape Girardeau, Mo.
John Gilbert, St. Louis, Mo.
John Gormley, St. Louis, Mo.
Carl Obrock, St. Louis, Mo.
Frank Krill, Granite City, Ill.
William Reiman, St. Louis, Mo.

The football season has now ended and everyone is very busy preparing for the examinations which will arrive very shortly. This means hard study, the dreaded examinations—and then, the Christmas holidays.

There is one date on the past football schedule which probably recalls to the minds of the members of Beta-Lambda and Alpha-Nu pleasant memories. On November 5, Washington's "home-coming" day, Missouri journeyed here for its annual game with us. This gave Beta-Lambda the pleasure of entertaining Alpha Nu. After the game and good food, everyone met at the Planter's for an enjoyable dance. Many of the alumni were also present.

Beta-Lambda is represented in the Glee Club by Crowe, who also sings in the quartette.

We are very much pleased to have the alumni members visit us on our regular meeting nights as they have been doing this past season. Their suggestions are very helpful and are greatly appreciated.

In closing, Beta-Lambda wishes the greatest success and prosperity for all her sister chapters.

EDWARDS J. WINER.

BETA MU**University of Texas**

As the result of a strenuous but successful rushing season, we are proud to have pledged the following men:

Harry Eldridge, Montgomery, Texas.
Ralph Wheeler, Commerce, Texas.
LeRoy Duggan, Belton, Texas.
William Mayfield, El Paso, Texas.
Ben R. Howell, El Paso, Texas.
Chester Wright, El Paso, Texas.
W. J. Alston, Greenville, Texas.
John Mulcahy, El Paso, Texas.
Clyde Harvill, Robstown, Texas.

Two of these men have been taken into the bonds, and we take pleasure in introducing to the fraternity brothers Mayfield and Wright.

Our football season,* which was not altogether successful because of the 0-0 tie with our deadly enemies of A. and M. College, has just ended. We were represented on the squad by Luhn, who played a consistent game at end. On the strong freshman squad, pledges Alston and Hamel showed up exceptionally well, both making freshman T's. Hooton and Buchly were the mainstays of the Law Intramural team which put up a wonderful fight against the Engineers.

We open the inter-fraternity basketball season with a game against the Kappa Alphas. Under the coaching of McCollough, the team is rapidly rounding into shape, and we have prospects for a very successful season. The men who will form the mainstay of the team are McCollough, Ritchie, Buchly, Mayfield, Greer and Luhn; and Pledges Alston, Mulcahy and Howell.

We are well represented in the musical organizations on the campus. Maloney and Pledge Wheeler are members of the Varsity Band. Hooton has been elected director of the Glee Club, and Williams, Lewis and Wright are doing good work on the same organization. We are represented on the University Mandolin Club by Wright and Lewis, who is president of the club for the present session.

Gray is a member of the Y. M. C. A. cabinet, and Cochran and Pledge Howell are out for Inter-Collegiate debate.

Wright is doing excellent work on the Varsity wrestling squad. At the invitation of the German club, Beta-Mu recently became a member of that organization. This is a social club composed of the representative fraternities on the campus.

We have recently had the pleasure of entertaining our "fratres in facultate" at a series of informal dinners at the chapter house. We hope to have the privilege of continuing this practice the remainder of the year.

During this semester we have had the pleasure of a visit from our new District Princeps, brother Rollin Mortfort Rolfe, of Sherman, Texas. His visit proved very pleasant and beneficial to us. We have also, at different times, received visits from several of the brothers from Alpha-Omicron at Georgetown.

We regret very much to announce the withdrawal from the University of Lewis and Pledges Hubbard and Eldridge. We hope to have these men back with us next year.

To our sister chapters, Beta-Mu extends heartiest greetings and especially welcomes our revived chapters, Mu and Sigma.

WALTON H. COCHRAN.

**EVER PROMISED YOURSELF A TRIP TO NEW YORK? OR
A II KA CONVENTION? DO BOTH IN APRIL.**

BETA-NU.

Oregon Agricultural College.

With the close of the football season, Oregon Agricultural College is focusing its attention on newer activities. Our football team this year had fair success, in being ranked second in the Pacific Northwest Conference. Our annual game with Oregon resulted in a 0-0 tie, making this score stand for two consecutive years. We are hoping for better success next season, although we lose six players from this year's team by graduation. The annual O. A. C. Rook vs. Oregon Frosh football game resulted in a 0-0 tie contest.

The annual Home Coming was on the 21st of October, or the date that we played University of Washington. It was a most successful one for us both from the score standpoint and from other doings. We were honored with the presence of fifteen brothers from Beta-Beta chapter. They came full of hope and left full of hope for next year. Our dance given on the night of the game was a success, due in a great measure to the attendance of the brothers from Washington.

The annual Bag Rush was won by the Sophomores by the score of 5-4. It was a spirited battle, although no casualties resulted.

Varsity basketball season is now in full swing. A large schedule has been arranged in the Pacific Coast Conference. Beta-Nu is represented on the varsity by Hjelte and on the freshmen team by Pledge Converse York. A good season is looked for.

Our team played good basketball in the Intramural league. Although defeated in half our games, we gave a good account of ourselves. The games lost were only by small scores, and were hard fought.

We finished in fourth place among the National Fraternities in the Intramural cross-country run. Each house ran five men twice a week for a period of five weeks. While the run was tedious on the brothers, we kept well up within the time limit.

Final examination time finds the brothers trying hard to finish in first place in scholarship. Our standing has always been a steady second, but this year we aim to be first.

Beta-Nu wishes to extend its greetings to all sister chapters and wishes them a happy and prosperous New Year.

MARSHALL HJELTE.

BETA-OMICRON

University of Oklahoma

After two and a half months of college, Beta-Omicron announces the following new developments:

Fathers' Day, November 5, was a huge success. Kansas fell before the Sooners on that day on the football field and everybody felt particularly jubilant. Some brothers and pledges from Beta-Gamma came down, but their stay was all too short. The banquet was in form an Indian "Feast of the Harvest," with everything from "dead buffalo" to "fire-sticks" and "heap big talk." The brothers temporarily became "warriors," the pledges, "papooses," and this novel idea we carried into further execution on November 12 with a big "powwow at Teepee Hall, our second dance of the season, and to which all the fraternities sent "tribe representatives."

Guy Brown has been elected business manager of the 1922 Sooner; the editor (a Phi Gamma Delta) has appointed Lynn Riggs associate editor; Dean Duncan is pledged to Alpha Kappa Kappa; Bill Halbert and John Duncan have become Mystic Keys (honorary sophomore fraternity); pledges West and Nelson belong to Battle-Axe (honorary freshman fraternity); Hugh Bland made the Debate Team; Thompson, Bryan, West, Hadley and

Riggs are on the Glee Club; pledge Brady toots a thing in the Band, and made the trip to Nebraska with the football team; pledge Grimes is a member of the wrestling team; Benton continues to direct the Glee Club; the chapter is out for the interfraternity basketball championship; the chorus of another "home talent" song runs:

Pi Kappa Alpha bold!
Bringer of manifold
Joys now and every day,
Dear II K A.

Our new pledge, Orrin Stevens, is from Walters, and will make a fine brother. Brothers Newham, Alpha-Zeta, and Hockenhull, Beta-Gamma, were recent welcome visitors. Roger K. Kolter, Nowata, is a new initiate.

R. LYNN RIGGS.

GRATIFY THAT DESIRE. VISIT NEW YORK IN APRIL.

BETA-PI

University of Pennsylvania

Almost two months have passed since college opened her doors to us, and most of us have settled down to the old routine of three meals per, sleep, classes, and an occasional date. Football has come and gone. For the first time since 1916 Pennsylvania succumbed, and otherwise wilted before the almost irresistible onslaught of Cornell. The score of 41 to 0 tells of the power of the Ithacans. The rest of the season was mediocre and we are anxiously waiting for Pennsylvania to again ascend the football throne which she once held.

Aside from football we have pledged and initiated three men into the bonds. We wish to introduce the following men to the fraternity at large:

George Velsor Platt, New York City.
John Wallace Saner, Philadelphia, Pa.
Harold Benjamin McClary, Dayton, O.

McClary is a member of the gym team, while Platt will make a bid for a berth on the tennis team in the spring.

Malin, our hard working sophomore is at it again. This time he was elected chairman of the sophomore class executive committee and was also appointed a member of the sophomore vigilance committee. Holmes and Odgers are again with the "Red

and Blue," while Irvin is furnishing harmony for the Glee Club. "Red" Pinney is making a strong bid for a berth on the hockey team, while Carl Tyler aspires to the managership of the puck chasers. Len Lerch is making a strong bid for the soccer managership. Clifford, besides being a Junior Prom chairman, will manage the freshmen basketball team the coming season. Activities seem to be coming along nicely, and while Rome wasn't built in a day, yet we are free to admit that we were not the bosses on that job.

Due to the migration of Bill Brown to Harvard, an election was held with the following results:

Merle Odgers, S. M. C.
Byron R. Pinney, I. M. C.
L. R. Beale, S. C.
Maurice Holmes, Th. C.
H. Irvin, M. C.
James S. Clifford, M. S.

During the past few months we have been honored by visits from brothers of other chapters. Visitors are always welcome. Drop in often.

Beta-Pi sends Yuletide greetings to her sister chapters and extends congratulations to Mu.

JOHN FRED EARL HIPPEL.

BETA-RHO

Colorado College

Thanksgiving brought us a good ending to a rather bad football year. With a lack of heavy material, especially for the back-field, we yet had a team that never gave up; and on Thanksgiving it beat a team against which we were conceded but little chance of winning. Brother Sando went out for the team but was forced to stop on account of injuries. Pledge Zickefoose made the freshman team. This team gives promise of furnishing an abundance of good material for next year.

Now comes the good news that we are to have a feed on Brother Rice. Blessed be the tie that binds. Who next?

This year the question has again come up concerning the dining hall run by the college. It is the aim of the college administration to make this hall a common place of meeting and eating where the out-of-town men of the college may get together. To further this idea there was a ruling made some years ago forbidding fraternity tables. But in spite of the efforts

of the college administration there have been times when less than twenty men ate at the hall; and they have run in debt every year. Many of the men prefer to eat down town. And among all the fraternities there seems to be a growing feeling in favor of removing the ban on the fraternity tables; but, as before, the college opposes it. What the final outcome will be it is hard to say now.

Including those that we introduced last time, the following are our pledges:

Waldron D. Fair, Colorado Springs, Colo.
Kenneth N. Ogle, Manitou, Colo.
Kenneth W. Dixon, Agra, Kansas.
Leonard W. Young, Greeley, Colo.
Marion Zickefoose, Manitou, Colo.
Albert E. Gardner, Colorado Springs, Colo.
Allan Marshall, La Junta, Colo.
Herbert Sanford, Manitou, Colo.
Russell Miller, Marblehead, Missouri.

Beta-Rho extends her wishes to sister chapters that each one may have the best of all the New Year's that they have had.

KENNETT GORDON.

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UPSILON

Charlotte, N. C.

On Saturday evening, November 5, at 6:30 o'clock, in Ivey's dining room, Charlotte, N. C., there was held a most enthusiastic and enjoyable II K A dinner.

The Alumnus Upsilon Chapter was host to all visiting II's who were in town for the N. C. State College-Davidson football game, which was played in the afternoon and which resulted in a 3-3 score. Those present were:

J. W. Bradfield, Alpha-Epsilon.
A. E. Escott, Alpha-Epsilon.
Dr. R. H. Lafferty, Beta.
W. S. Stewart, Alpha-Alpha.
J. J. Misenheimer, Phi.
T. W. Kendrick, Beta.
Pierce Wyche, Alpha-Alpha.
Dr. W. H. Parsons, Alpha-Alpha.
W. F. Rucker, Tau.
D. F. Hunter, Beta.
C. H. Little, Beta.
C. B. Douglas, Upsilon.
George M. Ivey, Alpha-Alpha.
Dr. H. B. Arbuckle, Iota, Davidson, N. C.
Chuck Adams, Beta, Statesville, N. C.
Heath Belk, Beta, Fort Mill, S. C.
A. C. Cline, Phi, Concorn, N. C.

From Alpha-Epsilon Chapter:

N. D. Pierson.
T. N. Parks.

From Beta Chapter:

A. M. Baker.
C. E. Hodgin.
R. L. McLeod.

H. H. Smith.
H. O. Covington.
J. M. Bostick.
W. I. Knox.
H. C. Williamson.
A. M. Hillhouse.
E. M. McKellar.
... Knight.

The dining room was tastefully decorated with II K A banners, shields, and the colors, garnet and old gold. The programs were made in the form of the pin, with the diamond folded on top of the shield, and both opening up with the menu and program printed on the inside. The fraternity colors were carried out with the paper garnet, and the type in old gold.

Dr. Robert H. Lafferty, Beta, president of Alumnus Upsilon Chapter, who acted as toastmaster, called on brother Chas. H. Little, Beta, to ask the blessing, after which everyone began to make disappear the elaborate dinner which had been prepared for the occasion.

A roll call was then asked for, and each one stood up, gave his name, chapter and home address.

Brother Lafferty then called on brother Pierce Wyche, Alpha-Alpha, in behalf of Alumnus Upsilon Chapter, to give the words of welcome, and soon everyone was feeling perfectly at home.

One of the features of the occasion was the vocal solo by Miss Gertrude Gower, who very sweetly sang "The Dream Girl of II K A," words and music by Ernest Shields, Beta.

Brother A. E. Escott, Alpha-Epsilon, Alumni Grand Editor, spoke very interestingly on the growth of II K A during the last two years, and it was with pride that we learned, many of us for the first time, of the rapid strides which II K A has made within the last few years, and of the bright future which now looms up before her.

Brothers W. J. Knox, Beta, and T. N. Parks, Alpha-Epsilon, spoke respectively on the work being done in their chapters, which all the Alumni were interested to hear about.

Dr. H. B. Arbuckle, Iota, Grand Councilor, the honor guest of the evening, spoke in true II K A spirit of great men of the Fraternity he had known. He prefaced his remarks by saying II K A was comparatively a very young fraternity, as its national growth was only begun about twelve years ago, when it was strictly a Southern Fraternity in a small section. He explained that it took long years for men to become great, and since II K A was so young, she had comparatively few nationally known, great men.

Brother Arbuckle then mentioned some of II K A's great men he had met in national conventions and elsewhere.

When he mentioned our Grand Treasurer, Brother Robert A. Smythe, as being the true incarnation of the Pi Kappa Alpha fraternity, he was forced to pause, as those present, when that name was mentioned, raised a loud applause, expressing their true feeling and high regard for our inimitable Grand Treasurer.

Brother Lafferty next called upon several for short talks—C. H. Little, Beta; D. F. Hunter, Beta; C. B. Douglas, Upsilon; W. F. Rucker, Tau; W. S. Stewart, Alpha-Alpha; and Chuck Adams, Beta.

After again telling the visiting II K A's how glad we were to have them with us, brother Lafferty declared the meeting adjourned.

But they did not leave for quite a while, as every one wanted to hang around and talk to old friends. The old "boys" finding out from the young ones how their old chapters were getting along. And the old "boys" reminiscing on the good old days when they were in college.

The last little group finally broke up, and ended an evening of delightful II K A brotherhood.

GEORGE M. IVEY, Alpha-Alpha.

**THE LARGEST HOTEL IN THE WORLD IS OURS ON APRIL
18-21, 1922.**

ALPHA-ALPHA

Jacksonville, Florida

The last official gathering of this Chapter was just prior to the opening of the State University at Gainesville. At this meeting steps were taken to acquaint the active chapter with new material from Jacksonville, attending the University, and to recommend those who met the II standard.

The officers in attendance were: T. Duke Williams, president; J. Y. Marr, vice-president, and D. Lamar Leahy, secretary-treasurer. As a rule, during the summer months our meetings are of an informal nature, and while we make no special effort to transact business, the meetings are fairly well attended, and serve to keep the fellows in touch with each other.

Jacksonville is well represented in the active chapter this year, as well as in the whole student body. December 3rd is the date

of a football game of considerable note, when North Carolina meets Florida in a post-season match in this city. Alumni of both colleges are unsparing in the effort to make the occasion a brilliant one. Still another post-season game is being considered, between Florida and Vanderbilt on New Year's. In the first event, the city will be full of Alpha-Eta's alumni, and the alumni of the Chapel Hill chapter (Tau); and the event will be one long-remembered.

We have a somewhat recent arrival, and addition, in the person of brother W. H. Rhyne, from the North Georgia A. and M. chapter. Brother Williams, our chapter president, has left our midst and is studying for the ministry at Transylvania. Kappa chapter has gained a valuable member.

L. Y. DYRENFORTH,
Resident Alumni Secretary.

ALPHA-IOTA

Cincinnati, Ohio.

A feature of the Alumnus Alpha-Iota organization is that of having monthly dinners at the active chapter house in Cincinnati. These reunions are planned to either follow or precede some University athletic function. By such a program our alumni maintain a living interest in the activities of their Alma Mater as well as in their fraternity and their brothers.

A monthly alumnal reunion in December will be given at the Alpha-Xi chapter house on Saturday evening, the '7th. Following the dinner those present will attend the University of Michigan-U. C. basketball game. The active chapter Pi Kaps unite with the alumni on these occasions.

Recent communications from some of our alumnal brothers with regard to their location and business affiliations will be of interest to mention here.

Elmore Walther has recently left his post as department head in a Texas normal school to do post-graduate work at Columbia.

For the past few years Glover Boake has been located in Minneapolis. This year he returned to Cincinnati and is now engaged in the real estate business.

An announcement of considerable interest was received several months ago of the marriage of Emory N. Root to Florence Edith Murray of Springfield, Mass. The marriage was solemnized at the bride's home in Springfield.

A. C. Black is now located in Cincinnati and is employed at the Art Metal Construction Company.

Another alumnus of Alpha Xi, Douglas Clyde Jones, has returned to this city and is the chief chemist at the Barret Chemical Co.

After his graduation from the University of Cincinnati, William McIntire, was employed at the Ault & Wiborg Company in this city. Only recently did he leave Cincinnati to accept a very fine position with the Sherwin Williams Paint Company at their Chicago headquarters.

Respectfully submitted,

BYRON H. WYDMAN.

THE NEW YORK ALUMNI HAVE PROMISED "THE BEST CONVENTION EVER." MAKE THEM PROVE IT!

ALPHA-MU

Philadelphia, Pa.

Although it may not be generally known, Alumnus Alpha-Mu Chapter has held no meetings for almost a year. But the promise of a "belt-loosening feed" and "enough smokes to make Pittsburgh look sick" brought about thirty II's out to a reorganization meeting at the Beta-Pi Chapter house on Friday, October 28.

Grand Secretary and brother Graham, our new District Principles, traveled over from New York to be in on the fun, and it fell to their lot to start things running. Their news of what the different chapters were doing, and the national situation of our fraternity and fraternities in general, brought renewed interest to the "old-timers."

The roll-call revealed members present from following chapters: Omicron, Alpha-Nu, Alpha-Chi, Alpha-Psi, Beta-Alfa, Beta-Delta, Beta-Theta and Beta-Pi.

Since it was necessary to transact a little business, the following officers were elected: President, H. D. Glover; vice-president, J. S. Wilford; recording secretary, H. F. Gretz; treasurer, P. R. Spayd; corresponding secretary, H. M. Gehman.

Then the meeting was adjourned for the "eats."

The secretary feels sure that there are many brothers in Philadelphia and vicinity, whose names he does not have. Any brother interested in the work of Alumnus Alpha-Mu, who did not re-

ceive a notice of the above meeting, will receive notices of all succeeding meetings, by writing to the undersigned at 220 South 39th St., Philadelphia, Pa.

A notice was sent to the 60 II's to attend a meeting of the chapter at 7:30 p.m. December 2nd, at Beta-Pi Chapter House, but the weather that night was very stormy and so few were able to come out that it was decided to adjourn the meeting until later in the month, when it is expected to have a rousing meeting with all 60 of the II's present.

HARRY MERRILL GEHMAN.

ALPHA-NU

St. Louis, Mo.

Beta-Lambda, the Washington University chapter, has been extending the welcome hand to the St. Louis alumni so often that it just naturally became incumbent on us to reciprocate. Accordingly, a dance was arranged in honor of the active men. It was right amusing to watch some of the old-timers cavorting on the waxed floor with bobbed-hair flappers from the campus. Beta-Lambda had entertained us at a dance in November, after the football game with Missouri University.

Beta-Lambda has begun the welcome practice of sending three members to each monthly dinner of our chapter. The men are picked in rotation from the chapter roll. The alumni keep making good resolves about representation at the weekly meetings of the active chapter, but sweethearts and wives are insistent, and it does not often work.

Alumnus Alpha-Nu has begun the serious discussion of the question of seeking the 1924 convention for St. Louis. There is no telling what we might have to say on this in New York next April. St. Louis is centrally located and is an excellent convention city. Our motto is "St. Louis in 1924."

A number of new members were present at our November dinner. Two were preachers—but you couldn't tell it by looking at them; theirs are not funereal expressions. They were Frank P. MacKenzie, Syracuse University, who is chaplain of Scott Field, Illinois, near St. Louis, a balloon field of the United States Army; and Harry Lynn Pickerill, superintendent of the Young People's Division, Educational Department, United Christian Missionary Society. Then there were Bert Zener, a Washington University medical student, who came from Beta-Beta, University of Washington, and who cannot affiliate with Beta-Lambda

because of the separation of the medical school, and Rolyn E. Lynch, from Georgia Tech., a student engineer at Century Electric Co.

Larry W. Smith, North Georgia Agricultural College, who is office manager here for the Beaver Board Companies, was a new member who appeared at the October dinner. There have been practically no withdrawals from membership, by reason of removal from the city, so that there are about fifty members now. A revised roster was issued just before New Year's, showing the name, school, year, address, telephone and occupation of each member. It was printed, and copies were sent to all active and alumni chapters and all officers.

Several of the men have moved. Among them are Joe Sheehan, Missouri University, who now lives at 4935 Spalding Avenue; K. G. Coffman, Kansas Agricultural College, 960 Beach Avenue; George Gladding, Missouri, University, 6010 Waterman Avenue; Warren Browne, who has become a suburbanite, moving to 625 South Berry Road, Webster Groves.

Grand Chancellor Henry Eversole has changed his legal connection, and is now located in the office of Bryan, Williams & Cave, Pierce Building. Malvern Diesel, Illinois University, is now studying at the New England Conservatory of Music, Boston. Richard Hazeltine, Rolla, who lives at 5610 Bartmer avenue, has expressed intention to affiliate with Alumnus Alpha-Nu.

R. G. BAUMHOFF.

**NEW YORK VAUDEVILLE? THE CONVENTION SMOKER
ON APRIL 18, 1922, WILL HAVE THE BEST.**

ALPHA-PI

Tulsa, Oklahoma

Notice—Pi Kappa Alpha Fraternity: All active and alumni members meet at 7:30 p.m. in Room 206, Texas Building on Friday of this week.

The above ad which was run for a week in both of Tulsa's leading newspapers, foretold the greatest and most lively meeting ever held by Pi K A's in the state of Oklahoma. At this meeting Alumnus Alpha-Pi sprang from the books as a chapter of that kind and donned a cloak of action that will rival the garment of alumnus activity boasted by any chapter. The way our brothers came in from all sides and attended this meeting

of reorganization was far beyond expectation and it is with great pleasure that we announce the fact that brothers from fourteen different chapters are now listed on the roll of Alpha-Pi. These are, Alpha, Beta, Beta-Theta, Beta-Gamma, Beta-Eta, Beta-Omicron, Beta-Alpha-Omega.

The meeting was one of great success in every way and many plans were made for the coming social season. The first of these ventures was a motor trip of the chapter to Norman for the home-coming game, which was between Oklahoma and Kansas. We all had a very good time and enjoyed meeting many of the brothers from Beta-Gamma besides those of Beta-Omicron. Smokers, dinners and dances are on schedule and it might be added many little motor parties of the brothers which for the time being will not be listed with the activities of the chapter at large.

An election of officers was held and resulted as follows: James E. Hoover, president; W. A. Kelaher, vice-president; V. F. Wasielewski, secretary and treasurer, and C. F. Nearman, corresponding and recording secretary. Several appointments and assignments of work were made and a regular date and place for meetings agreed upon. Brother Nearman was delegated to go to Stillwater, Okla., and look over the A. and M. school and the locals on its campus, thereby putting the alumni in a definite position should a petition for an active chapter come from that way. Other schools in Oklahoma will also be carefully investigated and looked over from that standpoint. A committee is also at work to find a good location for a clubroom and secretary's office and by the time this letter goes to print will have accomplished its end. With the long list of brothers given below, already active in Alumnus Alpha Pi and new ones joining us every day, it is but reasonable to expect that before long Eastern Oklahoma will be the Western center of alumnus activity in Pi Kappa Alpha. Our books now show the following brothers as members, "paid in full." Look this list over carefully and you may find the name of an old-timer or two from your chapter, for we have several that have left their Alma Mater from ten to twenty years ago and speak of their chapter life as the "old days."

James E. Hoover, Beta Delta.
W. A. Kelaher, Alpha-Upsilon.
D. H. Radcliff, Alpha-Kappa.
G. H. Shelton, Beta-Delta.
R. L. Marston, Alpha-Kappa.
H. S. Clark, Alpha-Kappa.
M. L. Terry, Alpha-Kappa.
C. F. Nearman, Alpha-Omega.
C. C. Knoblock, Alpha-Phi.

F. W. Gainjost, Alpha-Upsilon.
J. H. Hubbard, Alpha-Kappa.
C. W. Alcorn, Beta-Eta.
Glenn Norvell, Alpha-Kappa.
W. H. Collin, Beta-Theta.
E. P. Tuttle, Beta-Theta.
Henry Fist, Alpha-Nu.
D. C. Schmid, Alpha-Kappa.
F. H. Geiler, Beta-Eta.
N. P. Johnson, Alpha-Kappa.
Ralph Hay, Beta-Iota.
Giles A. Penick, Beta.
C. A. Quickmore, Alpha.
C. L. Crawell, Alpha-Zeta.
V. F. Wasielewski, Beta-Omicron.
W. C. Adams
Charles Whitesides
Tom Leach
R. Mosier

In conclusion of this letter I want to say that if any brothers want to join an active alumnus chapter and revive some of the old life, then Tulsa, Okla., is your town and if you let us know when you are coming, we will greet you with outstretched arms, if you get what we mean.

With best wishes to our sister chapters, both active and alumnus,

V. F. WASIELEWSKI.

ALPHA-UPSILON.

Des Moines, Iowa.

Alumnus Alpha-Upsilon holds meetings monthly, at one of the clubs of Des Moines.

Activities of the fraternity in general are usually discussed, particularly the chapters of our own district.

We try to make every meeting snappy, interesting and worth while.

During the Christmas holidays we expect to stage a regular "old-time" banquet at Hotel Forest, Des Moines, for all the members, their wives, or fiances.

Our chapter roll is as follows:

Herbert Miller, district princeps of the Ninth District, sales manager of the Water Works Department of the Des Moines-Pittsburgh Street Company, Alpha-Phi Chapter.

Tom Fairweather, former mayor of Des Moines, now practicing law, Clapp Block, Alpha-Phi Chapter.

Herbert Martin, dean of philosophy, Drake University, Kappa Chapter.

George E. O'Brien, connected with Apperson Iowa Motor Co., Alpha-Rho Chapter.

Byron Moad, farmer, East Peru, Iowa, Alpha-Phi Chapter.

Fred Naiden, manager Iowa Storage Battery Co., Alpha-Phi Chapter.

Harry L. Macy, president Macy Motor Company, Knoxville, Tenn., Alpha-Phi Chapter.

Harold H. Van Meter, salesman, Electric Paint and Varnish Company, Cleveland, Ohio, residence 547 35th street, Alpha-Phi Chapter.

Donald Metcalf, manager of the bond department Central State Bank, Alpha-Upsilon Chapter.

Theodor W. Rehmann, junior partner of Rehmann Brothers, real estate and investments, 413 Flynn building, Alpha-Phi Chapter.

Our chapter officers are as follows:

Theodore W. Rehmann, president.

Byron Moad, vice president.

George E. O'Brien, secretary.

Fred Naiden, corresponding secretary.

Donald Metcalf, treasurer.

Wishing II's everywhere a Merry Christmas and a very Happy New Year.

THEODORE W. REHMANN.

2200 ROOMS—2200 BATHS! COME TO THE HOTEL PENNSYLVANIA IN NEW YORK ON APRIL 18, 1922, AND GET YOURS.

BETA-ALPHA.

Los Angeles, California.

Alumnus Beta-Alfa sends Christmas greetings and every wish for success during the coming year to all chapters and alumni of Pi Kappa Alpha.

Our meeting of November 29, 1921, was held at the Los Angeles City Club. The meetings formerly have been but once a month, at which time we have a dinner, followed by a gathering at which current topics are discussed, or a social entertainment.

At the last meeting it was strongly urged that the brothers get together twice a month, the extra meeting to be a noon-day luncheon.

We are much interested in the prospect of an active chapter in Southern California. Of the four eligible colleges there is at least one advocate in our midst.

We hope to have Brothers Roy Warren and Geo. B. Marsh with us for part of the Christmas holidays. It is believed they will take an active part in looking over the prospects for a chapter here.

BASIL K. WOODS.,
Resident Alumni Secretary.

BETA-DELTA

Tampico, Mexico

After months of inquiries and plans a Pi Kappa Alpha banquet in Mexico became a reality on October 5th when seven members of our Fraternity met together in Tampico, the oil metropolis of the Mexican Republic. Most of us had met previously, but due to the fact that most of us are in the field a good part of the time, it has been difficult for many of us to be in town at the same time.

On the night of the banquet we had present all the known brothers here with the exception of Geo. W. Harrington, Beta, who was unable to get in from the field; Paul Dieckman, Beta-Delta, who is in the States on his vacation, and Jimmy Wiggins, Tau, who left a few weeks ago for the States. Although Lester F. Kohle is listed in the SHIELD AND DIAMOND as being a resident of Tampico, we have been unable so far to get in touch with him.

But back to the banquet. The food was extraordinarily palatable and the refreshments were of such a delightful nature that they might be censored by the author of the 18th amendment of the United States Constitution. The music was splendid and although the party was stag our brother from Kansas insisted on choosing another brother for a dance or two. The real feature of the evening, however, was the genuine pleasure experienced by each brother at being able to enjoy the fellowship of six other brothers down here in Mexico far from his former fraternity associations.

After the banquet the party adjourned to the home of brother Crebbs where, until far into the night, experiences and tales of fraternity days in college were exchanged. Before the night had passed we agreed to petition the Supreme Council for an Alumnus Chapter and since the date of our meeting we have prepared

a petition, signed by eight brothers and have submitted it to the Supreme Council for consideration.

We are planning for more meetings of our brothers down here and we confidently expect to have our numbers considerably augmented after the news of our organization becomes known. We will be greatly indebted to any brother who can advise us of any member of Pi Kappa Alpha who is known to be in Mexico or who intends to travel this way in the future, and to the brother who does come this way we can assure him of a hearty and cordial Pi Kappa Alpha welcome.

We have on our roll at present the following brothers:

- Chester M. Crebbs, Beta-Delta, chief geologist of Mexican Gulf Oil Co., Tampico, Mexico.
- John L. Daniel, Theta, chief accountant of Continental Mexican Co., Tampico, Mexico.
- Paul Dieckman, Beta-Delta, geologist, Transcontinental Oil Co., Tampico, Mexico.
- Ivor Gough, Alpha-Theta, geologist, International Petroleum Co., Tampico, Mexico.
- S. A. Grogan, Alpha-Delta and Alpha-Omicron, geologist, Mexican Gulf Oil Co., Tampico, Mexico.
- George W. Harrington, Companias Del Agwi, Tampico, Mexico. (Amatlan Camp.)
- Jas. E. Hoover, Beta-Delta, geologist, Companias Del Agwi, Apartado 76, Tampico, Mexico.
- Francis I. Martin, Beta-Gamma, geologist, Mexican Gulf Oil Co., Tampico.
- George H. Shelton, Beta-Delta, geologist, Edificio Paris Ave., Cinco de Mayo, Mexico, D. F.

JAS. E. HOOVER.

**WALL STREET AND THE STOCK EXCHANGE ARE IN
NEW YORK. COME SEE THE MONEY GROW!**

BROTHER WALLER IS MADE BRIGADIER-GENERAL.

Lieut.-Col. Samuel Gardner Waller (Alpha) of Front Royal, Va., was recently appointed by Gov. Davis to the rank of brigadier-general in the Virginia National Guard.

General Waller has been the assistant adjutant-general of Virginia during the past year. His qualifications were described in Richmond papers as follows:

"He served overseas with the Twenty-ninth Division as a battalion commander in the 116th United States Infantry, with which regiment he returned home as lieutenant-colonel. He is regarded as perhaps the best-trained National Guard officer in

the State, and his appointment indicates that the Virginia National Guard is going to be maintained on the highest possible basis of efficiency.

"Waller was born in Warren county, Virginia, March 26, 1882, and entered the National Guard as a private in 1903, enlisting with Company D of the old 72nd Infantry. He has held every grade in the National Guard from private to general, rising from private through the noncommissioned grades to company commander, then to battalion commander and lieutenant-colonel in the field overseas, and now to the rank of brigadier-general.

"The organization of the Infantry Brigade of the Virginia National Guard is nearing completion, and the increased interest in the Guard in all parts of the state is bringing the best manhood of Virginia to the colors. General Waller's appointment will aid greatly in stimulating recruiting, as he will at once actively assume his duties as brigade-commander. General Waller is a graduate of the University of Virginia Law School, and of the Field Officers' School, Langres, France, and of the highly technical Second Corps Field Officers' School at Chantillon-Sur-Seine, France, which means that he will bring not only splendid training and experience to the brigade commandership, but, as the boys say, some real 'pep'."

The papers also quoted pleasing tributes of esteem from fellow officers in the A. E. F., including Col. R. H. Kelley, the 116th Infantry commander; Maj.-Gen. C. G. Morton, who commanded the 29th Division, and Brig.-Gen. H. H. Bandholtz, former provost-marshal-general for the American Army in France.

BETA

Davidson College, Davidson, N. C.

Rev. R. T. Gillespie, D. D., has been recently made pastor of the First Presbyterian Church of Louisville, Ky. He is one of our foremost alumni and is rapidly attaining fame as a forceful preacher.

Rev. John Rupert McGregor is now paster of the Presbyterian Church of Cedartown, Ga. He is loved by all who know him.

Natt Taylor Wagner, 1905, is connected with the Mtg. Trust Co., Broadway and Locust Sts., St. Louis, Mo.

W. B. Carr, '23, who left us last year, has affiliated with Alpha-Delta at Georgia Tech. We frequently hear from him and he reports great things concerning his new school and chapter.

Dr. R. H. Lafferty is president of the Davidson Alumni Association of Charlotte, N. C. He is a very loyal supporter of his Alma Mater and of his Fraternity. He is at the head of Alumnus Upsilon Chapter.

**SEE THE STATUE OF LIBERTY ON THE TRIP 'ROUND
MANHATTAN ISLAND.**

GAMMA

College of William and Mary, Williamsburg, Va.

We are expecting a visit from E. L. Wright and Robert Dade on the 5th of December, at which time they will be initiated into Alpha Chapter of Phi Beta Kappa.

T. G. Massey, E. A. Stephens, Aleck Campbell, W. C. Barnes, and Steele, Robinson and McGee of Omicron, were welcome guests at our rushing party, November 22.

A few days ago Lewis Jones sent us an announcement of his marriage to Miss Farenholdt. We wish them a happy and most prosperous married life.

Buck Tucker, who came home on a visit last summer, has returned to China and resumed his duties with the British-American Tobacco Company.

L. J. Gilliland has accepted the position of principal of the high school at Allentown, Pa.

MEMORIAL GATEWAY WILL HONOR LATE BROTHER
MUNFORD.

Williamsburg, Va.—Funds for a memorial gateway in honor of the late Beverly B. Munford, an alumnus, have been donated to the College of William and Mary by Mrs. Beverley B. Munford and their children, Mary Safford Hoogewerff and Beverly B. Munford, Jr., of Richmond, it was announced today.

Mrs. Munford, who is a member of the board of visitors of the college, has given several thousand dollars to the William and Mary endowment fund to defray the expense of erecting a gateway, which will be of Colonial design, in keeping with the architectural design and proportions of the college buildings.

Beverley B. Munford, the distinguished lawyer, was one of the most prominent of the past generation's roll of William and Mary alumni. He was author of several books, including the noted "Virginia's Attitude Towards Slavery and Secession," which formed the basis for Judge Alton B. Parker's widely quoted speech on the same subject at the Sulgrave celebration at Williamsburg last year. Mr. Munford practiced law for many years in Richmond.

He grew up in Williamsburg, where he lived in Tazewell Hall, one of the historic homes of the Colonial capital. He gave a very interesting picture of Williamsburg and his life there in "Random Recollections," his book privately printed in 1903.

DELTA.**Birmingham-Southern College.**

W. C. Green is pursuing a course in law at the Department of Law at Birmingham-Southern College.

W. P. Snuggs, who is teaching at Plantersville, visited the members of our chapter recently.

Bob Wolford, who was recently married, visited Delta some time ago and gave us much encouragement.

ZETA.**University of Tennessee, Knoxville**

Zeta chapter wants to institute a plan of having a monthly alumni dinner at the chapter house so that the alumni can discuss with the active members and advise with them concerning their many problems. The sound business advice will be of an inestimable value in the solution of many of the chapter's problems. The chapter desires that the alumni give its hearty support to these dinners.

Dan Boone is the manager of a dairy at Nashville. We are told that Dan is rendering valuable aid to our sister chapter, Sigma, at Vanderbilt.

Jack London is now with Knaffl and Brakebill and has been engaged with making the pictures for the Volunteer, our annual publication. Jack is entering the photographic business as a profession. We wish him the greatest success.

Bill Bond is a student at the University of Tennessee Medical College at Memphis, and is making a success there.

Olaf Johnson and Bill Johnson were at the Vanderbilt-Tennessee game at Nashville. Brother Bill Johnson is the manager of Johnson's Greenhouses at Memphis and is ably assisted by Olaf.

Brothers Peg Bell and Dan Wexler were the guests of the chapter at the Tennessee-Sewanee game.

Brother Johnson of Loudon paid us a visit recently. We are always glad to have Brother Johnson with us.

Brother "Red" Wilson also visited us.

**WE'VE BOUGHT A THEATRE FOR II K A IN NEW YORK
ON APRIL 19, 1922.**

THETA.

Southwestern Presbyterian University—Clarksville, Tenn.

J. D. Davis of Choudrant, La., who has been living the free and simple life of a Southern planter for the past year, is seriously considering returning to us the second semester.

Milan F. Smith is back in Clarksville for rest and recuperation after some time spent in Jacksonville, Fla.

Rev. E. C. Scott, 1911, one of Theta's worthy sons, has moved to Clarksville.

Hubert Porter has finished his law course and is practicing in his home city, Clarksville.

L. A. Maddux has moved from Mississippi to Los Angeles, Cal.

Lapsley Lindamood has visited us several times in the last few months.

MARK B. RYAN.

IOTA.**Hampden-Sidney College—Hampden-Sidney, Va.**

Dr. J. W. Caldwell, Jr., is preaching a series of sermons on the general theme, "The Master and Men," at the Westminster Presbyterian Church in Atlanta, Ga.

Since Dr. Caldwell accepted the pastorate of Westminster, the church has started a new \$70,000 church building. The old building was destroyed in the Atlanta fire May 21, 1917, immediately after which a new location was secured and the Sunday School plant erected. Dr. Caldwell has endeared himself to his whole congregation, and has increased the number of members materially.

PI.**Washington and Lee University—Lexington, Va.**

Tucker Harrison, who is in the insurance business in Norfolk, came up for the W. and L. dance.

Harold Robinson, a prosperous young lawyer of Beckley, West Virginia, also was a visitor of Pi Chapter during the dances.

C. M. LEWIS.

TAU.

University of North Carolina—Chapel Hill.

Hammer Carson Irwin, Jr., M.D., was married in November at Paris, Idaho, to Miss Helen Zaring of American Falls, Idaho, and they are at home at Pocatello, Idaho, where Dr. Irwin practices medicine. Dr. Irwin is a native of Charlotte, N. C., and the oldest son of Mr. and Mrs. Hammer Carson Irwin of West Fourth street. His boyhood days were spent there. After leaving high school he went to the University of North Carolina, where he was graduated with honors. He entered the University of Maryland and after graduating here had charge of a hospital in Baltimore for a year. He spent two years at Roanoke Rapids, then went to Mayo Brothers, Rochester, Minn., where he was assistant surgeon for three years. At the outbreak of the war in Europe he went to France with a Harvard unit, ranking as major. He also served with the British for some months, with same rank. When America entered the war Dr. Irwin came back home and enlisted as a captain in the medical service. He remained with the army here several months, being then sent overseas, with rank as colonel. After the armistice he was sent to Berlin with a number of medical officers to inspect the prisons, and traveled through Austria, Turkey, Greece and other countries. His mission over, over there, he came back to America and was discharged. He went to Pocatello, Idaho, where he has become prominent in the social and professional life of the city, and also of the section of which Pocatello is an attractive center.

UPSILON.

Alabama Polytechnic Institute—Auburn.

Leo Walker, 1920, visited us lately. He is engaged in farming and pecan growing in southern Mississippi.

F. P. Page, one of our graduates in chemical engineering, is teaching school in Nebrig, Ga.

C. G. Ollinger is engaged in shipbuilding in Mobile, Ala.

John Oliver, Jr., is helping his father in veterinary practice.

An event of interest to all the alumni of Upsilon is the recent marriage of Jack Chambers to Miss Miriam Lane of Auburn.

**THE GREAT WHITE WAY? RESERVED FOR II K A ON
APRIL 18-21, 1922.**

PSI.

North Georgia Agricultural College—Dahlonega.

Larry W. Smith is office manager of the Beaver Board Companies, 830-834 Arcade Building, St. Louis, Mo., to which office he was transferred when the New Orleans office was closed. Larry was formerly in Atlanta, where he was quite popular.

PSI.

North Georgia Agricultural College—Dahlonega.

Mays Brock is manager of the China Department in Michael's department store, Athens, Ga.

F. Perry King is associated with E. V. Camp, Box 421, Atlanta, Ga.

W. A. Clarke, Jr., has been designated district dental surgeon and examiner by the Board of Health to handle disabled service men's claims for compensation and dental treatment at Athens and in surrounding territory. He has offices in the Southern Mutual Building, Athens, Ga.

"Dick" Burnett is in partnership with the Buffington Furniture Company, Whitehall Street, Atlanta, Ga.

L. A. Vandiviere is supervisor of a vocational agricultural school at Dawsonville, Ga.

J. H. Peyton is president of the local Miner's Union at the Sterling Coal Company's plant, Manring, Tenn. He was recently elected a delegate to the national convention of the union held at Indianapolis, Ind.

All Psi men are requested to drop us a line so that we may keep our directory up to date. We are always glad to hear from any of our alumni.

W. B. HAWKINS, JR.

OMEGA.

University of Kentucky—Lexington.

John Rawlings, in his recent campaign for the office of commissioner of public works, Newport, Ky., was honored by 50 of his boyhood friends with a little pamphlet in which they described his qualifications. He served the U. S. government for four years; the state of Kentucky road department for two years; the Big Four railroad and Stone & Webster for two years. He

is a graduate of Newport High School and the Kentucky State University, holding a degree of civil engineering from that institution, has had vast experience in the building of streets, sewers, roads, re-inforced concrete bridges and culverts.

Harry A. Rawlings is a midshipman in the Naval Academy, and will be graduated next June. He shall be addressed Midshipman Harry A. Rawlings, 3134 Bancroft Hall, U. S. Naval Academy, Annapolis, Md.

OMEGA.

University of Kentucky—Lexington.

Once each month, Alumnus Rho gives a noon-day luncheon at the Lafayette hotel. Any Pi Kap is invited to attend while in town. They are on the last Saturday of each month.

William Morgan, '20, was with us for the Homecoming and Thanksgiving holidays. He is with the Marsh Fork Coal Company, Marfork, W. Va., as general superintendent of operations.

Guy L. Dickinson, '13, with Mrs. Dickinson, was present for the Homecoming and for the luncheon at the Lafayette.

William R. Wilson, '21, is attending Johns Hopkins and has recently been taken into Phi Chi, a medical fraternity. Brother Wilson while here was the only one in his class chosen for the local honorary fraternity petitioning Phi Beta Kappa.

Captain Marvin W. Mash, alumnus of Alpha Omicron, has been added to the staff of the military department at the university.

William Lee Amis, ex 22, was a visitor at our house during the fall races.

J. Truitt, ex 22, was a visitor at the house during the holidays.

Presley T. Atkins, alumnus of Omicron, and a graduate of the University of Kentucky, is editor and owner of the Pineville (Ky.) Sun.

Edwin Burnley (Rip) 17, was in for the Homecoming and for luncheon at the Lafayette.

ALPHA-ALPHA.

Trinity College—Durham, N. C.

Several brothers have embarked upon the sea of matrimony within the last two months. N. M. Patton was married to Miss Margaret Davis of Morgantown, N. C.; A. A. Warlick to Miss

Hollensworth of Newton, and G. D. Gantt to Miss Linnie Elizabeth Collom of Texarkana, Texas.

L. K. Martin has the deep sympathy of all our men in the recent death of his mother.

Percy Masten, Jr., and Mrs. Masten, of Mt. Airy, N. C., announce the birth of a son.

The Trinity Alumni gave a banquet in Raleigh to the football team after the armistice day game with Wake Forest. Several of our brothers were instrumental in this banquet, among them being Bob, Jack, George and Tom Lee, George Ivey and Erskine Smith.

We have been glad to have as our visitors within the last few weeks Wiseman Kendall, Edison Holmes, F. C. Patton, Erskine Smith, Bob, Jack, George and Tom Lee, Jule Lewis, George Ivey, Whitfield Sledge, Frank Smith and L. K. Martin.

Gamewell Duncan Gantts' address is 4400 Yupon Avenue, Castle Court, Houston, Texas. His wedding, October 19, was described in Texas papers as one of the most interesting events of the social season. The bride, Miss Linnie Elizabeth Collom, is the daughter of Dr. and Mrs. Spencer A. Collom of Texarkana. She is a graduate of Texas University. Brother Gantt is a brother of ex-District Princeps Robert M. Gantt. Grand Treasurer R. A. Smythe writes of remembering him pleasantly as a member of the New Orleans convention.

ALPHA-DELTA.

Georgia School of Technology—Atlanta.

Brother and Mrs. Harry M. Houser of Penn avenue, Atlanta, Ga., announce the birth of a son on Friday, November 11, named William Douglas Houser, for his uncle, the late William D. Houser. Brother Houser is one of Atlanta's prominent real estate business men. He is a member of the Atlanta real estate board and the Atlanta convention bureau, and is affiliated with St. Mark M. E. church, of which he is a prominent worker.

ALPHA-EPSILON.

N. C. State College of Ag. and Eng.—Raleigh.

During fair week we very much enjoyed a visit from Ed Harshaw, who is now teaching shop methods for Newport News Dry Dock and Shipbuilding Company.

P. C. Park, lieutenant senior, United States navy, recently returned to Hampton Roads, Va., after a short leave of absence spent on a visit to his people in Raleigh.

Hall Robinson of Omicron Chapter visited Alpha-Epsilon during state fair at Raleigh.

Joseph Graham Morrison, '06, and Mrs. Morrison announce from their farm home, Mariposa, Stanley, N. C., the birth of their third son, John Noel, November 1st, weight 10. The family includes also a daughter.

WASHINGTON IS THE NATION'S CAPITAL BUT NEW YORK BELONGS TO II K A IN APRIL.

ALPHA-ZETA.

University of Arkansas—Fayetteville.

Harold A. Smith, '16, is in Berlin, Germany, attending the University of Berlin and Technical Institute, where he expects to get the Ph.D. degree next year.

Albert Dobbins of Eureka Springs was a guest of the chapter for the Arkansas-Baylor football game.

H. A. Norville, alumnus of Alpha-Kappa, was a visitor at the house during the week-end of November 12.

A telegram from Lloyd Byrne was received by the chapter November 10 congratulating Alpha-Zeta on her 17th anniversary.

T. J. Woods, alumnus of Alpha-Omega, was a visitor at the house in November.

ALPHA-ETA.

University of Florida—Gainesville.

Homecoming day at the University of Florida was celebrated Friday, November 18. Alpha-Eta was honored with visits from many of her alumni, among whom were Jimmy Sykes, Frank M. DeVane, Bobbie Howard, 'Red' Kennedy, H. Clay Crawford, L. E. Tenney, Jimmie Browning, L. R. Bracken, Bascom Barber, Ed Meisch, Marcus Brown, Ralph Crosby, W. Banke Llewellyn and J. M. Simonton.

Frank English of Tau Chapter, and L. T. McCoy of Theta Chapter, paid visits to Alpha-Eta recently.

F. H. Lecks of Palatka is earning a living in his home town.

A pleasant event of November was the marriage of Dick Boring to Miss Martha Tison. Mrs. Boring will be pleasantly remembered as one of the charming members of Gainesville society.

John Clarke Evans was married November 9 in Tampa, to Miss Minnie May Wall, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James Edgar Wall. The ceremony was performed in the First Methodist Church of Tampa. Brother Evans was chairman of the entertainment committee of the 1917 convention, and is remembered by all who attended, for the great time he gave the visitors there.

ALPHA-IOTA.

Millsaps College—Jackson, Miss.

R. H. Wright is in cotton business at Cleveland, Miss.

Recent visitors are Otis Brumfield, superintendent of the Columbia City Schools, and B. A. Summers, of Columbia.

L. W. Reed is in Jackson, employed by the Illinois Central Railroad Company.

E. M. Summer is employed at the Capitol National Bank in Jackson.

L. B. Hebert is teaching in the preparatory department of Centenary College at Shreveport, La.

Jeff Collins, of Laurel, has entered the race for congressman in the Sixth Congressional District.

A. L. Shipman, who is teaching at Cleveland, was a visitor here for Thanksgiving.

W. L. Day is teaching at Liberty.

H. H. Lansford is teaching at Amory.

W. B. Gates is an instructor in the English department of Southwestern University, Georgetown, Texas.

LEIGH WATKINS.

ALPHA-KAPPA

Missouri School of Mines, Rolla.

K. W. Booker is working for a bridge construction company in Florida. His address is Winauma.

R. W. Hunt and J. R. Feidler are now with the Illinois State Highway Commission, headquarters at Effingham. P. G. Forman also is doing highway work at Springfield.

H. H. Hughes is a mining engineer for the La Fe Mining Co at Guadalupe, Zacatacus, Mexico.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas H. Christain announce the marriage of their daughter, Corinne, to Howell Smith Clark, on Wednesday, October the 26th, at Kansas City, Mo.

A. L. Webb's address is Ojuela, Durango, Mexico.

C. L. Smith is working at Carbondale, Ill.

B. E. Hammer is now with the Bunker Hill & Sullivan Mining and Concentrating Company. His address is 204 McKinley Ave., Kellogg, Idaho.

Harvey E. Smith, '10, spent several days in Rolla during the recent home-coming week. A. C. Williams and B. S. Cornwell also were here.

C. F. SCHAEFER, M. S.

ALPHA-NU

University of Missouri, Columbia.

Our beloved Grand Chancellor, Capt. Henry N. Eversole, severed his connection October 15 with the legal department of St. Louis Union Trust Co. and with the general counsel of this Trust Company re-entered the general practice of law in the firm of Bryan, Williams & Cave, 16th floor, Pierce Building, St. Louis, Mo. The best wishes and congratulations of all II's will follow Brother Eversole in his new associations. Grand Treasurer Robt. A. Smythe has said of Brother Eversole: "He does a wonderful work for the Fraternity."

Robert Brown has been married and is living in Kansas City, Mo. He is engaged in the bond business at 1013 Baltimore Ave.

William H. Hemphill, Jr., married Miss Ernestine Baldwin of Kennett, Mo. The ceremony took place on October 11, 1921. His present address is Kennett, Mo.

C. P. LeMire is an attorney in Kansas City, Mo. His address is 115 Commerce Building.

R. E. Bruner, Jr., is assisting his father in the management of "Roaring River," a summer resort in the Ozarks. His present address is 2610 Chestnut, Kansas City, Mo.

Ralph Johnson is assisting his father in his factory in Kansas City, Mo. His address is 4140 Hyde Park Ave., Kansas City, Mo.

W. R. Johnson is a doctor located at 815 Lathrop Bldg., Kansas City, Mo.

James Tesson is also a doctor in the Rialto Building, in Kansas City, Mo.

W. Paul Jones is selling life insurance in Kansas City, Mo. His address is 700 Victor Building.

Sterritt Titus is assisting his father in the optical business at 912 Grand Ave., Kansas City, Mo.

C. S. Slater is "un-attached" in the business world at present.

Arthur Brackett is still in the oil game at Breckenridge, Texas.

R. L. Bohon is in the newspaper game at Harrisonville, Mo.

H. H. Bird is selling real estate and negotiating loans at Harrisonville, Mo.

George Bast is in the nursery business at Louisiana, Mo. He toured the South all summer but is now at home.

Thomas Baird is in the clothing business at Cape Girardeau, Mo.

Jesse Rhodes is in the banking business at Mexico, Mo.

Walter T. Brown, who is located at Dennison, Texas, in the newspaper business visited us during the Oklahoma game.

Howard Martin is practicing osteopathy at Kirksville, Mo. He intends to locate in Oklahoma.

Forest C. Long is traveling for the Rumford Baking Powder Co. with headquarters in Kirksville, Mo.

C. P. Ballard is working for the McElroy-Sloan Shoe Co. at St. Louis.

B. L. Hill is teaching school at Smithville, Mo.

ALPHA-OMICRON

Southwestern University, Georgetown, Tex.

W. B. McDaniel and C. W. Pepper visited us recently, but spent a large portion of their time with their lady friends.

H. L. Egger was married recently and is making his home in Georgetown.

C. M. Edens, athletic coach at Electra, Texas, has turned out a champion football team.

M. P. Adams and C. E. Triggs, of Cameron, Texas, were here a few weeks ago attending to oil leases and visiting friends.

ALPHA-RHO

Ohio State University

Robert Cronebaugh, who has been a student in the College of Law, was married recently.

Arthur Deam, who has been doing architectural work in Colum-

bus, has sprained his ankle, and is confined to the house of his aunt.

B. F. Renkert, who continues to sell shoes to the inhabitants of Bucyrus, Ohio, visited the house during the Illinois game. His brother, Fritz, also came down from Akron, where he is engaged in real estate business.

Among others who dropped in at the house during the week end of the Illinois game were C. W. Clark, Fritz Weber, Glenn K. Schooler, Murray R. Scott, Frank A. Liebich and Russell Hoghe.

Miss Virginia Jones and brother McKinley Davis were married at Portsmouth, Ohio, on October 8. They will reside in Portsmouth, where brother Davis is manager of the branch office of the Ohio Inspection Bureau. The couple attended the Illinois game here.

George T. Secrist and Mrs. Secrist welcomed a son into the family during August. He has been christened George, Jr.

Louis R. Potts paid us a visit recently. He is teaching at the Mound Street School in Columbus.

Oakes C. Duduit, who has been an inspector of the State Highway Department at Cleveland, Ohio, is located at Portsmouth, Ohio.

Oliver S. Matheny is coaching Springfield, Ohio, High School football team with success this fall, having won every game. He also teaches printing, and has charge of the "gym" classes.

RICHARD McCLURE.

**THE NEW YORK ALUMNI GUARANTEE A ROUSING
WELCOME FOR EVERYONE. CALL THEIR BLUFF!**

ALPHA-SIGMA

University of California, Berkeley.

The alumni have now and always will have, that old spirit of II K A. Ray and Mathilde Hogaboon have been down for a visit. They enjoyed a regular old Pi Kap fireside at Los Angeles. One evening after Ray and Mathilde had had dinner at the Pi Kap house here, as many of the boys and girls that could be found met at Mother Camper's. We were sorry to see them leave for Seattle.

"King" Kohle is in the employ of the Peninsular Oil Company at Half Moon Bay. He gets to Berkeley for an occasional ball

game and to come up to the house and stage a tubbing party for some of the brothers that he thinks deserve it.

Frank Morgan has just returned from an extended trip through the North, having had the pleasure of seeing Fred Graham in the home town of Wenatchee, Wash.

Letters from loyal brothers are greatly appreciated. Such were those of Graham Moody (Cebu, Philippine Islands) and Chester Bradley (Cornell University) received by Roy Warren last week. They show the active chapter better than anything else can what fraternity spirit really means. We hope to hear more from them and from others. Any interest in us by those who built for us to enjoy and carry on is an inspiration in itself and strengthens our desire and effort to render a good account.

The following quotation from brother Bradley's letter is such a fine statement of the alumni member's faith and love for the fraternity that it is given at length:

"As a matter of fact the interest has never lagged since the old days. I think often of those days, for I never had anything quite get under the skin in the gripping sort of way that that year's associations did and do. And I look upon every one of these fellows, from seniors down to "Dave" Clement and Bill Leslie—the freshmen—as the cream of the earth, and I always will. The chapter letters as they come around I read and sometimes re-read, and then put away as just a little too sacred for the waste paper basket. * * * I may not know just who is being talked about as an individual, but they bring back an old feeling of pride in the boys, and happiness in being of them, and I live a little bit of their life in imagination, and catch a bit of the fire and spirit and hope of their youth, and it is always inspiring, and always calls up happy recollections. And then little pictures of those who have, like myself, gone forth, and I am glad to read of their successes and now and then to catch a name I know."

The "1940 Chapter" published recently in the Directory of the Auxiliary, contains some surprises. At the Alumni Chapter meeting the list was read, disclosing the fact that the children of Ernest Cleary and Dave Clement are badly mixed—in the list. Dave Clement is credited with three and has only one—a son; Ernest Cleary is credited with only one and has three. Mother Camper is busy explaining.

JOE SHAW, Secretary.

ALPHA-TAU**University of Utah, Salt Lake City**

Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Cherry Brandon announce the marriage of their daughter, Pauline, to Gerald Snow Lambert (Alpha-Tau) on Wednesday the 26th of October, 1921, at Salt Lake City. Brother Lambert and his bride are residing at 409 West Broadway, Butte, Montana. Brother Lambert is District Princeps of District No. 13.

ALPHA-UPSILON**New York University, New York City**

Frederick Z. Kopff, of Brooklyn, N. Y., who is assistant United States District Attorney, is actively engaged against bootleggers. He was quoted in the papers recently as saying that between twenty-five and thirty bootleggers in New York City have defrauded the government of more than \$50,000,000 in 1920 income taxes and penalties.

Howard Carlough is executive assistant of the Terminal Barber Shops, Inc., and is doing very well.

Fred Kopff is assistant U. S. district attorney for the Brooklyn district, and is kept busy all the time.

Millard Larken, of the New York Telephone Company, has been transferred to Buffalo.

Elmer Briggs, who is with the Near East Relief, is at present in Constantinople.

Floyd Egan, former athletic director of Trinity College, North Carolina, is now employed with the Business Builders.

Don Metcalf is manager of the bond department of the Central State Bank of Des Moines. This also gave him the qualifications of a good treasurer, the position he now holds in the recently chartered Alumnus Alpha-Upsilon chapter of that city.

Bill Cullin is the engineer of Macy's Department Store of New York City.

ALPHA-PHI**Iowa State College, Ames.**

R. V. Newcomb, C. E. '17, has accepted a position on the Civil Engineering faculty at this college. He and Mrs. Newcomb have located in Ames. They have visited the chapter several times, and the boys were always glad to have them come.

Harry Macy and Mrs. Macy visited the chapter at Homecoming time. The chapter always welcomes a visit from the Macys. Harry is selling Fords at Knoxville, Iowa.

Brother Fisher, of Glidden, Iowa, paid us a visit at Homecoming. It has been a long time since we have seen Fisher and he was very welcome.

Among the other visiting brothers at Homecoming were: District Princeps Miller of Des Moines, Iowa; T. W. Rehman, Fred Naiden, Tom Fairweather (former mayor of Des Moines, Iowa), and D. D. Metcalf, of Alpha-Upsilon chapter, now manager of the bond department of Peoples' State Bank of Des Moines; Wm. Granzow of Alden, Ia.; "Tommy" Thompson of Danville, Ia.; Harry Shultz of Mason City, Ia., and Joe Matthews of Aberdeen, S. Dakota.

FRED POWERS, M. S.

ALPHA-PSI

Rutger's College, New Brunswick, N. J.

Paul Lukens, who starred on the Rutgers swimming team two years ago, was selected by the Lehigh University Athletic Committee as coach for Brown and White tank team for next year. Meets will be held with Amherst, Rutgers, Navy, Swarthmore and Stevens.

William Brubaker, '23, has returned from the West.

Douglas McCully, '21, has returned from England.

H. Victor Main, '21, is working for a roofing supply concern.

Paul Lukens, '20, has been signed up as head swimming coach at Lehigh University.

Ralph Hubbard, '16, was chosen to speak at the State Horticulture Convention in Atlantic City in December.

Harold M. Neely, '20, is located in Portsville, New York, and is teaching in the local high school.

Jason Pettengill, '21, is in the employ of a New York City insurance company.

TAKE YOUR VACATION IN APRIL, VISIT NEW YORK.

ALPHA-OMEGA

Kansas State Agricultural College, Manhattan.

Herbert Helmkamp drops in every now and then for a short visit at the Chapter House. He is with the Hartford Insurance Company and can be reached at 701 Jackson Ave., Topeka, Kans.

Amos Small stopped off on his way to Kansas City to visit the Chapter a few minutes. We are in hopes he will make the next one longer.

We received a dandy letter from brother Whitehead about the first of October. He says he is on the faculty of the Entomology Department at Wisconsin University, likes his work fine, and that Mrs. Whitehead is attending school.

Clifford Joss writes from 412 Schnectady St., Schnectady, N. Y., that he is having a good time, and is working hard.

RALPH ADAMS.

BETA-ALPHA

State College, Pennsylvania

During the course of our last house party we received visits from James Geltz, Edward Zoller and Charles Walter.

George Marvin has joined forces with our married brothers. He and Mrs. Marvin paid us a visit Alumni Day.

Herbert Reichelderfer has resigned from the Extension Engineering Department to accept a position as a bond salesman in New York.

Alumni smokers and dances were held in New York, Philadelphia and Pittsburgh on the nights preceding the football games, and our alumni were well represented at all of these.

BETA-BETA

University of Washington, Seattle

Tom Loan is still with the drug store on Yesler Way, and feels so optimistic about it that he has decided to get married.

Clarence Chambers is practicing law in the Lowman building.

George Cropper is head chemist and assistant engineer with a paper mill at Port Townsend, Wash.

Gail White is up at Port Townsend somewhere, too, but expects to return to the Dental College at Portland next year.

Cecil Jamieson has been at home in Bellingham since he graduated, but has recently received a commission in the regular army and after December 5th will be stationed at Camp Lewis.

Ernest McKeen and Miss Edythe Bracht, of Portland, Ore., were united in marriage last Thanksgiving Day.

Albert Roos is with the Puget Sound Light and Power Co. and is living at the chapter house.

Fred Renner, who was married last summer, is teaching at O. A. C. and working for the master's degree.

Howard and Donald Keyes will be back in school next quarter.

Paul Holbrook is attending the University of Oregon Medical School at Portland.

BETA-GAMMA

University of Kansas, Lawrence

Tom Collins is now Sunday editor of the Kansas City Journal.

George B. Sammons, who is working in Toronto, Canada, spent a few days at the chapter house before the Thanksgiving holidays.

Edward Thompson is working for a telephone company in St. Louis. He was back for Homecoming Day.

Glenn Ayres, of Lodi, Calif., is visiting at the chapter house at this writing.

Paul Flagg is working for the Kansas City Journal.

Jim Austin is running a paper at Cottonwood Falls, Kans., but plans to be back in school next year.

BETA-ZETA

Southern Methodist University, Dallas, Tex.

Lefty Ford is teaching in Bryan, Texas, high school.

V. I. Grisham is working for the Frick Reid Oil Supply Co. at Duncan, Okla.

C. C. Tucker is living at his home in Garland but visits the chapter often.

Danny Dale is farming near Electra, Texas.

Joe Leavell and Stuart Burke are at their homes in Dallas.

J. W. Madden, Jr., is attending Austin College at Sherman.

Rev. O. W. Moerner is pastor of the Methodist church at Mesquite.

Rev. E. E. White has a Methodist Church at Waco, Texas.

Word has been received from Joe Mickle, who is doing missionary work in China.

BETA-ETA

University of Illinois, Champaign

"Red" Calkins has left school to tour the world.

J. M. Nelson is at home in Chicago, convalescing from a nervous breakdown, caused by an automobile accident in Minneapolis.

"Bob" Brown and F. M. Peterson were down attending the teachers' convention. Brothers Brown and Peterson are high school superintendents in the southern part of the state.

"Ziggy" Freels has made several visits to the House. He is busy prosecuting offenders of the 18th amendment.

"Babe" Barnes has also made us several visits this year. He has been following the football team on most of their games away from home.

Kay Pulcifer was here "covering" both the Michigan and the Chicago games for the Associated Press. Kay is the assistant editor in the Chicago office of the A. P.

D. O'Donnell is touring the West with his orchestra. We expect him to join us again after the Christmas holidays.

Earl Collins was recently married. He surprised the Chapter when he returned with a bride, from Bristol, Tenn., after a successful season as golf professional down there.

T. E. TEBO.

BETA-THETA

Cornell University, Ithaca, N. Y.

During the week-end of the Dartmouth-Cornell game we welcomed back to Beta-Theta the following alumni: Frederickson, Blanchard, Horner, Thomen, Dean Ferris and Sherk. This gave some of the underclassmen in the house a chance to get acquainted with a few of those who have gone before. Come again, gang, and bring other Pi Kaps with you.

"Doc" Carver was recently elected president of Cornell chapter of Phi Beta Kappa.

We join "Yoke" Jones in welcoming his baby son.

We have received news that Ray Newcomb is to cross the line on the 15th of November, wedding Miss Vivian Hiscox, in Brooklyn, N. Y.

The Cornell Pi Kap contingent which took in the Penn-Cornell game in Philadelphia Thanksgiving Day report they met "Jack" Campbell, "Al" Peer, "Jim" McGahan, "Pi" Pope, "Hack" Horner and "Bill" Dorrance while there.

The Beta Thetas who were so hospitably entertained by Beta Pi Thanksgiving Day extend heartiest thanks to Penn chapter for the warm reception.

A. C. MATTISON.

C. H. Olmstead is Division Engineer of the Third Division of the State of Tennessee Department of Highways, with headquar-

ters in Nashville. He is in charge of all the State and Federal Aid Highways in about one-fourth of the state. In addition, he is president of the Nashville Chapter of the American Association of Engineers, and a member of the Exchange Club. He is the editor of the magazine "Tennessee Highways." Brother Olmstead is very much interested in the revival of Sigma, and helped with this good work by his presence and his visit to the Chapter House.

BETA-IOTA

Beloit College, Beloit, Wis.

"Count" Godwin is teaching at Oregon City, Ore.

Clarence Buck and Latin Montague are working in Uncle Sam's Research laboratories in Washington.

"Doc" Rice is running the Bradley Knitting Co., at Delevan, Wis.

"Bud" Wright, '21, is taking a graduate course in Geology at the University of Wisconsin on the fellowship he received for his record in that department at Beloit.

"Bo" Wood is assisting his father in his law office at Berlin, Wis.

"Cobb" Webb is still at the Chicago office of the Woodstock Typewriter Company.

"Max" Webb holds a position in the office of the Emerson-Branningham Co., Rockford, Ill.

"Bill" Lerch is teaching in the Chemistry Department at the University of Wisconsin. He is also completing work for the M. S. degree.

Somebody told us that Wayne Allen has become cashier of a bank near Chicago.

"Chops" Lamb is managing Buckskin & Ruskin, an auto accessory concern in Chicago.

"Ossie" Eckhart is doing a big business at his hardware establishment in Green Bay, Wis.

"Pliny" Porter is with the George Cram Map Co., as manager of an eastern field. According to "Cob" Webb, who read the contract which he signed, "He has landed a bear of a job." Pliny has our best wishes.

"Al" Joy is taking a commercial course in his home town, Fremont, Neb.

Lester Matzek is attending Marquette "U" and advancing his work in Chemistry there.

CLYDE CHAPEL, M. S.

BETA-KAPPA**Emory University, Georgia**

Beta-Kappa turned several alumni out into the world at the close of school last spring. We are constantly reminded that they are with us in spirit, by the interest they continue to show in the chapter.

"Bill" Turner is over trying to teach the little Japanese children some American ways.

"Shorty" Denmark seems to be making good in the journalistic field.

Hill Hodges, esteemed brother from Booneville, Miss., dropped in, in the form of a "Pay to the order of" a few days ago.

A. E. Barnett is to be married soon.

A. B. Hollis is in the Atlanta banking world and is making good.

Buck Wynn is in jewelry business with his father at Griffin, Ga., and every man in the chapter is expecting a jeweled pin for a Christmas gift.

BETA-LAMBDA**Washington University, St. Louis, Mo.**

Harry D. Smith is assistant factory manager of the St. Louis Pump and Equipment Co.

Arthur Joaschky is in insurance business and giving engineering service in connection. He is with Lawton, Byrne & Bruner.

Ed Schwarzenback is practicing law. His office is in the Central National Bank Building.

Ray Liemkehlur is with W. B. Ittner, architect.

George L. Stemmler is in the claim department of a law firm in the city.

Dave Gibson is attending Iowa State College of Medicine. Russell Tenney is watching Dave.

Richard Baumhoff is rewriting with the St. Louis Post-Dispatch.

Ed Dakin is with an advertising company in New York City.

Norville Wood has a gasoline station in St. Louis.

"Bob" Bloomer is in shoe business in East St. Louis, Ill.

COME OUT OF YOUR SHELL, ALUMNI, COME TO NEW YORK!

SHIELD AND DIAMOND

BETA-MU

University of Texas, Austin

Royal P. James, who has a dance orchestra in Shreveport, La., paid us a short visit recently.

We enjoyed a visit during the Thanksgiving holidays from Bertram Hedick, who is an employe of the State Highway Commission at Kingsville. Brother Hedick, C. E., '21, was one of the many ex-Texas football stars who witnessed from the sidelines our scoreless tie with the Aggies at A. and M. College.

Robert Lee Gowan, who is attending the State Medical School at Galveston, was a week-end visitor at the chapter house during Thanksgiving.

BETA-NU

Oregon Agricultural College, Corvallis

We were lately honored with the presence of D. Bates and family. Brother Bates is looking like prosperity, and he is father of two children.

Stewart Johnson and Walter Marquis stayed at our house during our big game week end.

District Princeps Fenton surprised the brothers by dropping in the day we played the University of Washington.

We are keeping in constant touch with our alumni brothers. The Alpha-Sigma Alumni Chapter at Portland, Oregon, is holding regular meetings and our alumni are always in attendance. Beta-Nu wishes to extend greetings to all alumni.

MARSHALL HJELTE, M. S.

BETA-OMICRON

University of Oklahoma, Norman

Thad Thompson is a zoology professor at Yale University. He is working for the Ph.D. degree.

Dennis Jones came down for the November dance.

Ted Beaird, Jimmie Strickland, "Mary" Butler and Vic Wasielewski, who are still stationed at Heavener, Claremore, Crescent and Tulsa, respectively, run down to the chapter once in a great while.

EVER PROMISED YOURSELF A TRIP TO NEW YORK OR A II K A CONVENTION? DO BOTH IN APRIL.

BETA-PI**University of Pennsylvania, Philadelphia**

David Maxwell is a frequent visitor. He is studying in our Law School.

Monty Glover, strictly speaking, Alpha-Nu, is teaching insurance in our Wharton School. He is very popular with the students, and is always ready to lend assistance to the active chapter. J. Seltzer Wilford is secretary-treasurer of the Electro-Dental Co. in Philadelphia.

George Evans was back for the Cornell game. He is one of our most loyal alumni, and is making good as a traveling salesman.

Bob Dengler, although we have not heard from him recently, is suspected of teaching Greek at Penn State.

We wish to hear from all of our alumni, and we are preparing to send out a chapter letter to get in touch with them.

JOHN F. E. HIPPEL.

BETA-RHO**Colorado College, Colorado Springs**

Ralph Maxwell is working for the Great Western Sugar Company at Fort Collins, Colo., his home town.

George Rader is in California attending school.

Russell Schreiber is at the Massachusetts Institute of Technology for his last year there. He is with Theodore Brott, a member of the old local.

Harold Lieberthal is still working at Kaufman's Department Store here in the Springs.

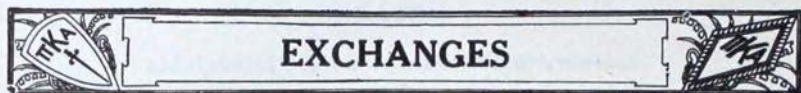
Reginald Crosby has been working at Manitou this fall.

Warren Leisy had to stay out of college this semester, but is planning on returning the first of the year.

Edmund C. Flynn is an instructor in the engineering department at "Ames," Iowa.

MU**Presbyterian College of South Carolina, Clinton**

An address by Dr. Thornwell Jacobs (Mu) president of Oglethorpe University, on "The Educated Citizen," was the feature at the regular luncheon of the Civitan Club, held in the breakfast room at the Kimball House in Atlanta, Ga., November 18.

The decorative border features Greek letters on either side of the title. On the left, the letters 'ΣΝ' (Sigma Nu) are visible within a shield-like emblem. On the right, the letters 'ΦΧ' (Phi Chi) are visible within a similar emblem. The central area contains the word 'EXCHANGES' in a bold, serif font.

EXCHANGES

Escape from crass materialism as the chief result of college education—and of fraternity experience—has come up for discussion in the fraternity press. It seems a timely subject. The charge has been made in many quarters that a youth who goes to college nowadays comes out in the majority of cases a man who has little regard for the higher and finer things of life. Is this so? and if it is, why? These are pertinent questions, but more important is, How can this condition be overcome? These questions are taken up in the appended excerpt of an article, which was written by Ernest Lee Williams, General Secretary of Sigma Nu Fraternity, and printed in *Banta's Greek Exchange*. Editorially *Banta's* says concerning the article that the word "spirituality" is not used in any religious sense, and suggests that the work of the Interfraternity Conference is leading to a higher spirituality among fraternity men.

SPIRITUALITY IN THE UNIVERSITY

By Ernest Lee Williams.

No attempt will be made here to define just what spiritual life is. Neither is there any desire to create the impression that a clear definition is in the mind of the writer. When one does his utmost and a large share of that effort is for those around him and he realizes thereby a sense of pleasure and keen satisfaction, he is on the path which leads to such a life. Suffice it to say that there are conditions in college life which are not conducive to spiritual growth. Perhaps it were better to say that there is a lack of proper conditions, tending to increase the student's access to those deeper springs of service where he moults the brilliant feathers of self and takes unto himself a nobler soul, capable of rendering overtime labors for others, as well as for himself.

During the past few years it has been my pleasure to meet many university students, in and out of college. From the ex-

periences thus gathered, I am led to say that there is a great gulf between the Spiritual Ideal and the rush for college training. Perhaps seventy-five per centum of the men on and just off the campus will answer the question, "Why are you attending, or why did you attend school?" by saying, either to make money or to prepare themselves so that they could command higher salaries. This may be very commendable. It may even form a basis for the higher concept of the purposes of an institution of learning, but it certainly is not indicative of a proper motive, as apprenticeship might attain such an end, with far less cost to the taxpayer.

The problem is, where should the young man receive his training; in youth or old age? Where should the fraternity man receive it, in his active chapter life or in his business experiences? Age tends to bring about unselfish thoughts; business life tends to prove, at the end, the utter uselessness of selfishness. But should one wait to learn this from experience when the body, mind and soul are set in the hard mould of disappointments? Is there not a beautiful opportunity to couple with the training of the brain, the eye, the hand and the body, a living, everlasting spiritual truth; a truth which finds its expression to the matriculate in these words: "Sir, as you are being trained in this institution to think, to labor and to live—remember to think of others, labor for others, and live unto others." Regardless of one's idea of spiritual life, this should be the theme of our educational system and should have a place in the university lecture room and in the chapter houses of the fraternity.

We can see the tendency of our large universities to turn themselves into up-to-date business colleges, where one can secure a degree, after having hurriedly completed a course in, let us say, the psychology of salesmanship, without having learned the real lesson of service—but rather the ability to see and conquer a "prospect" with his signature at the bottom of the last page. What a difference there is between the attitude of the unselfish salesman who says to himself, "Does the prospect need the article?" and the attitude of the purely selfish man who says, "I will make him think he needs it whether he does or not." The latter is not even ethical or honest and reeks with the smoke and fumes of a short business course for an aspiring bear on Wall Street; it makes no difference whether the object of sale is a washing machine, or a set of the latest best sellers in books, or a town lot or an acre of blue sky land. The principle is the same whether it be a membership in a fraternity or a tuition in a school. The idea seems to be to sell, **sell**, **SELL** and then pass

on and sell the next one—without regard to the real welfare of the victim. Our fraternity chapters should teach the spiritual truth of how best can the members serve and so demonstrate the spiritual life that principles need not be sold by psychological tricks, lighting effects and a hypnotic eye.

Recently I met a young man in the east who had purchased a costly fraternity badge, although he already possessed a splendid pin. He was unable to pay for his late purchase and the selling company, while not authorized to sell the lad fraternity jewelry, had appealed to me for forced payment. The salesman was found and admitted that he knew at the time of sale that the boy was unable to pay, yet supposed that the fraternity would force its members to pay up. The salesman was a fraternity man and a graduate of a university, but his sense of right ended with the statement that he had the boy's signature and that was all he cared for. The lad learned a sad lesson in experience, but what of the seller? What did he learn? Only, that by securing the name on the "dotted line," he could go on through life collecting. He talked glibly of the "psychology of salesmanship" and when I asked him what it meant, he frankly stated, "Heavens, I don't know, but you bet I can tell when it's working."

This is not the spiritual element in salesmanship and can be corrected only by superhuman forces: It should have been a matter of great importance to him, had his chapter taught him the lesson of the other man's view point and then, when he left his college, he would have taken with him the supreme test of doing to others as he would that they should do unto him and his motto would have been "progress, unselfishly—service, not always paid for in money."

Is it not possible to place more emphasis upon this most important element of our lives, in the chapter circle and on the campus? Let us teach a faith in our allwise God and live lives in keeping with that faith. But how can this be one without taking over the field belonging to religious organizations in college life? Fraternities are often criticized for not becoming adjuncts to some self-promoting association, but their refusal needs no defense, because the Chapter has its own field and its own special purpose, neither being in conflict with the high purposes of any other campus activity. The criticism is due, no doubt, to the failure on the part of an enthusiast to burglarize the fraternity house with the tools of some creed. The only way to enter, is, as a man, at the front door, four square for right and justice, sans membership blanks, but brim full of common sense.

Spirituality is not inherited. It is not acquired in the twinkling of an eye. On the contrary, it is a growth, and is built up from a belief in a series of fundamentals. First of this series, is the abiding faith in God, without which, there is no foundation upon which to build any really worth while structure. Next is the belief in our governmental institutions, our church, our institutions of learning and our methods of administration, all of which have contributed to make up the sum total of present day civilization. It seems rather strange to say that the spiritual life of a young man can be measured by observing his attitude toward our form of government and our seats of learning, but such is true. If he has an abiding confidence in the college where he is receiving his instruction and training, so strong that he will suffer no one, including himself, to do it an injury, then indeed has he begun to build a faith. He would ever avoid the so-called "kick" against its officers and professors. A very common evil it is, to hear a group of students "panning" some instructor, perhaps the president, as unfit for his position. Most of the ills a university is heir to, are due to the frantic demands of the public and the pandering, legislative politician, coupled with the desire of parents to comply with the wishes of a hectic son, and not to the faculties.

Then, this belief in the old "alma mater" will prevent the dishonorable practice of chapters allowing especially popular athletes to board and room without paying the proper amounts therefor—perhaps they are charged up for the items on the books—but other members of the chapter make up the deficit at the end of the year, due to the fact that the said athletes were of great value to the chapter. The school gets the athletes by the kind-heartedness of the fraternity, in paying the bills indirectly, but the university could not do this directly, unless these men worked, for there is, generally, a rule against the payment of money or its equivalent to athletes, by the various athletic associations of the universities, in order to avoid the question of "professionalism." This practice, on the part of chapters, is in good faith so far as the rule goes, generally, but there are many instances where the chapter acted in this way, to secure a winning team. The honor (?) of having such a member was considered full payment for the accommodation extended. Without doubt, this is all wrong and should never be allowed. Again, this faith would lead one to take such a course (the elective system notwithstanding), that when the degree of A.B. was obtained, he would not fool the outside world by posing as an educated man, when in truth all he knows is so narrow that instead of having a broad

education, he has a series of credits gained by very wise and careful elections; subjects which were "interesting" and did not require any drudgery or hard work—no application was necessary, no concentration of mind contemplated, no wisdom or training gained, except the shrewdness in avoiding any disagreeable tedium. He has a degree, a Bushwa symbol, a slicker's pass. This brings us to the faith in himself, sufficient to keep him from the pitfalls of any snap course. Knowing that he can accomplish some task worthwhile, he feels and knows that he has the ability to do something difficult and is anxious to do it. The great crime of "cribbing" or "shooting" would be far from his mind. So much reliance has he placed upon his own resources, that, to depend upon a piece of paper rolled up and placed under the thumb nail, does not occur to him, during examination time. He knows that should he fail once, he can do it next time by working harder, by spending less time at the pool hall or picture show or around the old fire place or in some other fellow's study room.

And last, an all round faith will lead him to say in his heart that as men around him need help, he will give it; as freshmen come into the campus life and chapterhome with no experience and no fixed purposes and ideals, he will be a brother to them, as he has the opportunity. How often have I heard some cold-blooded upper classman say that if the freshman cannot think for himself, if he cannot decide upon the right course to take, let him fail and get out of the way. Heaven forgive such cruelty.

WHY NOT SPEND YOUR SECOND HONEYMOON IN NEW YORK IN APRIL?

Official Announcements

Official Announcement No. 30

Office of Grand Councilor,
Davidson, N. C., Dec. 1, 1921.

To the Members of Pi Kappa Alpha Fraternity—Greeting:

1. I hereby summon the members to assemble together at New York, N. Y., Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday and Friday, April 18, 19, 20, 21, 1922, for the Eighth Biennial Convention.

2. Official headquarters will be at the Pennsylvania Hotel, where special rates have been made for the delegates, who will be advised thereof.

All Π's should come to this hotel. The business sessions of the Convention will be hold in a special room in the hotel building.

3. *The first business session will convene Tuesday afternoon, April 18th at 3 o'clock. Delegates must arrive in time for it.*

4. *Delegates arriving Tuesday before 3 p.m. are requested to go at once to the Convention Hall to register and secure identification badge and cards.*

5. *All alumni are cordially invited to attend, and will be accorded all the privileges of the floor, and, in addition, will be especially welcomed to take part in all deliberations.* The Fraternity needs their mature advice and counsel, and it is hoped they will attend in large numbers.

HOWARD BELL ARBUCKLE, *Grand Councilor.*

Official Announcement No. 31

Office of Grand Princeps,

New Orleans, La., Dec. 1, 1921.

To the several Chapters of Pi Kappa Alpha—Greeting:

6. Chapters will immediately, on assembling after January 1, 1922, elect *delegates* and *alternates* and send their names at once to the General Office, Room 331, Trust Company of Georgia Building, Atlanta, Ga.

7. Delegates "*must be active members of the Chapters electing them*" (Section 5 Constitution).

8. *Delegates must bring credentials as per form.* (Section 8, Chapter II, National By-Laws.)

9. Attention is called to Sections 9, 10, 11, Chapter III, National By-Laws, *showing Chapter Books to be submitted to Convention*, as follows:

Minute Book, with all minutes since 1920 Convention;

Record Book, containing names of members, addresses, history, etc.;

Th. C. Book, containing financial records since 1920 Convention.

Read Section 27 carefully.

10. Each delegate must present a report covering sessions since last Convention. Reports must be written on only one side of paper, and *must contain: The full names and addresses of initiates and members since the last Convention*, and list of all the college honors taken, a list of those to graduate this year and those who will return next year. *Make this report concise and as short as possible.*

JOHN R. PEREZ, *Grand Princeps.*

Official Announcement No. 32

The Supreme Council announces the chartering of the following Alumnus Chapter, November 1, 1921:

Alumnus Beta-Delta, Tampico, Tamanlipas, Mexico.

Charter Members:

S. A. Grogan, Alpha-Omicron and Alpha-Delta.

C. M. Crebbs, Beta-Delta.

F. I. Martin, Beta-Gamma.

John L. Daniel, Theta.

James E. Hoover, Beta-Delta.

Geo. H. Shelton, Beta-Delta.

Ioor Gough, Alpha-Theta.

Geo. W. Harrington, Beta.

For the Supreme Council:

J. Lorton Francis, Grand Secretary.

Official Announcement No. 33

The Supreme Council announces the chartering December 5, 1921, of:

Alumnus Beta-Epsilon Chapter,

Florence, South Carolina.

Charter Members:

J. P. McNeill, Jr., Beta.

W. W. Wilkins, Alpha-Delta.

N. S. Lachicotte, Alpha-Epsilon.

I. L. Tigert, Alpha-Iota.

H. M. Pleasants, Tau.

W. C. McKenzie, Beta.

Jerome F. Pate, Nu.

Quay D. Williford, Beta.

L. M. Lawson, Rho.

For the Supreme Council:

J. Lorton Francis, Grand Secretary.

Official Announcement No. 34

The Supreme Council announces the chartering of Zeta-Delta Local, December 5, 1921, as:

Beta-Sigma Chapter,
Carnegie Institute of Technology,
Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania.

Charter Members:

Donald Saunders Harding
Barton Rank Biever
Herbert Morris White
John Edward Chick
Paul Jones Moore
Albert Matson Belden
John Millin Treharne
William Miller Harrison
Anthony Taormina
Charles Oliver Williamson
Owen Richard Treharne
William Thomas Mantell
Willard Walter Eastman
John Russel Gilbert
Leigh Jack McLain
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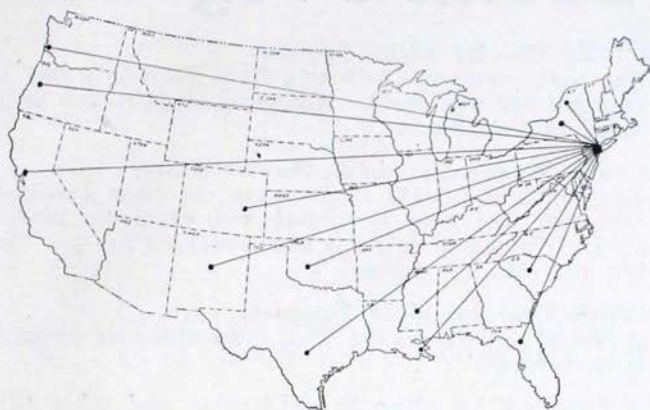
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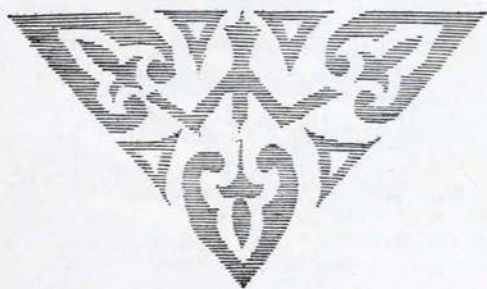
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