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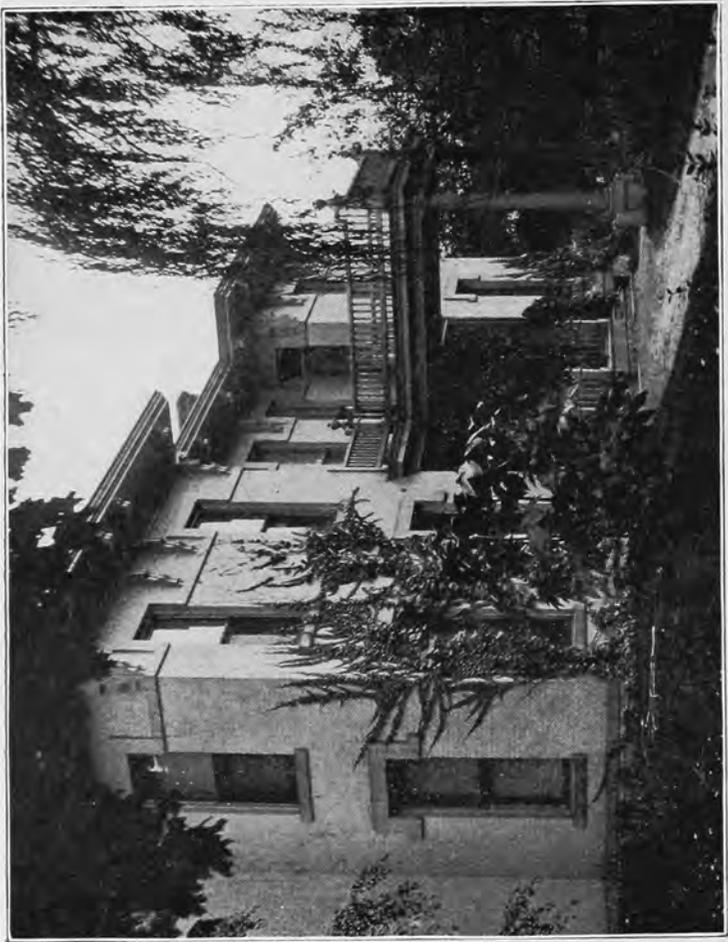
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Indiana Alpha's New Home.

Ten Thousand Dollar Chapter House Purchased by the Alumni and Turned Over to the Chapter.

Five handsome new chapter houses, having an aggregate value of more than seventy-five thousand dollars, dedicated within the first ten months of the year 1902 is not a bad record for Phi Kappa Psi. The acquisition of fine new homes by the California chapters, Illinois Beta, and West Virginia Alpha, has already been chronicled. Since the last number of "The Shield" a movement has been formulated and carried to a consummation by the purchase and occupancy of a house for Indiana Alpha, at DePauw University. Perhaps this is the first house purchased by a fraternity into which a chapter was able to move and go to housekeeping on the first day of ownership. The house, one of the handsomest pieces of residence property in Greencastle occupying the best lot for fraternity purposes to be found in the town, was turned over newly and elegantly furnished by the former owners. Especially from an interior standpoint, it may be said there are few more beautiful chapter houses in the country. A recently graduated alumnus of the Chicago University chapter of Psi Upsilon states that he has seen but one handsomer fraternity home anywhere—and this is praise from Sir Rupert.

THE SHIELD.

Over sixty alumni were present at the annual ingathering of Indiana Alpha men at Greencastle during commencement week of



1902. At that time it seemed altogether likely that the house which the chapter had occupied under lease since 1890, and which changed hands last year, would no longer be available. At the symposium the question of owning a house was broached by Hon. Chas. L. Henry, of Anderson, Ind., and as a result three thousand dollars was subscribed toward the project at this meeting. The movement lagged along during the summer until the first of August found the chapter homeless, and with nothing in sight for next year. The need of immediate measures was apparent. Other fraternity chapters at DePauw were already predicting reverses for the chapter which was a pioneer in the matter of chapter house occupancy at Greencastle. A meeting was held at Indianapolis, attended by Chas. L. Henry and A. A. Small of Anderson, E. M. Campbell, Frank L. Littleton and E. C. Sullivan, of Indianapolis, Geo. B. Lockwood, of Peru, R. S. Tennant and Homer B. Talley of Terre Haute and Turley Stephenson, of Greencastle. Messrs. Henry and Littleton were designated to go to Greencastle and look over the ground, which they did, and returned with a recommendation that the present house be purchased. A corporation was formed under the name of the Phi Kappa Psi Home Association, with Bros. Henry, Littleton, Talley, Campbell, Sullivan and Stephenson as directors, the two last named representing the active chapter. The capital stock was fixed at \$15,000, and the work of securing subscriptions was begun at once. Subsequent meetings were attended by Brothers Merle and Orin Walker, C. R. Cameron, Judge H. C. Allen and other Indianapolis Phi Psis.

Ten days before the opening of the college year at DePauw the directors decided that enough money had been subscribed to warrant the association in concluding the purchase of the property, and the deal was closed. On



Monday, September 15th, the chapter took possession of the house, and the shield which had done duty at the old home went up over the door.



On account of the number of trees surrounding the house, it is impossible to give an adequate idea of the structure with a photograph. It is a large brick house, occupying a lot 140x140 feet which fronts a college campus on each side. Directly across the street to the north is the present Science hall on the west campus. Across College avenue to the east is the new Minshall laboratory, a handsome building just being completed at a cost of \$75,000. The lot is a beautiful one, and the lawn is shaded by a number of fine trees. At the rear of the house is sufficient room for a tennis court. At the north front a porte cochere

is approached by a macadamized roadway.

The front portion of the lower floor is occupied by two spacious parlors, entered through a hall-room. To the rear on the south is a dining room, and back of this the kitchen. Back of the north parlor is a spacious reception hall leading from the main entrance at the porte cochere. Back of this is a parlor to be used as a library and loafing place. Out of the reception hall rises a handsome stairway leading to the second floor, and under this a Turkish cozy corner handsomely draped and otherwise adorned. On the upper floor are six living rooms, and a large, light bath room, besides a commodious hall. It would have been hard to erect a house better fitted in every way for chapter house purposes. The furnishings of the house, conservatively appraised at a value of \$1,100 in the purchase, are new and elegant.

The formal house-warming took place on Saturday September 27, and, though notice of the event was necessarily brief, twenty of the alumni were present to participate in the proceedings and enjoy the good cheer of the house. The "star" feature of the occasion was the initiation of



the seven pledged men into the fraternity, the harvest of a spiking season in which the chapter, fortified in its new house, had won success not marred by a single defeat. By a happy



CHAPTER HOUSE OF INDIANA ALPHA.

This view, taken from the third floor of Minshall Laboratory, shows how the foliage makes it impossible to secure a satisfactory exterior view of the house.

coincidence, two of the initiates, Small and Henry, were sons of the two brothers of the same name who had been so active in pushing the chapter house project, and both were present. The ceremony was carried out with punctilious attention to constitutional requirements, and was most impressive. At the conclusion of the initiation, the new brothers were called upon, and spoke happily.

On behalf of the alumni Hon. Chas. Henry, president of the Home Association, turned over the keys to the house to the active chapter, expressing the gratification of the older men with the present prosperous condition of the chapter, and their hope for its future success. Turley Stephenson, of the active chapter, responded on its behalf, expressing its appreciation of the generosity of the alumni, and its purpose to permit nothing to happen that would cause regret for their action.

Adjournment was then taken to Gardner's restaurant, where forty members of Indiana Alpha, with Milton Neely, now of Purdue chapter, and H. C. Brubaker, Pennsylvania Eta, of Indianapolis, ate enthusiastically for a half hour, and then settled down to the enjoyment of a season of informal speech making. Geo. B. Lockwood, editor of "The Shield," served as toastmaster. Among those who spoke were Bros. Chas. L. Henry, A. A. Small, of Anderson, Indiana; Walter Ervin, Muncie, Indiana; John Webster, Danville, Illinois; Jackson Boyd and Dr. Eugene Hawkins, Greencastle; Joseph G. Phipps, Bedford, Indiana; Homer B. Talley and Maurice Tennant, Terre Haute, Indiana; Frank L. Littleton, Fred Fitch, C. E. Sullivan, Orin D. Walker and H. C. Brubaker, Indianapolis, and several of the members of the active chapter.

The "old Phi Psi house," as it will be known to the hundred or more Phi Psis who lived in it during the ten years through which it was the home of the chapter, has been remodeled and is now the home of the Kappa Kappa Gamma sorority. For more than a decade it has been the center of the life of Indiana Alpha. The associations were moved with the furniture to the new house, however, and Phi Psis from the earliest generation down, not only of Indiana Alpha but of all chapters, will find the latchstring of the Phi Kappa Psi home at Greencastle hanging out for many years to come.



Phi Kappa Psi in New York City

Walter A. Dyer, Mass. A. '00, Contributor.

Throughout the world of Greeks the Phi Kappa Psi fraternity is known for the strength of its constitution and governmental system and for the loyalty of its alumni and their active interest in the affairs of the fraternity and cohesiveness and democracy among themselves. In the fraternity body the under-



*Brother Waller L. McCorkle,
Va. Beta, '80.
Ex-President of the Fraternity.*

graduate chapters form the backbone, a back-bone of forty vertebrae measured off for convenience into five sections. There was a time when the fraternity was all spine, and though a strong and healthy spine, the body lacked form. Later a lusty sternum developed—the body of alumni, the marrow of which is the Alumni Association. This sternum is joined to the spine by numerous ribs of communication and association, not the least of which is “The Shield.” Though all parts of the body are capable of growth and strengthening, and though we need more and better ribs, the Phi Kappa Psi fraternity stands today a vertebrate of the highest order, genus homo, fearfully and wonderfully made.

There was a time when the fraternity was all spine. The alumni exerted only a personal and not a collective influence. The fraternity was governed by a Grand Chapter of undergraduates. Then came the Indianapolis G. A. C. of 1886, and with it Brother William C. Wilson, the Abraham Lincoln of our fraternity. The old order of things passed away and the sternum took form. The alumnus was no longer a mere figure-head or silent partner. He became a living part of the organization. There have been reactions against this movement, the chief of them culminating in the Columbus G. A. C. in 1898. But the undergraduates are learning that the alumni are not trying to “run things,” that the counsel of older and wiser heads is not to be rejected and that the machinery of this great organization moves more freely when alumni hold the executive offices.

At about the time when the change came, the alumni association idea had already taken root, and provision was made for it in the new constitution. The New York Alumni Association was one of the first children of the remodeled fraternity and its new



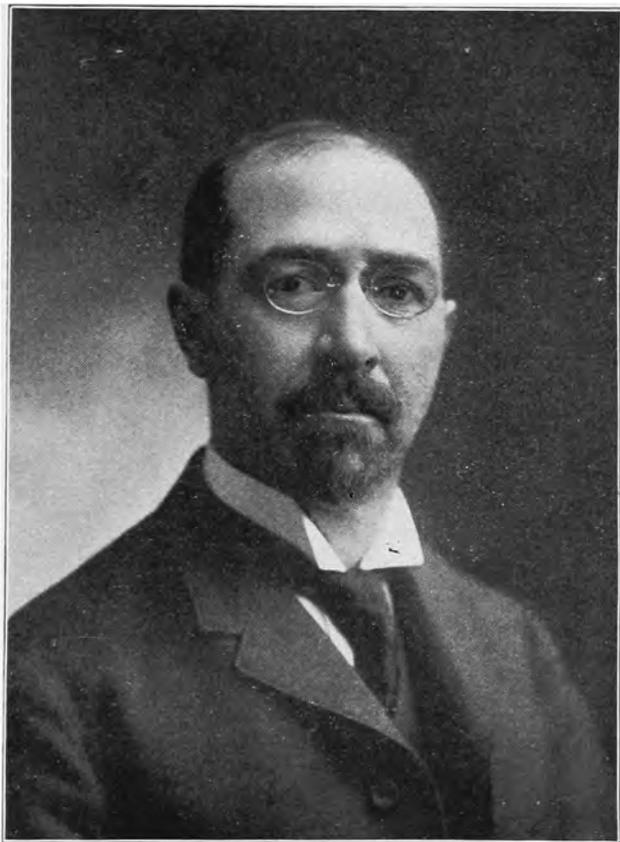
*A CORNER OF COLLEGE HALL.
At the Arena, where the meetings of the N. Y. A. A. are held.*

ideas. Chartered early in 1899, it has enjoyed a continuous activity ever since. It is one of the strongest alumni organizations in the fraternity, both because of its metropolitan location, and because chance has sent many of the prominent and active members of the fraternity in this direction. For the story of its inception and growth the writer is largely indebted to Brother Henry Pegram for his data.

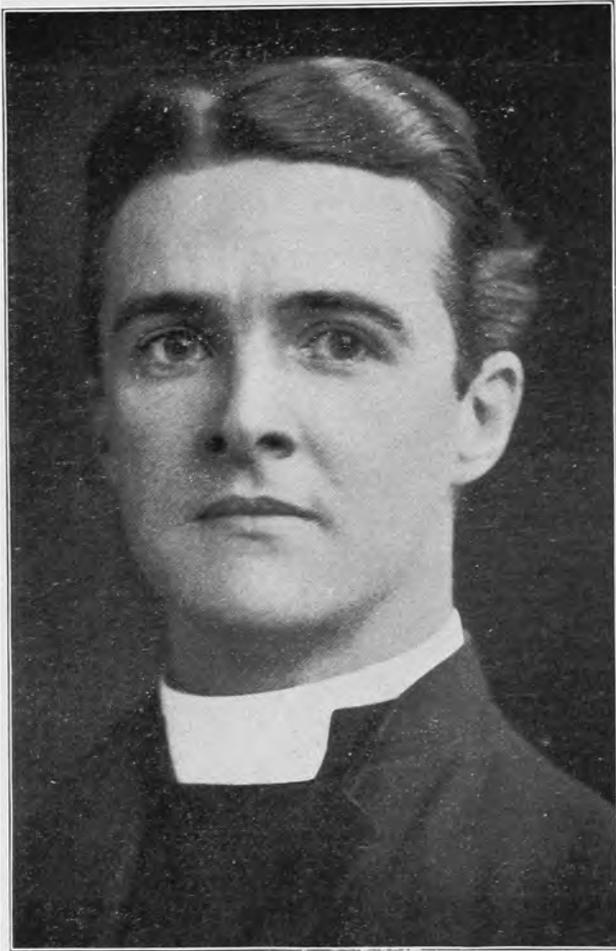
The idea of establishing an association of the alumni of Phi Kappa Psi in New York originated with Brother Walter L. McCorkle, Va. Beta, '80. The idea long awaited development. For years in his goings and comings in the great city Brother McCorkle had never seen a Phi Psi pin, until in the fall of 1886 he caught a glimpse of one on Nassau street. The wearer thereof proved to be Brother Bartholomew of N. Y. Beta. By Brother Bartholomew Brother McCorkle was referred to Brother C. A. Lonergon of N. Y. Beta, and by him to Brother W. C. Wilson, Pa. Beta, '80, then secretary of the Executive Council. The means at Brother McCorkle's hands for unearthing brother Phi Psis in New York were very limited, but he kept steadily at it, seeking for them especially among his professional acquaintances. The unique result was that the charter members of the New York Alumni Association were all lawyers. In the latter part of 1888 a charter was applied for by Brothers Robert L. Harrison, Va. Alpha, '70; J. Hope Caldwell, Pa. Zeta, '80; Walter L. McCorkle, Va. Beta, '80; Theodore G. Lewis, Wis. Gamma, '83; William M. Thacher, Kansas Alpha, '82; Chauncey H. Humphreys, Ohio Alpha, '86; Phil M. Leakin, Pa. Zeta, '85; and John J. McMurray, Ohio Delta, '83. The charter was duly granted in the following February.

Owing to difficulties identical with those which caused the dissolution of N. Y. Gamma in 1876, no steps were taken toward perfecting an organization until the following Autumn. At this time Brother Henry Pegram, N. Y. Delta, '98, came to the city, and through his fresher and more complete knowledge of the constitution and the fraternity laws, was able to assist the charter members out of their difficulties. The first meeting of the organization was held after the granting of the charter at the Knickerbocker Conservatory, 24 West 14th street.

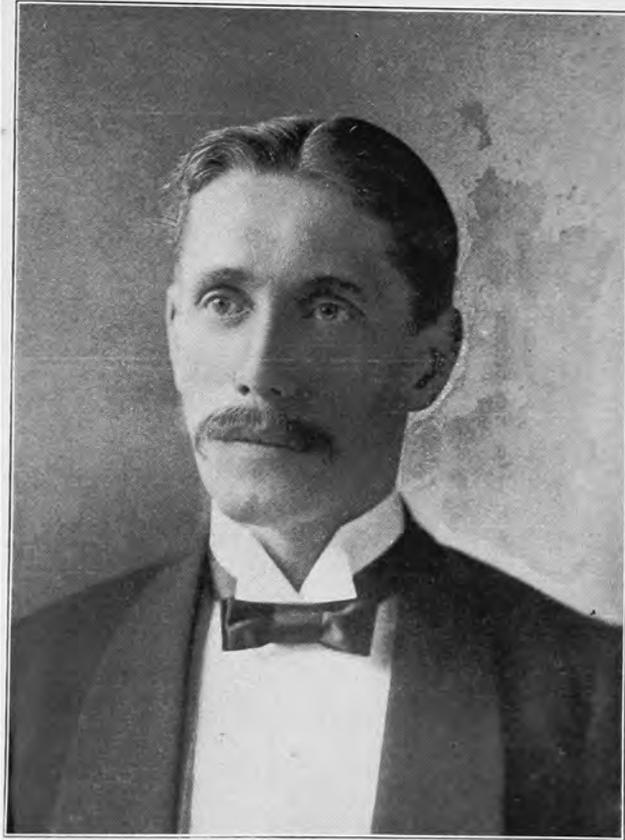
In October, 1889, the charter members and Bro. Pegram met at the Southern Society's club house, 18 West 25th street, and perfected the organization which has continued ever since. Nominal dues and the monthly meeting and dinner were decided upon. Various well-known members of the fraternity have since held office and been members of the association. It is perhaps necessary to mention only the presidents. They have been Brother Pegram, Brother McCorkle, Brother Henry T. Scudder, N. Y. Gamma, '74; Brother Thacher, Brother Richard T. Bang, N. Y. Gamma, '76; Brother Frank C. Bray, Pa. Beta, '90; Brother Fred C. Hicks, Pa. Kappa, '93; and Brother Norman C. Raff, Ohio Gamma, '80. The present officers are: President, Brother Bang; secretary, Walter A. Dyer, Mass. Alpha, '00; treasurer, William



*BROTHER WILLIAM C. WILSON, Pa. Beta, '80.
Ex-President of the Fraternity.*



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*BROTHER HENRY PEGRAM, N. Y. DELTA, '89.
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C. Morrill, N. Y. Gamma, '01. Several meeting places have been tried, with a final return to The Arena, 39 West 31st street.

In the spring of 1892, through the instrumentality of the New York Alumni Association, and Brother Scudder in particular, N. Y. Gamma was revived at Columbia College, causing great jubilation in New York Phi Psi dom.

In the Spring of 1893, the association, together with N. Y. Gamma, brought about the institution of N. Y. Zeta at the Brooklyn Polytechnic Institute, thus making two chapters in Greater New York, and greatly strengthening it as a Phi Psi center.

The New York Alumni Association was foremost in the New England extension movement, and took active part in the installation of Mass. Alpha, N. H. Alpha and R. I. Alpha.

In 1894 the G. A. C. was held in New York and in 1899 the D. C. of the second district was held in Brooklyn, under the same alumni and undergraduate auspices.

Such, in brief, has been the life and work of the New York Alumni Association. As in every organization of this character the success of the work has been due to the untiring activity and loyalty of certain individuals. The Association has lived and moved and had its being chiefly through the efforts of such men as Pegram, Bang, McCorkle and Scudder.

In and about New York City live many of those whom the fraternity may well look up to as its strongest workers and its most brilliant lights, both among the active members of the association and those whose duties prevent their active affiliation. Over 250 Phi Psis reside in Greater New York. Among the most active men in the association itself are several who are not only prominent in the fraternity, but who have achieved and are achieving what the world calls success. Brother McCorkle is a successful Wall Street lawyer, and an ex-president of the fraternity. Brother Pegram is another lawyer and our Attorney-General. Brother Wilson, another ex-president, is chief claim agent of the D., L. & W. Railroad. Brother Scudder, to whom much of the beauty of our ritual is due, is a well-known Brooklyn Episcopal clergyman. Brother Bang, president of the association, is a United States examining physician and is connected with two of the large New York hospitals. Brother William A. Barber, S. C. Alpha, an ex-Archon, is another lawyer, an ex-Attorney-General of the State of South Carolina. And there are many others of the active members of the association who are prominent in the fraternity and in professional and business life.

One of the oldest brothers in New York is Brother S. C. T. Dodd, general solicitor for the Standard Oil company. He was one of the old guard, having joined the fraternity in the third year of its existence. He graduated from Jefferson College in 1857. Brother Dodd's early aspirations were literary, and he still finds time to write an occasional article for the press. He was admitted to the bar in 1859 and practiced in the courts of Western Pennsylvania for more than twenty years. He was chosen a member of the Constitutional Convention of Pennsylvania in

1873. In 1881 he was called to his present important and influential position. The fraternity has few members more deserving of honor than Brother Dodd. He is still young in spirit, and his love for his fraternity has never faltered.

The three principal Episcopal churches of uptown New York have Phi Psis as rectors. These are Brother David H. Greer of St. Bartholomew's, Brother S. D. McConnell of All Souls, and Brother Ernest M. Stires, our ex-president, at St. Thomas'. Brother Stires is one of the most prominent of the younger clergy of his church, and Brother Greer has repeatedly refused bishoprics.

Another prominent clergyman is Brother C. C. McCabe, known as Chaplain McCabe. His experiences during the Civil War have been often told to admiring audiences. He is now one of the leading bishops of the Methodist Episcopal church. In the Presbyterian church, Brother T. A. Nelson of Brooklyn is a noted preacher.

In law and politics Phi Psi has not been unknown in this vicinity. Brother G. W. W. Porter of Newark was at one time Speaker of the New Jersey legislature. Brother Elgin R. L. Gould is Chamberlain of the City of New York. Brother P. Henry Dugro is one of the best jurists in the city. He is a Justice of the Supreme Court and an ex-congressman. At the time of his holding office he was the youngest member of the House.

In setting down all this historical and personal matter, the writer has been endeavoring to impress his readers with the dignity of the Phi Psi colony in New York. He hopes that this article may reach the eyes of some undergraduate or young graduate who, like him, may come to the great city in search of a living. Those happy, brim-full college days pass so quickly, and we are thrust out into the world to carry on the struggle for existence. The spirit of commercialism casts its shadow over us. The distance widens between classmates and college friends, and dark days are sure to come. But the Phi Psi spirit, that noblest and truest sentiment of our college days, will live and thrive, if we will only let it, and blessed is the man whose interest in his fraternity knows no lapse in his early graduate years.

In the midst of the great metropolis, with all its toils and bustle and greed, the New York Alumni Association is opening its arms to its brothers, old or young. Up in the "college room" of The Arena, once a month, the old, untainted spirit is born anew. There is a jollity and good cheer. There is no respecting of persons. All are Phi Psis. There courteous Brother Mac, genial Henry Pegram, brilliant Billy Wilson, sympathetic Doc Bang and the rest are waiting with open hearts and right hands ready to give a hearty grip. There Leakin and Raff and the rest of us join in the old songs, and we are college boys once more.

The Phi Psi who drops his fraternity interest when he leaves college is blindly passing by the fountain of perpetual youth. Our lamented Brother Lowry used to say, "There is something

in this thing we call Phi Psi." He knew it was a thing to cleave to even on his death-bed. New York Phi Psis are waiting for their brothers.

"The friends thou hast, and their adoption tried,
Grapple them to thy soul with hooks of steel."

CHAPTER HOUSES TAXABLE

Error of Statement Corrected by Attorney-General Pegram.

The following from Attorney-General Pegram shows that "The Shield" based an editorial in the last issue on incorrect information:

With reference to your editorial entitled "Chapter Houses Non-Taxable" published in No. 7 of Volume 22 of "The Shield" August, 1902, I beg to state that the same is incorrect both as to facts and as to the law, as it is at present interpreted in the State of New York.

In a letter dated September 29th, 1902, I am informed by Prof. E. W. Huffcut, of the Cornell University College of Law, that no fraternity house tax case has gone up from Cornell and that the only case he knows of is the D. K. E. case from Hamilton College.

This was a case argued at a special term of the Supreme Court for Oneida County, State of New York, brought by the Delta Kappa Epsilon society of Hamilton College against the Assessors of the Town of Kirkland, Oneida County, judgment wherein was entered, December 26th, 1901, exempting the property of the plaintiff from taxation.

This case is reported in 36 Misc. 594, under the title of "People ex rel D. K. E. Society vs. Lawler."

An appeal from the foregoing judgment was taken by said Assessors to the Appellate Division of the Fourth Department of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, and at the July term, 1902 thereof, by a unanimous vote, said judgment was rendered.

The following is a syllabus of the opinion of the Court on said appeal:

"A house owned by the Hamilton College chapter of a Greek letter college fraternity, organized, as stated in its certificate of incorporation, for literary purposes and the promotion of the fine arts, which house, with the exception of the society room, is primarily used as a boarding place for the active members of the chapter, at which they may enjoy the privileges of home life and meet for social recreation and fellowship without intrusion from uninvited guests, and which is incidentally used for literary, educational or scientific purposes, is not exempt from

taxation under subdivision 7 of Section 4 of the tax law (Laws of 1896, chap. 908, as amended by laws of 1897, chap. 371) which provides: "The real property of a corporation or association organized exclusively for the moral or mental improvement of men or women or for * * * educational, scientific, literary, library * * * purposes, * * * or for two or more of such purposes, and the personal property of any such corporation shall be exempt from taxation."

This case is reported in 74 App. Div. 553, under the same title as the preceding case.

I do not know whether a further appeal will be taken to the Court of Appeals, the last and ultimate court of resort in the State of New York, and whether, if the same were taken, said court would reverse the judgment of the Appellate Division; but as the law is interpreted today, by reason of said last mentioned judgment, chapter houses in the State of New York are taxable.

In reference to the same editorial, Brother Harvey S. Williams, New York Beta, who is with the Oneida Construction company, Oneida, New York, writes from the chapter house at Syracuse as follows: "It has been my intention for some time to write you in reference to the article which appeared in the last Shield under the heading 'Chapter Houses Non-Taxable.' Doubtless before this some one has written you concerning it, but in case they have not this may be of interest to the New York Chapters. As soon as the above mentioned article appeared I took the matter up with one of our Phi Psi attorneys in Syracuse. He corresponded with Prof. Huffcutt and learned that the case in question was that of the Hamilton D. K. E.'s and not the Cornell Chapter. About a year ago this fall, if my memory serves me right, Judge Scripture of the Supreme Court handed down a decision in which he declared chapter houses non-taxable. The matter was then carried to the Appellate Division and the decision reversed by unanimous vote of the Judges."

STANDING OF PHI KAPPA PSI

Disinterested Syndicate Writer Refers to it as One of the Strongest College Fraternities.

Phi Psis will be especially interested in an American Press Association syndicate article now appearing in hundreds of papers throughout the country. It is apparently written by some disinterested observer and is evidence of the recognition Phi Kappa Psi is attaining in the opinion of the general public as one of the leaders among intercollegiate fraternities. The article is illustrated by a handsome cut of the Zeta Psi house at Yale. The writer says:

"The opening days of the fall term are a season of peculiar interest to the college boy, now just returning to his studies after the summer vacation. This is the season when the fraternity 'rushing' or 'cultivating' is on, and to the student it is fraught with importance, for it largely determines the completion of the fraternities and often determines the future of many freshmen.

"To the fraternities the 'rushing' is important, because this year's freshmen when they become upper classmen will dictate fraternity policy, and it is important to the freshmen because the associations of the first two years in college do more than all other years to shape their characters.

"The chapter house or lodge of the Greek letter fraternity has become a national feature of the college life of the United States. They are now found in all colleges and universities excepting Harvard and Princeton, where the Greek letter fraternities have never gained a foothold.

"A few years ago the chapter house was peculiar to eastern institutions. Now more than half the nearly 900 chapters of Greek letter societies located at the various institutions of learning in all sections of the country are occupying chapter houses, and many of them are owned by the occupants.

"To college men and students in general the fraternity is a familiar subject, but as only one per cent. of the people in America enter college the idea is just as obscure to the great majority as the Greek letters by which the various organizations are known.

"The first Greek letter society was founded at the College of William and Mary in 1775. Its aims were to encourage scholarship, and these aims it has maintained until the present day. Phi Beta Kappa it is called. A hundred years ago it became merely an honorary organization, election to which depended on scholarship. From it, however, and patterned after it grew the present fraternities. They, too, were literary societies pure and simple in their early days.

"There are scores of these fraternities, all designated by Greek letters which form the initials of their mottoes and representing the academic, medical and scientific courses in various colleges.

"Kappa Alpha, which dates back to 1825, was long regarded as the leading fraternity. During recent years others have forged to the front. Phi Kappa Psi is said now to be one of the strongest organizations. It claims a membership of 10,000, having at this time forty chapters located in as many leading colleges and universities and twenty-five alumni associations.

"Psi Upsilon is also one of the big ones, as are also Delta Kappa Epsilon and Alpha Delta Phi. Most of the fraternities have thirty or more chapters, and among their alumni are many of the brightest college men in public life.

"The older Greek letter societies have alumni all over the United States who keep close watch on the high school boys about to enter college. Before the high school commencement time the prospective freshman has met some member of the

fraternity in the college to which he is going and has been invited to spend the college commencement week with that fraternity.

"All of the important ones have houses, which are often the finest buildings on the college campus, but are always the center of a life that is almost homelike. Into these more or less elaborate college homes the freshman is often ushered the spring prior to his entering college, and here he is royally entertained.

"But all the time he is under closest scrutiny. If he is a satisfactory candidate, he is invited to visit at the chapter house in the fall when he comes on to enter college. Again he is under the same careful scrutiny, and if he satisfies the members of the fraternity he is asked to join.

"The chapter house receives strong encouragement from college authorities, who recognize that the fraternity members are not alone in receiving benefit from it."

The Phi Kappa Psi Camp Meeting.

The Phi Psis held a Camp Meeting in Colorado and that is no joke. Deacons Daniels, Downey, Watts, Lockhard, Harper, Parson Rush and Circuit-Rider Springer lead in the singing—and the chicken legs vanished. Brother March, the hotel-keeper, was a helpless member, in fact he was put out of his own hostlery and was only allowed the privilege of being bar-keep with a long white apron—office hours P. M. to A. M.

Oh yes, the deaconesses must be remembered: Sisters Daniels, Lockard and March. Picture number five of the accompanying illustrations shows one of the deaconesses on duty, but pshaw, that is nothing to what might have happened if there had been enough deaconesses to pair off with some of the other deacons. Now, the part the sisters played in the role of entertainment committee was an important one. No Phi Psi camp meeting would be complete without the balance of power in the hands of the ladies—in fact, we don't think a camp meeting could be held without the ladies being along, not enough "poise" as we Delsartists say. But enough of this, for what we started out to do was to tell the other Phi Psis something about those who were present; of what the absent ones missed and those present enjoyed, and what a howling success a thing can be where only a few are gathered together in the name of old Phi Kappa Psi.

Nine thousand invitations were sent out and while all the boys did not respond, counting Phi Psi spirit, most of them did. When the Fourth of July came the Denver delegation got aboard a Denver and Rio Grande special and with unlimited noise and enthusiasm made the welkin ring for a distance of fifty miles to Larkspur—the Perry Park station. At Larkspur Brother



- I. *The Reception Committee.*
- II. *Daniels Posing as Ikey Walton.*
- III. *Sisters Daniels, Lockard and March, Ladies' Auxiliary.*
- IV. *A Pretty Lake Scene at Perry Park and—a Division of Opinion.*
- V. *Daniels Shows the Younger Fellows "How."*
- VI. *Lonesome After the Crowd Had Gone.*

March met us with tallyhoes and uniformed footmen, brass buttons and long blaring bugles included. Echoes rang out over the mountains as Parson Rush and Circuit-Rider Springer lead in the psalm singing. The natives all came out and stood in front of their doors. They had heard the last epidemic of democratic oratory, but such a crowd as this was too much for them. They were right in their prognostications, too, for the crowd was untamed and untamable. The "High, High, High," did not stop until after the party had alighted at the Nanichant Inn, writ their names upon the register and began to feed their faces with spring chicken. Brother Downey had preceded this disorderly crowd by walking over the six miles from an early morning train. His true Phi Psi spirit was rewarded, we are told, by one extra feed in the face before the Denver crowd arrived. Now, let us parenthesize right here and say that all the meals served up by Brother March were up to the standard of Phi Psi feeds, but we never knew before that the miracle of the loaves and fishes could be reproduced with chicken and 343 people fed on six small fries. Brother March has a new sort of feed cutter, and so there were pieces of chicken for everybody.

Well, the business of the day had fairly begun when the luncheon was over, but it was not anywhere near finished. The brethren and sisters retired to the lake side and there amidst the vast concourse were heard speeches and ghosts-of-speeches appropriate to the day and the fraternity. Not the least impressive part of the program was the receipt of numerous communications from Phi Psis the world over. Letters of regret were read from:

Brothers Walter A. McCorkle, New York City; George B. Lockwood, the popular Shield Editor; W. H. Winfree, Spokane, Washington; E. T. Coman, Colfax, Washington; John W. Davis, Clarksburg, W. Va.; J. W. Gleed, Topeka, Kansas; Henry T. Scudder, Brooklyn, N. Y.; A. J. Gould, Chicago, Ill.; W. L. Whipple, Cheyenne, Wyoming; Robert F. Coyie, Denver, Col.; Hale Houston, Toledo, Ohio; Jesse E. Wiley, Del Norte, Col.; Walter W. Davis, Leadville, Col.; E. C. Elliott, Leadville, Col.; H. M. Hogg, Telluride, Col.; Henry Pegram, New York City; Orra E. Monnette, Bucyrus, Ohio; C. F. M. Niles, Toledo, Ohio; E. Lawrence Fell, Philadelphia, Pa.; George Smart, Columbus, Ohio; C. L. Van Cleve, Troy, Ohio; George G. Tunell, Chicago, Ill.; George B. Baker, Boston, and many others.

One of the most important communications was that wireless message from Brother Henry Pegram. While we were about the lakeside there came a mighty series of vibrations setting all the brothers and sisters in a quiver and a shiver. Had it been dark the phenomenon would have been easily explained—shadows of things and ghosts would have been the cause; but it was not dark and a mighty ashen hue beset the face of each one present. Hands were clasped in fraternal circle and all of a sudden the strong electric current began to tick off the Marconi system alphabet. The first letter was the capital letter "P" and then came the rest of it—"e-g-r-a-m." Now be it known to all

Phi Psis that Brother Pegram had sailed for Europe the first of July and had promised to send us a Marconi message and lo! and behold it was at hand. It said: "Have one on me. Drink hearty, but beware of lake water." After so alarming a precaution and implied premonition as to the probable sad results of lake water, the party rushed to the basement of Brother March's hotel and there the wireless messages came thick and fast. There was one from Geo. B. Baker of Boston and another from Niles of Toledo. One came from Brother Burdette of California and another from Brother Bray of Chautauqua fame. There were songs in the air from chapter houses all over the land, and then there were verses from Brother James Whitcomb Riley, the Hoosier Poet. While we might go ahead telling you all about it for days to come, the net result of that visit to the basement was cheerful countenances and irrepressible good humor for the rest of the season.

Oh yes, "we should remember so that we may never forget" that evening passed in the hotel parlor, before a great fire and under the blaze of wit and wisdom that was greater, being influenced more or less by a certain harmless concoction, called "Robert E. Lee." Brother March passed around seven of them, then read a few chapters from Ezra Kendall's "Good Gravy" and there was so much laughter no one had strength to blow out the candle. Fun? Yes, and then some!

For scenery and for a pleasant retreat, Perry Park and Brother March's Nanichant Inn are hard to beat. There are a hundred features that we might reproduce for the benefit of "The Shield" readers, but we have only taken a few kodakeries of people and scenes. They are presented herewith. Nice people, aren't they? They had a lovely time. Although the crowd was not as large as we had hoped, still it was large enough to do things and it "done um." One of the most important transactions of the meeting was the adoption of a red letter resolution that from this time forth the Phi Kappa Psis of the Rocky Mountain Alumni Association will neither rest nor permit other Phi Psis to rest until they have built a suitable lodge or club house in some desirable spot in Colorado, and have a place of comfortable retreat for themselves and their families and for visiting Phi Psis at any and all times. Pursuant to this resolution there is already a movement on foot to secure ground and erect such a structure. You will be notified when the plan is perfected. As a result of this first Phi Kappa Psi camp meeting there will be raised a temple devoted to the tenets of Phi Kappa Psi, the loftiest of fraternities, at this the crest of the continent.

Brother W. J. Clothier's Achievement in Tennis



By E. T. Hartman, W. Va. Alpha.

Readers of "The Shield" will be interested to know of the success of Bro. W. J. Clothier, of Philadelphia, state tennis champion in Pennsylvania, in the great tournament held at the Longwood Cricket Club grounds in Boston during the week of July 28.

Bro. Clothier was entered for both events, the eastern doubles championship and the singles competition for the Longwood challenge cup.

In the doubles Bro. Clothier and his partner, B. C. Wright, won easily till the semi-finals when they were defeated by a fairly close score by the Wrenn brothers, who were in turn defeated by the Daugherty brothers who represent the English Lawn Tennis association.

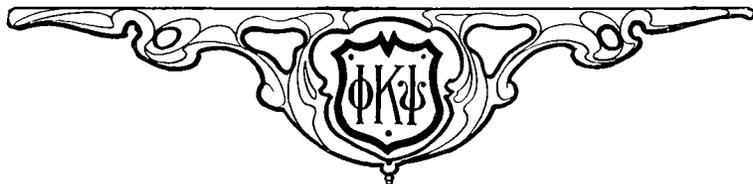
In the singles Bro. Clothier won with brilliance everything in the way, defeating in the semi-finals H. Ward, and in the finals W. A. Larned, national champion and present holder of the Longwood cup.

A Boston paper says: "The sensation of the week was furnished by the challenge match in singles for the Longwood cup. In this, William A. Larned, national champion and holder of the cup, went down to defeat before William J. Clothier, the young Harvard aspirant for tennis honors." (Bro. Clothier is now a member of the Harvard Law School.)

Phi Psis everywhere will be glad to congratulate Bro. Clothier on his excellent work. He is a young man and tennis experts predict for him a prominent place among the world's tennis players.



EDITORIAL



During Volume XXII "The Shield" was more expensive and more profitable than it has ever been before during its history.

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That is, more money was put into the publication and more was taken out of it. The policy of making the best "Shield" the management knew how to make, and trusting to the fraternity to bestow patronage in proportion has proved a paying one in every way. It has been this support that has encouraged the management to make "The Shield" a monthly during the college year, again giving to Phi Kappa Psi the distinction of supporting the only college fraternity monthly publication.

At this writing the full report for Volume XXII has not been submitted to the Executive Council, owing to some delayed collections which will be completed before this number of "The Shield" appears, but it will show substantially the following result:

Receipts.	Expenditures.	Profits.	Divided to Fraternity.
\$2,817.24.	\$1,970.52.	\$846.72.	\$323.36.
It will be of interest to compare this showing with that made in former years under the new system of management, beginning with Volume XIX.			
	Receipts.	Expenditures.	Divided to Fraternity.
1898-9	\$1,704.75	\$1,490.77	\$ 9.48
1899-00.....	2,006.34	1,461.60	172.37
1900-01.....	2,238.06	1,603.52	217.27
1901-02.....	2,817.24	1,970.52	323.36
			\$722.48

By the close of the coming year, the editor of "The Shield" hopes and expects to be able to show net earnings to the fraternity under his management of considerably in excess of one thousand dollars, with an alumni subscription list considerably more than doubled in four years, which in itself amounts to a permanent endowment of "The Shield" yielding several hundred dollars annually. From the dividend, it may be remarked, two hundred dollars is to be diverted annually toward a fund to enable William Gordon Letterman, son of one of the founders of Phi Kappa Psi, to complete a higher education.

During the past year the alumni list has been very largely increased. Receipts from undergraduate subscriptions do not vary greatly from year to year, and the only field for expansion

is offered by the alumni. Some of them very generously help "The Shield," and we hope themselves to a degree, by patronizing the business directory. Two or three pages more of this sort of advertising would enable the management of the fraternity journal to make further improvements in the journal, and it is to be hoped that they will be forthcoming. It will be noted, also, that Bro. James L. Norris, of Washington, is a very generous advertiser. The fraternity jewelers have done their share. But beyond this, the advertising field, so far as the fraternity journal is concerned, seems to be limited, though its circulation is well along toward two thousand and is of the highest character.

All this with reference to the progress of the fraternity journal is said in no boasting spirit. The editor of "The Shield" takes pride in the voluntary support given the fraternity journal by the alumni as the best evidence in the world of the solidarity of Phi Kappa Psi. More than one fraternity journal has during the past year expressed surprise at the ease with which Phi Psi's alumni have been rallied to the support of the journal. It only shows that the alumni of Phi Kappa Psi are the strength of the fraternity, and they are as much alive to the interests of all that affects its welfare as are the undergraduates.

More than three hundred names have been added to the alumni list during the past year. Two years ago 150 subscribers were dropped from the list because of being two years delinquent; last year fifty were on this account removed; this year only about a dozen are lost in this way. Perhaps a dozen more have ordered the magazine discontinued during the past year. This is a wonderful record. It does take, however, too much time, effort and expense to collect subscriptions. Nearly ten per cent. of the amount received had to be expended in sending out statements and letters. It is as easy to answer the first call as the last, and if all the alumni would realize that early replies to such communications would mean a considerable saving to the journal without additional cost to them, they would gladly make it unnecessary to spend so much time on this phase of the management of the journal.

Walter A. Dyer, of Brooklyn, will be an eastern representative of "The Shield" this year, and the eastern alumni are urged to rally to his support. As before announced "The Shield" will be a monthly during the college year. Too much must not be expected, however, of the alternate numbers, which will simply be news numbers, the illustrated features being reserved for the magazine issues. The last volume of "The Shield" consisted of about 650 pages and nearly 130 illustrations. The volume begun with this number will, it is hoped, be an improvement of Volume XXII. We hope to add the names of 500 more alumni to the subscription list. This is an effort in which every reader of "The Shield" is invited to join.

There is everything in starting right. This is as true of a college course as of a running race or a wrestling match. The first month of one's college experience may determine the trend of an entire college life. The first year is pretty certain to do so

Starting Right.

The Freshmen in Phi Kappa Psi have already made a good start. They have joined the fraternity of their choice, a fraternity which not only has ideals, but which seeks to live up to them; a fraternity which, for some reason or other, seems to live in the hearts of its alumni in a measure unusual; a fraternity which has given to the world a host of honored names in every effort of honorable human endeavor, and which is going to continue to send out, from year to year, at least its fair share of men destined for genuine success.

Unless the Freshman of today comes out of college, the Senior of 1906, better prepared for a serious man's work in the world, his college experience will be worse than wasted upon him. There are more interesting places than the college or the university for the idler or the "sport," and there is no particular reason, unless it be parental authority, for anyone going to college with mere amusement or the killing of time in view.

The prime purpose of college life is college work. College associations form its most important subsidiary benefit. Not association in dissipation, for that is possible at the corner grocery in the most remote part of the most Godforsaken portion of the country, but association in scholarly endeavor, in the ideals and aspirations that are a part of college life, in the unusual experiences which make the undergraduate period something that constrains even grey haired men to come back to the shades of alma mater a half century after their college years have become a memory.

The opportunities of a college course are peculiar. They are not by any means confined to the class room, the library or the laboratory, or all these. They may be found at their very best in the chapter house, or the associations of the chapter hall. To learn how to fit smoothly into the association of other men, how to get the most out of and how to put the most into the fraternity—this is a part of the duty and the privilege of the men now on the threshold of their college and fraternity experience.

The housed chapter never dies. Given a permanent home, and a college fraternity chapter becomes as fixed and enduring a part of the college life as the campus itself. Those who are taking part in the work of providing homes for their chapters, are building for future years.

Building for the Future.

The fraternity may well congratulate itself upon the fact that its progress in acquiring houses is so rapid and substantial. Within the present year, as is elsewhere

noted, four handsome houses have been permanently acquired by Phi Kappa Psi. This foreshadows the future strength of the fraternity at Leland Stanford, California, West Virginia and DePauw. It is a somewhat striking fact that of these four chapters which have recently become the owners of handsome houses, only one, Indiana Alpha, is an old chapter. West Virginia Alpha was founded little more than a decade ago; California Beta and Gamma are among the comparatively recent additions to the chapter roll.

The example of the two California chapters, in particular, ought to inspire some of the older chapters to renewed activity in the matter of projects for house ownership. Indiana Alpha has set an example, under the leadership of such substantial business men as Brothers Henry, Littleton, Campbell, Baker, Scarrett, Tennant and Small, in boldly grappling with the chapter house proposition and clinching it all within the space of a brief summer. We may have mixed our metaphors a little, but the idea is there.

All these projects mean sacrifice, but that is what the fraternity stands for. These houses will stand through the years to come as monumental proofs of the fact that the college fraternity, the fraternity of youth and its ideals and its attachments carried to the last hour of life, is something more than an ephemeral fancy. And if the good name of the fraternity is, year by year, transmitted to the care of the new men brought within the shelter of the shield, this responsibility is only accentuated by the establishment of the fraternity homes, where the virtues of good chapters must necessarily be emphasized under the new order of things.

Some interesting information arrives from New Haven, Conn., the habitat of one of the most ancient and aristocratic chapters of Psi Upsilon and, incidentally, of an educational institution known as Yale University. It seems that the Psi U's, although they have failed several times in an effort to maintain a fraternity journal, do take chances on causing the planet to sag by holding conventions once in a while, and one of these meetings of the mighty was announced to come off in Old Eli's bailiwick this year.

News from New Haven.

It has been the impression of the rest of us that a real Psi U was a creation so transcendental that no specimen of the genus could be considered superior to another. It seems, however, that there are Yale Psi U's, and then there are others. Although there is but one chapter west of the Mississippi, there are other neighborhoods, it seems, where one takes chances on the wild and woolly. So the Yale chapter, in a frame of mind so deliciously characteristic that we will not pause to dwell upon it, issued a circular to prospective delegates and visitors to the convention, instructing them in little matters of etiquette. Among other admonitions was one that visiting Psi U's should

take especial care not to reveal to Yale students not members of the organization the fact that they were members of the fraternity. They must conceal the badge and cut out the grip. We are not further informed as to the nature of the instructions. We are entirely in the dark as to whether or not the rural Psi U from west of Hoboken, N. J., was warned against the injurious effects of blowing out the gas, or wearing a seersucker coat of the vintage of '87, or carrying a carpet sack, or investing in money that looked as good as the real thing while passing through the green-goods districts of Long Island.

It seems, however, that some of the recipients of these circulars got mad about it. They resented the imputation that even a Psi U must go into a course of polite training before he was competent to tread the soil beneath the elms without being taken for a "come-on" from Swampscosset or Bean Blossom, and even then must wear his frat pin on his suspenders for fear his membership in Psi Upsilon would get out on the dear brothers at Yale. And many, we are told, remained away from the convention on this account.

We have no disposition to go further into this pathetic tale of domestic disturbance. We realize the embarrassment the Yale chapter was laboring under. We sometimes believe that we can understand how the brothers bidden to practice for their visit must feel about it. Since the Wisconsin episode gave us an insight into the innermost workings of Psi Upsilon, our regard for that organization does not amount to a passion, but out of a generous spirit that arises to the occasion we advise all members of Psi Upsilon who are out of Yale, and who are not prepared to carry themselves in accordance with the plans and specifications of this now famous circular, to go through New Haven, if they ever travel that way, by the night train. By tying a bandanna handkerchief over the face the necessity of a mask will be obviated, and if one will crawl under the seat just this side of New Haven and remain there until the tall timber on the other side of town is reached, the possibility of identification is at least remote.

President Swain, the former president of Indiana University, who is now serving in a similar capacity at Swarthmore, gave

**The Ideal
College Student.**

expression to his conception of an ideal college student in his address at the opening of the scholastic year. President Swain so well describes the ideal sought to be attained by the founders of our fraternity that his words on that point invite quotation. In part he said:

"The ideal student is not a snob in any sense of the word. He is not dependent upon his good looks or his bad looks, on the part of his hair, the style of his eye-glass, the cut of his coat, the size of the head of his cane, the shape of his boot, the presence or the absence of the shirt waist. Neither is he dependent alone upon the size of his muscle, the distance of his

jump, his speed in running, the curve of his ball or his agility and strength in football. Neither does he become a bookworm.

"He is fond of outdoor sports, but looks upon them only as a means of recreation, in order to put himself in condition for the more serious duties of life. He is systematic in his work, having regular hours for study, pleasure and recreation and allows nothing to interfere with his work. He has ideals of morals, and does everything in his power to make the moral standing of his college higher than ever before. He has high standards of work, always a higher standard than he has been able to reach, and which becomes higher with each day and year."





Bro. Jesse L. Vermillion is cashier of the Anderson Banking company, at Anderson, Ind.

Bro. Albert Porter, formerly of Atlanta, Ohio, is superintendent of schools at Conover, Ohio.

Bro. L. L. Turner, lawyer, of Seattle, has offices on the third floor of the Haller building.

Major Jno. A. Hull, Iowa Alpha, of the U. S. Army, is now stationed at Omaha, Nebraska.

Bro. E. J. Reitler, Wis. Gamma, is of the firm of Reitler & Weirick, clothiers, Beloit, Wisconsin.

Chas. T. Carpenter, Ind. Beta, is vice-president of the C. M. Condon Co. State Bank, of Coffeyville, Kansas.

Bro. Bayard G. Eckard, formerly at Easton, is now at Wilkesburg, Pa., his address being 423 Rebecca street.

E. F. Goodwin, W. Va. Alpha, '98, is principal of Shepherd College, State Normal School, at Shepardsstown, W. Va.

Chas. H. Herrick, N. Y. E., '00, continues as principal of the Manchester Union School, Manchester, N. Y., this year.

Wm. H. Boyer, Pa. Iota, is general manager of The Ammonia Company, of Philadelphia, 29th street and Gray's Ferry Road.

Bro. Ernest Hulley, formerly of Adrian, Michigan, is now with the Pere Marquette Railroad company at St. Joseph, Michigan.

Bro. W. J. Teter, of Indiana Beta, is with the Tower Hill Coal Co., with offices at Bloomington, Ind., and mines at Midland.

Bro. William K. Fellows is a member of the firm of Nimmons & Fellows, architects with offices at 1733-36 Marquette Building, Chicago.

Carl A. Nottingham, Ind. Delta, of Muncie, writes: "I read most of the fraternity journals and am pleased to say that ours is the best."

"I could not get along without 'The Shield,'" writes Brother Lawrence Flitcraft, who is in the offices of Marshall Field & Co., Chicago.

Bro. Wm. O. Weidman, N. Y. Zeta, '02, is in business with his father and is looking after interests in St. Regis Falls, Franklin county, N. Y.

Bro. Chas. B. Rider is purchasing agent of the Hecla Portland Cement and Coal Co., and the Hecla Belt Line Railroad Co at Bay City, Michigan.

Bro. F. L. Tiffany, of the law firm of Reynolds & Tiffany, of Selby, S. D., conducts an extensive real estate business in addition to his law practice.

Bro. Frank Hayden, formerly of New Harmony, Ind., is president of a company dealing in agricultural implements at 130-32 E. Pearl street, Cincinnati, Ohio.

Dr. Howard L. Hodgkins, dean of the Columbian University at Washington, a loyal Phi Psi, and one of "The Shield's" best friends, spent the summer in Europe.

M. D. Custer, Ohio Alpha, '95, is treasurer of the Novelty Advertising company, manufacturers of advertising specialties, art novelties and signs, of Coshocton, Ohio.

Judge W. F. Stevens, of Carrollton, Miss., an alumnus of Miss. Alpha, has been favorably mentioned in connection with the United States Senatorship from his state.

Dr. W. E. Henry, Ind. Beta, has recently issued a booklet entitled "The Qualifications of a Librarian" which is attracting much favorable attention in library circles.

Bro. C. Wyman Lawrence, in ordering "The Shield" sent to him at 827 University Ave., S. E., Minneapolis, writes: "The Shield" is certainly a great credit to the fraternity."

Bro. Ralph E. Lum, Chatham, N. J., New York Gamma, '99, was married on August 21 to Miss Sylvia Swinnerton at Cherry Valley, N. Y. Bro. Lum is practicing law in Newark.

Bro. J. M. Orr is president of the Orr Coal and Coke Co. with mines and offices at Newburg, W. Va. "Best wishes for 'The Shield' and Phi Kappa Psi in general," writes Bro. Orr.

Earl E. Young, Ind. Delta, '02, has entered Harvard as a Senior, and writes that the Harvard Club will be reorganized soon. Bro. Young's Cambridge address is 65 Hammond street.

One of "The Shield's" good friends, who takes an interest in extending the circulation of the fraternity journal is Bro. R. A. Welch, who is engaged in the practice of law at Keyser, W. Va.

The marriage of Bro. Chas. J. Downey, formerly of Denver, to Miss Louise M. Dickson, of Kansas City, is announced. Bro. Downey is now engaged in newspaper work at Kansas City.

Harry A. McFadden, Pa. Theta, '94, a successful attorney of Hollidaysburg, Pa., writes: "The Shield" is the brightest, neatest, prettiest and most interesting fraternal publication I have ever seen."

Bro. J. B. Blanchet, N. Y. Delta, '82, of the New York Life Insurance Co., is acting as assistant pastor of Trinity Church, Mt. Vernon, N. Y., and has had entire charge of the pastorate part of the summer.

Chas. D. Dibell, Ill. Beta, '96, sends to "The Shield" the subscription of Jos. W. Campbell, Ill. Beta, also of Joliet. Bro. Campbell is assistant secretary and resident manager of the Joliet Chair company.

Dr. Charles Hodell, Ind. Alpha, professor of English in the Baltimore Woman's College, has contributed to current magazines a number of papers on literary topics which have attracted much favorable attention.

The August "Shield" stated, erroneously, of course, that James Whitcomb Riley had been made a "bachelor of arts" by Yale. "Master of Arts" was meant. Mr. Riley has been a bachelor a long time, and a master for that matter.

Lieutenant-Colonel E. P. Thayer of the Second Indiana National Guard, an alumnus of Indiana Alpha, was one of the Indiana officers selected by the Governor of Indiana to represent the state at the Fort Riley, Kansas, maneuvers.

Bro. Wm. P. Strong, of Philadelphia, in renewing his "Shield" subscription, wishes the fraternity journal "even greater success in the future than it has had in the past." "The Shield" is a fine journal," writes Bro. Nevin O. Winter, of Toledo.

Bro. Fred Neely, Indiana Alpha, of Lima, Ohio, was seriously injured by oil drilling machinery some weeks ago, but is on the road to recovery. His brother, Milton Neely, also Indiana Alpha, has entered Purdue for a post graduate course.

"The Shield" acknowledges a Pike's Peak greeting from Jesse R. Heeb, of Chicago, Ned Blake, of Terre Haute, Ind., and John Matthews, of Ellettsville, Ind., Indiana Alpha Phi Psi who spent a part of the month of September touring the Rockies.

Judge Henry Bannon, of Portsmouth, Ohio, a loyal Phi Psi, is brother-in-law to General Jacob Smith, and has been active in the movement to secure a remission of the censure imposed upon the Ohio soldier for making things interesting for the insurgents in the Philippines.

Col. E. B. Hay, D. C. Alpha, was chairman of the committee on music for the national G. A. R. encampment recently held at Washington, and started a discussion on the propriety of "rag-time" music as a feature of the parade which raged all over the country for a time.

Joseph M. Wolfe, Pa. Gamma, late instructor in mathematics in Vermont Academy, has received a similar appointment at Bucknell University, at which Bro. Gretzinger is registrar. The total attendance at Bucknell this year, Bro. Gretzinger writes, is about six hundred.

Bro. W. T. Collan is publisher and Bro. John Curtiss business manager of the American Weekly, "a journal devoted to religion, literature and social progress," published at 817-820 Association building, Chicago. Bro. F. H. Robertson is advertising manager of the publication.

Bro. John C. Kirtland, Jr., of Phillips Exeter Academy, writes: "I read 'The Shield' with even greater interest than in my college days, and this is largely due to the interest and attractiveness of the magazine itself. In both these respects it seems to me to improve steadily."

W. H. Sudduth, Neb. Alpha, '95, secretary and treasurer of the W. J. Jennison Co., merchant millers of Minneapolis, Minn., writes: "'The Shield' certainly is a credit to the fraternity and deserves growing and continued support. I want to be considered a life subscriber."

Hon. John L. Griffiths, Iowa Alpha, of Indianapolis, was assigned to take a very prominent part in the speaking campaign of the Indiana republicans, but owing to injuries received while alighting from a railway train, he has been "laid up" since the middle of September.

Bro. B. F. Hall, of Palo Alto, California, reported some weeks ago that Bro. Edw. A. Wilcox, Cal. Alpha, '88, and Bro. Samuel G. Thompson, Cal. Alpha, '87, were rival candidates for the republican nomination for district attorney in Santa Clara county, but failed to give the result of the contest.

Bro. Edgar B. Glatz, who is with the offices of the Howe Scales Co. at 341 Broadway, New York City, writes: "Allow me to express my appreciation of the steady improvement in the general appearance and tone of 'The Shield.' I look forward with much pleasure to its monthly issuance this year."

Carl F. Endicott, Ind. Beta, who has had charge of the educational department of the Jeffersonville state reformatory, has taken charge of the banking establishment of A. Wasmuth & Son at Andrews, Ind. It is always better to go from a penitentiary to a bank than from a bank to the penitentiary.

W. C. Gretzinger, Pa. Gamma, Registrar of Bucknell University and former editor of "The Shield" saw service this summer in the Pennsylvania strike region with the Twelfth Regiment N. G. P., of which he is adjutant. The Philadelphia Press of August 31st presented a picture of Bro. "Gretz" with a group of brother officers.

Arba T. Perry, a well known alumnus of Indiana Gamma, formerly of Indianapolis, is now at San Francisco as the general agent of the State Life Insurance Co., of Indianapolis. "He is a very welcome addition to our Phi Psi colony here," writes Bro. E. M. Pomeroy, general agent of the Pennsylvania lines at San Francisco.

Thirty-three years ago ex-Congressman Charles L. Henry, Ind. Alpha, '72, was present at the initiation of Archibald Shaw, '72, same chapter. On the night of September 27th, this year, Bro. Henry happened to be present at the initiation of Bro. Shaw's second Phi Psi son into the chapter, Mr. Henry's son being initiated on the same occasion.

Bro. R. B. Tenney, secretary and treasurer of the Alpha Electrical Construction Co., 29-31 Gold street, New York, writes: "Congratulations are due on Volume 22 of 'The Shield.' I always look forward to receiving it with the greatest pleasure." Bro. Tenney has recently recovered from an operation for appendicitis.

Hon. Jas. L. Norris, of Washington, promises to secure in the near future a photograph of the Phi Kappa Psi American elm, planted at Mt. Vernon on the fiftieth anniversary of the founding of the fraternity. Alpha Delta Phi followed the Phi Psi example by planting a tree at Mt. Vernon during the national convention of the society at the national capital last summer.

A marriage of Phi Psi interest occurring in August was that of Bro. Orin D. Walker, former assistant editor of "The Shield" to Miss Stella Hawkins, of Brazil, Indiana, a college classmate and member of Kappa Kappa Gamma. Bro. Walker is at the head of the legal department of an Indianapolis Trust and Surety company.

Bro. F. Homer Curtiss, director of the gymnasium at the University of Texas, writes under date of September 30th: "Bro. Burr, Ohio Delta, flew in last night on the wings of a norther, and will spend a few days here on his way to California. Everything is coming our way here this year; we will win the southern championship in football in a walk."

"The Shield" takes pleasure in announcing the marriage on September 24th of Bro. William R. Vance, Va. Beta, well known in the fraternity as a useful member of the E. C. a few years ago. The bride was formerly Miss Anne Wilmer Hume, of Chapel Hill, N. C. Bro. Vance is connected with his alma mater—Washington and Lee University.

Winthrop E. Scarritt, Ind. Alpha, of East Orange, N. J., president of the American Automobile Association and connected with New York banking institutions has presented to his alma mater a fountain, to be erected on the campus in honor of his brother, the late Bro. E. L. Scarritt, of the same chapter. Bro.

Scarritt has also given five hundred dollars to the chapter house fund of Indiana Alpha.

L. V. Buskirk, Indiana Delta, well known to all Council-goers, has been elected by the Supreme Council of the Sovereign Grand Lodge of Masonry to the 33rd degree of the Ancient and Accepted Scottish Rite. Only about fifty such degrees have ever been conferred in the state, and the genial postmaster and ex-mayor of the college town of Bloomington is naturally feeling proud of the honor.

The Brown and Bigelow company, of St. Paul, is a good deal of a Phi Psi affair. Bro. Maughn, Minn. Beta, '99, is their agent for Ohio and Indiana; Bro. Sickles, Wis. Gamma, covers Illinois; Bro. Wyman Lawrence, Minn. Beta, '01, represents the company in Minnesota, North and South Dakota, while Bro. Francis H. Robertson, Ill. Beta, with Bro. Claypool as his assistant, is the Chicago representative of the concern.

Prof. Oscar Lovell Triggs, Minn. Beta, of Chicago University, is the author of a recently published book entitled: "Chapters in the History of the Arts and Crafts Movement." Dr. Triggs discusses the influence of Thomas Carlyle upon Ruskin, and of Ruskin upon Morris. It is described by one competent critic as "an entirely delightful book." It is published by the Bohemian Guild of the Industrial Art League, Chicago.

An effort is being made to make the annual banquet of the Indiana alumni at Indianapolis on the night before Thanksgiving an event of unusual interest. The attendance is usually well along toward one hundred, and it is hoped to make it much larger this year. Phi Psis from anywhere who are or can arrange to be in Indianapolis on the night of November 26 are cordially invited to attend. It is likely that on the following day the Universities of Indiana and Illinois will try issues on the gridiron in Indianapolis.

There was no more interested listener at Music Hall last Saturday evening when James E. Watson spoke than Emerson Ballard. Said Mr. Ballard: "Jim Watson and I were in DePauw together, belonged to the same class, same fraternity and same literary society. I never knew a speaker who retained the peculiarities of his college days as Jim does. In gesture, intonation and expression, he is the same old Jim."—Crawfordsville Journal, September 26th.

The great success of the administration of Dr. L. H. Murlin, a loyal Phi Psi, as president of Baker University, at Baldwin, Kansas, continues. The enrollment this year will reach 860, and there are more matriculates in the college proper than in this department of any other institution southwest of Chicago. When Dr. Murlin was elected president at Baker in 1898 the attendance was 512. Some handsome new buildings have recently been erected, and the endowment considerably increased.

Bro. Chas. B. Koonce, of the law firm of Murray & Koonce, of Youngstown, Ohio, writes: "Volume twenty-two of "The Shield" bears evidence of much painstaking and the new features therein contained, in my opinion, are a great improvement thereto. The fullness of the department under the head "Phi Kappa Psi Notes" is an especially attractive improvement to the alumnus who relies on his fraternity magazine to keep informed as to the doings and whereabouts of his erstwhile friends."

Col. Edwin P. Thayer, Ind. Alpha, of Greenfield, Ind., has been elected a member of the Indiana republican state committee from the congressional district represented by Bro. Watson. On the state committee he is associated with Bro. Geo. Cunningham, Ind. Alpha, of Evansville, representing the first district, and James P. Goodrich, of Winchester, chairman of the committee. The son of Chairman W. H. O'Brien of the democratic state committee, is a Purdue Phi Psi. The editor of "The Shield" has charge of the press bureau of the republican state committee.

A leading newspaper of the Middle West says of Northwestern's new Phi Psi president: "The trend of the times is indicated by the fact that President James, of Northwestern University, has established a collegiate course of finance and commerce for young men who desire to go into business on their graduation from college and not into the professions. There has never been a time in the history of the world when there was so large a demand for well equipped, scientifically educated young men in commercial circles. The innovation at Northwestern will prove a frightful shock to classical antiquities, but its success or failure will soon prove whether it meets the demands of the present age of active business."

A Greencastle, Indiana, dispatch under date of September 26th, says: Judge Colliver this afternoon dismissed the case of the Phi Kappa Psi fraternity against John T. Edwards, treasurer of Putnam county, in which members of the fraternity brought suit trying to enjoin the treasurer from collecting taxes from them as assessed against their property. The case was dismissed because the witnesses for the fraternity refused to answer questions propounded to them, which they claimed to be secrets of the fraternity. Judge Colliver held that the questions should be answered and refused to sustain the plaintiff in their plea that they would be divulging secrets of the fraternity and because of their refusal to answer dismissed the case.

John Matthews, Indiana Alpha, of Ellettsville, Ind., writes: "I look forward to 'The Shield' as I do a letter from a dear friend, and enjoy reading it as much. I have just returned from a trip to Colorado with Jesse Heeb, Indiana Alpha, '97. We met Ned Blake, Indiana Alpha, '99 at Manitou, and we there had a delightful time together for several days. At Denver we met Bro. Sommerfield, and he told us the Phi Psis were numer-

ous and well organized in Colorado. At Pueblo we chanced to meet on a street car Bro. Joe Downey, of Cornell chapter. On our return we spent a few very pleasant days with Bro. Will Lockwood at Omaha." Bro. Matthews is a member of the firm of J. E. Matthews & Co., which conducts a department store at Ellettsville.

Bro. A. J. Gould is with the advertising department of the Western Methodist Book Concern, with offices at room 600, 57 Washington street, Chicago. Bro. Gould writes: "It was my good fortune a couple of weeks ago to meet Bro. Guy H. Hubbard, ex-archon of the second district. Bro. Hubbard is now on the vaudeville stage and is meeting with unusual success. He is with Homer Mason & Co., and had been in Chicago three weeks before I learned through Bro. Roy Eckstrom that he was here. I looked him up and took him to our Thursday Phi Psi luncheon. His company will continue their trip westward to the coast and have received a flattering offer to go to England and present their sketch at the most prominent vaudeville houses there." Later in his trip Bro. Hubbard visited Indianapolis, and was greeted by brothers there.

Bro. Maurice L. Alden, Kansas Alpha and D. C. Alpha, now of the law firm of McAnany & Alden, Husted building, Kansas City, writes: "There is no publication that deserves more unanimous and hearty support than 'The Shield.' Under your management it certainly is one of the most attractive sheets that comes under my observation. Every issue has something of special interest to me. I often wonder if that is the experience of every alumnus. In the August number two items especially attract my attention. One is sad news and the other glad; but so goes the world. The first is the announcement of the death of Harl Myers whom I learned to know so well while an undergraduate. The other is the article about James C. Kelsey, whom I helped initiate. Well do I remember how 'Jim' refused invitations to join from every frat in school, but held off until he got the invitation he wanted, that of Phi Kappa Psi."

A Greenwood, Miss., press dispatch, under date of August 7th, says: "Hon. W. T. Rush died at Durant yesterday afternoon at 3 o'clock, after an illness of many months. Mr. Rush had lived here for twenty years, having come from Kemper county, where he was sheriff for one or two terms in the early 80's. He was very successful as a lawyer, and amassed a fortune. He was also prominent as a business man and politician, having represented this senatorial district in the Mississippi Legislature for four years, from 1892 to 1896. About four years ago his health failed and his death was not a surprise to his friends. His remains were carried to his old home in Kemper county for interment. It is interesting to note that among the bequests of this man, who was a typical Southerner and the son of slaveholding parents, was one of a thousand dollars to his negro ser-

vant, Ben Davis, who had served him long and faithfully." Mr. Rush was an alumnus of Mississippi Alpha.

Bro. Fred B. Terrell, Pa. Kappa, writes from San Antonio, where he is in the office of the Hon. Henry Terrell, United States attorney for the western district of Texas: "I called on Bro. A. W. Houston, Tenn. Eeta, '69, and had a very interesting time. He tells me that he lost his badge for fourteen years. One day



EDMUND JAYNES JAMES, III. Alpha, '73.

Inaugurated President Northwestern University, June 1902.

he found in his stable a pin point sticking through the ground. He pulled it up and found his badge on the end. The enamel was as good as new and the badge never had to be repaired. Bro. Houston says that his lot was filled in and a new house built in those fourteen years, so that the finding seemed miraculous.....Texas state university is a big institution and the sooner Phi Kappa Psi gets there the better. They have plenty

of money there, and fine instructors, so they are sure to succeed. There are about one thousand students there and only five or six fraternities, so there is plenty of room for one like our Phi Psi." By the way, D. K. E. is about to enter this institution.

At the last meeting of the board of trustees of the University of Mississippi they adopted a resolution with reference to college fraternities at the institution, introduced by a fraternity man, W. B. Walker, Delta Tau Delta. It was decided that no chapters shall in future be established without authorization from the faculty; all the fraternities shall meet on the grounds, and not oftener than every two weeks; no student shall be pledged to the fraternity until he has been in the university eight weeks or unless he has completed one year's study; before a student is matriculated he shall affirm that he has not been pledged to a secret order; any fraternity violating these rules shall be debarred from the privileges of the fraternity. These rules seem drastic, especially as applied to a state institution, but are necessary concessions to the same sort of anti-fraternity prejudice which dictated the abolition of the fraternity system at the University of Arkansas. F. J. Guynes, Miss. Alpha, led the fight against the proposed extermination of the fraternities at Mississippi.

In the August number of "The Shield" in an article on "Phi Psis in the Chautauqua Movement" it was stated that a "Company called the Chautauqua Institution has been incorporated under the laws of New York with a capitalization of one hundred thousand dollars." Bro. Frank Bray, editor of "The Chautauquan," writes: "The fact is that the Chautauqua Institution represents an investment of about eight hundred and fifty-six thousand dollars. It is only the publishing end of the institution's work which now comes under a separate incorporation as the 'Chautauqua Press,' with a capitalization of one hundred thousand dollars. 'Chautauqua' is so much larger than the 'Press' that it is misrepresented by the statement you have made. The 'Chautauqua Press' represents additional and separate capitalization of \$100,000. The Chautauqua Institution is a regularly chartered educational institution without capitalization; its investment value is made up of real estate, property and endowment funds. Consequently your statement may mislead in two particulars. One might get the idea that it was incorporated as a money-making institution, which is not true; one might also get the idea that Chautauqua was not very large after all if its capitalization were covered by only one hundred thousand dollars. The Chautauqua Press, with \$100,000 capitalization, leases the right to publish all Chautauqua publications for ten years."

The following item was taken from the Pittsburg Post of September 30: Invitations issued by Representative William Hasson and Mrs. Hasson, of Oil City, for the marriage of their daughter, Miss Jessie C. Hasson, to Dr. M. Delmar Ritchie, of Pittsburg,

reached here yesterday. The wedding is to be a large and fashionable affair in St. Joseph's Church, of Oil City, Wednesday, October 8, at noon. Following the ceremony a wedding breakfast will be served at the bride's home and an afternoon reception held.

Miss Hasson will have but one attendant, her sister, Miss Mary Hasson, and Mayor James Hasson, a brother of the bride, will be Dr. Ritchie's best man. The ushers will be Dr. Carl Williams, of Philadelphia; Benson B. Sloan, of New York; Edward Cheney, of Philadelphia, Dr. Davis A. Dean, John S. Koehl and Phillips Hill, of Pittsburg, and Eugene Liebel, of Oil City.

Dr. Ritchie was born in Philadelphia in 1874 and is a graduate of Lafayette college and of the University of Pennsylvania Medical School, class of 1898. While there he took a prominent part in the athletic sports of the college and was captain of the university football team, of which Dr. Williams, one of the ushers, was coach. Dr. Ritchie was also a coach of the Franklin and Marshall team, and of the University of Vermont, '98 and '99 respectively. He is a member of the University club of this city, and of the Edgeworth golf club, and has an extensive social as well as professional acquaintance.

Miss Hasson is a member of a representative Pennsylvania family. Her father, Captain Hasson, has served for several terms in the state legislature, and she has been identified with the official life of Washington as well as the state capital. She was educated at Rye seminary and is a musician of considerable ability. At home cards accompanying the invitations announce dates after November 1 at 5723 Fifth avenue, Pittsburg.

Dr. Ritchie is a leading Phi Psi, a member of Pa. Iota.





"The Shield" will publish in each issue the names of those alumni who have paid their subscriptions to the fraternity journal since last publication. This will serve as a receipt to paid-up subscribers, and at the same time as a directory of "live" alumni. This custom was inaugurated at the beginning of Volume 21, and consultation of the various lists will show members of the active chapters and secretaries of alumni associations which of their members are and are not subscribers, and enable them to conduct an intelligent campaign for the increase of "The Shield" subscription list. Corrections of names and addresses as printed in these lists are invited, and any person having paid since last issue, whose name does not appear, should make immediate inquiry of "The Shield" office in order to receive proper credit.

The following named alumni have paid subscriptions to "The Shield" since last publication of the list in the August number, up to October 1st.

- C. C. McCown, 46 Dharmatala St., Calcutta, India, 23.
 George Walker Williams, 227 Locust St., Johnstown, Pa., 23.
 F. S. Love, Johnstown, Pa., 22.
 Jas. S. Gallagher, Vine St., Johnstown, Pa., 23.
 R. A. Welsh, Keyser, W. Va., 23.
 M. D. Custer, Coshocton, Ohio, 22.
 W. H. Sudduth, Minneapolis, Minn., 22.
 H. N. Seigenthaler, Springfield, Ohio, 22.
 David Halstead, Philadelphia, Pa., 22.
 Rev. Philip A. Job, Bremen, Ind., 23.
 George W. Ross, Chicago, Ill., 22.
 C. J. Fulton, Tarentum, Pa., 23.
 Jno. J. Bower, Bellefonte, Pa., 22.
 David Blair, Indiana, Pa., 22.
 Lincoln M. Coy, Chicago, Ill., 22.
 Frank W. Rommell, Philadelphia, Pa., 22.
 J. C. Kirtland, Jr., Exeter, N. H., 22.
 A. B. Robinson, Marysville, Ohio, 22.
 G. F. Endicott, 760 63rd Court, Chicago, 22 and 23.
 Jno. L. Porter, Pittsburg, 22.
 Chas. D. Dibell, Joliett, Ill., 22.
 Jos. W. Campbell, 108 Richards St., Joliett, Ill., 23.
 Harry A. McFadden, Holidaysburg, Pa., 23.
 F. S. Monnett, Columbus, Ohio, 22.
 Carl A. Nottingham, Muncie, Ind., 22.
 Wm. R. Fellows, 1733-36 Marquette Building, Chicago, Ill., 22.
 R. B. Tenney, 29-31 Gold St., New York City, 22 and 23.
 Geo. D. McIlwaine, Pittsburg, Pa., 22.
 H. M. Barrett, Denver, Col., 22.
 Lawrence Flitcraft, care Marshall Field & Co., Chicago, Ill., 23.
 C. W. Clement, 918 F St., N. W., Washington, D. C., 22 and 23.
 W. A. Atkinson, Perry, N. Y., 22.
 A. M. Palmer, Stroudsburg, Pa., 22.
 J. Q. Naret, Saranac Lake, N. Y., 22.
 Chas. Koonce, Jr., Youngstown, Ohio, 22.
 Maurice L. Alden, Kansas City, Mo., 22 and 23.
 Province M. Pogue, Cincinnati, Ohio, 22.
 L. V. Buskirk, Bloomington, Ind., 22.
 James W. Johnston, 461 E. 42nd St., Chicago, 22.
 L. T. Turner, Seattle, Wash., 22 and 23.
 E. F. Goodwin, Shepherdstown, W. Va., 23.
 D. C. Babbit, Morristown, N. J., 22.
 H. B. Burnett, Indianapolis, Ind., 22.
 A. E. Swinney, Gulfport, Miss., 23.
 Dr. E. H. LeMerle, Washington, D. C., 22.
 C. B. Rider, Bay City, Mich., 22.
 Maj. Jno. C. Hull, Army Headquarters, Omaha, Neb., 22.
 R. F. Crawford, Santa Rosa, Cal., to January, '03.

- George F. Lindsay, 211 College Ave., Davenport, Iowa, 23.
 C. N. Kalk, Milwaukee, Wis., 23.
 S. A. McClurg, 1180 Murray Hill Ave., Pittsburg, Pa., 23, 24 and 25.
 W. W. Kennedy, care German American Insurance Co., Liberty
 and Nassau Sts., New York, 23.
 Albert Porter, Conover, Ohio, 22 and 23.
 L. R. Alexander, Lewis Building, Pittsburg, Pa., 22.
 Fred C. Tiffany, Selby, S. D., 22.
 S. D. Brooks, St. Paul, Minn., 21 and 22.
 A. J. Gould, 57 Washington St., Chicago, Ill.
 E. N. Hulley, 1005 State St., St. Joseph, Michigan, 22 and 23.
 C. H. Morse, Jr., Chicago, Ill., 22.
 B. F. Hall, 131 Union Ave., Palo Alto, Cal., 22.
 Fred Weimer, Indianapolis, Ind., 21 and 22.
 C. H. Tangeman, New York City, 22.
 Earl E. Young, 65 Hammond St., New York City, 23.
 Dr. Henry G. Ohls, Odell, Ill., 22.
 Harry S. Williams, Oneida, N. Y., 23.
 B. G. Eckard, 423 Rebecca St., Wilkensburg, Pa., 22.
 Edgar B. Glatz, 341 Broadway, New York City, 22 and 23.
 Wm. P. String, 2436 30th St., No. Philadelphia, Pa., to March, '03.
 Edgar M. Hagar, Chicago, Ill., 22.
 Nevin O. Winter, Toledo, Ohio, 21 and 22.
 C. Wyman Lawrence, 827 University Ave., S. E., Minneapolis,
 Minn., 22.
 H. C. Hodgkins, Columbian University, Washington, D. C., 22, 23.
 L. S. Holmes, Woodcliff, N. J., Weehawken, P. O., 22.
 W. J. Teter, Midland, Ind., 22.
 Joseph R. Colby, Newport, Vt., 22.
 Wallace W. Miller, Sunnyside, Wash., 23.
 Horace W. Dresser, 294 Grange Ave., Brooklyn, N. Y., 23.
 Jno. Matthews, Ellettsville, Ind., 22 and 23.
 J. A. McClane, Box 232, Washington, Pa., 23.
 Walter E. Ervin, Muncie, Ind., 23.
 Jos. C. McClure, Omaha, Neb., to March, '03.
 F. Homer Curtiss, Austin, Texas, 23.
 Hon. H. H. Bingham, Philadelphia, Pa., 22.
 J. M. Orr, Newburg, W. Va., 23.
 J. F. McCoy, Lancaster, Pa., 23.
 H. G. Leberthon, Brooklyn, N. Y., 23 and 24.
 E. H. Aldrich, Providence, R. I., 23.
 John Howard, Duquesne, Pa., 23.
 Dr. Bernard Wolff, Atlanta, Ga., 23.

Names of New Subscribers.

- J. F. Guynes, Miss. Alpha, Hazlehurst, Miss.
 Joe H. Mize, Miss. Alpha, Forrest, Miss.
 Fred B. Cross, Mass. Alpha, 35 Matton St., Springfield, Mass.
 Wm. O. Weidmann, St. Regis Falls, N. Y.
 Wallace W. Miller, Wis. Alpha, Sunnyside, Wash.
 Dr. Lemuel H. Murlin, Ind. Alpha, Baldwin, Kansas.
 J. A. McClane, Box 232, Washington, Pa.
 A. A. Small, Ind. Alpha, Anderson, Ind.
 J. K. VanVranken, Hempstead, L. I., N. Y.
 T. Bayne Marshall, 305 Locust St., Allegheny, Pa.
 Wm A. Drake, Ind. Delta, Lafayette, Ind.
 Chas. B. Hole, 34 Nassau St., New York City.
 Ferde Fisher, Ind. Alpha, care Sun, Indianapolis, Ind.
 Jas. S. Gallagher, Vine St., Johnstown, Pa.
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 Jno. H. Serviss, Mass. Alpha, 100 Convent Ave., New York City.
 Richard B. Hussey, Mass. Alpha, 50 Mall St., Lynn, Mass.
 Arthur B. Hitchcock, Jr., 41 Williams St., Brooklyn, Mass.
 Geo. W. Stewart, 109 Huestis St., Ithaca, N. Y.
 B. T. Gibson, Tunnelton, Preston Co., W. Va.
 H. H. Hess, 1542 Fairview Ave., Wichita, Kansas.
 Russell B. Armor, M. D., Crafton, Pa.
 C. C. Steinberger, Okolona, Miss.
 M. E. Richards, Hibbing, Minn., care Stevenson Mine Co.
 Geo. G. Hurst, Florence, Miss.
 Byron S. Howard, Hibbing, Minn.
 B. C. Bowen, Beaumont, Texas.
 A. P. Henshaw, 79 State St., Brooklyn, N. Y.
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 Jas. McMahan, 7 Central Ave., Ithaca, N. Y.
 Phil M. Leakin, 156 Broadway, New York, N. Y.

Allen Smith, Galveston, Texas.
 Percival Parrish, 810 Pine St., Philadelphia, Pa.
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 Clare M. Linscott, 702 Gov't St., Mobile, Ala.
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Massachusetts Alpha.

Rev. Herbert C. Ide, '98, is assistant pastor of the South Church, New Britain, Conn. During the summer he has had entire charge of the pastorate.

Rev. John P. Garfield, '98, is pastor of the Congregational Church in Enfield, Conn. Both Bro. Ide and Bro. Garfield graduated from the Hartford Theological Seminary last June.

Lawrence F. Ladd, '00, whose business address is 40 Dey street, New York City, has announced his engagement to Miss Elizabeth T. Nims of Leominster, Mass., a graduate of Mt. Holyoke College in the class of 1900. It is whispered that wedding bells will chime in November.

Festus H. Foster, Jr., '99, has given up teaching in Mercersburg, Pa., and is now with Downing, Taylor & Co., wholesale produce dealers in Springfield, Mass. His home address is 44 High street.

Philip A. Job, '00, a student of the Hartford Theological Seminary, has been occupying the pulpit at the Congregational Church in Bremen, Ind., during the summer.

Richard B. Hussey, '00, is now with the General Electric Co., Lynn, Mass. His address is 50 Wall street.

Edwin L. Harris, '00, is in business with his father in South Deerfield, Mass. He is married and the father of a bouncing boy, which won the 1900 class cup.

F. H. Allen, '02, who took the Kent prize of \$100 in English Literature last commencement, is taking a postgraduate course of study in Germany.

H. C. Barber, '02, is teaching in Gates Academy, Lehigh, Neb.

F. L. Boyden, '02, has been appointed principal of the Deerfield Academy, Deerfield, Mass.

J. H. Frizzell, '02, is teaching in the Pennsylvania State College.

C. A. Lincoln, '02, is in the Hartford Theological Seminary, Hartford, Conn.

Frank A. Cook, '02, has accepted a position as secretary to the superintendent of the Manhattan Elevated Railroad, New York, at the 74th street office.

Illinois Alpha.

Bro. W. D. Nash, Illinois Alpha, is at present in the stock business with the firm of W. L. Beckwith & Co., LaSalle street, Chicago.

Bros. Edwin Balmer, '02, Ill. Alpha, and Earl Johnson, '04, Ill. Alpha, have entered Harvard University this fall. Bro. Balmer, who graduated with the highest honors at Northwestern last June and won the distinction of being the youngest Phi Beta Kappa man in the United States, will take postgraduate work, while Bro. Johnson will take the regular course, entering as a junior. They expect to immediately affiliate themselves with the Harvard Phi Psi club.

Tennis seems to be especially popular with the Phi Psis around Chicago. At a recent team match between the Edgewater and the Evanston Tennis clubs, out of sixteen players participating seven were Phi Psis. With the exception of one, Bro. Morley, '05, Wis. Alpha, all were alumni or active members of Illinois Alpha. Bro. Joe Moulding proved that he had lost none of his old time cunning. Bro. Morley, though a young player, showed himself a "comer" in the many tournaments around the city, and in a few years even

the best of them will have to watch out for Eber. Bros. Johnson and Moore represented Northwestern University in the Western Intercollegiate tournament last spring on both singles and doubles.

Bro. C. W. Hillman, Pa. Zeta, auditor of the Chicago Metropolitan Elevated Road, was confined to his home for six weeks this summer with an attack of typhoid fever. Bro. Hillman resides in Evanston and has two popular daughters, both Delta Gammas, attending the Northwestern University. He takes a great interest in the local chapter of Phi Psi, and the boys of Illinois Alpha insist that they have adopted him for all time.

Bro. Justin Trelease, Ill. Alpha, ex-'01, has become a full fledged dry goods merchant. Together with his brother he owns and runs a large dry goods store in Lowell, Ind. From the air of prosperity which he wears when he visits Chicago on a buying trip, it might be inferred that he would soon rival Marshall Field in his chosen line.

Bro. A. J. Gould, Ind. Beta and Illinois Alpha, is one of the goodly number of Phi Psis in the advertising business. He is in the advertising department of the Western Methodist Book Concern and has done himself proud in his first year at the work. Bro. Gould travels extensively over the Middle West, meeting with Phi Psis individually and collectively in chapters, and always comes away from such meetings more enthusiastic over the fraternity than ever.

Bro. Hugh Mac Lean, N. H. Alpha, '05, spent the summer in Evanston, Ill., his home, and while there became acquainted with the large number of local Phi Psis. Bro. Mac Lean is a capital fellow, and the boys in Evanston thank N. H. Alpha for adding him to the list of the brothers in that classic town.

Rhode Island Alpha.

Three of our alumni are located in Providence, while two have gone to other institutions to pursue their course of study.

Bro. Frederick Gabbi, '02, has a position with the Industrial Trust company.

Bro. Edward K. Aldrich, '02, is studying law with a lawyer in the city.

Bro. Joseph Ince, '02, is assisting in chemistry here at Brown.

Bro. Thurman M. L. McPhail, '02, has entered Newton Theological Seminary.

Bro. Charles H. Holt, '02, has entered the Harvard Medical College.

New York Beta.

Harry S. Williams, Contributor.

The Syracuse Herald is running a series of pictures of "Young Men, of Syracuse, the men who are to bear the burden of the city's work in the next generation." No. 1 of the series was Bro. Harry J. Clark, N. Y. Alpha, '95, who is chief engineer of the trolley lines being built between Syracuse and Utica, N. Y. No. 7 was Bro. Edward H. Krauss, N. Y. Beta, '96. Bro. Krauss has recently resigned his position as associate professor of mineralogy in Syracuse University and will have charge of the science department of the Syracuse high school. Bro. Krauss was married last June to Miss Lena Huffman of Syracuse.

Bro. Alexander Ashley, Pa. Zeta, has recently taken up his residence in Syracuse. He has charge of the new weather bureau recently established there.

Bro. Maxwell G. Phillips, Ind. Alpha., has been making things lively at the chapter house of N. Y. Beta during the summer. "Phil" is insuring lives and conducting Phi Psi smokers.

Bro. Frederick B. Jones, N. Y. Epsilon, '00, was married to Miss Katherine Barden, of Bellona, N. Y., July 15th.

Washington Alumni Association

Charles W. Clement, Contributor.

The Washington Alumni Association is about to inaugurate a series of dinners for the coming winter, and all itinerant Phi Psis who expect to visit the Capital City should attend these dinners, if pos-

sible. We hope these meetings will have a tendency to draw the brothers closer together and engender a truer Phi Psi spirit.

Our genial and jovial president, Bro. Aldis B. Brown, D. C. Alpha, has started on an extended trip to the western coast. Bro. Brown is a corporation lawyer, has a large and lucrative practice, and is conceded to be one of the foremost lawyers of the District of Columbia.

Bro. H. B. Deale, Pa. Zeta, has been elected to the faculty of the medical school of Columbian University.

Bro. Frederick K. Powers, Va. Delta, has completed his 27th year as pastor of the Christian Church.

Bro. H. L. Hodgkins, D. C. Alpha, is dean of the Corcoran scientific school of Columbian University.

Bro. John H. Blackwood, Pa. Gamma, is private secretary to director of census, and dramatic editor of the Washington Times.

Bro. W. S. Shallenberger, Pa. Gamma, is second assistant postmaster general.

Among the most prominent Phi Psis who are practicing before the U. S. Patent Office are: Bro. James L. Norris, Pa. Zeta; Bro. H. H. Bliss, Pa. Gamma; Bro. C. L. Sturtevant, D. C. Alpha; Bro. C. A. Snow, Va. Delta.

Bro. C. N. Anderson, D. C. Alpha, is third assistant examiner in the U. S. Patent Office.

Bro. H. C. McCartney, Pa. Theta, is an assistant examiner in the U. S. Patent Office.

Bro. D. N. Houston, Pa. Zeta, is coaching the Columbian University football team.

Bro. Herman Suter, Pa. Alpha, is coaching the football team of Georgetown University.

New York Alumni Association

Walter A. Dyer, Contributor.

The New York Alumni Association has again opened up activities. The first meeting and dinner of the season was held at The Arena on Monday evening, September 29. Meetings will be held on the third Monday in every month until next June, and visiting Phi Psis are cordially welcome. Several matters are to be accomplished this winter, including a revision and publication of the roster of New York Phi Psis, and a draughting of a new set of by-laws.

We are constantly finding new brothers in the great city and there were several new faces at this meeting. At least seventeen chapters were represented. The largest delegation was from Mass. Alpha, four in all. Brothers F. A. Cook and L. F. Ladd of that chapter are recent arrivals in town. From the other end of the country we had Bro. Scott, of Cal. Alpha and the San Francisco Alumni Association. A select coterie of Neb. Alpha brothers has been brought to light, and three of them were with us. They were Bros. Wilson, Imhoff and Korzmeyer.

In spite of the grand good time that we had, a spirit of sadness pervaded the meeting. Our beloved president and brother, Dr. Bang, was at the deathbed of his wife. Mrs. Bang died shortly after midnight the following morning. The heartfelt sympathy of the entire association was with Bro. Bang, not only because of the affection in which we hold him, but because many of the brothers knew Mrs. Bang. She was a lovable woman and a devoted wife, and in her the fraternity has lost a loyal Phi Psi sister.

Johnstown Alumni Association

F. S. Love, Contributor.

The Johnstown Alumni Association can well look back with pleasure and satisfaction on the summer just passed. Two gatherings, a banquet and an outing were held, that brought together the Phi Psis in this section and cultivated a truer and more loyal devotion to the fraternity.

On the night of July 14 the semi-annual banquet was held. This meeting was the occasion of bringing together a number of Phi Psis, representing many different chapters, and a rousing good time was enjoyed. Those present were: Bros. Kooser, Pa. Alpha, Bies-ecker, Pa. Alpha, of Somerset; Bro. Nesbit, Pa. Alpha, of Pittsburg; Bro. Tremer, Pa. Alpha, of Greensburg; Bro. Evans, Pa. Zeta, of

Ebensburg; Bros. Greer, Pa. Zeta, Linton, Pa. Zeta, Campbell, Pa. Zeta, Smith, N. Y. Beta, Williams, Pa. Zeta, Keedy, Pa. Zeta, Love, Pa. Zeta, Woods, Pa. Eta, Longwell, Cal. Beta, Penrod, Pa. Eta, and Foster, Maryland Alpha, of Johnstown. A business meeting was held from eight to nine when the company adjourned to the banquet hall. The table was tastefully decorated and over each chair hung a Phi Kappa Psi pennant. After the brothers had indulged in an elaborate feast, cigars were passed around and with Bro. Green as toastmaster the following toasts were responded to: "Phi Psi Tin Soldiers," Bro. Kooser; "Alumni Associations," Bro. Biesecker; "The Mother Chapter," Bro. Nesbit; "Oriole Phi Psis," Bro. Foster; "Gridiron and Diamond," Bro. Tremer; "Scenes at the Capital," Bro. Evans; "Quaker Phi Kappa Psis," Bro. Longwell; "Pittsburg G. A. C.," Bro. Love. Remarks were also made by the other brothers.

The first annual "outing" was held at Somerset on August 26, and the entire day was one to be long remembered by all who were present. The Somerset Phi Psis, who had charge of the outing, left nothing undone to make the day a success, and that their efforts were not in vain was shown by the fact that every one who was there declared that he "had the time of his life." Those in attendance were: Bro. Rev. E. Trossal, D. D., Pa. Alpha, '69, and his son, Bro. Trossal, Pa. Alpha, '04, of Myersdale; Bros. Biesecker, Kooser, E. M. Love and Hay, of Somerset; Bros. Frank Love, Greer, Campbell, Foster, Tremer and Keedy of Johnstown. The party from Johnstown was met at the station by the Somerset brothers. Carriages were in waiting and the drive to Trent, a village ten miles away, was made in quick time. On arriving at Trent the crowd decided that a ball game was in order. Sides were chosen, the one captained by Bro. Campbell, the other by Bro. Tremer. The result of the game was a victory for Bro. Campbell's team, the score being six to four. Several features of this contest deserve to be mentioned, in particular the playing of Bro. Trossal, Sr. Though years have passed since the reverend doctor played ball, nevertheless he showed that he had lost none of his youthful skill. He caught a high foul and knocked a home run with the bases full. Bro. E. M. Love made some brilliant attempts to catch fouls, which, while not successful, were most graceful and highly diverting. The game was brought to a close by the ringing of the dinner bell. To say that the crowd did justice to the elegant dinner provided would express it but mildly. Some disinterested person tried to find out which one ate the most. He came to the decision that the contest lay between twelve. Another tried to keep account of the number of waffles that fell before the onslaught of Bro. Greer, but gave up in despair. (Later it was noticed that Bro. Greer was in despair.) After dinner letters of regret were read from those who were unable to be present, and then Bro. Kooser led the singing in his own inimitable way. In order to give the losers in the morning's game another trial, a second game was played in the afternoon. The same sides contested, and both showed a great improvement over the morning's play. The way the ball was hit made the spectators gaze with amazement. Some incidents of this contest were noteworthy. It had been agreed that whoever knocked the ball over the fence should be out. Bro. Biesecker knocked the ball over two fences and the umpire promptly decided that he was out twice. All the flies came towards Bro. Hay but, in spite of his protests, none of his catches were called "out" by the umpire. When the game was ended the score was 31 to 32, in favor of Bro. Tremer's team. On the return to Somerset a delightful hour was passed at Bro. Kooser's home. The only regret of those present was that more brothers from Johnstown were not able to be present. Bro. Rev. Hays, D. D., had planned to go along, but was prevented on account of being out of the city.

Without wishing to boast, the Johnstown Alumni Association thinks that it has in its ranks some of the most loyal men who wear the shield, a strong claim, yet these two items will substantiate it. Bro. Roy Keedy was in Texas when he received the invitation to the banquet. He hurriedly arranged his affairs and came north, so that he was able to be in Johnstown to attend. Bro. E. M. Love came all the way from New York to attend the Somerset outing. This is the real Phi Psi spirit and with such brothers in its midst what a future is in store for the Johnstown Alumni Association and Phi Kappa Psi in general.

A Phi Kappa Psi boy arrived at the home of Bro. Campbell several weeks ago. Bro. Campbell declares that it takes him back to his college days to hear the youngster shout "High! High! High!"

According to a trustworthy report an alumni association will soon

be organized at Greensburg. The Johnstown Alumni Association looks forward to the organizing of the Greensburg Phi Psis and trusts that when the rumor becomes a reality joint meetings will be held by the Greensburg Alumni Association and the Johnstown Alumni Association.

The regular "Shield" correspondent is indebted to Bro. Foster, Maryland Alpha, for assistance in preparing this letter.

Indiana Beta.

Dr. W. M. Edwards, superintendent of the state hospital for the insane at Kalamazoo, Mich., has the sympathy of the fraternity in the death of his only child, an infant son, whom he had hoped some day to see a member of the fraternity to which he is so loyal.



CHAPTER CORRESPONDENCE



It is hoped every chapter correspondent will read this foreword, and, what is more remarkable, keep it in mind. Chapter letters will be due at "The Shield" office every month not later than the fifth. It will be better to have them in, where this can be done, on the first or soon thereafter, but chapter letters arriving later than the fifth will not be used. Monthly notices of the fact that chapter letters are due will not be sent out. The duty of seeing that a chapter letter reaches "The Shield," and in time, each month, will be left to the B. G.'s and the several chapters.

Hardly a chapter correspondent complies with the requirements so often laid down in "The Shield" with reference to letters, namely: follow the form adopted by "The Shield," the name of the chapter and the institution, with the name of the correspondent, at the head of the letter, the place and date at the bottom. Write names plainly. Paragraph your letter. Confine yourself to news about the chapter and college life. When your letter is sent, be sure that it is just as you want it to go into print, because in one number of the present volume it is the intention of the management to print a set of letters just as they come from the chapter correspondents for the purpose of illustration.

For some of the correspondents these admonitions are unnecessary. They would not be needed by any correspondent who will take into consideration the fact that the editor of "The Shield" has no time to re-write chapter letters which the correspondents themselves know well enough how to prepare properly.

The next number of "The Shield," to be published on Nov. 15th, will be devoted to chapter and alumni news. It is "up to" the chapter correspondents, in large measure, to make it interesting.

Pennsylvania Alpha—Washington-Jefferson College.

J. H. Otto, Correspondent.

To Phi Psis, wherever they may be, Pa. Alpha sends greetings and best wishes for a prosperous year.

It was a small but enthusiastic crowd that returned to school this year determined to get down to work and secure new men whom all Phi Psis would be glad to greet as brothers, there being but five of our last year's chapter who came back to W. & J. Realizing that such a small crowd would have to work very hard to get good men we all came several days before school opened and prepared to do some hard rushing when the new students should arrive. Our

hard work was crowned with success and we got what we all believe to be the pick of the new students.

It is with great pleasure that Pa. Alpha presents to the fraternity at large the following freshmen who are now among the "chosen": Bros. Allen R. Dunn, Washington, Pa.; B. P. Williams, Paris, Ill.; G. G. Ash, Bradford, Pa.; W. C. Donnan, Pittsburg, and W. R. Carr, Uniontown, Pa.

By the time that we write our next letter to "The Shield" "Billy" will have done some more good work and we will again have the pleasure of introducing four or five good fellows whom we are now rushing.

Much credit is due to members of our alumni in the landing of our new brothers, Bros. Gill, Fulton, Brittain and Love, all doing very efficient work, for which we are indeed grateful.

Things are very lively about the college just now. Work is under way for a great centennial celebration, as W. & J. passes the century mark in October. This is expected to be one of the grandest events that has ever taken place in this old town.

Our chapter is making arrangements for a banquet to be given Pa. Alpha alumni and any other Phi Psis who may happen to be in town on Monday evening of centennial week, October 13.

We have been joined by Bro. Sweet of Pa. Gamma and we all find him to be a jolly good fellow. Bro. Sweet will take care of the center position on one of the best football teams that W. & J. has ever put on the field. Bro. Schrontz will be greatly missed at right end, which position he held down for three years and everyone here agrees that none could have done it better. Schrontz will play end this year on the Pittsburg team of the National Football League.

Any Phi Psis who may happen to come to Washington will always find the latchstring hanging out at our home and a warm welcome awaiting them on the inside.

Phi Kappa Psi House, Washington, Pa., September 30, 1902.

Pennsylvania Beta—Allegheny College.

J. Gayle Nelson, Correspondent.

At this time of year, when so many loyal hearts are renewing their pledges to our noble fraternity, Pa. Beta hastens to join hands with her sister chapters and declare her purpose to "stand for the spirit and honor of old Phi Kappa Psi."

Allegheny opens under auspicious circumstances. The success of her athletic teams during the past year, aided materially by Phi Psis; the renown of her glee club, so ably managed by Bro. Scott; the new observatory, chapel and library, results of the efforts of our good brother, Dr. Crawford, and the new endowment fund headed by Bro. Arter with \$60,000, have so materially extended the area of Allegheny's influence that the attendance this year far exceeds that of any other.

Beta started the year with but five men, and the illness of Bro. Mook, captain of the '02 football team, further decreased our working force. But Phi Psi spirit is invincible, and Phi Psi eminence desirable, and we now have the pleasure of introducing to the fraternity at large two initiates, Bros. Sturtevant and Gleason, and two pledged men, Messrs. Gooze and Crosby, all of whom were captured only after hard fighting. Beta is the envy of her rival fraternities in the possession of these men.

Bro. Yard is starring an end on the football team.

Bro. Raymond Crawford is touring Europe with his father, Dr. Crawford.

Beta has received visits from Bros. Culbertson, Hunter, Long, Hawkins, Brady, Howard of U. P., and Owsley of Pa. Iota.

The spring of 1903 will see Pa. Beta in a home of its own. Thanks to Bro. Arter, the movement started last spring toward purchasing a chapter house has at last resulted in success. The location is ideal, being, as it is, but a few feet from the college campus. Our present quarters will be occupied until spring.

As this letter goes to post, Phi Psi hearts are jubilant, for after one of the hardest fights in the history of local rushing, Mr. Edgell Horner has just announced his decision to unite with Phi Kappa Psi. Mr. Horner is a very desirable man, and will aid substantially in keeping Beta in that place of eminence which she has always occupied.

Meadville, Pa., October 2, 1902.

*Pennsylvania Epsilon—Gettysburg College.**Chas. H. May, Correspondent.*

After several months of vacation the brothers of Epsilon are again united in the fraternal bonds of old Phi Psi. We begin the collegiate year with eight active members, plenty of Phi Psi spirit and brightest of hopes for the future.

Although the rushing season has but fairly begun we have already initiated Bro. N. R. Whitney, '06, Lykens, Pa., and take great pleasure in introducing him to the fraternity at large. Bro. Whitney is an all round good fellow and was rushed hard by other frats. We have several other men in view, whom we expect to introduce at an early date.

On the evening of the 20th we gave an informal smoker to prospective Phi Psis. Bros. Duncan, '82, Weaver, '99, and Leffler, '01, were with us and we are greatly indebted to these brothers for their good Phi Psi talks and for the wholesome advice given to our guests.

As usual football is the all-absorbing topic of interest at the present time, and great efforts are being made to put on the field a team that may compare favorably with that of last year. Bro. Livingston Smith, '01, Pa. Iota, again fills the position of coach and is doing the same kind of work that made him so popular last year. With Bro. Smith coaching the team and Bros. White, Bingham, Fisher and Hollinger holding positions on the same, we may truthfully say that Phi Psi is again the "whole thing" on the gridiron at Gettysburg.

Bro. J. E. C. Miller, ex-'05, has entered the dental department of the University of Maryland.

In the recent Junior class elections Bro. Gladfelter was elected representative to the athletic council, Bro. May vice-president, and Bro. Bingham captain of the class football team. This is the third consecutive time Bro. "Bing" has held this position.

Bro. White has been re-elected captain of the baseball team and also elected captain of the basketball team for the ensuing year.

Gettysburg, Pa., October 6, 1902.

*Pennsylvania Eta—Franklin and Marshall College.**W. Curtis Truxal, Correspondent.*

With this, Pennsylvania Eta's first letter to "The Shield" for the coming year, she sends greeting to all the chapters and wishes them success in whatever they may undertake.

Of the fourteen who composed the chapter last year, twelve returned bright and early, all eager for the rush for new men, although never before had the prospects for new men seemed brighter for Pa. Eta.

Although the incoming class is exceptionally small yet we have already enrolled on our lists three men whom we feel sure will make good Phi Psis and the chapter takes pleasure in introducing to the fraternity at large Bros. John Bessinger, Paul Frantz and George Bridenbaugh. Bro. Bridenbaugh is of the old Phi Psi stock, having a father, two brothers and five uncles, all of whom are the best of Phi Psis.

Pa. Eta is greatly indebted to the alumni for the help they have given her in rushing new men, and although the fruits of their labor may not be apparent to them at this early date, yet the chapter feels confident of being able to land the prospective men whom both they and ourselves wish to make Phi Psis.

A smoker was held in the first week and the following alumni were present: Bros. S. R. Zimmerman '01, archon of the first district; T. R. Appel '01, Richard Rengier '01, and Harry Hartman '01.

Pa. Eta is already in the front rank in capturing college honors. Bro. Wint is president of '05 class, Bro. Bessinger of the '06 class and Bro. Westerman is president of the Green Room club.

The chapter is represented by the usual number of men on the football field this year by Bro. Stein, who holds his old position as guard, Bro. Bell at tackle and Bro. Westerman at quarterback.

Bro. Levi R. Bair, '02, who has taken up business as his profession, has been in attendance at some of our meetings, and Bro. John Bridenbaugh, '99, was present at the initiation of his brother.

Nothing is more pleasing or inspiring to the members of Pa. Eta than to have the alumni visit her. The door is always open to Phi Psis.

Phi Kappa Psi House, Lancaster, Pa., September 28, 1902.

*Pennsylvania Theta—Lafayette College.**Hugh M. Miller, Correspondent.*

Lafayette opened another year of her history on September 12 with a freshman class numbering one hundred and twenty-five and the new class brought a good percentage of fraternity men.

Nearly all our old men were back early and it was gratifying to note the zeal with which every man took part in rushing new men.

On September 19 we gave a smoker for the new men whom we were rushing and the evening passed very pleasantly with music and refreshments.

We feel deeply indebted to Bros. Stroh and Prichard, '02, for the interest they took in rushing in the few days they spent with us.

As a result of our efforts so far we take pleasure in introducing to the fraternity Bros. John Gardiner Clemens, '06; Ralph Ernest Clemens, '06; Charles Gant Hartje, '06; Raymond Grey Barr, '06, all of Pittsburg, Pa., and Frederick Chase Witte, of Trenton, N. J., whom we feel are the choice of the freshman class and an honor to the fraternity.

We extend our sincerest thanks to our Pittsburg alumni for their noble efforts, as we feel that a large part of our success in rounding up the Pittsburg crowd was due to their support.

With the new men we now start the year with twenty men and hope to increase that number if any good Phi Psi material appears in sight.

Lafayette hopes to sustain her old time reputation in football and judging from the favorable showing of the raw material we may hope to put out a winning team.

Preliminary practice in basketball has already begun. Bros. Walter and Edward Haldeman, '03, and Soles, '04, of last year's team, are back in college.

Largely through the efforts of Bro. McKeen Chidsey, '04, as manager, the glee, banjo and mandolin clubs will take two trips this year—one at Christmas and one at Easter.

Our best wishes go with Bro. Prichard who enters University of Virginia this fall to study medicine. During his stay with us Karl has won the heart of every man in the chapter and Va. Alpha may justly feel proud of having him with her.

Bro. Sands has again returned to us and he may be found at any time by calling at the "Cat" lab.

We regret not having with us again this year Bro. Walter A. Godcharles, '05. He stopped off a few days with us while on his way to Yale University where he enters the class of '05.

Bro. Harry M. Lewis has spent two weeks with us. He will not return to college, but enters the insurance business with his father at Tunkhannock, Pa.

Bro. Huber, ex-'02, spent several days with us at the opening of college.

We have been visited recently by Bro. McFadden, '88, of Hollidaysburg, Pa., and Bro. Roy Hibschan, Pa. Eta, of New York City.

Bro. Stewart, of Ind. Alpha, paid us a pleasant visit early in the term. He had been tutoring a class in physics in summer school at Lehigh University and came over to have a look at Lafayette.

Bro. Robert A. Beers, '02, is located with the Colonial Coal and Coke Co., at Dorchester, Va.

Bro. Stroh's, '02, present address is 2135 Mervine street, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania.

Bro. Bryden, '02, is back with us as instructor in the chemical department.

Easton, Pa., October 1902.

*Pennsylvania Kappa—Swarthmore College.**F. Bramwell Geddes, Correspondent.*

The college year, upon which we have just entered, finds Pennsylvania Kappa taking her accustomed place in Swarthmore affairs.

Last year we left sixteen strong, this year but six assembled to battle for old Phi Kappa Psi. By some of us the art of "rushing" will be practiced for the first time, but what we lack in experience should be made up for by the spirit and enthusiasm which the brothers have thus far shown.

The entering class is very large and promises some fine fraternity material, and before many months we hope to introduce to Phi Psis

some men who will be worthy in every respect to be ushered into the mystic circle of our beloved fraternity.

The football candidates are now hard at work and despite our small number, we find that Pa. Kappa will have her share of representatives on the gridiron this season, Bros. Lippincott, Smith, and Beans bidding fair to occupy positions on the 'varsity.

College affairs are now under the management of Mr. Swain, our new president, from Indiana. Mr. Swain is a modern college man in every respect, and friends of the college may look for a new era of prosperity at Swarthmore.

Recent visitors of the chapter were Bros. G. Worth, W. Turner, Griscom, Gilkyson, Knight, W. J. Clothier, Passmore and Seaman. Swarthmore, Pa., October 5, 1902.

New Hampshire Alpha—Dartmouth College.

H. W. Flemming, Correspondent.

The fall term at Dartmouth College opens under the most favorable and auspicious conditions with most of the old men back and the entering class the largest in the history of the college, which is in the one hundred and thirty-fourth year of its existence.

For the past two weeks the football squad has been hard at work on the gridiron, and there is every reason to believe that our football team will be above the standard of last year's team, which was defeated but once in the entire season. Coach McCormick is with us again this season.

But before we say more about the college or the chapter it is only fitting that we should express our appreciation and regard for the men of the 1901 delegation whose loss we feel keenly. It is enough to say that it was a representative Phi Kappa Psi delegation, and, upholding the ideals of the fraternity while in the college, we look to them to perpetuate its ideals wherever they may be. Of the 1901 delegation, Bro. Alling is coaching the football team at Kenyon College, Ohio, but later in the fall will enter Harvard law school; Bro. Mahoney has secured a fine position as supervisor of the normal school at Monmouth, Oregon; Bro. Gilman is principal of an academy at Newbury, Vt.; Bro. Hubbard has gone into business at New Britain, Conn.; Bro. Schilling has entered the employ of the Berlin Iron Bridge Co. as engineer; Bro. Barnes is doing graduate work at Harvard, and Bro. Porter is back at the Thayer school.

The fraternity finds itself at the beginning of the college year in a very prosperous condition, and the Phi Psi spirit was never stronger. The "rushing" season at Dartmouth does not begin until the latter part of October, but we confidently expect to get a delegation then that will be an honor to the fraternity.

The 1904 delegation has been increased by the arrival of Bro. Bennett from Colgate University, whom we are glad to welcome among us.

Of the 1903 delegation Bro. Walthour made the Sphinx and Bro. Brown the Dragon—two important senior societies.

Bro. Hall won the Thayer mathematical prize.

Hanover, New Hampshire, October 1, 1902.

Massachusetts Alpha—Amherst College.

W. Virgil Spaulding, Correspondent.

On September 18 old Amherst opened its doors to its returning sons as well as to a large entering class, and College Hill again became the center of a lively student population.

At the beginning of the year events crowd thick and fast, especially for the freshmen, and this year has been no exception. The hazing culminated the evening of the 20th when the first flag rush in the history of Amherst took place. It was somewhat in the nature of an experiment but the result was most gratifying. The rush was a clean, fair contest, well calculated to test the strength and generalship of the two lower classes. The freshmen struggled gamely, but the victory finally rested with the sophomores.

The athletic energies of the college are now, of course, chiefly directed toward football. A good sized squad is in training under a system which we consider a great improvement over that employed last year. This, together with much good material in the entering class, makes our prospects for a successful season very bright.

Among the contestants for the team are Bros. Chase, Patch and Ryan.

On returning to Amherst we greatly miss the familiar faces of the brothers who graduated last June. A statement of their present occupations and addresses may be of interest. Bro. F. H. Allen is taking a postgraduate course of study in Germany. Bro. H. C. Barber is instructor of physics and chemistry in Gates Academy, Lehigh, Neb. Bro. F. L. Boyden has been appointed principal of Deerfield Academy, Deerfield, Mass. Bro. L. G. Brearley is teaching in Morristown, N. J. Bro. G. C. Clancy is teaching in the high school at Bloomfield, N. J. Bro. E. C. Clapp is studying at Hartford Theological Seminary, Hartford, Conn. Bro. C. H. Colleston is taking postgraduate work, chiefly in literature, at Harvard. Bro. F. A. Cook is with the Manhattan Elevated Railway Co. of New York City, address 314 117th street. Bro. F. B. Cross is shipping clerk for the Cross & Church Manufacturing Co., of Springfield, Mass, address 35 Mattoon street. Bro. J. H. Frizzell is instructor in rhetoric and public speaking in Pennsylvania State College, State College, Pa. Bro. E. C. Lum is in the New York law school, address Fairmount avenue, Chatham, N. J. Bros. C. A. Lincoln and J. C. Young are in Hartford Theological Seminary.

The chief event in the Amherst fraternity world thus far has been the "rushing season." It is a time looked forward to with intense interest and even anxiety. Whatever of the latter there may have been among the brothers of Massachusetts Alpha has, however, been entirely dissipated, as we have pledged twelve men whom we feel confident will ably and loyally uphold the standards of Phi Kappa Psi during the entire extent of their college course and will thereafter remain true to its teachings. We were greatly helped in our efforts to pledge good men by Bros. Colleston, Frizzell and Young, 1902, who were with us at the time. We have since received brief visits from Bros. Allen, Boyden and Lincoln, all of 1902. Our initiation with the accompanying banquet will take place October 31, and we cordially invite all brothers who find themselves in the vicinity to be with us upon that occasion.

Our prospects were never brighter and it is with high hopes that we look forward to the new college year just opening before us.

Amherst, Mass., September 29, 1902.

Rhode Island Alpha—Brown University.

Edward S. Smith, Correspondent.

At the beginning of her first college year Rhode Island Alpha sends greetings to her sister chapters. We are as yet young in Phi Kappa Psi, but we have come back with the determination to do the work as though we were veterans, and to make this a successful year for our chapter.

During the summer many of us met various brother Phi Psis, and through them we came to know and love our fraternity better. We were also not backward in getting acquainted with men in the entering class, who we thought would be worthy of becoming our brothers. Some very promising candidates are the results of the efforts which we have put forth, and we hope and expect to add several earnest, noble fellows to our number.

We consider ourselves very fortunate this year in having three of our alumni close at hand to advise us on different points, and to lend us their assistance on all occasions. They have been as active as the undergraduates in bringing in new material, and have done much toward making our "rush" meeting successful.

On coming to Brown this fall we are pleased to notice many improvements, and to hear of more to follow. As we came up the hill to the front campus we saw the fence which is being built to match our beautiful new gates. Those who came in the back way ran into improvements also, for on the back campus our swimming pool has been begun and will soon be completed. We are to have four more new buildings also, a mechanical laboratory, a Y. M. C. A., another library and another dormitory. In addition to these we are to have a memorial clock tower on the front campus.

Several good athletes came to Brown this year, and we expect to have winning teams in football, baseball, and track. All eyes are now on the football team which has been doing some excellent practice work and which we expect to show up well when actual playing begins. Bro. Atwell is trying for the team, and stands a good show of winning his "B."

Providence, Rhode Island, October 1, 1902.

*New York Alpha—Cornell University.**J. Martin Griffith, Correspondent.*

The university is once more in full swing and that most tiresome of all times, the rushing season, is nearly over. Although the entering class this year is the largest in Cornell's history, it is questionable whether fraternity material is proportionately as available. For this reason our freshman class will be somewhat smaller than usual, but we trust it may make up in quality what it lacks in quantity. Nevertheless the chapter will be one of average size owing to the receipt of three transfers.

Bros. Boughton and Lowe of Ind. Delta, and Bro. Bunn of Va. Alpha, are affiliated with us. The two former take rank as seniors, the latter as a sophomore. Bro. Cole of Pa. Alpha and Bro. Benton of Pa. Beta have also entered the university.

Fifteen of our old men are back, among them Bros. Rogers and Kuhn, neither of whom had expected to return.

Bro. Batchelar ex-'02, is seriously ill in Pittsburg. Bro. Pitcairn, who brought the news, has himself been quite sick during the past six weeks.

Bro. McGunnegle, '02, has an excellent position under the paymaster of the Pennsylvania railroad with headquarters at Pittsburg. Bro. Crossette, '02, is in Chicago where he has accepted a position.

Neither Bros. Mason, '05, Page, '05, nor Hutchings, '03, are in the university this year. The latter two have gone into business, the one in Denver, Col., the other in Peoria, Ill., while Bro. Mason has entered the regular army.

We are in receipt of a letter from Bro. Hutchinson, '97, announcing his engagement. He is Charge D' Affairs of the American legation at Santiago, Cuba. The chapter extends to him her hearty congratulations and wishes him the best of luck.

Bro. Maier, Ill. Beta, spent several days with us while on his way to Chicago. We trust he may often find it convenient to do so. Ithaca, N. Y., October 5, 1902.

*New York Beta—Syracuse University.**Lloyd E. Brown, Correspondent.*

At the opening of the college year New York Beta sends a hearty greeting to all the chapters of the fraternity.

The graduation of a large class of seniors last spring left us with but a small active chapter to open up the fall rushing term. However, a number of out-of-town alumni returned to aid us in this direction and the city Phi Psis of Syracuse have been a valuable aid in helping this chapter land an all-star freshman delegation. Before the rival fraternities here were aware of the fact, Phi Psi had the best men of the entering class picked out and pledged.

At the present writing New York Beta is still in the "rushing season" and no small discrimination is being exercised to get the best men possible in our new delegation. Ten men are now pledged, and one who enters with the class of 1907.

The college year opened at Syracuse University on September 16. Since that date rushing has been going on continuously. Numerous small parties have been held, with several theatre parties and dances. On September 18 a theatre party occupying four boxes was held at Lyceum Theatre. On Saturday an informal dance, at which part of the university orchestra furnished the music, was held at the chapter house, and another dance which was largely attended was held on the 27th inst. Small "stag" and card parties have also been on the program during "rushing" times.

To our regret we lose several brothers this year and their loss will be keenly felt. Those who will not return to college this fall are Bro. John B. Aiken, '03, who has entered the law office of Coon & Bentley at Oswego, N. Y.; Bro. Harry S. Williams, '04, who served well New York Beta in the office of P. Bro. Williams is with the engineering department of the Oneida Construction Co. located at Oneida, N. Y. Bro. Fred D. Cribb, '04, will remain out of college a year on account of family sickness, but will return to us next fall. Bro. Henry S. Wells, '05, will also not return until next year.

The year, however, opens up with the best kind of prospects for New York Beta, and the active members of the chapter are active in every sense of the word. Bro. William Lowe, '03, in addition to his

work in the university, has charge of a class of boys at the Syracuse Classical school, a well known preparatory academy. As stated in a previous letter Bro. Lowe is also captain of the 'varsity track team. Bro. Irving R. Templeton, '04, was recently made managing editor of the "Weekly," the official college newspaper. Each of the brothers is interested, and in many cases prominently connected with some branch of college activity.

During the past few weeks we have had the pleasure of welcoming back on brief visits the following brothers: Ed. Green, '00, William I. Heller, ex-'99, Gilbert G. Benjamin, '93, Ross B. Chapman, ex-'02, Bro. Eddie Woods, Bro. Thomas Cholar and Bro. James Snitzler of Illinois Beta made us a pleasant call during the past month.

Bro. Martin Smallwood, '97, has returned to his alma mater as associate professor of biology. Bro. Martin while in college was one of the best football men who ever played on an Orange team, and also served as coach in football.

Bro. Maxwell G. Phillips, DePauw '89, is located in Syracuse as representative of the New York Life Insurance Co. Bro Phillips served his country in the Cuba and Philippine campaigns, in the 1st Illinois regiment and the 30th infantry U. S. V. respectively, and also had the distinction of having taught in the first American school established in the islands outside of Manila. This was at Lucena, province of Tiogas, Island of Luzon. Bro. Phil is sharing in the congeniality of our chapter house life and now and then regales the brothers with tales of his life as a non-com. officer in the late war.

Another brother in Phi Psi whom we have been pleased to welcome to Syracuse is Bro. Alexander M. Ashley, Dickinson '94. Bro. Ashley is in charge of the weather bureau of the U. S. Department of Agriculture established at Syracuse by recent legislation. Next year Bro. Ashley will deliver a course of lectures in the university on meteorology and climatology.

The entering class of Syracuse University numbers about 800 students of both sexes; this brings the total registration up to the 2,000 mark. An all-around successful year is looked forward to.

Syracuse, September 28, 1902.

New York Gamma—Columbia University.

Thomas R. Buell, Correspondent.

This is a busy time with us. The opening of college has brought with it the usual amount of pleasure, work and general confusion.

The outlook for our chapter is very bright. Although we have lost nine of our brothers this year, among whom were some of the best workers our chapter has ever had, we still have a strong bunch of fellows.

College opens on the sixth of October, but most of the brothers are coming in now and will be ready for active work before that time. During the summer several desirable men have been pledged and will be received into the chapter at our first meeting.

Through the efforts of our alumni our chapter house has been greatly improved. It has been refitted and refurnished in a most attractive manner and is not only a source of pride to us but is much more pleasant and attractive to all who come among us.

We are looking forward to the coming year with a great deal of pleasure, and if things turn out as we intend they shall we have every reason to expect that our dear old Phi Kappa Psi will have a most successful year at New York Gamma.

New York City, October 2, 1902.

New York Epsilon—Colgate University.

J. H. Hutchinson, Correspondent.

The opening of the fall term of '02 finds everything that would indicate a prosperous year to follow for both college and fraternity. The entering class consists of about sixty men, of whom New York Epsilon has pledged five of the best. Sixteen of the old men have returned, and also Bros. York and McKeg who were not with us last year. In athletics the outlook was never brighter. Under Bro. Carl H. Smith as captain, Colgate expects to put out a winning football team. Besides captain, Phi Psi's representation includes Bros. Larkin, Buck and Whitman, together with Edgarton and Merrill of the pledged men.

N. Y. Epsilon lost some strong men in the class of '02, but their places are being well filled by those who are left. Bro. Stirling is teaching at Murfreesboro Academy, Pa. Bro. Bundy is taking post-graduate work at the University of Minnesota. Bro. Bullock is attending the Buffalo Dental College. Bros. Davis and MacMillan are continuing their studies at the Theological Seminary.

Bro. Mabey, '98, principal of the Morrisville high school, spent a few days with the chapter last week.

Bro. Geo. L. Bennett, '00, who for two years most acceptably filled the position of principal of the West Winfield high school, has accepted the position of principal of the Hamilton high school. All of his brothers in N. Y. Epsilon gladly welcome him among their resident alumni and wish him every success in his new field.

Bro. Ernest L. Elliott, '01, last year principal of the Hamilton high school, is now principal of the Afton high school, N. Y.

Bro. Holden, '01, made a short visit to the chapter last week.

Bro. Evans, '05, has been elected vice-president of his class, and Bro. Chapel is manager of the class track team.

Hamilton, N. Y., September 28, 1902.

New York Zeta—Brooklyn Polytechnic Institute.

E. W. Boughton, Correspondent.

New York Zeta begins her tenth year with fifteen of last year's chapter. This is probably a larger number than ever before started in at the opening of college to make Phi Psi still stronger in the institute. By graduation last June we lost Bros. Weidmann, Bristow, Van Vranken and Leberthon. Bro. Weidmann received his B. S. in chemistry and now has a position at St. Regis Falls, N. Y. Bro. Bristow got his C. E. and is with the New York Construction Co. Bro. Van Vranken is to study law. Bro. Leberthon received the M. S. degree for postgraduate work in chemistry. He expects to study art in New York this winter.

The entering class at the Polytechnic is large and we already have our eyes on several promising men. The prospect for a stronger football team than last year's is bright. The Phi Psi candidates for the eleven are Bros. Weidmann, Sartorius, Boughton, Robinson, Murphy and Ferguson. Bro. Sartorius, by the way, is effecting his transfer from N. Y. Gamma.

It is quite a feather in our cap that the presidents of the three upper classes are all Phi Psis. Bro. C. P. Ferguson of '03, Bro. Robinson of '04, and Bro. C. Ferguson of '05. Also Bro. Wurster is vice-president of the senior class and Bro. Boughton has one of the senior editorships on the college monthly. Bro. Guick is captain of the varsity basketball team and Bro. Murphy will manage next spring's baseball team.

Our rooms have been put in better shape during the summer and the furnishings considerably added to, and as soon as we have initiated some prospective brothers in '06, we will be firmly and comfortably fixed for another college year.

N. Y. Zeta extends her congratulations to Bro. Pate who was recently elected president of the Zeta club.

Bro. Chandler, '96, who is professor of literature on the faculty, spent his recent vacation traveling on the continent.

Congratulations are in order if you meet Bro. Fred Dassori, '00. He hasn't told us much about it, but good luck to "Dass" for getting us another Phi Psi girl.

Hempstead, L. I., New York, September 30, 1902.

Virginia Alpha—University of Virginia.

Richard P. Bell, Jr., Correspondent.

Greetings to all Phi Psis from Virginia Alpha!

When last Monday a week ago the old chapel bell announced the commencement of the session of '02-'03, the little band of faithful Phi Psis seemed but a sad remnant of last year's full chapter. The stern law of graduation which knows no exception, had taken from us half our number. Bros. Lemon, Peters and Trout in medicine, Bros. Johnson and Worsley in law and Bell and Wertenbaker in academic all took home sheepskins, Bro. Bell alone returning to continue his studies in medicine.

Bro. Connett is now senior member of the firm of Connett & Currey, attorneys at law, 1110 Missouri Trust building, St. Louis, and when last heard from was suffering from stress of strenuous professional duties.

Bro. Welsh left before finals to go to a Michigan mining school and is now in San Antonio, Texas, looking after his copper interests in that vicinity.

Bro. Brose Richardson—sometime "Flossie"—is with the National Biscuit Co. in St. Joseph, Mo.

At the first roll call soon after college opened, Bros. Bell, Cocke, Fleet, Mason, Spencer and Valz reported in fine mettle for the rushing season, Bros. Clark and Owen arriving later. Bro. T. J. Wertenbaker was with us for a week and helped us very materially in securing the two very excellent young brothers whom I now have the pleasure of presenting to the fraternity at large, Robert E. Farish, Jr., of Columbus, Ga., and Richard Veech Marshall, of Louisville, Ky. Three more goats are on the string whom I hope to introduce later.

Last night, just after the initiation, we held our annual banquet at Hotel Gleason. Among the alumni present were Dr. Hugh T. Nelson, Virginia Beta, '61, toastmaster; Col. C. C. Wertenbaker, Virginia Alpha, '53, and father of our chapter, and Bros. Thompson Brown, Louis Brown, Trout and Arthur V. Snell of Illinois Beta, '93, now of the Washington Alumni Association. A royal good time was in store for all, due to the untiring efforts of Bro. Mason, whose presence was sadly missed as he was called away just a few hours before the hour of festivities.

Before going further we are going to congratulate ourselves on the acquisition of Bro. Karl C. Prichard of Pa. Theta and Pa. Gamma—as fine a type of Phi Psi as we have ever had—a good athlete, an excellent student, and above all a jolly good fellow with the proper amount of Phi Psi spirit as was shown by his impromptu speech last night.

We would like to give an account of the several toasts so gracefully responded to by Bros. Wertenbaker, Snell, Trout, Peters and Brown, but can only allude to Bro. Fleet's toast as time and space press. Eminently adapted to impassioned speech, his amorous soul reveled in the prospect of quaffing the sparkling elixir of life to one he holds so dear, "The Phi Psi Girl," and amid a burst of applause he ended his sparkling remarks by drinking to her—the only girl—a Phi Psi girl,

* * * "One made up of loveliness alone,
A woman of her gentle sex, the seeming paragon."
University Station, Charlottesville, Va., October 1, 1902.

West Virginia Alpha—University of West Virginia.

C. M. Christy, Correspondent.

West Virginia Alpha sends greeting to all her sister chapters in this her first message of the year. May success crown every effort of each member of the brotherhood and may this be a year of unsurpassed prosperity for Phi Kappa Psi.

At the opening of the present term four vacant chairs were found at our fireside, three brothers, Hughes, Morris and Lardin, having graduated and one, Bro. Robinson, having engaged in the coal business in the southern part of the state, did not return to school.

The return of Bro. Cushwa, '01, to the university this year helped to make up for the loss of the older men, and also helped to arouse enthusiasm in the eleven remaining brothers who have entered into the rushing season with a determination to win some good men of whom there is an unusually large number to choose from this year. Our prospects along this line are bright and later we hope to be able to give results that will speak for themselves.

Our chapter house is yet undergoing repairs, though we had hoped to be able to occupy it on our return this fall. Scarcity of material and labor has caused its completion to be delayed and it is not likely that we shall be "at home" in it until after Christmas vacation.

Bro. Morris, '02, has begun the practice of law in Fairmont, W. Va. Bro. Hughes, law, '02, has hung out his shingle at Ravenswood, W. Va., and Bro. Lardin, law, '02, expects to locate in Uniontown, Pa.

Bro. Friend, '97, who has been an instructor in English in the university since 1900, has gone to Keyser, W. Va., to accept the position of principal of the preparatory school recently established there.

Bro. Clark, '98, has accepted the position of instructor in chemistry in the university and is with us again.

Bro. Compton, Pa. Beta, '81, has been chosen pastor of the M. E. Church of this place and will soon take charge.

Bro. Miller, '01, city editor of the Morgantown Post, is spending a few days at his home in Martinsburg, W. Va., Bro. Brown, '04, taking his place.

Bro. Dickey, who has been doing architectural work here for the past year, is spending a short vacation in Huntingdon, W. Va.

Bro. Dawson, '03, is manager of what promises to be one of the best football teams we have ever had and has arranged for them the best schedule of games we have ever had.

Morgantown, W. Va., October 5, 1902.

Mississippi Alpha—University of Mississippi.

D. O. Clark, Correspondent.

The University of Mississippi opened its 54th year on September 18 with an average attendance. The number of new students is an increase over that of last year.

Owing to the restrictions placed upon fraternities by the board of trustees, we are unable to announce the names of any new initiates until the expiration of eight weeks. Under the restrictions we were also compelled to give up our chapter house and return to our old quarters in the dormitory. We hope, however, in the near future, to be able to build a house on the campus, which we can use as a chapter lodge. The prospect for a strong chapter this year is very bright. Six of last year's chapter are back, and we have several new men in view.

The football team promises to be the best that we have had for several years. Bro. Foster, as captain, has succeeded in interesting nearly everybody in football, and has aroused more enthusiasm over the game than has ever been shown before. Bro. Scherck is a candidate for the team.

The following brothers and alumni have visited us since May: Dr. S. S. Carter, '57, as president of the alumni association of the University of Mississippi; Bro. H. D. Stephens, '95; Bro. G. McCallem, '02; Bro. Jack Taggart, '02; Bro. Haze, N. Y. Alpha, and Bro. Williams, Tenn. Delta.

Bro. W. F. Stevens is mentioned as a likely candidate for governor.

Bro. J. F. Guynes, '01, is an attorney-at-law at Hazelhurst, Miss.

Bro. J. H. Mize, '01, is an attorney-at-law at Forest, Miss.

Bro. C. C. Steinberger is claim agent for the Mobile and Ohio railroad.

Mississippi Alpha is anxious for all of her alumni to subscribe for "The Shield," as she promises to have a letter in every issue this year.

She sends her best wishes to her sister chapters and "The Shield" for a successful year.

University, Mississippi, September 28, 1902.

Ohio Alpha—Ohio Wesleyan University.

Karl A. Machetanx, Correspondent.

The new college year finds six of the old "guard" at their posts ready to do honors in their prescribed studies. Some of the absentees have graduated, others have failed to put in their appearance for some unknown reason.

Regardless of our apparently small number Ohio Alpha has eight "preplings" who will soon receive the mysteries of Phi Kappa Psi. Each of these men has the inherent quality which is requisite for the making of a good Phi Kapp. After the heat and smoke of the battle clear away we may be able to spike a few more, for some of the best men that ever wore a Greek letter badge were objects of gross neglect and received little attention, but by steady growth and progress they became claimants to recognition in the list of fraternity men.

Ohio Alpha began boarding in her house this term and we realize that dining together augments greatly the desire and pleasure of chapter house life.

Last spring term Ohio Wesleyan University had the champion baseball team of the state to represent her in contests with other colleges. This fall the present outlook of football indicates that she will be represented by the champion football team.

Burr Stone, one of our newly pledged men, will do honors at tackle, while your humble correspondent will try for half. Although the team received the sobriquet of the "preachers" from other colleges, the red and black will have ample opportunity and the exclusive license at the end of the season to head the list of colors that float in the state.

The fraternity meetings for the ensuing year will be marked by strict attendance and close attention. The affairs will be run in exact compliance with the decrees and orders of the general fraternity.

Bro. Frost, of class '01, will re-enter college and graduate in the school of oratory.

Bros. Cratty, Welsch and Nelson of the local alumni often give us occasional calls. Their presence is always preferable to their absence, as they are ever suggestive and appear as a sort of advisory committee. Greetings.

Delaware, Ohio, September 25, 1902.

Ohio Beta—Wittenberg College.

Walter H. Weaver, Correspondent.

Ohio Beta opened the present year with thirteen men. Bros. Ritter-spach, Teefy, Culler, Clingerman and Binder graduated in June, and Bros. Howard and Moyer are also out of school, the former teaching at his home in Michigan, and the latter having started about the first of September for Boston, where he will spend the winter.

Spiking was fast and furious this year, all fraternities entering into the contest with a vim. But when the smoke and dust of battle cleared away, Ohio Beta's skill in this sort of thing resulted in her being made proud and happy by securing the best freshmen in college. The initiation was held on September 24, and I therefore take pleasure in presenting to the general fraternity, Bros. Volney Trout, Arlo Lutz, Leslie Trout and R. E. Tullous. We think that a few words concerning our newly acquired brothers would not be out of place here. Bro. Volney Trout is a brother of Bro. Selmar E. Trout, '04, and besides being a hard student, plays a star game of basketball; Bro. Lutz is a promising candidate for the glee club; Bro. Leslie Trout is a cousin of Bros. "Sel" and "Kid," and Bro. Tullous is donning his war paint and feathers to enter upon the duties of 'varsity football man. These are our new men, and in addition to what has been said of them they are all good fellows and hard students. Bros. Harvey Lawrence, Samuel A. Ort, John C. Garver, "Sam" Shaffer, Harry Summers, Ralph W. Hollenbeck, Julius A. Teefy and Harley C. Hosterman responded to toasts at the initiation banquet, which followed the initiation.

Bros. "Hal" Summers, "Tug" Hosterman and Frank Spangler are always with us on Monday evenings, and Bros. Carl Fried, Ralph Hollenbeck, James Turner and Elwood Myers are never far behind them.

Bros. James W. Welsh, '00, and Byron H. Clingerman, '02, left a few days ago to enter "Boston Tech."

Bro. Fred J. Ritterspach, '02, came down from his home and looked in on the boys this week. He stayed for the initiation.

Bro. "Sam" Shaffer, '97, who was recently graduated from Miami Medical College, is spending his time at the house. He had a position in a hospital in West Virginia, but the strike of the coal miners was successful in stopping his career for a time.

As to our active men, Bros. Ultes and Winger are both promising candidates for honors this coming June. Bro. Harris has arranged one of the best football schedules which Wittenberg ever had. Bro. Tullous is our representative on the squad. Bros. Ultes, "Del" and "Kid" Trout and Deaton will, without a doubt, make four positions on the basketball team. Bros. Wheldon and Weaver are hard at work in the chemical laboratory, and the others are at work in college work, athletics and literary societies, winning laurels for themselves and for Phi Kappa Psi. For whatever honors come to them come to the fraternity.

Phi Kappa Psi House, Springfield, Ohio, September 30, 1902.

*Indiana Alpha—DePauw University.**Turley Stephenson, Correspondent.*

Housed in our handsome new home on the corner of College avenue and Larrabee street, just purchased by our loyal alumni, Indiana Alpha starts the new year most auspiciously. The spike, which has been an interesting one, is nearing its close, and with one proposition still out, the pink and lavender of old Phi Psi labels seven of the best men who have entered school this fall. Beside the outstanding spike, whom we expect to land ere this letter has gone in print, the new men are Walter Miller, Peru, Louis Henry, Anderson, George Small, Anderson, Ed. Shaw, Lawrenceburg, Russell Allen, Greencastle, Harold Sutherland, Greencastle, and Ross Woodring, Peru. While many of these pledges were well taken care of by our efficient "spiking" committee, which did some splendid work during the summer vacation, yet none of them were "spikes" that were not sought for by other fraternities, and in order to land some of the more obstinate ones of our list, we had to walk over the silent forms of our more persistent fellow Greeks. If the "spike" finishes as successfully as thus far started we will have gone through without having lost a "prop."

Among the old brothers who have returned are all who were with us last year excepting Bros. Sullivan, Shaw and Steeg. Bro. Shaw is assistant postmaster at Lawrenceburg and the latter is getting ready to enter medical school.

Of last year's graduating class, Bro. Neely is continuing his course in mechanical engineering at Purdue. Bro. Vance is at his home at Noblesville spending a short vacation before starting for South America, where he will begin his life work as a missionary teacher, and Bro. Tennant is recuperating at his home in Terre Haute. Of the above, Bro. Vance was with us the opening week of college entering his sister. Bro. Neeley also came down to spend Saturday and Sunday with us and to lend us a helping hand in any of our undertakings. The loyal interest shown by these brothers in their chapter is the kind we appreciate and of which we are proud.

Bro. Bliss Billings, '02, who carried off first honors in the large graduating class of 1902, is now instructor of mathematics in the Greencastle high school.

The football outlook is good. Athletics have been put on a new and better financial basis. Besides a new physical director, a new football coach has been secured for the season, who promises us a most successful season. On the team this year Phi Psi will be represented in three of the eleven positions by Bros. McKinstry and O'Daniel the famous right half and left guard of last year's team, and by Bro. Wilkinson, who will play the position of quarterback this year.

Bro. Cavin has been elected manager of the glee and mandolin club for this year and will soon have his itinerary made out for the Thanksgiving and Christmas vacations.

As active members of the Indiana Alpha chapter we would certainly be ungrateful if we should fail to take advantage of this opportunity to express our heartfelt appreciation for this beautiful and elegantly furnished home of the chapter. We realize that it is the result of some labor and sacrifice on the part of every subscriber and on the part of the chapter house committee. It is all, however, only another manifestation of the true and fraternal spirit that Phi Kappa Psi stands for, and another instance of loyalty that is continually evidenced by Indiana Alpha alumni. May the pride our alumni have taken and the fidelity shown never falter, and may the conduct of the chapter and of its each individual member never cause regret for the action taken or the sacrifice made in its behalf.

Greencastle, Indiana, September 25, 1902.

*Illinois Alpha—Northwestern University.**Oliver M. Rogers, Correspondent.*

Illinois Alpha sends greetings to her sister chapters at the opening of another college year, and wishes them well in every respect.

While our expectations are always high, this year we are to have them more than realized. So far we have pledged seven men, five of whom will "ride the goat" Saturday evening, October 4. We are planning to give them a rousing reception and will be aided by the presence of most of our resident alumni. It is just a little early to

make many predictions but we expect to land a few more good men. As the matter now stands the chapter roll will number fifteen and we are hopeful of having a membership of eighteen or twenty before the year is over and yet keep our standard where it is.

The installation of Bro. Edmund J. James as president of Northwestern University will be held the week of October 20. We would be very glad to see a good gathering of Phi Psis at that time and we want them to feel free to "hang out" at the chapter house.

The work of Bro. James as president is already showing itself and under his administration I am sure Northwestern will prosper as she never has before. The freshman class is larger this year by one hundred than last year. The law and dental schools have moved into larger and better quarters at the old Tremont hotel building and a new gymnasium is already assured.

The prospects for a good football team are very bright. While we lose several of last year's team, the new men are of such quality that they can easily fill the vacant positions. Phi Psi is represented in the training squad by Fred Coleman, one of the pledges, and your humble scribe.

Bros. Edwin Balmer, '02, and Earle F. Johnson, ex-'04, are studying this year at Harvard. Bro. Balmer is pursuing a postgraduate course while Bro. Johnson is a member of the junior class.

Bro. C. C. McCown, '02, is now in Calcutta, India, where he is principal of one of the English schools.

Bro. George McDonald, ex-'03, is now night sporting editor of the Chicago American.

Bros. W. D. Nash, '01, and "Ted" Konsberg, ex-'04, are employed on LaSalle street and are "tearing things up" in the stock market.

Bro. A. E. Butler, ex-'03, is superintending the construction of the Butler Bros. warehouse for Grace & Hyde, contractors.

Bros. J. N. Raymond, '00, and A. J. Gould, '01, are engaged in the advertising business, the former being with the Main Advertising Co. and the latter is assistant to the advertising manager of the Western Methodist Book Concern.

The chapter will have its own house again this year, although there was some discussion favoring an apartment.

A number of spreads and rushing parties have already been given, and will no doubt be continued while the rushing season is on.

September 26 was set apart as college day and on that evening a company of students numbering several hundred, headed by the band paraded the town. Professors were called out for speeches, and everything done with great enthusiasm. A more orderly gathering was held later in the chapel where President James and others spoke. Such a spirit has seldom been shown at Northwestern and it speaks well for a successful year.

In football Bro. Rogers will no doubt distinguish himself. The positions on the team have not been decided yet, but he will give Booth, last year's quarter, a hard push for the place.

Illinois Alpha wishes all the chapters of Phi Kappa Psi as good success as she herself has enjoyed, and expresses again the hope of seeing and welcoming any brothers who nappen to visit Evanston.

Evanston, Ill., October 1, 1902.

Illinois Beta—University of Chicago.

Edward G. Woods, Correspondent.

Work at the Midway university has not yet commenced but it will be soon, now that the necessity of attending to registration and such preliminary duties has brought back the greater part of our scattered crowd. Of course, there are still some few gaps in our circle, but we hourly expect these to be filled, and, when the two benighted brethren who wandered off to the Philippines return, we shall be complete. In this regard it might be mentioned that by October 10 we will have seventeen old men in the active chapter. Quite a "husky bunch."

Of that seventeen one, Bro. Pettit of Wisconsin, is a transfer. Most of the boys had met the "colonel" before he came here to go to college and all of us knew his brother, an alumnus of this chapter, so that he could hardly be called a stranger. We only wish that "Sorrel" had a few more relatives to send down to us.

Five Phi Psi pledge buttons are also floating around the campus. The men behind the buttons are Guy Randle, Chicago; Frank Von Tesmer, Chicago; Hugo Ernst, Chicago; Bertholf Pettit, Kenosha, Wisconsin, and Joseph Sibley, Freeport, Illinois. These five bring

the total for Illinois Beta up to twenty-two, and school is not open yet.

Bro. Fred Rush has added another favor* to the multitude he has already done us. He is having a stained glass piece made to fit over the door of our new house. We can only thank Bro. Rush for this and acknowledge our obligation. We wish that there was some way to show our appreciation. The window will bear the Greek letters, Phi Kappa Psi.

Chicago, Ill., September 30, 1902.

Michigan Alpha—University of Michigan.

Chas. Hartwell Cocke, Correspondent.

The University of Michigan opened this year on Tuesday, September 23. Glad as we of Michigan Alpha were to return, yet we would have preferred to see college start at least a month later, for our chapter house is being extensively remodeled and is still in the hands of the contractors. Early last June the board of directors of our alumni association instructed Bro. Fellows of Chicago to prepare plans for remodeling the house, but owing to unavoidable delays, it was late in July before work was actually begun. The repairs were to have been finished by the opening of college, but as the work progressed many additional improvements were adopted and the work in consequence was greatly retarded. The plans made few alterations in the external appearance of the house, but the interior space is utilized much more advantageously. The third floor, which was formerly unused, has been made over into three single rooms. Every room on the second floor now has a bunk room, and the bath room has been provided with a Mosaic floor and marble walls. The smoking room has been enlarged and sliding double doors put in between this room and the dining room. These alterations are nearly finished, the decorations being practically all that keep us from entering the house.

When the plans for this work were authorized, arrangements were also made for buying two adjacent lots facing on Washington avenue. With this additional land we now have nearly three acres of ground. In the general scheme of improvements the grounds were not forgotten. The old wooden fence has been torn down and at each entrance fine brick pillars are being erected, two of nine feet and two of eleven feet, with a hedge running from entrance to entrance. New cement walks are being laid around the yard. Altogether, ours is by far the most desirable fraternity property in Ann Arbor.

The credit for bringing about these changes belongs to the officers and directors of the Michigan Alumni Association, all of whom have given much time and thought to the matter. Bro. Rush has been up from Chicago several times in the interest of the work. Bro. Ferguson, '02, engineer, Michigan Alpha, has had charge of the alterations. The fact that we were unable to enter the house proved detrimental but not injurious to our rushing at the opening of college. We had two pledged men and have since pledged four more. Last year we lost Bros. Patton, Lewis, Fitzgerald, Nowland, Adams, Lee, Ferguson, Bailey, Berger and Marr. But still we had sixteen men as a nucleus and with our six pledged men, we are in fine shape. Mr. Lawrence, one of the pledged men, is a promising candidate for the football team.

Bro. Crafts, who is attending Northwestern law school at Chicago this year, was with us during the fall rushing. Bro. Bartelme of Austin has also been helping us out, and at present is assisting athletic manager Baird during the football season.

Bro. Rider, Michigan Alpha, dropped in on us for a day last week and Bro. Hartman of Boston took dinner with us Sunday. Bro. Wilkinson, of California Beta has entered the law department here.

Since last spring Kappa Sigma, Phi Gamma Delta and Sigma Nu have entered Michigan, bringing the total number of literary fraternities here up to seventeen. Our part of town must have proved attractive to some of the other crowds, as Delta Upsilon and Phi Delta Theta have purchased lots and Sigma Alpha Epsilon is occupying a house within a block of us. Beta Theta Pi is erecting a new house on State street. Altogether it seems as if a fraternity boom had struck Ann Arbor.

For us personally, the past week has been a busy one, but not in connection with college work. Now we will have to settle down to study and try to forget our present discomforts in anticipation of our coming luxury in our "new" house.

Phi Kappa Psi House, Ann Arbor Michigan, September 29, 1902.

*Wisconsin Alpha—University of Wisconsin.**J. H. Friend, Correspondent.*

The University of Wisconsin opened its fall work the 25th of September, but the week previous found many members of the chapter as well as pledged men in the city, anxious to get settled and ready for the work of the season. Eleven members of last year's chapter formed the nucleus upon which to build during the coming year. Six pledged men, the result of earnest work during the spring semester, also found quarters in the house at an early date in order to assist with the rushing and properly begin their college work.

Rushing in the university this fall has been fast and furious and has largely centered around a few very desirable men. Competition has been high and Wisconsin Alpha is proud to state that the first and only one of these men who has as yet pledged wears the button of Phi Kappa Psi. The rushing has not yet finished, however, and prospects look bright for future victories for the chapter. We have now seven pledged men whom we shall be happy to introduce at a later date as brothers in the fraternity.

In general, prospects for the chapter are exceedingly bright. Congeniality among the brothers pervades the whole atmosphere of our relations and we look forward to a year in which the chapter organization and the friendships between the brothers shall be even closer than ever before.

The prospects for our position in college would indicate that the steady growth of the chapter along that line shall continue throughout the year.

All the college organizations seem to have commenced their work of the year with renewed vigor, and especially the football team bids fair to continue if not surpass its successes of former years.

The chapter has enjoyed the presence and help of several of the alumni during the past week. Bros. Smith, Palmer and McNamara, 1900, formed an aggressive and effective addition to our rushing force and Bros. Sutherland and Williamson, 1901, have also given zest to the sessions of our pastime clubs and helped convey to the freshmen the idea that many things must be done by them and some changes made in their make-up before they can become representative alumni of the fraternity.

Wisconsin Alpha sends greetings to her sister chapters and wishes them all success the coming year.

Madison, Wisconsin, October, 1902.

*Minnesota Beta—University of Minnesota.**Rene Trevanion Hugo, Correspondent.*

In this, the first chapter letter of the college year, it is, I suppose, customary to begin: "We are in a very prosperous condition and hope all the other chapters are likewise," but just to be contrary we will adhere strictly to the truth.

Along about the middle of August the prospects were anything but bright. Six old men were all we could count on for the year and only one or two new ones in sight. However, now that the rushing season is practically over we have cause to congratulate ourselves. Twelve instead of six of the old men returned. We pledged eight fine fellows who are now our brothers in Phi Kappa Psi. Ralph Nevers, of Brainard, Minn., is the first man pledged. Robert Reed, of River Falls, Fred Putnam, of Red Wing, Arthur Goble, of Earlville, Ill., Gordon Craig, of Portland, Oregon, Philip Hasbrook, of Minneapolis, Gordon Wood, of Duluth, and Robert Kinney, of Astoria, Oregon, follow in order.

With two exceptions none of the new men has relatives in the fraternity. Bro. Fred Putnam is the fourth of his family and Bro. Reed the second of his to enlist under the banner of Phi Kappa Psi. Bro. Goble is a Beloit pledging who won our hearts with his happy smile.

The whole class of Freshmen will live in the house this year which, with the old men back, fills every room. This is of course the ideal condition and the health of the chapter will be of the best even though we have lost our "doctor," Bro. Fred Davis.

The aforesaid doctor is now practicing in St. Clair, Minn. In a recent letter from Bro. Davis he says that business is good, that he has as yet killed no one and that, unless some thoughtless person

insists on getting sick about that time he will be present at the Wisconsin-Minnesota game.

Besides Bro. Davis, who graduated last year, several of the undergraduates did not return. Bros. Richards, Claypool, Howard, Wentworth and Nind are all at work in the mining country near Duluth. We also miss Bro. Francis Robertson very much, but though he is in Chicago now we have a "hunch" that he will be back among us before long. Last term he was elected leader of the glee and mandolin clubs, but on account of his non-arrival another director had to be selected.

The football outlook this year is bright and luminous. Capt. Knowlton of last year's team and Flynn of this year's, Thorpe, Van Valkenberg, Bidlake and Harris are among the old men who are back to play. Bro. Evans, who won his "M" last year, has been compelled to leave college after having practiced with the team for four weeks. Bro. Pattee is trying for Bro. Bert Page's old place at center.

Before the next "Shield" is published the Wisconsin, Nebraska and Beloit games will have been played. We wish to take this opportunity to extend a most cordial invitation to one and all of the brothers of the different chapters to accompany their team and to make our house their home while in this city. We would consider it a great favor if the B. G.'s of the different chapters would write us as to the number coming.

In closing, Minn. Beta extends her fraternal greetings to all her sister chapters and to those who, through faculty regulations, have not yet started to rush, we wish all success.

Minneapolis, Minnesota, October 8, 1902.

Iowa Alpha—University of Iowa.

Frank A. Heall, Correspondent.

The new year at Iowa opened with a large and enthusiastic attendance. The crops and the weather were against us, but in spite of these unmanageable elements, Iowa managed to get her share of seekers after knowledge and the glory of the gridiron. Fifty candidates showed up for football practice at the first throw, including our Bro. Clyde Ochitree, who is a promising candidate for full-back. All of last year's boys are back, with the exception of Bruce and the Johnson brothers. The former, or "Brucey," as we called him, is running a hardware store at Macena, Iowa. Bro. Perry Johnson, law, '02, is now after his master's degree at Wisconsin. Bro. Gene Johnson, law, '02, is practicing law at Decorah, Iowa.

Bro. Claude Horack, collegiate, '99, and law, '00, and formerly law librarian of the university, is now doing postgraduate work at Harvard. His place in the library is being capably filled by Bro. Merton L. Ferson, '00 and '01.

Bro. Fred Drake, for years the editor-in-chief of the "Iowan," our university publication, has resigned his position and is now devoting his whole time to the "cases."

Bros. Mulock and Hess, who kept the Phi Psi house full of sunshine and study during the summer months are mixing up their Greek roots and Latin derivations with torts and contracts, and learning legal lore.

Poor "Psi," our bull pup, is with us no more but is helping "Gene" unravel the knotty legal propositions like we used to unravel the baseballs in the front yard.

We had pleasant visits recently from Judges Bolinger and Meek and Lieutenant "Ned" Rehkoff of the regular army, all of them loyal Phi Psis.

Bro. Neal Jones, a junior in the collegiate department this year, is now city editor of the "Iowa Citizen," of Iowa City, and doing splendid work. He is breezy, busy and brainy.

One of the pretty September weddings that is of interest to Phi Psi in Iowa and adjoining states was the marriage of Bro. Walter M. Davis to Miss Elsie Carpenter of Burlington, Iowa. The wedding was solemnized in Burlington at the home of the bride's mother. Immediately after the ceremony Mr. and Mrs. Davis departed for Fall River, Mass., where the former, as member of Governor Cummins' staff, participated in the launching of the Des Moines. Later they enjoyed a tour of the New England states and are now spending a few days on the coast. Bro. Davis is a graduate of the State University of Iowa, and is one of the leading members of the Johnson county bar. Though having been out of school for several

years he has lost none of his Phi Psi spirit, and has done much towards maintaining the high standard of the old frat that now exists at Iowa. Mrs. Davis was one of the social leaders of Burlington and has been prominent in society in all parts of the state.

The Alpha Chi Rho fraternity, which surrendered its charter last spring, has secured a charter from the Kappa Sigma fraternity. The society has existed under the new name since the beginning of the current year.

The Phi Psis have given several smokers thus far and on the evening of October 2, gave our first informal, with cards and dance. We start out the year with fine prospects and several good men are already slated for the Phi Psi slaughter. Next time we hope to report the names and whereabouts of the new men.

Iowa City, Iowa, October 6, 1902.

Kansas Alpha—University of Kansas.

Sydney S. Linscott, Correspondent.

Kansas Alpha began the year in a new chapter house at 922 Kentucky street. There were only four men back to start the work going; but several of our loyal alumni came out at the critical moments to help us out. Among those who have been with us are Bros. Chas. Hayden, John Hayden, Bob Garber, John Sheridan, Adrian Sherman and Jerry McPherson. Nothing seems too much for Bro. Billy Cockins to do for Phi Kappa Psi. We are very grateful that he is making his headquarters in Lawrence, as he is a hard worker and loyal Phi. Psi. Bro. Merrill also deserves praise for his frequent visits and untiring efforts to stir up a little excitement and help old Phi Psi along.

On Friday evening, September 19, we gave a rushing party in the dance hall of the new chapter house. As a result we pledged Joe McGrew, of Kansas City; Clare Kinne, of Moran, and Albert Maduska, of Leavenworth.

We held initiation for our pledges September 27. Our idea in this was to get the freshmen in shape to work with the greatest zeal possible, looking for good men. We are now able to introduce Bros. Joe McGrew, Clare Kinne and Albert Maduska.

Friday evening, October 3, we will give another rushing for the benefit of a number of freshmen who are eligible as candidates. In our next letter we hope to introduce six more brothers.

The invitations to the wedding of Miss Edna Gifford and Bro. James C. Searles, '02, were received last week. Kansas Alpha is preparing to attend in a body.

Last year's chapter is widely scattered. Bro. Fife is in Colorado prospecting for himself; Bro. Hutchins is in his father's law office in Kansas City; Bro. Snow is practicing medicine in Chicago; Bro. Harrison is in Oklahoma, railroad surveying; Bro. Clodfelter is in Harvard; Bro. McGrew is in business in Kansas City, managing the Kansas City soap factory; Bro. Anderson is in Old Mexico, surveying. The last heard of Bro. Isaacson was from Los Angeles, California, and Bro. Loomis has been in Louisiana for some time. Bro. Sheridan is associated in the newspaper business with his father editing the Western Spirit, one of the leading papers of the state. Bro. Merrill is studying law in his grandfather's law office. Bro. Joe Dyer will enter the Kansas dental college at Kansas City. Bro. Kennedy will not resume work in the university this year.

The petition of a number of young women of the University of Kansas for a charter from Delta Gamma is looked upon with favor by the fraternities and sororities of the institution. At present there are only three sororities in the university, and they are unable to take in all the good sorority material. If Delta Gamma is established there is every reason to believe that it would flourish. The petition was not prompted by any dislike for any of the established sororities, and the petitioners are popular in the university. Kansas Alpha would gladly welcome Delta Gamma.

Lawrence, Kansas, October 1, 1902.

Nebraska Alpha—University of Nebraska.

J. D. Ringer, Correspondent.

As there is a certain sadness in the hearts of the brothers when they bid farewell to each other at the close of commencement days, some to return no more to college joys and sorrows, so is there a

still greater pleasure when the returning brothers once more feel the thrill of enthusiasm in the presence of a Phi Psi hand-clasp. And while we are aware of the joys and privileges of our beloved fraternity, may we have an increasing appreciation of our obligations to her.

As usual, Nebraska Alpha has been fortunate in the men she has been able to pledge to her ranks for the future, and while she has not secured them in great numbers, she is to be congratulated upon the high quality and character of each individual man. Will Ramsey, and Earl Hubbard of Lincoln, two of last year's pledges, will be valuable additions to the active ranks. During the present rushing season, which has been short and active, we have secured the following men, who have already shown real Phi Psi spirit, and whom we take pleasure in introducing to the fraternity as a whole: Ralph Christie, of Omaha, brother of our own Bert Christie; Rex Morehouse, whose home is in Omaha and who has recently come from Culver Military Academy; Harry Hargreaves of Lincoln, and Harry Reed and Arthur Scribner, both well known Omaha boys. While the most critical stage of the rushing season has been passed, we still have our eyes on some very promising men, and are always on the lookout for "the diamond in the rough."

One point very noticeable in the development of Nebraska Alpha is the extreme ease with which she is able to "spike" her men. Those who have looked up her record before coming to the university are in a pretty safe condition, while those who want "a few days to consider" are almost equally sure. This point has been thoroughly demonstrated by the experience of the present season, and yet we would guard against the spirit of over-confidence which brings on disastrous results.

We believe that the great bulk of this success is due to the men who built the firm foundation on which the chapter now stands, and to the presence of several of our noble and stalwart alumni, who lend their aid and enthusiasm at critical times. We should not forget those in other cities, who have given definite assistance in the securing of strong and able men, and who never tire in their efforts for Phi Psi. Recognizing this factor in the fraternity's development, may we not as active men have a fuller appreciation of our privileges and responsibilities at the present time, and may we not accomplish even greater things than these men who have left our midst, but who have still a deep and abiding interest in us.

Of the old men who left the chapter last spring, Bro. Manchester is city solicitor of the Wabash railroad at Denver; Bro. Fred Cusaden is with the Union Pacific at Omaha; Bro. Claire Baird is in his father's law firm at Omaha; Bro. Cook, in a bank at Beatrice; Bro. Crandall, with a wholesale drug firm in Omaha; Bro. Fricke will attend medical college at St. Louis; Bro. Powell, an art school in Chicago; Bros. Deweese and Sedgwick will go to Columbia; Bro. Shimer is in business in Denver; and Bro. Johnston is in business in this city.

Bro. Allen is business manager of the Sombrero, the official publication of the junior class, and has already put in a great amount of good hard work.

Bro. Engel, manager of football for the current season, has won much well merited praise for the systematic, business-like way in which he is directing affairs. He will probably have the company of one Phi Psi, who will play on the team during the present season.

Although all appointments in the cadet battalion have not yet been made, prospects for two cadet captains are very bright. Bro. Buckley will probably be made senior captain. Bro. Harris has been appointed sergeant-major; Bro. McCulloch, by the merit system, has won a first sergeantcy; and several of our sophomores will receive minor appointments.

With this first letter of the college year, the brothers of Nebraska Alpha send greetings to her dear faithful alumni, and to every man who bears the name—Phi Kappa Psi.

Lincoln, Nebraska, September 27, 1902.

California Gamma—University of California.

Geo. F. Beard, Correspondent.

The fall term has begun and the prospects for California Gamma are very bright. We take great pleasure in presenting our new initiates—Brothers Bert Austin, John A. Marshall, John Sherman Bagg, Raymond Dudley McFarland and Sydney Walton Nicholls.

Football season is in full blast and the outlook is very encouraging. Bro. Howard Hendricks is playing as left guard and stands a good chance to make the 'varsity. Bro. Bert Austin has been playing a brilliant game as left guard in the freshman practice, and will, without doubt, make the freshman team.

We have four men in the mandolin and guitar club this term—two of last year, Bros. W. W. Adams and E. H. Howell, and two freshmen, Bert Austin and Raymond D. McFarland.

Bro. G. C. Noble, who graduated from here last spring, is now acting as assistant instructor of electrical engineering in the university. This is quite an honor to so recent a graduate. Our other last year graduate, Bro. C. S. Davidson, is now foreman in charge of the construction of an electrical power plant in Butler county.

The University of California has shown a marked increase in attendance this year. The total number of graduate and undergraduate students is 2,435. The new buildings under Mrs. Hearst's plans have begun and they are going to be grand structures. The corner stone of the new mining building will be laid with great ceremony in a few days.

Berkeley, Cal., October 1, 1902.





William Terrell Rush.

Miss. Alpha.

Whereas, it has pleased our Heavenly Father in His infinite wisdom to take from us our beloved brother, William Terrell Rush, be it

Resolved, That his sad death has brought upon us an irreparable loss; be it further

Resolved, That in token of our deep and heartfelt sorrow these resolutions be put upon the minutes of the chapter and published in "The Shield."

D. O. CLARK,
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J. N. STANDIFER,

Committee.

Mississippi Alpha of Phi Kappa Psi.

Daniel R. Miller.

Resolutions adopted by the Pennsylvania Epsilon chapter of Phi Kappa Psi fraternity.

Whereas, It has pleased an all-wise and loving Father to call to his eternal reward our beloved brother, Daniel R. Miller, '56, and

Whereas, In his death the Phi Kappa Psi fraternity loses an earnest and loyal brother, and the world at large a man of inestimable worth, therefore, be it

Resolved, That the members of Pennsylvania Epsilon chapter of Phi Kappa Psi fraternity do hereby extend our heartfelt sympathy to our bereaved brothers and family in the loss of one so dear to them and near to us in our fraternity. Also be it

Resolved, That a copy of these resolutions be sent to "The Shield" and also placed on the minutes of our chapter.

C. B. GLADFFELTER,
CURTIS FISHER,
U. F. WHITE,

Committee.

Robert Dunlap Fetterman

Pa. Alpha.

Whereas, It has pleased our Heavenly Father in His infinite wisdom to take from us our beloved brother, Robert Dunlap Fetterman, and

Whereas, He was ever the most loyal of brothers and noblest of men.

Resolved, That his sad death has brought upon us a great and irreparable loss, and that in token of our heartfelt sorrow we drape our badges in mourning for thirty days. Be it further

Resolved, That these resolutions be inscribed upon the chapter minutes and inscribed in "The Shield."

GEO. S. BARNER,
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Pennsylvania Alpha Chapter of Phi Kappa Psi.

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As announced in the October "Shield," the alternate issues of "The Shield" will be magazine numbers, and the intermediate issues, of which this is one, will be devoted strictly to fraternity news. The next number will include a number of interesting features, including Bro. F. B. Jones' annual article on "Phi Kappa Psi in Football," an article on Leland Stanford University, and other matters of special interest. It is becoming more and more apparent that "The Shield" this year is to be an expensive proposition, and an appeal is made to alumni and undergraduates to bestir themselves with a view to increasing the alumni subscription list.

Chapter letters for the December number will be due not later than December 5, and letters received after that date will not be published. No further notice of this fact will be given.

Some of the chapters do not initiate freshmen until the second half of the college year. In response to an inquiry, Secretary Monnette points out that every undergraduate receiving "The Shield" through his chapter, should pay for the entire year despite the fact that he is liable to assessment only for a half year when he is not initiated until after April 1. The proper arrangement in such cases is for the chapter treasurer to collect a dollar and a half from each initiate and remit this amount to the treasurer of the fraternity with the names of the members so making payment. This will be entered on the books, and when the initiation returns are sent in, the chapter treasurer can note on the same that payment for "The Shield" has been made.

In past years quite a number of "Shields" have been sent out to the chapters which have not been paid for. This is manifestly unfair, and the inequality should be corrected by the method suggested above.

L. G. Haas, Ohio Delta, is general superintendent of the Baltimore and Ohio railroad, Pittsburg division, with headquarters at Pittsburg, Pa.

Attention is called to an addition to the business directory, the card of C. H. Annan, of Geneva, N. Y., who is representing a Buffalo clothing house.

Frank S. Cummins, Wisconsin Alpha, ex-'02, is division engineer with the Des Moines, Iowa Falls and Northern railroad, with offices at Des Moines, Iowa.

Archon Arthur W. Towne is at Atlanta, Ga., where he will spend the winter on account of his mother's health. Bro. Towne's Atlanta address is 340 Courtland avenue.

The engagement of Dr. Harry A. Hatcher, Ohio Delta '93, to Miss Mary R. Beck, both of Dayton, Ohio, is announced. Dr. Hatcher is one of the rising physicians of his home city.

Chas. L. Van Cleve, formerly superintendent of schools at Troy, Ohio, has been elected to a similar position at Mansfield, a distinct advancement in which readers of "The Shield" will rejoice.

Arrangements are being completed for the reunion and banquet of the Phi Psi of Indiana and elsewhere at the New Denison Hotel, Indianapolis, on the night before Thanksgiving. An attendance of one hundred is expected.

Bro. Rayburn Clark Smith, Pennsylvania Iota '98, (U. Pa.) of Philadelphia, is telling the loyal all about a great engagement, not martial but marital. The young lady is Miss Mary T. Houston, of Philadelphia. Presents may be forwarded about January.

Bro. T. R. Emerson, of Arcata, Humboldt county, California, is anxious to secure by purchase files of "The Shield" for Volumes 21 and 22. Anyone able to furnish them should correspond with him. Bro. Emerson is agent of the Royal Exchange Assurance Company at Arcata.

Robert A. Allen, Beloit '00, has been made city editor of the morning edition of the Sioux City, Iowa, Journal. He is a very young man to hold so important a position. Bro. Allen is an indefatigable worker, and is managing to attend lectures in the Sioux City College of Medicine.

The law firm of Appel & Appel at Lancaster, Pa., is very much of a Phi Psi affair. The two partners, Jno. W. Appel and Wm. N. Appel are Phi Psis, and T. Roberts Appel, son of Jno. W. Appel,

is an associate. A second son of Bro. Jno. W. Appel is shortly to be initiated into the Lancaster chapter.

Thomas McDowell Nelson, Jr., Pa. Alpha '00, was married to Miss Louise Brewer Prather at Greencastle, Pa., on October 14. Bro. Prather was captain of the W. and J. football team and prominent in the musical organizations of the college during his undergraduate career. He is now practicing law at Chambersburg, Pa.

Walter S. Rapelje, S. G. of N. Y. Zeta, writes that the chapter would like to secure No.'s 6, 7, and 8 of Volume XVI of "The Shield," and has for exchange the following numbers: 2, 3, 4, 6, Vol. XV; 1, 2, 3, 4, Vol. XVI; 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, Vol. XVII; 3, 4, 5, Vol. XVIII; 1, 2, 3, 4, 6, Vol. XIX; 2, 5, 6, 7, Vol. XX; 3, 5, 6, Vol. XXI.

Bro. N. Wilbur Helm, instructor in Latin at Princeton, writes: "At President Wilson's inauguration, Phi Kappa Psi was not wholly unrepresented, since President Wilson is a Phi Psi and President James of Northwestern was here, while Bro. Paul Dashiell umpired the Princeton-Columbia game. I had the great pleasure of having Bro. McCorkle as my guest for the day, and together we made a pleasant call on Bro. Wilson."

F. A. Godcharles, Pa. Theta '93, made a vigorous but unsuccessful race for congress in the sixteenth Pennsylvania district, the contest attracting wide attention. Bro. Godcharles was the republican nominee in a district 2,600 democratic, his opponent being a millionaire who manifested a willingness to let loose of some of the money. The Pittsburg Gazette of October 10 said: "Godcharles is a young bachelor of thirty. He is at the head of a nail manufacturing concern at Milton. His first appearance in public life was in the last house, where he proved himself one of the most convincing talkers on the floor." Bro. Thomas W. Pomeroy, cashier of the People's National Bank of Tarentum, wrote under date of October 10: "If hustling will do it, Bro. Godcharles will win. I sincerely hope he may, and thus swell our Phi Psi delegation in congress. Bro. Godcharles has two younger brothers who are Pennsylvania Zeta Phi Psis."

Of Roswell G. Field's recently published book, "The Romance of an Old Fool," the Chicago Times Herald says, in the course of an extended review: "Mr. Field's little tale has the grace and artistic finish so conspicuous by their absence from most books of the industrious and enthusiastic tyros who flood the book market of today. 'The Romance of an Old Fool' is the work of a man of letters, not an amateur. This need not affright the reader, however, for the story is full of the charm of a subtle humor, the more piquant that it poises delicately on the brink of a real pathos. The thread of the story is slender but quite sufficient to sustain the reader's interest and to hold together the mesh of fanciful sentiment and humor that makes the tale's charming fabric. The taste that Mr. Field's text displays has been displayed in the binding and decoration of the book, which

will meet the entire approval of cultivated people. A limited subscription edition of 'The Romance of an Old Fool' has already been exhausted, but a trade edition is now put forth through the usual channels. (William S. Lord, Evanston.)" Mr. Field is an alumnus of old Missouri Alpha.

Jackson W. Boyd, Indiana Alpha, has been elected a member of the Indiana legislature from Putnam county as a democrat, having a majority of 600 votes. Roscoe E. Kirkman, of Wayne county, is another Phi Psi member of the next Indiana House, and a prominent candidate for the speakership. James E. Watson, Indiana Alpha, was elected to congress from the sixth Indiana district with an increased majority. C. E. Durborrow, Indiana Beta, was defeated for congress in Chicago after a close and exciting contest. Congressman Jno. W. Williams, another Indiana Beta alumnus, and a veteran member of the House, was triumphantly elected in a district gerrymandered against him. Nat. U. Hill, Indiana Beta, was elected state treasurer of Indiana, and is credited with some of the most effective campaigning of the year. E. E. Hendee, Indiana Alpha, was elected to the State Senate from the Anderson, Indiana, district, by a majority of unexpected proportions. The republican victory in Indiana is considered very creditable to James P. Goodrich, Indiana Alpha, state chairman of the republican party, who managed the campaign with great skill and good judgment. There is a great deal more important Phi Psi news as the result of the recent elections, and "The Shield" hopes that some of its readers will wake up and send it in.

Dr. Bernard Wolf, Va. Gamma and Va. Alpha, a recently enrolled "Shield" subscriber, is one of the leading physicians of Atlanta, Ga. He is president of the Atlanta Society of Medicine, editor of the Atlanta Journal-Record of Medicine, and Instructor in Diseases of the Skin in the College of Physicians and Surgeons of Atlanta. He writes: "The circular announcing 'The Shield' for Vol. XXIII has aroused very pleasant recollections which were beginning to grow dim. It is now more than fourteen years since I have been connected with fraternity matters, and other interests and responsibilities have forced them into the background. But it is impossible for one to suppress a feeling of cordial warmth toward his college fraternity, which is so intimately associated with his youth and development. I have always esteemed myself fortunate in having been a member of Phi Kappa Psi. The chapters with which I was connected were both of weight and influence in their respective institutions, and were of great benefit to me in many ways during my college and university career. I have not been able to follow up the course in life of many of my former fraternity associates. A number of them have become Presbyterian preachers, some have entered the medical service of the government, one is the rector of St. Thomas in New York, and others are plain lawyers and doctors like myself. So far as I am aware I am the only Phi Psi in Atlanta."



The list of new and paid-up subscribers is crowded out with much other matter, and will appear in the December number.

Springfield Alumni Association.

Bro. Samuel A. Ort, Dean of Wittenberg, has been acting as her president since the death of President Ruthrauff.

Bro. Walter Manss '99, was graduated in June from Miami Medical College. He will soon enter the Cincinnati City Hospital as an interne.

Bro. George S. Murphy '93, has been appointed a member of the board of managers of the Wittenberger to fill the place caused by the resignation of Bro. B. F. Prince.

Bro. Frank W. Geiger is a candidate for Probate Judge on the republican ticket.

Bro. Louis E. Bauer '00, is chief chemist of the Champion Branch of the International Harvester Co.

Bro. "Phil" Schneider '96, is completing a course in literature at Johns Hopkins University.

Bro. A. F. Linn has recently been elected a lay delegate to the next General Synod of the Lutheran Church.

Bro. Fred J. Ritterspach '02, and A. J. Welsh '00, entered Boston Tech. this fall. The latter has a degree from Harvard.

Mississippi Alpha.

Bro. G. B. McCallum '01, is attending the Louisville Medical College, Louisville, Ky.

Bro. B. H. Durley ex-'01, is a salesman in Oxford.

Bro. T. D. Davis ex-'01, is a lawyer at South McAlister, I. T.

Bro. J. H. Sumrell ex-'01 is a pharmacist at Summit, Miss.

Bro. L. S. Sexton '98, is practicing law at Hazlehurst, Miss.

Bro. B. C. Bowen '98 is a leading attorney in Beaumont, Texas.

Bro. Jack Toagart has a position with the Y. & M. V. railroad.

Bro. W. L. Godbold '98 is practising law at McKenney, Texas.

Bro. J. E. Gartrell ex-'03, is at Mammoth Springs, Arkansas.

Indiana Delta.

Bro. Geo. McCann, the star quarterback on Purdue's team last year, is in Northwestern Dental School at Chicago this year.

Bro. Fritz Ernst '00, has taken the position of instructor in locomotive design at Purdue.

Bro. Dashiell '02 has a good position with the American Bridge Company in Chicago.

Bro. Dooley '01 is with the Westinghouse Company at Pittsburg this year.

Bro. Winans is in the employ of the Ohio Brass Works at Mansfield, Ohio.

Bro. Mel Smith '00 has been promoted from chemist of the Sandusky Cement Company to the position of superintendent of a branch of the same company at Syracuse, Indiana.

Bro. Fred Cole '99, has left the employ of the Davenport, Iowa, Glucose Company, to enter a company for the manufacture of gas mantels in the same city. Bro. Cole is head chemist of the new company.

Bro. Walter Dietz '02 is now employed by the Western Electric Company of Chicago.

Bro. Geo. Ross has been engaged as an organizer of a syndicate of New York capitalists. The intention of the company is to purchase land in Mexico for the production of sugar.

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New York Gamma.

Henry H. McCorkle '02 is practicing law at 29 Wall street, New York.
 James E. Higgins '02 is connected with the Bell mine, Butte, Mont.
 H. C. Breneman '02 is associated with his father in the Camargo Shade Manufacturing Company, of Cincinnati, Ohio.
 A. Weidman '02 is practicing law in Brooklyn.
 E. P. Gilchrist '00 is practicing law at 76 William street, New York.
 A. N. Allen is very successful as an architect and is still located at the Windsor Arcade, New York City.
 E. D. Freeman '01, who has been South in the lumber business, has returned to New York and is studying law.

Minnesota Beta.

Bro. Roy Woods, Minnesota Beta '01, is at present in Correll, Minnesota, where he is cashier of his father's bank.
 Bro. Fred Tiffany, Minnesota Beta '01, is in the land business in Selby, South Dakota.
 Bro. Fred U. Davis, Minnesota Beta '02, is practicing medicine in St. Clair, Minnesota. He reports that business is booming.
 There is quite a Phi Psi colony in Hibbing, Minnesota. It is a small mining town, just about large enough for four college men. Bros. Hunt and Claypool are employed by Longyear & Co., and Bros. Richards and Howard are with the Stevens Mining Co. All of the brothers, except Bro. Hunt, were in college last year.

*Johnstown Alumni Association.**F. S. Love, Contributor.*

To discover good Phi Psi material among resident students and to engender in these a respect for the fraternity, even before entering their various alma maters has ever been present in the minds of our membership; pursuant to which end, letters have been addressed to the various chapters giving full information concerning those who have been thought to be good fraternity material. It is with pleasure, therefore, that we learn from Pennsylvania Alpha that the brothers, Charles and Robert Hays, have adopted the fraternity of their honored uncle, Dr. C. C. Hays, Pennsylvania Alpha '80, as their choice; and that Frank P. Barnhart (Princeton '02) now of the law department of Pennsylvania Zeta, and Francis Hamilton of New York Gamma, have been gathered into the fold. We congratulate both the chapters and the brethren themselves upon these happy issues which doubtless will make for mutual good. In our undergraduate days and since, we have always found one of our strongest claims to recognition to lie in the fact that once an individual member of a family become a Phi Psi, other branches both lineal and collateral invariably follow, than which better illustration cannot be found of the hold Phi Psi takes upon a man when once he listens to her voice.

Our plan contemplates a Christmas holiday meeting and banquet at which time we expect visiting brethren from the neighboring counties of Bedford, Blair, Indiana and Westmoreland, our present membership being drawn almost exclusively from Somerset and Cambria. Not the least pleasant of the anticipations of that event is the expected presence of these active brothers whose first impressions of old Phi Psi were received through our association. They are just on the borders of the "Promised Land" and when from the lips of those who have long since entered into its full possession, her glories shall be portrayed, a quickening of spirit will inevitably follow, the fruits of which will be seen in a greater love for the fraternity which can thus retain perpetual youth in the hearts of her oldest votaries.

To the editor of "The Shield" is due the concurrent congratulations of every Phi Psi in the presentation of a magazine second to none in beauty, richness of design and excellence of typography; in which a proper proportion is so evenly maintained and a high literary level so well preserved. "The Shield" can easily sit, if not primus inter pares, at least on perfect equality among the best of cosmopolitan monthlies. It should be the pride of every correspondent, particularly among the undergraduate body, to see regularly his chapter letter, for nothing so much appeals to the alumni as that page of "The Shield," and when found to be wanting, it is laid down with a sense of keen disappointment. Assuredly, a subscription to "The

Shield" is not only the best test of fraternity spirit but also the sine qua non to the maintenance of such spirit. The initial number is itself a power to stir up Phi Psi pride and enthusiasm, well worth the entire year's subscription. No member can afford to risk being without it.

Johnstown, Pa., November 1, 1902.

Massachusetts Alpha.

Walter A. Dyer, Contributor.

Walter S. Frisbe '97, is in the contracting department of the Boston Bridge Works, 47 Winter street, Boston, Mass.

Dwight G. Burrage '97, has resigned his position as principal of the high school at East Jaffrey, N. H., and is now principal of Peacham Academy, Peacham, Vt.

Paul T. B. Ward '99 has returned from Constantinople, where he spent three years as instructor in Roberts College, and is now with the Samuel Ward Company, stationers, Boston, Mass. His engagement has been announced with Miss Helen A. Ward of Newton Centre, Mass.

L. C. Hubbard '00, who graduated from the New York Law School last June, and was admitted to the bar, has entered the law offices of Ludlow, Townsend & Simpson, 45 Cedar street, New York City. He is living in White Plains, New York.

Lawrence F. Ladd '00, of 40 Dey street, New York, was married on November 4 to Miss Elizabeth Nims of Leominster, Mass. Mount Holyoke College '00. Bro. and Mrs. Ladd will be at home after December 15 at 905 Greene avenue, Brooklyn. L. C. Hubbard '00, was best man at the wedding.

Charles Lovell '01, was ordained to the ministry at Southwick, Massachusetts, on October 8.

Lewis G. Brearley '02, is teaching in Morristown, N. J.

George C. Clancy '02, who is teaching in the Bloomfield, N. J., high school, is living at 224 Broad street, Bloomfield.

Ellery C. Clapp '02, is principal of Smith Academy, Hatfield, Mass.

James C. Young '02, is attending the Hartford Theological Seminary, Hartford, Conn.

Clinton H. Collester '02, who is taking a postgraduate course at Harvard, is living at 67 Oxford street, Cambridge, Mass.

The Mass. Alpha alumni in and near New York City are to hold a reunion and dinner at the Murray Hill Hotel on November 15. About a dozen will attend. Several of the alumni attended the initiation banquet in Amherst on October 31.

New York Alumni Association.

A committee consisting of Bros. Bang, Morrill and Dyer are busy preparing a catalogue or directory of all Phi Psi alumni in Greater New York and vicinity. It is the plan to publish such a directory each year. It will no doubt be impossible to make the first attempt entirely accurate or complete, and the assistance of all brothers is earnestly desired. The secretary of the association will be glad to receive the names and addresses of any local Phi Psis.

The roster of the association is constantly growing and new members are added at every meeting. The meeting of October 20 was well attended and full of spirit.

The next meeting of the association will be held at the Arena on November 17, when officers for the ensuing year will be elected.

The association was represented at the inauguration of Bro. Woodrow Wilson, Princeton's new president, by Bros. McCorkle and Helm.

Pennsylvania Gamma.

Bro. R. T. Wiltbank, Jr., '98, has been called to the pastorate of the First Baptist Church at Hollidaysburg.

Bro. Sweet ex-'03, is playing center on the all-star athletic football team of Philadelphia.

Bro. Weymouth '00 is teaching chemistry at St. Paul's school.

Bro. Prichard, now at the University of Virginia, has already won a place for himself on the 'varsity football team.

Pennsylvania Beta.

E. W. Tolerton '71 is attorney for the Pennsylvania railroad at Toledo, where he is a leading lawyer.

Lloyd W. Lowndes, ex-governor of Maryland, has retired to a private business life at Cumberland.

F. A. Arter '65, who has been so kind to our college and Pa. Beta in particular, is one of the best known business men of Cleveland.

Simpson Ford '80, is judge of court of common pleas at Cleveland. Arthur Bates '80, is serving in congress.

W. I. Bates '90, is editor of the Meadville Tribune Republican.

Ed. Porter '91, is city treasurer of Meadville.

G. C. Hawkins ex-'98, is in the war department at Washington.

H. W. Hunter ex-'99, is in the shingle business at Blaine, Wash.

W. C. Leffingwell has entered the practice of law.

J. R. Lang ex-'00, is paymaster of the consolidated tin mills at New Castle, Pa.

A. J. May '00, is instructor of Biology at Syracuse University.

A. A. Culbertson '00, is general manager of the Erie-Cambridge Traction Company. Chas. Hatch '00, is secretary and treasurer of the same road.

John Morrow '00, is in the revenue service and studying law.

R. D. Leffingwell '01, is principal of the high school at Hartford, Ohio.

D. C. Colgrave ex-'03, is studying law at Bradford.

J. A. Brady ex-'03, is connected with the New York City Real Estate company.

Frank Howard ex-'04, is at U. P.

J. P. Pickard ex-'04, is at the Architectural department of Cornell.

H. J. Ashley ex-'06, is in the Medical department of the University of Buffalo. He plays halfback on her football team.

Pennsylvania Epsilon.

Bro. C. T. Lark '98, who received his L. L. B. degree "magna cum laude" from Yale Law School last June, has located for the practice of his profession in New York City, room 652, Mutual Life Building.

Pres. H. W. McKnight '65, was recently elected a member of the honorary fraternity of Phi Beta Kappa.

Bro. J. C. Bowers '93, of St. Mark's Lutheran Church, Washington, D. C., has accepted a call to Calvary Lutheran Church of Baltimore, and expects to take up his work about November 1.

Bro. W. Arch. McClain '82, has purchased the "Gettysburg Compiler" and is now editing the same.

Bro. L. S. Weaver '99, is a student in the Medical department at Johns Hopkins.

Bro. Geo. F. Leffler '01 is in the employ of a telephone company at his home in Millersburg, Pa.

Bro. A. H. Shoupe '01 has finished his course at Eastman and is now engaged in business in New York City.

Bro. H. H. Penrod '01, is a student at Jefferson Medical College.

Pennsylvania Alpha.

Bro. A. G. Gill '02, is studying law in Pittsburg.

Cupid seems to be getting in some good work at the hearts of Phi Psis of 1900. Bro. Chase S. Robinson, of Parker, Pa., was married a short time ago. The next victim was Bro. Thos. M. Nelson, of Chambersburg, who was married on the 14th of last month. Bro. Geo. V. Dole will be married on November 20.

Bro. A. J. Fulton '02, is assistant cashier of the Tarentum Trust Co. at Tarentum.

Bro. J. S. Brittain '01, was with the 10th regiment N. G. P. at the scene of the coal strike. Bro. Brittain was on the hospital corps.

Bro. Jos. K. Cole '02, is at Cornell.

From Pittsburg Dispatch in connection with W. and J. Centennial News: "At the Hotel Seigel last night a grand banquet was held by the Washington and Jefferson chapter of the Phi Kappa Psi fraternity, and the event was one of the finest connected with the centennial celebration. Plates were laid for seventy-five. Boyd Crumrine '57, of Washington, acted as toastmaster and the following gentlemen were called upon to respond to toasts: Rev. C. C. Hays, D. D., '81, of Johnstown; Hon. H. H. Bingham '58, of Philadelphia, member of Congress; Hon. Ernest F. Acheson '73, of Wash-

ington, member of Congress; H. J. Nesbit, Esq., '89, of Pittsburg; Hon. J. S. Young '66, of Pittsburg, and Rev. D. W. Fisher, D. D., LL. D., President of Hanover College, Hanover, Ind., of the class of '57. All of the speeches were extempore and dealt with the history of the fraternity and the principles and practices represented by it. The membership of the Pennsylvania Alpha chapter, or W. and J. chapter, is as follows: Fratres in Urbe—J. A. McElroy, C. G. Oliver, Alex. M. Templeton, J. I. Brownson, Esq.; Blaine Aiken, Hon. E. F. Acheson, J. A. Wiley, Esq.; Hon. J. A. McIlvaine, Edward Paul, B. Crumrine, Esq.; G. P. Carson, U. S. G. Smith, R. M. Carsten, W. R. Thompson, M. D.; Charles Caldwell, J. W. Donnan, Esq.; W. McIlvaine, Esq.; H. Russel Myers. Fratres—George S. Borner, E. V. Braden, J. H. Otto, Maurice Richey, A. R. Dunn, B. P. Williams, W. Russel Carr, G. G. Ash, William C. Donnan, Robert Nelson. The fraternity being just one-half as old as the college, last night's event was somewhat of a jubilee affair; the semi-centennial of the society, however, was formally celebrated in February of this year." The same paper from which the above was clipped contained a small cut of the chapter house of Pa. Alpha.

Michigan Alpha.

Bro. Patton '02, Medic., Michigan Alpha, is house physician at the university hospital, Ann Arbor.

Bro. Bartelme, Mich. Alpha, had charge of the arrangements for the Michigan-Wisconsin game at Chicago, November 1. That there was the largest crowd in attendance that ever gathered at any football game in the west, speaks well for Bro. Bartelme's executive ability.

The engagement of Bro. Effinger, Michigan Alpha, to Miss Margaret Thayne '99, Michigan, is announced. Bro. Effinger is assistant professor of French in the University of Michigan and Miss Thayne is teaching at the University School in Detroit.

Bro. Burr, Ohio Delta, telegraphed Mich. Alpha from Los Angeles, California, on October 25, to find out the result of the Michigan-Ohio game. The reply of Michigan 86, Ohio 0, must have been something of a surprise to Bro. Burr, since Ohio people had picked their team to win.

Extract from a Springfield, Ill., paper: "Married, Tuesday, October 21, 1902, in the parsonage of the Church of the Immaculate Conception, by the Rev. Father Hickey, pastor of the church, Arthur Fitzgerald and Miss Anna Grout. The engagement was announced some time ago, but at that time it was the purpose to have the wedding solemnized early next month, although no date had been fixed upon. For the present Mr. and Mrs. Fitzgerald will make their home at 1015 South Sixth street. Both the young people occupy prominent places in Springfield society. Mr. Fitzgerald was admitted to the bar at the recent law examination in this city, and he probably will commence the practice of his profession in South Bend, Ind. He is a graduate of the Springfield high school, and last spring he graduated from the law school of the University of Michigan. He is a well known athlete and one of the popular young men of the city. Miss Grout is the daughter of the late Joseph M. Grout. Until a month ago she occupied the position of personal secretary to Governor Yates. As a vocalist she has achieved more than a local reputation." Bro. Fitzgerald is a member of Michigan Alpha and graduated from the law department last year.

Pennsylvania Eta.

Bro. Roy S. Hibsham has been made manager of the musical department at John Wanamaker's, Philadelphia.

New York Alpha.

Bro. Symonds '93, of New York City, called at the house on the evening of October 23, but owing to business engagements was unable to remain for the initiation on the following day.

Bro. Blanchet, New York Delta, was present at the initiation and laid before the chapter his endowment scheme. He represents the New York Life Insurance Company.

Bro. Stephen Ryder '86, visited the chapter during the summer. A visit from Bro. Ryder is especially to be appreciated, since he

lives in Sumner, Wash., and can be east but seldom. It is unfortunate that so few of the brothers were here to meet him.

Bro. R. J. Bliss '85, and one of the pioneers of the movement to reorganize this chapter, is at present studying in the law school.

Bro. A. T. Wood '02, has accepted a position in Hoxie, Arkansas. We trust that "Deacon's" merits may meet with appreciation in this wild and barbarous country.

Bro. Batshear ex-'04, who has been ill in Pittsburg, has recovered. Although seriously ill he did not have typhoid as was at first reported.

Bro. Hutchings ex-'03, is at present in Chicago studying the opportunities which the west offers to youthful enterprise. We understand that several large concerns are anxious to secure the services of so promising an engineer.

Bros. Elmer and Albert Peil ex-'04, were guests of the chapter for several days during the past week. Both are attending business college in Brooklyn, preparatory to starting in business.

Bro. "Billy" Wilson, Pa. Beta, often reaches Ithaca in the course of his numerous business trips. It is not infrequently the good fortune of the chapter to be with Bro. Wilson for a few hours, and assist him in forgetting the harassing cares of business.

Indiana Beta.

Last year's senior class of Indiana University contained four members of Indiana Beta of Phi Kappa Psi.

Bro. Fred Beck is assistant superintendent of the Monroe County Oolitic Stone Company, of Bloomington, Indiana.

Bro. Heilman Wadsworth is Science teacher in the high school at Washington, Ind.

Bro. Walter Crim is general manager of the Crim Lumber Company at Salem, Ind.

Bro. Roscoe Smith is with the American Telephone Company at Kansas City, Mo.

Bro. Chauncey Dowden '03, is assistant surgeon at the Jeffersonville Reformatory, Jeffersonville, Ind.

Bro. Everett Smith '03, who was elected to the football captaincy for this year, was unable to enter college on account of sickness at the beginning of the year. He is now traveling through the state in the interests of the Indiana University Students' Building. He reports meeting many Phi Psis.

Bros. Everett and Roscoe Smith have the sympathy of the fraternity in the death of their father, which occurred in the latter part of the summer.

Bro. F. C. Myers '03, is in business in Chicago.

Bro. E. L. Tharp '05, is traveling in the southwest for a Chicago firm.

Bro. Ralph Pike '01 is in business in Bloomington, Ind. He expects to go to New Castle, Ind., soon, to practice law.

Bro. Louis Howe '05, is in business with his father in Bloomington, Ind.

Bro. Roy Pike '00, "the greatest guard that ever wore the Indiana uniform," is back this year coaching the football team of his alma mater.

Bro. Nat U. Hill '76, is, while this is being written, republican candidate for state treasurer of Indiana, and, leaving politics out of the question, the fraternity hopes that by the time this is in print, Bro. Hill will have landed on the safe side of the line with a good majority.

Bro. Alex. Sutphin ex-'02, is in the First National Bank of Bloomington, Ind. Bro. Sutphin is now enjoying married life, having taken unto himself a wife last spring. Several of the undergraduates of the chapter were present at the ceremony. The fraternity wishes them abundant happiness.

Bro. Harry Reddick '04, is teaching at Middletown, Ind.

Bro. Will Teter '03, is with the Tower Hill Coal Company of Midland, Ind.

Bro. J. Buren Higgins, a former Indiana Gamma and Beta man, is now a member of the senior class at Princeton, and is business manager of the Princeton Tiger.

Bro. Claude Malott '95, who has been practicing law in Bloomington, Ind., entered Harvard law school this fall.

Any Indiana Beta men who know any items of interest about themselves or other members of the chapter, please communicate them to "The Shield" or to the active chapter and they will be published in the earliest issue.



Pennsylvania Alpha—Washington-Jefferson College.

J. H. Otto, Correspondent.

The centennial celebration at Washington and Jefferson is now a thing of the past and the oldest college west of the Alleghenies is started on the second century of its good work. Fully a thousand of the four thousand graduates came to Washington for the celebration and everyone enjoyed himself to the utmost. Monday of centennial week was devoted to class reunions. The oldest class to have a reunion was that of '49 at which there were but three survivors of a class of fifty-nine. The only drawback of the week was on Tuesday afternoon when Lafayette defeated our team in football 12 to 0. This is but the second time that W. & J. has ever been defeated on her home grounds.

Phi Psi was well represented here during centennial week, there being about seventy-five in town. On Monday night we had a banquet at which were some of the oldest and youngest of Phi Psis. There were about sixty-five present and everybody had a jolly good time. Hon. Boyd Crumrine made a very efficient symposiarch and the toasts responded to by the following brothers were enjoyed by all present: Hon. H. H. Bingham, of Philadelphia; Rev. C. C. Hays, D. D., of Johnstown; Rev. Edwin Wallace, of Greensburg; Rev. O. F. Woodburn, of Allegheny; Rev. Chas. A. Dickey, D. D., of Philadelphia; Judge J. A. McIlwaine, of Washington; Henry T. McClelland, of Pittsburg; U. Grant Smith, of Washington, and W. Russell Carr, of Uniontown.

In the conferring of honorary degrees Phi Psis received a goodly share. The Phi Psis who received degrees were the following: Doctor of Laws, Hon. Henry H. Bingham, class of '62, Jefferson College, member of congress for twenty-two years, representing First Pennsylvania district, and the oldest member in the service. Hon. Samuel A. McClung, class of '66, Judge of the Court of Common Pleas of Allegheny county, Rev. Daniel Webster Fischer, D. D., '57, president of Hanover College, and Rev. Chas. A. Dickey, D. D., '58, moderator of the general assembly of the Presbyterian church in 1900. Doctor of Divinity, Rev. Arthur H. Ewing '87, Presbyterian foreign missionary, Allahabad, India.

We have been fortunate in securing three more good men from the freshman class, which brings our number in this class up to eight. The new brothers whom I have the pleasure to introduce are Robert Nelson, of Chambersburg, and Charles and Robert Hays of Johnstown.

Besides doing good work in school our chapter is taking quite a lively interest in athletics. Last week Bro. Ritchey was taken from the scrubs and put at end on the 'varsity, and we all feel certain that he will be able to hold down the position. Our football team lost a good man when Bro. Sweet left school to accept a position in Philadelphia. Though we knew Sweet but a short time we all found him a jolly fellow and we miss him very much, and there is not one of us but what wishes him back. Bro. Donnan is manager of the freshman team. Bro. Charley Hays is captain. Bros. Bob Hays and Dunn are playing on the freshman team. Bro. Carr is taking quite an active interest in basketball. Bro. Nelson is reserving his athletic abilities until next spring when he will show the natives what he can do in the pitching line.

Bros. Braden and Carr are members of the college dramatic association and it is likely that they will both take part in the next play that is given.

Phi Kappa Psi House, Washington, Pa., November 3, 1902.

*Pennsylvania Beta—Allegheny College.**J. Gayle Nelson, Correspondent.*

Life at Allegheny has now fallen into routine duty, and Pa. Beta is valiantly laboring to mould the plastic minds of her new freshmen and preps. into proper Phi Psi shape. Enthusiasm for the pink and lavender, and devotion to the cause are the chief characteristics of the frat. this year; and the little informal fireside chats which we so often have, cement stronger the mystic band of brotherhood in Phi Kappa Psi, and when the pipes are brought out and the old men grow reminiscent, their tales of love and sacrifice somehow inspire the youngsters with the idea that Phi Psi is a queen of hearts; and that sacrifice for her is gain inestimable.

We are all glad to welcome back from the hospital Bro. Mook, whose illness has kept him there since the opening of college. His prowess has been missed on the athletic field, and the inspiration of his presence in fraternity life. We are all rejoicing in his recovery.

Bro. Yard, whose injured knee has kept him out of football for the past two weeks, is now able to return to the game and will assume his old position at end.

Bro. Scott has been playing a very creditable game at end. He is recognized as a very strong addition to the team. Bro. Scott was recently elected vice-president of the Intercollegiate Athletic Association of Pennsylvania.

Bro. Anderson ex-'03 made us a welcome visit.

Mr. Black, a pledged man of Pa. Gamma, dropped in on us Sunday.

Pa. Beta is anticipating a merry Thanksgiving. Many of our alumni are coming back, and the halls of the old frat. house will ring with songs of reunion sung with a spirit that can spring only from hearts that have felt the glad, warm thrill of brotherhood in Phi Kappa Psi. All wearers of the shield will be welcome.

Phi Kappa Psi House, Meadville, Pa., November 1, 1902.

*Pennsylvania Gamma—Bucknell University.**R. J. Hess, Correspondent.*

Pennsylvania Gamma sends her best wishes to all Phi Psis. In this busy season may success attend all your efforts.

We who compose Bucknell's active chapter have prospered and now that college life is going on in earnest are all back at our posts of duty. There are now thirteen active men in the chapter, of these only one is a senior. It is therefore with a very full optimism that we look forward to our fraternity life.

The university has begun the fifty-seventh year of its existence under the most favorable conditions. Several important changes have been made in the faculty and four instructors have been added. Among the newcomers is Bro. Joseph Wolfe of Pa. Gamma and New York Alpha, who in his undergraduate days won many laurels in athletic work both at Bucknell and at Cornell. We are glad to have so valuable an addition to our faculty. Two new buildings have been added—a power plant and a physical laboratory.

This year's freshman class brings 117 new comers; but of this number very few are fraternity material. Our old rule of "quality not quantity" is in force, and when the time comes Phi Psi will have the very best men in the class to add to her roll.

The first good act done by us was the initiation of Bro. Charles Stephen Marsh of the class of 1905. We present him to the world of Phi Kappa Psi, confident of his worth. Bro. Marsh was a man much sought after by all of our rival fraternities. He is a man of ability, both in study and on the track. He holds the Bucknell record for the quarter and the half mile.

Bro. Graff was late in entering this term because of the coal strike. Along with Bro. Gretzinger who was adjutant, and Bros. Bell '00 and Sharkley '00, Bro. Graff did guard duty with the Twelfth Regiment N. G. P.

The chapter rooms have had one thorough looking over and Gamma has given one smoker which was very successful. More will follow.

The 'varsity is exceptionally strong this year as is shown by their defeat of the Indians and their good work at the U. of P. game. Nearly all of the chapter attended the game which was played in Philadelphia and while in the city met with many loyal Phi Psis. There were more than thirty together at one time there, and the good spirit of brotherhood made all of them more glad than

ever that those mystic bonds exist. Bros. Smith and Smiley are on the team.

Of last year's chapter Bro. Stanton is directing the athletic work of Dennison University. Bro. Elliott is a junior at Medico-Chi and demonstrator in bacteriology. Bro. Greene is in business with his father at Lewiston, Pa. Bro. Packer is at the Yale law school and Bro. Galbrath is taking the dental course at the University of Pennsylvania.

Since the opening of the term our chapter has been honored by visits from Bro. Brittain, Pa. Alpha; Bro. Woodyear, Maryland Alpha, and Bros. Bell, Wolfe, Nesbit, Purdy, Mulkie, Christy, Galbrath and Elliott of Pa. Gamma. We are always glad to have these brothers with us and hope that none will pass us by if they are within calling distance.

Chapter Rooms, Lewisburg, Pa., November 3, 1902.

Pennsylvania Epsilon—Gettysburg College.

Chas. H. May, Correspondent.

Since our last letter to "The Shield" we have initiated Bro. Ralph O. Stotler, Middletown, Pa. Bro. Stotler is a nephew of Bro. John A. Ruhl, M. D., and is a fine fellow. This is another victory for Epsilon, as he was rushed hard by other frats. C. L. Patterson of the preparatory department has also been pledged.

Bro. Livingstone Smith, our football coach, was unexpectedly called back to his business and this leaves us without a coach, but, nevertheless the good work has been kept up and Gettysburg has every reason to feel proud of her 'varsity. The University of Maryland, one of our old rivals, was defeated on Saturday last by a score of 40 to 0.

Plans for a new college Y. M. C. A. building, to be paid for by the alumni and friends of the association, are under way, and it is expected that this project will become a reality before another year has passed.

The announcement that hereafter "The Shield" would be published monthly was greeted with great satisfaction by the brothers and Epsilon pledges herself to contribute as much as possible to the success of the venture.

The basketball team, of which Bro. White is captain, has already begun to practice for the coming season and indications point to our having a strong team.

Among our recent visitors we number Bros. F. G. Turner, Esq., '93 and C. G. White '97.

Gettysburg, Pennsylvania, November 1, 1902.

Pennsylvania Eta—Franklin and Marshall College.

W. Curtis Truxal, Correspondent.

After having made a thorough canvass of the freshman class, Pa. Eta feels positive that the active rushing season at F. and M. is at an end for this term. As stated in the last letter, the incoming class is so exceptionally small and fraternity material is so very scarce that the chapter is congratulating herself in being able to get the three men who are now on our chapter roll.

To make sure that no men had been overlooked another smoker was held, at which a large number of freshmen and one of our most loyal alumni, Bro. Zimmerman, archon of the first district, were present.

College honors seem to be coming our way this year. At a recent election of the Green Room Club, which will present Robert Louis Stevenson's famous production of "Dr. Jekyll and Mr. Hyde" Bros. Westerman, Bissinger and Snyder were elected to the cast of characters. Bros. Westerman and Bissinger have the first two roles.

This year Pa. Eta is represented on the glee club by Bros. Stein, Westerman and Paul Bridenbaugh, leader. On the mandolin club by Bros. Grant and Wint.

Bro. Schoch, who was put out of the game last year with a broken leg, is again out in his football clothes and plays his usual "star" game at right end.

Pa. Eta is anxiously awaiting the visits from the alumni.

Lancaster, Pa., November 3, 1902.

*Pennsylvania Theta—Lafayette College.**Hugh M. Miller, Correspondent.*

Another month of college life has passed and we are now well started on the year's work. Football games, dances and dedications have made the term thus far a busy one and helped to break the monotony of the class room.

On Founders' Day, October 22, a new building to be used for Y. M. C. A. purposes was dedicated. The building is a beautiful piece of architecture and elegantly furnished. It is the gift of James R. Hogg '78 of Philadelphia, Pa. Bro. W. C. Alexander '73 of Washington, D. C., and Bro. S. R. Queen '74 were here for the event. Bro. Alexander is a member of the board of trustees of the college.

Bro. Alexander Bryden '71 has recently been appointed consulting engineer of the Pennsylvania Coal Co. and the Hillsdale Coal and Iron Company. These companies are two of the largest in the country. He will still be located at Dunsmore, Pa.

Bro. Fred A. Godcharles '92, is making a plucky fight for his election to congress from the sixteenth district of Pennsylvania. We also note that Bro. Harry A. Mackey '90 has been placed on the Union ticket for State Senator from the fourth district of Philadelphia, Pennsylvania.

Bro. Samuel A. Martin '77 in addition to his duties as president of Wilson College, has accepted the appointment of professor of homiletics in Princeton Theological Seminary.

On October 28 we defeated Gettysburg College here by a score of 14 to 0. Bros. White, Bingaman, Hollinger and Fisher were in the game and spent the evening with us. Bro. Livingston Smith, Pa. Iota, accompanied the team as coach.

Bro. Tenney '01 spent October 14 with us. He is still with the New York Telephone Co. and his address is 121 West 21st street, New York City.

Bro. Walter W. Drew '05 has again returned to college and we now have twenty-two men.

The chapter is in receipt of a handsome oil painting of Bro. Clarence G. Voris '72, one of the founders of Pa. Theta. The painting is the gift of the late D. W. Bruckart '73 and was handsomely framed by Bro. Pennell C. Evans.

Bro. John Clemens underwent a very difficult surgical operation a few days ago in Chicago. The operation was successful and he is improving rapidly.

Bro. Charles M. Elliott '05 did not return to college. He is teaching near his home in Mansfield, Pa., and hopes to be with us again next year.

Bro. McKean Chidsey '04 was recently elected vice-president of the Sock and Buckskin Association.

We are sorry not to have Bro. Schoch '04 with us again this year. He is at his home in Selins Grove, Pa.

We had our Hallowe'en spread as usual this year and it is needless to say that everyone had a good time before the crowd broke up in the small hours of the morning. Bro. Kirk, Pa. Kappa, was with us and stayed for the game next day.

On November 1, before a crowd of 3,500 people, Lafayette defeated Brown University in one of the best played games of football ever seen here by a score of 6 to 5. Lafayette somewhat outplayed her opponents, but not until time was called did the victory seem certain. Many alumni were back for the game and Phi Psi formed a goodly number. Bro. Ed. Pomeroy '99 of San Francisco, California, blew in, and Bro. Tom Pomeroy '96 was with him and spent the next day with us. This is Bro. Ed. Pomeroy's first visit east for two years and we regretted that his visit was necessarily so short.

Bros. Gus Weidenmayer '98 and Joe Weidenmayer '02 were here, and we also saw Bros. Voorhees '98, Wilson '00, Heberling '00, Stroh '02, Carter '02 and Huber '02.

Bro. Reed Howard '98 with Mrs. Howard spent October 29 in Easton and we had a short visit with him.

We extend best wishes for a successful year to all chapters of Phi Psi, and a hearty welcome to any brothers who may visit Easton. Easton, Pa., November 2, 1902.

*Pennsylvania Iota—University of Pennsylvania.**G. H. Bickley, Correspondent.*

Although the fall term did not begin until September 26 all of the brothers were back early and Pa. Iota began her rushing season

on the 17th by a box party at the Broad Street Theater, followed on the 19th by a very successful smoker at the chapter house. As a result we honored the following men with membership in Phi Kappa Psi: Bros. Ashmead, Childs, Riley and Bement of the class of 1906 college, Bro. Bradbury of 1905 medical, and Bro. Bosler 1905 college. Mr. Cartright '06 college is pledged.

With the new men we start the year with twenty-five and hope to increase that number before many weeks have passed.

As usual Phi Psi is well represented in all fields. Bro. Metzger is playing right end on the football team and is receiving the favorable comment of the critics. Bro. Bradbury is substitute end on the 'varsity and Bro. Gribbel is playing center on the scrub.

On the musical clubs we have Bro. Gates, leader of the mandolin club, and Bros. Owsley, Beade and Ashmead also of the mandolin club. Bros. Marshall and Gribbell are on the glee club and Bro. George Childs is assistant manager of the combined clubs.

Bro. Davis is president of the Circle Francais of which Bros. Marshall, Levin and Mulford are members. Bro. Levin is on the staff of the Pennsylvanian, Bro. Metzger the Red and Blue, and Bro. Bickley the Punch Bowl, the principal undergraduate publications of the university.

Bro. Gribbel is president of the junior class, college.

Bro. Davis has been elected to the board of government of the Mask and Wig Club, and Bro. Allison to graduate membership.

Bro. George Childs is a member of the Houston Club house committee.

Bro. Owsley is president of the Architectural Society and Bro. Bickley treasurer. Bro. Owsley was elected to the board of representatives of the University Dormitories.

Bro. Jones, of Mass. Alpha, is playing a strong game at tackle on the 'varsity eleven.

Bro. Galbreath of Pa. Gamma is playing on the mandolin club. Bro. Sherwood of Pa. Gamma is doing good work at broad jumping on the track team and is also singing on the glee club.

Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, November 1, 1902.

Pennsylvania Kappa—Swarthmore College.

F. Bramwell Geddes, Correspondent.

Our short "pledge day" came to an end on Tuesday, the 17th of October, and as a result of our labors during that time, we take great pleasure in introducing to the members of our beloved fraternity the following new men: Bros. J. Walter Passmore, R. Leslie Ryder and Homer S. Kent. To this list we hope to add more names in the near future.

Although the number of initiates this year may seem small to those interested in Phi Kappa Psi, let me say for their benefit that all the new brothers are in every respect equal to the high standards of Phi Kappa Psi.

On the football gridiron Swarthmore has been unusually successful, having made very creditable scores on two of the "Big Four." All efforts are now bent towards getting the team in shape for our annual struggle with Haverford. Everything seems to point to an exceedingly close game.

Bros. Lippincott, Smith and Beans on the regular eleven, and Bros. Kent and Ryder as substitutes, clearly shows that Kappa holds her head as high in athletics as elsewhere.

It is with great satisfaction that we report the return to college of Bro. Terrell. His speedy foot would have been sorely missed next spring had he failed to return to his alma mater.

Under the steady hand of President Swain, who has won the regard and admiration of all, college affairs have indeed a prosperous appearance, and we feel that the future holds many bright things in store for dear old Swarthmore.

Recent visitors of the chapter were: Bros. Bassitt, Battin, W. Lippincott, Verlenden, Marshall, Peters, Way, Underwood, W. Turner, Cassel and Seaman.

Swarthmore, Pa., November 2, 1902.

New Hampshire Alpha—Dartmouth College.

H. W. Flemming, Correspondent.

For the past six weeks the freshmen have been the all-absorbing topic of conversation in fraternity circles, but with the end of the

"rushing" season, October 29, the college settled down into its routine work. Although the entrance class is the largest in the history of the college, it is certain that fraternity material is not, proportionately, as available. For this reason our freshman delegation numbers but seven men, as follows: M. L. Alling, Kensington, Conn.; L. R. Dwyer, Bradford, Mass.; W. F. Gleason, Norwich, Conn.; A. Parrish, Paris, Ill.; E. J. Smith, Newport, Vt.; C. T. Warton, Newburyport, Mass.; H. C. Williams, Elgin, Ill. In accordance with the interfraternity "chinning" rules existing at Dartmouth no mention of fraternity matters can be made to any freshman until the latter part of October, and the "chinning" season is confined to two days. Under this system each man in the fraternity has the opportunity to become well acquainted with the men whom he considers to be "available fraternity material." Therefore we have no hesitation in recommending our pledged men all of whom, we feel, will be a credit and a power to the fraternity at large. Both Alling and Parrish have made their numerals on the track, and have excellent prospects of becoming "D" men in the near future. The others will also give a good account of themselves in the spring. The initiation and banquet will be held at the close of the football season, probably about the first of December.

Since our last letter the chapter has had several visitors, among them being Archon Towne, Bro. Colby '00, Bro. Gilman '01, and Bro. Parrish from Paris, Ill. The latter was with us for two weeks, and the fraternity felt a personal loss when he went back to resume his duties at home. His brother, Allan, is to be among us for the next four years.

Owing to illness Bro. Patterson has been unable to play football, but he will soon resume his place as halfback on the team.

Before closing it is only just that we should add our little word in commendation of the new cover of "The Shield" which, from an artistic standpoint of view, takes precedence of any cover we have seen in Greek letter journalism. "The Shield," as issued today, is certainly a credit to the fraternity as well as a compliment to the ability of the editor.

Hanover, New Hampshire, November 1, 1902.

Massachusetts Alpha—Amherst College.

W. Virgil Spaulding, Correspondent.

As the time for the initiation of a new delegation of Phi Psis draws near, Mass. Alpha desires to introduce to the fraternity the following men as prospective brothers: From the class of 1905, Ralph Waldo Emerson Edgecomb of Worcester, Mass.; from the class of 1906, Ralph Howard Boyden of Foxboro, Mass., Edward Kendall Browne of Auburndale, Mass., Fred Howell Crook of Sanquoit, N. Y., Augustus Ignatius Dillon of Cortland, N. Y., Leonard Dudley Field of Binghamton, N. Y., Howard Willcut Howes of Swift River, Mass., Mark Hopkins Ward and William Earl Dodge Ward of Amherst, Mass., Ralph Waldo Wheeler of Cortland, N. Y., John Herbert Anwyll Williams of New York, N. Y., and George Arthur Wood of Southampton, Mass. These will become full-fledged brothers upon the evening of October 31. We expect to entertain a goodly number of alumni upon this occasion and are anticipating an evening of true fraternal enjoyment.

Now, at the beginning of the college year, the classes and the various associations and organizations are choosing their officers. Of these college honors Phi Kappa Psi has her full share. Bro. Johnson '03 is class prophet, chairman of the class finance committee, a member of the class committee on committees and president of the fencing club. Bro. Taylor '03 is class baseball director. Bro. Chase '04 is the treasurer of the junior class and would doubtless have made the varsity eleven this fall but for a badly injured shoulder which prevented his taking the regular practice. Bro. Thompson '04 is secretary of the Springfield club and chairman of the Northfield committee of the Y. M. C. A. Bro. Moore '04 has been elected chairman of the junior prom. committee, one of the highest honors of junior year. Bro. Hutchings '05 is secretary of his class.

Upon the musical clubs, temporarily organized, Phi Psi is represented by Bros. Moore and Spaulding on the college choir, Bro. Spaulding on the glee club, prospective Bro. Browne on the mandolin club, and prospective Bro. Dillon on the college orchestra. Two of our pledged men have already won their class numerals, J. H. A. Williams, who reached the final round of the sophomore-freshman tennis tournament and was also a point winner in the

fall inter-class athletic meet. and R. W. Wheeler, who won first place on the pole vault at the same meet.

It will doubtless be of interest to the alumni and others associated with the chapter to learn that cards are out for the wedding of Bro. Lawrence F. Ladd '00 and Miss Elizabeth T. Nims, Mt. Holyoke '00, of Leominster, Mass., a loyal Phi Psi girl. Before this issue of "The Shield" is published the happy event will have occurred, as the date is November 4. The congratulations and very best wishes of the chapter go with them.

It has been our pleasure to welcome a number of wandering Phi Psis at our chapter house during the past month. We are always glad to see any brothers who may be in our vicinity. All such may be assured of finding our latch-string always on the outside and a hearty welcome awaiting them within.

The chief subject of interest in Amherst scholastic lines is the recent adoption of a new honor system whereby students may obtain honorable mention and final honors in subjects for which they have a special aptitude. The innovation is meeting popular favor and seems to fill a long felt want.

In athletic lines interest of course centers in football. This is the first season for a number of years that Amherst has not been a member of some league. The excellent work of the team and the strong support which it has received amply demonstrate the fact that Amherst has suffered no loss in being without the usual championship games. Our team is the best which Amherst has put in the field for a number of years and has made an excellent showing in the season's games thus far.

Amherst, Mass., October 30, 1902.

Rhode Island Alpha—Brown University.

Edward S. Smith, Correspondent.

On the 17th of October we initiated seven new men into the mysteries of Phi Kappa Psi. We are proud to introduce to the fraternity at large the following newly acquired brothers: Bro. Arthur L. Young '04, Bro. Ralph D. Kettner '06, Bro. Daniel W. Overocker '05, Bro. Howard W. Congdon '06, Bro. Walter E. Woodbury '06, Bro. George R. W. French '06 and Bro. Lloyd P. Upton '06.

At the banquet which immediately followed the initiation we were honored with a toast from our president, Bro. Fell. We all feel greatly indebted to him for his words of counsel and encouragement.

Archon Towne also amused us with a good variety of witty anecdotes scattered among the weightier matters of his discourse. Our sister chapters, Mass. Alpha and N. H. Alpha, sent greetings to our new brothers through Bros. Taylor and Moore of Amherst, and Bro. Brown, of Dartmouth.

During the evening Bro. Gabbi '02 told us of a plan on foot to form an alumni association here in Providence.

Here at Brown it is the custom for prizes to be given to the freshmen who pass the highest examination in entrance work. It is considered one of the honors of the freshman year "to pull" one of these prizes. Some time about the middle of October it was announced in chapel that Bro. Woodbury took first prize in Greek and Bro. Upton first in French. We all congratulated ourselves on getting two firsts out of a possible four.

This year, to all present appearances, will be the red letter year for Brown athletics. We defeated, for the first time in our history, one of the big four, that too on their own ground. We also have good prospects in basketball, a new department of athletics for us.

Providence, Rhode Island, November 1, 1902.

New York Alpha—Cornell University.

J. Martin Griffith, Correspondent.

New York Alpha held her annual initiation on the evening of October 24 with a full quota of her active members present and a goodly representation of town and faculty alumni. The initiates of the evening were: Eric Walter McDougal, George Mills Chapman, Albert Blake Williams, who, although few in number, are excellent men and will illustrate the principle of the "survival of the fittest." The ceremony itself was followed by a banquet which lasted well in to the wee small hours, the lateness of the hour testifying to the enjoyability of the occasion. The chapter had the pleasure of

listening to reminiscences of the rescuscitation of New York Alpha in 1885 from Bro. Blanchet of New York Delta, who presided on the occasion of the installation of the new chapter, and Bro. Bliss, who was one of the initiates at that time.

Now that the initiation is over the brethren have had an opportunity to turn their attention to university affairs. Several brothers have already won coveted honors, while others are striving to emulate their excellent example.

Bro. Brown '03 is manager of the baseball team and vice-president of the senior class. He is also on the senior ball committee.

Bros. Seymour '04 and Atwood '04 are on the glee club and the latter is a member of the sophomore cotillion committee.

Bro. Pitcairn '03 is on the senior banquet committee and Bro. Heiss '04 on the same committee in the junior class.

Bro. Close '05 played quarter on the sophomore eleven and Bro. Ward '03 is a candidate for end on the varsity.

Bro. Williams '06 is doing good work in the high hurdles and gives promise of becoming a good track man.

In its various honorary and banqueting clubs the chapter is well represented.

Since last writing "The Shield" Bro. Marshall, Pa. Kappa, has entered the university and affiliated with the chapter.

Ithaca, New York, November 3, 1902.

New York Beta—Syracuse University.

Lloyd E. Brown, Correspondent.

The nineteenth annual initiation banquet of N. Y. Beta took place on Friday evening, October 17. On that date we welcomed into the fraternity the following brothers: E. Stuart Mills, Syracuse, N. Y.; Irving N. Beeler, Syracuse, N. Y.; Harry Terry, Syracuse, N. Y.; Chester C. Williams, Syracuse, N. Y.; Irving Smallwood, Warsaw, N. Y.; Earle D. Wood, Cortland, N. Y.; Frank F. Sornberger, Cortland, N. Y.; Frank Baker, Mexico, N. Y.; John G. Cooley, Mexico, N. Y.; Harold I. Carothers, Milton, Pa.; C. Claude Reddish, LeRoy, N. Y.; Howard S. Jarvis '05, Jamesville, N. Y.; Archie W. MacDougald, Portville, N. Y., and Harry F. Houck, Williamsport, Pa., are pledged and will enter with the class of 1907.

The initiation banquet terminated in an ideal smoker. Many Phi Psi's from down town attended and we are always glad to welcome them at our varied chapter house functions. The toast list was as follows: Symposiarch, Bro. Maxwell G. Phillips, DePauw '89; "Welcome," Bro. Harry E. Elden '03; "Looking Backward," Bro. Chester C. Williams '06; "Just a Year Old," Bro. Lloyd L. Cheney '05; "Phi Kappa Psi in Other Colleges," Bro. Martin Smallwood '96; "Our Fraternity," Bro. Lieber E. Whittie '95.

At the freshman-sophomore class track and field meet held recently on Archbold field, Bro. Charles P. Morse '05, captain of the sophomore track team, was the star performer of the day, Bro. Morse winning a total of fifteen points for his class. Bro. Williams '06 in the pole-vault and Bro. Pottinger '05 in the two mile run also won points in the meet.

The selections for the glee and mandolin clubs of the university have been made by competition and on the glee club we will be represented by Bro. Morse '05 and on the mandolin club by Bros. Montgomery '05, Birdsall '05, Terry '06, and Mills '06. Bro. Janushek '05 is acting as piano accompanist.

The Onondagan Debating Society of twenty-five has chosen its members for the new year, and Bros. Mills '06, Reddish '06, Beeler '06 and Cooley '06 are in the organization. Bro. Beeler has been elected vice-president.

Bro. Montgomery '05 is secretary-treasurer of the sophomore class of the College of Medicine, and Bro. Morse '05 is toastmaster of his class.

Our most recent social affair was the informal dance given at the chapter house on October 23 by the members of the freshman delegation. The interior of the house was very prettily decorated with bunting, flowers and college pennants, while the large veranda presented a unique appearance with its tastily hung Japanese lanterns. The active chapter plans to entertain at an early date the city and faculty alumni and their wives or friends.

We were pleased to welcome during the past month Bros. Carl Smith, F. S. Merrill, Eggerton, Bryan, R. B. Whitman and Merrill of New York Epsilon; and Bro. Fred Moyer of Ohio Beta, who was with us for our annual banquet. Bro. Latham '99 of this chapter

was also a recent visitor. Bro. Latham is now editor of the *Cantastoga* "Times-Republican."

Bro. Dantzinger, Syracuse, is building a nice home a few doors above the chapter house in College Place.

Bro. Morgan '96 very kindly remembered the brothers by sending a complimentary telegram on the evening of our initiation banquet.

On last Wednesday evening Bro. Harry Eden '03 entertained the crews of the university at a "smoker" at the chapter house. Bro. Elden is captain of the varsity boat.

Syracuse, N. Y., October 28, 1902.

New York Gamma—Columbia University.

Thomas R. Buell, Correspondent.

Nearly a month has passed since the opening of college. The entering class is large and there is a great deal of fine Phi Psi material. We have been very successful so far, having initiated six men, whom we take pleasure in introducing to the fraternity at large. The brothers are: L. W. Wickes, of Montana; T. H. Burch, Jr., New York City; F. B. Hamilton, Johnstown, Pa.; Charles L. Smith, Hyannis, Mass.; R. A. Longwell, Philadelphia, Pa., and S. Smyth, New York City. We have some others pledged and some very desirable men whom we are considering and expect to have pledged before our next meeting. By affiliation we have gained Bro. Lorin J. Roach, formerly of Iowa Alpha and Bro. George W. McCaskell, who was away from Columbia for a year, has returned to us.

In the various departments of college work Phi Psis have held their customary prominence. With the football team Bro. Robert Stangland has done excellent work on the varsity and both Bros. S. Smyth and C. L. Smith have done good work on the college eleven. Prominent among the coaches, under the new system of graduate coaching, is Bro. David Smyth '02. Bro. Stangland is also president of the Junior Mines class with the power to appoint the committee having in charge the junior ball, the leading social event of the year. In Bro. Adams we are practically sure of the leader of the glee club, and on the mandolin club we are represented by Bro. J. W. Catron. Bro. Burch is on the swimming team and is also assistant manager of the same. Among other offices held by our brothers are vice-president of the sophomore class and positions on the various committees governing class and college work.

Our meetings so far have been largely attended by the alumni. We are always glad to have our older brothers present at our meetings, and they may always be sure of a hearty welcome whenever they may come.

Bro. H. C. Breneman '02 is with us again for a short time. He has enjoyed the visit very much and regret that he can not remain with us. Among other visitors have been Bros. Smith and Lippincott of Pa. Kappa, Bro. Brown of N. Y. Beta, Bros. Close, Seymour and Good of N. Y. Alpha, and Bros. Sedgwick and Deweese of Nebraska Alpha.

Within the last week several of our brothers have done some visiting on their own hook, taking in Pa. Iota and Md. Alpha. They brought back good accounts and were much pleased with the hospitality shown them in both places. At the latter place especially was Bro. Anderson impressed by the fried chicken to which, from all accounts, they must have done ample justice.

New York City, November 3, 1902.

New York Epsilon—Colgate University.

J. H. Hutchinson, Correspondent.

New York Epsilon has settled down for a good year's work, both in the college and fraternity. All the rooms of the chapter house are filled, and everything is in a prosperous condition.

The rushing season is about over. Six good men have been pledged from the freshman class, and on October 13, 1902, were initiated and made members of Phi Kappa Psi. They were Bros. Bower, Grant, Hadden, Merrill, Nickolson and Storms. But the event, which all were awaiting with the anticipation of pleasure, followed on Wednesday evening of the same week, when the brothers of N. Y. Epsilon gathered about the tables to take part in the annual initiation banquet. When all had been satisfied with the ample

repast, a couple of hours were spent in singing Phi Psi songs and toasting the fraternity, in which each one present took part. When the last song was sung and the last yell given, each one departed with a greater feeling of love for their fraternity than had before been experienced.

Bro. Geo. L. Bennett '00 has been elected an alumnus member of the athletic advisory board of the university.

Much to the regret of his friends Bro. Austin Merrill '06, has been obliged to give up his work in the university because of trouble with his eyes. He has returned to his home at Carthage, N. Y., where he will remain until next year when he expects to continue his studies in the university.

Hamilton, New York, November 2, 1902.

New York Zeta—Brooklyn Polytechnic Institute.

E. W. Boughton, Correspondent.

Since our last letter two freshmen have been successfully spiked and initiated. These new brothers are James F. Bendernagel, Jr., of Brooklyn, and Justin McCoy, of Cleveland, Ohio. Also we have pledged Mr. Harry T. Spellman, president of the freshman class. These men are the pick of 1906 and Zeta is to be congratulated in securing them.

Phi Psi has pretty much of everything in the Dramatic Association this year, as we secured every office but one. Bro. H. P. Journeyay '03 was elected president but he subsequently resigned and Bro. G. L. Pirie '03 took the office. Bro. E. W. Boughton '03 is vice-president. Bro. J. F. Bendernagel '06, secretary, and Bro. W. S. Popelyi '03 press agent. Phi Psi has always been the leading spirit in the Poly Dramatics and it rests with this new executive committee, composed of our brothers, to carry on the good work.

Bro. Sartorius is playing right end on the 'varsity football team and Bro. Boughton quarter. Bro. Murphy has the position of athletic editor of the college monthly.

Bro. Walter P. Henshaw, B. P. I. E. E. '98, is back in college, taking special work on the Arts course. He expects to get his B. A. next June and will then try for the Master's degree. We all know Bro. Henshaw as a loyal alumnus so now we can view him as a fellow undergrad.

The only item of alumni news which has come to our ears lately is the marriage of Bro. Irving Judd Bristol '97. All who know Judd will join with us in congratulations.

The junior class has elected the committee to publish the college annual, the "Polywog." Bro. Murphy was one of those elected.

At our last initiation we were fortunate enough to have with us as guests Bro. Golden, who teaches in the Polytechnic Preparatory School and Bros. A. L. and E. W. Piel of New York Alpha. Bro. E. W. Piel was doing special work at the Institute last year and we are sorry to hear he is to give it up, as we had hoped to have him affiliated with us this year.

Brooklyn, New York, November 1, 1902.

Maryland Alpha—Johns Hopkins University.

J. R. Wood, Correspondent.

It gives me pleasure to announce that our chapter has pulled through the "holidays" and has come out in fine trim. We are in splendid condition financially and anticipate a very successful year.

Thus far we have entered three initiates, Bros. Horace Curtis, a brother of Greg Curtis, who is now occupying the highest office in our chapter, also Bros. Frank Ehlen and Tqm Owings. I take pleasure in introducing these three brothers to the fraternity at large.

We have with us Bro. Trout, Virginia Alpha; Bro. Smith, Virginia Alpha, who has been transferred to Maryland Alpha.

We have also had as visitors Bro. Root, New York Alpha; Bros. White and Miller, Pa. Epsilon; Bro. Cross, N. H. Alpha; Bro. Jump, Pa. Zeta; Bros. Hamilton, Kansas Alpha, and Fawcett, N. Y. Alpha, two of whom are playing here in a stock company.

A few Saturday nights ago our chapter was given a box party by Bros. Fawcett and Hamilton, when we saw "Theodora" acted very creditably.

Bro. J. G. Machen has left us and gone to take a theological course at Princeton. He paid us a vying visit the other day.

Bro. Andrew Jones has returned from a pleasure trip in Europe and is taking a course at Hopkins. Bro. Borley has also returned from Europe.

Bros. Mullen and Forter went to Annapolis on the 25th ult. to see Dickinson defeat the naval cadets. They were warmly received by the Pa. Zeta men, who gave them the cordial welcome that is characteristic of Phi Psis.

Bro. Howard Baetjer, Md. Alpha, is now with the American Bridge Company, Philadelphia, Pa. Dr. F. H. Baetjer, Md. Alpha, who was sent to Germany by the Johns Hopkins Hospital to study the application of the "X-ray" in medicine, has returned, and is now in charge of the "X-ray" work of the Johns Hopkins University.

Bro. Purcell is in Berlin, where he has been for some time. He may spend the winter across.

Bros. Smith, Jump and Cross paid us an unexpected visit yesterday, but they were welcome none the less.

Baltimore, Maryland, November 3, 1902.

Virginia Alpha—University of Virginia.

Richard P. Bell, Jr., Correspondent.

There is only one more name to be added to our roll since our last letter. As the initiation does not take place for a few days, we shall forego the pleasure of introducing to the fraternity at large one of the best goats that has been rounded in for many years until our next letter.

Nothing has occurred to disturb the even tenor of our way since the little excitement over the proposal of the board of visitors to elect as chairman of the faculty, with presidential powers; a man whom students, alumni and professors united in denouncing as unfit. He did not get the place.

Society and scholastic honors as usual have come our way this fall in abundance. At the initiation of Pi Mu, the medical fraternity, Bro. Mason was requested to sing "Hello, Central, Give Me Heaven." The men behind the paddles gave him something warmer. Bro. Owen was also taken into the mysteries of the Aesculapian band.

All thoughts, hopes and aspirations center upon football. Phi Psi has only one representative on the 'varsity, Bro. Prichard, left half. Karl came to us with a reputation from Bucknell and Lafayette. It seems superfluous to add that he has upheld it in the most gratifying manner, and is now the fastest man behind the line. He also had the honor of christening our new \$10,000 football field, by making the first touchdown. We have yet to be scored on this season, and our first real tussle comes when we play Lehigh in Washington, November 8.

News has reached us from Bro. Dr. Trout, sometime of Stanton, Va., now of Baltimore. It seems that Hugh has recently indulged in pugilistic and running exercise to a great extent. (Far be it from me to even insinuate that in his description of his fleetness, he also employed his imagination.)

Bro. Richardson seems to have become proficient in the art of biscuit-making, for he writes that next year he will be with us once more, as ever the diligent searcher for knowledge, having given up his position with the National Biscuit Company.

Bro. Tom Wertenbaker is engaged in teaching the young idea to shoot, and incidentally preparing on an entirely new line a volume to be entitled "Wild Animals I Have Met, or That's Teaching 'em Some." Bro. Billy Wertenbaker, M. D., '00, is at the head of the athletic department at Washington and Lee.

Bro. "Swartz" Lemmon, when last heard from, was drinking deep of the fountain of medical lore in New York. He expects soon to locate in Norfolk with a celebrated specialist.

Bro. Morton Baker, M. D., '02, has entered the marine service, and is now stationed at Norfolk, Va. Bro. Peters, also M. D. '02, is house physician at the university hospital.

Bro. Henry W. Fleet '99-'02 has recently received his commission as second lieutenant in the army. Have you heard his little experience, "How did you know I was a second lieutenant?"

Charlottesville, Va., October 31, 1902.

*Virginia Beta—Washington and Lee University.**W. R. Bledsoe, Correspondent.*

Our little band came together this fall handicapped by the necessary comparison with last year's remarkably successful record. Only four of the nine showed up. Bro. Smith having received his Doctor's degree at old W. & L. is doing postgraduate work at Johns Hopkins. Bros. Swartz and Preston are practicing law. Bro. Rouss has entered the medical department at U. of P., while Bro. Young is bemoaning the lack of Phi Psi associations at Central University, Kentucky.

However, Bros. Smith and Preston were on hand to give us valuable assistance during the rushing season. In spite of the unusual scarcity of frat. material we have hauled in several good goats without violating any traditional conservatism. So far we have initiated only one, Bro. J. D. Hobbre of Virginia, but we expect to announce several more in a succeeding number.

Washington and Lee, under the regime of her new president, is rapidly forging ahead. With the largest freshman class in its history and a twenty-five per cent. increase in enrollment, the future looks very bright.

By the recent victory over Virginia Polytechnic Institution our team has placed itself in the front rank in Southern football, as V. P. I. had been picked by the critics as this year's Southern champions. Bro. Haw is playing his usual good game at half. Bro. Conover, having cinched his position at right guard, has been compelled to lay off on account of sickness and may not be able to get back in shape again this season.

In conclusion it may not be out of the place to mention last year's finals, as they were of interest to Phi Psis in more than one particular. In the first place our first Phi Psi German was the acknowledged event of the social side of finals. Moreover, at the largest gathering of alumni in the history of the university, Bro. McCorkle was elected as president of the general association. As he found it necessary to decline, Bro. Davis was unanimously elected. Of the other two general officers, Phi Psi secured one in the person of Bro. Vance, who was elected secretary.

Lexington, Va., November 3, 1902.

*Mississippi Alpha—University of Mississippi.**D. O. Clark, Correspondent.*

Mississippi Alpha can as yet introduce no new initiates as the time limit, eight weeks, has not expired. However, in our next letter we will introduce some new brothers.

Football is the all-absorbing interest at present. The varsity team, under the captaincy of Bro. Foster, is the most successful team that we have had in several years.

Since our last letter to "The Shield" we acknowledge a very pleasant visit from Bro. J. J. Hays, of N. Y. Alpha, of St. Louis.

Among our alumni who have changed their address are: Bros. W. A. Cheek '98 and Hubbard ex-'00, students at Tulane Medical School.

Bro. J. H. Broome ex-'03 is principal of the city school of Madison, Mississippi.

Bro. C. H. Spearman ex-'04 is attending a medical college at Nashville, Tennessee.

University, Mississippi, November 1, 1902.

*Tennessee Delta—Vanderbilt University.**William C. Chisum, Correspondent.*

Of the ten men composing last year's chapter eight returned this year, several coming up early to get things in readiness for rushing. Notwithstanding this fact we were two weeks late getting into our new chapter house, having to wait for a number of repairs to be made. We are now in the most conveniently located chapter house in the university, and are always glad to welcome all Phi Psis into our home.

Tenn. Delta has two new men to introduce to the fraternity, Bros. Rodman Meacham '06 and Jules Lemoine '04, both of whom were

rushed by our rival frats. and in winning them we feel we have won a great victory. We have also succeeded in pledging William L. Murfree, son of Dr. William L. Murfree, a loyal Phi Psi and who was one of the founders of Tenn. Gamma in 1871, and who died last year while Dean of the Law Department in the University of Colorado. In getting Bro. Murfree we not only get the son of a prominent Phi Psi, but in him we get a very fine man and one who will make his mark in the fraternity.

Bro. Frank H. Burr, Ohio Delta '98, gave us a very pleasant visit on September 21, and Bro. Jos. J. Hayes, New York Alpha '04, was with us on October 15 and October 23.

Tenn. Delta was completely captured by Bro. Karl C. Prichard, Pa. Theta '02, who played halfback on the Virginia team when it played the University of Nashville on October 18.

Bro. John M. Foster, who is captain of the University of Mississippi football team, was with us on October 3, when Mississippi played Vanderbilt. Bro. Foster was the star on the Mississippi team and played fine ball, making a run of forty yards down the field and almost scoring on Vanderbilt.

Football is now at its height in the university. We have not been defeated yet and are very hopeful of again carrying off the southern championship, although I see that Bro. Curtis of the University of Texas is claiming the honor for his university.

Bro. McIlwaine is representing Phi Psi on the Vanderbilt all-star team and is doing fine work.

The boys of Tenn. Delta are delighted to have Bro. Jordan, Jr., with us again after a serious illness of several weeks.

Bro. Berry was chosen to represent us at the Phi Delta Theta dance on November 1. On November 8 Tenn. Delta will give an informal dance at the chapter house.

Nashville, Tennessee, November 3, 1902.

Ohio Beta—Wittenberg College.

Walter H. Weaver, Correspondent.

Two months of the college year have already passed and the freshmen are therefore getting some idea of the way to study, and incidentally a few other things equally important in college life. This is all well and good, for Wittenberg has a system of exams, and tests which cause a new student's head to ache and make even the grave seniors and gay and festive juniors appear on "the" days with ghastly smiles decorating their countenances. Be this as it may, our boys are amply able to take care of themselves in whatever position they may be placed.

The football season now holds the center of the stage, and although we have had to fill almost every position with new men, the team is rolling up better scores than we had expected. Ohio Beta's representatives are Bros. Ultes and Tulloss. The latter has been elected captain of the scrubs, but the indications are that he will not long remain there as a man of his ability is wanted badly on the 'varsity. Bro. Ultes has been compelled to remain out of the game so far, on account of a well vaccinated arm, but will soon be playing his usual star game at full on the 'varsity.

The basketball team has commenced practice with Bros. Delmar Trout, Denton, Volney Trout and Ultes in four of the positions. Bro. Fred Moyer is expected to be back in college after the holidays and he will no doubt "land" the other position, which makes the Wittenberg team really a Phi Psi team.

In a social way Ohio Beta has been a little backward but the season is still young and there is plenty of time to make up for our slips. On the evening of October 31 we entertained at the house with a dance and musicale which was enjoyed by about fifty people. September 26 was the date for another very enjoyable affair, not, however, given by the chapter. It was the first of the Theta Sigma dances and was fully appreciated by the entire chapter. The T. S. girls are surely to be congratulated on their success.

Preparations are already being made for the entertainment of the District Council. Every fraternity meeting brings up some new plan for the event, which we hope to make a complete success in every way. We are able and ready to entertain every Phi Psi in the fourth district.

Bro. John Philip Schneider has been in and about the house for a few weeks just to look at the boys, as he expresses it. Before leaving for Baltimore he announced his engagement to Miss Clara Serviss of this city.

Bro. Walter Manss '99 spent a day or two with the house boys last week. He was recently graduated from the Miami Medical College.

Bros. Ultes and Weaver have been chosen to serve on the Lagonda Club Assembly committee for the coming winter.

Bro. Buck Wheldon has been doing some special experimental work in the laboratory of the Champion Branch of the International Harvester Company. His work was along the line of iron and steel analysis.

Bro. Delmar Trout is leader of the college mandolin club, which has recently been organized.

Phi Kappa Psi House, Springfield, Ohio, November 1, 1902.

Indiana Alpha—DePauw University.

Turley Stephenson, Correspondent.

It is with a great degree of pleasure and pride that Indiana Alpha presents to the fraternity in this letter seven new members, who are: Brothers Edward Shaw, Lawrenceburg; Lewis Henry and George Small, Anderson; Walter Miller and Ross Woodring, Peru, and Russell Allen and Harold Sutherland, Greencastle. The initiation of these brothers was an interesting affair and one of the happiest occasions of the college year. It was eventful because of the unusual interest manifested by our alumni, and the extraordinary banquet spread by the initiates down at Gardner's afterwards. Since Bro. Lockwood, however, has told us all about it in the last issue of "The Shield," I shall refrain from further comment on this topic.

A few evenings ago, at the request of his wife, the chapter was invited down to celebrate the sixty-third anniversary of Bro. James Riley Weaver, whom every Indiana Alpha alumnus knows to be one of the best and most loved Phi Psis that ever wore the shield. The occasion was wholly unexpected by the Colonel, and about nine o'clock, after he had heard the seminarium class, we, to the number of twenty-five, stealthily kept in his wake and followed him to his home. For a moment we lingered quietly on the outside, then sang the Colonel's favorite, "Old Phi Psi." This we knew, if anything would, should there be any existing barriers, break them down. So the door was swung wide open and "Beechcroft" and all its possessions were ours. Miss Culbertson of Pennsylvania, and Prof. and Mrs. Blanchard were there and shared with us in the pleasures of the evening. In the course of the evening an elegant Morris chair was brought forth and in a most appropriate speech Bro. Cavin, on behalf of the chapter, presented the chair to Bro. Weaver in honor of his sixty-third birthday. The Colonel accepted the gift graciously and responded in one of his characteristic Phi Psi speeches. After partaking freely of some of Mrs. Weaver's freshly made cider and doughnuts, and after a short season of Phi Psi hilarity, we said our good nights.

In connection with the above it might be well to mention here that Mrs. Weaver, exemplifying the fraternal spirit that she possesses for the fraternity of her husband and for the Ind. Alpha chapter, has presented us with an elegant 25 by 29 inch hand painting of her own chrysanthemums, very beautifully framed. This is only one of the many ways in which the Colonel and his wife have befriended us and for all of which we are extremely grateful and appreciative.

The trips of last year by the chapter to Purdue and Indiana on football occasions were repeated this year, and the generous hospitality of each, in the course of a year, has by no means lessened. At each place nearly the whole chapter has been welcome in the last month, and at each place were we made to feel that we were all members of one chapter as well as of one fraternity. We long for the occasion to in a way repay their generous hospitality.

Two of our members, Bros. Cavin and Beckman, have been distinguished by being elected to the honorary organization of the senior class, Kappa Tau Kappa.

Bro. Cavin, as manager of the glee club, has about completed his schedule for the Christmas tour. "Billy" is working hard at this and is more than succeeding in getting a good club together, and the honor he is bringing to himself and the club is well merited.

At a meeting of the general student body the beginning of the year, Bro. Beckman was elected vice-president of the organization and Turley Stephenson secretary. Bro. Beckman has also been elected a member of the Palladium board.

Since our last letter to "The Shield" we have been pleased with visits from Mrs. Henry, Mrs. Small and Mrs. Shaw, all of whom are Phi Psi wives and mothers. Their husbands are Ind. Alpha alumni and their sons are now active members of the same chapter. To the mothers as well as the fathers, come again, come again.
Greencastle, Indiana, November 3, 1902.

Indiana Beta—Indiana University,

Frank H. Hindman, Correspondent.

As a matter of primary importance the chapter wishes first to introduce to the fraternity at large the men who have been initiated since its last report. Bro. Elsworth Tharp of Kokomo, Ind.; Bro. Frank T. Hindman, of Clarion, Pa., and Bro. N. Otto Pittenger, of Anderson, Ind., were initiated last spring. Bro. Tharp was president of last year's freshman class. He did not re-enter college this fall, having secured a good position traveling in the southwest. Bro. Pittenger is a brother of O. M. Pittenger, Ind. Beta '96.

This year we have been especially successful in securing desirable men, having initiated seven of the best fellows that ever entered the university. They are: Bro. Nat U. Hill, of Bloomington, Ind., son of Bro. Nat U. Hill '76; Bro. Will T. Blair, of Bloomington, son of Bro. Will T. Blair '79; Bro. J. Archie Ross and Bro. Uz McMurtrie, of Marion, Ind.; Bro. Walter Percy Pfaff, of Indianapolis, and Bro. John Diven and Bro. Thomas Cookson, of Anderson, Ind. Also, we are glad to have with us Bro. Fuller Combs, an Ind. Gamma man of '98. Bro. Combs has been engaged in educational work since his graduation from Wabash and is now working for his Master's degree here. These added to the twelve "old dogs" who returned, give us a total active membership of twenty men.

Before writing any more current news I wish to tell of the "Bulletin" which was circulated among the brothers last summer in accordance with our annual custom. It was started from Bloomington by the fellows who stayed behind and braved the heat and other trials of the summer term. Each one wrote down his joys and sorrows and the whole with a schedule of names, places, and dates was forwarded to one of the brothers at a distance. He read it, added his contribution, and hurried it on to the next place on the schedule, until finally it returned to Bloomington. In this way the brothers kept in touch with each other during the vacation, and upon returning every one was eager to read what had been added to the Bulletin after it left him. Every letter was interesting and some were as good as a circus. Never, I believe, was so heterogeneous a lot of experiences got together. Every chapter which does not have its annual bulletin certainly should have one next summer, and once begun it will never be discontinued.

Indiana University has entered upon the greatest year of its history. This term marks a change in the executive head of the school. President Joseph Swain last spring resigned to accept the presidency of Swarthmore College, and William Lowe Bryan, former head of the department of philosophy, was elected to succeed him. Dr. Bryan ranks among the leading educators of the west and the school is bound to prosper under his administration.

Science Hall, a new stone building costing \$100,000, is rapidly nearing completion and will be ready for occupancy by January 1, 1903. For several years the women of the university have been raising money to erect a Woman's Building. Last spring John D. Rockefeller was interested and has offered to give \$30,000 toward a Students' building for both men and women, provided an equal amount is raised by friends of the university prior to January 1, 1903. There is every indication that the money will be raised within the specified time and work on the building will be begun immediately thereafter. A Students' building is a comparatively new idea, but they have been erected at a number of the leading colleges in the country, and Indiana is not going to be behind. The attendance at the university is the largest for any fall term during its existence, the increase over last fall being about one hundred.

Phi Psi is well to the front in football here this year. Bros. Knight and Bryan are on the varsity, although both are temporarily out of the game on account of injuries. They expect to round in shape for the Purdue game on the 1st, however. Bros. Ross and Sherman are two of the fastest and best players on the second eleven and bid fair to make the varsity before the season is over. Although this is his first year, Bro. Ross gives promise of making a great college player. Bro. Roy Pike '00 is coaching the team.

Bro. Free is business manager of the "Student," the college daily, with Bro. McMurtrie as assistant manager. Bro. Hindman is on the editorial staff. Bro. Lawrence is acting head of the lecture board for the year 1901-2. Phi Psi will be well represented on the glee club and also in the dramatic club, "Strut and Fret." The members of these organizations have not all been selected yet. Bro. Pfaff has won for himself a reputation on the platform as a reader and impersonator, having been before the public on several seasons.

On October 18 we were much pleased with a visit from quite a number of the brothers of Indiana Alpha who came down to see the game between DePauw and Indiana. In the evening we had an informal dance and reception, at which everybody certainly had a good time. Dancing, interspersed with singing eating and stunts by Bro. Pfaff was enjoyed until 12 o'clock. We certainly appreciated the visit and trust that it was pleasurable to the DePauw brothers likewise. A number of our fellows expect to take in the Purdue game at Lafayette and welcome the chance to visit the brothers of Indiana Delta.

Indiana Beta was never more prosperous or started a year more auspiciously than at this time. We have the finest chapter house in the city, and have it this year on a much better basis than formerly, and are laying plans for the purchase of it as soon as possible. The house is owned by Bro. Ed. Showers, an Indiana Beta man from whom we enjoyed a visit several days ago. Bro. Showers was recently married to Miss Bertha Matthews of Bloomington, and they now reside in Chicago where he is finishing his course at Rush Medical. The best wishes of the fraternity are with them.

With twenty-one men and a number of them carrying extra work, we made what we consider a fine record in studentship last year, only one condition in a two hour course being marked against us. We intend to beat that this year. A Phi Psi, while in college, is first of all, a student.

We keep open house for all Phi Psis and trust that no brother will ever find himself in Bloomington and not drop in on us. With fraternal greetings to all our sister chapters and Phi Psis everywhere, your correspondent will bring to a close what is a much longer letter than he anticipated at its beginning.

Bloomington, Indiana, November 4, 1902.

Indiana Delta—Purdue University.

Arthur R. Bradley, Correspondent.

Indiana Delta opened her third year at Purdue with brighter prospects than ever. Fourteen loyal brothers returned. Some were therefore able to enter the rushing season in a lively manner.

With five hundred freshmen to pick from, a number of whom came well recommended by brothers, our rush was comparatively short and easy. As a result we take pleasure in introducing the following men who we are sure will make loyal Phi Psis: Howard Nichols, of Lima, Ohio; Marshall Haywood and Richard Patterson, both of Lafayette; Harold Kieth, of Goshen, Ind.; William Hardy, of Goodland, Ind.; James McCrea, of Brazil, Ind.; and Roy Palmer, of Muncie, Ind., all of whom are freshmen with the exception of the last named, he being a sophomore.

During the spiking season we gave several smokers to perspective men and the city alumni.

On September 26 and November 1 we entertained with very enjoyable hops at the chapter house. A number of out-of-town guests were present at the latter one, among whom were Bros. Fred Neeley, Ind. Alpha, and Bro. Dubbs, who was with us last year.

Bro. Taylor, Indiana's Attorney-General, dropped in on us for a short visit about two weeks ago. We enjoyed his company very much and trust he will come to see us whenever he visits Lafayette.

The occasion of the Purdue-DePauw football game on October 4 brought a large delegation of the brothers from Indiana Alpha into our midst. Their visit was greatly appreciated by us.

We are glad to announce that Bro. Milton Neeley, Ind. Alpha, has affiliated with us and that Bro. Earl Henley is one of us again this year, after an absence of one year.

Indiana Delta will be pleased to welcome any brothers that may happen in Lafayette during the year.

Bros. Dencer '98 and Dashiell '02, American Bridge Company; Endicott '01, Swift & Co.; McCann '04 in Northwestern Dental, and

Dietz '02, Western Electric Company, are Indiana Delta men who have cast their lots in Chicago.

Bro. Benfield '00 Purdue is prospering as assistant superintendent of the Vulcan Plow Company, Evansville, Ind.

Bro. Omar Beyn '03 Purdue, with the Illinois Central at Maccomb City, Miss., has fallen into the hands of some southern brethren and has felt at home ever since.

Lafayette, Indiana, November 2, 1902.

Michigan Alpha—University of Michigan.

Karl H. Pratt, Correspondent.

The past few days have been full of excitement for all Michigan men, for last Saturday, November 1, Michigan played Wisconsin on Marshall field at Chicago. Twenty-one from the chapter went to see the game and as many, if not more, of our alumni also turned out. All felt well repaid for the journey, since Michigan won 6 to 0. By winning this game, Michigan practically gained the championship of the west for 1902. Chicago, Iowa and Minnesota are still to be played, but it is generally conceded that Michigan will win all these games, although the Chicago game will probably be a hard one. Illinois Beta asked our fellows to make their chapter house our headquarters while in Chicago, but as many of our men are Chicago men and had made arrangements for entertaining such of the brothers as do not live in the city, it was impossible for any of us to accept, much to our regret.

The work on the chapter house has been dragging along and it is not yet finished. However, the decorations are nearing completion, so that we expect to occupy at least part of the house by the middle of this week. It is an absolute necessity that the first floor be finished by November 6, as we hold initiation on the 7th, on which date we hope to have with us many of our alumni. We have already received assurances from quite a number of our brothers that they are coming back this year, and hope to hear favorably from many others. Bro. Rush is to be toastmaster at our initiation banquet and he may be relied upon to keep things moving.

Bro. Pettit and Mr. Pettit of the Chicago chapter, were with us a few days last month. They were members of the University of Chicago golf team which played the Ann Arbor golf club. They were also with us at the Michigan-Ohio game, as were Bros Baldwin and Rider of the local chapter. Bro. Goodbread, Michigan Alpha, spent several days with us last month.

The engagement of Bro. Effinger, Michigan Alpha, to Miss Margaret Thayne, is announced, and Bro. Arthur Fitz Gerald '02 law, Mich. Alpha, has already become a benedict. The chapter extends congratulations to both Bro. Effinger and Bro. Fitz Gerald.

The Alpha Phi Sorority held their national convention in Ann Arbor October 29-31 inclusive, under the auspices of the local chapter. On Thursday evening, October 30, they gave a dancing party at the Barbour gymnasium, which many of the brothers had the pleasure of attending.

By the next issue of "The Shield" initiation will have taken place and it will then be my privilege to introduce our freshmen class to the fraternity at large. I had hoped to do this before now, but delays on the house made postponement necessary.

Phi Kappa Psi House, Ann Arbor, Michigan, November 4, 1902.

Wisconsin Gamma—Beloit College.

Frank Thomas, Correspondent.

Here's to another successful year to all the chapters in Phi Psi. Wis. Gamma regrets very much that she is thirty days late in greeting her sister chapters, and her correspondent will take this opportunity to apologize for his negligence.

Things are looking bright for the chapter. Thirteen of the old men have returned and we have pledged the following men in the freshman class: Roy Wright, Libertyville, Ill.; Fred Craven, Mason City, Iowa; Edward Hart, Beloit; Ralph Schellenger, Beloit; Ervin Taylor, Earville, Ill.; Louis Edbrook, Chicago, and Hobart Cary, of Waukesha, Wis. Of these men Wright is president of his class, Craven is vice-president, and Hart is captain of the class football team.

The chapter takes pride in being well represented in athletics as

well as in literary, social and musical circles, and it takes still greater pride in the congeniality and "oneness" of its members. "Stags" are frequently held at which there is plenty of good, healthy Phi Psi spirit shown. We dance to Phi Psi music and sing Phi Psi songs.

Several of the brothers accompanied the football team down to Chicago last Saturday. All were royally entertained by the members of Ill. Beta and they speak in the highest terms of the new chapter house at Chicago. Beloit is again represented by one of those characteristic plucky, "scrappy" teams. Bro. Slater is playing his usual good game at left tackle.

An event of unusual interest is the approaching oratorical contest. Last year Beloit won first place in the interstate contest and we are right after it again this year. Phi Psi is well represented by Bro. Griggs and his chances for going to the state contest are very good.

During the first term we have entertained at our chapter house the following brothers: Jeffris '98, Burchard '00, Mowatt '95, Bentley '00, Ling, Ill. Alpha; Carpenter '92, Smith '93, Fugitt, Wis. Alpha; Hull '95 and Smale '01. We shall be more than glad to welcome any other brothers that may be in our vicinity. Billy Fish, this means you.

Beloit, Wisconsin, November 3, 1902.

Minnesota Beta—University of Minnesota.

Rene T. Hugo, Correspondent.

Though there is not much of interest that can happen in one short month, there have been a few doings in Minn. Beta since we last wrote. We have initiated another man, raising our number of freshmen to nine. J. W. Kennicott was initiated on October 28. Bro. Kennicott is president of the board of athletic control and one of the most popular men in college.

On October 24 we gave our first informal. The house was very prettily decorated and with ideal weather outside for the strollers and with Indian and Turkish cosy corners inside for the loungers, the "dance" was a great success.

A ping-pong outfit has been added to our luxuries and this, together with our football team, takes up a considerable amount of our spare time.

The different fraternities are forming teams and an inter-fraternity tournament will be played. Last year on account of a dearth of football material, we did not enter the lists, but if the other fraternities expect to leave us out this year, they have reckoned without their host.

Bro. Wood, an old Duluth high school football star, has been elected captain and Bro. Pattee, who plays with the 'varsity, is our coach. Judging from the bunch of trousers that go to the tailors, and the number of torn shirts that appear in the wash every week, it is evident that Minn. Beta team is a "tearer." We have ordered a load of earth to help fill up the holes in the yard.

But, though we have been busily engaged in warlike preparations, we have not forgotten that after war comes peace, and while there will probably be several "pieces" accompanying the peace that follows a victory, we are preparing for one kind only—the doctor can look after the rest. We are planning to purchase about twenty-five banners and pennants of different colleges with which to decorate our sitting rooms and parlors. The plan is not a very expensive one and will add greatly to the looks of our rooms.

The hoodoo that visited us the first month or so having at last left, we are now practically settled and the house has once more assumed its old home-like appearance.

We were very much disappointed in not having more of the brothers from Nebraska and Beloit accompanying their football teams to this city, but those who did come, we enjoyed very much. We are expecting a large delegation from Wisconsin Alpha on November 15 and we sincerely hope they will not disappoint us.

Minneapolis, Minn., November 2, 1902.

Kansas Alpha—University of Kansas.

Sydney S. Linscott, Correspondent.

During the last month the new chancellor of the university, Dr. Frank Strong, was inaugurated. Many of our alumni were present

for the occasion and festivities, making their headquarters at the chapter house, a thing which we would be glad to have any and all of them do at any time they are in Lawrence. The week was closed with a football game between K. U. and Kansas City Medics, on Saturday, October 18. The active and alumni Phi Psis attended the game on the old California trail stage coach, the most novel turnout at the game. We were gratified to have the pleasure of seeing Bro. Peters play the star game of the day, notwithstanding the fact that he had as opponent the strongest man on the visiting team.

Among the old men who were with us were Bros. Ed. Allen, Fred Wood, Dent Dunn and Dr. Ernest Robinson, of Kansas City; Fred Harris, of Ottawa; Fred Bonebrake, Ade Shennan, Geo. Overmyer, Chas. and Willis Gleed, of Topeka; Bro. Wilmoth, of Concordia; Lee Delano, of Fulton; Bro. Merrill, of Paola; Bro. Loomis, of Chillicothe, Mo.; besides our "fratres in urbe."

We are very glad to introduce Bros. Arthur Peters, of Kansas City, Mo., and Glen Parker of Olatha, Kansas, and also to announce that Bro. William W. Cockins is about to enroll in the law school and will soon be an active Phi Psi once more.

Bro. John Rush, of Denver, Colorado, was a visitor at the chapter house during his last visit in Lawrence.

On Wednesday morning, October 22, we received the sad news of the death of Bro. William C. Spangler, a loyal brother and a cordial supporter of Phi Kappa Psi, as well as vice-chancellor and regent of the university. We realize the loss that we have suffered, as well as Mrs. Spangler, the university and the community at large. May we ever strive to be worthy to enjoy the benefits of his untiring efforts.

Bro. J. A. Peters, left tackle on the University of Kansas team, was entertained in a most cordial fashion by the Wisconsin Alpha boys while he was in Madison with the team. Bro. Peters is a freshman but is playing a great game at tackle.

Several of the brothers are expecting to go to Lincoln next Saturday to see the Kansas-Nebraska game, and incidentally to visit the Nebraska Alpha boys. Bro. Creager was in Lincoln last Saturday to see the Haskell-Nebraska game and, although the Indians lost, the trip was a very pleasant one, for the Nebraska boys proved most hospitable hosts.

Lawrence, Kansas, October 30, 1902.

Nebraska Alpha—University of Nebraska.

P. F. Bross, Correspondent.

On Saturday evening, October 11, occurred the annual fall initiation of the year, and Nebraska Alpha takes pleasure in introducing to its alumni and to the fraternity at large Bros. Will Ramsey, of Plattsmouth; Ralph Christie, Rex Morehouse, Arthur Scribner, Harry Reed, of Omaha; Allen Prescott, Earl Hubbard, and Harry Hargraves of Lincoln. The impressive initiation was followed by a banquet which lasted far into the night and inspired in each a stronger and nobler Phi Psi spirit. The hours passed merrily with feast and songs and toasts. Talks were given by some of the active brothers and then the toastmaster, Bro. Ringer, called on each of the alumni present. Their words will do the chapter good. The eight initiates were called upon and each responded and showed that they had already imbibed a large share of the Phi Psi spirit. The alumni present at the initiation were Bros. Ladd, Oberlies, Hayes, Burnham, Williams, Powell, Wiggenghorn and Korsmeyer.

We were all glad when Bro. Charles Shimer, of Denver, Col., surprised us by returning to school this fall. He left school last spring on account of the death of his father.

On Friday evening, October 24, an informal house party was held for the new men. Dancing was the principal feature of the evening's amusements. All reported a good time. Bros. Powell and Baird of Omaha were down for the party.

The football season at the University of Nebraska so far has been one of unbroken triumph. On Saturday, October 18 we reached a goal at which we have long aimed. On that day Minnesota's football team was defeated on its own ground by Nebraska. Since then the University of Missouri and the Haskell Indians have met defeat before our team. So far this season Nebraska has not been scored against. Phi Psi is represented on the team by Bro. Ringer, who is playing his position at guard with added zeal and spirit. Everyone is speaking of the excellent management this

year. Certainly Bro. Engel is to be congratulated both on the schedule and on the businesslike way things are managed.

In the Cadet Battalion the following brothers secured appointments: Bros. Buckley and Ringer, captains; Bro. McCulloch, second lieutenant; Bro. Harris, sergeant major; a number of brothers were also appointed as sergeants and corporals.

Bros. Pearse, Chapin, Collett and Crandall have been back to see some of the football games and have been around to the house.

We also received a very pleasant visit from Bro. Marvin Creager of Kansas Alpha. It is the hope of all brothers that we may become better acquainted with the brothers of Kansas Alpha.

Although the history of Nebraska Alpha is one which we are all proud to look back upon, the active brothers feel that never before has the chapter been in as good condition as now, and we cordially invite all our alumni and all Phi Psis to visit us.

California Beta—Sanford University.

W. G. Deal, Correspondent.

Never in the history of California Beta have conditions been so promising, never before has the chapter been so strong or stable.

We take pleasure in introducing the following new brothers in Phi Psi: John Graham Wood, of Indianapolis; Lee Lucas, of Santa Maria, California; Doxey Wilson, of Indianapolis, and Keith Weigh, of Mt. View, California.

On October 18 our entire chapter made a visit to the University of California, where it was royally housed and entertained by California Gamma. The two chapters out here on the coast are constantly growing closer together, and the Phi Psi spirit is stronger each year.

Bros. Raymond and Hopkins, of Chicago, and Bro. Asire, of Ohio, visited us last week. Bro. Farnum is our good angel this year and has done much to further the prosperity of Phi Psi.

On November 9 the annual banquet will be held in San Francisco, under the auspices of the San Francisco Alumni Association.



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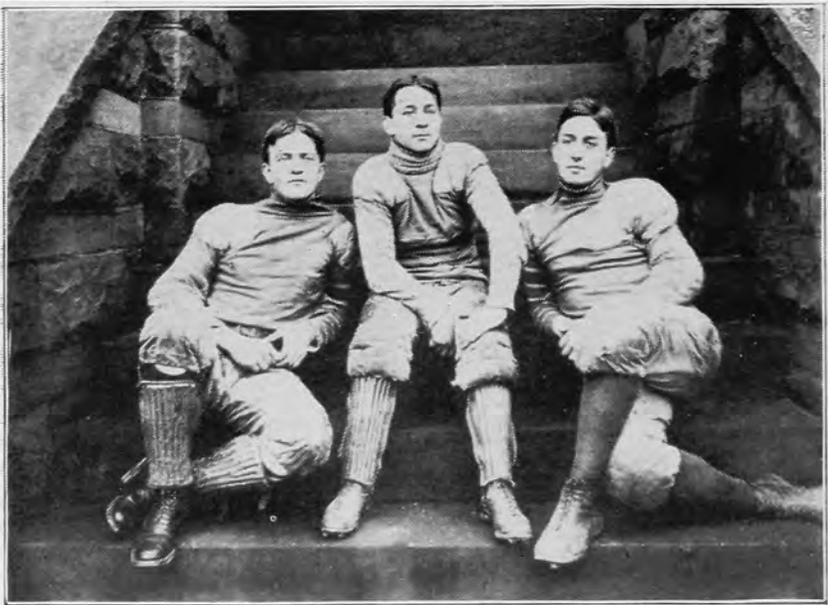
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Phi Kappa Psi in Football, 1902

by Frederick Bird Jones.

"Fight, no flinching," is said to have been the spirit which characterized the football season at a small New York college. Because that is the spirit which makes men in the wide field of activity from which the college graduate chooses his sphere, is the reason that the writer admires so thoroughly football and its players.

Football playing is growing away from the mere pastime and has in a sense become work—earnest, serious, disciplinary work—and a part of the training for intense effort in after life.

Some of the presidents of large eastern colleges have been deprecating the "mass and tandem plays." A record of ten killed in the game, this year, probably is the cause of these statements. The writer is not yet ready to express an opinion as to the changes, if any, which should be introduced into the game to lessen the dangers which it is claimed are attendant upon these plays. In this connection, the views of Bro. Woodrow Wilson, president of Princeton, as quoted in press dispatches, may not be out of place:

"The students always have a doctor present.' Is there any other college game where it is a necessity to have a doctor

present? Ten men have been killed this year, notwithstanding the doctor. Ten times ten have been seriously injured, and Princeton has been represented in the list of injured.

"I believe in football as an open game, with massed and tandem plays eliminated. The test we want of students is a test of their wits as well as of muscle and nerve. We can have this great game without its appalling fatalities and injuries. The public demands it. The obligation is directly upon the colleges, for it is peculiarly a college and school game. We never have thought that college faculties should make athletic rules, but their moral influence should be exerted, not only for honest but for safe athletics."

The Phi Kappa Psi representation, so far as the twenty-five chapters we have heard from inform us, in football is considerably smaller than in 1901, when seventy-nine brothers were in the field, yet our record of more than fifty by no means is despicable, when it is considered that it includes representatives on Michigan, Pennsylvania—where Bro. Metzger will captain the team next year—and many other strong elevens.

A glance—half an hour's study—at the statistical table brings out some interesting facts. In Bro. Lippincott of Swarthmore, who stands six feet three inches, we have the tallest of our squad. Bro. Stone of Ohio Wesleyan, who weighs 196 pounds with the height of five feet seven inches, is apparently the heaviest for his height, while Bro. O'Daniel of DePauw may claim the lead in actual weight with his 205 pounds.

Our seventeen-year-old brother Kent of Swarthmore seems the most youthful pigskin chaser—as the penny-a-liner would say—in our ranks.

As near as reports can be interpreted, we have among us four left ends, seven right ends, seven left tackles, two right tackles, three left guards, four right guards, one center, eight quarter-backs, seven left-half backs, four full-backs.

The first district leads in the number of players with twenty-four men in the game, while the second and fourth districts report nine and eleven respectively.

The Amherst, Brown, Lafayette—which had six men last year—University of Ohio and Purdue chapters have reported that they are not represented on the 'varsity teams this year. Johns Hopkins, we believe, does not maintain a team, while our information in reference to the fourteen chapters who have not reported has been gained from varied, and possibly unreliable, sources. These names are starred in the statistical table which, by the way, does not include Thanksgiving Day games.

As can be seen easily from the unwontedly uneven distribution of men in positions it would need such a coach as Bro. Carl Williams or Paul Dashiell to whip a first rate team into shape from the material which presents itself. I am going to pretend I am as clever as they, and with unparalleled audacity shall attempt to present a team which I imagine would put most college teams on their mettle, and beat any possible combination of brother Phi Psis which this season's array could present. Now, of course,

you understand the difficulty which presents itself in selecting these men. Several things have counted in forming my estimates.

First, the experience and physique of the man as figures tell them. Next, the reputed quality of the team of which he was a member. Then, the cleverness of the chapter secretary in presenting the striking excellencies and superior achievements of the brother, and lastly, perhaps, some personal whim. I surmise that I may be charged with making the last mentioned preeminent, but candidly it has not been.

Here is the team as it would line up for the first half: Right end, Sol. Metzger, Pennsylvania; right tackle, Don J. Siater, Beloit; right guard, Edward O'Daniel, DePauw; center, W. Griffin Gribbel, Pennsylvania; left guard, John D. Ringer, Nebraska; left tackle, Bert A. Stone, Ohio Wesleyan; left end, James A. Peters, Kansas; quarter back, Carl Smith, Colgate, Paul Smith, Bucknell; right half back, John M. Foster, Mississippi; left half back, Karl C. Pritchard, Virginia; left back, James E. Lawrence, Michigan.

In the second half: Machtetanz of Ohio Wesleyan, McKinstry of DePauw, Ochiltree of Iowa, Patteson of Dartmouth, and Lippincott and Smith of Swarthmore seemingly have valid claims for a chance in the game.

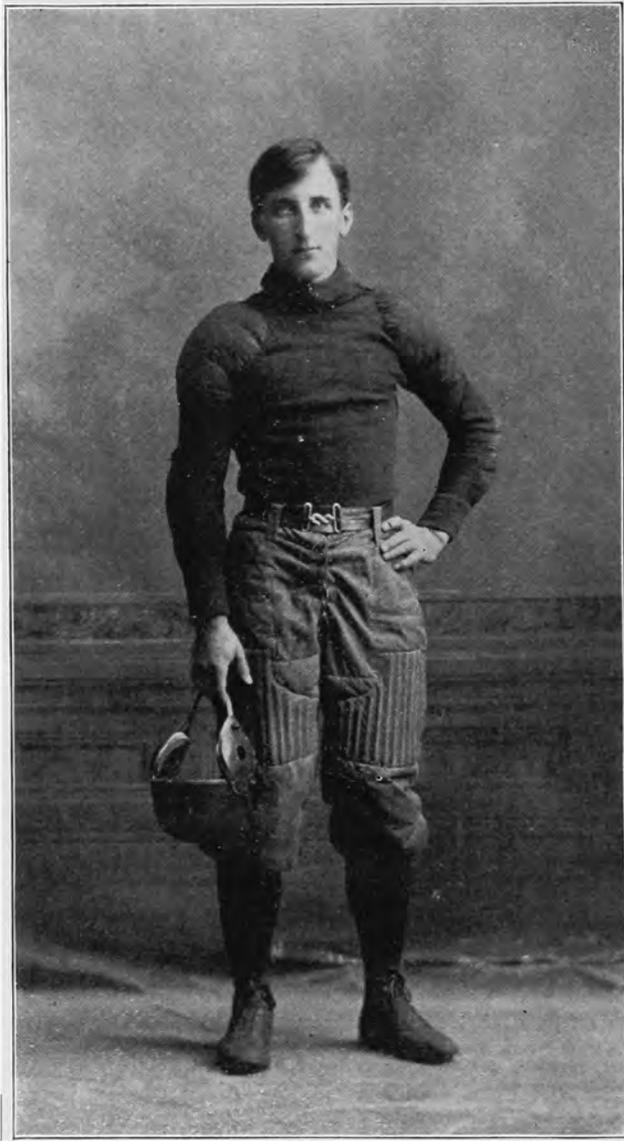
Heretofore we have tried to sum matters up by fraternity districts and we will not depart from our custom. The first district, including as it does but one state, would seem, at first glance the easiest to determine, but only a few of these colleges appear on the other's schedules. Allegheny, for instance, did not play a single college where Phi Psi has a chapter. She won more than half her games but was defeated by her bitterest rival, Geneva college. Allegheny missed Captain Mook at quarter back, and we join with her in regretting his illness. Washington and Jefferson fell before Cornell—which is not particularly strong this year—to the tune of 56 to 0. We know nothing of her other games.

Bros. Smith and Smiley of Pa. Gamma played star games for Bucknell, which won all but two college games this season. Smith is one of the three men who have crossed the Yale goal line this fall. Bucknell lost to Yale 36 to 5 and to Pennsylvania 6 to 5, which speaks well for Smith's generalship at quarter.

Bro. Sweet of Pa. Gamma, who played at Pennsylvania State College last season, has been center on the Athletics of Philadelphia. From Gamma sources we also learn that "Gessler, Pa. Alpha, played the whole game at half for Baltimore Medical" when it met defeat at Bucknell.

Of the four brothers who played with the Gettysburg eleven, it is said that "Bro. White was easily the star of the season." He appeared at right half back. Gettysburg lost to Lafayette, U. of Pa., and several other colleges, yet she won four victories.

At Dickinson four Phi Psis were on the team: Bros. Stanton, full back; Barnhart, half back; Williams, end; Carlin, tackle. Bro. Stanton has played four years and filled the position of captain this year and was considered one of the best captains who ever played at Dickinson. The others are also fast players in their



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Captain of Colgate University, Hamilton, N. Y.*

positions. We congratulate the Franklin and Marshall brothers on their "noble four" who helped to make their season successful. Bell, Stein, Westerman and Shoch are men of whom every Phi Psi may well be proud. F. and M. scored 299 points to her opponents 59, yielding only to the U. of P. and Ursians, and winning from Swarthmore, 11-0, and Gettysburg 12 to 6. At the University of Pennsylvania our chapter was strongly represented but Metzger seems to glitter above the other stars there. Walter Camp praises him strongly while another critic speaks of him thus:

"To Metzger must be given the credit of playing a game that was little short of inspired. He was fast, certain and absolutely fearless in defense, and his tackling on kicks was the best seen on a Penn. team for many moons."

Metzger was elected captain of the next year's team. He was chosen upon the first ballot by a large majority, his election being made unanimous by acclamation. Sol Metzger entered Pennsylvania from Andover Academy, where he had been active in athletics, chiefly on the track. He was captain of his freshman class football team, president of his class in sophomore year, a member of the scrub in 1900, and sub-end on last year's 'varsity. His playing this year has been consistent, strong and brainy, and he has filled his position in a way which makes the university sure that one of the end positions will be satisfactorily filled. Metzger will return next year to take a post-graduate course in architecture.

Pennsylvania suffered humiliating defeats this year at the hands of Brown, Harvard and the Indians, but squared herself somewhat by swamping Columbia and winning out from Cornell 12 to 11. It is prophesied that Bro. William's youngsters will do great things another year. Bro. Livingston Smith, an Iota man of '01 was head coach at Gettysburg.

Swarthmore's six brothers are "so modest in their excellent goodness" at the game that they decline to show us their faces. They are happy over winning from their Quaker rival, Haverford, and are proud of scoring on old Pennsylvania. Bro. Lippincott at guard and Smith at half, played twelve games with great credit to themselves.

In the second district Phi Psi was not represented at Brown or Amherst which both put out excellent teams, nor at Cornell where there seems to have been a slump, for Colgate played her 5-0, and she was beaten by the Indians, Princeton and Pennsylvania; however she snowed under Oberlin, Lafayette and others.

Syracuse had a fast team this year, and Phi Psi had another Smallwood in the field. We trust he may be a worthy successor to Thornton and Martin Smallwood who will ever be famous in Syracuse football history. Colgate has somewhat recovered from the lowly estate into which she had fallen. Under the clever leadership of Bro. Carl Smith, who has been rechosen, backed by unwonted college enthusiasm, she has had a successful season, getting even with some of her rivals, though Syracuse and Williams worsted her. Bro. Patteson was the Phi Psi representative

at Dartmouth. He proved himself an acceptable successor to Carson and Alling of much fame at Hanover. Dartmouth, too, upheld her well-earned reputation by winning six games, losing to Amherst only.

In this district we also see Bro. Atwell striving manfully on Brown's second team, and Bro. Close holding a place on Cornell's sophomore eleven. Bro. Ashley of Allegheny was conspicuous at left half back on the strong University of Buffalo team.

The third district chapters are so widely scattered that it is difficult to compare them at all, from an athletic standpoint. Virginia was beaten by Lehigh, after a clean score board for six games. This was the only game she lost, for the Indians of Carlisle lost their scalps 6 to 0. Bro. Pritchard of whose football prowess we have heard nice things from Bucknell and Lafayette in former years, did not dim his glory when he journeyed southward. Captain Foster, playing his fifth year at Mississippi, has been the life of a team which has been quite successful. His own work has always been of a high order. A critic says of him: "Captain Foster, of Mississippi, was almost a whole team in himself. Time after time he made long gains, and the way he tackled was a caution. It is but doing him justice to say that he was the strongest individual player, by long odds, on either of the teams."

Bro. Hubbard of Miss. Alpha is playing very acceptably as right end at Tulane University, Louisiana.

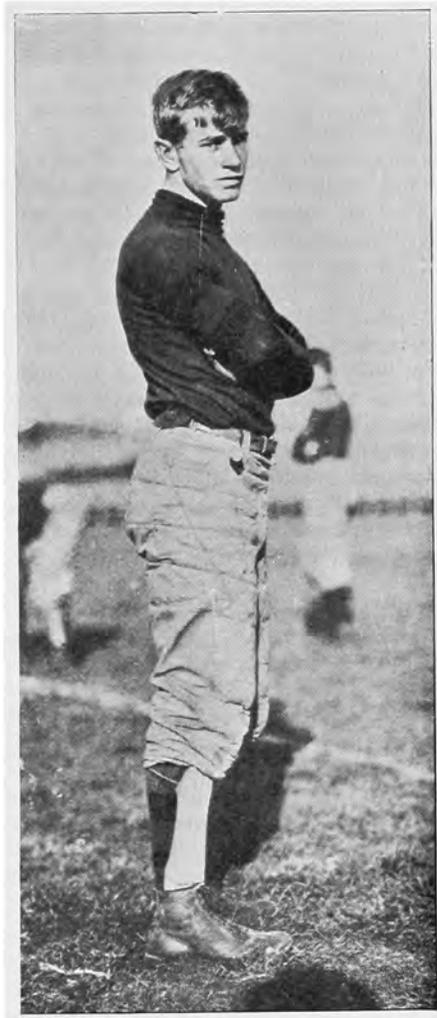
From Washington and Lee we learn that Va. Beta had two men in the field, Bros. Haw and Conover. Bro. Haw is said to have improved greatly over past years when he was considered superior. "His defensive game is almost without flaw." Bro. Conover has worked his way from the scrub to 'varsity right guard in spite of illness.

In the fourth district, Michigan has so overshadowed her sister colleges that otherwise brilliant achievements seem small by comparison. No team in the district can be singled out as particularly poor. DePauw has been stronger, and Purdue and Indiana weaker, than for several years past.

Ohio Wesleyan has had the best team for many years, winning six of her eight games. Ohio State, with an almost entire newly developed team, has won six of ten games, though she lost badly to Michigan. Northwestern and Chicago seemed to have fairly maintained former rank.

Alpha of Ohio has had two representatives—strong and sturdy ones—on her team. Bro. Burt Stone "is reputed by other colleges as the best tackle in the state of Ohio." Bro. Machtetanz has more than upheld his splendid record as a half back. Our Methodist friends can well be proud of these two brothers whose prowess has largely helped in earning Ohio Wesleyan's 137 points as against her opponents' 62. As Beta of Ohio has not favored us with any data, we can merely say we have discovered that Wittenberg was defeated by Ohio Wesleyan University.

The DePauw chapter lent three valiant stalwart men to their alma mater's gridiron contingent. McKinstray, O'Daniel and



Sol Metzger
University of Pennsylvania.

Wilkinson are men to whom Indiana Alpha may well point with pride. The first named is DePauw's star ground gainer. O'Daniels is looked upon as "old reliable" and Wilkinson has distinguished himself throughout the fall. While DePauw has won but half her games, the season has been remarkable for the college's enthusiasm which is a happy omen for the future.

Indiana has been fortunate in having a quartet of Phi Psis. From the silence of the B. G. in regard to the season there, we judge they were not entirely satisfied with seeing their opponents roll up 207 points while they scored but 84.

Bro. Rogers was the sole figure from Northwestern's Phi Psi group to enter the football lists. We regret their correspondent was so economical of his words and ink for we would like to have said more about Rogers and Northwestern.

"And behold, the best is last." Michigan and Bro. Lawrence remain to be spoken of, but what need of my exploiting them, for wherever football is known there must Michigan be recognized, and it were strange if her muscular wiry full back had a much less wide fame. For a freshman to make and to hold a position on a team which counted its points in single games by the hundreds, is a remarkable achievement. His record for goal kicking, I imagine, is almost unparalleled, 19 out of 20 in a single game, and 42 out of 43 attempts.

But hence to the fifth district and great broad west. Probably distance and Uncle Sam have conspired to deprive us of first hand information from our Pacific slope brethren, but we trust all has been well with them. From Nebraska, Iowa and Kansas, and yes, sturdy little Beloit, come cheerful notes. Nebraska with an uncrossed goal line has rolled up 185 points, numbering among her victims Minnesota, Kansas and Northwestern.

Our friend of former years, John Dean Ringer, who after four years of faithful service for Nebraska on the striped oblong, retires with glory, has played every game this year and has been in every play.

Beloit is proud of holding Chicago to 18 points and scoring on Wisconsin, about whom we are entirely in the dark. Beloit Phi Psis will regret that Bro. Slater has done his last service at left tackle for his college. He cannot but be sorely missed in next fall's round up.

James A. Peters is another left tackle who has brought honor to himself and his university by consistently good playing. Harry B. Allen also secured honor for himself and Phi Psi by his excellent playing at right guard. Kansas Alpha and university have good right to think well of them.

The Iowa boys, Phi Psis and others, were wont to count on full back Ochiltree for substantial gains from his terrific line smashes. In fact he is conceded, we hear, to be the best full back in Iowa. The university won handily from state teams but crumbled into dust before Michigan—107 to 0—and yielded less readily to Minnesota and Missouri.

We cannot close this talk without a word about the men whose names have ceased to appear as college football players, and now

are doing a fiercer work, we trust, as successful battle on life's hotter gridiron. We vainly look for the names of Alling of Dartmouth, and Stanton of Bucknell. Weymouth of Yale and Pike of Indiana, with Page of Minnesota and Lardin of West Virginia are also missed.

Crandall of Nebraska and Bunge of Beloit and a score of others have dropped from the squad.

But the bell has tolled and my fire burns low and I hear the reader's low curse over the eternal endlessness of this, and so—good night!

District I.

PLAYERS' NAMES	Chapter	College	Class	Yrs on T'm	Position	No. of G'ms This Year	H'gt	Wt.	Age
Maurice Ritchey	Pa. A.	W. & J.	'05						
Harry B. Yard	Pa. B.	Allegheny	'05	2	l. e.	7	6	160	21
C. J. Scott	Pa. B.	Allegheny	'05	1	r. e.	2	5-7	158	22
R. H. Mook	Pa. B.	Allegheny	'03		Capt.	3			
Paul G. Smith	Pa. G.	Bucknell	'05	2	q. b.	6	5-7	142	20
John B. Smiley	Pa. G.	Bucknell	'05	2	t. (sub)	3	5-6	178	19
W. F. White	Pa. Ep.	Gettysburg	'03	3	r. h. b.	9	5-11	170	23
Curtis Fisher	Fa. Ep.	Gettysburg	'04	2	l. g.	5	6	182	20
L. K. Bingaman	Pa. Ep.	Gettysburg	'04	3	l. h. b.	6	5-6	165	22
G. G. Hollinger	Pa. Ep.	Gettysburg	'06	2	l. t.	6	6	175	19
Harry A. Bell	Pa. Eta	F. & M.	'03	3	r. t.	10	6	178	19
E. J. Stein	Pa. Eta	F. & M.	'03	3	r. g.	10	5-10 $\frac{3}{4}$	172	19
John Westerman, Jr.	Pa. Eta	F. & M.	'05	2	r. e.	9	5-5 $\frac{1}{2}$	137	20
Phillip F. Schoch	Pa. Eta	F. & M.	'05	2	l. h. & r. e.	8	5-8	162	18
Sol. Metzger	Pa. I.	U. of P.	'03	2	r. e.	14	5-11	160	21
Samuel Bradbury, 3d	Pa. I.	U. of P.	'05	1	e. (sub)	1	5-9	160	19
Jos. A. Jones	Pa. I.	U. of P.	'03	1	r. t.	6	6	172	24
W. Griffin Gribbel	Pa. I.	U. of P.	'04	1	c. (sub)	0	5-10	190	22
James J. Lippencott	Pa. K.	Swarthmore	'05	2	r. g.	12	6-3	190	20
William D. Smith	Pa. K.	Swarthmore	'05	2	l. h. b.	12	5-11	150	19
Byron G. Beans	Pa. K.	Swarthmore	'03	2	q. b. (sub)	9	5-6	150	21
Wilmer G. Crowell	Pa. K.	Swarthmore	'06	1	h. b. (sub)	11	5-10	153	19
R. Leslie Ryder	Pa. K.	Swarthmore	'06	1	e. (sub)	3	5-7 $\frac{1}{2}$	141	21
Homer S. Kent	Pa. K.	Swarthmore	'06	1	t. (sub)	4	6-1 $\frac{1}{2}$	170	17
Stanton	Pa. Zeta	Dickinson		4	f. b.		5-8	160	
Barnhart	Pa. Zeta	Dickinson		1	h. b.		5-11	165	
Williams	Pa. Zeta	Dickinson		2	end		5-9	168	
Carlin	Pa. Zeta	Dickinson		1	t.		6	165	

District II.

PLAYERS' NAMES	Chapter	College	Class	Yrs on T'm	Position	No. of G'ms This Year	H'gt	Wt.	Age
C. W. Patteson	N. H. A.	Dartmouth	'05	2	l. h. b.	3	5-9 $\frac{3}{8}$	163	20
Iving Smallwood	N. Y. B.	Syracuse	'06	1	t. (sub)	4	5-10	162	19
George Pottinger	N. Y. B.	Syracuse	'05	1	g. (sub)	2	5-9	165	20
*Robert Stangland	N. Y. G.	Columbia							
Carl Smith (Capt.)	N. Y. Ep.	Colgate	'04	3	q. b.	10	5-8	145	22
J. W. Larkin	N. Y. Ep.	Colgate	'03	3	e	5	5-5 $\frac{1}{2}$	133	21
R. B. Whitman, Jr.	N. Y. Ep.	Colgate	'05	2	g.	6	5-8 $\frac{1}{2}$	162	30
*— Sartorius	N. Y. Z.	B. P. I.			r. e.				
*E. W. Boughton	N. Y. Z.	B. P. I.	'03		q. b.				

District III.

PLAYERS' NAMES	Chapter	College	Class	Yrs on T'm	Position	No. of G'ms This Year	H'gt	Wt.	Age
Karl C. Prichard	Va. A.	U. of Va.	'06	1	i. h. b.	9	5-11	162	23
George E. Haw	Va. B.	W. & L.	'03	3	r. h. b.	7	5-8	158	21
J. W. Conover	Va. B.	W. & L.	'04	1	r. g.	2	6	165	20
John M. Foster (Capt.)	Miss. A.	U. of Miss.	'03	5	r. h. b.	8	5-8 $\frac{3}{4}$	160	24
I. L. Scherck	Miss. A.	U. of Miss.	'06	1	q. b.	0	5-7	135	18
E. J. Hubbard	Miss. A.	Tulane	Ex. 00	2	r. e.	0	5-9	170	

District IV.

PLAYERS' NAMES	Chapter	College	Class	Yrs on T'm	Position	No. of G'ms This Year	H'gt	Wt.	Age
Karl A. Machetanz	O. A.	O. W. U.	'03	2	i. h. b.	8	5-7	160	22
Burt A. Stone	O. A.	O. W. U.	'06	1	i. t.	8	5-7	196	21
Homer McKinstry	Ind. A.	DePauw	'03	3	i. h. b.	10	5-9	172	22
Edgar O. Daniel	Ind. A.	DePauw	'04	3	r. g.	8	6-1	205	19
Glenn Wilkinson	Ind. A.	DePauw	'05	2	q. b.	6	5-8	140	19
Foy W. Knight	Ind. B.	U. of Ind.	'04	2	f. b.	8	5-11	180	21
J. Archie Ross	Ind. B.	U. of Ind.	'06	1	i. e.	6	5-9	152	19
Hugh Sherman	Ind. B.	U. of Ind.	'04	2	f. b.	4	5-9	158	20
Fred E. Bryan	Ind. B.	U. of Ind.	'04	2	r. e.	2	5-6	140	21
Oliver M. Rogers	Ill. A.	Northwestern	'05	1	h. b.	6			
James E. Lawrence	Mich. A.	U. of M.	'06	1	f. b.	0	6-1	202	20

District V.

PLAYERS' NAMES	Chapter	College	Class	Yrs on T'm	Position	No. of G'ms This Year	H'gt	Wt.	Age
Don J. Slater	Wis. G.	Beloit	'04	4	i. t.	7	5-10	176	22
H. C. Ochiltree	Iowa A.	U. of Iowa	'04	1	f. b.	8	5-10 $\frac{1}{2}$	195	23
James A. Peters	Kan. A.	U. of K.	'04	1	i. t.	9 $\frac{1}{2}$	5-9 $\frac{1}{2}$	162	20 $\frac{1}{2}$
*John D. Ringer	Neb. A.	U. of N.	'03	4	i. g.	0	5-9 $\frac{3}{8}$	165	
Harry B. Allen	Kan. A.	U. of K.	'05	1	r. g.	10	5-11 $\frac{3}{8}$	182	20

Three Notable Phi Psi Books

Two beautiful holiday books in which Phi Psis will find a special interest are the Riley volumes recently issued. One is a beautifully illustrated edition of "That Old Sweetheart of Mine," by the Bowen-Merrill Company, Indianapolis. This is the first publication of the full text of the poem. Chas. Scribners' Sons, of New York, have issued "The Book of Joyous Children," one of the most delightful of the child-books which reveal Mr. Riley

in his happiest mood. Another book of special Phi Psi interest was referred to in the last issue of "The Shield." "The Romance of an Old Fool," by Roswell Field, Mo. Alpha, published by William S. Lord, of Evanston, Ill. The editor of "The Shield" has read this book with unalloyed pleasure, but could not hope to describe it so well as does the literary critic of "The Interior" when he says:

"It would be hard to overpraise this story, 'The Romance of an Old Fool,' by Roswell Field. It has every quality that makes for perfection and not a flaw, of feeling or expression. It is humorous, tender, human; it moves with clean-cut narrative grace and precision (a virtue the gently-musing philosopher does not often have; he loves to 'ramble') and it is full of felicitous expression. The little book is as choice and lovely a thing as any one could wish to read; it holds one's interest absorbingly, it delights one's appreciative sense of beautiful workmanship, and it leaves one feeling far gentler and sweeter and kindlier than he was before he read it; it has much the same effect as seeing Jefferson play.—delights one's love of art, makes one laugh and makes him cry, and sends him away refreshed and reinvigorated in every human impulse. It is easily one of the best stories of the year."

Mr. Field is a notable product of the fraternity of whom little has been said in the publications of the fraternity. In a note to the editor of "The Shield" he says: "My life has been a wandering and a busy one, but I look back with great pleasure to the happy college days I spent with the good fellows of our glorious old fraternity, whom I hold in affectionate remembrance."

The Indiana Alumni Reunion

The ninth annual reunion and dinner of the Indiana alumni was held at the Denison Hotel, Indianapolis, on Thanksgiving eve. One hundred and twenty-five Phi Psis, representing fifteen chapters and sixty cities and towns scattered from the Ohio to Lake Michigan, participated. A steady growth from year to year has characterized these occasions, yet this year showed a surprising increase in attendance, although fully twenty-five of those who are almost always present were for one cause and another detained at home this year.

Preceding the meeting about forty members of Indiana Alpha held a session in the hotel parlors, at which substantial additions to the stock subscriptions of the chapter house association were made. An increasing throng of Phi Psis thronged the lobby of the hotel, and when the hour for the banquet had arrived, it was found necessary to "crowd along" all around the banquet board in order that all the members of the family present might get their feet under the Thanksgiving table.

After the "provisional program" had been completed, and this was frequently broken by the demonstrations which accompany an enthusiastic gathering of Phi Psis, the way was cleared for a nervous array of post-prandial orators with Senator E. E. Hendee of Anderson, as toastmaster. Taylor Groninger, of Indianapolis, responded to the toast, "Why We Are Here," and explained the case in a very satisfactory manner. C. E. Sims, of Indianapolis, spoke eloquently and to the point on "The Fraternity Man's Public Duty." John Hornbrook spoke on "Indiana Delta," and gave with well chosen words a modest account of the proceedings of the Purdue chapter. Jackson Boyd, of Greencastle, who described himself as "the private banker of Indiana Alpha," responded to the toast "Under the Stars," and delighted every one with an informal account of things that had happened to him by starlight during and since his college days.

Warner A. Ross, of Indianapolis, touched the finer chord of fraternity sentiment in a little speech on "College Dreams." He was followed by Dr. E. A. Schell, of Crawfordsville, formerly international secretary of the Epworth League, who charmed his hearers with an impromptu tribute to "The Absent Ones." Dr. Schell referred to the fact that he had administered the obligations of the fraternity, as an official member of Illinois Alpha, to Dr. Edwin J. James, recently inaugurated president of his alma mater. Wade H. Free, of Indiana Beta, gave an interesting account of the progress of his chapter.

James Whitcomb Riley had expected to lend his presence to the occasion, but an attack of neuralgia prevented his attendance. He sent his regrets by his cousin, Will Hough, of Greenfield, who recited Riley's "Old Sweetheart of Mine" in a manner worthy of the author himself. Former Mayor Thomas L. Sullivan, of Indianapolis, responded to the toast "Then and Now," his conclusion being that the then of college days and the now of alumnal life were identical in giving to the fraternity the place of honor in the Phi Psi's affections. H. Roy Beckman, representing Indiana Alpha chapter, made a decided hit with his response. Percy Pfaff, of Indiana Beta, during the course of the program, gave two readings which added greatly to the enjoyment of the occasion.

President Hendee made a report on behalf of the G. A. C. committee appointed at the last annual dinner, announcing the success of the delegation in securing the G. A. C. for Indianapolis in 1904. Hon. Charles L. Henry, of Anderson, who arose to discuss the report, was received with such enthusiasm that he was able to quell the disturbance only by calling for additional subscriptions to the guarantee fund for the Grand Arch Council. Several hundred dollars were added to the sum already secured as fast as the secretary could enroll the names. Charles N. Thompson, of Indianapolis, was elected president for the ensuing year, with E. H. Knight, also of Indianapolis, as secretary. On motion of Frank L. Littleton the thanks of the association were extended to the retiring secretary, Clifton R. Cameron for his efficiently rendered service. Following the

conclusion of the set program, there was a unanimous demand for just one guest of the occasion, Congressman James E. Watson. He responded, and with what effect those who heard him at the Washington dinner or the Canonsburg celebration will easily imagine.

A feature of the occasion which is not improved on at any Phi Psi gathering, was the rendering of the more familiar songs of the fraternity. Long attendance at these meetings has familiarized even the older alumni with them, and the result is a volume of inspiring harmony seldom equaled at a fraternity gathering. The increasing popularity of these state meetings and their obvious effect on the interests of the fraternity throughout Indiana, is such as to suggest the advisability of a general adoption of the plan of annual state gatherings of Phi Psis.

William C. Spangler, Kansas Alpha '83

Former Chancellor of Kansas University who Performed a Great Work for Phi Kappa Psi. By S. S. Linscott. Kansas Alpha.

Hon. William Cornelius Spangler, Kansas Alpha 1883, died at his home in Lawrence, October 22, 1902. Bro. Spangler had, for several years, been a sufferer from consumption and his friends



William Cornelius Spangler.

knew that there were no hopes for his recovery. He was a victim of duty. During the interval between the resignation of Dr. Snow from the chancellorship of the University of Kansas and the election of Dr. Strong, a period of nearly two years, Bro. Spangler was acting chancellor of the university. His health was poor at the time and the duties proved too heavy a burden for his overworked constitution. He began to grow weaker and in the spring of 1902 it was necessary for him to be driven to his office. He was so weak that he could hardly walk about. Nevertheless he stayed at his post and was always

to be found there during office hours.

Upon the election of Dr. Strong, Mr. Spangler went to Colorado for his health, but the relief was only temporary. He summoned all his strength to come back to commencement exercises and as soon as they were over he returned to the mountains. In September he gave up all hopes and came back to Lawrence to be with his family. His death, which was

most peaceful and quiet, occurred just one week after the installation of Dr. Strong.

Flags in the city were at half mast and there were no classes at the university on the day of his funeral, as a token of respect for the noble man who had passed away.

The career of Bro. Spangler was a brilliant one. He was an ideal Phi Psi; ambitious, straightforward and studious. He was born in Will county, Illinois, August 7, 1859. With his parents he moved to Kansas while a mere boy and in 1879 he entered the University of Kansas as a student in the Arts Course. One of the first honors he captured was membership in Kansas Alpha of Phi Kappa Psi. He was annual debater and annual orator of the Oread Literary Society and editor and business manager of the "University Review." He graduated from the Arts Course in 1883. He was class orator and was elected to Phi Beta Kappa. In 1885 he graduated from the law school and was again commencement orator. He was also elected to the law fraternity, Phi Delta Phi.

While in the university Bro. Spangler took a most active part in his fraternity. He was always ready to do all within his power for his brothers. He was for a time business manager of "The Shield." Nor did his interest in Phi Psi cease with his graduation. He was the originator of the stock company which bought a house for the chapter and in many ways he showed a most kindly interest and brotherly feeling.

In 1889 Bro. Spangler was made acting chancellor of the university, which position he held until Dr. Snow was elected in 1890. He was elected a regent of the university in 1890 and served until 1893. In 1900 he was again made a regent and this position he held until his death.

From 1887 until his death he held the office of city attorney of Lawrence and in that capacity he was of great service to the city. His ability as a lawyer was recognized by the law department and he was made a lecturer in that department. He continued in this capacity until he was made acting chancellor in 1900.

To Bro. Spangler belongs the credit for having twice tided the university over rough places. Dr. Snow, who delivered an oration at the funeral of Bro. Spangler, spoke of him as his best friend and the best friend of the university.

The important part which Bro. Spangler took in the development of "The Shield" during a crucial period in its history, is not generally understood and Bro. E. C. Little, who was associated with Bro. Spangler in his college and fraternity career, states that to no one, Letterman and Moore excepted, does Phi Kappa Psi owe a greater debt of gratitude than to this great educator and administrator, this splendid man and brother.

A Phi Psi's Long Horseback Ride

In the Philadelphia Press of November 19 appears an interesting article concerning a Philadelphia Phi Psi, Bro. Geo. S. Worth, Swarthmore, class of 1902. The same story is going the rounds of the metropolitan press, and while "The Shield" has not official corroboration of its entire accuracy, we give the pleasant little romance for what it's worth. The Press says:

Somewhere between the eastern foothills of the Rocky Mountains and the western edge of the great American plains is a young Philadelphia collegian on horseback, with his steed's head turned toward this city and a distance of some two thousand miles separating him from home and friends.

The young, solitary horseman is George S. Worth, a recent graduate of Swarthmore College and son of W. P. Worth, the multimillionaire steel man of Coatesville, who is prominent in this city as a manufacturer and clubman.

Young Worth is on his way to this city and hopes by dint of unusual good fortune and equally unusual pluck and fortitude, to arrive here by Christmas Day.

Worth, who is not yet twenty-one years old, and only five months out of college, was induced to take this long overland equestrian trip by the hope of gaining the health and strength that such outdoor exercise usually brings. At any rate, this is the reason avowed.

But back of the plain unromantic desire to regain strength is the stronger, more poetic inclination to be once more with the young woman whom he loves and who has promised to be his bride. This is the impelling force that drew him from Denver and which is urging him by night and day across the many miles of mountains and plains that intervene between his home and the far western city. Visions of the girl he loved and left in college proved too powerful for resistance, so last Saturday morning before daylight he set out alone and unattended on the long and somewhat hazardous journey.

The return to primitive methods of locomotion by the young collegian was a sort of compromise between himself on the one hand, who wished to return East immediately, and his parents and doctor on the other, who desired him to remain West until spring.

He went to Denver about two months ago. His health had been somewhat shattered by overwork last spring before he was graduated, so he decided to spend a few months of outdoor life in the pure and rare air of the Colorado mountains.

Shortly after his arrival, however, he commenced to chafe at the separation from his eastern friends and his fiancée at Swarthmore. He advised his physician of his intention to return but neither the medical man nor the youth's parents would



*H. C. Ochiltree,
Iowa Alpha.*



*Karl C. Prichard,
Virginia Alpha.*



*John D. Ringel,
Nebraska Alpha.*

listen to such an idea. He must build up his broken health by daily outdoor exercise, they declared.

This forced the young collegian to strategy and argument. He submitted one plan after another without success until finally the overland equestrian trip was hit upon and adopted as a substitute for a protracted stay in the West.

The young woman for whom such adventures have been chosen is Miss Nora Leland Stabler, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Stabler, of Sandy Spring, Maryland, and cousin of George H. Brooke, the famous Pennsylvania football player.

Miss Stabler is a student in Swarthmore College. She is a member of the first year's senior class and is a leader among her fellows, holding many honorable positions in her class organizations and in the various social and literary societies with which she is identified. She is a decided brunette with jet black eyes and hair and rosy cheeks. Large, robust and of athletic form she is a perfect representative of the college girl type of beauty.

The friendship between the two young persons formed during their undergraduate days at Swarthmore. They met in the early part of Miss Stabler's freshman year and a strong friendship existed thereafter. She occasionally visited girl friends in Coatesville and young Worth once or twice spent part of his summer vacation in the little Maryland resort where the Stablers make their home, so it was not wholly a surprise to their intimate friends when shortly after last June's commencement day, on which young Worth received his degree, announcement of betrothal was made.

Both Worth and Stabler are household names at Swarthmore, several members of either family having been graduated there. Among these are W. P. Worth, father of the young man who is now making his way over the Rocky Mountains.

Friends of the young horseman feel no anxiety for his safety as he is a fearless rider and enough of an athlete to take care of himself. He has long been devoted to horsemanship and was always fond of adventure. While an undergraduate in college he attempted many venturesome feats and often of an evening would ride horseback to his home in Coatesville, a distance of thirty-three miles, returning on horse the following morning. He expects to make record time on his present trip and will stop only to sleep and eat. By change of horses from time to time he hopes to make the 1830 miles in six weeks. He expects to be greatly benefited by the trip and thinks it will be a pleasant thing to recall in his old age, referring back to the time he, as a youth of twenty, rode across the great plains in midwinter to regain health and to reclaim his Quaker love.

Young Worth is well known in the society circles of this city. He is a member of the Phi Kappa Psi fraternity and the University club. His father, W. P. Worth, is partner in the Worth Brothers Iron and Steel firm in Coatesville and is a member of the Union League. Dr. F. L. Bassett, who lives in Swarthmore, and has offices in the Girard Trust Building, at Broad and Chestnut streets, is an uncle of the young man.

Miss Stabler is not so well known in Philadelphia but comes of an old southern family, whose various members have won distinction in many lines. She is a member of the Pi Beta Phi fraternity.

Another Phi Psi at Princeton

By Edwin Lightner Nesbit, Pa, Gamma.

I am sure we all, from coast to coast, must have read with great personal interest and pride Bro. N. Wilbur Helm's admirable article in the August "Shield" about "Princeton University and Her Phi Psi President." The world will always love a man—a large man, a manly man.

We share this feeling with the rest and especially when there exists a particular bond between that man and ourselves.

I often think of a toast to which our dear old patriarch, Robert Lowrey, used to respond to so eloquently and cordially—"What is this thing we call Phi Psi?" this mysterious something which, planted in the enthusiasm of our college days, always remains—hedged about, it may be, and almost hidden by other interests but sure, sooner or later, to force itself through them when perchance least expected.

If you will allow my clumsy pen a little space I would like to tell the boys of another Phi Psi at Princeton.

I was walking hurriedly through the entrance of a big sanitarium one day, a year or so ago, when I was attracted to the central figure of a group of guests sitting in the park near by smoking and conversing "between baths." This magnificent institution is a cosmopolitan place. Men and women from all parts of the United States and Canada come to its springs and baths—coming out into the country from their busy city lives to spend a few weeks or months, "eating, bathing, sleeping"—resting—in order to return again to the mighty whirlpool of life.

In such a heterogeneous number there are always some thoughtless ones who miss no chance to "amuse" themselves.

This group was interested in getting "The Captain" "going." "Yale? Why, Princeton 'll knock h— out of 'em. Princeton 'll beat any d— team Yale can ever put out."

"You ought to have seen us rip 'em up in 18—! Why, d—."

Standing in the midst of the lot and gesticulating good naturedly with a heavy gold headed cane was "The Captain."

A man tall and heavy, dressed in a dark brown suit, soiled and illkept, from the limited confines of which his whole front seemed to have forced itself, gradually but irresistibly, in one huge, adipose mass. A heavy, sodden face, purple with animation, still showed dimly marks of refinement and an array of gilded, tobacco-stained teeth appeared through his heavy brown mustache and beard. Frequent puffs at his cigarette brought



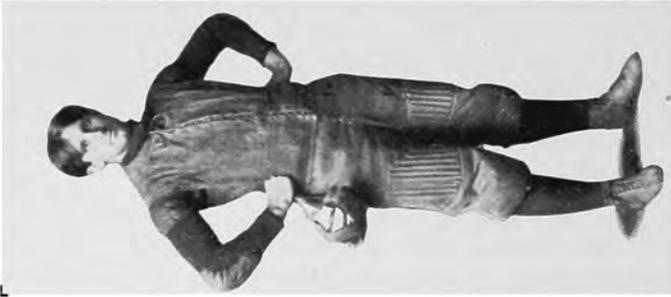
*Karl A. Machelang,
Ohio Alpha.*



*Capt. J. M. Foster,
Mississippi Alpha.*



*James Edmund Lawrence,
Michigan Alpha.*



*Foy Knight,
Indiana Beta.*

full into view yellow stained, puffy hands and untrimmed nails like claws. A profuse oily sweat stood out upon his forehead, matting the hair about his ears and neck and leaving an unmistakable "water-line" upon a high white collar.

He was not drunk. He was past that point.

Many and various stains over a well studded shirt front and white vest added to show his woeful condition, mentally and physically, while swinging violently from a heavy gold chain which spanned his entire front was a miniature gold football—and upon its sides "Princeton 18—

This then was "The Captain." The picture may be a poor one, fellows, but it is not over-drawn—in fact, many conditions resulting from the increasing impotence of his wasting brain would be too revolting for description—even by an "embryo doc." His lamentable weakness continually manifested itself by profane exclamations. One could hardly imagine a more awful wreck.

A few days later I saw him sitting with his attendant to whom I stopped to speak a moment. He was less demonstrative than usual and sat quietly puffing his cigarette, his countenance almost brutally immobile.

My coat fell back as I put my hand into my pocket and "The Captain," looking at my pin in a half interested tone, said: "What's that pin? Phi Kappa Sigma?"

"No. That's Phi Kappa Psi."

Instantly his countenance changed. "God!" he exclaimed, sprang forward and grasped me by the hand.

And "The Captain" was a Phi Psi.

An expression new to this poor wrecked hulk came over his face. Had this been the key at last to close the circuit; to stimulate to one supreme effort that old, worn out noble instrument whereby "The Captain" himself might be carried, on the delicate strands of subjective memory back over the horrible black marsh of latter years to those days at Princeton, when indeed he was The Captain?

"That's the first time I've given that grip for twenty years—" and he sat down to tell me how "Princeton used to knock h—l out of Yale."

"The Captain" left us a short time afterward—when his friends came for him. Before he left I learned these few broken hints of his Phi Psi life.

"No chapter at Princeton? Well, all I know is that some of us fellows went over to some d— little college in Pennsylvania and got taken in."

"No, I don't know the name, but Yale? Well, Princeton can knock——"

The Captain was beyond human aid.

In a beautiful big home surrounded by acre upon acre of shaded lawns—and a high stone wall—with long walks and pleasant drives The Captain was left by his friends—but there are bars over the windows.

Let us hope some day to meet The Captain again and to give him the good old grip, for "circumstances do alter cases, and

"In men whom men condemn as ill,
I find so much of goodness still;
In men whom men pronounce divine,
I see so much of sin and blot
I hesitate to draw the line
Between the two—where God has not."

**The Purdue University Phi Kappa Psi
Association.**

A Unique Chapter House Plan.

After a rest of barely six months from the successful termination of the famous struggle to secure a chapter, the fathers of Indiana Delta opened a new campaign to secure the ownership of a suitable chapter house. The conditions involved in this new enterprise



Dr. Kern, Lafayette, Ind.

were severe in the extreme, and constitute a problem of unusual propositions. To the well established chapter which, by keeping alive the interest of its alumni, has a right to ask for and expect aid toward a chapter house, or even to the younger chapter blessed with a single member or friend able and inclined to float a chapter house project, the ownership of a chapter house is an easy matter.

But to the chapter whose life is measured in months and whose alumni consists of a dozen beardless youths seeking their fortunes in the cold world, the chapter house project assumes quite a different aspect.

Under these latter conditions, the only plan which can succeed must embrace a practical business proposition, one of financial stability and attractiveness, one that will appeal strongly to the business men who wear the shield.

Indiana Delta, with its characteristic aggressiveness and zeal, has solved this problem and the novel features of the business-like methods adopted will be of interest, not only to those intimately associated with chapter house movements, but to many other readers of "The Shield."

The "Purdue University Phi Kappa Psi Association," the organization having the Indiana Delta movement in hand, is



Prof. Thomas G. Alford.



Judson H. Boughton.



E. H. Knight.

an incorporated stock company, doing business under the laws of the State of Indiana. Its by-laws, printed in pamphlet form and issued to stockholders, provide for two kinds of capital stock, preferred and common, each at \$50.00 per share. The preferred stock is issued to members of the fraternity in good standing, is non-taxable, and bears an annual net dividend of four per cent., payable semi-annually. This stock is redeemable in full and is transferable to members of the fraternity in good standing. The vital matter of security to the investor is provided for by an ample sinking fund arising from three sources, common stock, initiation fees and property rental. The common stock, which bears no interest and is not transferable or subject to inheritance by legal heirs, is issued to the initiates of the chapter, each initiate being obligated to subscribe for one share upon the date of his initiation. For the convenience of those who can not take out a full share in one payment, a special promissory note providing for four equal yearly installments is issued. Ten dollars from the initiation fee of each initiate is subscribed by the chapter to this sinking fund. The properties of the association occupied by the chapter, are leased from the association by a formal lease upon terms corresponding to the local rates, and revenues arising from this source, amounting to a minimum of \$600.00 per year, are turned to this sinking fund, which aggregates a total minimum of \$1,100.00 per annum. This sinking fund, guaranteeing, with the property itself, an unusually secure investment, is used to retire preferred stocks, cover any possible property depreciation, and pay interest and insurance.

This financial scheme, the details of which have been carefully gone over by some of Phi Psi's most prominent financiers, whose most conservative calculations show a retirement of \$15,000.00 of preferred stock in as many years, places the project on a sound basis and offers to the Phi Psi public a pure investment of unusual attractiveness. The machinery of the corporation has been set in motion, a complete set of stock certificates, subscription blanks, etc., having been issued, and at this early date \$2,500.00 in common stock and the same amount of preferred stock has been subscribed.

The vital matter of the management of the business of the association is vested by the by-laws in a board of directors composed of four members from the alumni and one from the active chapter, all elected by the stockholders at their annual meeting at Lafayette on February 19. This places the association on the same basis as other corporations, and with competent directors, following a well defined plan of action, this admirable plan is certain to succeed.

"The Shield" is enabled to present, in connection with this article, the "counterfeit presentments" of the originators of this unique chapter house movement.

EUGENE GROVE CARPENTER

Eugene Grove Carpenter, B. S., '82, Ohio Wesleyan University, died at Columbus, Ohio, October 19, as the result of a stroke of apoplexy, which occurred a few days before his death. Dr.



Dr. E. G. Carpenter.

Carpenter was born in Richland county, Ohio, January 17, 1857, was initiated into Ohio Alpha chapter of Phi Kappa Psi in 1877, and after graduating from the Ohio Wesleyan University in 1882, went to the College of Physicians and Surgeons of Baltimore, from which he received the degree of M. D. in 1884. He was assistant physician at the Cleveland hospital for the insane from 1885 to 1890 and after resigning that position, continued his studies in neurology in several universities of Europe. He engaged in private practice for a number of years, and in 1898 was elected superintendent of the Columbus hospital for the insane, which position he held at the

time of his death. He leaves a wife and one child, Eugene, aged five years. Bro. George Smart sends the following tribute:

"I have never known a man more radiant with life than was 'Gene Carpenter. He seemed to have so much vital energy that all who came in contact with him were invigorated. His own life was so joyous that he made all who knew him happier. He loved life and delighted in its joys, but his was not a selfish existence. He was a prince of good fellows and was never so entirely happy as when entertaining those who were near and dear to him. Knowing these characteristics, those of us who had entered into his life were shocked beyond measure at the news of his sudden illness and hoped for his recovery, even after the physicians said there was no ground for hoping. It seemed impossible that one who was so strong and well and full of life should lose in the battle with death. It is indeed comforting to know that he still lives in our lives and always will.

"I might speak of his success as an alienist, of his broad and progressive ideas in the treatment of the weak minded. I might dwell upon the fact that with such a man as Eugene Carpenter at the head of a hospital for the insane, it is not necessary to provide by law for the merit system, for he defied the spoilsmen and always insisted that merit should be recognized and govern absolutely in making appointments and removals. I might tell

how rigidly honest he was and how he demanded that his subordinates adhere to the high standard which he had set up for himself. But Phi Psis, while they do not underestimate his public services, delight in thinking of him as a Phi Psi brother, one who gloried in being a Phi Psi and was eager always to respond to its call. Never was there a heartier hospitality than that of Eugene Carpenter. His face beaming with good nature, his firm hand clasp, his rollicking laugh—all contributed to make the royal host. He was more than these, however. He was not only gracious, but genuine. Smiles sometimes hide sinister motives, but with him they were little rays of sunshine which come from a great soul. He was a friend of deep sincerity and great loyalty.

“When a man is as lovable as Eugene Carpenter among men, how much deeper and grander must be his character as husband and father! In this time of crushing sorrow, may the realization that her husband was helpful to so many be a comfort to his widow, and may his life be an inspiration and guide to the son who bears his father’s honored name and who, we trust, will some day wear his father’s Phi Kappa Psi shield. Fatherless he is, but not friendless, for every Phi Psi who knew Eugene Carpenter will be a friend of little Eugene.”



EDITORIAL



There is no chapter in the Phi Kappa Psi fraternity that is not honored and strengthened by membership in it. The editor of

The Chapter and The Fraternity. "The Shield" has seen something of institutions of higher learning, and something of chapters of the fraternity, and has no hesitancy in subscribing to that doctrine. So far as we know, there is no reason why a sermon should be preached from this text in "The Shield," and yet if one chapter of the college fraternity that stands throughout for ultra-conservatism of the strictest type, can reach a point where it issues instructions in etiquette to representatives from other chapters about to visit it, we may assume that no inter-collegiate fraternity is entirely free from chapter provincialism.

The average man in the average chapter sees little of the general fraternity during his college career. We have not many such chapters of convention goers as Michigan Alpha, New York Alpha and Pennsylvania Kappa, which have been represented at the last two national conventions by a pretty considerable portion of their membership. If all the members of all the chapters could attend the G. A. C.'s and rub elbows with the entire undergraduate membership, there would be no danger of any member of any one chapter assuming that its association with Phi Kappa Psi's chain of chapters was a bit of magnanimity which reflected a peculiar luster on the whole organization. In place of that state of mind would come the conviction that membership in the fraternity is an honor, not because one belongs to a particular chapter, but because he belongs to the great-body of Phi Psis, who together constitute an organization which as a whole is stronger than any of its parts.

We will not pause here to discuss at length the causes likely to lead to a misconception on the part of members of a strong chapter in a strong institution of their true relation to the general organization. Suffice it to say that a study, not only of the catalogue, but of the individual record of graduates of the fraternity from year to year, will show that there is a pretty thorough diffusion of strength among the forty chapters of Phi Kappa Psi. There are exceptions to this rule at particular periods, of course, but they do not disprove it.

The strongest chapters, after all, are likely to be those which take the keenest interest in the general fraternity. The editor has in mind one such chapter in particular, located in one of the greater northwestern institutions. This chapter knows more, not only about the Phi Kappa Psi fraternity, but about other

college fraternities, and consequently has a more intelligent pride in the general fraternity than most of the chapters located in smaller institutions. A chapter of this kind is an honor to the fraternity, and principally because of the fact that it has never become especially impressed with the idea that this is true.

One of the most delicate questions with which chapters have to deal is that of transferred membership. The problem is an especially difficult one in a few of the larger institutions, which attract students in numbers from the smaller schools. The editor of "The Shield" remembers with special regret the case of a brother who became "sour" on the fraternity because, on going to a larger institution, he was not invited to affiliate with the chapter there. Other college fraternities have a certain amount of the same sort of trouble, although local chapters of Beta Theta Pi, at least, have no voice in the matter of accepting transfers, we believe. There are two sides to this question, which the chapters in institutions not often sought by men from other colleges are not likely to readily appreciate. The strength of a chapter comes from the fact that its membership is the inherited choice of all the men who have ever belonged to it. To interrupt growth of this character by the continual grafting on of extraneous material, however well selected by others, is to introduce an element of weakness. There are institutions in which a chapter could not preserve a character of its own were it to induct into active membership all the brothers from other chapters.

The Question of Transfers.

In many cases the chapter would necessarily be dominated by or entirely made up of initiates of other chapters who come their way. In every institution there is a set of conditions varying from those existing in any other institution, and the chapter bears a certain relation to them. It must retain its individuality if it is to take advantage of its peculiar opportunities. To do this it must cling to the unit rule in the selection of members. From the application of this policy no slight to the brother who has transferred his college allegiance may properly be inferred. The man who has a household of his own may hold in deepest affection his brothers in the flesh without feeling impelled to ask them to take a hand in the government of his own household.

This is a peculiar question which should be faced with brotherly frankness in every institution. The fact that a chapter does not feel prompted, for reasons such as are set forth above, to invite a brother to actively affiliate, should not result, as it often does, in raising a barrier, either of embarrassment on the part of the chapter or resentment on the part of the brother. The Phi Psi should be sought out and treated as such by the chapter, and on the other hand the brother should do his part toward relieving the situation from embarrassment.

The fraternity which, in its own opinion, has grown so strong that it can no longer afford to embrace an opportunity for becoming stronger wherever and whenever such a chance, in line with a conservative policy based on common sense is presented, is certain to be in a more or less advanced stage of dry-rot. It is within the memory of the present generation of Phi Psis that extension into the comparatively new state institutions of higher learning west of Chicago was at one time regarded by certain Greek letter societies with supercilious amusement. Yet in later years we have seen the same organizations dismount the altitudinous pinnacle and trail in to these same universities after some of the fraternities which were the objects of their scorn a dozen years ago, have secured a local footing from which even the pretensions of more aged rivals cannot dislodge them. This only goes to show that the Chinese variety of conservatism is not applicable to American conditions.

**One Element
of
Strength.**

Phi Kappa Psi was one of the earliest fraternities to undertake a policy of western extension. Its first chapter established west of the Alleghenies is over forty years old. We are thirty-five years old at the University of Iowa, twenty-seven years old at the University of Wisconsin, twenty-one years old at Beloit, twenty-six years old at Michigan, twenty-six years old at the University of Kansas and fourteen years old at the University of Minnesota. We had a splendid chapter at the University of Missouri thirty-three years ago. Illinois Beta was first born at Chicago in 1865, Illinois Alpha at Northwestern in 1864. We have had a chapter on the Pacific coast for more than twenty years. And so on. Along with these chapters west of the eastern Illinois line were established, during a period of rapid extension, a number of chapters in smaller institutions, some of which disappointed the hopes of their founders. But from them we have derived many of our strongest alumni. With Phi Psis from states further east and from the south they are scattered all over the territory which is contributing and will continue to contribute the students of the greater institutions in the growing west, and to send representatives to many of the better known institutions of the east as well. The effect is apparent and the lesson is obvious.





Rev. Louis B. Howell, formerly of Scranton, N. J., is now at Boonton, N. J.

Bro. L. B. McNeal is of the law firm of J. F. McNeal & Sons, c.f Marion, Ohio.

Dr. E. J. Campbell, Illinois Alpha '87, is a prominent physician at Fargo, North Dakota.

Dr. H. I. Haines is a successful dentist of Coatesville, Pa., with offices at 127 Main street.

Nevin E. Veneman, Ohio Delta '02, is with the J. W. Sefton Manufacturing Company, Anderson, Ind.

Carl G. Brown, Cal. Beta '00, who has been for some time in Salt Lake City, has returned to San Francisco.

Harry C. Barber, Mass. Alpha '02, is instructor of Science and German in Gates Academy, Neligh, Nebraska.

B. Ralph Boyer, Pa. Iota, is secretary of the B. F. Boyer Co., manufacturers of worsted yarns at Camden, N. J.

Bro. F. N. Hadlock, N. H. Alpha '00, is serving his third year as principal of the Lunenburg, Mass., high school.

Bro. Wm. K. Runyan, who has been in Cuba, is now with the American-China Development Co. at Canton, China.

George C. Stahl, Pa. Eta '83, of Milton, Pa., is Grand Chief of the Knights of the Golden Eagle of Pennsylvania.

Chas. R. Freeman, Miss. Alpha, formerly of Starkville, Miss., has entered upon the practice of law at Checotah, I. T.

Horace P. Glover, Lafayette '71, is the senior member of the successful law firm of Glover & Glover, Mifflinsburg, Pa.

Fred E. Hines, Indiana Beta, of Noblesville, Indiana, was elected prosecuting attorney of Hamilton county, Indiana, in November.

Dr. J. E. Grant, Mass. Alpha, is physical director of the Second Avenue branch of the Y. M. C. A., 142 Second Avenue, New York City.

"Each issue of 'The Shield' is received with delight," writes Bro. Jacob J. Abersold, of 2649 Perrysville avenue, Allegheny, Pennsylvania.

Frederick H. Gabbi, R. I. Alpha '02, is with the Industrial Trust Co., of Providence, R. I., and takes an active interest in the welfare of his chapter.

Edmund B. Dillon, Ohio Alpha '90, was elected one of the three judges of the Court of Common Pleas of Franklin county, Ohio, at the recent election.

Bro. William T. Mason, attorney and counsellor at law, formerly located at 45 Broadway, has moved his office to 63 Wall street, New York City.

Bro. J. B. Smalley is a member of the firm of Smalley Brothers & Company, manufacturers of gasoline engines and launches at Bay City, Michigan.

Bro. William Stewart Davis, formerly of Sherbrooke, Quebec, is now at Port Arthur, China, his address being care of Clarkson & Coy, Nagasaki, Japan.

The Methodist Book Concern recently issued "An Exposition on the Epistle to the Romans," by Prof. W. G. Williams, Ohio Alpha, who died recently.

Prof. Francis W. Hanawalt, Indiana Alpha, is president of the Iowa Epworth League, which held its annual convention at Grinnell, November 27-30.

Bro. F. A. Cokefair is chief engineer of the Highland Canal and Power Company, with headquarters in the Providence Building, Duluth, Minnesota.

A new card in the business directory is that of Hon. Jacob V. Gotwalts, of Pottstown, Pa., a charter member of Pa. Zeta, and a leading attorney of his state.

Bro. Glenn C. Heller writes from 511 Bullitt Building, Philadelphia: "I run across many Phi Psis here in Philadelphia, and always with a hearty welcome."

"The Shield" office acknowledges a call from Wilbur Thomas Chollar, of Chicago, a well known alumnus of Illinois Beta, during the absence of the editor.

Hon. James E. Watson, Ind. Alpha, has the sympathy of the fraternity in the death of his little daughter, a beautiful child to whom he was devotedly attached.

Walter H. Lippincott, Pa. Alpha, of the firm of Bioren & Co., bankers, Philadelphia, has recently been elected a member of the Philadelphia Stock Exchange.

Warren L. Rugg, N. H. Alpha '01, is at Albany, N. Y., as transit man for the New York Central and Hudson River R. R. His address is 304 Hudson avenue.

Bro. W. S. Hannah is secretary and treasurer of the company publishing the Daily National Live Stock Reporter, at National Stock Yards, Illinois, near St. Louis.

A new card in the business directory is that of Bro. Palmer Ketner of the Caledonian Coal Company, Gallup, N. M., of which Bro. Ketner is secretary and treasurer.

“‘The Shield’ is a great fraternity magazine, the best there is,” writes Geo. L. Bennett, N. Y. Epsilon '00, who is now principal of the high school at Hamilton, N. Y.

A. E. Pfahler '95, Pa. Kappa, is in Europe where he will spend several months, visiting the important cities in the interest of The Abram Cox Stove Co., of Philadelphia.

Bro. Jno. N. Garner is publisher of the “Farm News,” a successful journal for farmers and stockmen published at Springfield, Ohio, with a circulation exceeding 100,000.

Carl Vance, Indiana Alpha, of Noblesville, Indiana, is to go to Peru, South America, as a missionary. After January 1 his address will be Casilla No. 90, Callao, Peru, S. A.

The F. A. Godcharles Company, of Milton, Pa., manufacturers of iron and steel cut nails and spikes, is composed of three Pa. Theta Phi Psis, F. A., W. B. and W. A. Godcharles.

Bro. Geo. L. Buck is with the People's Bank of Buffalo, N. Y. His home address is 38 West Avenue, Buffalo, where, as he writes, “any wandering Phi Psi will be a most welcome sight.”

C. M. McCabe, Indiana Gamma, of Covington, Indiana, has purchased a controlling interest in the Journal Printing Company, of Indianapolis. Bro. McCabe will remain in Covington.

Newton W. Gilbert, Ohio Delta, lieutenant governor of Indiana, is now a member of the law firm of Gilbert, Berghoff & Wood at Fort Wayne, Ind., but retains his residence at Angola, Ind.

H. Campbell Breneman, N. Y. Gamma '02, of 1013 Walnut street, Cincinnati, writes: “Keep on sending ‘The Shield’ until I tell you to stop, which I hope will not be for the next fifty years.”

Jno. Howard, Pa. Theta, is assistant chemist of the Carnegie Steel Company's Duquesne, Pa., works. “‘The Shield,’” he writes, “deserves the appreciation and commendation of every Phi Psi.”

Arba T. Perry, Ind. Gamma, writes from “The Nordhoff,” San Francisco: “Being a stranger in a strange land I now know how good it is to be a Phi Psi. The boys here are loyal good fellows.”

Bro. Jno. W. Webster, of Danville, Ill., writes: “Last year all but one of Danville's Phi Psis took ‘The Shield.’ That one die-”

so now every Danville Phi Psi takes 'The Shield.' The moral is obvious."

Bro. M. T. Davis, Jr., is president of the Kanawha Mine Car Co., manufacturers of mine cars and car wheels at Charleston, W. Va., which will have its plant in operation early in the coming year.

The Department of Germanic Languages at West Virginia University seems to be much of a Phi Psi affair. At its head is Dr. Fred W. Truscott, Indiana Beta, while Bro. A. W. Porterfield is his assistant.

Wilbur Grant Neff, general superintendent of the American District Telegraph Company, of Columbus, Ohio, and a former member of the E. C., has been a "Shield" subscriber continuously since 1886.

Major Jno. A. Hull, said to be the youngest Judge Advocate in the U. S. Army; and who has already made an excellent record as an officer, has been transferred from San Francisco to Omaha, Nebraska.

"I am with 'The Shield' as some children are with Castoria," writes Bro. E. Bishop Mumford from Baltimore, where he is attending the medical school of Johns Hopkins University. "I can't live without it."

The failure of Pa. Zeta to be represented in the department of chapter correspondence last month was through no fault of the correspondent, Bro. Ed. J. Carlin, whose letter seems to have gone astray in the mails.

Dr. D. A. Nicholson, of St. Peter, Minn., writes that Phi Psis do not often come his way as he is a physician in an insane hospital. "We are exceedingly proud," he writes, "of Minnesota Beta. She is certainly a winner."

Prof. A. E. Dolbear, of Tufts College, has been a professor in that institution for nearly thirty years. He is now sixty-five years old and his birthplace was the same house in which Benedict Arnold was born.—Indianapolis News.

Bro. Joseph M. Wolfe, of Lewisburg, Pa., desires to secure a copy of No. 9, Vol. XV, "The Shield," and has duplicates of No. 2, Vol. XII, and No. 5, Vol. XIV, which any Phi Psi desiring to complete his files may have.

Ex-Congressman S. R. Peters, Ohio Alpha '63, of Newton, Kas., is one Phi Psi whose enthusiasm never grows cold. "I am exceedingly well pleased with 'The Shield,'" he writes, "and peruse each number with renewed interest."

Frank J. Merrill, Kansas Alpha, who is located at Paola, Kansas, writes: "The fact that 'The Shield' will be monthly will be a

great source of pleasure to those who cannot hear from their chapter except through the chapter letters."

Bro. Geo. S. Johnston, of Minneapolis, from his new residence address at 3139 Second avenue, S., writes: "I have been a subscriber of 'The Shield' for the past ten years, and it is just as necessary to my complete happiness as during my college days."

A. R. Townsend, N. Y. Alpha '72, is secretary of the Sanborn Lumber and Development Company, with headquarters at Chicago and Vera Cruz, Mexico. Bro. Sanborn writes: "I am glad to note the continued high standard of the fraternity journal."

Bro. Jenner, of Wisconsin Alpha, law '01, and Bro. Freeman, Pa. Iota '97, have formed a law partnership together with Chas. A. Vilas, with offices at 1017-1019 Wells Building, Milwaukee, Wis., and will be glad to see Phi Psis at any time.

Cornelius M. Smith, Indiana Beta '00, is in the offices of the master mechanic of the western division of the Wabash R. R. at Moberly, Mo. Bro. Smith writes a letter full of fraternity enthusiasm from a part of the country where Phi Psis, as he says, are few and far between.

Rosetter G. Cole, Michigan Alpha, was elected president of the Music Teachers' National Association at the national meeting held at Put-in-Bay in July. Bro. Cole is dean of the School of Music located in the Fine Arts Building, Chicago. His house address is 5808 Prairie avenue.

A press dispatch of December 5 from Butte, Montana, states that the million dollar bonus offered by Senator W. A. Clark for his first grandson has been claimed by Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Clark, Jr. The third W. A. Clark was born several days ago. The father of the million dollar baby is a Virginia Alpha Phi Psi.

Edmund Janes James, Ill. Alpha, was formally installed President of Northwestern University on October 21. The ceremonies were witnessed by a large number of the most prominent educators in the United States, while many delegates were present from leading institutions of learning of foreign lands.

E. M. Shannahan, Easton, Md., writes: "My earnest hope is to keep in close touch and fellowship with the fraternity at large and especially my chapter, Pa. Zeta, which can be done by a full and regular letter from the chapter in each edition. Bro. Jump, Pa. Zeta, joins me in wishing 'The Shield' abundant success."

Bro. H. A. Rice is now connected with the Star Manufacturing Company, manufacturers of finished steel shapes, at Carpentersville, Ill. His residence is still in Elgin, Ill. "I enjoy 'The Shield,'" he writes, "both because it is a good magazine, and because it brings me in touch with the fraternity in all its life and work."

Bro. C. M. Linscott, of 702 Government street, Mobile, Alabama, is anxious to locate any Phi Psis who may be in that city or section of the state. He writes: "I met Bro. Dunbar, who is playing with the Mrs. Brune company, some time ago. He is the first Phi Psi I have seen in three months, and we had a good talk about the fraternity."

Dr. Gaston Torrance, of 325-30 Woodward Building, Birmingham, Alabama, writes: "There are only three Phi Psis in the city, but we hope to get enough to organize some time in the near future. I came here two years ago from Philadelphia where I spent three years in hospital work, after graduating from the University of Virginia."

S. R. Bell, Ohio Gamma, of Union City, Ind., was re-elected to the lower house of the Indiana legislature at the recent elections. Three of the fifty members of the Indiana State Senate are Phi Psis, E. E. Hendee of Anderson, Charles Whitcomb of Terre Haute, and C. N. Thompson of Indianapolis. The presiding officer of that body, Lieutenant Governor Gilbert, is also a Phi Psi.

"I spent the summer in Europe and had a nice trip," writes Bro. Guy Walker, of Cleveland and New York. "I ran across several Phi Psis while abroad." It is to be hoped that Bro. Walker did not travel in an automobile. "Met Bro. Caldwell of Kansas at the Hotel Cecil in London, Bro. Pegram at the Hotel Regina in Paris and Bro. Thatcher of Kansas on the streets in Vienna."

Frank Burr, Ohio Delta, writes from Denver, Colorado: "Both the California chapters are in a high state of prosperity and are among the leading fraternities of their respective colleges. * * * Coming back on the train I had the good fortune to travel with a Phi Psi from Michigan Alpha, Bro. J. R. Tiernan, who has recently located in San Francisco. He is interested in the mining business."

Bro. F. L. McNamara has returned to Hayward, Wis., from St. Paul, for the practice of law. He forwards the subscription of Bro. W. L. McCormick, also of Hayward. "'The Shield' is fine," he writes, "and we up here in the north gladly welcome it, not only for the fraternal spirit it sends forth, but as a publication of literary merit." Bro. McCormick is with the North Wisconsin Lumber company.

Bro. M. Bert Moore, of McKeesport, Pa., sends the following information concerning Lafayette Phi Psis: "Bro. J. Ed. Hindman, Pa. Theta '00, is at present studying law in Pittsburg. Bro. A. D. Chidsey is laying out a plan of lots for the Liggett Spring and Axle Company at Monongahela, Pa. Bro. C. H. Brown was, during the summer, employed as time-keeper by the Colonial Land Company at Monaca, Pa."

W. C. Spangler, Kansas Alpha, late acting chancellor of Kansas University, is dead. Bro. Spangler was associated with Bro. E.

C. Little in the management of "The Shield" during the crucial days of 1884-'85-'86. "I do not know of any man since Letterman who has done more for Phi Kappa Psi," writes Bro. Little. Bro. S. S. Linscott has contributed to this number of "The Shield" a sketch of Bro. Spangler's career.

The attention of "The Shield" is called to the fact that W. B. Walker, who introduced the modified anti-fraternity rule adopted by the board of trustees of the University of Mississippi, is a member of D. K. E., and not of Delta Tau Delta. As stated in the October "Shield" this rule was a necessary concession to anti-fraternity sentiment at the institution, and had the approval of the fraternity element generally.

Dr. D. H. Elliott, of San Diego, California, writes: "There are two Phi Psis in San Diego beside myself, Dr. Hearne and Prof. Davidson, a leading physician and superintendent of the city schools respectively. * * * I missed my own chapter letter in the last issue. The boys don't know how much the alumni depend upon the chapter letter, else they would take more pains to get the correspondence to you in time."

The Indianapolis Journal has this to say of a Phi Psi: "The report of Attorney General W. L. Taylor makes a highly creditable showing of his zeal in serving the state, with correspondingly valuable results. To have collected and turned into the state treasury the sum of \$1,512,256 by hard litigation and without profiting by it himself to the extent of a single dollar is a record of which any public official may well be proud."

At a recent session of the general Baptist congress in Boston Dr. B. D. Hahn, of Springfield, Mass., and Dr. Spenser B. Meser, pastor of the Woodward Avenue Baptist church at Detroit, Mich., were speaker and writer respectively on the topic: "Are current theologies based on the scriptures or on philosophy?" Bro. Meser writes: "I have recently pulled out the old fraternity pin and am proudly wearing it as in the days of yore."

Bro. N. Wilbur Helm, of Princeton University, contributes to the New York Latin Leaflet an article entitled: "Notes on Horace, Satire I, 5." Bro. Helm has also contributed a series of articles on "Browning's Philosophy of Religion and Theory of Life" to the current volume of the Methodist Review. So far as the present management of "The Shield" is able to determine, Bro. Helm seems to have the thing sized up about right in both cases.

Harry K. Cortright, Pa. Iota, who is associated with the firm of N. D. Cortright & Son in the coal business at Mauch Chunk, Pa., writes: "This will be my first year out of college, and it is going to be hard to get along without my frat. brothers, but 'The Shield' will help as a means of consolation." Bro. Cortright writes that there are nine Phi Psis in Mauch Chunk, although it

has a population of but three thousand, and an alumni association is planned.

Bro. S. T. R. Cheney writes from Riverview Military Academy, Poughkeepsie, N. Y.: "I wouldn't be without 'The Shield' for it is my only means of keeping in touch with the fraternity,, but I was a little disappointed last year because New York Epsilon, my chapter, so seldom had a letter in 'The Shield.' While I do not take the journal for chapter news entirely—far from it—yet it is always pleasant to find in it some news from one's own chapter."

Hon. J. C. Needham, Cal. Alpha, was re-elected a member of Congress from California by a majority of 3536. As an evidence of Bro. Needham's popularity it may be stated that the normal republican majority in the district is less than a thousand and that the democratic candidate for governor carried it this year by more than 2000. It was supposed to be the doubtful district of the state when created by the legislature, but it has given Bro. Needham a splendid endorsement.

President Roosevelt has appointed A. B. Anderson, Indiana Gamma, of Crawfordsville, U. S. District Judge at Indianapolis. One of those most prominently urged for the appointment was Hon. L. C. Embree, Indiana Alpha and Virginia Alpha, of Princeton, Ind. It will be remembered that Hon. Frank Baker, Indiana Gamma, was appointed United States Circuit Judge a few months ago, with jurisdiction over the territory in which Judge Anderson will preside as district judge.

Dr. C. C. McCabe, Ohio Alpha, Bishop of the Methodist Episcopal Church, has recently returned, with his wife, from Europe. During his eleven months' absence from the United States, he visited Methodist Missions in South America, Germany, Switzerland and Denmark. Bishop McCabe's main work is in South America, where he has episcopal supervision of missions. Dr. McCabe has had a remarkable career as an educator, soldier, minister and missionary. His home is at Omaha, Neb.

On Wednesday, October 8, William Gurley Whitlock, Ohio Alpha, was married to Miss Myrtle Thacker, of Defiance, Ohio, at the home of the bride's mother, Forty-second Place and Lake avenue, Chicago. The ceremony was performed by Rev. E. D. Whitlock, father of the groom, in the presence of a small company of relatives and friends. Bro. Whitlock holds a promising position with the Wabash Railroad Company, and he and his bride have the good wishes of a host of friends in and out of the fraternity.

George E. Poucher, Ind. Alpha '98, instructor in Physics at the University of Maine, has an article in the October number of the Physical Review. G. W. Stewart, Ind. Alpha, has an article reproduced from the *Physikalische Zeitschrift*, a German periodical, in the Physical Review for November. Bro. Stewart objects

to being included in the list of new subscribers published last month. "When I was initiated into Phi Kappa Psi," he writes, "I became a subscriber to 'The Shield.' My membership and subscription have been and always will be coexistent."

Rev. Mervin J. Eckles, D. D., Pa. Theta '77, has entered upon his tenth year as pastor of the Arch Street Presbyterian Church, Eighteenth and Arch streets, Philadelphia. This church has a membership of 650, and is about to receive an endowment of \$100,000. Bro. Eckles is a trustee of the Presbytery of Philadelphia, a trustee of the Wilson College for Women at Chambersburg, Pa., of which Bro. Martin, Pa. Theta '77, is president, and a member of the Board of Publication of the Sabbath School Work of the Presbyterian Church, located at Philadelphia.

Loren H. Rockwell, Mass. Alpha, who has been teaching in the Philippines, on account of ill health is returning to his home at Jordan, N. Y., by way of the Suez. He wrote under date of October 4 from Iloilo: "While in Manila a month ago I stayed with Bro. Thompson, Mass. Alpha, and also met Bro. Reger, W. Va. Alpha, who is teaching a short distance out of Manila. Bro. Moore of Indiana Beta has not been heard of for some time, but Bro. Lawrence, Minn. Beta, has a fine law business in Manila and there are several other Phi Psis in the archipelago."

Rev. W. C. Davis, Ohio Alpha '86, died at Kittaning, Pa., where he was pastor of the M. E. Church, on September 21, at the age of forty years. The Ohio Wesleyan Transcript says: "It is said of Rev. Davis by an intimate friend, that as a man he spurned unclean and ignoble things; as a student, he was painstaking, sincere and successful; as a pastor, faithful in every particular and tender in oversight; as an administrator, wise and efficient; as a preacher, clear, forceful and spiritual. It is deplored that he was not spared for many more years of usefulness in the church."

"Some of the Southern Illinois democrats," says a Chicago special to the Washington Post of November 17, "have become so enthusiastic over the election to Congress of James E. Williams, that they now see in him a possible candidate for president two years hence. Local papers and letters from party leaders were received at state headquarters today, starting a boom for him. They declare that it was Williams' brilliancy, coupled with his popularity, that won him the victory in a republican district." Representative Williams is a Phi Psi, and one of the strong and experienced members of the House.

Lloyd E. Brown, New York Beta, is editor of the Crescent of Sigma Gamma, a very creditable quarterly journal recently founded in the interests of the preparatory school fraternity named. It is probably the first journal established in the interests of an organization of this character. From its news columns we clip the following items concerning Phi Psis: "George Pot-

tinger, Gamma '00, is Syracuse University's best two-mile runner. He holds the Syracuse record of ten minutes twelve seconds for this distance. * * * Earl D. Wood, Delta '02, ex-grand treasurer, has entered Syracuse University."

The inauguration of Phi Psis as presidents of two of the greatest institutions of higher learning, in the East and West respectively, have been events of this college year which have been of peculiar interest to Phi Psis. The inauguration of Woodrow Wilson, Maryland Alpha and Virginia Alpha, as president of Princeton, was marked by one of the most distinguished gatherings of American educators ever witnessed. There was an intercollegiate convocation of similar high character at the inauguration of Edw. J. James, Illinois Alpha, as president of his alma mater, Northwestern University, during the same month.

Bro. E. M. Pomeroy, Pa. Theta, of San Francisco, spent the month of November in an eastern trip, greeting scores of Phi Psis in a dozen cities. It is doubtful if any Phi Psi has a larger or more steadfast circle of friends within the fraternity than has Bro. Pomeroy. Bro. Pomeroy is Pacific coast agent of the Pennsylvania lines. He dates his "start" in the railroad business from a friendship formed with two pledged Phi Psis from Michigan Alpha, who made themselves known on seeing "The Shield" in Bro. Pomeroy's hand at Akron, Ohio, several years ago. Through them he secured the connection from which began his very successful career as railroad man.

Hugh McCabe, Ohio Delta, died at Sewickley, Pa., on November 10 of typhoid fever. On November 12 the funeral was held at Sewickley, and was attended by a delegation of Pittsburg Phi Psis. Bro. McCabe was twenty-three years old. He was employed in the general freight offices of the Pennsylvania lines at Pittsburg, where he had been several times promoted, and had a large number of friends both in Columbus and the city where he was employed. The untimely termination of his promising career brings sorrow to many Phi Psis. He will be remembered by those who attended the G. A. C. as one who took an active part in making the delegates feel at home.

Bro. Thomas C. Elvins, Mass. Alpha '96, of Hammonton, N. J., has been elected for a second term as a member of the State assembly of New Jersey on the republican ticket. He polled a very satisfactory majority, running ahead of his ticket by a large count. He was a very popular candidate in every way, and his photograph and accompanying kind words appeared in several Philadelphia and Atlantic papers during the campaign. His friends believe that he has a bright political future before him. He is now taking a much needed recreation from the strain of the campaign by taking his dogs into the woods for quail, at which sport he is becoming as noted as for politics.

A Lewisburg, Pa., dispatch to the Philadelphia Press under date of November 10 says: "L'Agenda, the college annual, to be

published this year by the class of 1904, Bucknell University, has been dedicated to Colonel J. K. Weaver, M. D., of Norristown, class of 1861. Colonel Weaver has been a trustee of the university since 1891, and has always been interested in the institution and its development. He also served during the Civil War and the Spanish-American War, and has an honorable record as a soldier. At present he is division surgeon, with the rank of lieutenant-colonel, on the staff of the major-general of the National Guard of Pennsylvania." Colonel Weaver is a Phi Psi.

The engagement of Bro. Frederick C. Hicks, Pa. Kappa, to Miss Georgina Pierrepont Strong, of Whittier, California, has been announced. Miss Strong is a composer of note on the Pacific coast, much of her music having gained great popularity. She is a daughter of Mrs. Harriet W. R. Strong, owner of the celebrated "Ranchito del Fuerte" of the San Gabriel Valley, California, a large ranch devoted to the raising of walnuts, oranges and pampas plumes. Bro. Hicks has taken an active part in the fraternity, having been president of the New York Alumni Association for several years, and a member of the committee that drafted the present constitution. He is a member of the banking firm of Wells, Herrick & Hicks, 15 Wall street, New York.

The most unique response to "The Shield's" prospectus for Vol. XXIII, sent by oversight to a number of Phi Psis already on the subscription list, was received from Joseph H. Apple, of the Woman's College, Frederick, Md. He writes: "I have taken 'The Shield' since its revival in 1883; thus you will see I am rounding out my second decade. If all goes well I shall wish you to send me 'The Shield' until January 1, 1923, and thereafter unless notified under the terms of our common debt to Mother Nature. For

"I'm a Phi Psi born and a Phi Psi bred and a Phi Psi till
I die,
And when grim death comes a-knocking at the door,
I'll greet him with a 'High, High, High.'"

B. W. Wilson, Nebraska Alpha '96, writes from the offices of Guthrie, Cravath & Henderson, 40 Wall Street, New York City: "There seems to be no escape from the conclusion that the real condition of the fraternity is best reflected in its publication. A progressive official organization certainly means, if it does not make, a progressive fraternity, and a fraternity without a regular publication, supported by the membership at large, is not a fraternity. To enumerate each good work that is being advanced, almost by 'leaps and bounds' through the agency of 'The Shield,' were too long. Three, however, deserve particular note, first, ownership of chapter houses; second, alumni subscriptions, and third, chapter correspondence. It is a pleasure to note the surprising results which have been achieved in these three directions and the end is not yet." Bro. Wilson shows his faith by his

works; he forwards the subscription of Bro. F. A. Korsmeyer, of Brooklyn.



The Tamaqua, Pa., Courier, tells a characteristic story of W. C. Gretzinger, Pa. Gamma, former editor of "The Shield," in which Bro. Gretzinger figures as the patron of two dirty and hungry "kids" who had hung about the camp of the National Guard during the stay of Bro. Gretzinger's regiment in Manila Park. The mascots returned from a trip to Tamaqua, in company with Bro. Gretzinger, each wearing a new suit of clothes and with their pockets full of stuff that appeals to a small boy's stomach.

C. Howard Sidener, Ind. Gamma, attorney at law in the Ozark Building, 10th and Pine streets, St. Louis, writes: "The Phi Psis in St. Louis are few, but I frequently meet Bro. Conett, University of Virginia, who is an attorney here, and Bro. Moser, Lafayette College, who is connected with the St. Louis Post Dispatch. We hope some of these days to have an alumni association, and some day, perhaps, a chapter at Washington University, after it has moved to its new location, and, with a large and increasing endowment, it is in a position to compete with the best institutions of the country. As you well know the World's Fair is to be held here in 1904, and among the buildings to be erected is one to be devoted to the World's Fraternal Congress. The fraternal organizations are taking great interest in it. Phi Kappa Psi has been allotted space, and I have been appointed representative. Would be glad to have suggestions as to what we ought to do."

Jno. E. Keene, Ind. Alpha, is a member of the firm of R. W. Kempall & Co., managers of the general western agency of the Aetna Life Insurance Co., with headquarters at 301 South Jefferson avenue, Peoria, Illinois. Bro. Keene is prominent in the affairs of Peoria, being vice-president of the Title and Trust Co., a member of the school and library boards and president of the City Missionary society. He writes: "I have read the October number of 'The Shield' with interest and appreciation. It renews the experiences of other days, stirs within me the fires of enthusiasm and makes me eager to engage again in the 'spiking' expeditions that used to make Indiana Alpha a terror to the other fraternities. Long life to 'The Shield.' May it protect all that is vital to our valiant band, champion the rights of the oppressed, herald the good news of the victorious and ever stand for the elevation and enlargement of the three cardinal principles of the order."

"The Shield" acknowledges the receipt of generous words of commendation and good wishes from Edw. N. Dashiell, Ind. Delta '02, 6039 Calumet avenue, Chicago; W. C. Bergstrom, secretary and treasurer of the Priest River Shingle Company, of Priest River, Idaho; Oscar L. Dudley, Wis. Gamma, of Spring Valley, Ill.; Ernest F. Burchard, instructor in chemistry and geology in the Sioux City, Iowa, high school; Richard Peters, Jr., Pa. Kappa, secretary and treasurer of the Solid Steel Casting Co., of Chester, Pa.; S. H. Schoch, Pa. Theta, agent of the Aetna Insurance Co., at Selins Grove, Pa.; Horace A. Wilson, Minn. Beta, a successful lawyer of Seattle, Wash.; Eldridge R. Anderson, of the law firm of Bartlett & Anderson, Globe Building, 244 Washington street, Boston; Howard B. Bremer, of the firm of Lewis Bremer & Sons, 322-27 Dillwyn street, Philadelphia; Ralph L. Boyer, Pa. Zeta, of Hagerstown, Md.; George H. Smith, of the firm of Robert Smith & Sons, 1215-1219 Third street, Philadelphia; Thomas E. Boswell, professor of modern languages in Grand Island College, Grand Island, Nebraska, G. Fred Rush, of Chicago; F. L. DeArmond, 1103 North American Building, Philadelphia; L. R. Alexander, Lewis Building, Pittsburg; Joseph M. Wolf, of Lewisburg, Pa.; M. H. Whitlock, 2961 Groveland avenue, Chicago; T. M. Blackman, assistant cashier of the First National Bank, Whitewater, Wis.; J. Walter Dietz, 392 E. 57th street, Chicago; Col. James Riley Weaver, Greencastle, Ind.; H. H. Farmer, of the law firm of Farmer & Farmer, Syracuse, N. Y.; Scott H. Breckenridge, cadet at the U. S. Military Academy, West Point, N. Y.; Palmer L. Williams, of Scranton, Pa.; E. H. Knight, Indianapolis, Ind., and many others of whom space forbids mention.

Bro. Edwin C. Reed, of the State Normal School at Moorhead, Minn., writes: "There are several Phi Psis in Moorhead and Fargo who occupy distinguished positions in the community. Among these are L. A. Huntoon, cashier of the Moorhead National Bank and its chief stockholder, Dr. Campbell of Fargo and Dr. J. H. Rindlaub, who, together with his sister, Dr. Elizabeth Rindlaub, enjoys the reputation of being the most competent specialist of the eye and ear in the upper northwest. The good that he and his sister have done throughout the two states is a thing to wonder at. His waiting rooms are thronged all day long and the year through, and his patients are like grateful apostles who cannot refrain from telling of his astonishing skill. I am aware that this sounds like blowing a trumpet, but it is the living truth. He and his sister have collected in their travels one of the most complete and valuable group of etchings in the northwest, and have besides something over 400 paintings and other works of art. These are arranged on the walls of their reception rooms giving them all the attractions of an art gallery. Dr. Rindlaub is to be married some time this year to Miss May Douglass of Fargo, and is now building him a handsome house."

E. S. Boyer, Pa. Theta '79, writes from Somersworth, N. H. "I am in receipt of 'The Shield' for this month and have had much pleasure in reading the many messages it has for me. I am glad that the note throughout the fraternity is so harmonious and so strong. With its coming and the other recurring features Phi Psi is not by any means as far away now as it was wont to be during our former residence in this part of the country. At the time of the issue of the 1894 catalogue, if you will turn to the Geographical Index, you will see that according to the record there, there were but three of our fraternity in this state. There must be a great advance by this time and certainly, the spirit is growing in Boston and the East and good must come to our dear brotherhood. The Boston Alumni Association held their first meeting since I came back East last Friday at Young's. I was there. So were twenty-seven others, the total of twenty-eight representing twenty different chapters. We had some from the undergraduate body of Brown and Amherst and one from the alumni of Dartmouth, Bram Baker and George D. Hart and Earl Young and so on down the line, or up, with Prof. Dolbear as the ultimate, a grand old man. I certainly enjoyed myself."

Sidney H. Short, Ohio Delta '77, died in London, England, October 21, as the result of an operation for appendicitis. He was forty-five years of age. For several years he had been living in England, where he was connected with a large electrical concern. He leaves a wife and four children. Although a young man, Mr. Short had achieved an international reputation as a practical electrical engineer. During his student days at Ohio State University he perfected some telephonic inventions which he sold to the Bell company. Upon his graduation he became an instructor at O. S. U., and later a professor at the University of Colorado, at Denver. In 1885 Bro. Short built and successfully operated an underground electric railway, one of the first in the country. Returning to Columbus he engaged in the construction of electric railroads. Later he was connected with the Walker Manufacturing Company of Cleveland as chief electrician and designer. In 1898 he connected himself with an electrical company in England. Mr. Short's inventions were numerous and valuable. A Cleveland paper says of him: "He was a man of striking personality, and made friends wherever he went. His various inventions and business enterprise brought him a large income, and he died a wealthy man. In all his business transactions as well as his social life he was above reproach."

Edw. A. Wilcox, Cal. Alpha, a successful attorney with offices in the Auzerias Building, San Jose, Cal., has taken in hand the matter of organizing an alumni association at San Jose, where there are thirty or forty Phi Psis. He sends the following interesting information under date of November 6, concerning California Phi Psis: "Bro. J. C. Needham, Cal. Alpha, has been renominated for congress in the seventh district, and will

probably be elected. Bro. J. W. McKinley, Mich. Alpha, was probably the most prominent delegate in the recent state republican convention, being the manager of Governor Sage, who sought renomination. Bro. J. O. Hayes, Wis. Alpha, was a candidate before the republican state convention for governor, but unfortunately for Phi Kappa Psi, did not receive the nomination. Bro. Bob Burdette also took a prominent part before the convention, nominating Thos. F. Flint for governor, and making a most humorous, striking and pleasing speech. Bro. A. H. Barnhisel, Cal. Alpha and Beta, and center rush in 1891-2 at Stanford University, and later at Cornell University, has been called from the pastorate of the Los Gatos Presbyterian Church of California to the First Presbyterian Church of Tacoma, Washington. Bro. W. A. Beasley of Cal. Alpha, is a candidate on the republican ticket for State Senator from the twenty-eighth senatorial district in California."

Dr. Charles M. Blackford, Jr., Va. Alpha '88, writes from Lexington, Va., where he is a leading physician: "Seventeen years ago I was the B. G. of Virginia Alpha chapter, and so acquired a habit of writing to 'The Shield' that I suspect is remembered with mingled sentiments by the editor of that day. The files of 1884-1888 have been kept and in their pages lie many of the brightest memories of my college days, so that they keep alive the time 'when we were twenty-one.' Our chapter members are scattered to the ends of the earth. Bros. Edgar and James B. Woods are missionaries in China, and Bro. J. A. Ingle is Bishop of the Episcopal Church in the same country. Bro. G. T. Smith is a surgeon in the Navy, and Bro. Chas. P. Echols is professor of Mathematics at West Point. Bro. Ernest M. Stires is rector of St. Thomas Church in New York. Bro. C. E. A. Marshall is rector of a church at Luray, Va. Bro. W. N. Berkeley is a physician in New York, and his brother by blood and ours by oath, R. C. Berkeley, Jr., is a civil engineer in Arizona. Bro. W. P. Trent is a professor in Columbia University, and has made a high reputation. Bros. R. H. Debney and J. S. Davis are professors of history and pathology respectively in the University of Virginia, in which institution Bros. C. W. Kent and Wm. M. Thornton are also professors. Bro. J. W. S. Peters is practicing law in Kansas City, Neb., F. W. Haines is a physician in Petersburg, Va., and Bro. R. M. Kent is at the bar in Richmond, Va. I know the whereabouts of but one more, Bro. Bernard Wolff, of Atlanta, Ga., who gave an account of himself in the November number."

Miss Louise Willie Tull, daughter of the late Dr. J. Emory Tull and of Mrs. Robert H. Jones, of Upper Fairmount, Somerset county, Maryland, was married at noon yesterday to Mr. J. Henry Baker, the well-known Baltimore attorney, a son of Senator James H. Baker, of Kent county. The ceremony was performed by the Rev. Ralph T. Coursey at the bride's home, which was prettily decorated with palms and potted plants. The

solemnization of the marriage took place in the presence of the immediate relatives of the contracting parties only, with the exception of Mr. Clarence A. Tucker, of Baltimore, a former law partner of the groom, who accompanied him. The bride wore a light brown broadcloth suit, with a beaver picture hat of the same shade, and carried a bunch of Bride roses. A wedding breakfast was served at 10 o'clock. The bride and groom left immediately after the ceremony for Old Point Comfort, Va., where a portion of their honeymoon will be spent. Upon their return to Baltimore they will go direct to their newly furnished home, at 2008 Park avenue, and will be at home to their friends after December. Quite a number of very handsome presents were received.—Baltimore American, November 21. The above clipping will be of interest to Phi Psis, as the groom is Bro. Baker, Pa. Zeta '93. He graduated with the class of '93 at Dickinson college and three years later received his Master's degree. He studied law at the Maryland University and is now one of the leading lawyers of Baltimore. He is a man of strong convictions and absolute fearlessness, forceful and aggressive. He is possessed of a genial disposition and affable manners, and a loyal Phi Psi. Mrs. Baker is a member of the Delta Gamma Delta fraternity, Psi chapter, Woman's College, Baltimore, where she graduated in the class of '93.





"The Shield" will publish in each issue the names of those alumni who have paid their subscriptions to the fraternity journal since last publication. This will serve as a receipt to paid-up subscribers, and at the same time as a directory of "live" alumni. This custom was inaugurated at the beginning of Volume 21, and consultation of the various lists will show members of the active chapters and secretaries of alumni associations which of their members are and are not subscribers, and enable them to conduct an intelligent campaign for the increase of "The Shield" subscription list. Corrections of names and addresses as printed in these lists are invited, and any person having paid since last issue, whose name does not appear, should make immediate inquiry of "The Shield" office in order to receive proper credit.

The following named alumni have paid subscriptions to "The Shield" since last publication of the list in the October number, up to December 1st.

Jesse R. Heeb, Chicago, Ill., 23; W. H. Bower, 29th and Gray's Ferry Road, Philadelphia, 23; L. V. Buskirk, Bloomington, Ind., 23; J. R. Custer, Chicago, Ill., 23; Wm. O. Weidmann, St. Regis Falls, N. Y., 23; Fred B. Ames, 35 Mattoon St., Springfield, Mass., 23; J. K. Van Vranken, Hempstead, L. I., 22; Chas. B. Hole, 34 Nassau St., New York City, 23; Alfred Muller, 306 St. James Pl., Brooklyn, N. Y., 23; Rowland and Eulich, New York City, 23; E. M. Pomeroy, San Francisco, Cal., 23; C. A. Kenyon, Hotel Pleasanton, San Francisco, Cal., 23; Howard Brickell, 920 Guerrero St., San Francisco, Cal., 23; W. G. Ransom, Mexico, D. F., 22; Thomas W. Pomeroy, Tarentum, Pa., 23; Jno. Howard, Duquesne, Pa., 22; J. M. DeCamp, Cincinnati, Ohio, 23; Geo. W. Dun, Columbus, Ohio, 23; J. W. Bonner, Nashville, Tenn., 22; Frank A. Arter, Cleveland, Ohio, 23; Dr. Bernard Wolf, Atlanta, Ga., 23; Thomas B. Donaldson, 3451 Woodland Ave., Philadelphia, Pa., 23; E. B. Bentley, Springfield, Mo., 23; Jno. N. Garver, Springfield, Ohio, 23; E. B. Mumford, 114 Jackson Pl., Baltimore, Md., 23; F. N. Burritt, Weedsport, N. Y., 23; Joseph J. Rosborough, 1769 Oakland Ave., Oakland, Cal., to January, 1906; Geo. D. Baker, 66 State St., Boston, Mass., 23; S. C. T. Dodd, 26 Broadway, New York City, 23; Geo. B. Baker, 27-9 State St., Boston, Mass., 23; C. H. Annan, Geneva, N. Y., 23; T. L. DeArmond, 1100 North American Building, Philadelphia, Pa., 23; J. W. Dietz, 392 E. 57th St., Chicago, Ill., 23; W. J. Curren, 15 Jay St., New York City, 23; H. W. Diller, Pottsville, Pa., 23; T. E. Boswell, Grand Island, Neb., 23; F. A. Cokefair, Providence Building, Duluth, Minn., 23; Henry A. Dubbs, Pueblo, Col., 23; C. G. Brown, San Francisco, Cal., 23; C. E. Sullivan, 921 Huron St., Indianapolis, Ind., 23; A. G. Browne, 1419 F St., N. W., Washington, D. C., 23; Walter Clothier, Philadelphia, Pa., 23; Edw. N. Dashiell, 6039 Calumet Ave., Chicago, Ill., 23; T. R. Emerson, Arcata, Cal., 23; Albert Bettinger, Atlas Bank Building, Cincinnati, 23; Dr. R. T. Bang, 139 11th St., New York City, 23; T. M. Blackman, Whitewater, Wis., 23; S. T. R. Cheney, Riverview Academy, Poughkeepsie, N. Y., 23; W. C. Bergstrom, Priest River, Idaho, 23; Richard Peters, Jr., Chester, Pa., 23; Ernest F. Burchard, Sioux City, Iowa, 23; Henry Baker, Baltimore, Md., 23; S. H. Schoch, Selins Grove, Pa., 23; Horace A. Wilson, 423 Holler Building, Seattle, Wash., 23; A. T. Cooper, Gold Hill, Col., 23; E. R. Anderson, Globe Building, Boston, Mass., 23; Frederick W. Dencer, 437 26th St., Chicago, Ill., 23; C. N. Kalk, Milwaukee, Wis., 23; H. G. Leberthon, 262 Union St., Brooklyn, N. Y., 23, 24; Judge S. A. McClung, 1180 Murray Hill Ave., Pittsburg, Pa., to January, 1906; Frank A. Rommel, 1524 Chestnut St., Philadelphia, Pa., 23; F. D. Glover, 334 N. Craig St., Pittsburg, Pa., 23; Horace J. Miller, Pittsburg, Pa., 23; Charles L. Bryden, 200 McCartney St., Easton, Pa., 23; S. C. Parks, Lander, Wyoming, 23; Albert C. Howe, Hot Springs, Va., 23; Rev. E. M. Stires, New York City, 23; Monroe Manges, 508 Mooney Building, Buffalo, N. Y., 23; Newton W. Gilbert, Ft. Wayne, Ind., 23; C. F. M. Niles, Spitzer Building, Toledo, Ohio, 23; Chas. L. Robbins,

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Pennsylvania Kappa.

Bro. Griscom, Pa. Kappa, is studying at University of Pennsylvania.
 Bro. Kirk, Pa. Kappa, is studying at Lehigh where he is pursuing a course in mining engineering.
 Bro. William J. Clothier, Pa. Kappa, now studying at Harvard, played at end in the recent Yale-Harvard game.
 Bro. George Worth, Pa. Kappa, has recently returned from his Colorado trip.

Massachusetts Alpha.

Thomas F. Hennessy '95 is in charge of the Pittsburg, Pa., division of the King, Richardson & Co. correspondence school of Springfield, Massachusetts.

Festus H. Foster, Jr., '99, of Springfield, Mass., has been coaching the Springfield Consolidated football team and the Y. M. C. A. training school team this fall.

Henry R. French '99, who is living in Lynn, Mass., is traveling for Jose Parker & Co., bankers, 78 Devonshire street, Boston.

Rev. Thomas V. Parker '00, pastor of the Baptist church at Babylon, Long Island, is taking post graduate work in New York University.

Arthur W. Towne '01, who, as published last month, has gone south on account of his mother's health, is living at 340 Cortlandt street, Atlanta, Ga. He has been representing Dodd, Mead & Co., New York, with their new encyclopedia in that section. He pronounces it a warm climate. He recently visited the University of Georgia, at Athens, Ga. There are several fraternities represented there, including Phi Delta Theta, Alpha Tau Omega, Delta Tau Delta, Kappa Alpha, Chi Psi and Sigma Alpha Epsilon, all in chapter houses, and including among their members as good fraternity men as are to be found anywhere. Bro. Towne recently met Bro. Bernard Wolf, Va. Gamma and Va. Alpha. He is a skin specialist with a large practice and a leading position in the profession in Atlanta. Bro. Towne hopes to return north in time for the D. C. next spring.

J. Maxwell Clark ex-'01, is again at his studies in Purdue University. He pronounces the Indiana Delta men to be a fine crowd. Bro. Clark is singing on the Purdue glee club.

On November 15, the day of Amherst's football victory over Columbia at the Polo grounds, New York, several of the alumni and undergraduates of Mass. Alpha gathered after the game and held a reunion and dinner at the Cafe Du Barry, 27th street and Broadway. The alumni present were Atwood '99, Parker, Ward, L. C. Hubbard and Dyer '00, Wade '01, and Cook and Clancy '02. It was a great success. Bro. Parker sat at the head of the table and everybody was on the toast list. It is the hope of the New York alumni of the chapter to hold another reunion of similar nature before the winter is over.

New York Alumni Association.

Walter A. Dyer, Contributor.

At the regular monthly meeting of the New York Alumni Association held November 17, officers were elected for the ensuing year. Bro. William C. Wilson, ex-president of the fraternity, ex-secretary of the old executive council and ex-officer of other alumni organizations, was elected president. Bro. Wilson is a Pa. Beta man of the class of '80, and is an enthusiastic Phi Psi. Bro. Charles B. Hole, Mich. Alpha '99, was elected treasurer, and Walter A. Dyer, Mass. Alpha '00, secretary. The association is on a good financial footing and is, on the whole, in a better condition than it was a year ago. The

committee in charge hope to have the directory of New York Phi Psis published before the first of the year. The last meeting of the association was well attended, one of the welcome visitors being Bro. E. T. Hartman, W. Va. Alpha, secretary of the Boston Alumni Association. The return of Bro. Theodore G. Lewis, Wis. Gamma '83, one of the charter members of the association, was also welcomed. Visiting Phi Psis are cordially invited to The Arena the third Monday in each month.

New York Alpha,

Bro. Trautschold '02 is chief engineer in the marine department of the Marine Engine and Machine Company in New York City.

Bro. Kelly '00 has been elected to the State Legislature in New Jersey at the immature age of twenty-five. This speaks well of his powers as a politician.

Bro. Mason, ex-'05, is a private in the Fourth Infantry stationed at Fort Brown, Texas. His father is major in the same regiment.

Bro. Pardessus, ex-'04, has been coaching the Adelphi football team. The team completed a very successful season.

Bro. Vail '01 is in the banking business with his father in Michigan City, Indiana.

A badge belonging to Bro. C. E. Rice, Jr., '96, was found by the Pa. Theta chapter in the possession of a high school student. We forwarded to the chapter Bro. Rice's address but have not yet learned whether they were able to communicate with him or not.

Bro. Bradley ex-'01, whose engagement was announced some time ago, expects to be married in April. He is engaged in business with his father in New York City.

Bro. Lawson, ex-'03, is attending the Columbia law school.

Pennsylvania Eta.

'73 Pa. Eta, Dr. C. S. Musser, of Aaronsburg, Pa., is spoken of as one of the most skillful physicians of Central Pennsylvania.

'79 Pa. Eta, Harvey Musser, Esq., of Akron, Ohio, visited his brother recently, Dr. C. S. Musser, of Aaronsburg, Pa.

'99 Pa. Eta, J. H. Bridenbaugh, has been admitted to the Reading bar.

'82 Pa. Eta, John H. Grisel, died recently at his home near Lancaster.

Pennsylvania Gamma.

Bro. J. H. Haslam '90 has just accepted the call of the Gethsemane Baptist Church of Philadelphia. This is a great honor to both Bro. Haslam and to his fraternity as the charge he is about to accept ranks as one of the foremost in the commonwealth. Bro. Haslam's grand work in Williamsport has made for him a most enviable name, and to have received a call such as this is a great tribute to his attainments as a man and as a pastor.

Bro. S. P. Wolverton '60 is counsel for the Philadelphia and Reading Coal and Iron Company before the anthracite commission.

Bro. W. S. Shallenberger '62, second assistant postmaster general, in his last report strongly urges the adoption of an international postage stamp. Bro. Shallenberger is now in a position to make such recommendations as his work in his department has attracted much favorable comment.

Bro. John I. Mitchell '63 has just retired from the bench of the superior court of Pennsylvania.

Wisconsin Gamma.

Bro. George C. Ross '02, Wis. Gamma, is now employed as civil engineer by the Mexican Central railroad. His address is 4 Puento de Alvarado, Mexico City.

Bro. E. J. Bunge '02 is employed by the Geo. Bunge Pickle Co. of Chicago. His address is 144 Park avenue.

Bro. R. G. Crossette '02 is in Elgin. He is connected with the Cutter & Crossette Shirt Co.

Bro. Seth Gregory of Delavan, Wis., is now occupied in raising "full blooded barred Plymouth Rock chickens." We wish Bro. Gregory all kinds of success in his new venture.

Bro. F. J. Jeffries '98 is rapidly coming to the front as a lumber dealer. He is now located in Jeffris, Wis., a town built by his industry.

Bro. C. J. Bentley is justice of the peace at Freeport, Ill., and marries on an average of six couples a week.

Bros. McIver and Myer are respectively principal and instructor in the Hudson, Wis., high school. Bro. L. W. Sickles is principal of the St. Paul Central high school.

Bro. A. M. Hull is connected with the Omaha branch of the C., M. and St. P. railroad. He is located at St. Paul.

Pennsylvania Zeta.

Bro. Wilber F. Horn '97 is professor of chemistry at Bryn Mawr College.

Bro. Claude Barton '96 is practicing medicine at Homestead, Pa.

Bro. Ralph Boyer '01 is engaged in business at Hagerstown, Md.

Bro. F. E. McComas Strite '93 has been in the White Mountains for his health and has returned very much benefited.

Bro. Rochow '97 was married recently to Miss Hackman of Carlisle, Pa.

Rev. Louis Howell '97 has announced his engagement to a charming lady of New Jersey.

Bro. Rube Nevling '02 is engaged in business with his father at Smith Mills, Pa.

Bro. Arthur '02 is teaching at the Danville Institute in Virginia.

Boston Alumni Association,

E. T. Hartman, Contributor.

On Friday, November 14, the Boston Alumni Association held its first meeting and general jollification. Every one seemed to have a good time and all who had an opportunity said they had. The meeting, however, was not dominated by the "good time" spirit in the usual sense. Everything showed that those present felt deeply the meaning of Phi Kappa Psi, that they appreciated its ideals, that they were proud of its history, and that they had full confidence in its future. The solid weight of what our fraternity is coming more and more to mean seems to impress old and young alike. A feeling of good fellowship is always present, and shouts of joy are always heard, but there is more, and this is shown by the attitude of brothers when they gather, the merest strangers except for those significant words, the best of friends and brothers because of them.

And what a gathering it was for provincial Boston! True, there were only thirty men present, but there were represented twenty-one chapters, over half the entire number. Quite cosmopolitan enough for any one. And it was refreshing to see how they tumbled to each other, forgetting, in the actual presence of congenial spirits and in the instantaneous recognition of mutual worth, that there had ever been, and surely that there is, any north, any south, any east or any west. To meet the men of all parts is to like, appreciate and prize them. The best antidote for sectionalism is to take a trip. And it is hard to have to say, though it is very true, that there are those who need to take one.

The Association was delighted to welcome Bro. Dolbear, the grand old man of New England in more senses than one. He is not enjoying good health, but he came for a little while, as he said, to let the boys know he took an interest. The smallest interest from such a man is enough to arouse a consuming interest on the part of any observing boy. Then there was Bro. Boyer, of Pa. Theta '79, who came all the way from New Hampshire to show his interest; and Flood from Southboro, and Baker, Anderson, Grant, Woodward and others from nearer.

The Association wants to thank the active chapters of New England and the Harvard Club for their interest. They were all represented, two of the active chapters by undergraduates, one by an alumnus, and the Harvard Club by several men. Their impromptu responses to Bro. Anderson's demands showed them to be equal to an emergency of even so grave a nature, and they were surely not allowed to depart without being made to feel that their presence was, as it was, fully appreciated.

The Association has had enjoyable meetings and it expects to have others more enjoyable. All brothers are welcome. If they will notify the secretary of their place of abode he will notify them of the date of the meeting.

Harvard Phi Kappa Psi Club.

Clinton H. Collester, Contributor.

On November 13 the Harvard Phi Kappa Psi Club held its first regular meeting of the term and organized for the ensuing year. The following brothers were welcomed to the fold: Edwin Balmer, Illinois Alpha, first year graduate; T. L. Barnes, New Hampshire Alpha, first year graduate; C. H. Collester, Mass. Alpha, first year graduate; C. H. Holt, Rhode Island Alpha, first year medical; Earl Johnson, Illinois Alpha '05; P. A. Shaffer, West Virginia Alpha, first year graduate; E. E. Young, Indiana Delta '03. Of last year's members there are still with us brothers G. E. Behr, New York Zeta, second year graduate; W. J. Clothier, Pennsylvania Kappa '04; D. F. Rownes, New York Zeta '03; S. W. Fenno, New Hampshire Alpha '04; G. L. Gray, Michigan Alpha, third year law; B. C. Harvey, New Hampshire Epsilon '03; E. R. Keedy, Maryland Alpha, second year law; the numerals in each case standing for the class here. So that the club now consists of fourteen men, representing eleven chapters. We have also discovered in the university several other Phi Psis whom we expect to muster in at our next meeting. The club elected Bro. Gray president, Bro. Behr treasurer, and the writer secretary. After this, plans were discussed for a social session which will be held as soon as sufficient material can be accumulated and we can persuade some unwary brother to sacrifice his room to the cause.

There are just a few personal items that have come to the notice of the scribe. Bro. Behr, Harvard's star half-miler, is still running—not track races now, for that is out of season—but the chemistry department, or a small section thereof, in which he is an assistant. Bro. Clothier, whose work in tennis was noted in the October number of "The Shield," has since added to his laurels by winning the championship of the National Inter-Collegiate Lawn Tennis Association, both in singles and, with Mr. Leonard, in doubles. Bro. Clothier also won his football "H" by playing at right end in the latter part of the Yale game. Bro. Downes is still manager of the crew, and has been re-elected treasurer of the Hasty Pudding club.

There was a goodly delegation of us at the banquet of the Boston Alumni Association on November 14, and it is needless to say that we had a most enjoyable time. Bros. Baker and Thompson of Mass. Alpha accompanied us back. The next morning it devolved upon the scribe to show them around, and having incautiously ventured into realms with which he was not then familiar, he was saved only by discovering that Bro. Thompson had been all about this particular place before and knew it almost by heart; so that he gracefully resigned the helm and allowed his visitors to pilot him about his own domain. But he feels that by this time he is more familiar with the topography of the region.

If any Phi Psi who chances to wander down this way will take the trouble to look us up, individually or collectively, he will find a warm and hearty welcome awaiting him. We have no regular club quarters, our conclaves being held chiefly in Bro. Harvey's ample apartments or in Bro. Behr's historic garret. But there are fourteen shrines of Phi Kappa Psi scattered about, where the chance worshipper may perform his devotions. During the football season we have noted with pleasure that whenever a team from a college where Phi Psi flourishes came to Cambridge, wearers of the shield were invariably to be found upon the squad. To those who saw the game with Pennsylvania, the news of Bro. Metzger's election to the captaincy of the team comes as no surprise, for a pluckier, sandier, and more effective game than he played here is seldom seen.

We send to all the brothers our greetings and best wishes for the year.



Pennsylvania Alpha—Washington—Jefferson College.

J. H. Otto, Correspondent.

Another month of school is now past and Pa. Alpha is settled down to routine work. Football has been the chief diversion this fall. After a bad start our team got down to work and made a fine finish.

Bros. C. D. Willey, J. M. Orr, Earl Morgan, Joe Buchanan, O. B. Conaway, D. E. Parsons, C. M. Christy, Daniel Dawson and Gilbert Miller, all of West Virginia Alpha, and their pledges, Barnes, Alderson, Sammons, Endsley, Steele and Morris were guests of Pa. Alpha on November 19, the date of the annual football game between W. and J. of West Virginia. Bro. Dawson is manager of the W. Va. team. Over three hundred rooters came down from Morgantown with their team. The Phi Psis in the crowd outnumbered the representatives of any other fraternity in the university. The boys had to go back home with a score of 23-0 against them.

On Friday evening, November 28, the Pittsburg Alumni Association entertained with another of their delightful smokers and the members of Pa. Alpha who were fortunate enough to be there report a very good time.

Since our last letter we have enjoyed visits from Bro. Batchelar, N. Y. Alpha, Bro. Jennings, N. Y. Epsilon, and Bro. Brittain, Pa. Alpha.

Phi Kappa Psi House, Washington, Pa., Dec. 2, 1902.

Pennsylvania Gamma—Bucknell University.

R. J. Hess, Correspondent.

The advancing year finds all the Bucknell Phi Psis in the best of health and spirits. The chapter, although larger than it has been for several years, shows no signs of becoming unwieldy. In fact an excellent spirit seems to permeate the whole chapter. It is with the keenest pleasure that we welcome each Tuesday night and the good meeting that always accompanies it. The nine Phi Psis from the class of 1905 have caught the good true Phi Psi spirit of their older brothers and it would be hard to find a more earnest, enthusiastic crowd of Phi Psis.

The football season just closed has been the most successful in Bucknell's history. Phi Psi contributed her share to the success of the team. Bro. Smith, who has played quarter for the past two seasons, was not able to do himself justice because of the injury he received in practice before the game. Bro. Smiley returned to college late and thus was handicapped in his efforts to make the team. Bro. Bertolette was chief marshal and ably led the cheering at all the games played here.

Now that the football season has closed the boys have taken up basketball and Bucknell expects to place a good team on the floor. Bro. Bertolette, the 'varsity manager, has about completed a schedule of games that will be an improvement upon any previous one.

Bro. Grier '05 is captain of his class team.

Phi Psi joined hands around the pipe on November 21 and made merry in true Phi Psi style. To add to the pleasure of the event we had with us some of the genial alumni of the chapter and the speeches and stories of Bros. Dreisbach, Gretzinger, Wolfe and Leiser, Jr., made time fly at a wonderful rate. Plans are now on foot for some doings next term. We hope to have more alumni with us then.

We had the pleasure of a visit from Bro. Stanton '02, who just closed a most successful season as coach of the Denison University football team. Bro. Stanton has won the hearts of the students at

Denison and expects to return and take a place on the faculty of the university. This is a high tribute to his ability and popularity.

Bro. Gundy ex-'98 was with us for a few days last week. He is now located in Philadelphia.

Bro. Gessler of Pa. Alpha was with the Baltimore Medical team and played a star game against Bucknell. He was very welcome and quite won the Gamma boys by his sterling good fellowship.

The duty of the scribe is now finished. With the best wishes of the chapter for all Phi Psis and with an earnest desire for the success of our fraternity he lays aside the quill.

Chapter Rooms, Lewisburg, Pa., December 3, 1902.

Pennsylvania Epsilon—Gettysburg College.

Chas. H. May, Correspondent.

The football season was ended at Lancaster on Thanksgiving when our varsity went down to defeat before F. and M. by a score of 12-6. About the only consolation we can get out of the defeat is the fact that (as one of the fellows was heard to remark) it took four Pa. Eta Phi Psis to beat us. We doff our hats to the brothers of Eta and give all the glory of victory, yet none of the stigma of defeat, to old Phi Psi.

At present about the only thing there is to relieve the routine work of college, is the basketball practice. Through the efficient work of Bro. White, who is captain, the team is rounding into excellent shape and a successful season is predicted.

It is said that, through the liberality of one of the friends of the college, ground will be broken for a new ladies' dormitory before commencement. Coeducation made its appearance at Gettysburg only a few years ago, but since then it has advanced so rapidly that at the present time "co-eds" have become quite a factor in our college life.

The inter-class football games will be played during the coming week. Bro. Bingham is captain of the '04 team and Bro. Hollinger of '06.

The chapter recently enjoyed a visit from Bro. J. E. Erf, one of the founders of Minnesota Beta.

We are represented on the college mandolin clubs by Bros. Fisher and Graf.

Gettysburg, Pennsylvania, December 3, 1902.

Pennsylvania Zeta, Dickinson College.

E. J. Carlin, Correspondent.

We are proud to introduce to the general fraternity four newly acquired brothers: Bros. Frank P. Barnhart '05 law, of Johnstown, Pa.; Ralph O. Hall '06 of Buck Creek, Pa.; Wilber L. Adams '05, Georgetown, Del., and Henry F. Wile '06 of Carlisle, Pa. We hope by the time of the next issue to have another member enrolled under the banner of Phi Psi.

The honors won by members of the chapter so far this year are as follows: Bro. Stanton has been elected class poet; Bro. Cook editor in chief of the law school section of the "Microcosm;" Bro. Ray business manager of the dramatic club; Bros. Stanton and Rogers director and assistant director respectively of the dramatic club; Bro. Carlin vice-president of his class.

An enjoyable smoker was given by Bro. Frysinger Evans on November 21. The members of the chapter and the following alumni were present: Bros. Rev. Perry Eveland '92, Rev. B. H. Mosser '79, Dr. Claude Barton '98, Prof. M. P. Sellers '93, Prof. J. H. Morgan '73, John F. Shelly '71, Wm. P. String '91, J. Adair Herman '96, and Chas. L. Evans ex-'03.

We were visited by the following brothers during the past month: Bro. Brooks, Ohio Delta; Bro. Ralph Boyer '01; Bro. Wh. D. Boyer '88; Bro. Claude Barton '96; Bro. Fager, Pa. Epsilon; Bro. Evans ex-'03, and Bro. Joe Herman '96.

Bros. Herman and Vale were in the coal regions during the strike with their company and had some exciting experiences.

Phi Psis of the Cumberland Valley are expecting to form an alumni association in the near future.

In the trials of the glee and mandolin clubs, Bros. Ray and Williams secured positions on the glee club and Bro. Hall on the mandolin club.

The football team has closed a successful season under the captaincy of Bro. Stanton, who played a star game at full-back. Phi Psi was represented on the 'varsity by Bros. Williams end, Barnhart half-back, Carlin tackle, and on the scrub by Ray end and Hall tackle.

Bro. Joe Herman was a spectator of the Princeton-Dickinson game and is strong in his denunciation of the methods employed by Princeton.

The basketball season has opened and many promising candidates are out for the team. Among those trying for positions are Bros. Wilber, Hall and Carlin.

Now that the football season has closed the students are studying hard for examinations.

Pennsylvania Zeta extends hearty greeting to all alumni and sister chapters and wish all a Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year.

Carlisle, Pennsylvania, December 1, 1902.

Pennsylvania Eta—Franklin and Marshall College.

W. Curtis Truxal, Correspondent.

It is simply a shame the way Pa. Eta is capturing college honors this year. Not satisfied with having four regular men on the football team, she must win the three and only prizes awarded to the individual players who put up the best game. Stein, our right guard, was awarded a fine cane for playing the best game against Visenus college, and also a pipe for making the first touchdown against Gettysburg on Thanksgiving Day, while Westerman received a cane for playing the best all around game against Gettysburg.

On November 28 the Green Room Club presented Dr. Jekyll and Mr. Hyde before the largest audience ever present at any former production of the club, and the play was considered by all to be the best performance ever produced by the college. Pa. Eta was represented on the cast by Bro. Westerman as Dr. Jekyll and Mr. Hyde, Bro. Bissinger as Utterson and Bro. Snyder as Detective Bradshaw. All the brothers acquitted themselves with honor both to the college and fraternity. But Bro. Westerman was the "star." The following is a quotation from one of the Lancaster papers: The play, as is well known, depends largely upon one player for success, the great burden of the piece falling upon the dual role of "Dr. Jekyll" and "Mr. Hyde," and in this character the Green Room Club presented a young man who fully measured up to the requirements imposed upon him, carried himself with such poise and certainty, and so accurately and powerfully expressed the intense, widely varying emotions of his part that the audience forgot their bias of friendliness in admiration of his true worth, and rewarded him with sincere and most enthusiastic applause. He was John Westerman of the class of 1905. There was nothing of the amateur about his work.

The complete set of "The Shield" which was presented to the chapter by Bro. Biesecker has been beautifully bound and placed in our library.

Pennsylvania Theta—Lafayette College.

Hugh M. Miller, Correspondent.

The football season having ended, and with less than two weeks till the end of the term, the only thing of interest with us at present is the approaching exams.

College closes on December 17 and we return January 6.

On account of ill health Bro. Ralph Clemson '06 was forced to leave college a few weeks ago and will probably not return to us again. We all sincerely regret that Bro. Clemson's active chapter life has been so short, but we feel certain that the old Phi Psi spirit has made a lasting impression and even though absent from us, his early experiences will prove an incentive to a useful life in Phi Kappa Psi.

Bro. John Clemson '06 is still in the Presbyterian Hospital in Chicago. He is slowly recovering from his operation and by next term will be with us again.

Bros. Stroh '02, Lewis '04 and Alexander '00 were here for our football game with Lehigh. Bro. Alexander's brother was with him and will enter Lafayette next year.

We closed our football season on Thanksgiving Day with a game with Dickinson College and defeated them by a score of 23 to 0.

Bros. Stanton, Williams and Carlin were in the game and Bros. Ray, Cook and Wild were also with the team.

Bro. Carter '03 took dinner with us on Thanksgiving Day and stayed for the game. He is still in Wilkesbarre, Pa.

On November 25 Bro. Hartje '06, to celebrate his birthday, gave us a smoker in his rooms. It was highly appreciated and we all spent a pleasant evening together.

The chapter is in receipt of an invitation to the wedding of Bro. Robert M. Jarvis '02, and Miss Frances E. Bumsted, which takes place on Wednesday evening, December 3 in St. John's Church, Jersey City, N. J.

Bro. J. A. Jones, Mass. Alpha, gave us a call a few days ago while on his way to Philadelphia.

Bro. Walter Haldeman '03 as manager of the basketball team has arranged a trip for the team during Xmas vacation.

Easton, Pennsylvania, December 1, 1902.

Pennsylvania Iota—University of Pennsylvania.

G. H. Bickley, Correspondent.

Since our last letter to "The Shield" Pa. Gamma has honored two men by membership in the fraternity; they are Bro. Cartright and Bro. Yost. Bro. Cartright played center on the freshman football team and Bro. Yost was sub end on the same eleven.

On Thanksgiving Day our football season ended in a blaze of glory by our defeat of Cornell, one of the most exciting games ever played on Franklin Field. After the game the team went to the training house, where the election of next year's captain was held. Bro. Sol Metzger was unanimously elected captain of the varsity football team for 1903. Bro. Metzger has received our congratulations many times before this but we repeat them here and wish him the greatest success for the coming season.

On Friday, November 28, the combined musical clubs gave their annual concert and dance at Houston Hall. The performance of the clubs was very creditable and bids fair for a very successful season.

On the combined clubs Phi Psi has twelve men. Bro. Childs is assistant manager and Bro. Gates leader of the mandolin club. Bro. Sheppard is singing tenor on the glee club.

At our meeting on November 11 we were honored by the presence of Bro. Fell, president of the fraternity, Bro. Gibson of Pa. Theta, and Bro. Halstead of our own chapter.

In the senior class two committees have been appointed for the year—the Record and the Ivy Ball. On the Record committee Phi Psi has Metzger and Bickley, on the Ivy Ball committee we have Gates, Schoch and Metzger.

On the sophomore dance committee we have Bro. Marshall.
113 South 37th Street, Philadelphia, Pa., December 3, 1902.

Pennsylvania Kappa—Swarthmore College.

F. Branwell Geddes, Correspondent.

The month just past has seen "great doings" at staid old Swarthmore. The inauguration of our new president, Dr. Joseph Swain, LL. D., of Indiana, was a great success. Parish hall, crowded with many of the most prominent educational men in the country, was indeed an imposing sight, and one which those present will not soon forget. Over one hundred colleges and learned societies sent delegates. The speech for the alumni was made by Bro. Rev. Alexander G. Cummins, who we are proud to say is one of Pa. Kappa's loyal sons. Speeches were made by the following: Joseph Wharton, S. C. D.; Dean Elizabeth Powell Bond, A. M.; Hon. John Kelsey Richards, A. B., solicitor general of the United States, class of 1875; Alexander Griswold Cummins, Jr., A. M., class of 1889; M. Carey Thomas, president of Bryn Mawr College; William Rainey Harper, LL. D., president of University of Chicago; Nicholas Murray Butler, LL. D., president of Columbia University. Inaugural address, Joseph Swain, LL. D.

One week later came an event which attracted almost as much

attention and enthusiasm as the inauguration—the Haverford game. Twenty-two to nothing hardly shows the greatness of our victory. With a considerably lighter team than our opponents, we outplayed them from the first minute of play to the last. Our representatives in the game were Bros Lippincott and Smith, who between them scored twelve out of the twenty-two points—Bro. Lippincott making a touchdown and Bro. Smith kicking two goals from touchdowns and one field goal. Then among the subs Bros. Beans, Crowell, Kent and Ryder held up the side lines for us.

Kappa's alumni turned out in force for both the inauguration and the football game.

Since the last edition of "The Shield" we have added one more brother to our fold, Bro. Crowell.

Bro. Thomas A. Story, of California Beta, paid us a pleasant visit, having been sent as a delegate from that institution to the inauguration. Recent visitors of the chapter were: Bros. Walker, Way, Bassett, Kirk, Knipe, Cassel, Seaman, Curtiss, Griscom, T. A. Smith, Gilkyson and G. Worth.

Swarthmore, Pa., December 3, 1902.

New Hampshire Alpha—Dartmouth College.

H. W. Flemming, Correspondent.

The football season is over and Dartmouth is satisfied with her team, which was one of the best, if not the best in her history. The team was slow in getting into shape but ended the season successfully by defeating Brown. N. H. Alpha was represented on the team by Bro. Patteson, who played an exceptionally good game at left half back.

Since our last letter we have initiated a new brother, Mills Gove Sturtevant '04, of Manchester, whom we desire to introduce to the fraternity.

Our annual initiation banquet will be held December 10, when we expect to have with us representatives from the other New England chapters and some of our alumni. We extend a hearty invitation to all Phi Psis who can be present on that occasion.

Hanover, N. H., December 1, 1902.

Massachusetts Alpha—Amherst College.

W. Virgil Spaulding, Correspondent.

At the date of the writing of our last chapter letter, Mass. Alpha was upon the eve of its annual initiation. The new brothers whose names were given in that letter were initiated in due form, and the banquet which followed was a great success. Many of our alumni as well as Phi Psis of other chapters were with us, we having the pleasure of entertaining brothers from New Hampshire Alpha, Rhode Island Alpha and Indiana Alpha.

Amherst has just closed a very successful football season. The team has done excellent work and has received the loyal support of every undergraduate. For the first time in several years, no Phi Psi was a member of the team, but the prospects that we will be represented in this branch of athletics next year are very good. Basketball will now call forth most of the athletic interest of the college. Our team has been through two seasons without a defeat, and there is promising material for a strong team this year. In the annual football between the sophomores and freshmen Phi Psis were not idle, as is shown by the fact that Bros. Lynch, Hopkins, Patch and Westphan won their numerals on the sophomore team.

The leading social event of the college during the past month was the sophomore hop. It was well attended by members of the three upper classes, and proved highly successful. It is hoped that succeeding sophomore classes will give similar junctions, in order that this may become as regular an event of the social life of the college as are the junior and the senior proms.

The close of the fall term is but a few weeks distant, and final examinations are beginning to loom up before us. The Christmas recess will commence December 18. Until then our house will be wide open to visiting Phi Psis. It was our pleasure to entertain a few such guests during the past month and we always look forward to further opportunities of this sort.

Amherst, Massachusetts, December 2, 1902.

*Rhode Island Alpha—Brown University.**Warren A. Clough, Correspondent.*

Football days are now over and the heroes of the gridiron can enjoy a good smoke without hurting their conscience.

This year is by all odds the greatest Brown ever saw. Her prowess with the pigskin is certainly not to be sneezed at. Probably no other college in the country has played such a bold hard schedule. Even though we were beaten by Dartmouth it was an honorable defeat, and undoubtedly due to the fact that Dartmouth had the better team. We congratulate our rival on her strong team and swear we'll beat her next year.

We are proud to take fourth place among the colleges of the land, and we mean to keep it, if we can do so by any honorable means.

Providence, R. I., December 2, 1902.

*New York Alpha—Cornell University.**J. Martin Griffith, Correspondent.*

The past month has been an uneventful one for the chapter, the weeks slipping quietly by with only the Thanksgiving recess to break the monotony. Most of the brothers took advantage of the two days of grace allowed them by the faculty, and either went home or to Philadelphia to the Cornell-Pennsylvania football game. The unfortunate outcome of the contest does not seem to have prevented their having a very good time.

On the occasion of the Lafayette game we were so fortunate as to have two of our alumni with us, namely: Bro. McGunnege '93 and Bro. Woodhull '00. The latter stopped in Ithaca for a couple of days on his way to visit relatives on upper Lake Cayuga. Upon leaving Bro. McGunnege presented the chapter with a handsome stein. That it "never rains but it pours" was illustrated by the receipt shortly after of a beautiful punch ladle from Bro. Brooks, whose fame as a representative of D. L. Auld & Co. is wide-spread.

The chapter is arranging for a house party for the 17th of the month. We expect to have as guests about a dozen of the girls from Wells College for whom a dance will be given in the evening. The girls leave for home the next day and the university closes a few days later, so that this will be the last entertainment of the fall term.

Ithaca, New York, December 5, 1902.

*New York Beta—Syracuse University.**Lloyd E. Brown, Correspondent.*

There is not much to chronicle this month. One of the most recent honors to come to Phi Psi at Syracuse is the election of Bro. Merritt, law '04, to the assistant baseball managership. Bro. Merritt played last season on the 'varsity team in most of its games and has won his black "S." In football, Bro. Smallwood '06 is substitute tackle on the 'varsity, and Bro. Pottinger captained the sophomore team in the series of inter-class games. Bro. Pottinger was also captain of the freshman track team last spring.

The first annual sophomore cotillion was held at Empire Hall on the evening of November 19. Bros. Morse and Brown were on the committee in charge. The junior "prom." takes place December 3 at the Alhambra. Bro. I. R. Templeton is on the prom. committee, and Bro. Elden will be one of those to give the senior ball, which occurs next February.

This year two of the fraternities here will be installed in chapter houses. Phi Gamma Delta is located in a spacious dwelling on Comstock avenue, just back of Phi Kappa Psi. Delta Kappa Epsilon is building a fine \$22,000 house, in brick and white Onondaga limestone, on the corner of Walnut avenue and University Place, near the Psi Upsilon house and within half a block of our own chapter house. All of the academic fraternities at Syracuse, numbering fifteen, are now housed.

Recent visitors to our chapter have been Bro. LaDette Cross ex-'04, and Bro. Larkin of N. Y. Epsilon. Bro. Cross is now with the Standard Oil Company at Oswego, New York.

*New York Gamma—Columbia University.**Thomas R. Buell, Correspondent.*

Since our last letter we have initiated two men, James Gregory Gregg, of New York City, and France Davis Johnson of Nome, Alaska, both men of Phi Psi calibre. We have two more freshmen pledged whom we expect to introduce in our next letter.

Columbia's football season closed with the game with Syracuse University, played here in New York on Thanksgiving Day. It was a hard and closely contested game throughout, resulting in the score of 6-6. We were represented on the home team by Bros. Stangland at guard and Smyth at center, both of whom did fine work. Saturday Bros. Catron, Wickes, Longwell and Johnson attended the West Point-Annapolis game at Philadelphia. They brought back accounts of a very pleasant day.

On the evening of December 5 the glee club, which has been making rapid advancement under the leadership of Bro. Adams, will unite with the mandolin club in giving an entertainment at Earl Hall for the benefit of the baseball team. Bro. Catron will play on the mandolin club.

In the annual sophomore-freshman field and track games, held on South Field November 29, in which the sophs. were victors by a large score, one of our brothers was very successful, winning the largest number of points for the sophomores.

At our last meeting we were favored with the presence of several alumni who added largely to the interest of the meeting. They were Bros. Scudder, Morrill and McCorkle of New York Gamma, and Bros. Cook of Mass. Alpha, and Serviss of New York Alpha. Bro. Scudder gave us an especially interesting and instructive talk.

After the Syracuse game we had a short visit with Bros. Templeton, Myron and Lanfer of New York Beta.

Bro. Waiter Carlin '01 was with us a couple of weeks ago. He has since sailed for Ireland where he has gone on a business trip.

New York City, December 5, 1902.

*New York Epsilon—Colgate University.**J. H. Hutchinson, Correspondent.*

Friday evening, November 7, New York Epsilon held an informal dance in the parlors of the chapter house. About twenty couples were present and spent a very enjoyable evening. Among the alumni present was Bro. Leon M. Waite '01, who was visiting the chapter for a few days on his way to Florida, where he is to have charge of a hotel during the coming winter.

Bro. Frank H. Divine '91, who for the past year and a half has successfully served as pastor of the First Baptist Church of Albany, N. Y., has been elected superintendent of Missouri by the board of the state convention of Connecticut.

On October 8 occurred the marriage of Bro. William L. Wheeler '96 and Miss Grace L. Miller, at the home of the bride in Utica, N. Y. After the ceremony Mr. and Mrs. Wheeler left for the West where they spent their honeymoon. Upon their return they will take up their residence at 262 W. 23rd street, New York City.

Bro. George L. Bennett '00, principal of the Hamilton high school, on November 1 attended the council of Madison county principals, held at Oneida, New York, where he read a paper on "Home and School, Their Relation."

Bro. Holden '01 has entered the senior class of the New York law school, and is located with Wandell & Burtis, attorneys, of Wall St.

Bro. Carl H. Smith '04, who did such good work as captain of the football team for this season, has been selected captain for next year.

Bros. Lisle '04 and Smith '04 have been elected members of the junior prom. committee, Bro. Smith being made chairman.

Bro. Eddy '04 spent a few days at his home in Macedon, N. Y., during the latter part of November.

Among the members of N. Y. Epsilon who were out of town during the Thanksgiving recess were Bros. Bryan, Crane, Larkin, Eddy, Chapel, Merrill, Whitman, York, McKeg and Grant.

Bro. E. G. Evans '05 has been elected manager of the sophomore basketball team.

Hamilton, New York, December ., 1902.

*New York Zeta—Brooklyn Polytechnic Institute.**E. W. Boughton, Correspondent.*

Zeta is now in good working trim and as usual is placing her men in most of the important offices of the college organizations.

Bro. W. S. Rapelje '03 has been forced to resign the office of press agent of the Dramatic association. Bro. Pirie, who is president of the association and the other brothers on the executive committee have been working hard and now the cast is selected and rehearsals have commenced. The Phi Psis in the cast are Bros. Leberthon, Journeay, Pirie, Weidmann, McCarty and Bendernagel, exactly half the cast.

Bro. H. Ginnel Leberthon, who was a post graduate last year, is back doing special work in the art department.

Bro. C. R. Gluck '05, who is captain of the 'varsity basketball team, has the team practicing regularly and a prosperous season is expected. Besides Bro. Gluck, Bro. O. W. Weidmann '05 is sure of a place on the team. The manager for this year is Bro. W. C. Broadhurst '05.

N. Y. Zeta has been deeply grieved by the illness of last year's G. P., Bro. William O. Weidmann '02 who has been confined to his bed of late and hence unable to return to his lumber business in the Adirondacks.

At our next meeting we will initiate Mr. H. T. Spellman, class president of 1906.

During the last month a movement has been advanced by the senior class to cut out the monthly orations from the curriculum. The six Phi Psis in '03, headed by the class prexie, Bro. Ferguson, have been prime movers, and we have at least brought the faculty around to a compromise.

The two lower classes had the annual flag rush on November 28. The freshmen raised their flag and cut the halyards but the sophs., after four hours of hard work, tore it down.

We regret exceedingly that none of our men managed to attend the November banquet at the New York A. A. Hereafter Zeta will be represented at every one.

*Virginia Alpha—University of Virginia.**Charles Hartwell Cocke, Correspondent.*

My story of football is not to have quite such a glorious finish as I anticipated, for news has just come from Richmond that Carolina tied us this evening, 12 to 12. This seems rather hard after our glorious defeat of the Indians in Norfolk last Saturday, just one week after they had put the block to Pennsylvania 5 to 0. The season, however, will always be remembered as one of the most successful Virginia has had. Only three teams succeeded in scoring on us, and of these three only one succeeded in defeating us, Lehigh. Our record shows a total of 157 points scored by us against fifty-one by our opponents. Bro. Prichard was considered our fastest back and made one of the touchdowns this afternoon.

Since our last letter two more names have been enrolled under the banner of Phi Psi and I take pleasure in presenting to the fraternity at large Bro. Charles M. Fauntleroy of Staunton, Va., and Bro. Arthur Valz of the same city. Valz is a brother of Bro. Ned Valz.

Tonight, Bro. R. V. Marshall, of recent acquisition, entertains all the Phi Psis in college who did not accompany the team to Richmond. There is talk of large eatings and some liquids—this being the day suggested by the authorities for rendering thanks for blessings past and present. Here's to you Dick!

Bro. Thomas Jefferson Wertebaker, wearying of the life of a pedagogue, returned unto us last Sunday and will be engaged in Ph. D. work for the remainder of the session. Tom will be a valuable addition to the mandolin and guitar club, in which we are at present represented by only Bro. Bell—howsoe'er ably.

Last Saturday in Norfolk your scribe had the pleasure of visiting Bro. Richard B. Tunstall, Va. Alpha '66, and it was certainly a pleasure to feel that though it is a long call from '66 to '02, the spirit of Phi Psi is perennial and to be welcomed by one of Va. Alpha's proudest names in that true genuine handclasp known only to Phi Psis. Bro. Tunstall said he was an interested reader of

"The Shield." Bro. W. W. Old, of considerably more recent date, was most kind in his efforts to do all that was possible for the pleasure of the brothers who were in Norfolk for the Carlisle game.

Several society honors have come Phi Psiward since our last in the initiation of Bros. Bell and Fleet into the ribbon societies. Bro. Fleet has also tasted of the mysteries of "P. K." We have not seen this morning's Richmond papers though they doubtless contain words of wisdom from Bro. Bell, the Rt. Hon. R. P. Jr., youngest member of the House. He is also one of the editors of "College Topics," our weekly paper.

Bro. Mason has been chosen to represent Phi Psi on "Corks and Curls," our annual. As we hear that Nort is applying for the position of society editor, we congratulate ourselves upon our very happy selection. He left for Richmond this a. m. with the avowed intention of making this a true Thanksgiving day for—"Mary."

As usual Bro. J. Thompson Brown, principal of Brown's School, extended a most cordial invitation to the chapter to be present at the Thanksgiving dance last night at his school. Only a few of the brothers were fortunate enough to attend this very enjoyable occasion.

Bros. M. W. and H. Norment Baker were summoned to Charlottesville by the death of their father, for many years secretary of the faculty. We were all glad to see them, though grieved at the occasion of their visit.

Bro. Lieut. Henry W. Fleet has left for San Francisco, whence he will sail for Manila on December 1.

Bro. Lemmon was on hand in Norfolk Saturday to give the brothers the glad hand.

Charlottesville, Virginia, November 27, 1902.

West Virginia Alpha—University of West Virginia.

C. M. Christy, Correspondent.

On Monday evening, November 24, Messrs. Sweeny Fleming, Walter Barnes and Floyd Simmons were first given the right hand of fellowship by their brothers of W. Va. Alpha. It gives us great pleasure to introduce these men to the fraternity for we feel that in them we have secured the material that makes men and chapters and fraternities. Bro. Fleming is a graduate of Yale '02 and came to the university to take law. Bro. Barnes is a graduate of Buckannon Seminary '02 and expects to take an L. L. B. Bro. Simmons gave up a position in a bank in Wheeling to take an A. B. degree in the university. All these men were much sought after by other fraternities but after careful investigation and deliberation decided to cast their lot with us.

Bros. Buchanan and Compton, pastors of the Presbyterian and Methodist churches respectively, were the only guests at the informal banquet held after the initiation ceremonies.

We had hoped that by this issue of "The Shield" we would be able to announce that we were at home to all Phi Psis in our new chapter house, but we regret to say that our house is not much nearer completion than it was two months ago, and cannot possibly be gotten ready for occupancy by the beginning of next term, and probably will not be opened before April.

For the first time in many years we were without a representative on the 'varsity eleven this season. Bros. Morgan and Simmons both made good showing on the second team, Morgan at center and Simmons at right-half, and have good prospects of making the 'varsity next year. Bro. Morgan was manager of the second team.

Bros. Barnes, Daugherty and Watson are members of the University glee club. It is composed of exceptionally good talent this year and expects to give quite a number of concerts in this and surrounding towns.

Quite a number of the brothers spent Thanksgiving vacation out of town but are now back for two weeks' hard work preparing for examinations, which begin this year on December 15.

Rev. John W. Frances, one of the charter members of W. Va. Alpha, and for many years pastor of the First Presbyterian Church of Evanston, Ill., has returned to his native state to take up the pastorate of the Presbyterian Church of Parkersburg, one of the strongest churches in the state.

Bro. Reinhardt '04 did not re-enter school this year. He is teaching at his home, Molars, W. Va.

Morgantown, West Virginia, December 1, 1902.

*Mississippi Alpha—University of Mississippi.**D. O. Clark, Correspondent.*

Eight weeks have passed since the opening of the university, and the fraternities have begun their initiation. So far we have initiated three freshmen. It is now our pleasure to introduce to the fraternity at large the following brothers: R. J. Enochs '06, Crystal Springs, Miss.; R. T. Strickland '06, Olive Branch, Miss.; and R. E. Hairtson '06, Crawford, Miss. We feel proud of these men because we think them men that will do honor to Phi Kappa Psi. This will not end our initiation, however, as we have several other new men that we will initiate when their time expires.

Our football team, though not the champion team of the South, made a record that any institution might be proud of. We ended our season with Tulane by a victory of 10 to 0. Bro. Foster as captain is spoken of by the papers as right half-back on the all-Southern team. We are proud of him as an athlete and wish that he could be with our team another year, but his football days are over, for five long years he has been one of Mississippi's stars; for five long years he has battled for the red and blue; but on Thanksgiving he played his last game for Mississippi; he has laid aside his moleskin pants and hung on the wall forever his jersey of red and blue.

We are now approaching the examinations for the first term and we are hard at work preparing for them. After the examinations the brothers will go home to spend the Christmas holidays.

We regret very much to learn of the untimely death of Bro. F. M. Philips '86. He was accidentally killed while out hunting with a party of friends. He was a rising young physician of Lexington, Miss., and was fast winning a name for himself.

Since our last letter we have received pleasant visits from Bros. G. G. Hurst, ex-archon of third district, W. P. Dobbins and H. P. Stephens.

Bro. Johnson was called home on account of sickness, but we are glad to say that he has returned and again has taken up his college work. Bro. Johnson was selected to represent the fraternity on the board of editors of "Ole Miss," the college annual.

Miss. Alpha sends her best wishes to her sister chapters and greetings to "The Shield."

*Tennessee Delta—Vanderbilt University.**William C. Chisum, Correspondent.*

After the gayeties of Thanksgiving the student body has again settled down to work, while the boys are anxiously looking forward to the Christmas holidays, which begin on the 22nd and last ten days.

On November 29 Tenn. Delta gave a dance at the chapter house which proved a great success in every way.

Since writing our last letter we have initiated two new men, one of whom, Bro. Murfree, has been pledged for several weeks and was mentioned in the last issue of "The Shield." The other, Bro. Baxter '06, is a very fine young man and we feel sure will make a true Phi Psi. Both of these men have entered right into the fraternity spirit and are very enthusiastic.

Colonel Jerry Baxter, president of the Tennessee Central Railroad and State Senator, and one of Phi Psi's most loyal brothers, will address the "Economic and Social Science Club" of Vanderbilt on December 3.

Bro. Floyd has been appointed a member of the finance committee of the Vanderbilt Memorial Hall which has just been established here.

On Thanksgiving Vanderbilt ended her football season in a game with Sewanee, in which we were defeated by a score of 11 to 5. Last year Vanderbilt won the championship of the South and up to Thanksgiving she had not lost a single game this year, but the "Tigers" proved too much for her, and to the surprise of the whole South defeated her. We can only hope for better results next year.

*Ohio Beta—Wittenberg College.**Walter H. Weaver, Correspondent.*

We have the honor, this month, to present to the fraternity at large our new brother, Harry P. Jayne. Bro. Jayne was initiated on the

evening of December 1, after a long and animated season of rushing. Between forty and fifty brothers attended the initiation ceremonies and banquet, at which toasts were responded to by Bros. Lawrence, Treiz, Anderson, Hosterman, Spangler, Winger, Barringer, Delmar Trout, Burleigh and Lutz. Bro. Jayne also gave us a "before and after" word picture of himself.

The football season is over and any of our brothers who have received wounds on the gridiron may now look themselves over and discover whether or not they are hurt worse than they had thought at first. So far the list of the wounded is not great, but nevertheless exceedingly unpleasant for the persons most concerned. Bro. Tulloss is suffering a sprained ankle and Bro. Wheldon is walking with the aid of a cane as a result of a fracture of the kneecap. Bros. Ultes and Burleigh passed through the ordeal without a scratch.

Again we have been a little short on entertainments. Only two affairs have been given by the chapter, but both were of such a pleasing nature as to cause us to forget the quantity and think only of the quality. On November 10 occurred the annual play given by the Olympian society. It was given in the Grand opera house and was by far the best entertainment that has ever been given by the society. Phi Psi attended in full force in spite of the fact that the other fraternities did all in their power to "cabbage" all the boxes. Another entertainment which was given by the chapter was a dance at the house, held on November 14. Several of the brothers also attended the Assembly ball given on Thanksgiving Eve at the Lagonda Club.

On November 15 the chapter lost the pleasing companionship of Bro. "Sam" Shaffer, who left to again take up his medical work in West Virginia. He is not lost forever, however, as it is rumored that he will soon return to rob us of one of our Phi Psi girls.

Bros. Ultes, Deaton and Delmar Trout are practicing hard against the opening of the basketball season.

Bro. Winger represented the Excelsior Society in the annual inter-society contest. He was awarded second honors for declamation.

The annual election of officers of the athletic association will soon be held. Bro. Harris is a candidate for a second term as manager of the football team. At the present writing it looks very much as if the winds were blowing in his direction.

Phi Kappa Psi House, Springfield, Ohio, Dec. 2, 1902.

Indiana Alpha—DePauw University.

Turley Stephenson, Correspondent.

With only two more weeks of school till the close of the term, and with back papers, missed quizzes, collateral reading and an immense amount of other neglected work to make up, the twenty-four active men of Indiana Alpha now present a very studious and interested group. Study hours and chapter house rules are being strictly observed, not so much possibly as a matter of choice but rather as a matter of necessity, because of the term finals that await us at the end.

Many of the brothers spent their Thanksgiving vacation at home, but all have again returned after a season of rest and social hilarity. The resident brothers, however, and those who remained here during the Thanksgiving rest, took advantage of the occasion and entertained their "cases" at one of our frequent, but informal "jimmies." Of course all "enjoyed themselves very much," and said their good nights after having "spent a most delightful evening." At any rate, we are vain enough to claim that all such complimentary remarks were not "hot air," because of the fact that all Phi Psi functions, whether social or otherwise, are always attended with such genuine pleasantries as to forcibly impress themselves upon all who attend.

One of the most pleasant events of Thanksgiving week for all Indiana Phi Psis, as well as for the active men of Ind. Alpha, was the state banquet given in Indianapolis, which twenty out of our twenty-four men attended. For those of our brothers who were present at the banquet for the first time it was a revelation, and for those who had been present on previous occasions it was like a revival, and without exception every one of us went away with higher ideals and greater appreciation for old Phi Psi.

During the past month we have been visited by Bro. Chandler Robins, who is a surgeon in the U. S. Army, and who has been stationed in the Philippines. Hereafter, however, he will be located at Ft. Terry, Long Island Sound.

Bro. Frank Hayden, traveling agent for some Cincinnati house,

dropped in on us last week and remained a few hours. Bro. Hayden is personally acquainted with the Hans Parker Quintet Co., who are on the lecture course here this year, and through his influence we expect to have the company around at our home the afternoon of their engagement here. Thanks to Bro. Hayden for prospective favors.

Bro. Edwin Smith Frye, Pa. Epsilon, was the guest of Ind. Alpha the first of this week. Bro. Frye has been on the road for the last few years and he tells us he has encountered many various and interesting experiences in that time.

The three of our brothers who were awarded with "D's" this year were Bros. O'Daniel, McKinstry and Wilkinson. This is a greater representation than any other fraternity in college. And certainly the "D's" won by the three brothers mentioned, not in any way reflecting on the other members of the 'varsity, were as deserving as any other three members of the team.

Bro. Maurice Tennant occasionally frequents his alma mater, but his time is very unproportionately divided between the Phi Psi house and another house.

In conclusion, here's to "The Shield" and all her readers the choicest blessings of Christmas tide.

Greencastle, Indiana, December 4, 1902.

Indiana Beta—Indiana University,

Frank H. Hindman, Correspondent.

Mid-term exams. are over and every Phi Psi of Indiana Beta can boast of a good record. The studentship of our men has never been better, but as the term approaches a close, we shall all be glad when we can throw away our text books and ponies and give ourselves up to holiday festivities without the thought of recitations and exams. to worry us.

As an incident apart from the daily routine, quite a number of our men attended the Purdue-Indiana football game at Lafayette. Although Indiana suffered defeat, the bitterness of it, for us, was lessened by our hospitable entertainment by the brothers of Indiana Delta.

A goodly number of the brothers attended the annual banquet of Indiana Phi Psis at Indianapolis on the night of November 26. We were represented on the program by Bro. Free who responded to the toast, "Indiana Beta," and Bro. Pfaff, who gave several readings. To say that every one had a good time at this affair is to put it mildly. Those to whom it was a first experience have resolved that every Thanksgiving Eve shall find them seated around the table enjoying a Phi Psi reunion and banquet.

Phi Psi is holding her own in college politics and organizations. Bro. Hindman has been elected president of the Sophomore class. Bro. Pfaff is a newly elected member of the college dramatic club, "Strut and Fret." This is Bro. Knight's second year in that organization. Bros. Scoble and Pfaff will be on the glee club.

Indiana Beta sends greetings to sister chapters, and to all of the brotherhood wherever situated, she wishes a happy Christmas and joyous holiday season.

Phi Kappa Psi House, Bloomington, Ind., December 3, 1902.

Indiana Delta—Purdue University.

Arthur R. Bradley, Correspondent.

Since our last letter quite a change in college interest has occurred. Our spiking season is over, and with our present number, the year promises to be one of the brightest in the history of Indiana Delta.

The football season, too, has closed. It has been one of the most successful for several years. Out of ten games played we won seven, tied one, and lost two. Among our best victories were the North-western and Indiana games. Purdue had strong hopes of winning the state championship but were tied up by Notre Dame on Thanksgiving Day.

Most of the brothers spent Thanksgiving Eve at the annual state banquet held at Indianapolis. It was a most enjoyable occasion and will be long remembered by all the brothers whose pleasure it was to attend. Bro. John Hornbrook ably represented us on the toast list.

In a social way we have been quite active the past month, the most

important function being one of the largest and most enjoyable dancing parties of the season, given at the Lafayette Club in honor of our brothers from Indiana Beta on the eve on the Purdue-Indiana game.

Bros. Cavin, Osborne and Miller of Indiana Alpha were with us for the party and the game; also Bros. Knight, Weimer, Dubbs and O'Brien of our own alumni. We are glad to learn that Bro. O'Brien is to be one of us again with the beginning of the next semester.

A smoker at the middle of the month and a Thanksgiving dinner to our alumni has served to bring us into closer fellowship with them during the past few weeks.

Bro. Baldwin, Mich. Alpha, was with us on Thanksgiving Day. He will always find a warm welcome awaiting him at Indiana Delta.

We came near losing our chapter house lately by fire. A lamp exploded in Bro. Rigley's room, causing the brothers to have quite an exciting time for a few minutes. It is difficult to imagine just what the outcome would have been had not the brother given a timely shout which brought us all to the rescue.

Since our last letter we have pledged Mr. Thomas M. Haggie of Joliet, Illinois, who comes to us as a junior. We are confident that when the time comes for him to ride the goat he will have the qualities of a good and loyal Phi Psi.

When this letter has reached the hands of the brothers the holiday recess will not be far distant. Indiana Delta therefore takes this opportunity to extend her best wishes to all the sister chapters.

Phi Kappa Psi House, Lafayette, Ind., December 4, 1902.

Illinois Alpha—Northwestern University.

Oliver M. Rogers, Correspondent.

To our sister chapters and all members of the fraternity in general Illinois Alpha sends Christmas greetings and good will.

Now that the football season is over we have to look back upon a record which is a very sorrowful and gloomy one for the interests of the university. However we are very glad to say that the unsuccessful season is not due to the student body and that the poor showing which we have made this year was due to the many difficulties which hampered the management at the beginning of the year.

Whatever the football prospects may have been, it has not deterred us from obtaining a chapter of which we hope the fraternity at large may well be proud. In securing our men we have not only sought to pledge men who are prominent in college and outside affairs but fellows who also possess the happy combination of congeniality, scholarship and morality. In this aim we have conscientiously endeavored to secure men who will have the best interests of the fraternity at heart. Thus we take pride in introducing to the fraternity our freshmen brothers: Bros. Hamilton, Slocum, Callmann, Ferry, Fansler, Kaufman and Springer. This brings our chapter roll up to fourteen men and causes us to be not only generally recognized as one of the strongest at Northwestern but individually conceded to be among the leaders in all college affairs.

Very soon we will entertain the local chapter of Phi Delta Theta, who have recently moved two doors south, at a smoker. I believe this is the first step toward promoting friendly feeling with any frat. at the institution, but I trust that it will not be the last.

All of our brothers in old Phi Psi will be glad to know that Bro. Francis Robertson has pitched his tent among us and that "Robby's" happy smile is still omnipresent.

In closing the chapter invites every Phi Psi to visit us in our home at 1946 Orrington Avenue, Evanston, and accept our hospitality.

1946 Orrington Avenue, Evanston, Ill., December 3, 1902.

Illinois Beta—University of Chicago.

Edward G. Woods, Correspondent.

Illinois Beta has opened the new school year with nineteen old men back and in her new chapter house. Never have her prospects been brighter. The only fraternity in the university to own her house, she has placed herself not only in the front rank, but ahead of the front rank.

A good bunch of freshmen entered here this fall and, as usual, the best of the lot are wearing Phi Psi buttons. Therefore I have the honor to put a peerless lot of "colts" on the "bench" for inspection. They are: Hugo Ernst, Joe Sibley, Bertholf Pettit, Martin Cornelius, Wayne Mitchell, J. E. Kelly, George Hibbard, Alfred Mac Adoo and George Schuur.

Bro. G. Fred Rush had added another favor to the long list of those he has done this chapter. Over our front door is a large glass piece, or window, and in the glass he has had the Greek letters signifying Phi Kappa Psi inserted. We are very proud of our new window.

Thanksgiving Day was, as usual, a time of great rejoicing for us. The football game attracts many of our alumni back to the city, and they spend a few days with us, looking over our freshmen, discussing our plans and giving us sage advice in the way that alumni have. This year we had more with us to give advice and consequently more thoroughly enjoyed the vacation than we ever have before. Next year we hope that all will remember that, at Thanksgiving time, Illinois Beta runs an open house, not only for her alumni, but for every Phi Psi who is or can get in her vicinity.

Chicago, Illinois, December 3, 1902.

Michigan Alpha—University of Michigan.

Karl H. Pratt, Correspondent.

At the time of the last letter, we of Michigan Alpha were working hard moving into the house; and it is a great pleasure to be able to say that we are in, though not as yet entirely settled. It begins to look as if we would always have a few painters and paperhangers working around the house, for the parlor is still used by them as a work room and the back halls are still unfinished.

Our haste in entering the house before entire completion was due to the fact that initiation had been set for November 17. Our first meal in the house was dinner on the night of the initiating banquet, which shows how near we came to postponement of that chief event of chapter life. Still, our efforts were successful, so that I am now able to introduce to the fraternity at large the following freshmen: Allan Walter Campbell, Riverside, Ill.; James Edmond Lawrence, Ypsilanti, Mich.; Eugene Strom and Ellis Bonney, Austin, Ill.; Warren Emley, Philadelphia, Pa.; and William Scott Ward, Muskegon, Mich. Among our alumni present at the initiation and banquet were: Bros. Johnson, Rush, Walbridge, Swannell, Lemuel Hole, Charles Hole, Effinger, Patton, Ferguson, Loud, Campbell, Baldwin, Crafts and Berger, together with Bro. Wilkenson, Cal. Beta, Bro. Chapman, N. Y. Beta, and Bro. Nimmons, Ohio Gamma. Bro. Nimmons is of the firm of Nimmons & Fellows, who designed the alterations in the house. Bro. Fellows, who had expected to be here, was unable to be present.

In connection with the initiation I want to take this opportunity to make known to the fraternity the gratitude of the active chapter to those alumni who have made not only the alterations in the house a possibility, but who have aided us with the furnishings. Had not some of our alumni clubbed together and given us our dining furniture and rugs for the dining room, smoking room and parlor, we could never have had initiation on the night we had set for it. That of itself does not make the gifts more valuable, but it serves to show a little better just how much we are indebted to our alumni.

The Iowa-Michigan game took place the day following initiation, November 8, and was attended by all the brothers. As luck would have it, the opposing full-backs in the second half, Ochiltree and Lawrence, were both Phi Psis. We had a very enjoyable visit from Bro. Ochiltree that evening, and one also from Bro. Downes of N. Y. Zeta, who dropped in at the same time.

The football season is now over and Michigan reigns supreme on the western gridiron. Minnesota, Chicago and Wisconsin have been defeated by scores that were so decisive as to leave no doubt as to Michigan's superiority. The Minnesota game took place in Ann Arbor on Thanksgiving Day and called together the largest crowd that ever gathered on Ferry Field, about 9,000. Michigan Alpha was well represented that day by Bro. Bartelme as assistant graduate manager, and by Bro. Lawrence at full-back in the second half of the game.

For the first time in many years the steward has kept the table

running through Thanksgiving vacation. All but six of the fellows stayed over to see the game and these were reinforced on Thanksgiving Day by many of our alumni and several Minnesota Phi Psis. All told, twenty-six sat down to Bro. Ryan's Thanksgiving dinner; and Bro. Ryan, by the way, won our gratitude and certainly deserved the distinction he attained in his official position as steward, by the dinner.

To revert back to the first part of November the chapter here won some notoriety and plenty of favorable comment from other fraternities and from the newspapers by putting a pledge button on the youngest candidate on record—James Hendry Prentiss, Jr., aged two hours at the time he "promised" his allegiance to his father's chapter. It is a unique coincidence that "Jim Jr." was born on his mother's birthday and on the day of our annual initiation. There was a strong sentiment in favor of his immediate initiation that night along with the rest of the candidates, which was only silenced by the provision that chapters can not initiate prep and school men.

It might not be amiss to mention our part in college life at the present time. We have been especially well represented during the football season by Bro. Bartelme as assistant graduate manager; by Bro. Lawrence as sub full-back, although he has taken part in every game this season; and by Bro. David on the football committee. Bro. Brown is managing the comedy club this year, and Bro. Fitz Gerald is still a member of the club after two years as president. Bro. Watting is assistant manager of the musical clubs, of which Bros. David and Bradshaw are members. Bro. Harris played a star game at quarter-back for the '03 Lit. football team. Altogether we have our fair share of college honors for so early in the year, but nevertheless we are striving for others in order to maintain the high standard set by the other chapters of our fraternity.

Phi Kappa Psi House, Ann Arbor, Mich., November 30, 1902.

Wisconsin Alpha—University of Wisconsin.

J. H. Friend, Correspondent.

Wisconsin Alpha was unable to announce in the last publication of "The Shield" the names of her six initiates, so she now introduces to the fraternity at large Bros. Stanley G. Dunwiddie and Rollin Lewis, of Janesville, Wis.; Chas. Marsh, Chas. Leslie and Frank Carpenter of Evanston, Ill., and Douglas H. Lawrence of Sterling, Ill. The chapter now numbers eighteen members. This is comparatively small for a Wisconsin chapter. However, fraternity zeal makes full compensation for the lack in numbers.

About the middle of October, Bro. Lyle in his capacity of archon for this district, made a visit of inspection to the University of Texas. He was accompanied by Bro. Monnette.

The Northwestern game which was played at Madison November 8 brought a number of Illinois Alpha men to visit us. A few of the brothers followed the 'varsity team to Minneapolis for the annual game and were well entertained by Minnesota Beta. Following, came the games at Chicago where the brothers enjoyed the hospitality of Illinois Beta.

Bro. Marsh '06 played half back in the Northwestern, Minnesota and Chicago games and is a candidate for a "W" when they are conferred in the spring.

The chapter is further represented in athletics by Jack Friend, who was elected manager of the track team this fall.

Bro. Lewis is out for the crew.

The chapter attempts to give a social entertainment each month and has up to date given two dances at Keeley's, at which a few of the alumni were also present.

Among the Phi Psis whom the chapter has entertained this fall was Bro. Hartmann of West Virginia Alpha and of the Harvard alumni club. Bro. Hartmann stopped at the house while looking after business interests in the city.

Madison, Wis., Dec. 4, 1902.

Wisconsin Gamma—Beloit College.

Frank Thomas, Correspondent.

The third issue of "The Shield" finds the affairs of Wisconsin Gamma running along smoothly. Fall athletics over, the pool and ping pong

tables are coming more into favor as well as the old chairs about the fire place. This would be an ideal time for a visit from some of the alumni.

Your correspondent is in receipt of a very friendly as well as instructive letter from Bro. W. A. Atkinson of Perry, N. Y., in which he reminds us of the interest and appreciation which the alumni of a chapter have for its "Shield" letter, and of the corresponding disappointment caused by its absence.

A fortnight ago Bro. Thompson gave a dinner to the members of the chapter at his home on College avenue. Later in the evening "Shorty" entertained us with stories of the early days of Wisconsin Gamma.

The football season for Beloit closed just previous to Thanksgiving Day. Bro. Don Slater '04 was unanimously elected captain of next year's team.

Two weeks ago the chapter gave another informal dancing party.

Bro. Curtiss, of Ill. Beta, spent a few days with us last week. Bro. Curtiss is managing the lecture courses of Mr. Herbert Booth.

Bro. Bentley paid us one of his welcome visits the last week of November.

Beloit, Wisconsin, December 3, 1902.

Minnesota Beta—University of Minnesota.

Rene T. Hugo, Correspondent.

In looking forward, when writing the last "Shield" letter, it seemed that space reserved for Minnesota Beta would have to be blank this time, but since then there has been a few "doings" which may be of interest to some of the other chapters.

Last fall the "big five" in the Greek letter world here, namely, Deke, Alpha Delta, Psi U., Chi Psi and Phi Psi met and in the conference drew up an agreement, the principal point of which was that there was to be no rushing of fraternity material in the high schools. Supplementing this President Northrup made a rule to the same effect. Along about the middle of the year the agreement was broken by the Psi U's. For this breach of faith and for disobeying his orders Prexy publicly reprimanded the above named fraternity. Even after that there were many evidences of certain fraternities not living up to the spirit of the agreement. Finally Prexy was appealed to. He promised to do something, but the matter dragged along until everyone had nearly forgotten about it. About two weeks ago, however, Prexy put us all in a fever by announcing in chapel that he would have nothing more to do with the fraternity situation, that we could rush when and where we pleased—that we could pledge kindergarteners if we so desired.

It took the boys about two minutes to get the meaning of his speech and then one by one the representatives of the different fraternities began to slip out of the back doors and break on the dead run for a phone, a street car, a carriage—anything to get the first dates with the high school men. For the rest of the day there were few fraternity men attending classes. Phi Psi was a little slow in getting away, but as the quarter mile pole is reached she is pulling up on the bunch, and by the time the half mile is passed she will be well in the lead and running easily. The race is a long one and it is better to start slowly and increase gradually, saving strength for a final spurt on the last lap. Minnesota Beta has money up on the lavender and pink.

Psi Upsilon pledged twenty-one high school men the first night, the men (?) ranging from seniors to freshmen. We, acting on a more conservative and we believe a firmer basis, have so far pledged eight men, five of whom enter college next year,—"but the end is not yet."

To us as university students the football season just closed has not brought all that could be desired, but to us as Phi Psis it leaves nothing but pleasant memories of visiting brothers. We enjoyed the visit of the Wisconsin boys very much, and that of Bro. Lyle, archon of the district, was especially productive. Through him we learned many things about the fraternity at large that will be very helpful to us in deciding matters that may come up in the future. We wish these inter-chapter visits might be more frequent as they do much toward establishing a closer bond between the brothers and to do away with the spirit of provincialism which is so prevalent in some of our chapters.

Last week we gave our bi-monthly smoker to about fifty of the alumni. These smokers are a source of great pleasure and benefit to the chapter, and judging from the increasing number of older men who attend these little functions they also enjoy them. It certainly is an inspiration to hear some old grey-haired Phi Psi talk about his chapter and his fraternity. Their enthusiasm and interest in the active men do much to encourage us and spur us on to greater endeavors. In order to keep in touch with our married brethren who find it difficult to get out evenings, we make it a point to have some alumnus and wife take Sunday dinner with us.

In closing we wish to extend to Iowa Alpha the thanks of our chapter for the entertainment they gave the boys from Minnesota Beta and to all the other chapters we send our fraternal greetings. Duluth, Minnesota, Thanksgiving Day.

Iowa Alpha—University of Iowa.

A. K. Hess, Correspondent.

We take pleasure in presenting the names of our three initiates, Bros. Harry D. Willis of Iowa City, Roy E. Mason of Albia, and Will V. Thornburg of Linden, Iowa. The ceremony took place November 1. At present we have two pledges whom we hope to take in in the near future.

During the past month we have received visits from Bros. Fred Carr, Gleason, Ben F. Swisher, Brownlie and Hawley. If any of the brothers are able to make a stop at Iowa City we are always glad to have them out to the house during their stay.

Bros. Patee, Reed and Neustadt paid us a visit at the time of the Minnesota-Iowa game.

Chancellor Lewis Ross, father of Bro. D. L. Ross, of Council Bluffs, Iowa, passed away last week. We extend to Bro. Ross our sincere sympathy in his bereavement.

Iowa Alpha entertained at a party last month.

Kansas Alpha—University of Kansas.

Sydney S. Linscott, Correspondent.

It was the pleasure and privilege of the active chapter to become acquainted with, and partake of the hospitality of our loyal and enthusiastic alumni of Kansas City, at the annual banquet on Thanksgiving Eve. at the University Club. For many it was our first such treat. We were seated in the elegant dining room of the club house at 7 p. m. with Bro. E. E. Porterfield as toastmaster. The evening was spent in feasting, singing Phi Psi songs, and each brother in turn responded to a toast. A strong Phi Psi spirit prevailed, as well as an eagerness to advance her interests in any possible manner. We wish to take this opportunity to thank the alumni for their generous assurance of assistance toward a chapter house when the time comes; and especially Bros. Neff, Gentry, DeLano, Geo. Robinson, Denton Dunn, F. C. Thompson, H. E. Esterly, Lloyd Atkinson, Walter Powell, Fred Wood, W. H. Loomis, Ade Shennan and E. E. Porterfield for their appropriation of one hundred dollars for furniture for our present chapter house. Kansas Alpha is now out of debt, and from this time on it will remain so.

A Phi Psi chapter at the University of Missouri was next discussed and a committee of three appointed to investigate the conditions at Columbia. There ought to be a chapter there for two reasons: firstly, many good men go there from Kansas City who should and would be Phi Psis; secondly, Kansas Alpha is practically alone, and if Missouri had a chapter Kansas could help Missouri and vice versa. Action ought to be taken upon this matter, and that soon.

Bro. Porterfield was elected president of the K. C. A. A. for the ensuing year. Bro. Neff vice-president, Bro. Wood secretary, Bro. Shennan treasurer.

Kansas is again jubilant over a victory over Missouri on the grid-iron. Phi Psi was present and instrumental in bringing about this victory, with Bro. Peters at left tackle and Allen at right guard. Allen was pledged the day before the game, much to the surprise and humiliation of Beta Theta Pi. We also take pleasure in announcing

that George Hazen has been captured since our last writing. Mr. Hazen is a Kansas Cityian and has the qualification of being a good student as well as the distinction of being a thirty-second degree Mason at the age of twenty-two.

Bros. Brent and Chester Woodward, of the alumni, Bros. Cockins, Ramsey and your humble correspondent of the active chapter, wish to express our gratitude to Nebraska Alpha for the many favors bestowed upon us during our brief stay in Lincoln. Our one request is, "may we have an opportunity to show our appreciation."

On Friday, December 5, we will give an "informal" for our pledges. Again we wish to extend a cordial invitation to any wandering Phi Psi who stumbles into Lawrence to unhesitatingly "butt in" and make his headquarters at our chapter house, at 922 Ky. street.

Nebraska Alpha—University of Nebraska.

P. F. Bross, Correspondent.

Interest this fall at the university has largely centered in football and Phi Psi is proud of her share in Nebraska's team which was not scored against during the season. Bro. Ringer played left guard and was in every play in all the ten games. Everyone is speaking in the highest terms of Bro. Engels. The members of the team are especially pleased as they have always been supplied with the things they needed. Bro. Engel went to Chicago after the Thanksgiving game to arrange for games next year with members of the "Big Nine."

Nebraska Alpha was very pleased to open their house to five of the brothers from the University of Kansas who came to see the game on November 8. After supper we gathered around and smoked and sang Phi Psi songs. We are very glad that we had this chance to meet the brothers of the neighboring chapter.

On the evening of November 24 some of the brothers had the pleasure of meeting Bro. Rogers from Ill. Alpha, who was here with the Northwestern football team.

Nebraska Alpha is very fortunate in receiving from time to time visits from her alumni. Bro. H. L. Kimball of Spokane, Washington, was around the house in November for about a week and we all enjoyed getting better acquainted with him. It always does the chapter good to receive these visits from the alumni who have made Nebraska Alpha what it is. Bros. Benedict, Wiggerhorn, Reed and Crandall have attended some of the football games and have been around to the house.

Bro. Douglas has been "taken into" the Vikings—a social inter-frat. Our chapter now has three members in the inter-fraternity.

Our entertainment committee is planning a characteristic Phi Psi house party to be given during December.

Nebraska Alpha wishes her alumni and all Phi Psis to know that her house is always open to them whenever they may be in the city.

California Gamma—University of California.

Geo. F. Beard, Correspondent.

The fall term is at an end; the mid-year examinations will begin in a couple of weeks, and we will soon go to our homes to spend the Christmas holidays.

California Gamma is in a flourishing condition. Our freshmen have all proven to be jewels, and our standing in college is excellent—we rank second to none. We have two men pledged who will enter college after Christmas; this will swell our number of freshmen to seven for the year.

We have recently had the pleasure of being visited by Bro. Asire of Ohio, Bros. Hopkins and Raymond of Chicago, and Bro. Frank Burr of Ohio.

We were represented on the football field by Bro. Bert Austin, who played a magnificent game at right guard on the freshman team in the contest with Stanford.

Bro. Earl Stone, a graduate member of California Gamma who is now attending the University of California Medical College in San Francisco, has just presented us with a fine billiard table. Bro. Stone is a loyal Phi Psi and his gift was greatly appreciated by us all.



Dr. Eugene G. Carpenter,

We have received the sad intelligence of the death of our brother, Dr. Eugene G. Carpenter. During his active membership in our fraternity, Dr. Carpenter was an earnest student and was enthusiastic for all that furthered the interests of Phi Kappa Psi. In after life he retained an ardent enthusiasm for the welfare both of his parent chapter and the fraternity at large. He was genial, generous, and full of sympathy. In him were combined perfectly the qualities of culture, of the serious professional man, and of the loyal fraternity brother. He ever had that confidence in young men which inspires them to the best efforts. His high character is worthy of emulation and the influence of his life will be lasting.

Whereas, We deeply deplore the removal of one so eminent in his profession, so noble in his ideals, and so dear to our fraternity by reason of his long and faithful devotion to its welfare.

Resolved, That we proffer to his bereaved family, in their great loss, our most sincere and heartfelt sympathy.

Resolved, That a copy of these resolutions be sent to his family, to "The Shield," and that they be inscribed upon the chapter records.

MORRIS HOYT,
ARTHUR J. PARSONS,
STANLEY C. ROETTINGER,
DANIEL R. FROST,
Committee.

Hugh A. McCabe.

Whereas, It has pleased God in His infinite wisdom to take from this world our esteemed and beloved brother, Hugh A. McCabe, and

Whereas, In his death the Ohio Delta chapter and the Phi Kappa Psi fraternity at large loses one of its most loyal, true and devoted members; therefore, be it

Resolved, That we, the active members of Ohio Delta chapter, do hereby express our heartfelt sorrow at his early departure from this life.

Resolved, That our sympathy be extended to his family.

Resolved, That these resolutions be spread upon the minutes of this chapter, and that they be sent to the family and to "The Shield" for publication.

Adopted at the regular meeting of Ohio Delta chapter, Dec. 1, 1902.

CALVIN B. ROSS,
EGBERT H. MACK,
GEO. T. HOFFMAN,
Committee.

Francis Meason Philips.

Whereas, Our great Ruler in heaven has, in His divine wisdom, seen fit to remove from the ranks of our alumni our beloved and honored brother, Francis Meason Philips '86; be it

Resolved, That we, the active and alumni members of the Mississippi Alpha chapter of Phi Kappa Psi, feel and lament profoundly the loss we have sustained in the death of Bro. Philips, who, as a student, won the esteem and affection of all who knew him; and as an alumnus, by his upright, manly life, reflected honor upon his alma mater and upon his fraternity. Be it further

Resolved, That these resolutions be inserted in the chapter minutes and a copy of them be sent to his family and "The Shield."

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Bro. Arthur A. Hoadley, Pa. Kappa, has a good position with the Duquesne Steel Company, at Duquesne, Pa.

The annual chapter banquet of Pennsylvania Kappa will be held at the Bellevue Hotel, Philadelphia, on January 17.

Bro. Burt F. Lum is a member of the law firm of Ripley & Lum, with offices at 410 New York Life Building, Minneapolis, Minn.

Gen. J. Warren Keifer, Ohio Beta, of Springfield, Ohio, is one of the three surviving ex-Speakers of the National House of Representatives.

Howard N. Cassel, Pa. Kappa '00, is a member of the firm of A. N. Cassel & Son, wholesale dealers in lumber, with offices and yards at Marietta, Pa.

P. H. Winchester, N. H. Alpha '99, is assistant engineer of the R. W. and O. division of the New York Central railroad, with headquarters at Watertown.

G. Arthur Seaman, Pa. Kappa, has been appointed secretary to Congressman Cassell of the Ninth Pennsylvania district, and is now located in Washington, D. C.

Bro. Andrew J. Mayers is with the Hubbard Banking Company, of Hubbard, Ohio, and Bro. H. H. Mount with the Third National Bank, of Greensburg, Indiana.

Bro. C. S. Hallowell, of the advertising department of Collier's Weekly, has changed his residence address from 166 Remsen street to 119 East 24th street, New York City.

Bro. A. Mitchell Palmer, Pa. Kappa, a prominent attorney of Stroudsburg, Pa., was one of the spellbinders assisting ex-Governor Pattison in his recent campaign for governor.

Bro. Frederic F. Hall, who has been for some time with the California Development Company, of Calexico, California, has entered the University of California for a course in mining engineering.

Bro. Sproul has prepared a highway bill for introduction at the closing session of the Pennsylvania legislature which opened in January and which has excited considerable favorable comment in the daily press.

Brothers William C. Sproul and William G. Underwood, of Pa. Kappa, have just been elected members of the board of managers of the Swarthmore College corporation. This selection is quite an honor to the brothers of the fraternity.

L. N. Scott, Cal. Gamma, is with Logan and Bryan, 11 Broadway, New York. Bro. J. J. Kline, of the same chapter, is now at 29 Broadway, New York, where he is employed as engineer of the Stanley Electric Manufacturing Company, of Pittsfield, Mass.

G. E. Behr, Jr., of the Harvard Alumni Club, writes: "The Harvard Club had a mighty successful celebration last evening, (Dec. 12). Phi Psi enthusiasm was kept warm in spite of the weather. New England's 'icy mountains' can't freeze up Phi Psi spirits, even if there is ice on the stove."

Bros. W. R. Turner and E. M. Bassett, of Pa. Kappa, have both secured positions with the United Gas Improvement Company of Philadelphia, in the engineering department. Bro. Robert Manley, of Pa. Kappa, has been with this company for some time, and is in charge of their Allentown, Pa., plant.

At the meeting of the American Archaeological Institute, held December 31 and January 1 and 2, at Princeton, New Jersey, the presiding officer was Bro. John Williams White, Professor of Greek in Harvard. He introduced Bro. Woodrow Wilson at the opening session, who delivered an address of welcome.

Bro. Geo. Gibson Hurst, former archon of the southern district, advises "The Shield" that the new regulations at the University of Mississippi affecting the admission of men to secret societies is working satisfactorily. The law is being generally observed, and is correcting certain evils incident to former haste in selecting men.

M. E. Blystone, formerly Section Director of the U. S. Weather Bureau at Springfield, Ill., is now managing the weather at

Phoenix, Arizona. If there is not an improvement in the climate of Phoenix and other summer resorts this year, it will not be for lack of efficient effort on the part of the section director, who is a loyal Phi Psi.

"The Shield" is in receipt of the first alumni letter of the year to reach this office, that of Indiana Delta. It is a newsy, interesting document. "The Shield" feels like suggesting in this connection that the brothers who prepare alumni letters can render an important service to the fraternity by presenting the interests of "The Shield" therein.

Bro. Harry A. Mackey, Pa. Theta, of Philadelphia, was a candidate on the Reform ticket in that city for State Senator, and while unsuccessful made a remarkable race, receiving a great many more votes than any one else on the ticket. Bro. Mackey has been conspicuous for some years as an orator and worker in the reform movement in that city.

Cards have been received from Mr. and Mrs. James Compton announcing the marriage of their daughter, Margaret Gould, and Mr. Adolph Oscar Eliason. The wedding occurred December 31, at the home of the bride's parents in Minneapolis. The "at home" announcement is for the first and second Tuesdays in February: at Montevideo, Minnesota.

An announcement received by "The Shield" reads as follows: "Mrs. Martha J. Moulton announces the marriage of her daughter, Helen Field, to Mr. Benjamin Swisher, on Wednesday, November 26, 1902; Glenwood, Iowa." Bro. Swisher is a well known and popular alumnus of Iowa Alpha. Mr. and Mrs. Swisher are at home at 628 Millan avenue, Waterloo, Iowa.

Bro. John H. Frizzell, Mass. Alpha, of State College, Pennsylvania, writes: "Since I arrived here I have met two Phi Psis, Bro. William Frear, Pa. Gamma '81, who is Professor in Agricultural Chemistry, and Bro. Stanley Brooks, who, as traveling agent for Roehm & Sons, makes us an occasional visit. There is scarcely material here for an alumni association, though I wish there were."

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. George Gibson Hurst, December 9, a daughter, who is entitled Mabel Gibson Hurst. Bro. Hurst, by the way, has the following copies of "The Shield" which he would be glad to let some brother have to complete his files: No. 6, Vol. 17; No. 1, Vol. 18; Nos. 1, 3, 4, 5, Vol. 20; No. 7, Vol. 21; No. 1, Vol. 23, and would like to secure the following mentioned numbers by purchase or exchange: Nos. 4, 5, 7, Vol. 19.

The Washington Alumni Association is manifesting more activity this winter than at any time for years past. Nowhere has the fraternity a finer body of alumni than in the national capital, and the renewed life of the organization is cause for congratulation. Bro. A. E. H. Middleton, one of the moving spirits of the associa-

tion, writes that the dinner of December 17 is to be followed by one on January 18, and the annual banquet on February 20.

A. E. Dickey, Indiana Alpha '94, has made a gift of \$2,500 to the department of biology of DePauw University in honor of his father, the late Governor Dickey. Five hundred dollars will be expended in additions to the departmental library, and a fund of two thousand dollars will be used as an endowment, the receipts to be used in purchasing additional books from year to year. This is a very wisely conceived contribution to Bro. Dickey's alma mater.

President Woodrow Wilson, of Princeton University, is at work on the development of a plan of his own which will be an innovation in American universities. He intends to introduce the tutorial system into Princeton, such as is used in Oxford, and by which tutors are available for every student in his individual preparation for classes. This and other changes proposed will require \$12,500,000, which President Wilson has faith he will obtain.—Indianapolis News.

The Fort Wayne News says: "Charles L. Henry, former member of congress from the Anderson-Indianapolis district, the man who financed the Union Traction company and then sold out, is financing a road from Cincinnati to Indianapolis, and recently had occasion to file a \$5,000 bond with the town councils of three small towns on the line. In doing so he made oath that he is worth \$1,000,000." Mr. Henry is an alumnus of Indiana Alpha whose son is now an active member of that chapter.

A Lafayette, Indiana, dispatch of January 6 says: "J. C. Kelsey has been selected by the Purdue Athletic Association to coach the Purdue baseball team this coming season. Kelsey had charge of the team the latter part of last season and not one of the ten games that he coached the team for did they lose. He captained the University of Kansas baseball team for four years and later held the backstop position on the Kansas City league team. He has charge of the telephone department at Purdue and is very popular with the students."

Bro. Chas. E. Merritt, of Mount Holly, N. J., who delivered a most interesting address at the semi-centennial celebration at Canonsburg, says that his remarks on that occasion as printed in "The Shield," were so edited as to make him say "divine inflatus" instead of "divine afflatus." "Divine inflatus," he says, "would seem to be something like windbag, and while the remarks warrant such interpretation, what I meant was the 'afflatus divinus' of our classical days." The editorial revision in question was done by the linotype, which, as Bro. Merritt suggests, seems to work intuitively at times.

C. C. McCabe, Indiana Gamma, has formed a law partnership with Benj. Crane at Crawfordsville, Indiana, succeeding in the firm A. B. Anderson, Indiana Gamma, recently appointed federal

judge. Bro. McCabe, who now resides in Covington, will not take up his residence in Crawfordsville until next spring. The interesting fact is noted in the Crawfordsville Journal that when Bro. Anderson represented Indiana in the interstate oratorical contest at Iowa City, Iowa, in 1879, and took only second place because of illness, his successful competitor was Robert LaFollette, now governor of Wisconsin.

If any Northern Phi Psi thinks of taking a trip to a section of country where the shortage of coal is not worrying anyone, he could not do better than to drop in on Brothers Waite and Frame, of Mass. Alpha, who are managing the Grand Atlantic Hotel, at Daytona, Florida. Even reading the prospectus issued by the brothers, wherein there is something about "golden days and silvery nights with azure skies mirrored in placid waters, and balmy air freighted with the perfume of the orange and the rose," has helped "The Shield" management to overlook the weakness of the natural gas supply during the past few weeks.

Bro. John R. Tackett, Miss. Alpha, was one of the central figures in an interesting event described in a Columbus, Miss., dispatch to the New Orleans Times-Democrat: "A very beautiful wedding attracted a large and fashionable crowd to the Fifth Presbyterian Church on Thursday afternoon, October 16. Miss Juanita Ayres, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Claude Hutchins Ayres, and Dr. John Robert Tackett, of Meridian, were the happy couple." An elaborate and beautiful wedding is then described. Dr. and Mrs. Tackett left after the ceremony for New Orleans and Cuba. Upon their return they took up their residence in Meridian, where, as the dispatch states, Bro. Tackett "is a prominent physician."

S. C. Parks, Jr., Mich. Alpha, cashier of the First National Bank, of Lander, Wyoming, writes: "It is a pleasure to note, even from this remote quarter, that the fraternity continues to prosper exceedingly, and certainly 'The Shield' contributes immeasurably toward the maintenance of the active interest of the old timers in present day prosperity. Of course our interest naturally centers particularly about our alma mater, and just now (December 2) the writer wants to get out in a large barn and whoop it up for Michigan, since reading the Chicago papers' account of Thanks giving doings in a football way. Here's to the Western champions—then a tiger for Yost."

Fred A. Godcharles, Pa. Theta '93, member of the Pennsylvania House of Representatives from Northumberland, is chairman of the chapter house committee of the Lafayette chapter. Thomas W. Pomeroy '96, Chas. C. Moore '98, and Richard N. Hart '02. are his associates. Plans are being prepared and the scheme will soon be launched. The personnel of the committee is a guarantee that the project will never die of anaemia. Bro. Fred A. Godcharles' name appears on the list of new subscribers, but this means that two copies, instead of one, will go to the Godcharles family at Milton, his brother having long been a subscriber, and

the second brother's subscription being only a manifestation of loyalty to a fraternity enterprise.

The following press dispatch under date of January 1 from Butte, Montana, is the peculiarly pathetic sequel to the announcement, made in the last number of "The Shield," of the birth of a son to Bro. and Mrs. W. A. Clark, Jr.: "Mrs. William A. Clark, Jr., died at 4:30 this morning. Mabel Foster Clark was born twenty-three years ago near Pittsburg, Pa., the daughter of Jno. R. Foster, who came to Butte nearly seventeen years ago. On June 19, 1901, she was married to William A. Clark, Jr., the youngest son of Senator William A. Clark. Her baby boy, for whom she gave her life, was born December 2. Mrs. Clark was a young woman of rare grace and qualities of mind and character which endeared her to a legion of friends."

N. Wilbur Helm, Indiana Alpha, instructor in Latin at Princeton, who will be remembered by "Shield" readers as the contributor of an article on "Princeton University and Her New Phi Psi President," has been selected by the International Committee of the Y. M. C. A. as secretary of the Y. M. C. A. among the students and literati of China at a point later to be decided upon. Bro. Helm will leave Princeton on February 1 to study Association methods, and will sail for China in September, stopping enroute for a visit with his brother in the flesh and in Phi Kappa Psi, Verling W. Helm, who is national secretary of the Y. M. C. A. for Japan. Bro. Wilbur Helm recently read a paper before the National Convention of the Federation of Graduate Clubs at Columbia University.

The G. A. C. committee of the Indiana Alumni Association, composed of Charles N. Thompson, Edward H. Knight and H. C. Brubaker, of Indianapolis, and Charles L. Henry, of Anderson, has issued one of the most complete and satisfactory state fraternity directories ever printed. The work of preparing this publication has devolved largely upon H. C. Brubaker, Pa. Eta, and it has been done with characteristic fidelity and efficiency. It contains a geographical and an alphabetical list of Indiana Phi Psis, numbering about five hundred, a geographical list, a state directory, a list of the national officers and publications, and a roster of the chapters and alumni associations in the state. This directory was prepared on the card system and is a continuation and amplification of the directory published by Bro. A. E. Dickey in 1901. Bro. Brubaker is entitled to the thanks of the fraternity for his labor of love. The directory is issued as the first step toward preparing formally for the Grand Arch Council, to be held at Indianapolis next year.

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The year 1902 was remarkable for the number of Phi Psis advanced to positions of high authority in educational institutions of the highest grade. The election of Dr. James and Prof. Wilson as presidents of Northwestern and Princeton respectively, was followed on December 9 by the election of Bishop C. C. McCabe, Ohio Alpha, as chancellor of the American University at Washington to succeed Bishop Hurst, resigned. Hon. A. B. Browne, president of the Washington Alumni Association, and a member of the board of trustees of the university, was made chairman of the finance committee at the same meeting. The American University is the great Protestant post-graduate institution projected at the national capital. Its campus occupies a commanding site overlooking Washington, and it has grown greatly in value since it was purchased a few years ago. A Hall of History has already been erected, and is a beautiful stone structure. A second building will be completed in the spring, the McKinley College of Government. The resources of the embryo institution already run into the millions, and it is expected that Bishop McCabe's chancellorship will mean the early completion of enough buildings to make possible the organization of a faculty.

Louis G. Haas, Ohio Delta, has been promoted to the position of assistant general manager of the Baltimore and Ohio R. R. The Pittsburg Gazette says: "L. G. Haas, who is only thirty-seven years old, has had a notable rise in railroad affairs, his new position in Baltimore being one of general jurisdiction in affairs of the Baltimore & Ohio. As superintendent of the Ashtabula & Erie division of the Pennsylvania lines west, he attracted the attention of L. F. Loree, who had become president of the Baltimore & Ohio, and he was made assistant to the general manager of the Baltimore & Ohio, June 1, 1901, which office he held till the following May, coming here for the office which he now leaves. Mr. Haas was educated at the Ohio State University. He entered railway service in 1886 as a chainman on construction work for the Cincinnati & Richmond. The next year he became assistant in maintenance of way work on the Chicago, St. Louis & Pittsburg, at Logansport, Ind.; after that he rose rapidly to assistant engineer, Cleveland & Pittsburg; then assistant engineer, Newport & Cincinnati Bridge Company; then assistant engineer

of the Fort Wayne; then engineer maintenance of way for the Toledo division of the lines west; then engineer maintenance of way, Erie & Ashtabula, and then its superintendent."

Mrs. R. J. Burdette, wife of "Bob" Burdette, Indiana Gamma, is one of the notable women of California. She is first vice-president of the California Federation of Women's Clubs. She was the first woman in the United States to design and build a club house for her sex. Mrs. Burdette is described by the Washington Post as "a lady of rare mental accomplishments and remarkable personal beauty." She was one of the founders of Alpha Phi at Syracuse University. With her husband she has recently been in Washington attending a meeting of the executive board of the National Federation of Women's Clubs, where Bro. Burdette was interviewed by the Washington Post. He said, in part: "Yes, my home is now in California, and the lovely city of Pasadena has the honor of being my postoffice. At home I am, contrary to the usual order, more renowned than anywhere else. It is a place where many tourists come, and not long ago a hospitable Pasadena matron was pointing out my abode to some visiting friends from the East. 'There,' said she, 'is the residence of Mr. R. J. Burdette, the well known author and poet.' A lady in the company said she knew of me as a prose writer, but never heard of me as a maker of verses. 'Oh, yes,' said No. 1, 'he writes nice poetry, too, but doesn't sign his own name to it. All his poems are signed James Whitcomb Riley.'"

The chapter house of New York Beta at No. 113 College Place, Syracuse, was badly damaged by fire on the evening of December 20. The damage done to the house and furniture is estimated at \$8,000; the amount of insurance is \$9,560. The fire was caused by an over-heated furnace pipe. Members of the chapter were at home for the holidays, and only Bros. Maxwell G. Phillips, Indiana Alpha, and Harry E. Elden, of the active chapter, were in the house when the blaze started. Bros. Phillips and Elden discovered the fire, fought it until the case appeared hopeless, and then with the assistance of volunteers from neighboring fraternity houses, saved as much of the contents as possible. The furniture from the first floor of the house, including a valuable piano, was saved. A valuable library owned by Instructor Albert J. May, of the University, was destroyed. Bros. Elden and Phillips, who had been rendered homeless by the fire, accepted the hospitalities of Phi Gamma Delta. It had been planned to hold a reunion smoker, to be attended by Phi Psi attending the various educational conventions at Syracuse, on the night of the fire, but the alumni who "showed up" encountered only the smoking ruins. The chapter house will be rebuilt as soon as the insurance can be adjusted. The house was built by the fraternity in 1896, and was designed by three Phi Psi architects. Bros. Frederick W. Revels, Earl Hallenbeck and Gordon W. Wright.

Bro. E. C. Little, Kansas Alpha, delivered a touching and eloquent eulogy of the late Chancellor Spangler at the memorial exercises held in Lawrence. The entire text of the address tempts quotation. In closing Bro. Little said: "The most equitable and accurate measure of a man is that taken by his college associates in those halcyon days of youth for which time provides no sufficient substitute save those a man finds in the circle of his own happy home. In that array of brilliant and ambitious young Kansans who twenty odd years ago assembled on Mount Oread to watch the sunrise of their lives, Spangler shone with a splendid and magnificent lustre that has been amply reflected and justified by all his after life. His gallant ship that came so proudly in with the flood, went out before the ebb of the tide. But the history of that voyage that was already so crowded with achievement, yet still so full of promise, shall forever be on Mount Oread a sign to those young men who come from the farms and villages of Kansas, that pure character, gracious courtesy, strict adherence to duty may bring to high talents the success achieved by William C. Spangler, who, even yet in the summer of his life, had vaulted from the blacksmith's lowly anvil to the Chancellor's lofty station, and dying left his children that proudest heritage, a good name, won and crowned by a life of friendliness and gratitude, dignity and talent, virtue and honor." A fine address was delivered on the same occasion by Bro. Spangler's friend, Frank D. Hutchings, Kansas City, Kansas.

Ho! for Colorado, 1903.

The Colorado Alumni Association is in the field already with the announcement of their second annual camp meeting scheme for next summer. They have started right and all the preparations are going ahead in a thoroughly business-like way. A company has been incorporated, 300 acres of land have been purchased and a handsome rustic lodge is to be built in Estes Park, Colorado. Here, for the three hot summer months, the Phi Psi may come and rusticate in his own house, fish in his own river and catch his own trout. It is truly the most enchanting prospect and in a future number of "The Shield" a picture of the splendid site of the new home, with the beautiful view presented therefrom, will be given.

This is a splendid plan, and should receive the enthusiastic support of the fraternity. Write for further information to Bro Edward R. March, 204 Colorado Building, Denver, Colorado.





"The Shield" will publish in each issue the names of those alumni who have paid their subscriptions to the fraternity journal since last publication. This will serve as a receipt to paid-up subscribers, and at the same time as a directory of "live" alumni. This custom was inaugurated at the beginning of Volume 21, and consultation of the various lists will show members of the active chapters and secretaries of alumni associations which of their members are and are not subscribers, and enable them to conduct an intelligent campaign for the increase of "The Shield" subscription list. Corrections of names and addresses as printed in these lists are invited, and any person having paid since last issue, whose name does not appear, should make immediate inquiry of "The Shield" office in order to receive proper credit.

The following named alumni have paid subscriptions to "The Shield" since last publication of the list in the December number, up to January 1st,

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Minnesota Beta.

The Phi Psis in Duluth gave their annual banquet January 2. About twenty were present, among them Phi Psis of all ages and from every part of the country.

Bros. Claypool, Richards and Howard, Minn. Beta 01, who are working in the mining country near Hibbing, Minn., spent Christmas with their parents in Duluth.

Bro. Harland Wentworth, Minn. Beta '05, who left college last spring, is expected back for the second semester.

Bro. C. B. Miller, Minn. Beta '99, is acting attorney for St. Louis county, Minnesota. Bro. Miller is a rising young lawyer of great ability, and the fact that he has been selected to fill this important position shows that the people recognize that ability.

Buffalo Alumni Association.

Richard H. Templeton, Contributor.

You will notice by the date of this letter that the correspondent for the Buffalo Alumni Association of Phi Kappa Psi has at least one good resolution, and has also carried the resolution into effect. While this correspondent has been asleep the Phi Kapps in this vicinity have been active, and already have held two "feeds" of which no mention has been made in "The Shield." Our first affair was held at Almen-dinger's Cafe on the last Friday evening of October and was attended by more than a dozen loyal brothers. At that meeting we decided to hold bi-monthly lunches to take place on the last Friday evening of alternate months from that date. Wandering alumni please note date. Our second meeting was held on the Friday evening after Christmas at the same place, and we had the pleasure of meeting seven or eight undergraduate Phi Kapps from Syracuse University, who were spending their vacation in Buffalo.

We find on examination that of the forty or more Phi Kappa Psi men in this vicinity, almost one-half the number are from the Syracuse chapter, so that it was with much sorrow that we learned of the destruction of New York Beta's fine new chapter house by fire on December 30.

We had a great surprise at the last feed in securing Bro. Guy Hubbard, who was playing at Shea's theater in the city, to respond to a toast. Those who have met Guy, both as archon of the old first district and as actor, know that the toast was worth going to hear. Bro. "Doc" Manges acted as toastmaster, and as he is a past master in the art of story telling there was no time lost. Bro. Reuben Coatsworth, who represented N. Y. Delta, told us how Phi Kapps pulled wires in politics, and Bro. Wm. Slade of the same chapter made some very 'unkind' remarks about the ladies. We had Bro. E. G. Stackpole of Allegheny College with us for the first time. He has lived in

Buffalo four years, but somehow has never come in touch with the alumni association. I would like to remind the active chapters that secretaries of alumni associations would be mighty glad to get the names of brothers who locate in their vicinity, and as secretary of Buffalo Alumni Association I will be pleased to receive the names of the brothers of any chapter who may be located in Western New York. The meeting adjourned to Shea's and took in Bro. Hubbard's performance, and we would suggest to the associations in the different cities that they keep tabs on theater announcements from Bro. Hubbard and his little company. He gives a clever little act and Phi Kapps should not miss it.

Let me remind the brothers who find themselves compelled by business or pleasure to visit Buffalo, that they will always find a loyal Phi Kapp with a good large hand ready to welcome them at the Buffalo Savings Bank Building.

Buffalo alumni are looking with confidence toward the new year and wish the fraternity at large the greatest measure of success.

Buffalo, New York, January 1, 1903.

Johnstown Alumni Association.

F. S. Love, Contributor.

Memories, fond memories, of Phi Kappa Psi were everywhere present at our informal banquet and smoker on Monday evening last. In other words, the evening of December 29, 1902, can truly be registered as the banner event in the history of our Johnstown Alumni Association. The guests of honor were our newly made brothers, Charles E. Hays and Robert I. Hays, of Washington and Jefferson College. Francis B. Hamilton, of Columbia University, and Frank P. Barnhart, Princeton '02, now attending "Dickinson" law school. As toastmaster the keen wit and humor of Bro. Rev. Dr. Hays shone even brighter than ever, and by the time Bro. Judge Bell had finished his toast on "Reminiscences of Phi Kappa Psi" the goal of true enthusiasm had been reached. Following Bro. Bell were toasts from Bro. Beisecker, Esq., "Greetings to Initiates;" Bro. Johnson, "Greetings from the Pittsburg Alumni Association;" Bro. Major Cunningham, "How to Keep Young;" Bro. Little, Esq., "Greetings from Over the Mountain;" Bro. Greer, Esq., "How an Alumni Association can Help the Active Chapter;" Bro. Chas. E. Hays, "Riding the Goat;" Bro. Barnhart, "How it Goes to be Initiated." Brief toasts were also given by Bros. Capt. Kooser, Esq., and A. L. G. Hay, Esq., both of Somerset, and Bros. Nesbit, Esq., and Dibert, of Pittsburg. To bestow individual credit on the speakers is not the writer's intention. Suffice to say that the "toasts" were all exceptionally high class, and it is our sincere regret that we cannot give to "The Shield" a record verbatim.

A coincidence of more than passing interest should here be recorded. At our first banquet, less than one year ago, there were eight Phi Psis around the "festive board;" at our second there were sixteen brothers present, and at this our third banquet, there were thirty-two wearers of the "pink and lavender." The rest is a wordless story. A feature of the evening that should not be overlooked was the greeting of each toast with our fraternity yell:

High, high, high,
Phi Kappa Psi!
Live evcr. die never,
Phi Kappa Psi!

Another feature, too, were the Phi Psi songs led by Bros. Greer, Kooser and Reed. In fact, it has been suggested that these three brothers be elected permanent officers in our "choir department."

The following is a detailed list of brothers present with their permanent address and vocations attached: Hon. Martin Bell, Hollidaysburg, Pa., present judge Blair county; Maj. T. D. Cunningham, Blairsville, Pa., president First National Bank; T. H. Johnson, Esq., Pittsburg, Pa., chief consulting engineer Pennsylvania railroad; Alvin L. Little, Esq., Bedford, Pa., district attorney Bedford county; Harry J. Nesbit, Esq., Pittsburg, Pa., attorney-at-law; Mr. Grant Dibert, Pittsburg, Pa., manufacturer; Hon. F. W. Biesecker, Esq., Somerset, Pa., attorney-at-law; Capt. E. O. Kooser, Esq., attorney-at-law; A. L. G. Hay, Esq., attorney-at-law and banker; Mr. E. M. Love, manufacturer; Mr. Paul Reed, Bedford, Pa., law student; Prof. C. H. Risser, Windber, Pa., principal of Windber schools; Mr. Chas. S. Evans, Ebensburg, Pa., secretary to his father, Congressman Evans; Mr. Geo. E. Anderson, Latrobe, Pa., Geo. C. Anderson & Sons; Mr. Russell C. Love, Greensburg, Pa., business; Rev. C. C. Hays, D. D., Johnstown, Pa.,

pastor of First Presbyterian Church; C. C. Greer, Esq., attorney-at-law and city solicitor of Johnstown; Bruce H. Campbell, Esq., Johnstown, Pa., attorney-at-law and president of B. H. Campbell Brick Co.; Mr. Selah Linton, Johnstown, Pa., civil engineer; Mr. Roy E. Keedy, Johnstown, Pa., with Cambria Steel Company; Mr. George Walker Williams, Johnstown, Pa., with Cambria Steel Company; Mr. Albert T. Smith, Johnstown, Pennsylvania, W. H. Smith & Bro.; Mr. Robert I. Hays, Johnstown, Pa., student Washington and Jefferson; Chas. E. Hays, Johnstown, Pa., student Washington and Jefferson; Mr. Frank P. Barnhart, Johnstown, Pa., student Dickinson law school; Mr. Francis B. Hamilton, Johnstown, Pa., student Columbia University; Mr. George A. Foster, Johnstown, Pa., student Johns Hopkins University; Mr. Curtis Fisher, Johnstown, Pa., student Pennsylvania College; Mr. Harry Penrod, Johnstown, Pa., student Jefferson Medical College; Mr. Wm. G. Woods, Johnstown, Pa., business; Mr. Frank S. Love, Johnstown, Pa., the Love & Sunshine Co. Too much credit cannot be given the entertainment committee for the very marked success of our holiday banquet. And it is only just that honor be given where honor is due. Should any other alumni association want the recipe for "bottled enthusiasm" your correspondent would suggest that they write our committee. Bros. C. C. Hays, chairman, Albert T. Smith, secretary, B. H. Campbell, E. O. Kooser and Roy E. Keedy.

Any time you are in Johnstown, don't fail to look us up, if for no other reason than "bottled enthusiasm."
Johnstown, Pennsylvania, December 31, 1902.

Washington Alumni Association.

The Washington Star of December 18, says: A dinner was given last evening at Barton's by the Washington Alumni Association of the Phi Kappa Psi fraternity, under the skillful guidance of Mr. A. B. Browne, the president of the association and the toastmaster. Toasts were responded to by W. L. Shallenberger, of the Postoffice Department; W. H. Woodward, of Lincoln, Neb.; the Rev. G. Livingston Bayard, of Chester, Pa., and Dr. W. L. Alexander, national vice-president of the fraternity. Among the institutions represented were Columbian University, University of Virginia, University of West Virginia, Washington and Lee, University of Michigan, University of Illinois, Indiana University, University of Pennsylvania, Bucknell University, Swarthmore College, Lafayette College, Dickinson, Cornell and Allegheny Colleges. Those present were: Dr. W. L. Alexander, A. B. Browne, S. J. Butterfield, W. T. Burch, William M. Curtiss, the Rev. Dr. Lucien Clark, Dr. H. B. Deale, Dr. Thomas Dowling, Dr. W. Ashby Frankland, Stanhope Henry, Dr. H. T. A. Lemon, Arthur E. H. Middleton, the Rev. Dr. F. D. Power, Robert L. Preston, Preston Ray, Dr. C. W. Richardson, C. L. Sturtevant, George A. Seaman, Arthur Snell, John Sherman, Jr., W. L. Shallenberger, E. G. Thompson, S. T. Suddarth, the Rev. G. L. Bayard, W. H. Woodward, C. W. Clement, Ralph Wormelle, R. B. Tenney, J. C. McCartney, W. W. Greer and F. R. Jones. The officers of the association are: President, Aldis B. Browne, vice-president, Arthur E. H. Middleton; treasurer, Dr. W. Ashby Frankland; secretary, C. W. Clement.

Massachusetts Alpha Alumni.

During the past seven or eight years the alumni of Mass. Alpha have distributed themselves all over the United States, to say nothing of Europe and the Philippines. In the far Northwest is one of the older brothers who still keeps burning brightly the love for his chapter. This is Bro. John A. Rockwood '96, whose address is 667 Everett street, Portland, Oregon.

Robert V. R. Reynolds '98, a year or so after his graduation, went West for his health and for a time did the cowboy act on a ranch at Tappan, North Dakota. Later he entered the work of the United States Forestry Department, surveying and setting out seedlings for cultivated forests. He recently returned East, going to Washington on business connected with the department.

John P. Garfield '98, was married on December 30 at Barton, Vt., to Miss Julia F. Owen. They will be at home after February 1 at Enfield, Conn., where Bro. Garfield is pastor of the Congregational Church.

Everett E. Thompson '99, has recently been appointed temporary head of the examining board of the civil service bureau at Manila, P. I.

Edward D. Gaylord '99, was married on December 3 to Miss Charlotte C. Hunt, Chappaqua, N. Y., a graduate of Mt. Holyoke College in 1900. They are living at Charlemont, Mass., where Bro. Gaylord is pastor of the Congregational Church.

New York Alumni Association.

Walter A. Dyer, Contributor.

Nothing of note has transpired in New York Phi Psi dom during the past month. Additions are being constantly gathered into the fold and there are now some 275 Phi Psis on the roll. The new officers of the association have entered upon their duties with zest, and plans are on foot for making the monthly meetings of even greater interest than in the past. The December meeting was full of spirit and well attended. One of the most welcome of our recently elected members is Bro. Winthrop E. Scarritt, Ind. Alpha '82, a successful broker and a great automobile enthusiast. At our meeting of January 19 we expect to have Bro. Lawrence E. Fell and his body guard of Philadelphians with us. Our latch string is always out.

Pennsylvania Zeta Alumni.

Bro. Ted Hindman, of Pa. Theta, is pursuing the study of law in Pittsburg, Pa.

Bro. Samuel Boyer '91, is engaged in the contracting business in Scranton.

E. McNeal Shannahan '02, is engaged in business at Easton, Md.

The alumni association of Johnstown, Pa., gave a large reception during the past month and many prominent Phi Psis from different parts of the country were present.





Pennsylvania Zeta, Dickinson College.

E. J. Carlin, Correspondent.

Bro. E. Mode Vale, captain of company G of Carlisle, Pa., was married in Philadelphia, Pa., on December 9, to Mrs. Ellie Francis Hoffman, a charming and popular lady of Carlisle, Pa. All Phi Psis extend best wishes.

Before the close of the fall term a "fair" was held for the benefit of the athletic association and about three hundred dollars was added to the fund. Phi Psis were prominent in making the fair a success.

After the close of a successful season in football under the captaincy of Bro. Stanton the members of the team unanimously elected Bro. Williams to lead the team for the season of 1903. Bro. Williams played a star game at end and will make a good captain.

Shortly after the winter term begins the candidates for the baseball team will be called out. Phi Psis will have Bros. Cook, Hall and Carlin to try for positions on the team.

When the next letter is sent in Pennsylvania Zeta hopes to have two more brothers in the name of Phi Psi.

Carlisle, Pennsylvania, January 2, 1903.

Pennsylvania Theta—Lafayette College.

Hugh M. Miller, Correspondent.

Our first term exams ended on December 17 and all our fellows are now separated and enjoying a three weeks' vacation at their different homes.

Bro. John Clemson '06 did not recover from his operation in Chicago in time to return for exams but will be with us next term.

We start next term with our ranks somewhat depleted, as three of the brothers will not return to college.

Bro. Sands '04, left college at the close of the term and is now preparing to take up Biological work, probably in the Biological Survey.

Bro. Kennedy '05 will not return but instead will make preparations to enter Yale '05 next September.

Bro. Witte '06 is at home in Trenton, N. J., and will probably enter business.

Bro. Bayard Eckard '01, spent his Christmas vacation at his home in this city. He is located in Pittsburg, Pa., with the Westinghouse Electric Company.

Bro. Dwight Chidsey '01, was also at home here. He is doing civil engineering work and located at Pittsburg, Pa.

At the recent election Bro. Mackay '05, was unanimously elected president of his class for next term.

Under the efficient management of Bro. Walter Haldeman '03, our basketball team bids fair to have a successful season. We are represented on the team by Bros. Walter and Ed. Haldeman '03 and Bro. Soles '04.

The junior class here is arranging for a week of festivities during the latter part of the coming term to be known as junior week. Bro. Soles '04, represents us on the committee of arrangements.

Arrangements have already been begun for the usual Founder's Day banquet. To our alumni, or any Phi Psis who may happen in the city at that time, we extend a kind invitation and assure you a hearty welcome.

Easton, Pennsylvania, December 31, 1902.

*Pennsylvania Iota—University of Pennsylvania.**G. H. Bickley, Correspondent.*

Pennsylvania Iota held her last meeting for 1902 on December 16 and at this meeting the officers for the coming term were elected. They are: Bro. George W. Childs, G. P.; Bro. Sidney J. Repplier, P.; Bro. Warren Marshall, A. G.; Blaney Beach, S. G.; Bro. Edgar M. Cortright, Ph., and Bro. Riley, H. The Christmas recess began on the following Friday and nearly all the brothers had left college by that time.

Bro. W. Griffith Gribbel gave a dance at his home at Wyncote on December 27, at which we had a most enjoyable time.

All the brothers are very sorry to hear of the illness of Bro. Galbreath of Pa. Gamma, who came to the university this fall.

On January 14 we hold our annual chapter banquet at the Bellevue, 113 South St., Philadelphia, Pa., January 4, 1903.

*Pennsylvania Kappa—Swarthmore College.**F. Bramwell Geddes, Correspondent.*

After a very pleasant vacation, longer than usual, the brothers have once more assembled for the winter's work. With the "mid-year exams" looming up darkly in the distance, and with hockey and "Gym" work, there will be plenty to keep us all busy.

The annual banquet is now fast approaching, and we expect to have as jolly a time on the seventeenth of January as at past fraternity banquets. It promises to be a great success, and is being much anticipated by the brothers.

During the vacation we had the rooms cleaned, and we hope that they will be in satisfactory condition to receive our alumni after the banquet.

A college dance given in the recent holidays was a very enjoyable event. "Queens" and Phi Psis were both in evidence (may they ever go hand in hand) and we all managed to crawl in in the wee hours of the morning, a tired but happy crowd.

Swarthmore, Pa., January 4, 1903.

*Massachusetts Alpha—Amherst College.**W. Virgil Spaulding, Correspondent.*

"A Happy New Year to all Phi Psis!" is Massachusetts Alpha's wish as we enter upon 1903.

On January 2 the college opened for the winter term and the town is beginning to assume its accustomed appearance. The two weeks of the Christmas recess have gone swiftly and have brought, all too soon, as most of us are inclined to think, the season of study once more.

As regards athletics the two weeks of December during which the college was in session formed a sort of interim between the football and basketball seasons, so that there has not been much activity in this line, although the preliminary practice of the basketball team has been begun.

On December 6 Massachusetts Alpha held an informal dance at the chapter house. It was the first which we have held this season, and was a very enjoyable affair.

Owing to the short time that the college has been in session since our last letter, Massachusetts Alpha has but little to report save her already expressed wishes for a Happy New Year to all.

Amherst, Massachusetts, January 3, 1903.

*New York Beta—Syracuse University.**Lloyd E. Brown, Correspondent.*

New York Beta recently gave the most expensive smoker on a large scale probably ever given before in the history of the institution.

On December 30 at 5:30 p. m. the handsome chapter house at No. 113 College Place was gutted by fire from a defective furnace pipe and the dwelling became almost a total loss. The conflagration took place during the Christmas vacation when all but two Phi Psis were away

from the chapter house. At the time an educational convention was being held in the city and a number of the older members in town for the convention had planned to give a "smoker" that night as a sort of old time jollification, in honor also of the visiting brothers from other chapters, but three hours before the time set, the house was in ruins. A large part of the salvage work was done by students from the Psi Upsilon, Delta Kappa Epsilon and Phi Gamma Delta chapter houses, and New York Beta desires to record here its appreciation of their services. Several of the local chapter, made homeless by the fire, spent the night at the home of Bro. Gilbert G. Benjamin '99, near the chapter house, and also at the Phi Gamma Delta house. Both house and furniture were covered by sufficient insurance, amounting to \$9,560. The chapter is planning to rebuild the house and expect to have everything in excellent shape for the D. C. here in April. Most of the furniture not totally destroyed by fire has been moved to No. 805 Comstock avenue, where the chapter has taken up temporary quarters, until April 1. The fraternity records escaped damage, and were found after the fire located in the only part of the assembly room not completely wrecked.

The house was comparatively new, having been erected in 1896, and was designed by three Phi Psi architects, Eros, Frederick W. Revels, Earle Hollenbeck and Gordon W. Wright. The two former are now professors of architecture in the university, and Bro. Wright was formerly head of the department.

Just a year ago another chapter house, that of the Delta Gamma sorority, was badly damaged by fire.

The value of property owned by New York Beta is estimated at sixteen thousand dollars.

During the Christmas vacation the following brothers were in the city: Bros. Helfer '02, Walrath '89, Burr '01, Benjamin '99, Green '00, Williams ex-'04, Jewell '97, Paddock '95, Lester '00, Baker '02, from this chapter; and Bros. Joe Bullock, Maybee, Bennett, Jenkins, Thomson, Jones, Smith, of New York Epsilon; Bro. Parker of New York Delta.

Bros. H. R. Templeton, Lowe, Hurrell, I. R. Templeton, Middleton, Brown, R. H. Templeton '99, R. E. Benjamin '00, W. L. Heller ex-'00, and Helfer '02 participated in the annual dinner of the Buffalo Alumni Association of Phi Kappa Psi held in Buffalo this vacation.

805 Comstock Avenue, Syracuse, N. Y., January 3, 1903.

New York Gamma—Columbia University.

Thomas R. Buell, Correspondent.

The holidays with their attendant pleasures and relaxation have come and gone and the fellows are coming in from all directions with glowing accounts of an enjoyable vacation.

Bros. Anderson and Catron spent the holidays with Bros. S. B. and L. Smith at their home near Boston, Mass., where they spent the time boating, hunting and having a good time generally. Bros. Hamilton and Longwell went to their homes in Pennsylvania but have not returned at time of writing. Bro. Sullivan spent his vacation in the sunny South, in Virginia, where he reports having had a very pleasant time, although he found it somewhat difficult to keep warm in that rigorous climate.

In the annual cane sprints between the sophomore and freshman classes in which the sopns were victorious, one of our brothers won the middle weight bout.

On the 18th, 19th and 20th of December the soph. show, in which we were represented by Bro. Burch on the committee of management, was given at the Carnegie Lyceum. It was quite a success.

New York, January 4, 1903.

New York Epsilon—Colgate University.

J. H. Hutchinson, Correspondent.

The winter term of 1903 finds New York Epsilon in good condition. The fall term was a prosperous one for this chapter. In football she was represented by Bros. Smith, captain, and Larkin and Whitman. Six good men from the freshman class have been initiated into the fraternity. Two men, Sweet of the academy, and Callahan '04, of the college, have pledged Phi Psi. Nor has New York Epsilon been behind in the social life of the university. In the early part of December an

informal reception was held in the chapter house. Quite a number were present and spent a very enjoyable evening.

Bro. George L. Bennett '00, principal of the Hamilton high school, was some time ago elected as a delegate to the meeting of principals of New York state, held at Syracuse, N. Y., during the latter part of December.

During the last week of the term some inconvenience was caused to those who roomed in the chapter house, by the bursting of the boiler by which the house was heated. A new boiler and furnace have been bought and put in place, ready for use at the beginning of this term.

Amsterdam, New York, January 3, 1903.

New York Zeta—Brooklyn Polytechnic Institute.

E. W. Boughton, Correspondent.

The new year finds Zeta active as ever and eager to keep up the good work. With vacation just over we return to work thoroughly refreshed.

We wish to introduce to the fraternity our latest initiate, Bro. Harry T. Spellman '06, who is president of the freshman class.

Bro. McCarty '06, has had to resign his part in the college play. His place was taken by Bro. Boughton '03. Bro. Sartorius '05, also made a part. The date of the performance is February 6, and so far everything is progressing rapidly under the dramatic association's Phi Psi management.

The joy of the Christmas season was somewhat dampened by the reports of the illness of three of our loyal alumni, Bros. I. S. Voorhees '01, Wm. O. Weidmann '02, and L. F. Warden ex-'05. All are away searching for their lost health. Bros. Voorhees and Weidmann are in California, and Bro. Warden in the Adirondacks.

On New Year's Eve the alumni and the active chapter, and also such guests as could be found in town, celebrated befittingly. Of course it was a rattling good time. New Year's Eve at 95 Court street is a sure cure for the blues.

On the senior class committees appointed last month we were well represented. Bros. Journeay and Pirie served on the Christmas banquet committee and Bro. Weuster is chairman of the committee in charge of the senior mid-winter ball. This occurs this year on January 25 and is one of the season's chief events in Brooklyn.

Bro. Murphy is fast rounding the baseball schedule into shape. We should turn out a good team next spring, and Bro. Murphy's list of games makes it necessary that we do to be in the swim.

The annual Christmas fight between the lower classmen resulted this year in a victory for the sophs. inasmuch as three freshmen were captured and escorted to the sophomore banquet.

At the senior class dinner Bro. F. W. Chandler '96, now assistant professor of literature, gave us a delightful talk and Bro. Journeay spoke for the class.

The basketball team, with Bros. Weidmann and Glick playing forwards, won its first game on December 8, defeating the Imperial A. C. 15 to 10. Bro. Broadhurst is managing the team and a successful season is looked for. Recent elections in the athletic association have placed Bro. G. M. McCarty '06, as secretary of the association, and Bro. C. P. Ferguson '03, will manage the indoor interclass games to be held in March.

Bro. Behr '99, tore himself away from Harvard for awhile and dropped in New Year's Eve. Another brother whom we haven't seen for quite a while and who appeared also, is Bro. Paul Bonyng '96. All the rest of the old stand-bys were on hand, drilling the Phi Psi spirit into such of the newly joined brothers as were on hand.

Brooklyn, New York, January 3, 1903.

Mississippi Alpha—University of Mississippi.

D. O. Clark, Correspondent.

Mississippi Alpha has very little to write in this letter. The first term examinations are over and all the brothers made every creditable grade. The Christmas holidays are over and the brothers are back again ready for work.

It is my pleasure to introduce to the fraternity at large Bro. J. M.

Hairston of Crawford, Miss., who has been initiated since our last letter.

Bro. R. D. Lanier '98, was recently elected mayor of Brookhaven. Bro. Lanier is a rising young lawyer and is very popular in his town, as is evidenced by the large majority by which he was elected.

Bro. Foster '03, and Bro. Rencher '01, are candidates for the legislature from Holmes and Kemper counties respectively.

Bro. Clint Steinberger '01, is editor and proprietor of the "Tupelo Industrial Review," Tupelo, Miss.

Bro. Hinds Howie '01, of McComb, Miss., has recently taken unto himself a wife. The best wishes of all the brothers are his.

University, Mississippi, January 3, 1903.

Ohio Delta—Ohio State University.

Egbert H. Mack, Correspondent.

Have you begun to wonder if Ohio Delta has departed this natural life? Your humble servant apologizes most sincerely for his failure to do his duties. The chapter is very much alive, the correspondent is entirely to blame for lack of notice to the general fraternity as to the condition of affairs in Phi Kappa Psi at Ohio State.

Several of the old men were again on hand at the beginning of the year and succeeded in landing three fine fellows. Ohio Delta is proud to introduce to the fraternity Eros, Charles J. Stark of Findlay, Ohio, Dick Newman of Mechanicsburg, Ohio, and James Randall of Indianapolis, Indiana. Unfortunately Bro. Beatty was taken ill shortly after the opening of the term and was forced to leave college. His place will be filled the coming term by Bro. Willis Campbell, who comes back to resume studies broken into by illness last year.

Bro. "Smike" Nelson of Ohio Alpha has also signified his intention of entering Ohio State and will make a welcome addition to the chapter.

An increase of 150 over the attendance of last year marks another record step in the growth of the Ohio State University. This steady gain will, in the next few years, place this university "neck and neck" in the number of the student body, with the other large universities of the middle west. A much needed increase in the state allowance, together with a magnificent gift by a wealthy Ohioan will materially aid this growth and development.

One new building just completed for the law department, another building under construction, and plans for two more formally adopted are good evidences, both of the university's growth and of the comfortable increase in available funds.

The chapter has hoped to be able to announce in this letter that a suitable chapter house would be Ohio Delta's home for the year 1903. For some time efforts have been made to find and rent a house for the chapter, but nothing can be obtained within a reasonable distance from the university. A meeting of the Columbus Alumni Association will be called in the near future and definite plans adopted for the purchase of a home for Ohio Delta. At present no fraternity owns a chapter house at the Ohio State University. Phi Kappa Psi shall and will be the first one to inaugurate this custom.

Columbus, Ohio, January 3, 1903.

Indiana Alpha—DePauw University.

Turley Stephenson, Correspondent.

As Indiana Alpha sends her letter to "The Shield" this month her twenty-four members are widely and diversely scattered over all Hoosierdom, accounting for their conduct while absent from the parental roof the last three months, and clearing up the mysteries that hang around the "c's" and "f's" that somehow, through error or otherwise, were stamped upon their report cards. However, by the time the January number of "The Shield" reaches us, the Christmas festivities will have been over and the work of the second term begun.

One of the most pleasant occasions of the past month was the debut of Bro. Gavin's glee and mandolin club, in which six out of the twenty-four members were Phi Psis, besides Bro. Gavin, who is manager. The occasion was one of the society events of the season and it seemed that all De Pauw turned out "en masse" to do honor to the club which represented the university over the state during the recent vacation. The trip just closed by the club was the most successful

in the history of the institution, and everywhere they were received with the greatest enthusiasm, and words of praise and commendation were given them wherever they appeared. Many of the places where they stopped tried to engage them for a similar occasion a year hence. In no little measure can the success of the trip just closed by the club be attributed to the manager, Bro. Gavin, who worked diligently and consistently in its behalf, and who in the end has brought honor to himself and his college and likewise to the fraternity. But in no less degree do the individual members share in the honor, six of whom were Bros. Salem and Lockwood Town, Arthur Osborne, Walter Holmes, Russell Allen and Edward Shaw.

Since the recent issue of "The Shield" there have been some changes in the faculty of our institution. Dr. Hickman, who had been chancellor for a number of years has resigned, his resignation to take place at the close of the college year next June. It is rumored that President Gobin has also resigned, whether it is only a rumor or not we are not in a position to say. Dr. Gobin is reticent upon the subject and gives out no information whatever.

We expect to have with us next term Mr. Arthur Lockwood, brother of "The Shield" editor, and the other well known Phi Psi Lockwoods. While we can not as yet introduce him as brother, ere this has gone in print we shall be fearfully disappointed if he has not ridden the Phi Psi goat into realms of mystery and perplexity. It might be added that since our "William" received news of his coming, he began at once in preparation for the occasion and that he is now ready to meet his expectant candidate "behind and just below the vest" in a most impressive manner.

Bro. Milton Neely, a '02 alumnus and a student at Purdue University, honored us with another visit last month and of course we were, as we are with all our brothers, glad to have him frequent his alma mater often.

As a word of apology to those of our brothers who read this letter we would explain that its brevity and possible lack of interest is due to the fact that half of the last month has been taken up with vacation and the other half with examinations.

A happy and most prosperous New Year to every wearer of the shield wherever he may be, and may the lamp of fraternal love shine more brightly on the sacred altar of every brother in Phi Kappa Psi than in all time past.

Phi Kappa Psi House, Greencastle, Indiana, January 4, 1903.

Indiana Beta—Indiana University,

Frank H. Hindman, Correspondent.

Since our last letter Indiana Beta has closed a very prosperous and successful term, and while this is being written the brothers are all at their homes enjoying the holiday vacation, preparing to go up against the hard things of next term with renewed vigor and to enter into its pleasures with greater zest. With the football season over, individual time and energy can be given to the regular college work.

Three Phi Psis were granted the privilege of wearing the "I" as members of the varsity football team. These are Bro. Knight, Bro. Bryan and Bro. Ross. Bro. Sherman was captain of the second eleven. Bro. Bryan is one of the few men in the university with a double "I," having won last spring for himself and the university the bicycle championship of the state.

January 20 is to be a big day for Indiana University. It is the anniversary of the establishment of the institution in 1820, and is annually observed as Foundation Day. In addition to this, the formal inauguration of President William Lowe Bryan will take place, at which representatives from all the leading colleges in the country will be present and participate. The new Science Hall which has been in course of construction for the past two years is ready for occupancy and will be dedicated on January 20. On the preceding evening will be presented the annual student play, the cast of which includes several Phi Psis.

We are making preparations for an alumni dance and reception on the evening of the 20th, and it promises to be a grand affair. We expect to have present a great number of the chapter's alumni, and hope to get into closer touch with them than we have been heretofore, and to arouse in them a greater interest in the life and prosperity of the active chapter.

The Student's building for the school is now assured, the \$30,000

additional, which was necessary to secure the \$30,000 offered by Rockefeller having been raised.

We send greetings to all sister chapters and hope that 1903 will be the best in its history for Phi Kappa Psi.

Bloomington, Indiana, January 3, 1903.

Indiana Delta—Purdue University.

Arthur R. Bradley, Correspondent.

On the Friday before Christmas college closed for the holiday recess and so at the time of this writing the brothers are scattered throughout the country enjoying the anticipated good time to which each was looking forward.

Soon after the departure of our last letter for "The Shield" we placed the colors on Thomas DeSalles Sheerin and William G. Kaylor. Both are from Indianapolis and we are confident that they will be an additional strength to Indiana Delta and the fraternity in general. Both are out for the basketball team; the latter played a star game as full-back on the 'varsity all through the recent football season.

The only occasion of social nature which has occurred of late was that of our annual Christmas dinner which took place on the evening before college closed. We had with us at that time our city alumni and also Bros. Omar Berry and Warner Ross. Bro. Berry has been in the south since September in the interest of the Illinois Central railroad.

In conclusion Indiana Delta extends to all her sister chapters and Phi Psis everywhere a most successful and prosperous year.

Phi Kappa Psi House, Lafayette, Ind., January 2, 1903.

Illinois Beta—University of Chicago.

Edward G. Woods, Correspondent.

Another quarter has passed and another convocation has taken place and both have left their mark upon Illinois Beta. The sorrows of graduation that most chapters have to endure but once, or, at the most, twice a year, come to us four times and the closing of this last quarter played sad havoc in our ranks. Bro. Richard Neptune was the sole receiver of a degree, but Bros. Dean Swift and Guy Randle joined him in leaving us.

But the vacation was not altogether a painful one. New men have risen to take the vacant places. On January 3 Bros. Hugo Ernst, Frank VanTesmar, Martin Cornelius, Joseph Sibley and Bertholf Pettit were initiated.

Monday, January 5 was made pleasant for us by the presence of Bros. Atwood and Sherwin of New York Alpha, and Bros. Lyle and James of Wisconsin Alpha, who were passing through Chicago on their way back to school. We wish that more of the Phi Psis who find it necessary at any time to come through this city would start a day earlier and spend a short time with us at 5635 Lexington avenue.

Bro. Root of New York Alpha is attending the University of Chicago and will be for the next two quarters. He has declared his intention of returning to Cornell next year, but we hope that he will change his mind.

Bro. Burnie, California Alpha, is in this city and has visited us several times to our pleasure and profit. It is seldom that we have the opportunity of entertaining any of our Western brothers, or of even seeing them, and consequently when the chance does present itself it is greatly appreciated.

Chicago, Illinois, January 3, 1903.

Wisconsin Gamma—Beloit College.

Frank Thomas, Correspondent.

In this, the first "Shield" letter of the new year, we take pleasure in introducing the following new brothers: Hobart Cory, Louis Edbrook, Roy Wright, Irvine Taylor, Fred Craven, Ralph Schellenger and Edward Hart. The initiation was held Saturday night, December 13, and after it was over thirty-six men, old and new, sat down to a most enjoyable supper. The following men were present from out

of town: Bros. Smith, of Rockford; Palmer, Eckland and Peterson, Wis. Alpha, of Janesville, Wis.; Burchard, of Ft. Atkinson, Wis.; John Dupee, of Earlville, Ill.; and Dudley, of Spring Valley, Ill.

School opens Tuesday, January 6, and five brothers have already returned. The chapter starts on the new year with twenty men, twelve of whom are rooming at the house.

Bro. Arthur Goble, of Minnesota, is visiting us for a few days. Bro. Goble spent his "prep" days at Beloit and expected to enter college here, but two days before school opened he decided to take a "pre-med" course and left for Minneapolis. We greatly miss Bro. Goble, his violin and his happy smile, and we congratulate Minn. Beta in getting a good fellow and a loyal Phi Psi.

Bro. Bunge '02, visited friends in Beloit a few days ago.

Bro. Findley, Wis. Alpha, is stopping over with us for a day or so on his way to Madison.

Bros. Myers '01 and Smale '01 have been visiting in Beloit during the holidays.

Beloit, Wisconsin, January 3, 1903.

Minnesota Beta—University of Minnesota.

Rene Trevanion Hugo, Correspondent.

The holiday season is drawing to a close and all Minnesota students are preparing to return to work, but probably the most eager to get back are the Phi Psis, not necessarily eager to get back to work but to get back with the boys, to the house where we are spending the happiest hours of our lives. When a short absence of two weeks makes us miss our old associates, what will we do when we must give up our rooms in the old house and leave the boys who have been our closest friends, our brothers?

A little incident happened in Duluth a short time ago which goes to show the power of a handshake. A certain Phi Psi, Minnesota Beta, active, had been "cut off" several times when in the midst of an interesting conversation over the 'phone. Said 'phone had made itself obnoxious in several other ways and the above mentioned Phi Psi with blood in his eye and voice, choking with anger, entered the manager's office with firm determination to roast him to a turn. A kindly faced old gentleman turned from his desk and said "good morning." "Good morning, sir," began the roaster, "my name is Blank and I want to—" "Son of P. J. Blank? Well, I'm very glad to meet you," and reaching out his hand he gave his visitor a hearty handshake. This was not what Mr. Roaster expected but he recovered and went on. "I want to know what—" "Pardon me, Mr. Blank, but won't you sit down? Better open your overcoat, it's pretty warm in here." The complainant was getting more angry at every interruption but he mechanically obeyed. When he threw back his overcoat he found his inside coat open and noticed that the manager eyed him closely. "Now, Mr. Space," again began the young man, "I want to know if—" "Beg pardon, Mr. Blank, but aren't you a college man?" "Yes sir." "May I ask if you joined a fraternity?" "Yes sir, I am a Phi Psi, but—" "Well, I thought so. I could only see the edge of your pin but something told me that you were a brother of mine. I'm from Pennsylvania Theta '76."

The roaster was grasping the hand of Mr. Manager and squeezing it in good old Phi Psi style, when he awoke to the fact that he had not yet completed his business, but they got to talking about Phi Psi, Pennsylvania Theta and Minnesota Beta and after about an hour the reformed roaster found himself on the street and remembered that he hadn't said a word about the 'phone. The next day the following was heard: "Hello! This Mr. Space? This is Blank talking. Our 'phone has been giving us a little trouble of late, Mr. Space, and I wish you'd see if it can't be fixed. What? O, yes. All right, thank you. Yes. No, I won't forget, Saturday night for supper. I'll be there. Good bye." And the 'phone hasn't given any trouble since.

Minnesota Beta boys will be a happy set for the next month or so. The annual banquet to the chapter given by the Twin City Alumni Association, the chapter banquet and the annual Phi Psi ball, all come inside of four weeks. Then, too, we have semester exams the last week of January.

Word has just been received here that the man who was hired to attend to the furnace during our absence from the house went on a drunk, and as a consequence the water pipes froze and broke, flooding the upper floor and ruining the plaster and carpets. The extent of the damage is not stated but sufficeth it to show the horror of other people's drinking.

But although the house proposition looks a little blue at present, the prospects for an excellent year are before us. Since our last letter we have pledged another Duluth man, making this city solid for Phi Psi. In preparing statistics for the annual report, we find ourselves to be in excellent shape internally and with respect to our rivals.

With best wishes for the New Year and fraternal greetings to all the chapters, we close this last letter of 1902.

Duluth, Minnesota, December 30, 1902.

California Gamma—University of California.

Geo. F. Beard, Correspondent.

We have passed our mid-year examinations and are now in the midst of our Christmas vacation, which lasts three weeks. College reopens on January 12.

The house is closed and all of the brothers have gone to their homes to spend the holidays.

When college opens we will initiate two men who will enter at that time, and hope to find some more, as we always do, although there is not a very large field to choose from at that time of the year.

If things turn out as we expect, our house will be filled and we will be living in the height of prosperity next term.

We were again permitted to enjoy the hospitality of the brothers of the California Beta chapter. They gave a dancing party a short time ago which was a great success. The great congeniality between our chapter and California Beta makes it possible for us to enjoy each other as well as brothers in Phi Psi should.

Berkeley, California, December 29, 1902.



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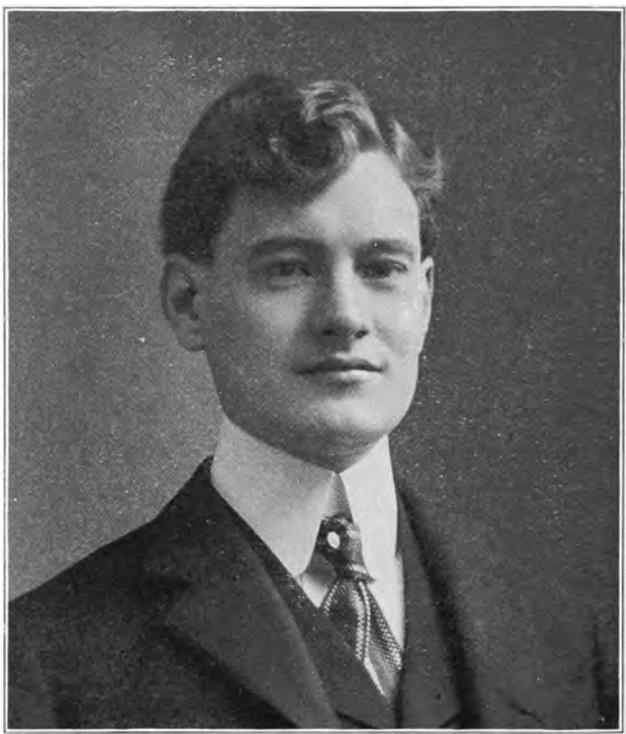
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Another cycle has been completed in the recordable, fiscal and statistical history of the Phi Kappa Psi Fraternity. The time has now arrived when constitutional law and established precedent call for an extended and detailed account of the official stewardship of the affairs of our beloved organization. The framers of our written law were wise and far-seeing in their enactment of the requirement. The resultant benefits to undergraduate and alumnus, individually, and to Chapter and general Fraternity, from a governmental and organizate standpoint, set forth in and issuing from an annual report of and an associated commentary upon conditions attendant upon the Fraternity are various, manifold and important. In view of this the requirement and custom are to be especially commended. With the hope that the record may prove gratifying in its exemplification of growth and prosperity, that the larger spirit and abundant vitality made manifest may show its reflection in every quarter, that a revival of eager anticipation may exhibit itself in the contemplation of future prospects and that little may be noted to condemn or to

cause regret, the following account is very respectfully submitted by the Secretary of the Fraternity. Considerate attention and thoughtfulness are invited to all that is presented in the ensuing report. May it please and delight and warm the hearts of those who long since have bowed and worshipped at the mystic shrine of Phi Kappa Psi. Let each undergraduate, officer and alumnus attend, with an hearing ear and a receptive heart. What is written is written in sincerity and truth, and is offered with open cordiality and affection.

Before proceeding further, one date comes within the period of time which this report must of necessity cover, which is particularly worthy of mention. The natal day of the Fraternity is February 19. This day of the past year, 1902, marked the close of the first epoch of the Fraternity's existence. With this date, just fifty years of grand and inspiring history were rounded out. Our semi-centennial celebration in honor of the fact and event, at Canonsburg was eminently fitting and appropriate. It was remarkable in two things. The past was fully and proudly demonstrated. The first fifty years are a mighty forerunner of hope and promise to be realized in the next fifty. Has any brother thought, more than passingly or lightly, of what grand old Phi Psi has hoped, conceived and exemplified in these first years? Great speeches were delivered and inspiring thoughts were uttered on the day of the celebration which incited the emotions and stirred the hearts of all who were fortunate enough to see and hear. Who was not, in his own estimation at least, a foot taller as he proudly stepped forth from the old but consecrated place of the Fraternity's birth? But, the many years are before the organization. If sentiment lead us, the fact justifies. If confidence assure us, the achievement measures it. If anticipation abide, unremitting faith sustains us. If strangers chide us for our fancy, we scorn the interference. May it be the fortunate lot of some one who was in Canonsburg during the afternoon of April 1902, to be likewise in Canonsburg February 19, 1952. That will complete a century of history. Will the review then be more satisfying and the forecast then be more auspicious, than now? Loyalty to purpose, fidelity to fraternalism, devotion to organization and consecration to ideals, continuously and unswervingly, give the answer.

This is the fiftieth annual report submitted by present and former Secretaries of the Fraternity. Our fiscal year ends upon December 15 of each year. It is unfortunate that the date is not February 19. Undoubtedly some error has crept into former legislation which has caused the discrepancy. At the same time, perhaps the former records were not as pregnant with facts and details for report and comment as now, and hence were not of so much import and interest and consequently the reports were more irregular and less uniform. It would serve to instruct and to engage the curiosity at least to compare, were the same possible, the first report with number five, fifteen, twenty-five, forty and then fifty. One can imagine the decisive points of compar-

ison and the pleasure-giving contrast. It is well that improvement is the order of the age. It is a commendable fact that the general growth and progress have not exhausted themselves in other directions and displayed their shortcomings and weaknesses in published reports. It is the highest purpose of these to display accurately and truthfully what each brother conscientiously desires to know of and concerning his beloved Phi Kappa Psi. Thoroughness and faithfulness to fact should be the highest virtue possessed by the annual report. This is devoutly sought in the present case.

As formerly, this report covers the year commencing December 15, 1901, and ending December 15, 1902. Perhaps the more substantial and important part is that including the statistical tables, comparisons and summaries. Facts and figures are credited at least with speaking the truth. Certain general information also finds place. This may not be within reach of those interested and hence may prove valuable. Official deductions and comments only afford the view taken by those in touch with pertinent and immediate conditions. This survey is likewise valuable in affording two observation points to the reader, his own from without and the other from within. As this is admittedly not literature or so attempted, the speculations, vagaries and rhetorical creations of the writer are only his poor attempt to give ornament and dress to dry and barren fact and detail and to sustain interest and enthusiasm in consideration of what should be read, studied and mastered, if every chance reader is to prove himself worthy of his membership. Altering the well-known aphorism to a better purpose, he who reads may run; he who studies may be inspired; he who masters "what this Phi Psi means" may more than honor her as he honors himself.

This report, as others submitted in former years contains: the names and residences of all attending members of each Chapter; all initiations; all transfers; all deaths, and dismissals and expulsions for the year, and in addition, a table of relationship; a table showing the Chapter's ownership and rental of Chapter houses; a table showing the states from which the membership of 1902 came; a table showing what professions and vocations the present prospective graduates of our Chapters anticipate fortunate entrance upon; and a general summary, into which are combined and reduced the vital and evidential statistics giving the actual condition of the Fraternity upon December 15, 1902.

The value of the report may be held to depend in a large measure upon the source of its included information. Each Chapter is required to submit to the Secretary and each Archon duplicate reports covering the entire year. These are the main foundation of what is presented. An extensive and widely directed correspondence proves fertile in the compilation. Personal visitation of the Chapters and associations and official interchange of information independently obtained afford large opportunities for administrative direction and supervision. Abundant information comes from other sources. Geography and distance make little

difference after all to those alive to the possibilities of increasing knowledge of fact and circumstance. Knowing that what is written has been set forth advisedly may lend flavor and invite confidence. Criticism and commendation are joined. Blame for errors rests upon the shoulders of the writer. They measure just nineteen inches across.

Not to extend the introductory statement beyond proper limits, let one thing be added. It has been customary in recent reports to offer a sentiment. This indulgence has, at least, satisfied the author. No doubt he is wedded to his ideals. Phi Kappa Psi is one. In any event no one has complained. The inditement in a favorite book compels the attention and drives the interest of the reader along the path which the author has traveled while pouring out his soul. Were the writer to offer anything at this time, the expression framed would run like this; Have you found the true spirit of Phi Kappa Psi? Is it exemplified in your life? Is the idea of brotherhood genuinely reflected in your own conduct? It is a state of living which is unselfish. It is pure. It is right. It is honorable. It is noble. It is true. It is altruistic. It prefers another above one's self. It is kind, generous and charitable. It lives, thrills and vibrates. It resides in the heart. It is the life which our sainted Lowry lived. It is the halo and glory in which he died. If Phi Kappa Psi mean anything, if fraternity really signify brotherly love, let us think on these things. With such to inspire and to incite new zeal, earnestness and devotion, let all give attention and thought to the record and comment which succeed.

State of the Fraternity.

It is almost impossible to depart from the beaten paths of former reports. Experience has proven that the time-honored method of treating and discussing conditons under the same heads and sub-heads recurring in each annual account is more suitable than any other to be hastily conceived. The plan followed heretofore will be more or less religiously employed herein.

What is the present status of Phi Kappa Psi? What are the conditions in which the organization moves at the present time and which have attended its course the past year?

Several individual elements and component parts must be examined to disclose the complete answers to the foregoing interrogations.

Our attention is primarily directed to the Chapters, which in the larger degree are the active fraternity. Next, the Alumni Associations and clubs follow in order, as alumni co-ordinates to the undergraduate organizations. The activities exhibited by these bodies separately throughout the year will reflect the growth and progress of the Fraternity as a whole during the same period. Alumnus and undergraduate are joined in responsibility and in duty with respect to a common cause. Again, an examination of the membership as to its quality and numerical value affords

the true insight into contrasted conditions of power and influence throughout the Fraternity's sphere. The individuality and personality of the members are the strength of the Chapter, association and club, as they in turn combined are the final force of the organization. Another element entering into the consideration is the administration of affairs. The proper conduct of each office of the Fraternity is mandatory. This is essential to true prosperity. The powers committed to the hands of trusted officials should be wisely and thoroughly executed. There is an opportunity here for the fulfillment of great possibilities. The manner in which these responsible duties and obligations, as they may have devolved upon each officer and archon have been carried on and discharged mark to what degree the executive direction and administration have been lively, sturdy and progressive. The next factor naturally associates itself with this. This relates to finance. Too frequently the entire strength of an association is measured by its financial resources. This is often the greater part. But while a fraternity confers upon its membership no financial benefits or gives no vested rights in its financial accumulations, yet the solvency of its monetary institutions more than preserves balance and equilibrium to other matters more rightly within the organization's objects and purposes. This condition affords soundness and stability here as elsewhere. An inquiry in this direction is also pertinent. At the same time the publication enterprises of the Fraternity should receive examination. "The Shield," Song Book, Catalogue and History, in each issue and edition distributed, display to a large extent what otherwise cannot be ascertained with definiteness and satisfaction.

It is unfortunate that each member cannot possess the enthusiasm and interest in his Fraternity's welfare which will lead him to familiarize himself thoroughly with each of these suggestive factors and elements of the state of the Fraternity. Others may be reverted upon beyond the ones particularly chosen for comment. The limits of a report are narrow. The subject to be treated of vast proportions. The broader lines opened and the stronger markings displayed may give taste and inspiration for original inquiry and investigation.

Chapter Roll.

How many times has the Fraternity enthusiast compiled to his judgment an ideal Chapter roll? It is somewhat irritating, however, to realize that all such enthusiasts do not agree in their notions upon this matter. Perhaps the true standard is yet to be discovered. Let us consider.

Phi Kappa Psi concluded her first fifty years with forty active Chapters. As with rival organizations, unforeseen calamities have come upon us in other years and our History records the life and death of twenty-two Chapters additional, which are termed "inactive." The total of sixty-two still leaves the Fraternity in the sixth place among all Greek letter organizations as far as

number of Chapters is concerned. If the position were still farther down the list it might be more satisfactory. The past year is the first stage in our history at which forty active Chapters made up the numerical size of the undergraduate bodies. Never before has that number been reached at any one time. The governmental provisions set forth in the Constitution and By-Laws properly apart these forty Chapters to five geographical Districts, giving to each respectively, nine, eight, six, nine and eight Chapters in the order of First, Second, Third, Fourth and Fifth. This is suggested for a better purpose than mere enumeration. A reference to the statistical tables even more clearly shows the even division. This approaches the ideal for governmental objects and community of interests. And when it is remembered that the unmistakably stronger institutions of learning located inside the limits of the geographical confines of each District support Chapters the force of the application increases. The writer is reminded of the map so admirably prepared by Brother J. H. Boughton and published in "The Shield" a year ago, which precisely illustrated the point sought to be made. The most conservative can find no great cause to animadvert upon either the number, location or institution represented by our Chapters. The enthusiastic extensionist can make no proposal for an additional Chapter which he can urge as a necessity. Opinions may vary with respect to individual cases but the general proposition remains intact. If the Fraternity cannot now command the respect and recognition of rivals in the collegiate world in every respectable quarter, that is likely never to be the fact. If the largest possibilities for growth and prosperity and the wider opportunities to stamp upon college life and student career the most vivid imprint of our fraternal life and purposes are not now present, they are less likely to come in the future. It would appear that Phi Kappa Psi is situated in all the best fields. The larger and more distinguished institutions of the land find our representation therein. State institution, stronger denominational college and technological university are included. All things considered, is it fair to ask whether the ideal of that enthusiastic brother does not well rest in the present Chapter roll of the Fraternity; at least as much so as any concept may fall within real fact? There is something admittedly striking in the thought. As the Chapter roll of each fraternity more or less determines the standing of such fraternity in all collegiate and Pan-hellenic centers, so to speak, the first and important factor of the present state of Phi Kappa Psi is logically shown, in its exhibited roll of active Chapters.

II.

Chapters Generally.

The highest desideratum of every fraternity is surely along the lines of internal improvement. No matter how anxiously some may desire new Chapters, the growth and development of present existing Chapters according to the best standards are more eagerly

sought. It is of little consequence that the Chapter roll exhibit "forty Chapters," unless they are shown at the same time to be forty live, active and representative Chapters. Are these characteristics the rule?

The past year has been one affording the most flattering fulfillment of promises in certain desired directions. There seems to have been more of a concentration of purpose and activity than in any previous year. An insight into this particular condition was given at the Grand Arch Council. At no time has more enthusiasm abounded, more zeal for fraternity objects existed and more energetic efforts for their realization followed. It seems as though something of the spirit which launched the new organization upon an uncertain sea of college and fraternity life in 1852, was revived in the opening of the fiftieth year of its fortunate, prosperous and vigorous career, and has prevailed and obtained in every movement and enterprise in a manner which guaranteed their success and accomplishment. The spirit of Moore, Letterman and "Tom" Campbell has been the impelling force. How much this means! Every department of college life has received industrious and faithful participation in all its activities by members of Phi Kappa Psi. College honors and preferments have been more than proportionately bestowed upon our worthy undergraduates. The athletic life of each institution has received an honorable representation of brothers, contesting for the victor's crown upon the football gridiron, baseball diamond or tennis court, or in other spheres of muscle and skill. Captaincies and managerships are in the list of important offices filled. College organizations have allotted an illustrious portion of official gifts, with perquisites of popularity and recognition at the hands of the student body to many of our members. Others have occupied positions of editorial direction and business management upon college publications, papers and annuals. Social engagements and college happenings of the higher sort have found in our members many faithful devotees. Oratorical contests, debates, class records and exemplified scholarships have proven fields for the demonstration of ability, talent and capacity of a high order. The review lengthens as each separate phase of college and university experience and career come under consideration. The influence and force of Phi Kappa Psi have not been inactive, unfelt and unknown, but have, during the year, extended and pulsated from very center to circumference of each circle of collegiate life, from old Jefferson to California. As the standing of the Fraternity is measured by the standing of each of its forty Chapters in the institutions where located; and as the standing of each Chapter is largely dependent upon the place occupied by the individual member in his student world, as his ability and personality force and demand recognition from his college instructors and student associates; so these reported and known activities illustrate and disclose the fortunate and prosperous condition all are happy to contemplate.

Particularly it is a fortunate fact that three items strengthen

the record. The report of a year ago was the first in recent years to omit to comment upon the weak condition of one or more Chapters, because such did not obtain. This year there is also no occasion for disturbance or alarm over any one Chapter. Each reports flattering situations with respect to its own status which are sustained by other information. Perhaps not all that could be desired in separate cases is disclosed, but a situation which is without disastrous and unfortunate elements obtaining in any quarter. Again, in others, such fortunate lot is attendant that previous records are completely overshadowed. The environment of Mississippi Alpha, with reference to the University of Mississippi a year ago, was such as to call for immediate attention and to excite some fear. But the trustees of the University have permitted sober judgment to over-ride anti-fraternity fanaticism and the cloud has disappeared. This receives minute treatment elsewhere. Another Chapter has had a clash almost continuously with collegiate authority, on account of certain stringent rules and ancient traditions holding sway in the institution for the last ten years. Faculty and Chapter have recently met on an appointed battle field and fought the subject of disagreement out, with the result that each has retired under the most approved declarations of peace and amity. With this incubus of depression removed, the Chapter has almost leaped forward in its advance movements since the termination of the unfortunate strife and contention.

Officials were within recent months thrown into a state of uneasiness and consternation by reports proceeding from several sources concerning the presumably critical state of another Chapter. Immediate investigation disclosed the charges and criticisms to be altogether unfounded and the Chapter to be so extremely healthy as to make all blush for even a suggestion of suspicion. During the year, the course of each Chapter has been "as a river which floweth on its way," peaceful, calm and serene. Scarcely a ripple has appeared on the surface to break the regularity of its flow. The Chapter life has been so unbroken and smooth in its onward movement that the mere fact demonstrates the forcible conclusion that "all is well." And, so with scarcely any noise to indicate a care or solicitude, the administrative machinery has performed its work to the point of almost monotonous routine.

What of the condition therefore? Not a Chapter whose charter is in the slightest danger. Not a Chapter which is unhealthy and inactive. No dissensions brought to the attention of the executive body from any point. No internal discords are known. If any condition obtains which merits unworthy comment at this time, it is only that which may, perchance, receive attention under other subjects in this report. The Chapters generally are just as much more prosperous at the close of another year as they were at the expiration of the previous year over the preceding. This is truthful and without veneer. And so, as to our Chapters collectively there attend that universal prosperity and growth, which may justly rejoice the hearts of all believers in the onward march and triumph of the cause of Phi Kappa Psi.

III.

Chapters Individually.

Only once before has a reference to each Chapter by name been attempted in a report. But this plan proved of interest and met with favor in the one instance. It will be attempted here.

However, only a few suggestive points will be made in each case. Here, as in the generality of situations, comparisons are invidious, and therefore, are studiously avoided. The point in view is, at the same time, distant to each Chapter and without the line of interest and partisanship. Hence, it is not expected that the comment will wholly please the one who is on the ground or who is partisan. It may not be flattering enough to suit his belief and conviction. At least it is given in good faith and fortunate conditions prevent it being other than commendatory.

Before calling the roll of the "forty" and before each one shall respond and answer "here" and shall take its place in the long rank of inspection, the writer is reminded of the roll which has been called oftentimes before. Yet not the same. Imagine the early Grand Arch Councils when only Pennsylvania Alpha, Virginia Alpha, Virginia Beta, Pennsylvania Beta, Pennsylvania Gamma, Pennsylvania Delta, Virginia Gamma and South Carolina Alpha made answer. The eight representatives of Jefferson College, University of Virginia, Washington and Lee University, Allegheny College, Bucknell University, Washington College, Hampden-Sidney College and University of South Carolina respectively. What had each of these Chapters to offer in accounting for an exalted stewardship? And it is remembered that of the eight, three responded no longer and hearts are sad over the fact, for their records are worthy. But there is an added luster by reason of age and faultlessness in service to fall upon the other five, and in this day, after fifty years, their reports command especial consideration. Royal for birth honored of history and beloved of all, let grand, old Pennsylvania Alpha take first place.

Pennsylvania Alpha reports an attendant membership of eleven, with an entire membership for the year of nineteen. The fact that among the latter the name of William Gordon Letterman first appears is interesting and historic. A member now of the same Chapter and Fraternity established by his father fifty years before. All recall the initiatory services at Canonsburg last April when the worthy son of an honored father was made a brother upon the hallowed ground—the birth place of Phi Kappa Psi. The Chapter never changes its fixed purpose to demonstrate the faith its founders placed in it and continues an honor to the Fraternity in its prosperous career. College and student honors are conferred on its members each year.

Pennsylvania Beta presents a particularly pleasing report. The membership of the Chapter is not so large as some other Chapters possess. The roll of distinctions include twenty-one altogether, distributed to these fortunate ten. The Chapter could well afford to divide with some other Chapter not so well supplied.

Pennsylvania Gamma reports eleven initiates. This is exceptional. The correspondent writes: "Faculty prohibits the pledging of Freshmen and preparatory students. For that reason the active Chapter never consists of any but members of the three upper classes." The honor list is as large as that reported by Beta. These Chapters seem to be vieing with each other in a sure race for supremacy in their respective institutions.

Pennsylvania Epsilon continues prosperous. Its Secretary writes: "Would like to have it distinctly understood that Pennsylvania Epsilon owns a lodge which is situated on the campus. Original cost \$3,600. This was the first house ever built by Phi Psi. We expect to remodel the lodge within a short time. Cost of remodeling \$2,500 or more. Over \$800 has been so far pledged and the building committee has \$500 of this amount in bank."

Pennsylvania Zeta exhibits an excellent showing. With seven rivals to contend with the Chapter thrives and merits the many distinctions conferred.

Pennsylvania Eta likewise enjoys the prosperity of her sister Chapters in the State. The Chapter possesses a strong membership. One familiar with local conditions can emphasize the latter statement.

Pennsylvania Theta continues to hold place as a large and flourishing Chapter. Five initiates are reported. Correspondent writes: "The Trustees (two of whom are Phi Psis) of Lafayette College are now considering Chapter house questions. Our chapter house committee is well organized and hard at work and when the Trustees give permission, it will only be a short time before definite action on Chapter house situation will be taken."

Pennsylvania Iota reports nine initiates. A large membership continues. The list of college recognitions is extended and varied. No adverse conditions exist. As in other State institutions, this Chapter reflects the general prosperity of the University.

Pennsylvania Kappa has had an unusual increase of membership. Thirteen initiates in 1902. The brothers who have met and know the Kappa boys need no testimony to their pleasing personality and sturdy characteristics, which assure the future career of the Chapter. No wonder "Papa" Fell is so proud.

New Hampshire Alpha has lost no ground as far as membership is concerned. It is interesting to note that against her membership of twenty-eight rivals oppose with numbers as follows: Alpha Delta Phi, 36; Psi Upsilon, 27; Theta Delta Chi, 30; Delta Kappa Epsilon, 23; Phi Delta Theta, 30; Delta Tau Delta, 20; Kappa Kappa Kappa, 34; Phi Gamma Delta, 20; Chi Phi, 26; Sigma Chi, 26; Beta Theta Pi, 34. The student attendance in the college is 709. The members of the Chapter occupy high place in scholarship and other preferments. Chapter Secretary writes: "We feel we have a need for further Eastern extension which will help immeasurably in making the present Chapters stronger. Particularly would we like to see a Chapter situated at Massachusetts Institute of Technology."

Massachusetts Alpha reports twelve initiates. As it is hard for

western members to appreciate these large memberships in eastern schools of smaller student attendance, a comparison is also here set forth. Alpha has a present membership of 32. Her opponents: Alpha Delta Phi, 35; Psi Upsilon, 30; Delta Kappa Epsilon, 34; Delta Upsilon, 32; Chi Psi, 16; Chi Phi, 26; Beta Theta Pi, 31; Theta Delta Chi, 27; Phi Delta Theta, 29; Phi Gamma Delta, 28. The student attendance in the college is 389. This Chapter continues to verify the wisdom of establishment and brings added prominence to the Fraternity in New England each year.

Rhode Island Alpha is mentioned elsewhere.

New York Alpha continues to occupy a strong and impregnable position. With his characteristic thoroughness and accuracy, the Chapter correspondent presents one of the most complete reports of all submitted. In every point the Chapter continues highly prosperous.

New York Beta contains the usual large membership. Fifteen initiates probably exceed that of any other Chapter. A proper share of college honors has fallen to the members of this Chapter.

New York Gamma's report discloses very excellent conditions. It is fortunate for the Fraternity to be represented in Columbia University.

New York Epsilon has met with no reverses or disappointments. The record compares most favorably with that of former years. One thing must be credited to this Chapter especially. It is unusually prompt in meeting all fraternity requirements.

New York Zeta occupies a most unique position. It is not unfair to any other Chapter to apply the phrase of excellence to this Chapter. Without any rivals to threaten the stronghold of Phi Psi, the career of this Chapter approaches the remarkable. The Secretary of the Chapter writes: "New York Zeta is in a most prosperous condition. Our men hold almost all the important offices in the college organizations. Having no worthy rival, we have our choice of all the men in college. We have the esteem of the faculty and the active support of our alumni."

Maryland Alpha continues strong. With the anticipated removal of the University to extensive grounds beyond the city limits, the opportunities for the fraternity life will be greatly increased. The Chapter has the presence of a new alumni association in Baltimore to give every aid and encouragement, in its growth and advancement.

Virginia Alpha can be called on for a report in any year of its history and the uniform presentation is a record of steady, persevering and regular growth and prosperity. This year is no exception. The Fraternity has good reason to be proud of this Chapter.

Virginia Beta shows an attendant membership of only five, initiates but two. The correspondent offers explanations in certain local conditions which prevail this year. He says: "At the same time, there is every reason to believe that these conditions will not last much, if any, longer. Washington and Lee is grow-

ing steadily each year in every department and under the guidance of her vigorous young president, is rapidly taking her rightful position in the front rank of Southern universities. That this is realized by other fraternities is shown in the way in which Sigma Nu has strained every nerve for the revival of her chapter here and by the chartering of Phi Kappa Alpha in spite of present conditions. In conclusion we may say that Virginia Beta has her eye on several good men at present and hopes to add one or two to her number yet. We initiate one 'pledge' at the next meeting." At the same time, royal good news is reported. Quoting from report: "About a month ago a letter was received from Bro. Vance, (former Archon) from a prominent alumnus in which he stated that after a conference with several alumni of his vicinity, they had come to the conclusion that Virginia Beta should have a chapter house, and in which he outlined a plan looking toward that object. Brother Vance immediately laid the letter before the Chapter and it was unanimously decided to take steps to carry out this plan immediately. A committee of seven alumni and one active member was appointed, of which Bro. Vance was made chairman, with full directions with regard to the raising of funds and the building of the house. There is every probability that at the next meeting of the Board of Trustees our petition for a site on the campus will be granted and it only needs the necessary funds to put up a substantial chapter house. This can be done for something between \$3,000 and \$4,000, and from the enthusiasm which the proposition has everywhere aroused, it seems probable that the latter can be raised without the slightest difficulty. This will be the first Chapter house at Washington and Lee and will add greatly to our standing here."

West Virginia Alpha Chapter continues healthy and prosperous. The impetus given to this Chapter by the acquisition of a fine Chapter house has brought about excellent results in the Chapter. Commendation is well placed here.

Tennessee Delta has more than fulfilled the hopes of her partisan and zealous supporters. After something more than a year of life, the present status of the Chapter is wholly fixed and a future promising career assured. A visit of the writer to the Chapter in October found most prosperous conditions. The Chapter bids fair to lead all in Vanderbilt within a short time, though the youngest in point of establishment.

Mississippi Alpha, in some respects our "lone" Chapter, because of its extreme isolation from every other Chapter, is not so far away after all. The writer pins his faith to our southern brothers. There is a spirit in this Chapter that others might well emulate. It will never die, but "purposes always to live and live to a purpose." In view of the opposition of the University authorities, which is mentioned elsewhere, the present situation at this Chapter is highly creditable.

Ohio Alpha's record the past year shows conditions to be greatly improved. An unusually strong class of initiates came into the Chapter last fall. An alumni Chapter house committee

has under consideration plans for a Chapter house. About \$3,300 in stock subscriptions have already been pledged. A smallpox scare has temporarily driven the Chapter from its rented home.

Ohio Beta Chapter remains in the lead at Wittenberg. One only has to examine the new pocket catalogue and to note the many, many names of alumni, residents of Springfield to understand that this Chapter could scarcely be other than prosperous and beyond serious competition. Nearly all the honors of the college were bestowed on Phi Psis the past year.

Ohio Delta, as with other Chapters located in state institutions, is in an environment which assures splendid opportunities for vigorous growth. The Chapter membership is not as large as it should be, but the members are good, strong men. The three initiates were most fortunate selections. The correspondent writes: "By action of the Chapter, a committee is now seeking to rent a substantial house to be entered January 1, 1903, by Ohio Delta."

Indiana Alpha reports ten initiations, and an attendant membership of 24. The Chapter is keeping up to the standard of former years. As the history of Phi Psi at old DePauw has been emphatic in position and influence, the present condition of the Chapter is a source of congratulation, as the comparison is made.

Indiana Beta is now enjoying the well earned honors and distinction which her elegant Chapter house has afforded her. The recent growth and development of the Chapter are marked. The reporter for the Chapter says: "In addition to the four regular committees we have a committee on Politics, whose duty it is to look after the interests of the Fraternity in all college politics, and a studentship committee whose duty it is to keep posted on the class standing of brothers and report same to the Chapter."

Indiana Delta is verifying in a very flattering manner the most ardent predictions of those urging the establishment of the Chapter. Eight initiates and twenty-three attendant members are reported. The correspondent writes: "The past year has been one of great prosperity for Purdue and as in other years the attendance is greater than ever before. This year the increase is 200. There have been two fine new buildings erected. With the Chapter everything seems to be very prosperous too, having been exceedingly fortunate in our 'spike.' The Chapter house plans are being developed, so that we hope that within a year or so to have a new dwelling place of our own."

Illinois Alpha's report exhibits the usual conditions of strength and influence at Northwestern. It is claimed that the ten initiates for the year are of excellent personnel and were secured after an unusually hard "tussle" with antagonists. The installation of Bro. E. J. James as the new president of the university has brought Phi Psi into added prominence and means much for a newer life and more material growth of the school.

Illinois Beta reports six initiates and twenty-three attendant members. The condition of the Chapter is most satisfactory.

A fine new Chapter house has placed this Chapter upon a splendid footing. All may well rejoice over this excellent condition in the Chicago stronghold of Phi Psi. The correspondent writes: "According to the rules of the University of Chicago, we are not allowed to initiate a person until he has obtained credit for three months' work. This places us in a disadvantageous position in comparison with the other Chapters of this Fraternity which are not laboring under any such restriction. Therefore, I have been ordered to report that Illinois Beta has nine pledges attending college, viz: Hugo Ernst, Joseph Sibley, Berthoff Pettit, Martin Cornelius, Wilbur C. Hubbard, Alfred H. McAdoo, R. B. Kelley, Wayne D. Mitchell, Geo. C. Schnur, all of the class of 1906, and that these men should be considered as ranking with the freshmen initiates of other Chapters. Of these men Geo. C. Schnur was left halfback of the football team; Hugo Ernst, left tackle of freshman football team; Alfred McAdoo, manager of freshman football team and manager-elect of freshman baseball and track teams; and Martin Cornelius, Wilbur C. Hibbard and Geo. C. Schnur are members of the Three Quarters Club, for which honors, place should be made in this report."

Michigan Alpha needs scarcely any particular comment. The regularity and continuation of a certain growth and substantial advancement each year are demonstrated in the past year. The following statement occurs in the report: "There are 24 fraternities in the University, which might be called 'rivals,' but the two named herein are the only ones that ever give us any trouble." This epitome speaks louder than extended words concerning our Ann Arbor brothers.

Wisconsin Alpha continues strong. Six initiates increased the membership for the past year. Personal information discloses that these are most fortunate additions. The successful career of the Chapter and its high place in the University are completely established. This is a source of genuine satisfaction.

Wisconsin Gamma does not possess the strong environment of her sister Chapters of the Fifth District, but, located in a small and conservative institution, the Chapter has contended for place quite successfully. Six initiates and twenty attendant members indicate a pleasing situation, in view of these facts.

Minnesota Beta is another Chapter which is a source of gratification. The conditions the past year have been flattering as shown by the report. The future prospects are most excellent. The Chapter specifically reports as follows: "The Minnesota Building Association owns for the Chapter a \$3,600 lot facing the campus. The location is an excellent one and with the house which the Chapter intends to build thereon the Phi Psi Chapter at the University of Minnesota will be better fixed than any other fraternity here. The house will be built within the next three or four years."

Iowa Alpha presents a record of five initiates and thirteen attendant members. The answers to the seventy-two interrogations submitted are indicative of fortunate conditions. The University

is growing and making some extensive property improvements. Kansas Alpha, through the correspondent, gives a review of the situation in better manner than outside comment could avail. It is as follows: "We started out with four old men; a newly rented Chapter house and no furniture at all. We have initiated five good men and pledged two more, and have \$250 worth of furniture all paid for. We have \$150 in a building fund. Good men are scarce here and so we feel that we have been doing good work. We will also give the other frats a hard trial for championship in baseball. There also seems to be a stronger desire and inclination to study among the active brothers, than has previously been shown."

Nebraska Alpha has exhibited steady and persevering growth and progress each year. This last year has proven to be no exception. Excellent spirit and high standards prevail. In some respects this Chapter might be spoken of as a model.

Our two Chapters on the Pacific slope never receive official visitation. It is earnestly hoped that some officer of the Fraternity may meet with the good and loyal brothers before long. The isolation and distant location make one wonder at the continued prosperity of these Chapters. Thanks to the zeal and enthusiasm the Fraternity inculcates, adverse conditions soon become real advantages. Beta reports six initiates and fourteen attendant members. Gamma seven initiates and fifteen undergraduates altogether. Each situated in magnificent institutions and otherwise fortunately surrounded, nothing but present abundant prosperity should continue their lot. Phi Kappa Psi has great reason to be proud of her California sons.

This review has become somewhat extended. And yet, from the points touched on in each individual case, the reader is afforded something more definite to base his estimates and convictions upon than the mere deduction and conclusions of the writer. The record of each and all are before you. As said in opening, it may appear that all which might be desired in some cases is not sufficiently evidenced. A comparison alone affords the true estimate of the conditions which attend the Fraternity with respect to each of the forty Chapters. There is much to bring gratification. There is little to discourage, and nothing to bring despair. With the Fraternity upon the high wave of prosperity and progress, only unforeseen breakers and unknown perilous rocks can bring ruin and destruction. "Happy our lot, greater our hopes."

IV.

Rhode Island Alpha Chapter.

Reference was made to the Chapter in the last annual report because of its proposed establishment upon February 28, 1902, and because of the report going to the printer under date of February 19, the event was anticipated. It was not proper subject to comment therein and correctly comes within the limits of this report.

The facts concerning the founding of Rhode Island Alpha are well known and will not be repeated. The charter membership consisted of Edward Kimball Aldrich, Jr., Providence, R. I., class 1902; Charles Herbert Holt, Providence, R. I., class 1902; Joseph Waite Ince, Providence, R. I., class 1902; Duncan Martin Luther McPhail, Beverley, Mass., class 1902; Edgar Louis Ashley, Medfield, Mass., class 1903; Stephen Howard Easton, Central Falls, Mass., class 1903; Edward Winslow Holmes, New Bedford, Mass., class 1903; Nathaniel Orson Howard, Providence, R. I., class 1903; Warren Almon Clough, Groton, Mass., class 1904; Guy Blandin Colborn, Nashua, N. H., class 1904; Leon Arnold Winslow, Revere, Mass., class 1904. Since the installation and during the remainder of the fiscal year the new Chapter had twelve initiations. Five members were graduated in 1902, leaving the Chapter with an active membership of nineteen. The list of honors conferred upon the members of the new Chapter is worthy of recital here: Bro. Walter E. Woodbury, first prize for excellence in Greek; Bro. Lloyd E. Upton, first prize for excellence in French; Bro. Edward K. Aldrich, Jr., Phi Beta Kappa; Bro. Charles H. Holt, Phi Beta Kappa; Bro. Edgar L. Ashley, Bacon Scholarship; Bro. Frederick H. Gabbi, first Class Day Speaker; Bro. Edward W. Holmes, college bowling team; Bro. Stephen H. Easton, chess champion of Brown; Bro. Willard B. Atwell, second football eleven; Bro. Walter P. Meredith, football eleven; Bro. Leon A. Winslow, Dramatic Society. The rivals and their membership meeting this Chapter in contest for place and honors are also interesting information: Alpha Delta Phi, 20; Delta Phi, 20; Psi Upsilon, 23; Beta Theta Pi, 26; Delta Kappa Epsilon, 24; Zeta Psi, 22; Theta Delta Chi, 19; Delta Upsilon, 29; Chi Phi, 25; Phi Delta Theta, 24; Alpha Tau Omega, 19; Delta Tau Delta, 26; Kappa Sigma, 25; Phi Kappa, 28. The number of male students in the institution is 750.

To obtain a foothold in the New England institutions of older and greater prominence, is difficult enough, as Phi Kappa Psi has proven to complete satisfaction. And, to secure an excellent foundation and to accomplish as much as Rhode Island Alpha has within the short ten months of existence is presenting a most worthy record of endeavor and perseverance. The ambitions of this Chapter are as high as any may claim and if there is any possibility of attaining them, the Chapter evinces a determination to succeed. All bid welcoming encouragement to the baby Chapter of Phi Kappa Psi.

V.

Alumni Associations and Clubs.

Activity in alumni organizations has not been very marked during the year. The cause of this is not apparent. Though there is every reason to expect the frequent establishment of new associations, but one wholly perfected can be reported.

December 15, 1902, a charter was granted to Brothers Charles P. Bryden, Pa. Theta 1902; P. C. Evans, Pa. Theta 1874; S. S. Apple, Pa. Epsilon 1866; Edgar M. Green, Pa. Theta 1883; Chas. B. Green, Pa. Theta 1886; Edward H. Green, Pa. Theta 1885; Frank G. Ormsby, Pa. Theta 1894, and E. V. Evans, Pa. Theta 1885, to form the Easton Alumni Association of Phi Kappa Psi. This promises to be an active and flourishing organization. It is situated in a Phi Psi center of influence and no doubt will prove an hearty supporter and a benefical supporter to Pennsylvania Theta. The news of this movement will be everywhere gladly received.

A letter from Brother J. Adair Herman of Carlisle, Pa., makes inquiry as to the manner and plan for the formation of alumni associations. Brother Herman has in mind the establishment of a strong organization of enthusiastic Phi Psis in Cumberland Valley. This additional evidence of activity among Pennsylvania Phi Psi may easily cause those of some other states to blush for apparent lethargy in this direction. All will welcome the formation of the new organization.

Archon Towne of the Second District conveys the information that our alumni residents of Syracuse, N. Y., are likewise contemplating organization. The meeting of the District Council of the district in Syracuse has called forth the proposal. It is sincerely hoped the matter will wholly develop.

With respect to our existing alumni associations, it may well be said that they are a source of much helpfulness to the growth and development of the Fraternity. A few exist only in name, however, it is unfortunate to relate. The greater number are live and active. It is a source of great satisfaction to know of the activity of the Boston, New York, Philadelphia, Indianapolis and Chicago alumni associations. These more than any others show what an association can accomplish for the entire organization. The efforts of Brothers Baker, McCorkle, Bang, Pegram, Fell, Sproul, Clothier, Taylor, Knight, Brubaker, Holden, Rush and many others whose names may not be quite so familiar as these are exhibited in this work. The fruits of their energy and labor have been greater than can be estimated.

Our Harvard Phi Psi Club, while making no detailed report at this time, continues in "force and effect." The membership has greatly increased and the Club has afforded added opportunities for social meetings and deliberations on Phi Psi matters, to members attending the University. These meetings of association and club keep the youthful fires aflame, and loyalty to the cause never wanes when opportunity is given to renew, reconsecrate and revive what once has been the proud possessor of heart and soul. Take the alumnus away as an active factor and conceding to the undergraduates the greater activity, yet the result is to strip the Fraternity of a power and influence which have gained for it rapid recognition and eminence in the last ten years.

VI.

Membership.

There is no immediate danger of any thoughtful member forgetting what the standard of membership in Phi Kappa Psi is. But there is more than the mere verbiage which gives expression to the constitutional requirement. It is easy for the *descriptio personae* to become household words, and yet it is just as easy for their full and complete exemplification to be neglected. This subject has received treatment many times, and probably has never been discussed without benefit. Another emphasis will still be pertinent and helpful.

There is an urgent necessity which is equal to an unqualified demand almost, that the Fraternity initiate none but strong men. This is becoming more important and vital as fraternity life and purpose are broadening. The college secret order is commanding a higher and more respectable position in the affairs of college life than ever before in the history of education. This has come only after a fight. The opposition has been active, puissant and unfair. Each claim and merit of the Fraternity system have been demonstrated perforce, in advance of recognition, at the hands of thoughtful educators and collegiate adherents. On the other hand, as this consent to live and flourish has been given and the more extended antagonism has been withdrawn, only one condition has been tacitly understood and required; namely, a continuing demonstration of the same virtues and excellencies. This relates solely to the college world. Scholarship must reside in the fraternity man. Ability must be an abiding characteristic. Culture and refinement must appear among his attributes. A strong sense of his own fitness for increasing responsibility is essential quality. Clear vision, steady nerve and sturdy character are also necessary qualifications—above all, fraternity life calls for a man. Without these, he is a poor excuse of a fellow and of little consequence or worth wherever placed. With men among its members, any Chapter of any fraternity may thrive and gain a sure pre-eminence.

Again the fraternity of today is an organization of more moment and of weightier influence than that of twenty-five years ago. Fortunate that fraternity which can now in its membership claim leaders of thought, philosophers of pure intent, disciples of scientific research, earnest devotees of literature, high-minded politicians, conservative statesmen, deep, religious teachers and thinkers, makers and creators, in thought and action, in the vast world in which we live—the men of the day! Such a fraternity can point to these with just pride. These, in turn, not having forgotten the fraternal love and encouragement which have fired their zeal and incited their ambitions, can justify and honor a system of friendship and co-operation which in college activity has given them something substantial and beneficial for future stirring careers. In view of this, no Chapter can afford to initiate a weak man, because he has a brother in the fraternity, because he has money,

because he is good looking, because he dresses well—for any reason.

“Talent, ambition and a good moral character” mean more than the words. Talent, superior mental endowments or capacities—a particular and uncommon aptitude for some special work or activity. Ambition, an aim, eager desire, or steadfast purpose to achieve something commendable or right. Good moral character, the ethical quality or combination of qualities with reference to right and wrong, and obligation to duty and virtuous conduct which are a significant mark of individuality. These definitions are given with a purpose. Paraphrasing them, these words might apply: Capacity for success, desire for success and merit for success. “Think on these things.” These qualities make the beautiful of Phi Kappa Psi.

The social side of fraternal life follows as a matter of course, but it is subordinate. The other is the paramount object. Men can only indulge with satisfaction in the freedom and pleasures of unalloyed friendship and intercourse which are made possible only in the consciousness of right, merit and integrity. All else is false, hypocritical and unsatisfying.

Therefore, Phi Kappa Psi, in order to continue in the years to come, to be an organization of activity, worth and wide-spread influence, must invite to her membership men, and must send forth into the world men and must become mighty and powerful through her men.

Were each Chapter more careful and deliberate in this matter, no unworthy member would ever possess the right to wear the shield. All are thankful these cases are rare and isolated. The past year the quality of membership has been exceptionally good. A few mistakes have been made by some Chapters. But expulsion is advised only in extremely aggravated cases. Rather the goodly counsel of a wise brother, who may win back the erring brother to the fold and bring him to esteem himself as he would have others esteem him. There is an excellent spirit and strong individuality in the present membership, which show appreciation in great degree of these purposes herein but faintly set forth, which should go to make up the warp and woof of a great and resplendent history of the future Phi Kappa Psi Fraternity.

VII.

Executive Council

Concerning the administrative head of the Fraternity. As far as the undergraduates go, little need be said. It has made itself felt and heard, if not known. However, the alumnus knows little of its work. The executive body has been assiduously devoted to the duties devolving upon it during the year. The machinery of the Fraternity has run without friction of any sort—so smoothly in fact, that it might be questioned as to its running at all. But the work being done is not always shown by the noise and outcry

which may accompany it. There has been a steadfast endeavor to carry out and to have carried out the expressed will of the Grand Arch Council. Faithful adherence to constitutional requirements has been given by officials and the same demanded in turn from the undergraduate. Business-like methods which have determined the strength and life of the organization for the last ten years to a larger degree have obtained. Each official, throughout the list of nine, has attempted to carry well the responsibility laid upon him to discharge the duties before to his own satisfaction and to the good welfare of his beloved Fraternity. It may truthfully be said that each has been active and solicitous for the proper and judicious administration of affairs. There has been no shirking and at no previous period has there been more readiness on the part of each to apply himself to the appointed task. Perfect agreement, harmony and accord have given strength to enforce all decrees and dispensations. Any movements for aggression and enterprise or departures from old well established lines of procedure have come as a result of calm and thoughtful deliberation.

Perhaps the one thing which has given a method and thoroughness to its labors during the past year has been the operation of a new set of By-laws for the government of the Executive Council. For these, we were in great part indebted to our wise counsellor and attorney general. These have afforded the most approved forms of submitting business to the Council, securing votes upon important propositions, and obtaining judgment of all members of the official family upon all questions. The officers have also been enabled to make proper division of labor and more advantageously apply the forces of administration. The writer can bespeak for the others the conscientious and splendid supervision the affairs of the Fraternity have received at their hands.

It is scarcely necessary to call attention to the distinguished ability of our President. He has made just as efficient a President as he did a Vice-President, and better, if that were possible. All know him for his excellent qualities. It is only for the writer to record his faithfulness to every detail of the labors falling to his share and the promptness and capableness with which he has disposed of every question requiring finesse, skill and judgment. Again, our master of finance has only continued the enviable record heretofore made by him. As watch dog of the Phi Kappa Psi Treasury he is unequalled. At the same time he is a veritable sleuth after delinquents. His continuation in office has proven of incalculable value to our financial system and secured to our monetary resources stability and permanency. His work the past year has shown no relaxation of previous laudable efforts and of calm, collected judgment. With these comments upon his work Brother Niles is likewise dismissed from the inspection, without any personal allusions. With the exception of the Vice-President, our official family has continued without change in membership for two years. Concerning Brother Alexander, it is a pleasure to

write that he assumed the duties of his office with a positive determination to merit the honor bestowed upon him and that he has abundantly proven his ability and efficient characteristics and more than twice over vindicated his purpose. Never failing to vote, and intelligently, upon each proposition submitted, never failing to acquaint himself fully with what is under consideration, his voice and vote have been valuable to high degree in the wisest conduct of affairs. His letters are filled with reflections of his conscientious purpose and desire to advance the cause of the Fraternity. It is not so frequently that a man of the cloth can fit in so well with a business man, a lawyer and a bondholder. But the man of business is less likely to be insistent, the lawyer is less likely to be so politic and the bondholder is less likely to be so speculative, in the presence of the benigner influence. And so we all say—Good for Brother Alexander. "He's all right."

The Archons must not be slighted. They are highly deserving. We have had most excellent undergraduate representation on the Council heretofore, but the present Archons excel in faithful participation in the administrative affairs. They are active and energetic, where others have taken small part and evinced little interest. Their suggestions have been valuable and timely. Being in touch with the great undergraduate body of the Fraternity, they have been able to present the desires and sentiments of the active membership on all matters. In turn, they have been in a position to better accommodate the seeming harsh and strict requirements of the Council to undergraduate sense and judgment. To pick five members, different in personality and characteristics, to form an undergraduate representation, whose composite would prove as valuable, efficient and forceful is no easy undertaking. Who could better it? Who could change it to advantage? One would not want to take away "Zim's" calm deliberateness, judgment and fixedness of purpose. One would not want to lose Towne's conservative and creative ability and absolute devotion to details. One would not want to see withdrawn Gilbert Miller's enthusiasm and love for everything Phi Psi. One would not want to see Craft's cautious and wise conservatism omitted from Fraternity councils. Again, "Tommy" Lyle's pat and wholesome sallies and judicious suggestions have possessed important place. It will be indeed difficult for the coming District Councils to fill the positions made vacant by the retirement from office of these worthy younger brothers. The Fraternity is greatly indebted to them and wishes them prosperity and happiness in their chosen life work. The same characteristics displayed in business and professional careers guarantee for them a series of brilliant successes and achievements. The officers greatly regret their departure from official meetings. The union has been pleasant and beneficial to all of us. In the separation soon to take place, all may have the satisfaction of knowing each Archon has performed his part acceptably and well.

VIII.

Finances.

The absolute and material condition of the Fraternity may after all be that which obtains with respect to the amount of assets and liabilities, which a periodical inventory and invoice would show. Other factors cannot be reduced to such a definite basis as that of finance. Credits and debits, with accompanying figures and additions indicate the financial transactions and consequent accumulation or loss. The results of good or poor management are disclosed here. And the extent of monetary resources, whether large or small, afford a measure of confidence in the securing of future aggrandizement and in the carrying into execution of important enterprises, conceived for the welfare and growth of the organization. Yet the situation may be only relative, upon a further consideration. As the Fraternity grows and embarks upon new schemes for increasing power and influence, the demands for a large revenue to meet an increased expenditure render the comparison of one year with another unsatisfactory and uncertain.

The showing made at the close of each year in the last five or six has exceeded the most sanguine expectations. Each fund has shown a comfortable balance each year to be added to a former accumulated reserve. Running expenses have been met as they have been entailed. No financial burdens have been carried throughout the year. Such a thing as "debt" has not spread as a cloud over the financial horizon. In addition, it has been possible to publish a History and present it to the Fraternity with the cost of publication fully liquidated. It has been possible to publish "The Shield" in a manner that has pleased all and made the magazine without a peer in the entire field of fraternity journalism. It has been possible to present the Chapters with a splendidly bound volume of the Constitution, free of cost, for a better government and administration. It has been possible to give to the Chapters in printed form, many and varied circulars concerning matters requiring consideration and questions calling for an expression of opinion by vote or otherwise. It has been possible to provide for official visitation whenever necessary to Chapters needing investigation and assistance and to institutions and petitioners asking for recognition at the hands of the Fraternity. For instance a trip for either of these purposes a thousand miles or more positively could not have been undertaken ten years ago. And yet in recent years such has been accomplished with beneficial results not otherwise obtainable. Again, annual meetings of the Executive Council in localities affording a personal contact with alumni and undergraduate life, have been made possible, without too much regard for distance, where, formerly, if such meeting was held at all, it could only be had at the most central location, after the mean distance had been ascertained with reference to the home residences of officials, no

matter whether the meeting place were miles away from any Chapter or center of Phi Psi influence. Strictest economy demanded that that thing should only be undertaken which could not possibly be omitted. But recent years have brought about great changes and still influenced by a proper economy, the movement has not been determined alone by necessity but by that larger and broader purpose, the highest and ultimate advantage to Phi Kappa Psi.

These fortunate conditions have continued the past year. The Fraternity still continues to be on a sound financial basis. No indebtedness has been created during the year and all necessary running expenses have been met. No financial obligations of any sort are outstanding against the Fraternity. There is a sufficient fund in the account denominated "Fund for General Fraternity Expenses" to meet all demands to be made upon it in the ordinary course of affairs for the remainder of the collegiate year. Each of the other accounts show a satisfactory reserve. The returns from sales of the History are accumulating a fund to be used as a basis for the next decennial publication. "The Shield" Surplus Fund, in the fifth year in which any surplus over publication expenses has ever been turned into the Treasury, has been increased by \$323.36 as a result of the excellent showing made for the year of 1901-1902. It is possible now to present the new pocket edition of the Catalogue to the Fraternity with entire cost of publication fully discharged in advance of the mailing of a single copy. It is also possible to comply with the direction of the Grand Arch Council and publish the "1903 Edition" of the Song Book with the like assurance of financial support and liquidation. Plans obtaining in the administration of affairs in the former three or four years have not been departed from and have in some respects been enlarged. Hundreds of printed circulars, edicts and dispensations were mailed to Chapter, Alumni Association, Club, Officer, Editor and prominent alumni and others actively working for the cause. during the year. The finances of the General Fraternity are thus shown to be in most excellent shape. This should give an assurance which, while complimentary to the present incumbent of the Treasurer's office and to his masterly direction of financial matters, is of greater import, as it demonstrates what can be done in this connection without financial support and required levies becoming burdensome to any member. This guarantees the continuation of the forces which can and will carry our beloved organization to grander heights of glorious achievement.

What is so satisfactory in General Fraternity finance is not wholly supplemented with respect to the annual assessment levied last fall. Thirty-three Chapters have made remittances and balanced their accounts in full. Those in arrears, however, advise that they will make an early settlement. It has not been found necessary to attach the penalty heretofore.

Twelve Chapters have reported no initiates as yet for the

current year and have sent in no initiation returns. This is not as it should be. Nearly all initiations occur in the fall, and some one is neglecting to send in remittances, who thereby renders his Chapter delinquent with corresponding official reproof. Carelessness in reporting initiations imposes extra burdens upon the Treasurer and Secretary. This is not all; it tends to destroy the financial standing of the Chapter; and still not all; no initiate is a member of the Fraternity, with his name recorded upon the Grand registration book until his initiation return with the remittance has been received. If some brother's name does not appear in the Catalogue do not blame Editor Smart or the E. C., without first ascertaining whether the initiation has ever been properly reported. But, no doubt these matters will all soon be adjusted and the record will soon be complete in all respects. It is very gratifying, then, altogether, and comparatively the fulfillment of all one can reasonably desire.

IX.

Publications.

A few words concerning each of these separately. Every one may make his own examination of these several exponents of fraternity effort and enterprise and may draw his own conclusions. Therefore, official review may not add much to the enlightenment of the conscientious seeker after knowledge of fact and circumstance. However, another's point of view and estimate of the degree of excellence attained may induce more thoughtful consideration than otherwise by reason of the suggestions and queries started in the reader's mind. But, better than that, the chance inquiry and investigation of an alumnus who has been out of touch with the organization for years or of an undergraduate who has not come to a complete understanding of the scope of his Fraternity's activities, if either has proceeded this far in the report, may open their darkened eyes and unloose their "bounden intensities," and beget a new zeal and interest in the cause so lightly considered in the times past. Again, concerning each, something may be here written with propriety and of deserving mention which the Editor could not appropriately say himself. These publications reflect the life, history, ideals and larger movements of the Fraternity. On this account alone, they merit at least passing consideration.

A. "The Shield."

To comment upon a literary achievement upon this day and age, when there is such a surfeit of productions requires boldness and fineness of discrimination. Especially is this true wherever the magazine is the subject of criticism. So vast and so multiform have been the improvements in this order of publications that one wonders if originality be not wholly a thing of the past and if

the next age of literary enterprise will not, perforce, be an age of reproduction rather than an age of creation. Blessed is it that as far as fraternity journalism is concerned the field is somewhat limited. Owing to that fact, one can form his judgment with less of fear and more of accuracy.

The publications of almost all the Greek letter organizations come to hand. It is interesting and pleasurable to examine each and read the best thought of fraternity enthusiasts. They are all of very high order, possessing true literary merit, being careful exponents of each organization and being replete with items of news, all of which go to make up the standard fraternity magazine. Opportunity has been afforded to examine the publications of other societies and orders of slightly similar character. The productions of Pan-hellenic associations easily excel them all. This is true on account of one characteristic peculiar to the latter. This is the esprit de corps reflected in the published thought and comment. There is a refined purpose and a pure creed which invites loyalty, faith and enthusiasm. Nowhere is there the general and responsive rally to support and co-operation as that which love of fraternity calls forth. This the fraternity magazine particularly and forcibly illustrates. Scarcely as important a feature is to be found in the fraternity system.

"The Shield" has already been spoken of as the crowning achievement of Phi Kappa Psi. It merits easily an equal place with the publications of any other organization in the Pan-hellenic world of letters, so to speak. In many points of excellence it is superior to any others. Modesty and courtesy to others whose like partisanship may also as justly be exhibited, forbid the claim at this time by the writer.

However, "The Shield" has continued to please and attract. The publication the past year has measured up to that of the preceding years of the same management. It has been a veritable store-house of Phi Psi happenings, Phi Psi chronicles, Phi Psi current history, Phi Psi literature and Phi Psi honor. Many new features have greatly enhanced its literary and news value and has increased its inviting appearance and attractiveness. As a record of what is going on in the life of Chapter and association it has been faithful to fact and accurate in detail. As a register of events in the careers of undergraduate and alumnus it has been interesting and valuable. As a narration of the growth, progress and achievements of Phi Kappa Psi it has been admirable and delightful. As an exhibition of the literary accomplishments of fraternal genius and ability in editorial, epistle and published poetry, song, toast, oration and discussion, it has pleased, entertained and bidden devotion anew. Lastly, as a reflector of that fame which "proceedeth from merit possessed," and honorable accomplishment, it has been noteworthy and ideal. Is the critique possessed of only high sounding praise? Is the description too highly colored? The best answer is the magazine itself. It speaks the

more eloquently. As the issue comes to hand, glance through its pages. Determine then how well the encomiums of praise are deserved.

The special departure the last year, in the attempt of Brother Lockwood to issue the magazine as a monthly, is proving a great success. Favorable comment on the movement has been received from all quarters. The regularity of issue, the excellence of publication and now the increase in the number of editions are winning many new subscribers and supporters. The list of alumni subscriptions is larger than ever before. The best part of all is the fact that it is now a thoroughly established and money making venture. At his October settlement, the Editor reported a profit of \$846.72 for the year. This is due to the activity of our brother and his capable, efficient management. This success has been flattering and he has justly earned the honor the Fraternity confers upon him.

B. The History.

The first edition of the History published last year continues to charm and fascinate its readers. The work has been accorded an universal popularity. Many letters have been addressed to the Editor expressing satisfaction over the publication and extending congratulations over his commendable endeavors. It will prove our most valuable treasure, as it is the first authentic history of Phi Kappa Psi. No where else can the incoming member find the facts and circumstances surrounding the founding of the Fraternity. No where else can the full development of the forces and life of the organization be learned. The book is worthy of at least three readings. One to ascertain what and how much it contains; a second to delight one with its storied treasure and interesting denouement; a third to cause one to revel in the love and devotion, its stirring theme and strong purpose command. And then, when the book has been laid away, it will soon be sought again to revive, refresh and reengender the emotions and sentiments first summoned, as the reading has proceeded. It is a monument to Brother Van Cleve's persistent energy and genius. It is a splendid achievement for the Fraternity. Have you secured a copy? There must be a choice corner in your extensive library where you have reserved space for a favorite book! This admirable story of the struggles and triumphs of our loved organization deserves more than any other volume the position you have so thoughtfully chosen.

Immediately following the adjournment of the Grand Arch Council, the Executive Council and the Editor of the History determined the most approved plans for sale and distribution. It was considered best to place the financial end of the matter in the hands of the Treasurer. This has been followed. Upon the orders being received and money credited to the History Fund in the Treasury, the books have been ordered shipped by the publishing house. The Editor has been very faithfully and

actively engaged in writing letters and issuing printed circulars to advertise the History and secure additional sales. The former established prices have been maintained: \$2 per copy to alumnus and \$1 per copy to undergraduate. By edict of the E. C., each Chapter was required to take as many copies as the Chapter contained members. With a few exceptions, this edict has been thus far complied with. An arrangement has been perfected to allow a cut in the price to all publishing houses which will desire to place the work on sale. A plan has also been devised to create sub-agencies in each Chapter for selling and distributive purposes. The agents will be given a commission on the sales actually made by them. Again, it is now proposed that a combination offer be made for the Catalogue and History, permitting each to be sold at a slight reduction, where an order includes a copy of each. Brother Van Cleve has recently prepared a descriptive circular which very completely and attractively sets forth the merits of the production. This is being mailed to every prospective purchaser and has appeared as an insert in "The Shield." Some 5,000 of these announcements have been printed and distributed. The sales of the History up to this time amount to a sum in the neighborhood of a thousand dollars. This is gratifying, and still the total receipts should be doubled before the collegiate year closes. Brother Van Cleve's term of office will expire September 1, and it is his ambition to sell every copy of the History in print by that date and to make a complete and final settlement of the History account. His attempt is laudable and it is earnestly hoped that all may co-operate in securing the grand result. Honor him as he retires from office and commits to a successor the labors and travail of soul of a second publication, by accelerating in every way his worthy object.

C. Catalogue.

In 1894 our worthy brother, George Smart, presented to the Fraternity the first complete and meritorious Grand Catalogue ever issued by the Fraternity. It probably excelled any issued by any fraternity to that time. Every compliment and favorable comment upon it were righteously bestowed. That was indeed a monument to the eminent ability of the writer as a compiler of a biographical dictionary.

But the Catalogue has served its purpose. The changes which nine years have naturally brought about have rendered this excellent work of less value and service for practical purposes. The time for the undertaking of a later and revised edition is now approaching. The decennial publication will be due in 1904. In the meantime there has been an universal demand for a pocket edition of the Catalogue, which should be a companion piece to the larger work and which should at least bring the membership up to date. This has been delayed beyond what was anticipated. It comes at least three years late. But patience may not be wholly exhausted. The promises renewed with each annual

report for this period are now to be redeemed. The pocket Catalogue is now ready for distribution. The first copies left the printer's hands and were bound for us some weeks ago. Brother Smart writes that the new Catalogue is to be considered as his Xmas present for 1902 to the Fraternity. This announcement will undoubtedly be hailed with enthusiasm.

The new edition is a small compact volume, larger than a duodecimo, containing a book page of about five and a half by eight and a half inches. The volume itself is nearly a half inch thick and contains 208 pages. It is superscribed "Catalog of the Phi Kappa Psi Fraternity. Pocket Edition, 1902." The title page repeats the superscription with additional words "George Smart, Editor." A small outline cut of the Shield appears with the mystic letters inscribed, with name of publishing house and location below. The book issues from the press of the Chronicle Company, Marion, Indiana. These publishers are also "The Shield" printers.

The inditement and preface to the volume, not being lengthy, is of sufficient import and interest to be quoted in its entirety here:

"Believing that the principal purpose of issuing a fraternity catalog is to publish the names and addresses of the members, so that they can be in touch with each other and keep alive fraternal enthusiasm, and being convinced that frequent editions giving the most important facts are more desirable than large biographical editions published at intervals of many years, the Phi Kappa Psi Fraternity publishes this condensed or pocket edition of the Catalog. It is intended that similar editions shall be published every year, or that supplements be printed, as the Fraternity may decide, and that the larger biographical edition be published at the end of each decennial period.

"The numeral following the name of every brother denotes the year of his initiation. The interrogation point has been placed after every address concerning which there is uncertainty; that is, when a circular sent to the latest known address has been returned. When no recent address is known, the brother is placed in the list of lost Phi Psis. It is earnestly hoped that every Phi Psi into whose hands this book falls will do all in his power to assist the Editor in obtaining correct addresses for all brothers concerning whose addresses there is any doubt.

"To every brother who has given information, to the publishers for their intelligent co-operation, and to his sister, without whose untiring work the completion of the Catalog would not have been possible, the editor makes grateful acknowledgement. George Smart, Editor, No. 854 Hough Ave., Cleveland, Ohio, December 1, 1902."

The book contains the Fraternity Directory as run in the current issues of "The Shield," and Alphabetical List of Members of Phi Kappa Psi with Chapter, addresses and present occupations, a list of Deceased Members, alphabetically arranged, a List by States and Cities of Members of Phi Kappa Psi and Appendix,

supplementing what has preceded. The total number of names included is not given, but estimating and not deducting for repetitions, it must reach very closely to 20,000.

The Catalogue undoubtedly will prove of value and will find a ready sale. Its size and compactness fully meet the requirements of a pocket edition. The information of a general nature found in the Grand Catalogue is omitted. It is not intended to be other than an accurate record of the membership of the Fraternity, with addresses. The latter has been difficult to secure in a great many cases. It has been published to a good purpose, and it is the result of much hard labor and painstaking care.

The Executive Council has not yet determined prices and methods of distribution of the new Catalogue, but in a short time these will be taken care of.

D. Song Book.

The Grand Arch Council gave specific directions concerning this publication, among others that: the book bear the imprint of 1903 and be published in time for the next G. A. C. (Last edition bears the date of 1893); that as far as possible every Chapter be represented by a song composed by one of its members or dedicated especially to it; that beside a regular edition of the book, a collection of twelve or more popular songs be compiled into a paper covered pamphlet to be sold by the 100 copies for distribution and use in fraternity gatherings where the bringing of such books is impracticable. It was the sound judgment of the convention in adopting the report of the Song Book Committee that "music plays such a part in all college and fraternity life that the need of a typical and popular song book is unquestioned."

Brother Robertson has taken up the suggestion of the convention and is now actively engaged in carrying out its expressed will. No one has any doubt of the excellence of the forthcoming production. Its issuance is awaited with pleasant anticipations. It will find immediate service and fill the absorbing needs which our beloved Lowry's publication demonstrated and so adequately satisfied for its time.

It is due to the Editor, in view of the fact that he has not been actively engaged in the Fraternity's enterprises for a very long time, to repeat the language of the Song Book Committee concerning the work already accomplished by him:

"While not exactly in this Committee's province, still we desire to call your future attention to the March or "Phi Kappa Psi Two-step" written for and dedicated to our Fraternity by the present Editor of the Song Book, Bro. Francis H. Robertson; also to its growing popularity attested by the 25,000 copies already sold. It is known and recognized generally by other fraternities, and is known and played by orchestras all over the country. Our thanks are due to its author for thus honoring and advertising our Fraternity both within and without the Fraternity world. We

also commend him for the words which he has set to the music of the two-step, of which we received copies with our last number of 'The Shield.' This song we know has such a 'go' to it that it will be very generally used by the Fraternity and will have a place in our new song book publication."

These words are true and a merited reaffirmance of them is here made. What has been so well done is an earnest of the hope for what will be still better done in the coming months.

Brother Robertson advises that only such songs in the present edition as are actually in use among a number of Chapters and only such songs heretofore unpublished as are of general, rather than of local character, and as have merit enough to insure a place in the heart of the Fraternity for a period of ten years, will be included in the new collection of songs.

The new song book will make a much smaller volume than the present one, can be bound neatly in black cloth and capable a freer distribution and larger circulation than our first song book has enjoyed.

E. State Directories.

In addition to the four publications entered upon by the General Fraternity, under the authority and direction of the Executive Council there are those published at private expense which are just as properly included in the literary ventures of the organization.

Of primary importance is the State Directory. In the history of the Fraternity only two have thus far been successfully published. These are the Minnesota State Directory and the Indiana State Directory. Activity in this direction should be encouraged for the reason that there is no one thing better calculated to keep the undergraduates in touch with the alumni and the alumni with one another.

The latest edition of the Indiana Directory is from the press of the Central Printing Company of Indianapolis and is published by the 1904 G. A. C. committee composed of Charles N. Thompson, chairman, Edward H. Knight, vice-chairman, Charles L. Henry, treasurer, Henry C. Brubaker, Jr., secretary. It is a tasteful and complete paper bound volume of fifty pages. It is sold at a small charge of twenty-five cents. It is a model of excellence and reflects the well known energy and ingenuity of our Indiana brothers.

It is said that these same "fellows" have raised something less than a million (?) dollars with which to entertain the Grand Arch Council at Indianapolis, Indiana, in 1904 and that it is intended that every visitor to that convention shall have all his expenses paid from the minute he crosses the State line until his final exit therefrom at the great event's closing. This, no matter what luxurious fancy may call for in the way of pleasure and entertainment. It is confidently predicted that 8,000 living Phi Psis will be in attendance. These Indiana "boys" are "hustlers" indeed.

Hardly had the foregoing statement been completed, before there came to hand an important and carefully prepared pamphlet entitled, "Directory of the Alumni of the Phi Kappa Psi Fraternity residing in New York City and vicinity," containing the names, residences, business addresses, occupations, colleges, Chapters and classes of two hundred and eighty-eight (288) New York Phi Psis. The Directory is the creditable production of Brothers Richard T. Bang, William C. Morrill and Walter A. Dyer, Committee.

F. Executive Council By-Laws.

Mention has already been made of the adoption and compilation of the By-laws, now in full force for the government of the executive body of the Fraternity, herein as elsewhere. These have been printed under the supervision of the Secretary in a neat little booklet of twenty-one pages. The book is bound in leather and is of size three and a half by six inches. It is gotten up in the same style as the Constitution of the organization and printed on the same quality of paper. A fac-simile of the Shield is stamped on the cover and is superscribed "By-laws of the Executive Council of the Phi Kappa Psi Fraternity." Each volume is separately endorsed "President," "Secretary," etc.; there being a separate copy provided for each officer. In addition to the By-laws, the volume contains "Phi Kappa Psi Statistics, 1902, at the Close of the First Fifty Years of History." This makes an admirable companion to the elegantly appointed Grand Book of the Constitution.

Miscellaneous Matter.

The foregoing discussion has covered subjects which are first and properly to be included in the review of the more potent constituents of the Fraternity's growth during the year and its present continuing condition. Other topics are not so easily classified and not following each other in natural sequence remain to receive treatment. These are in the nature of miscellany. They succeed without reference to order or degree of importance.

Mississippi Alpha.

A year ago attention was called to the action taken against fraternities of the Trustees of the University of Mississippi which threatened the almost immediate extermination of all the fraternities represented in the institution. This was the result of an anti-fraternity agitation which had found friends among the faculty and trustees. The situation with respect to our Chapter was such as to cause serious apprehension and alarm.

However, every fraternity man in the institution took up the fight of his life. Every Greek, whether alumnus or otherwise interested brought all the pressure to bear possible to him. All the fraternities made common cause. The Executive Council was able to give some little co-operation. After months of despair

and waiting the victory was won, and the original action of the trustees was rescinded. The following newspaper resume of the latest movement in the matter completely discloses the present condition:

"The board of trustees of the University of Mississippi at their meeting last night, held in the office of R. H. Thompson, adopted rules and regulations to govern the fraternities at the institution, and it is thought that the muddle that was in evidence last session at the university in regard to the Greek letter societies is at an end.

The resolution introduced by W. B. Walker and adopted by the board is in substance as follows:

First—No new Chapter of any fraternity shall be established at this university without the consent and approval of the faculty.

Second—That all fraternities must meet on the campus, and shall hold their meetings but once every two weeks.

Third—That no student shall be pledged to any of the fraternities until he has been at school eight weeks, or unless he has finished previous year's study.

Fourth—Before any student of the college matriculates for the session he shall affirm that he has not been pledged to any of the secret orders.

Fifth—Any fraternity found violating these orders shall be barred from the privileges of the university and their membership shall be disbanded.

Sixth—The faculty shall be given power to adopt rules and regulations for the enforcement of these orders."

All congratulate Mississippi Alpha on her gallant fight and rejoice that the highly prosperous career of this intensely loyal Chapter is to be permitted to continue unbroken and undisturbed.

Founder's Day Celebration.

These commemorative events are growing in popularity. February 19 is fast becoming a day and date which cannot be passed by without thought of what the occasion represents in the history and annals of Phi Kappa Psi. The requirement of the Constitution that this event be properly observed by each Chapter and Alumni Association ought not to be violated. There is no prescribed form of commemoration, but in some fitting manner it should be universally celebrated. Several Chapters have already made announcements in this connection for the coming date. Banquets, literary programs and social functions of every sort are among the plans devised for keeping the day. Great and permanent good can be accomplished in the undergraduate mind and heart by inviting his observance of this anniversary of the establishment of the organization conceived by our now revered Moore and long lamented Letterman. Behold, what manner of men these were! And, having beheld, keep more sacred the covenant to preserve the ideals and traditions unsullied and unbetrayed.

Chapter By-Laws.

The Constitution of the Fraternity provides that each Chapter may adopt By-laws for its government, which are not inconsistent with the terms of the paramount law which shall not be valid until finally submitted and approved by the Executive Council. With the radical changes in our governmental system which the adoption of our new Constitution in 1898 wrought, it has been impossible to get everything into the most approved working order at once, and to accommodate and make all the alterations directed. This matter of By-laws for the Chapters has been the last to receive attention and probably with its proper solution, will complete and perfect our entire legal and constitutional fabric. It would appear that certain Chapters never had any By-laws. Probably they deemed them to be unnecessary incumbrances and only despised obstructions to that abandon and freedom which too frequently mark the proceedings of student organizations. Others have possessed creations which have been denominated "By-laws." These have been "fearfully and wonderfully made." Still others have operated under adopted rules and regulations which are model in form and substance, and perfectly suitable to capable and effective organization.

Upon the new Constitution going into effect, the Secretary notified each Chapter particularly of this requirement and directed that all existing By-laws be submitted at once for the approval of the Executive Council. After much extended correspondence, about fifteen Chapters altogether have presented By-laws for approval. It has been very evident that some radical measures must be taken in this behalf. Engagement in more important matters has prevented its being taken up with much energy until the last year. The matter has been finally rounded up to something definite and positive.

At the annual meeting of the E. C. in April last, a resolution was adopted to the effect that all Chapter By-laws should receive the joint approval of both the Secretary and Attorney General before becoming valid and of force and effect as the law of the organization. The approval of these two officials constitutes the approval of the Council. Each Chapter will note this fact and unless your By-laws contain an endorsement of approval signed by these officers, they are invalid. Such certification should be at once secured to the general set of By-laws and to each successive law as afterwards amended or modified.

Following the action of the E. C. the Attorney General has submitted to the E. C. and secured authority therefor, a proposition embracing the preparation of sample sets of the By-laws for Chapter and Alumni Association use. The idea not being to compile a set of By-laws which each organization must use, but to have a standard which would be so comprehensive as to cover every possible contingency and that the organization should elect from the standard By-laws such as they find useful. The E. C. has issued an edict directing each Chapter and association to

submit present By-laws to Brother Pegram, in order that he may pass upon them at this time. This is now being done. This work is proving more important as it progresses and will secure valuable results to the Chapter and General Fraternity. When the standard By-laws are completed, a copy will be mailed to each organization for its guidance in acquiring an approved set for its own use. Each Chapter's attention is called to the work and every undergraduate is asked to assist the Attorney General in any way required.

In passing, the By-laws of New York Alpha and Indiana Delta have come under the particular notice of the writer. These merit especial commendation. They are complete, carefully worded and legally drawn. Those of New York Alpha well approach the model of excellence.

Extension.

The petition referred to the Chapters by the Grand Arch Council under instruction to the Executive Council to submit whenever deemed advisable, is still pending undisposed of. Since that time a committee of investigation has visited the institution and the petitioners, and is prepared to make report. In all probability the petition will be submitted to the Chapters within a very short time.

About April 29, 1902, a correspondent of a local fraternity in the University of Vermont opened negotiations with the E. C., looking to the submission of a petition. Some correspondence followed and as no encouragement was given, the petition was never submitted.

Upon June 14, 1902, eleven students in the Colorado Agricultural College, located at Fort Collins, Colorado, presented a petition, asking for a charter from the Fraternity. After such investigation as courtesy and fairness demanded, upon September 30 the E. C. voted unanimously to refuse to recommend the petition and the same was withdrawn without submission to the Chapters.

Incorporation of the Fraternity.

It may be of interest to know that the Executive Council and the Attorney General have taken up plans looking to the incorporation of the Fraternity. This is to secure certain advantages under the laws of some states which are not now present to the organization. The matter will be early consummated.

Chapter Houses.

The situation with respect to Chapter houses has materially changed during the year. A year ago, with a Chapter roll of thirty-nine active Chapters, the record exhibited Chapter house ownership, six; rental, twenty-three; total occupancies, twenty-nine; and building lot ownership, seven. Ten Chapters used rented halls for Chapter meetings.

This year the Chapter roll is inclusive of forty active Chapters. The record, for which reference is made to the appended table, discloses Chapter house ownership, ten; rental, twenty; total house occupancies, THIRTY; and building lot ownership eleven. Ten Chapters use rented meeting halls. The total Chapter house occupancy is only one greater than last year, but it will be noted that the important change is in the number owned as compared with the number rented.

A detailed examination shows the following changes: In the First District, Pennsylvania Epsilon credited by mistake heretofore with only possessing a rented meeting hall, specifically calls attention to the error and claims the "first house ever built by Phi Psi." This is correct and it is due to the Chapter to have the correction made at this time. No alteration is to be made for the Second District over the record of last year, as to occupancy. The addition of a new Chapter, Rhode Island Alpha, increases the number of rented halls by one. In the Third District, the first record of an owned house is made, West Virginia Alpha. Mississippi Alpha, on account of the university authorities forbidding house occupancy, goes back from possession to the use of a rented meeting hall. The most excellent comparative situation is to be found in the Fourth District. Illinois Beta and Indiana Alpha have changed from rented to ownership. Ohio Alpha has surrendered the meeting hall occupied for twenty years or more and re-entered a rented house. Ohio Delta announces the proposed occupancy of a rented house upon January 1, 1903. Whether this has been done has not since been learned. The situation in the Fifth District remains unchanged. Again, the increase of ownership of building lots is to be credited to Pennsylvania Beta, Minnesota Beta, Illinois Beta and Wisconsin Gamma. In the cases of the latter two, there may be a slight inaccuracy, as the building lot reported may not be additional to that owned directly in connection with the house.

FORTY CHAPTER HOUSES FOR PHI KAPPA PSI.

All will agree that this is a splendid record. As the result of four years special agitation in this matter, it is especially reassuring. As the particular movement was instituted by the writer, he may be pardoned a personal pride over the outcome. It has been the one thing which has enabled the Fraternity to keep abreast of the forward march of the progress and development of all Greek letter organizations.

Announcements have already been made with respect to the new Chapter houses. However, they should be repeated in connection with the foregoing resume. West Virginia Alpha was the recipient of a \$10,000 Chapter house through the generosity of Mrs. Cochran. Her son died while an active member of Pennsylvania Iota less than two years ago. Mrs. Cochran bought one of the handsomest houses in Morgantown early last spring and presented it to the Chapter, through Dr. Buchanan of Morgantown, a memorial to her son. This splendid gift was accepted in greatest enthusiasm and with the true spirit of appreciation.

July 1 last, Illinois Beta entered her new permanent Chapter house at No. 5635 Lexington Ave. Brother Lincoln M. Coy, an alumnus of the Chapter, is largely responsible for the success of the venture. The house is of red pressed brick, three stories high, with all modern improvements. It has twenty-two rooms and four lavatories and is furnished throughout with hardwood floors. It approaches in every way the ideal Chapter house. Its valuation is placed at \$27,000.

Indiana Alumni have displayed their usual ability to give permanent form and substance to their zeal and enthusiasm in the purchase a handsome house for Indiana Alpha. It is claimed to be one of the finest pieces of property in Greencastle and occupying the best lot for fraternity purposes to be found. It was turned over newly and elegantly furnished by the former owners. Its valuation is returned at the figure \$12,000.

The new acquisitions during the year by California Gamma and Beta are also to be noted. They are a source of congratulation.

The Purdue University Phi Kappa Psi Association is a growing corporation which will provide abundantly for Indiana Delta in this connection before many months have passed. Other Chapters are exploiting schemes which will soon produce practical results.

The movement has had a flattering inception. The agitation is not yet at fever heat. The requirement of the Grand Arch Council and Executive Council still continues in force. No Chapter is relieved from the demand that it SHALL ENTER A HOUSE. Faculty intervention is the only excuse. It has been demonstrated again and again that even in the less anticipated cases, IT CAN BE DONE, and IT MUST BE DONE. PHI KAPPA PSI MUST BE OCCUPYING FORTY CHAPTER HOUSES before two years more roll around. There is a tremendous responsibility resting upon some one. Who will loyally discharge it?

The Estes Park Country Club.

Undoubtedly the most unique organization in the history of the Fraternity, and one with the most unusual object as far as fraternities generally are concerned, has been launched by Colorado Phi Psis. It is "The Estes Park Country Club, under the auspices of the Rocky Mountain Alumni Association of Phi Kappa Psi." The latter is an incorporated body with officers and directors as follows: S. S. Large, Pa. Alpha '83, president; F. C. Vickers, Ill. Alpha, treasurer; E. R. March, Ohio Beta '84, secretary; Dr. J. N. Hall, Ill. Alpha '78, and Dr. L. B. Lockard, N. Y. Beta '94. A letter from the secretary best sets forth the purposes of this corporation. It follows:

"December 30, 1902.

"Dear Brother Monnette: Here is a real Rocky Mountain scheme which is inspired by Phi Psi spirit of the real 'sixty mile per hour' quality. We are incorporated and have bought 300

acres of land to build our Lodge on where we can hold a three months' camp meeting every year. It has taken us less than two weeks of actual hustling to get this far and we are now out to float some stock to build our house with. We want to spend about \$8,000 on a large rustic mountain Lodge built of logs and make a place where a member can come with his family and spend the summer trout fishing, golf speiling, and indulge all his habits a different way from any he has ever known. We think we are hot members and we are here to deliver the goods. Here is where the 'touch' comes in. We want to borrow twenty-five of your best Phi Psi dollars to build this house and to buy a cook stove with. Send us this \$25 and we will send you twenty-five shares of our stock which says on the face of it that you may bring it to the Club and use it in payment of any and all accommodations you may get while there in the way of a night's lodging, or nourishment, etc. Or if you can't come yourself, you may transfer the privilege to any friend who is coming out for a vacation. So you see we have got you where you can't say 'NO,' but you will just have to dig in the good old Phi Psi way and get every brother in Bucyrus that has any money that is not working. We have got 200 members on this basis outside of Colorado and we will have a plant that cost us \$12,000 and one you would not take any kind of money for.

We enclose membership blanks which the men signed here for ten years, but we do not ask that of out of Colorado men.

We hope that you will put this before every member in town as we will not be able to write all of you personally and we can use the money as soon as you can get it here in order to be ready to break loose July 1. We will thrust "formal" invitations upon you about April and you must all get your habits ready and come out and we will 'show you.' Most enthusiastically and fraternally yours, Edward R. March, Sec'y."

A copy of membership contract also follows:

"CONTRACT FOR MEMBERSHIP

"The Estes Park County Club Association.

"I hereby subscribe for membership in the Estes Park Country Club Association, for which I agree to pay the sum of, Dollars initiation fee, and the sum of \$10 for annual dues, payable annually on the first day of May each year for the term ofyears from date hereof. In consideration of the above payments I am to receive.....shares of the stock of the above Association.

"It is further agreed that the lessee of said Association will accept said shares at their par value of \$1 each in payment for indebtedness incurred by myself or my assigns, upon the premises of said Association according to contract printed upon the certificate of said shares. Signed..... Date190...."

This is an excellent movement and ought to be encouraged. And, some time when we have all come to a realization of the urgent necessity for a change of the time of holding the G. A. C.,

our convention will be entertained in one of the most beautiful and picturesque places on the American Continent. In any event, the old plan of summer assemblies ought to be revived. Let us try to give the Club a visit this year.

William Gordon Letterman Scholarship Fund.

All recall the initiation of the son of one of the founders of the Fraternity at the G. A. C. last April, in Canonsburg, William Gordon Letterman. The scene was inspiring. It was, indeed, most appropriate that the son should have been initiated at this time and place. It was the spontaneous outburst of enthusiasm and gratitude for the life and labors of our honored William H. Letterman in the Fraternity's behalf, that something permanent and practical should be bestowed upon the son in evidence of this feeling. The G. A. C. magnanimously responded to the suggestion and established the Letterman Scholarship Fund, whereby a four years' collegiate course is guaranteed to our worthy younger brother, without cost to him. The Fraternity provides the greater part of this fund from the regular revenues. However, a part is to be raised by voluntary subscription. Excepting the pledge of the New York Alumni Association, amounting to a securing of the deficit, the amount subscribed has only reached \$291.60. The example of the Rocky Mountain "boys" is worthy of an imitation. A meeting was called by them in November with this as its specific object. Fifty dollars was raised in short order, with promise of more. This matter ought to receive attention before the collegiate year closes, in more generous manner. The enterprise is deserving of unstinted support.

Brother Letterman entered the University of Michigan last fall and has been pursuing his studies there during the year. He greatly appreciates the gift at the hands of the Fraternity and is ambitious to merit it by his conscientious work and good scholarship.

District Council Meetings.

The several District Councils of the Phi Kappa Psi Fraternity will convene upon April 15 and 16, 1903, as follows:

District I.—Gettysburg, Pa., under the auspices of Pennsylvania Epsilon.

District II.—Syracuse, N. Y., under the auspices of New York Beta and the Syracuse Alumni Association, (soon to be formed).

District III.—Baltimore, Md., under the auspices of Maryland Alpha and the Baltimore Alumni Association.

District IV.—Springfield, Ohio, under the auspices of Ohio Beta and the Springfield Alumni Association.

District V.—Iowa City, Iowa, under the auspices of Iowa Alpha.

The Executive Council congratulates the Fraternity upon the promising outlook for the successful District Council meetings, and expresses the hope that this may be realized in gratifying results secured in these conventions.

Alumni Letters.

Chapter historians are required to compile and mail to the alumni of their respective Chapters an annual letter in the nature of a report of the condition of the Chapter and collection of news items concerning undergraduates and alumni. The following Chapters complied with the requirement during the year: Pennsylvania Beta, Pennsylvania Gamma, Pennsylvania Epsilon, Pennsylvania Zeta, Pennsylvania Eta, Pennsylvania Theta, Pennsylvania Kappa, N. H. Alpha, Massachusetts Alpha, New York Alpha, New York Beta, New York Gamma, New York Epsilon, New York Zeta, Mississippi Alpha, Ohio Alpha, Ohio Beta, Indiana Alpha, Indiana Delta, Illinois Alpha, Illinois Beta, Michigan Alpha, Wisconsin Alpha, Wisconsin Gamma, Minnesota Beta, Nebraska Alpha, California Beta and California Gamma, making twenty-eight in all, an increase of one over last year.

THE CHAPTERS ARE INSTRUCTED TO ENFORCE THE REQUIREMENT. If the present historian fails in his duty, elect one who will, as this is important to the Chapter as well the general Fraternity.

Several letters coming to this office have been models of originality and newsmanship. That of Indiana Delta contains a feature which should appear in every one. It is repeated here:

"The Fraternities.—The past rushing season was marked by a general good feeling between the rival local chapters and they are all in good condition.

Name.	Established.	Members.
Sigma Chi.....	1875	16
Kappa Sigma.....	1885	18
Sigma Nu.....	1892	23
Phi Delta Theta.....	1893	26
Sigma Alpha Epsilon.....	1893	25
Phi Kappa Psi.....	1901	23
Phi Gamma Delta.....	1902	26
Total.....		156

"Only about eleven per cent. of the undergraduates are members of fraternities, thus giving a large number of good men to draw from. The present Freshman Class brought in a large number of good men who are quite evenly distributed among the fraternities. All the fraternities this year, with the exception of one, are located in Chapter houses."

Growth of Colleges and Universities.

Each Chapter is required to answer the following interrogatory in connection with its annual report: "Has your institution experienced any material growth during the past year, such as increase in student attendance, financial resources, property improvements, etc., and in which?" The replies made to this pertinent inquiry afford interesting information and proper matters for consideration bearing upon Chapter prospects: Washington and

Jefferson, "Increase in financial resources and new prep. dormitory built;" Allegheny College, "Increased student attendance, enlarged endowment, new buildings;" Bucknell University, "Increased attendance, new Physical Laboratory, increased endowment;" Gettysburg College, "Increase in student attendance, property improvements;" Dickinson College, "Gift to the college of \$5,000;" Franklin and Marshall College, "Received financial aid, completed new Science building;" Lafayette College, "New Chemical Laboratory, new Y. M. C. A. building;" University of Pennsylvania, "New Medical Laboratories and new gymnasium;" Swarthmore College, "Endowment fund of \$1,000,000;" Dartmouth College, "Financial resources increased by several hundred thousand dollars;" Amherst College, "Financial gains;" Brown University, "Increased financial resources and property improvements;" Cornell University, "Increased attendance and property improvements;" Syracuse University, "Thirty per cent. student increase, new engineering college, increased financial resources;" Columbia University, "Increased attendance and property improvements;" Colgate University, "Increased student attendance;" Brooklyn Polytechnic Institute, "New equipment, increased student attendance;" Johns Hopkins University, "Gain in financial resources, \$1,000,000 and 175 acres of valuable property;" University of Virginia, "\$10,000 Athletic field, several thousand dollars to medical and engineering departments and property improvements;" Washington and Lee University, "Increased attendance, \$125,000 increase in endowment, and library, increase in faculty;" University of West Virginia, "Increased student attendance, mechanical hall, armory, library;" University of Mississippi, "Increased attendance, \$197,000 appropriation by Legislature for new buildings;" Ohio Wesleyan University, "15 per cent. increase in attendance;" Wittenberg College, "Steam heating plant installed, Hanna Divinity Hall dedicated, increased attendance;" University of Ohio, "Increased attendance, bequest of \$210,000, State allowance increased by \$150,000, three new buildings now under construction;" DePauw University, "Increased attendance, increased endowment, new \$90,000 Science Hall;" University of Indiana, "Increased attendance, \$60,000 for Students' building, new \$100,000 Science Hall. campus improvements;" Purdue University, "Increased student attendance, \$75,000 agricultural building, \$65,000 Memorial Hall being constructed;" Northwestern University, "Increased attendance, installation of Bro. E. J. James as president of Northwestern University;" University of Chicago, "Many improvements in every way;" Michigan Alpha, "In every way." Beloit College, "Faculty enlarged, property improvements;" University of Minnesota, "About \$350,000 worth of improvements;" University of Iowa, "Property improvements, new Medical building, liberal appropriation from the State;" University of Kansas, "New Chancellor, \$75,000 Museum building, increased attendance;" University of Nebraska, "Property improvements, increased attendance;" Stanford University, "Completed and commenced several new buildings;" University of California, "Large increase in attendance, new buildings, gifts."

Chapter Meetings.

Passing down the entire Chapter roll, thirty-six of the Chapters hold regular Chapter meetings each week. The following hold their regular meetings every two weeks: New York Zeta, Maryland Alpha and Mississippi Alpha. The nights of the week usually devoted to these meetings are Friday and Saturday; with other Chapters Monday night is a favorite.

Two Important Matters.

a. Business Methods. The Fraternity has grown and developed in the flourishing manner shown in the recent half dozen years because of one factor insisted upon in the administration of affairs. There has been the more positive introduction of business methods, such as obtain with any well regulated and successful association, than ever before. This has brought many beneficial results. The General Fraternity has operated on a higher plane and to a more effective purpose than otherwise possible.

It is true at the same time, that such system, regularity and carefulness have not and do not obtain with at least twenty-five of our Chapters. This is a most unfortunate fact. Loose methods should soon come to an immediate end. If it is expected by undergraduates that alumni who are busily engrossed with the cares and activities of business life are going to give money, time and thought to the building up of a powerful organization, they must adopt business methods and prompt administration in the carrying on of Chapter affairs. There is neither space nor time set out in detail the specific points aimed at. One illustration will suffice. A letter on an urgent matter to a Chapter which goes unanswered altogether or remains so for thirty days and then is replied to, with school boy explanations, surely reflects a laxity somewhere which is exasperating. The rule of the Executive Council is to insist upon an immediate improvement in this respect.

b. Knowledge of Fraternity Government. There is a woeful ignorance in some quarters of what is set forth in the Constitution and what is the history and purposes of the organization. No less than one hundred letters of inquiry are answered every year, which the correspondent could answer himself upon an inspection of the Constitution. The just pride which one has or ought to have in our beloved Phi Kappa Psi Fraternity, can only lead to the burning of midnight oil, if needs be, to delve in, investigate, study and master the law and rules, the system of government, the Chapter roll, official directory, the musical, historical, journalistic and biographical lore of the Fraternity. Each member should not content himself with less than being a walking encyclopedia and dictionary on Phi Psi matters, no matter what their nature or classification.

Improvement along these two lines is particularly desired. Will the purposely sharp criticism sting some thoughtless and negli-

gent brother into an activity which will speedily dissipate the causes of reproach?

Attorney General.

Since merited praise and generous recognition are the only compensation afforded him, this report will not be complete without mention of our faithful co-laborer, Bro. Henry Pegram. Deserved commendation without stint and without reserve should be bestowed upon him in acknowledgement of his capable and efficient services to the Fraternity. His office is rapidly becoming the most important in the Fraternity. To this date, he has delivered thirty-eight elaborate opinions upon constitutional and governmental questions, which will, if the principles of stare decisis be followed, form the most valuable law and jurisprudence of the organization for many years to come. These opinions are carefully prepared, thorough and replete with legal learning. In addition, the work of the Attorney General on the By-laws of the Executive Council and for the Chapters has already received notice. Let each give honor to whom honor is due.

Rival Organizations.

Competition, honorable and spirited, between rival fraternities, gives spice and snap to the annual contest for the best men. It is, in a certain measure the vital essence of the Greek letter system. What have our worthy opponents been doing during the year? Kappa Sigma entered Dickinson College in February, 1902. Psi Kappa Alpha was organized in Lafayette College in May. Chi Phi has absorbed the local society Alpha Alpha Omega at Dartmouth. The number of fraternities at Brown has been increased by the entrance of Phi Gamma Delta in May, 1902. The same fraternity also entered Syracuse University the latter part of 1901. Sigma Nu's Chapter at Washington and Lee University was revived last fall. Phi Kappa Sigma entered Vanderbilt in May last. Phi Gamma Delta established a Chapter in Purdue University in June, 1901. Phi Kappa Sigma has withdrawn from Northwestern. Phi Gamma Delta has also entered the University of Chicago and University of Michigan. Kappa Sigma and Sigma Nu also placed Chapters in the latter institution. Sigma Nu and Alpha Delta Phi have entered Wisconsin. Alpha Tau Omega and Sigma Alpha Epsilon have been established in Minnesota. Sigma Chi has entered the University of Iowa. The Chapter of Alpha Chi Rho at the same institution has become a Chapter of Kappa Sigma. Alpha Tau Omega has entered the University of Kansas. Delta Kappa Epsilon has placed a Chapter in Leland Stanford and Psi Upsilon has entered the University of California.

Initiations.

The highest record ever made by the Chapters in the total number of initiates for any one year was 305. This was for the year ending December 15, 1901. It was an unprecedented increase of

82 over the preceding year. And also, an unrecorded net gain of 35 in two years. At the same time, there entered into that computation the initiates of two new Chapters, chartered during the year: Indiana Delta and Tennessee Delta, aggregating 47 members. This would be unlikely to occur very soon again.

With what satisfaction do we contemplate the showing of initiates for the year covered by this report. 301. To be true, it is three less than last year and includes the twelve charter members of Rhode Island Alpha. But deducting the latter and taking into account the 47 figuring in the other computation, it still discloses a net gain of 31 in one year, which is nearly double any previous net gain. This is splendid.

New York Beta leads with fifteen initiates. Pa. Kappa follows with a list of thirteen. Rhode Island Alpha and Massachusetts Alpha report twelve each. Pa. Gamma, Ohio Alpha, Indiana Beta and Minnesota Beta have initiated eleven each. The smallest number of initiates is two, by Virginia Beta.

Chapter Property and Debts.

The following little table for 1902 is significant:

	No. of Chapters	Real Estate Ownership	Mortgage Indebtedness	Personalty Ownership	Cost of Improvements	Chapter Debts
First District.....	9	\$ 7,900	\$ 1,500	\$ 5,500	\$ 2,575	\$ 800
Second District.....	8	51,400	22,475	9,225	835	300
Third District.....	6	10,000		1,050	150	
Fourth District.....	9	74,000		8,500	17,750	600
Fifth District.....	8	10,600		8,750	700	125
Totals.....	40	\$153,900	\$37,475	\$33,025	\$22,010	\$1,825

This is the banner financial report in the history of the Fraternity. This is an increase over last year in real estate ownership of \$49,000. There is, at the same time, an increase of mortgage indebtedness of \$14,505. The net valuation of real estate owned a year ago was \$81,930. This gives an increase in net valuation for the year of \$34,495, which is unprecedented. The Chapters, both those owning real estate and those possessing none, return personal property valuations to the amount of \$33,025, which is an increase of \$875. Chapter indebtedness, other than mortgage liens on real estate exist to the amount of \$1,825, which is \$161 less than a year ago. The very large sum of \$22,010 has been expended on improvements upon real estate and in accumulation of furniture and fixtures. Michigan Alpha has expended \$17,000 of this amount alone, as reported. This munificent financial showing is of a magnitude and import that it almost sweeps aside other conditions going to make up the resplendent status of the Fraternity.

Transfers.

The transfers of membership during the year number 18. This is very nearly the same as in preceding years. The number usually ranges from 17 to 22. Last year it was exceptionally large owing to the 140 alumni transfers from Indiana Gamma to Indiana Delta. New York Alpha had the heaviest gain in this respect, securing five additions to her membership by transfer. New York Zeta, Ohio Delta, Illinois Beta and Wisconsin Alpha made a gain of two each, while Indiana Delta, Indiana Beta, Maryland Alpha, Virginia Alpha, New York Gamma each secured one recruit by transfer. The East secured four transfers from the West and the West none from the East. The East, South, Middle West and West made several interchanges. The deductions may be carried further by an examination of the table submitted.

Expulsions and Dismissals.

Only one expulsion has been considered necessary as far as the Chapters are concerned during the year. Upon charges properly sustained Indiana Beta Chapter was compelled to exercise this severe prerogative and expel from membership Fred C. Van Voorst, of Monticello, Indiana, initiated in 1900.

The Executive Council has been called upon to take original jurisdiction of another case arising from Ill. Alpha Chapter. The charges in this case are of a serious nature. The proof is being submitted by the parties at the present time, but no decision has as yet been rendered upon the merits of the case.

There is no portion of the report which is approached by the writer with greater regret than where the facts call for comment upon dismissals and expulsions. There is a sentiment oft expressed, that expresses a strong appeal; "Once a Phi Psi, always a Phi Psi." True, that it is only a sentiment and yet is it not possible to avoid extreme action altogether, if each erring brother were kindly and unselfishly won back to the circle of loving hearts? Is an expulsion not a reflection upon an organization whose cardinal principle is fraternal love? It is said that kindness and gentleness will accomplish anything. If that brother who wanders from the "straight and narrow path" is made to believe and know there is forgiveness at the hands of his brothers and that there is something nobler offered by the Fraternity than his present course justifies, can a rightful and unselfish appeal to his better manhood be successfully resisted? The first great care is to be taken in the selection of a new man for membership. If he measure up to the required standard, no unforeseen disastrous results are likely to follow. But, if the Chapter be deceived in the newly found brother, rather than condemn, castigate, discipline or expel, in hasty or arbitrary manner, seek to instill and cultivate in such brother a high regard for honor and integrity, elements of true manliness and virtue, and that reverence and loyalty to the cogent principles of Phi Kappa Psi which will recall him from his untoward position and lead him

to honor her by honoring himself. This is, after all, the noblest code.

“Men so noble,
 However faulty, yet should find respect
 For what they have been; 'tis a cruelty
 To load a falling man.”

Delay and postpone extreme action until all other expedients fail. Then, when all else has brought no change of conditions, in sadness of heart, rather than with asperity of judgment, let the penalty pass which can be laid with the conscientious thought that it is honestly a derner resort. It is sincerely desired that these suggestions may not be offered in vain.

Annual Reports.

Comment has heretofore been made concerning the character of the reports submitted by the corresponding Secretaries of the Chapters, with respect to neatness, thoroughness and details of compilation. It will not add anything beneficial to particularize on this occasion. Each correspondent knows just how far he has been conscientious and just how careful he has been in his undertaking. He realizes now just to what extent he may be proud to contemplate his handiwork. Some of the reports submitted should be framed and preserved—but, for different reasons.

The five most complete, accurate and neat appearing reports presented, and the order named are those coming from Ohio Beta, Virginia Alpha, Massachusetts Alpha, Rhode Island Alpha and California Gamma. These are highly worthy of the special mention.

The fiscal year of the Fraternity ends on December 15. Allowing five days therefrom within which the farthest Chapter may be able to get its report to the Secretary's office the fairest limit for submission would be December 20. It is notable to relate that only eighteen were received by that date. Of this number West Virginia Alpha, New York Alpha, Kansas Alpha, Mississippi Alpha and California Beta first submitted reports in the order named. By January 1st, 15 more were filed. The remaining nine appeared, in response to telegrams and urgent letters, at irregular periods, the last to be received arriving upon January 15. Sufficient unto the purpose is the bare statement of the fact.

In Conclusion.

To every thing there is an end, as well as a beginning. If you have kept company with the writer through the recital up to this point, you have read the entire story of Phi Kappa Psi for 1902. Only the final word remains to be spoken. The account is committed to worthier hands and nobler hearts. I pray—

“Blame where you must, be candid where you can,
 And be each critic the good-natured man.”

If the report has been extended, consider the immensity of the subject. “Would lesser words suffice?” If it has been pervaded

with optimism, dare to own to a feebler faith. If it has been dry and barren to your mind, blame the tardy thought and faulty hand. If it has displayed euphemism, know that accuracy has not been sacrificed. If it has been severe, it has been kindly intended. If it has shown enthusiasm, of such is builded great structures. If it has reflected love and devotion to the cause, be assured it springs from a heart and soul possessed of the fire from off the altars of Phi Kappa Psi.

In recent years vigorous utterances have been given from the platform and pulpit concerning the brotherhood of man. Author and editor have written at length, discoursing on the theme. This proceeds from a new conception of the true purpose of righteous living. What of its applicability here? Every one holds his own creed and faith, and the more of a man is he for that. Religion is not fraternalism. Fraternity objects do not embrace religious cults and doctrines. And the one should not supplant the other. But each is founded upon the same principle, a spirit of altruism and unselfish consideration of the rights of others. When united in aim and endeavor, the true brotherhood is formed. What of the brotherhood of Phi Kappa Psi? Each member is a necessity to the happiness and prosperity of his other brothers. There is a practical application of the thought of our dedicated purposes to be sought out on every hand. In this, the brotherhood will be recognized and established. Then it will be "each for all and all for each." Then love will never be driven out by hate and broadened sympathies will wipe away indifference and selfishness, if any exist.

Were Phi Kappa Psi a world,

"Ah then shall all men's good

Be each man's rule, and universal love

Lie like a shaft of light across the land."

Very fraternally submitted,

ORRA E. MONNETTE,

Secretary.

January 30, 1903.



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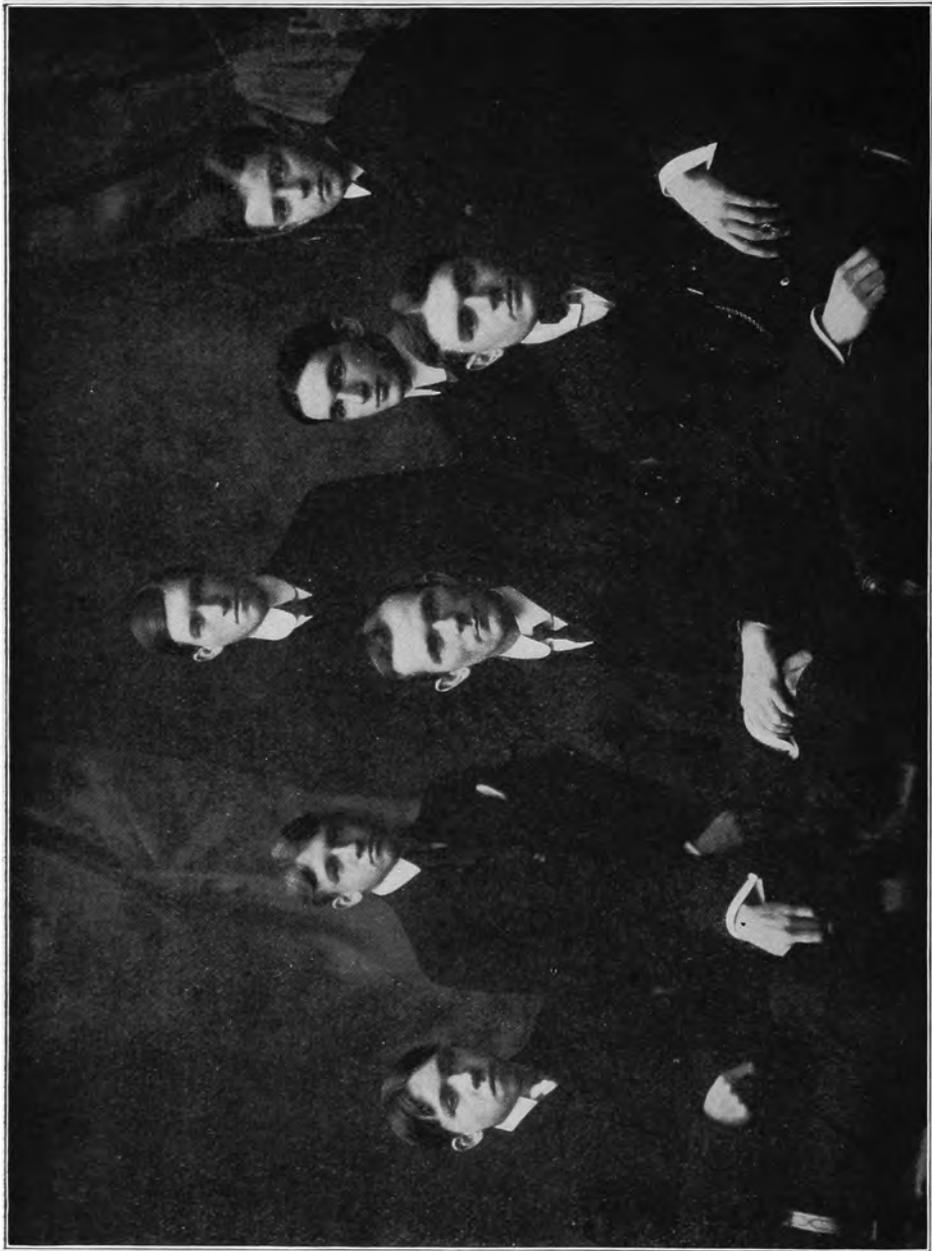


Pennsylvania Eta—Franklin and Marshall College.

G. Birkenbaugh	Peterson	Schock	Bell	Westerman	Stein	Bissinger	Brubaker
Graul	Hay	Snyder	Wint	Truxal	Frantz	P. Bridenbaugh	



New York Alpha—Cornell University.



Virginia Beta—Washington and Lee University.

W. R. Bledsoe

J. D. Hobbie

W. P. Lamar
Prof. W. R. Vance

G. E. Haw
J. W. Conover

B. S. Preston



California Beta—Stanford University.

H. H. Yerington	L. G. Dinwoodey	L. C. Ritter	W. Young	K. F. Kennedy	D. R. Wilson	G. F. Sanborne
K. E. Wigle	W. F. Carr	W. H. Evans	J. D. Carr	W. G. Deal		



Illinois Alpha—Northwestern University.

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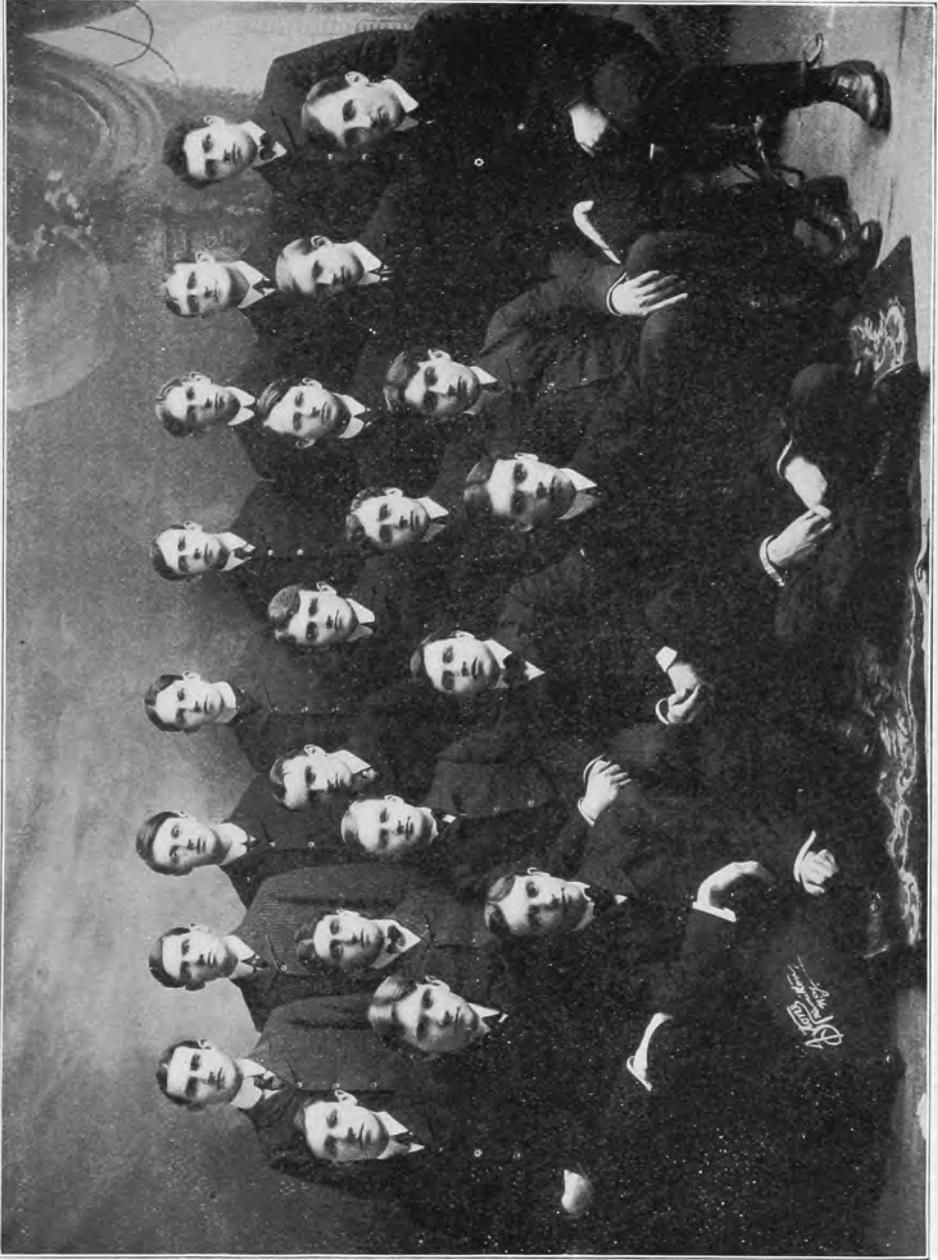
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New York Epsilon—Colgate University.

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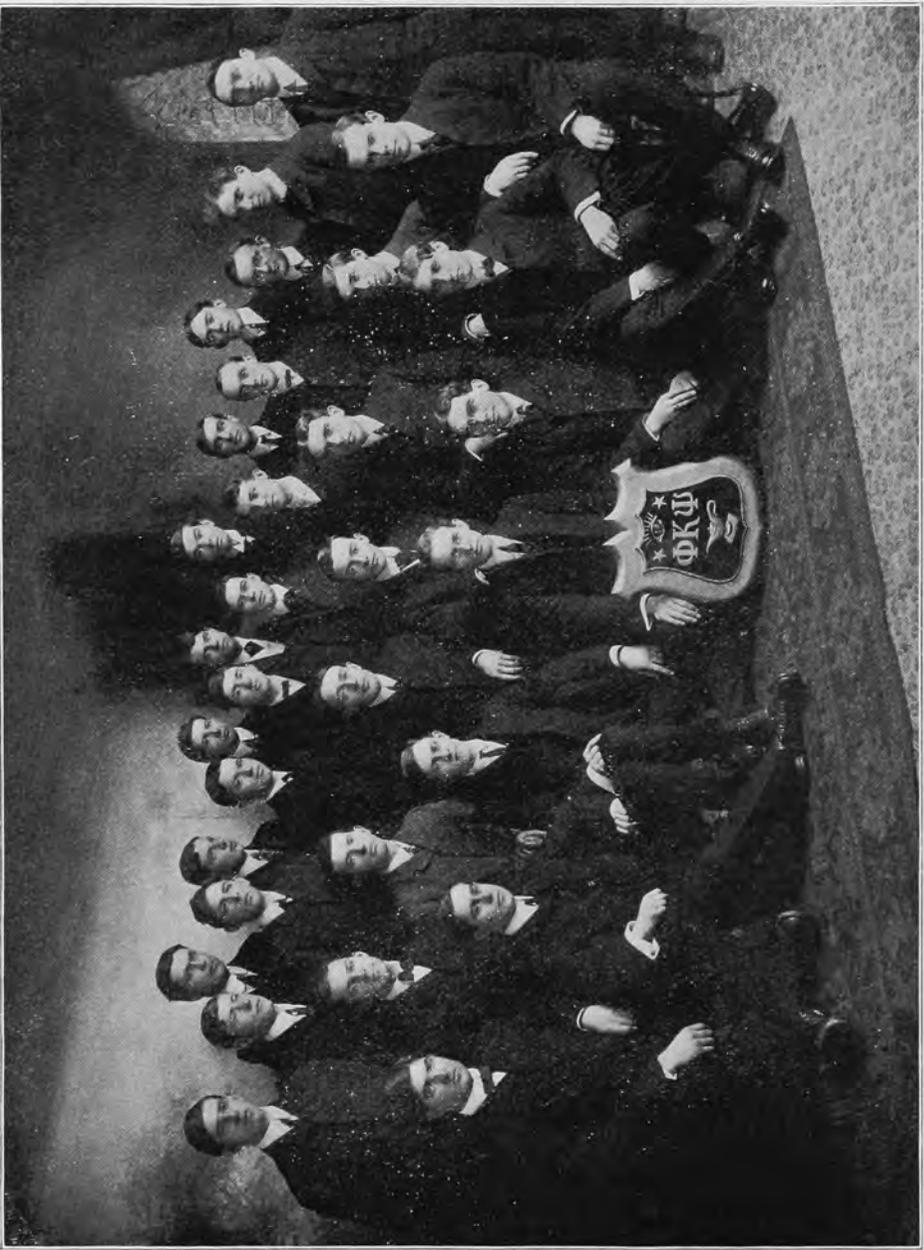


Ohio Delta—University of Ohio.

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| Hugh G. Beattay | E. J. Nelson | James E. Randall | Wakeman C. Bell | Calvin B. Ross | Willis E. Campbell |
| Egbert H. Mack | Chas. J. Stark | Geo. T. Hoffman | Stanley D. Winger | J.-Neil Reynolds | Dick F. Newmon |
| | | | | | Willie Holmes |



Pennsylvania Zeta—Dickinson College.

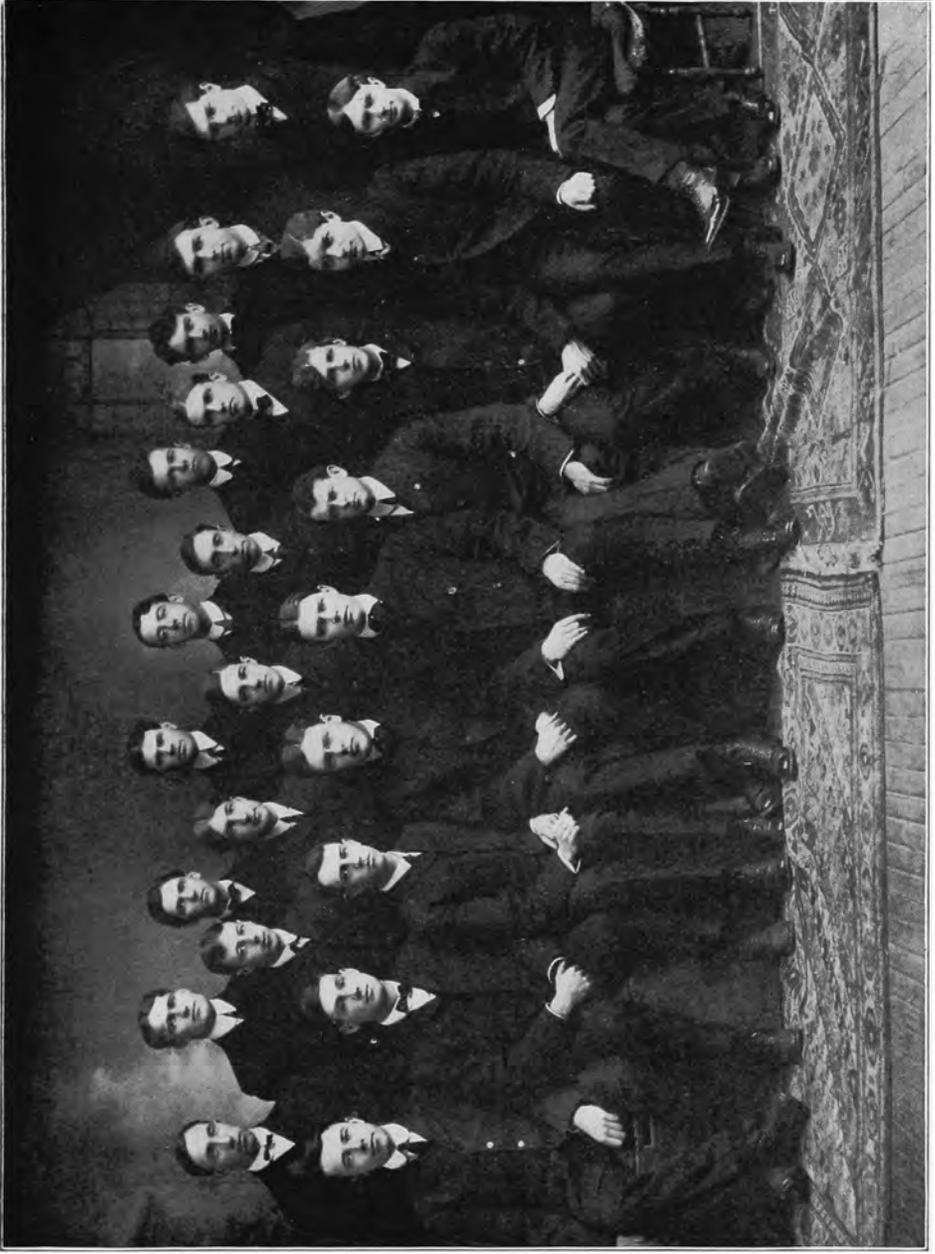


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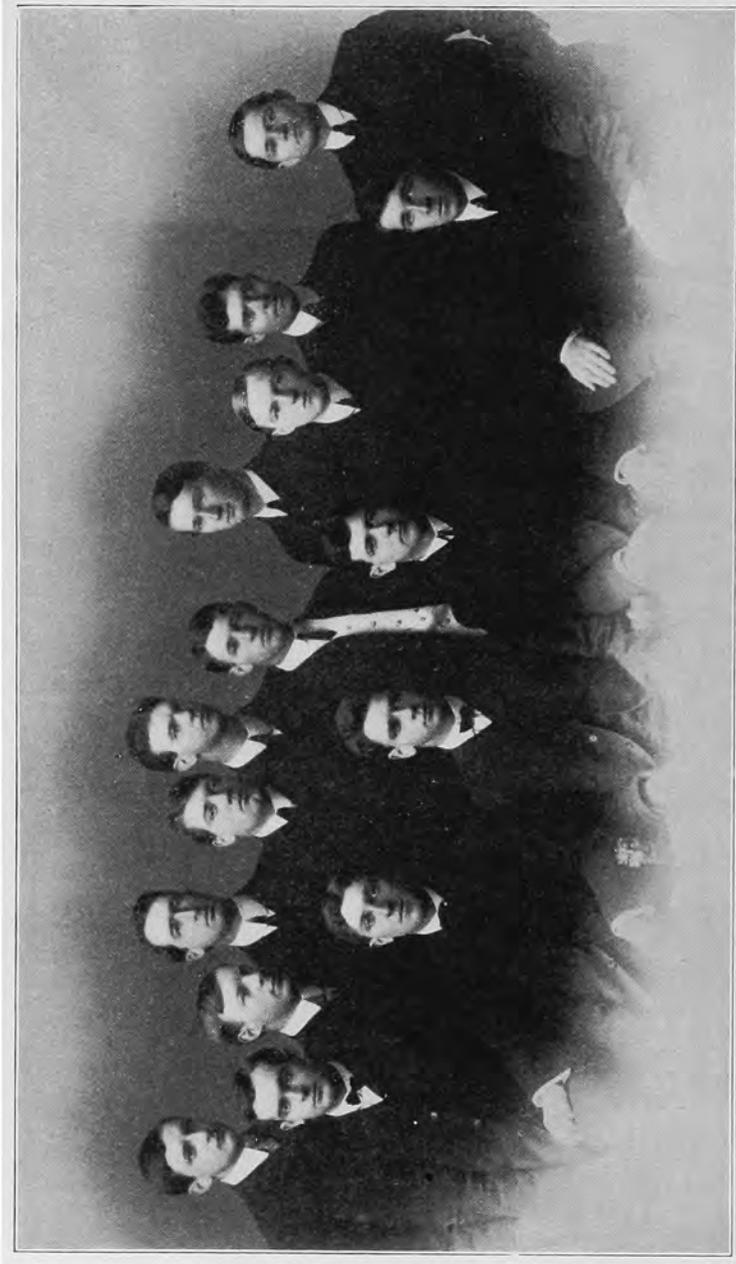
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| Beeler | Baker | H. Templeton | I. Templeton | Birdsall | Merritt | Janushek | Montgomery | Cheney | |
| Hurrell | Williams | Templeton | Terry | Elden | Middleton | Lowe | Farrington | Cooley | Haviland |
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Virginia Alpha—University of Virginia.



Minnesota Beta—University of Minnesota.



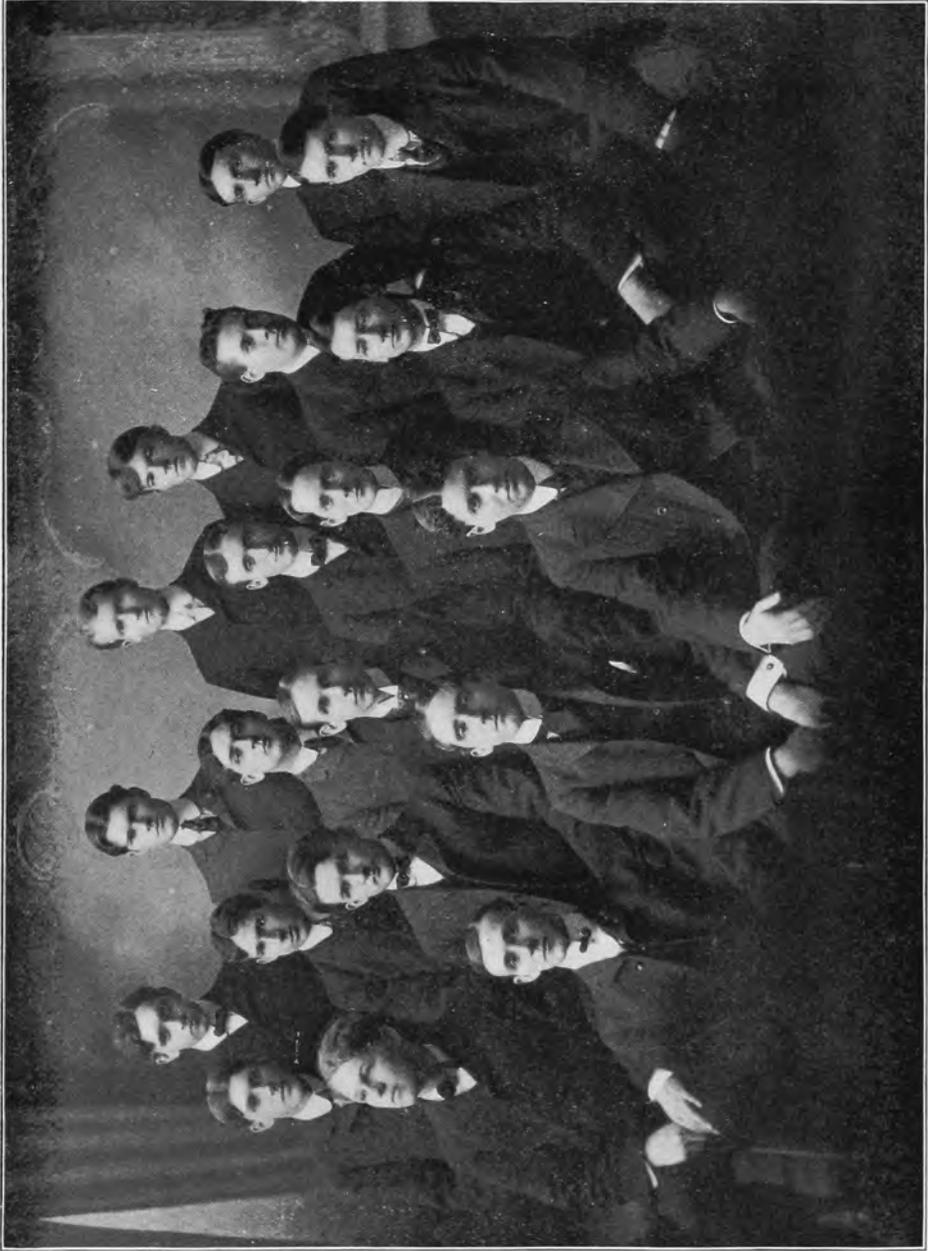
California Gamma—University of California.

Will Burney	Ray McFarland	Howard Hendricks	Stanley Smith	Jesse Pickett	John Sherman Bagg
Geo. F. Beard	Albert Howell	Frederick Gowing	Will Adams	Edgar Howell	S. Waiton Nicholls
	Reuben Morton	Russel Kline	John Marshall		



Ohio Br'n—Wittenberg College.

D. Trout	Weaver	Russell	Rayner	Gotwald	Jayne
Wigton	L. Trout	V. Trout	Barringer	Harris	Wheldon
		Tulloss	Lutz	Winger	
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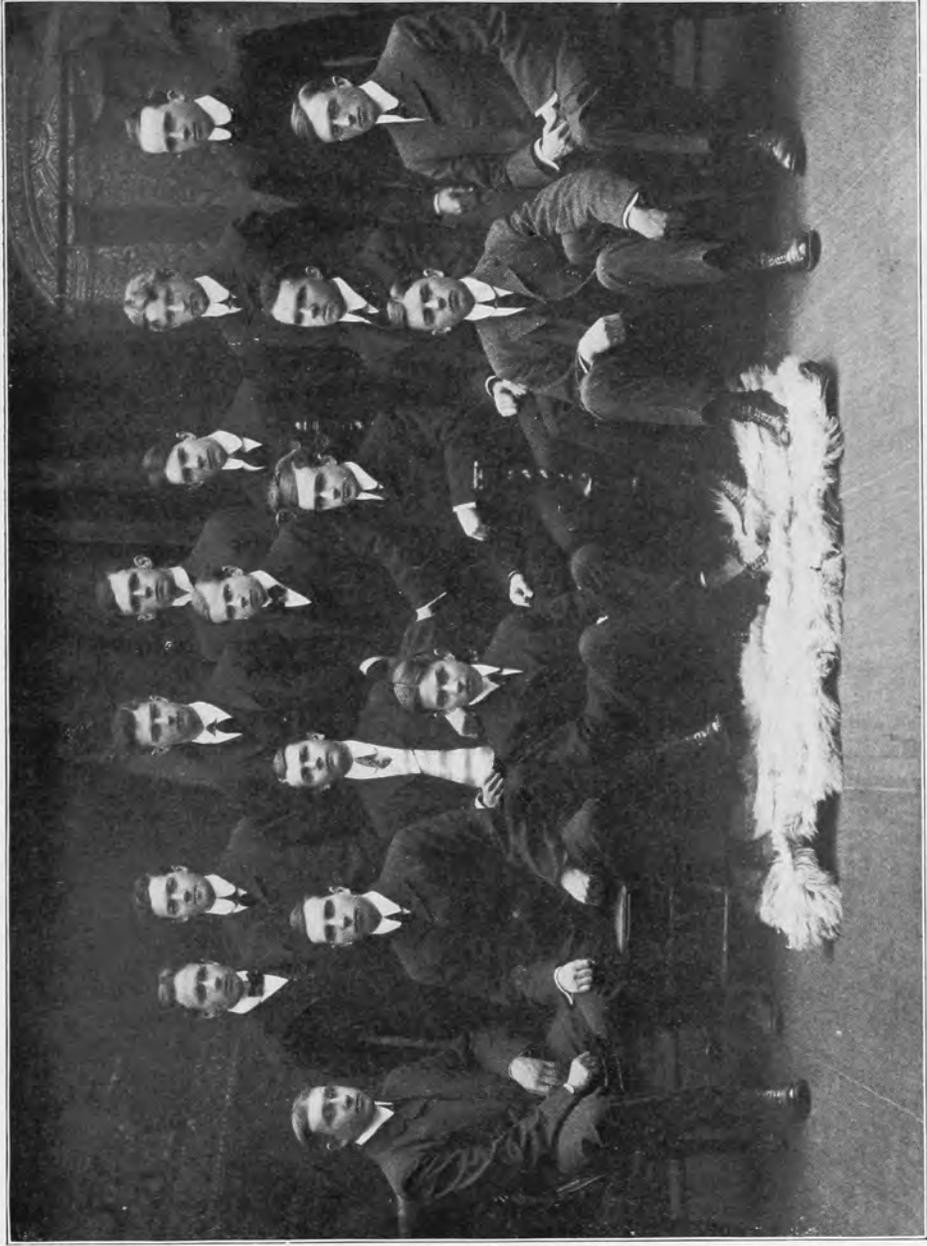
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Wisconsin Gamma—Beloit College.

Gray	Newlands	Whitfield	Rippin	Schellenger	Thomas	Hart	Slater
J. Thomas	Craven	Kelley	Fellows	Sparks	Thomas	Vogelsberg	Cory
			Taylor	Griggs	Wright		
			Edbrook				



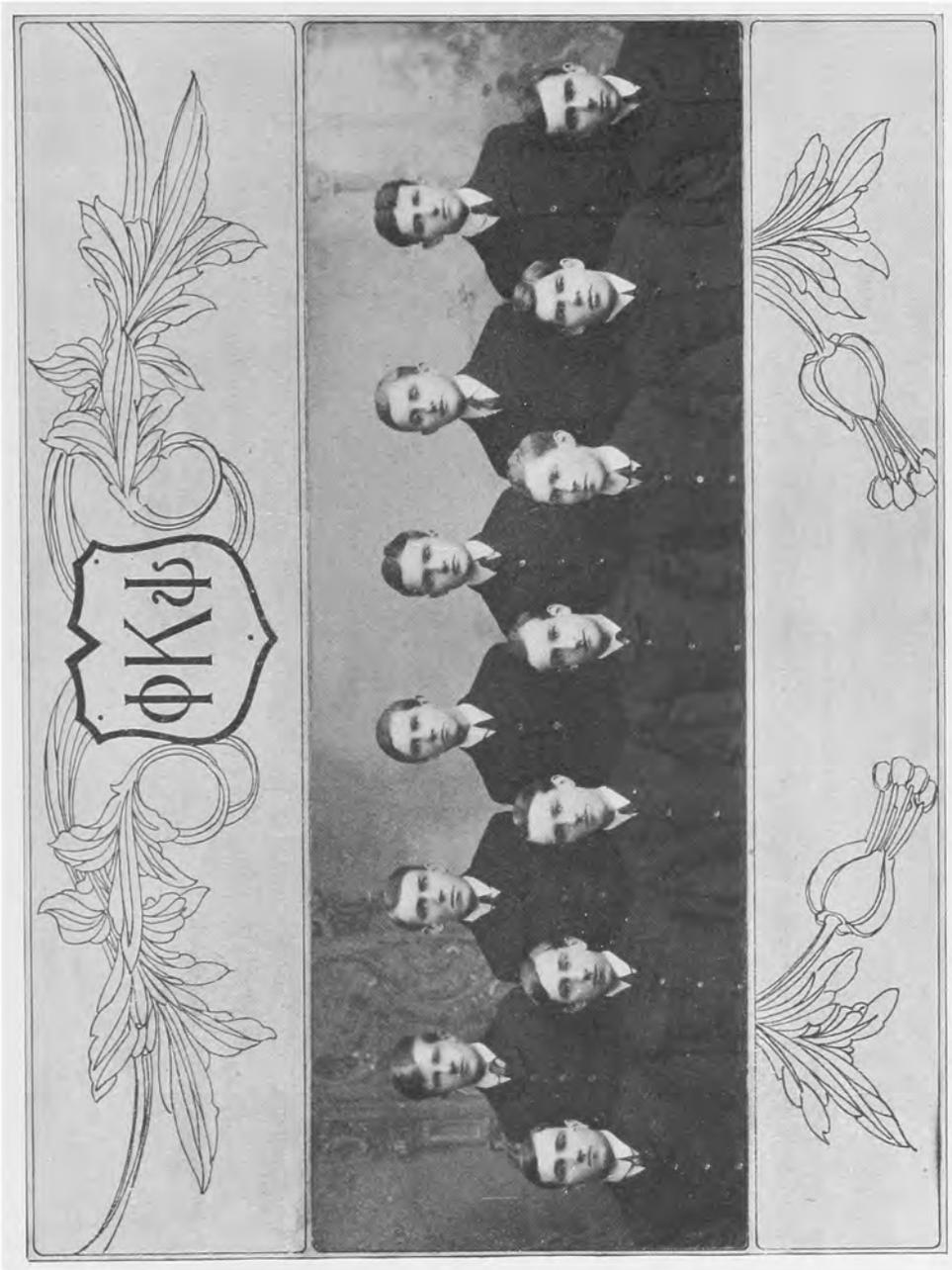
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| | Marshall | Worth | Kaugh | Gussem | Turner | Walker | |



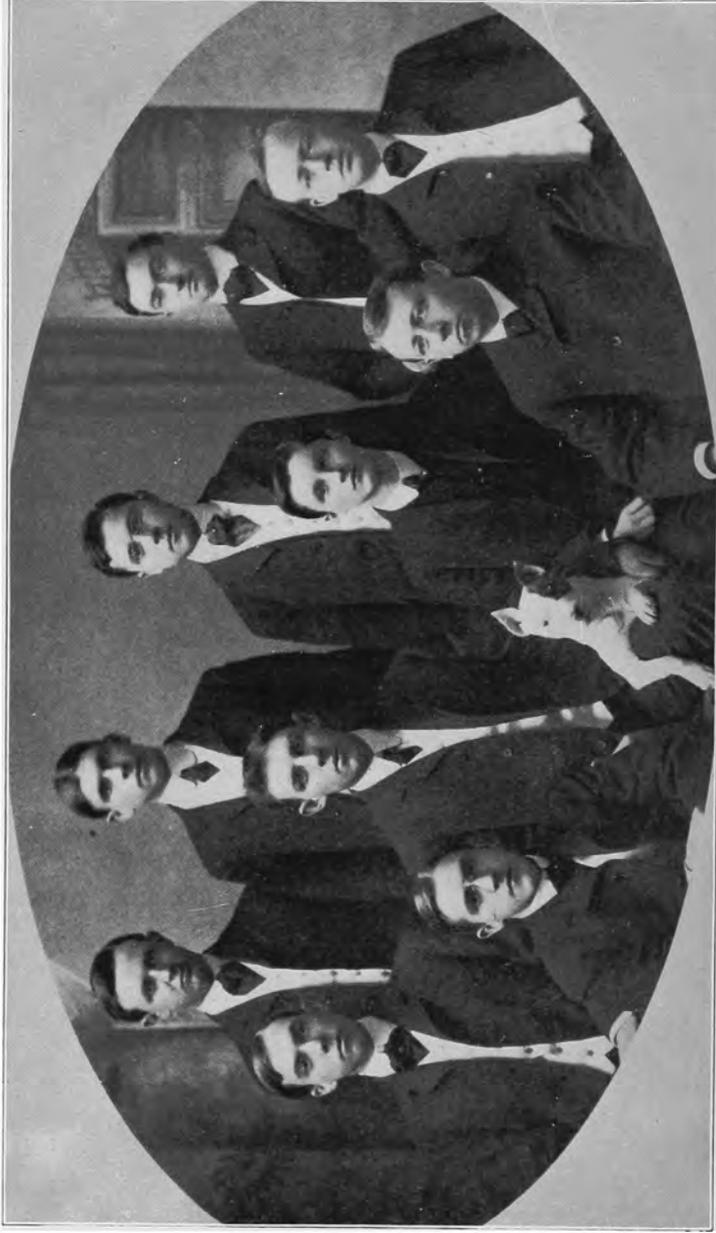
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Henley, E. B.	Bradley	Adams	Sweetnam	DeHaven	Palmer
Haywood	McCrea	Patterson	Rigley	Hardy	
	Sheerin	Neely	Kiath	Henley, C. C.	
			Nichols		
			Reynolds		



Pennsylvania Gamma—Bucknell University.

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| W. A. Bartol | W. H. Grier | G. C. Davis | R. J. Hess |
| P. G. Smith | D. R. McCain | | |



Pennsylvania Beta—Allegheny College.

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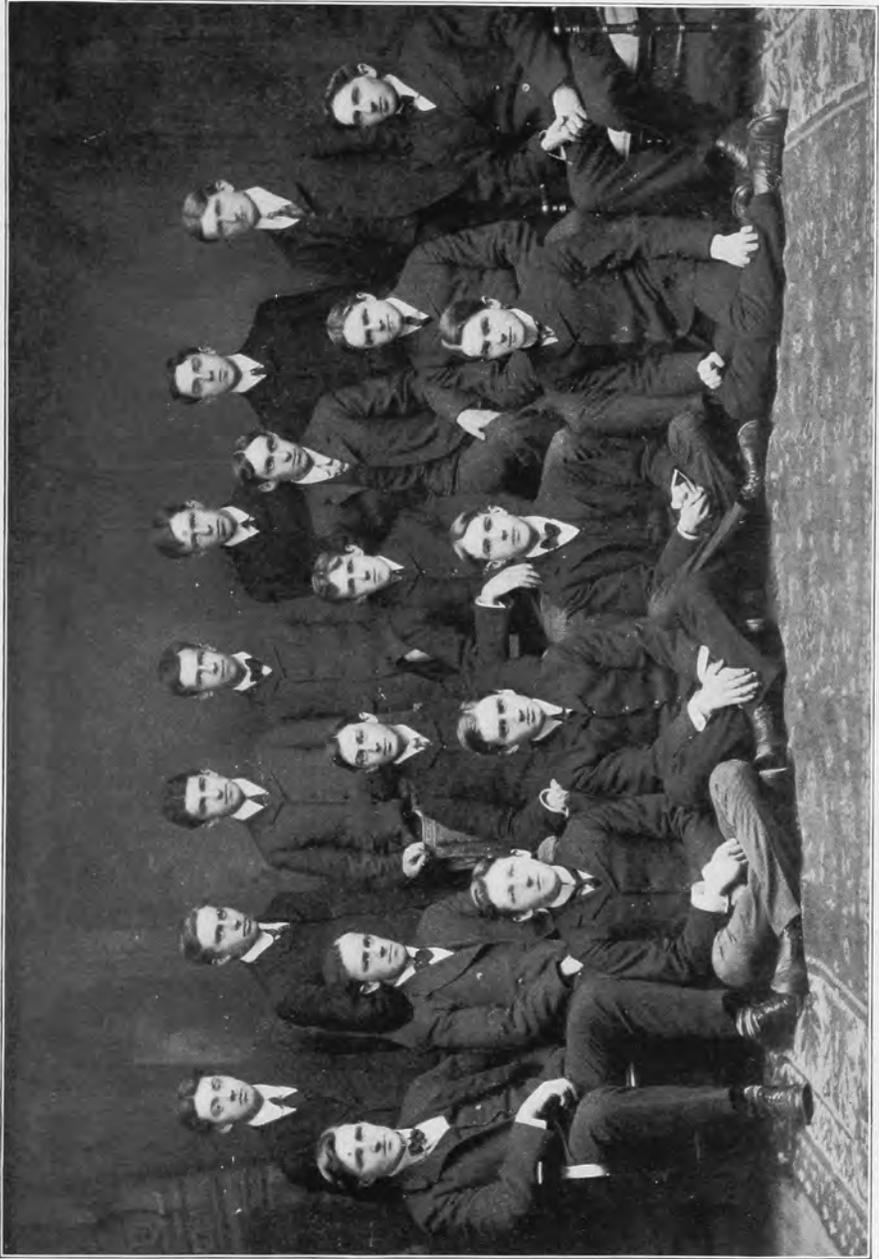
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Mook

Rags

Horner
Gleason

Nelson
Birk

Craig



Rhode Island Alpha—Brown University.



Iowa Alpha—University of Iowa.



Maryland Alpha—Johns Hopkins University.

Heald
H. Custis

Spencer
Foster

Jones

G. Custis

Smith

Ehlen
Opie

Marrison
Mood



Pennsylvania Epsilon—Gettysburg College.



Illinois Beta—University of Chicago.

Randle	Woods	Raymond	Meyers	F. R. Pettit	Van Velsor	Haarvig	H. W. Johnson
Johnston	W. F. Johnson	Hopkins	Volk	J. C. Neptune	R. C. Neptune	R. C. Neptune	B. M. Pettit
Mitchell	McAdoo	Garcelon	Swift	Ernst	Von Fesmar	Hibberd	Cornelius
		Sibley					



Mississippi Alpha—University of Mississippi.

Enochs

E. Hairston

Standifer

Strickland

J. Hairston

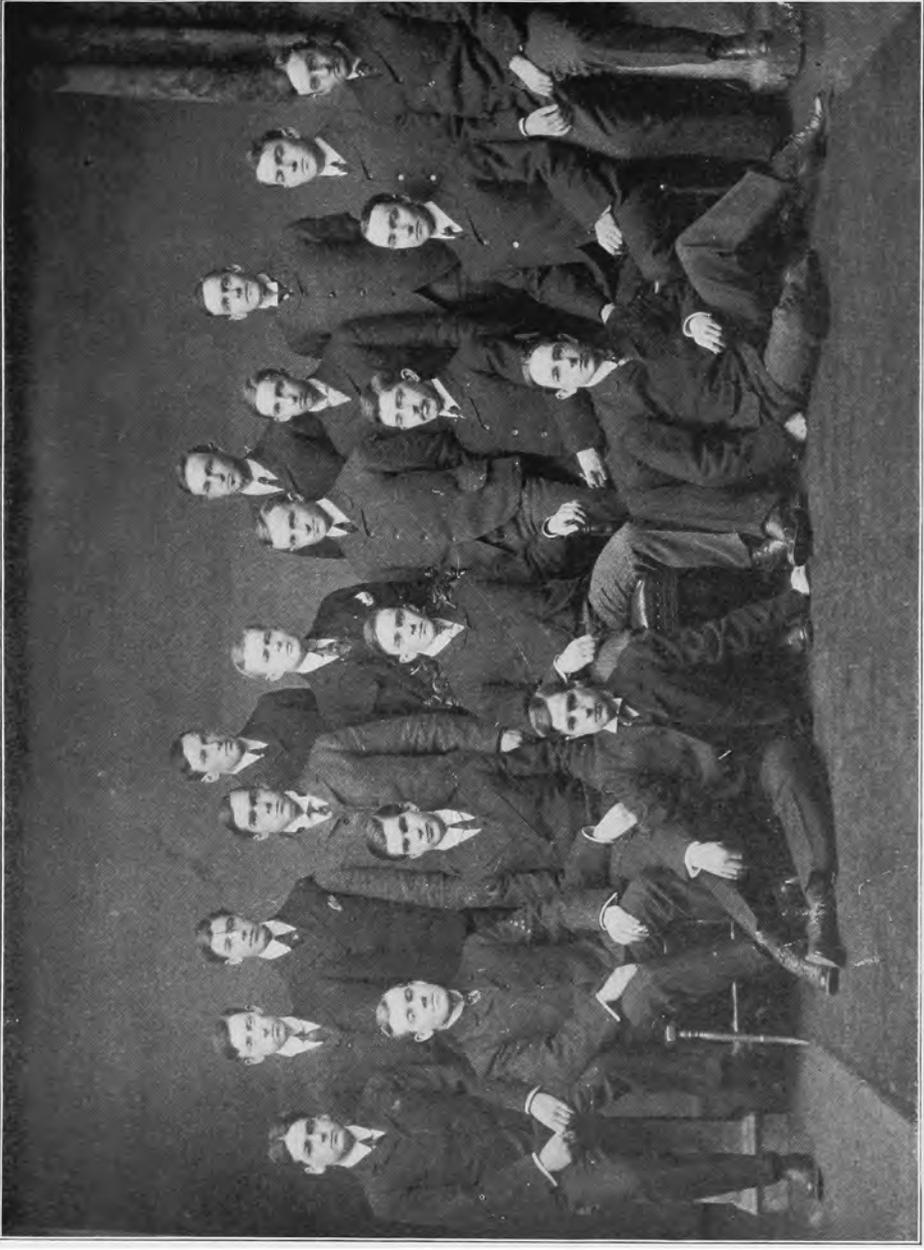
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Pennsylvania Alpha—Washington-Jefferson College.

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| Maurice Rivin | | Paul C. ... | | Alton B. ... | | |



New York Gamma—Columbia University.

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| | Sullivan | Stangland | Smith | Van Aucken | Anderson | McCaskell | | |
| | | | | Gissel | Wickes | | | |
| | | | | Hamilton | Burch | | | |

First District.

Archon—S. R. Zimmerman.

*Initiates. †Attendant Members, December 15, 1902.

PENNSYLVANIA ALPHA. Reported by J. H. Otto.

Name.	Residence.	Init.	Class.	Profession.
Albert Garfield Gill.....	Pittsburg, Pa.....	1898	1902	Law.
Andrew James Fulton.....	Tarentum, Pa.....	1901	1902	Banking.
†George Stewart Barnes.....	Shippensburg, Pa.....	1898	1903	Law.
†Earl Vance Braden.....	Wheeling, W. Va.....	1901	1903	Civ. Eng.
Clark Asa Schrontz.....	Washington, Pa.....	1900	1904	Medicine.
Ralph Simons Cunningham.....	Indiana, Pa.....	1900	1904	Business.
Robert Dunlop Fetterman.....	Pittsburg, Pa.....	1900	1904	Elec. Eng.
†Jacob Hamm Otto.....	Wheeling, W. Va.....	1901	1904	Law.
†Maurice Ritchie.....	Chambersburg, Pa.....	1901	1905	Theology.
St. Clair Woods.....	Sewickley, Pa.....	1901	1905	Law.
*†Allen Ross Dunn.....	Washington, Pa.....	1902	1906	Civ. Eng.
*†Garrett Guy Ash.....	Bradford, Pa.....	1902	1906	Medicine.
*†William Charles Donnon.....	Pittsburg, Pa.....	1902	1906	Law.
*†Walter Russell Carr.....	Uniontown, Pa.....	1902	1906	Law.
*†Charles Elliott Hays.....	Johnstown, Pa.....	1902	1906	Medicine.
*†Robert Isaac Hays.....	Johnstown, Pa.....	1902	1906	Civ. Eng.
*†Robert Buchanan Nelson.....	Chambersburg, Pa.....	1902	1906	Civ. Eng.
*William Gordon Letterman.....	St. Louis, Ill.....	1902	sp'1	Medicine.
*Byron Patterson Williams.....	Paris, Ill.....	1902	sp'1	Business.

PENNSYLVANIA BETA. Reported by J. Gayle Nelson.

Name.	Residence.	Init.	Class.	Profession.
R. D. Leffingwell.....	Kinsman, Ohio.....	1899	1902	Law.
†E. F. Craig.....	Warren, Ohio.....	1899	1903	Law.
*†J. Gayle Nelson.....	Conneaut Lake, Pa.....	1902	1904	Law.
H. B. Burtan.....	Brocton, N. Y.....	1901	1904	Architect.
J. P. Rickard.....	Bridgeport, N. Y.....	1901	1904	Engineering.
J. R. Crawford.....	Meadville, Pa.....	1901	1905	Law.
†C. J. Scott.....	Meadville, Pa.....	1901	1905	Law.
R. F. Wilson.....	Cleveland, Ohio.....	1901	1905	Law.
*H. H. Ashley.....	Machias, N. Y.....	1902	1906	Medicine.
*Roy H. Mook.....	Marion, Ind.....	1902	1906	Business.
*†H. B. Yard.....	Erie, Pa.....	1902	1906	Engineering.
*Roy Patterson.....	Meadville, Pa.....	1902	1906	Law.
*†W. P. Sturtevant.....	Meadville, Pa.....	1902	1906	Law.
*†W. W. Gleason.....	Meadville, Pa.....	1902	1906	Teaching.
*†W. E. Horner.....	Meadville, Pa.....	1902	1906	Law.
*†A. W. Burke.....	Meadville, Pa.....	1902	1906	Law.

PENNSYLVANIA GAMMA. Reported by Ralph Jacob Hess.

Name.	Residence.	Init.	Class.	Profession.
Calvin Hayes Elliott.....	Philadelphia, Pa.....	1899	1902	Medicine.
Raymond Green.....	Lewiston, Pa.....	1899	1902	Business.
John Black Packer.....	Sunbury, Pa.....	1899	1902	Law.
Frank White Stanton.....	Chinchilla, Pa.....	1900	1902	Law.
Lynn Delos Sweet.....	Canton, Pa.....	1900	1903	Business.
†Walter Bertolette.....	Maunch Chunk, Pa.....	1900	1904	Law.
†Edgar Taft Stevenson.....	Franklin, Pa.....	1901	1904	Journalism.
†Benjamin Franklin White.....	Bradford, Pa.....	1901	1904	Medicine.
*Charles Randolph Galbrath.....	Franklin, Pa.....	1902	1904	Dentistry.
*†Gilbert Mason Deats.....	Pittstown, N. J.....	1902	1904	Law.
*†Paul Garfield Smith.....	Harrisburg, Pa.....	1902	1905	Business.
*†John Beisl Smiley.....	Titusville, Pa.....	1902	1905	Civ. Eng.
*†Donald Rockefeller McCain.....	Philadelphia, Pa.....	1902	1905	Civ. Eng.
*†William Amos Warren Grier.....	Salem, N. J.....	1902	1905	Law.
*†William Andrew Bartol.....	Lewisburg, Pa.....	1902	1905	Civ. Eng.
*†John Charles Graff.....	Lewisburg, Pa.....	1902	1905	Law.
*†Ralph Jacob Hess.....	Williamsport, Pa.....	1902	1905	Law.
*†George Cresswell Davis.....	Milton, Pa.....	1902	1905	Medicine.
*†Charles Stephen Marsh.....	New Bethlehem, Pa.....	1902	1905	Mech. Eng.

PENNSYLVANIA EPSILON.

Reported by Chas. H. May.

Name.	Residence.	Init.	Class.	Profession.
†Uriah Francis White.....	Manheim, Pa.....	1899	1903	Law.
†Paul Augustus Martin.....	Boyd's, Pa.....	1901	1903	Law.
†Curtis Fisher.....	Johnstown, Pa.....	1900	1904	Business.
†Colstin Bernard Gladfelter....	Seven Valley, Pa.....	1900	1904	Art.
†Charles Henry May.....	Manchester, Pa.....	1900	1904	Medicine.
†Lloyd Klose Bingaman.....	Mifflinsburg, Pa.....	1900	1904	Banking.
†James Brown Graff.....	Worthington, Pa.....	1901	1905	Medicine.
†John Ellis Curtis Miller.....	New Oxford, Pa.....	1901	1905	Dentistry.
†George Gibb Hollinger.....	Abbotstown, Pa.....	1901	1906	Medicine.
*†Nathaniel Ruggles Whitney.....	Lykens, Pa.....	1902	1906	Law.
*†Ralph Otis Statler.....	Middletown, Pa.....	1902	1906	Dentistry.

PENNSYLVANIA ZETA.

Reported by Edwin Carlin.

Name.	Residence.	Init.	Class.	Profession.
†Lewis M. Bacon, Jr.....	Philopolis, Md.....	1898	1902	Law.
†Harry C. Wilbur.....	Bloomsburg, Pa.....	1898	1902	Journalism.
†J. Melville Arthur.....	Rock Hall, Md.....	1898	1902	Teaching.
†Reuben T. Nevling.....	Smith Mill, Pa.....	1898	1902	Business.
†Daniel P. Ray.....	Tyrone, Pa.....	1899	1903	Medicine.
†William L. Staunton.....	Camden, N. J.....	1900	1903	Actor.
†Ben E. Rogers.....	Danville, Pa.....	1900	1903	Law.
†Edwin Sierer.....	Chambersburg, Pa.....	1900	1904	Business.
†George E. Wilbur.....	Bloomsburg, Pa.....	1901	1904	Business.
†Harry R. Isaacs.....	Oakel, Delaware.....	1901	1904	Law.
†John W. Williams.....	Georgetown, Del.....	1901	1904	Ministry.
†Abram Bosler.....	Carlisle, Pa.....	1901	1905	Business.
†Edwin J. Carlin.....	Binghamton, N. Y.....	1901	1904	Law.
†Robert D. Cook.....	Newark, N. J.....	1901	1904	Law.
*†Wilbur L. Adams.....	Georgetown, Del.....	1902	1905	Law.
*†Henry F. Wile.....	Carlisle, Pa.....	1902	1906	Ministry.
*†Ralph O. Hall.....	Buck Creek, Pa.....	1902	1906	Elec. Eng.
*†Frank P. Barnhart.....	Johnstown, Pa.....	1902	1905	Law.
†Oliver B. Clevinger.....	Washington, D. C.....	1900	1904	Business.

PENNSYLVANIA ETA.

Reported by W. Curtis Truxall.

Name.	Residence.	Init.	Class.	Profession.
†Paul S. Bridenbaugh.....	Reading, Pa.....	1896	1903	Ministry.
†Benjamin K. Hay.....	Berlin, Pa.....	1897	1903	Ministry.
†Levi Rufus Bair.....	Lancaster, Pa.....	1898	1902	Business.
†Paul Reed.....	Beaford, Pa.....	1899	1902	Law.
†Harry A. Bell.....	Mount Union, Pa.....	1900	1903	Teaching.
†Edgar J. Stein.....	Kutztown, Pa.....	1900	1903	Medicine.
†W. Curtis Truxal.....	Meyersdale, Pa.....	1900	1904	Law.
†James R. Peterson.....	Mount Pleasant, Pa.....	1900	1904	Business.
†Rufus W. G. Wint.....	Calasqua, Pa.....	1901	1905	Business.
†Warren E. Snyder.....	Lancaster, Pa.....	1901	1905	Business.
†Philip Frank Shock.....	Mount Joy, Pa.....	1901	1905	Business.
†W. Mercer Brubaker.....	Lancaster, Pa.....	1901	1905	Business.
†John Westerman, Jr.....	Columbia, Pa.....	1901	1905	Law.
†Carl F. O. Graul.....	Mount Pleasant, Pa.....	1901	1905	Business.
*†John B. Bessinger, Jr.....	Lancaster, Pa.....	1902	1906	Law.
*†J. Paul Frantz.....	Lancaster, Pa.....	1902	1906	Medicine.
*†George B. Bridenbaugh.....	Reading, Pa.....	1902	1906	Medicine.

PENNSYLVANIA THETA.

Reported by Hugh M. Miller.

Name.	Residence.	Init.	Class.	Profession.
†Charles Lazarus Bryden.....	Pittston, Pa.....	1893	1902	Min. Eng.
†William Hiram Stroh.....	Mauch Chunk, Pa.....	1898	1902	Business.
†Robert Ashley Beers.....	Mauch Chunk, Pa.....	1898	1902	Business.
†Ralph Robert Carter.....	Mauch Chunk, Pa.....	1898	1903	Min. Eng.
†David Hubbell More.....	Bangor, Pa.....	1899	1903	Medicine.
†Charles Turner Sands.....	Philadelphia, Pa.....	1899	1903	Medicine.
†Walter Stanley Haldeman.....	Philadelphia, Pa.....	1900	1903	Civ. Eng.
†Edward Clayton Haldeman.....	Philadelphia, Pa.....	1900	1903	Civ. Eng.
†Richard Newell Hart.....	Easton, Pa.....	1900	1904	Chemistry.
†Thomas McKeen Chidsey.....	Easton, Pa.....	1900	1904	Law.
†Clarence Ricker Hopper.....	Newark, N. J.....	1900	1904	Civ. Eng.
†Thomas Franklin Soles.....	McKeesport, Pa.....	1900	1904	Law.
†Henry Metcalf Lewis.....	Tunkhannock, Pa.....	1900	1904	Business.
†Olin York Kite.....	Pittston, Pa.....	1900	1904	Medicine.

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†Walter Wallace Drew.....	McKeesport, Pa.....	1900	1904	Civ. Eng.
†Joseph James Kahler, Jr.....	Frackville, Pa.....	1900	1904	Law.
†Hugh McName Miller.....	Phillipsburg, N. J.....	1900	1904	Chemistry.
†Harrison Edward Knauss.....	Easton, Pa.....	1900	1904	Medicine.
†Silas Howard Schoch.....	Selin's Grove, Pa.....	1901	1904	Law.
†Charles Mortimer Elliot.....	Mansfield, Pa.....	1901	1905	Medicine.
†Henry Sherwood Young.....	Easton, Pa.....	1901	1905	Business.
†Joseph Pomeroy Maclay.....	Chambersburg, Pa.....	1901	1905	Law.
†Walter Aiken Godcharles.....	Milton, Pa.....	1901	1905	Chemistry.
†Charles Brearley Kennedy.....	Trenton, N. J.....	1901	1905	Elec. Eng.
†Samuel Williamson Nevin.....	Easton, Pa.....	1901	1905	Chemistry.
†Henry Joseph Patton.....	Curwensville, Pa.....	1902	1905	Law.
†Luis Gamboa.....	Merida Yucatan, Mex.....	1902	1905	Business.
†Domingo Evia.....	Merida Yucatan, Mex.....	1902	1905	Business.
*†Charles Gant Hartje.....	Pittsburg, Pa.....	1902	1906	Business.
*†John Gardiner Clemson.....	Pittsburg, Pa.....	1902	1906	Business.
*†Ralph Ernest Clemson.....	Pittsburg, Pa.....	1902	1906	Business.
*†Raymond Gray Barr.....	Pittsburg, Pa.....	1902	1906	Civ. Eng.
*†Frederick Chase Witte.....	Trenton, N. J.....	1902	1906	Civ. Eng.

PENNSYLVANIA IOTA.

Reported by G. H. Bickley.

Name.	Residence.	Init.	Class.	Profession.
†Lemuel Howell Davis.....	Philadelphia, Pa.....	1897	1904	Law.
†Walter Lee Sheppard.....	Philadelphia, Pa.....	1898	1904	Law.
Edward Harris Goodman, Jr.....	Philadelphia, Pa.....	1897	1902	Medicine.
Spencer Fullerton Weaver.....	Philadelphia, Pa.....	1898	1902	Business.
William Harley Mulford.....	Wyncote, Pa.....	1899	1902	Business.
Richard Schorse.....	Milwaukee, Wis.....	1899	1902	Medicine.
Morris Collins Zinn.....	Media, Pa.....	1900	1902	Business.
William H. Brown.....	Connellsville, Pa.....	1901	1902	Law.
Alexander M. Sparks.....	Philadelphia, Pa.....	1901	1902	Dentistry.
†George Washington Childs.....	Hinsdale, Ill.....	1899	1903	Business.
†Clarence DeArmond.....	Beverly, N. J.....	1899	1903	Architect.
A. Crawford Allison.....	Philadelphia, Pa.....	1899	1903	Business.
†James Ray Shoch.....	Philadelphia, Pa.....	1899	1903	Business.
†Sol Metzger.....	Bedford, Pa.....	1899	1903	Architect.
†Charles Frederick Owsley.....	Youngstown, Ohio.....	1900	1903	Architect.
†George Howard Bickley.....	New York City.....	1901	1903	Architect.
†John M. Gates.....	Tyrone, Pa.....	1901	1903	Business.
†Wakeman Griffin Gribbel.....	Wyncote, Pa.....	1900	1904	Engineering.
†Sidney J. Repplier.....	Reading, Pa.....	1900	1904	Medicine.
Charles Sawyers Bromley.....	Germantown, Pa.....	1900	1904	Business.
Harry Kennedy Cortright.....	Mauch Chunk, Pa.....	1900	1904	Business.
John George Repplier.....	Reading, Pa.....	1901	1905	Business.
†Frederick Warren Marshall.....	Langhorne, Pa.....	1901	1905	Business.
†John J. H. Evans.....	Germantown, Pa.....	1901	1905	Business.
†Alan Levin.....	Philadelphia, Pa.....	1901	1905	Business.
†Spencer Kennard Mulford.....	Wyncote, Pa.....	1901	1905	Business.
†Edward Warwick.....	Philadelphia, Pa.....	1901	1905	Business.
†Richard Miles Dewhurst.....	Allegheny, Pa.....	1901	1905	Engineering.
*†Blaney Alexander Beach.....	Joliet, Ill.....	1902	1905	Business.
*†Samuel Bradbury.....	Germantown, Pa.....	1902	1905	Medicine.
*†Lester Comley Bosler.....	Ogontz, Pa.....	1902	1905	Engineering.
*†Russell Bement.....	Philadelphia, Pa.....	1902	1906	Business.
*†John Scott Childs.....	Hinsdale, Ill.....	1902	1906	Engineering.
*†Duffield Ashmead, Jr.....	Philadelphia, Pa.....	1902	1906	Architect.
*†Charles Madison Riley.....	Philadelphia, Pa.....	1902	1906	Business.
*†Edgar Maurice Cortright.....	Mauch Chunk, Pa.....	1902	1906	Engineering.
*†Frederick Randolph Yost.....	York, Pa.....	1902	1906	Engineering.

PENNSYLVANIA KAPPA.

Reported by F. Bramwell Geddes.

Name.	Residence.	Init.	Class.	Profession.
J. Milton Griscom.....	Salem, N. J.....	1898	1902	Law.
William Webb Turner.....	Jenkinstown, Pa.....	1899	1902	Business.
George S. Worth.....	Coatesville, Pa.....	1900	1902	Business.
Edmund R. Week, Jr.....	Alexandria, Ind.....	1899	1903	Business.
†Byron Beans.....	Hartsville, Pa.....	1901	1903	Business.
William J. Latta Walker.....	Gap, Pa.....	1901	1903	Business.
George Victor Knipe.....	New York City.....	1901	1904	Business.
Thomas Bayne Marshall.....	Allegheny, Pa.....	1901	1904	Law.
Edward Morris Bassett.....	Salem, N. J.....	1901	1904	Business.
*†William Dulty Smith.....	Rutledge, Pa.....	1902	1905	Law.
*†Hamilton H. Gilkyson, Jr.....	Phoenixville, Pa.....	1902	1905	Business.
*†F. Bramwell Geddes.....	Swarthmore, Pa.....	1902	1905	Law.
*†Harry W. Knight, Jr.....	Overbroke, Pa.....	1902	1905	Business.

*†J. Archey Turner.....	Betterton, Md.....	1902	1905	Law.
*†James Janney Lippincott.....	Philadelphia, Pa.....	1902	1905	Law.
*Milton Day Kirk.....	Curwensville, Pa.....	1902	1905	Law.
*†Frederic Braham Terrell.....	San Antonio, Texas.....	1902	1905	Business
*†Phillip M. Hicks.....	Avondale, Pa.....	1902	1905	Business.
*†J. Walter Passmore.....	Nottingham, Pa.....	1902	1906	Business.
*†R. Leslie Ryder.....	Swarthmore, Pa.....	1902	1906	Law.
*†Homer S. Kent.....	Swarthmore, Pa.....	1902	1906	Business.
*†Wilmer G. Crowell.....	Philadelphia, Pa.....	1902	1906	Business.

Second District.

Archon—Arthur W. Towne.

*Initiates. †Attendant Members, December 15, 1902.

NEW HAMPSHIRE ALPHA. Reported by Harris W. Fleming.

Name.	Residence.	Init.	Class.	Profession.
William Henry Mahoney.....	Miller's Falls, Mass.....	1898	1902	Teaching.
Charles Howard Dudley.....	Littleton, N. H.....	1897	1902	Teaching.
Charles Morrison Hubbard.....	New Britan, Conn.....	1898	1902	Business.
Thomas L. Barnes.....	Waltham, Mass.....	1898	1902	Law.
Herman Keidel de Anguera.....	Wakefield, Mass.....	1898	1902	Business.
Albert Henry Shilling.....	New Britan, Conn.....	1898	1902	Engineering.
John Sanborn Gilman.....	Farmington, N. H.....	1898	1902	Teaching.
George A. Passage.....	St. Paul, Minn.....	1898	1902	Law.
Benjamin Willard Alling.....	Kensington, Conn.....	1898	1902	Law.
John Endicott Porter.....	Danvers, Mass.....	1898	1902	Law.
Chester Arthur Studwell.....	Port Chester, N. Y.....	1901	1902	Engineering.
†Hamlin Perley Bennett.....	Farmington, N. H.....	1899	1903	Business.
†Ralph Preble Keyes.....	Somerville, Mass.....	1899	1903	Business.
†Julius Bernhardt Walther.....	Woonsocket, R. I.....	1899	1903	Law.
†Cleland Richardson Neal.....	Newesbery, Mass.....	1899	1903	Law.
†Marcus Richard Brown.....	Fall River, Mass.....	1900	1903	Medicine.
†Cyril Austin Smith.....	Middleboro, Mass.....	1901	1903	Law.
†Henry Monroe Hall.....	Dover, N. H.....	1900	1904	Business.
†Daniel Capron Norton.....	New Britan, Conn.....	1900	1904	Law.
†Linwood Story Durgin.....	Lewiston, Maine.....	1900	1904	Law.
†Robert Chester Fiske.....	Hyde Park, Mass.....	1900	1904	Business.
*†Mills Gore Sturtevant.....	Manchester, N. H.....	1902	1904	Medicine.
Stuart Dexter Fisher.....	Woonsocket, R. I.....	1900	1904	Medicine.
†Dana Francis Brown.....	Fall River, Mass.....	1901	1905	Law.
†Vernon Alfred Biggs.....	Chicago, Ill.....	1901	1905	Law.
†William H. Ashley.....	Fall River, Mass.....	1901	1905	Business.
†Harris Willard Fleming.....	Natick, Mass.....	1901	1905	Business.
†Oscar Bowen Gilbert.....	Woonsocket, R. I.....	1901	1905	Medicine.
†Hugh Whitford McLean.....	Evanston, Ill.....	1901	1905	Business.
†Harry Scott Richards.....	Woonsocket, R. I.....	1901	1905	Law.
†G. Winton Patterson.....	Cleveland, Ohio.....	1901	1905	Law.
†Lester Wellington Studwell.....	Port Chester, N. Y.....	1901	1905	Business.
†Stanley Besse.....	Newburyport, Mass.....	1901	1905	Medicine.
*†Marshall Louis Alling.....	Kensington, Conn.....	1902	1906	Medicine.
*†Louis Richard Dwyer.....	Bradford, Mass.....	1902	1906	Business.
*†Allan Jay Parrish.....	Paris, Ill.....	1902	1906	Law.
*†William Fogarty Gleason.....	Norwich, Conn.....	1902	1906	Law.
*†Ephriam John Smith.....	Newport, Vt.....	1902	1906	Business.
*†Carl Thurston Worton.....	Newburyport, Mass.....	1902	1906	Medicine.
*†Howard Chandler Williams.....	Elgin, Ill.....	1902	1906	Law.

MASSACHUSETTS ALPHA. Reported by Walter Virgil Spaulding.

Name.	Residence.	Init.	Class.	Profession.
Fred Harold Allen.....	Holyoke, Mass.....	1898	1902	Journalism.
Harry Clarke Barber.....	Windsor, Conn.....	1900	1902	Medicine.
Frank Leavoyd Boyden.....	Foxboro, Mass.....	1901	1902	Law.
Lewis Gillingham Brearley.....	Lawrenceville, N. J.....	1898	1902	Teaching.
George Carpenter Clancy.....	Brimfield, Mass.....	1898	1902	Journalism.
Ellery Carroll Clapp.....	Northampton, Mass.....	1898	1902	Teaching.
Clinton Henry Colletter.....	Gardner, Mass.....	1898	1902	Teaching.
Frank Adelbert Cook.....	Dudley, Mass.....	1898	1902	Law.
Frederick Bowen Cross.....	Springfield, Mass.....	1898	1902	Business.

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John Henry Frizzell.....	Easthampton, Mass.....	1898	1902	Teaching.
Clarence Arthur Lincoln.....	Trenton, Neb.....	1899	1902	Ministry.
Ernect Culver Lum.....	Chatham, N. J.....	1899	1902	Law.
James Cathcart Young.....	No. Shields, England.....	1899	1902	Ministry.
†Herman Norton Johnson.....	Binghampton, N. J.....	1899	1903	Engineering.
†James Stephen Taylor.....	Pierce, Neb.....	1900	1903	Medicine.
†Robert Horace Baker.....	Springfield, Mass.....	1900	1904	Astronomy.
†Heman Baker Chase.....	Hyannis, Mass.....	1900	1904	Medicine.
†Daniel Benjamin Clark.....	East Granby, Conn.....	1900	1904	Law.
†Ernest Monroe Ide.....	Dudley, Mass.....	1900	1904	Law.
†Edwin Lowell Marcy.....	Webster, Mass.....	1900	1904	Medicine.
†Heath Moore.....	Brooklyn, N. Y.....	1899	1904	Journalism.
†George Kimball Pond.....	Greenfield, Mass.....	1900	1904	Business.
†Joseph Edward Shea.....	Wilmansette, Mass.....	1900	1904	Business.
†Karl Owen Thompson.....	Springfield, Mass.....	1900	1904	Librarian.
†Curtis James Bostwick.....	Oswego, N. Y.....	1901	1905	Medicine.
*†Ralph Waldo E. Edgecomb.....	Worcester, Mass.....	1902	1905	Ministry.
†James LeRoy Gilbert.....	West Brookfield, Mass.....	1901	1905	Law.
†Ralph Wilbur Hemenway.....	Hopkinton, Mass.....	1901	1905	Law.
†Ralph Halladay Hewitt.....	New London, Conn.....	1901	1905	Law.
†Charles Thomas Hopkins.....	Brooklyn, N. Y.....	1901	1905	Law.
†William Thomas Hutchings.....	West Danby, N. Y.....	1901	1905	Teaching.
†Maurice Alphonse Lynch.....	S. Hadley Falls, Mass.....	1901	1905	Law.
†Ralph Shattuck Patch.....	Brattleboro, Vt.....	1901	1905	Teaching.
†Elmer Ellsworth Ryan.....	Owego, N. Y.....	1901	1905	Business.
†Walter Virgil Spaulding.....	Worcester, Mass.....	1901	1905	Business.
†John Adams Taylor.....	Westford, Mass.....	1901	1905	Ministry.
†Alfred Frederick Westphal.....	Washington City, Ind.....	1900	1905	Teaching.
*†Ralph Howard Boyden.....	Foxboro, Mass.....	1902	1906	Business.
*†Edward Kendall Brown.....	Auburndale, Mass.....	1902	1906	Law.
*†Fred Howell Crook.....	Sanquoit, N. Y.....	1902	1906	Ministry.
*†Augustus Ignatius Dillon.....	Cortland, N. Y.....	1902	1906	Business.
*†Leonard Dudley Field.....	Binghampton, N. Y.....	1902	1906	Teaching.
*†Howard Willcutt Howes.....	Swift River, Mass.....	1902	1906	Law.
*†Mark Hopkins Ward.....	Amherst, Mass.....	1902	1906	Law.
*†William Earl Dodge Ward.....	Amherst, Mass.....	1902	1906	Law.
*†Ralph Waldo Wheeler.....	Cortland, N. Y.....	1902	1906	Law.
*†John Herbert A. Williams.....	New York City.....	1902	1906	Law.
*†George Arthur Wood.....	Southampton, Mass.....	1902	1906	Law.

RHODE ISLAND ALPHA.

Reported by Warren A. Clough.

Name.	Residence.	Init.	Class.	Profession.
*Edward Kimball Aldrich, Jr.....	Providence, R. I.....	1902	1902	Law.
*Frederic Henry Gabbi.....	Providence, R. I.....	1902	1902	Clerking.
*Charles Herbert Holt.....	Pawtucket, R. I.....	1902	1902	Medicine.
*Joseph Waite Ince.....	Providence, R. I.....	1902	1902	Teaching.
*Duncan Martin L. McPhail.....	Beverly, Mass.....	1902	1902	Ministry.
*†Edgar Louis Ashley.....	Medfield, Mass.....	1902	1903	Teaching.
*†Willard Barber Atwell.....	Hebronville, Mass.....	1902	1903	Teaching.
*†Stephen Howard Easton.....	Central Falls, Mass.....	1902	1903	Law.
*†Robert Foster.....	Poughkeepsie, N. Y.....	1902	1903	Elec. Eng.
*†Edward Winslow Holmes.....	New Bedford, Mass.....	1902	1903	Law.
*†Nathaniel Orson Howard.....	Providence, R. I.....	1902	1903	Medicine.
*†William Lewis Roberts.....	Manchester, N. H.....	1902	1903	Law.
*†Warren Almon Clough.....	Groton, Mass.....	1902	1904	Engineering.
*†Guy Blandin Colburn.....	Nashua, N. H.....	1902	1904	Ministry.
*†Leon Arnold Winslow.....	Revere, Mass.....	1902	1904	Teaching.
*†Arthur Lincoln Young.....	New Dorchester, Mass.....	1902	1904	Teaching.
*†Walter Percy Meredith.....	Providence, R. I.....	1902	1905	Civ. Eng.
*†Ralph Darling Kettner.....	Providence, R. I.....	1902	1905	Law.
*†Daniel Willets Overocker.....	Poughkeepsie, N. Y.....	1902	1905	Civ. Eng.
*†Edward Staples Smith.....	Crozet, Va.....	1902	1905	Engineering.
*†Howard Wilbur Congdon.....	Providence, R. I.....	1902	1906	Law.
*†George R. W. French.....	Taunton, Mass.....	1902	1906	Law.
*†Walter Edgar Woodbury.....	Nashua, N. H.....	1902	1906	Ministry
*†Lloyd Peter Upton.....	Manchester, N. H.....	1902	1906	Law.

NEW YORK ALPHA.

Reported by J. Martin Griffith.

Name.	Residence.	Init.	Class.	Profession.
Alfred Thomas Wood.....	Defiance, Ohio.....	1898	1902	Mech. Eng.
Eugene Croker Batchelar.....	Charleroi, Pa.....	1899	1902	Mech. Eng.
James McGunnege.....	Meadville, Pa.....	1898	1902	Business.
Murray Fisher Crosseette.....	Hinsdale, Ill.....	1899	1902	Civ. Eng.
Reginald Wm. Trautschold.....	Mont Clair, N. J.....	1898	1902	Mech. Eng.
†Harvey Griffin Rogers.....	Michigan City, Ind.....	1898	1903	Business.

†Robert Pitcairn.....	Pittsburg, Pa.....	1899	1903	Mech. Eng.
†William James Ward.....	Mont Clair, N. J.....	1899	1903	Forestry.
†William Augustus Heitshu.....	Lancaster, Pa.....	1899	1903	Mech. Eng.
†Harry C. Colburn.....	Michigan City, Ind.....	1899	1903	Business.
†Charles Bausher Brown.....	Mont Clair, N. J.....	1899	1903	Business.
Roy Page.....	Chicago, Ill.....	1898	1903	Mech. Eng.
William Hutchings.....	Brooklyn, N. Y.....	1900	1903	Mech. Eng.
†John Martin Griffith.....	Evansville, Ind.....	1899	1903	Law.
†Lee Harrar Hein.....	Ebensburg, Pa.....	1900	1904	Mech. Eng.
†Richard W. Root.....	Chicago, Ill.....	1900	1904	Business.
George Florian Pardessus.....	Brooklyn, N. Y.....	1900	1904	Mech. Eng.
Elmer William Peil.....	Brooklyn, N. Y.....	1900	1904	Business.
Albert Ludwig Peil.....	Brooklyn, N. Y.....	1900	1904	Business.
†Charles Mason Seymour.....	Chicago, Ill.....	1901	1905	Mech. Eng.
†William Bartlett Atwood.....	Beaver, Pa.....	1901	1905	Civ. Eng.
†Clinton Edward Good.....	Springfield, Ill.....	1901	1905	Mech. Eng.
†Albert David Brinkerhoff.....	Springfield, Ill.....	1901	1905	Mech. Eng.
†Harry Brevoort Close.....	Yonkers, N. Y.....	1901	1905	Forestry.
†Frank Wynne Masters.....	New Orleans, La.....	1901	1905	Forestry.
†Alfred George Kuhn.....	Philadelphia, Pa.....	1901	1905	Mech. Eng.
Charles W. Mason.....	Fort Brown, Texas.....	1901	1905	Army.
Edwin Page.....	Chicago, Ill.....	1901	1905	Business.
George Mills Chapman.....	Chicago, Ill.....	1902	1905	Business.
*†Eric Walter McDougal.....	Mont Clair, N. J.....	1902	1906	Mech. Eng.
*†Albert Blake Williams.....	Brooklyn, N. Y.....	1902	1906	Mech. Eng.
†Judson Hartwell Boughton.....	Rochester, N. Y.....	1901	1903	Mech. Eng.
†Henry Leland Lowe.....	Indianapolis, Ind.....	1901	1903	Mech. Eng.
†Joseph K. Cole.....	Cincinnati, Ohio.....	1898	1903	Business.
†Thomas B. Marshall.....	Allegheny, Pa.....	1900	1905	Business.
†Thomas Lyteland Dunn.....	Petersburg, Va.....	1896	1905	Elec. Eng.

NEW YORK BETA.

Reported by Lloyd E. Brown.

Name.	Residence.	Init.	Class.	Profession.
Lester S. Baker.....	Syracuse, N. Y.....	1898	1902	Insurance.
Robert S. Boyce.....	Pleasant Mt, Pa.....	1898	1902	Ministry.
Lynn E. Jennison.....	Lockwood, N. Y.....	1898	1902	Teaching.
Edgar A. Lowther.....	Kensico, N. Y.....	1898	1902	Teaching.
Merton W. Pierce.....	Syracuse, N. Y.....	1898	1902	Law.
William W. Robinson.....	Derrick City, Pa.....	1898	1902	Ministry.
Murtin S. Smallwood.....	Warsaw, N. Y.....	1898	1902	Law.
George A. Smith.....	Susquehanna, Pa.....	1898	1902	Law.
Matthew L. Dann.....	Downsville, N. Y.....	1898	1902	Teaching.
Ralph E. Wager.....	Round Lake, N. Y.....	1898	1903	Teaching.
John B. Aitken.....	Granville, N. Y.....	1899	1903	Law.
*†William C. Lowe.....	Buffalo, N. Y.....	1902	1903	Teaching.
†Harry E. Elden.....	Camden, N. Y.....	1900	1903	Teaching.
†Robert C. Farrington.....	Cardiff, N. Y.....	1900	1903	Engineering.
†Frank R. Haviland.....	Fulton, N. Y.....	1899	1903	Medicine.
†James Middleton.....	Buffalo, N. Y.....	1899	1903	Business.
Galen H. Nichols.....	Buffalo, N. Y.....	1899	1903	Architecture.
†Henry R. Templeton.....	Buffalo, N. Y.....	1899	1903	Business.
Fred D. Cribb.....	Canandaigua, N. Y.....	1900	1904	Business.
†Arthur S. Hurrell.....	Buffalo, N. Y.....	1900	1904	Teaching.
†Ward H. Ninde.....	Rome, N. Y.....	1900	1904	Architecture.
†Irving R. Templeton.....	Buffalo, N. Y.....	1900	1904	Law.
Harry S. Williams.....	Buffalo, N. Y.....	1900	1904	Engineering.
†Harry E. Merritt.....	Ulysses, Pa.....	1900	1904	Law.
Dan T. Kelly.....	Baldwinsville, Pa.....	1901	1904	Teaching.
†Samuel G. Birdsall.....	Syracuse, N. Y.....	1896	1904	Engineering.
†Lloyd E. Brown.....	Buffalo, N. Y.....	1901	1905	Journalism.
Edgar B. Curtis.....	Susquehanna, Pa.....	1901	1905	Law.
†William Janushek.....	Oswego, N. Y.....	1901	1905	Music.
†Harry Myron.....	Syracuse, N. Y.....	1901	1905	Medicine.
*†Lloyd L. Cheney.....	Salamanca, N. Y.....	1901	1905	Dentistry.
†George Pottinger.....	Buffalo, N. Y.....	1902	1905	Engineering.
†Chester P. Morse.....	Utica, N. Y.....	1901	1905	Business.
†Maxwell C. Montgomery.....	Walton, N. Y.....	1901	1905	Medicine.
*†Henry S. Wells.....	N. Syracuse, N. Y.....	1902	1905	Engineering.
*†Howard S. Jarvis.....	Jamesville, N. Y.....	1902	1905	Business.
*†E. Stuart Mills.....	Syracuse, N. Y.....	1902	1906	Engineering.
*†Irving N. Beeler.....	Syracuse, N. Y.....	1902	1906	Engineering.
*†Harry Terry.....	Syracuse, N. Y.....	1902	1906	Engineering.
*†Chester C. Williams.....	Syracuse, N. Y.....	1902	1906	Engineering.
*†Irving Smallwood.....	Warsaw, N. Y.....	1902	1906	Teaching.
*†Earle I. Wood.....	Cortland, N. Y.....	1902	1906	Engineering.
*†Frank F. Sornberger.....	Cortland, N. Y.....	1902	1906	Engineering.

*†Frank Baker.....	Mexico, N. Y.....	1902	1906	Teaching.
*†John G. Cooley.....	Canandaigua, N. Y.....	1902	1906	Business.
*†Harold I. Carothers.....	Syracuse, N. Y.....	1902	1906	Chemistry.
*†C. Claude Reddish.....	LeRoy, N. Y.....	1902	1906	Business.

NEW YORK GAMMA.

Reported by Thomas R. Buell.

Name.	Residence.	Init.	Class.	Profession.
H. Campbell Breneman.....	Cincinnati, Ohio.....	1898	1902	Chemistry.
David Wilson Smythe.....	New York City.....	1899	1902	Min. Eng.
James E. Higgins.....	Butte, Montana.....	1899	1902	Min. Eng.
Anton Weidmann.....	Brooklyn, N. Y.....	1900	1902	Law.
Henry H. McCorkle.....	New York City.....	1901	1902	Law.
Edward F. Pelton.....	New York City.....	1901	1902	Min. Eng.
†J. Charles Sullivan.....	Butte, Montana.....	1900	1903	Law.
James R. Howe.....	Brooklyn, N. Y.....	1898	1903	Law.
†L. P. Davis.....	Yonkers, N. Y.....	1902	1903	Law.
*†L. Webster Wickes.....	Denver, Col.....	1902	1902	Met. Eng.
O. W. Weidman.....	Brooklyn, N. Y.....	1900	1904	Law.
†Robert S. Stangland.....	Kendall, N. Y.....	1900	1904	Mech. Eng.
†Henry W. Geasel.....	Brooklyn, N. Y.....	1900	1904	Law.
†William H. Adams.....	New York City.....	1900	1904	Law.
†John W. Catron.....	Santa Fe, N. M.....	1901	1904	Min. Eng.
†N. G. Anderson.....	W. S. Springs, Mont.....	1901	1904	Min. Eng.
†Fred J. Fuller.....	New York City.....	1901	1904	Law.
†Franklin G. Bammon.....	New York City.....	1902	1904	Law.
†J. T. E. Hillhouse.....	Yonkers, N. Y.....	1900	1904	Min. Eng.
†George W. McCaskell.....	S. Lake City, Utah.....	1898	1904	Min. Eng.
*†Francis B. Hamilton.....	Johnstown, Pa.....	1902	1904	Law.
†Lorin J. Roach.....	Pask Rapids, Iowa.....	1897	1904	Law.
Arthur S. Gilroy.....	New York City.....	1901	1905	Elec. Eng.
†H. C. Van Anken, Jr.....	New York City.....	1901	1905	Medicine.
†Stafford B. Smith.....	Hyannis, Mass.....	1901	1905	Medicine.
O. W. Sartorius.....	Brooklyn, N. Y.....	1901	1905	Chemistry.
†J. J. Valentine.....	New York City.....	1901	1905	Medicine.
†Charles C. DeKlyn.....	New York City.....	1901	1905	Medicine.
†Thomas R. Buell.....	Herndon, Va.....	1902	1905	Min. Eng.
Bernard G. Dougherty.....	St. Paul, Minn.....	1902	1905	Medicine.
J. C. Gulick.....	New York City.....	1901	1905	Mech. Eng.
*†T. Hamilton Burch, Jr.....	New York City.....	1902	1905	Mech. Eng.
*†Charles L. Smith.....	Hyannis, Mass.....	1902	1905	Law.
*†Robert A. Longwell.....	Philadelphia, Pa.....	1902	1906	Min. Eng.
*†James Davis Johnson.....	Wahoo, Neb.....	1902	1906	Min. Eng.
*†James G. Gregg.....	New York City.....	1902	1906	Spec] Law.
*†Samuel Smyth, Jr.....	New York City.....	1902	1906	Spec] Teaching.

NEW YORK EPSILON.

Reported by J. W. Hutchinson.

Name.	Residence.	Init.	Class.	Profession.
George L. Barden.....	Gage, N. Y.....	1898	1902	Business.
Charles F. Bullock.....	Crosby, N. Y.....	1898	1902	Business.
Alfred S. Davis.....	Troy, N. Y.....	1898	1902	Ministry.
Charles S. Sterling.....	Mercersburg, Pa.....	1898	1902	Teaching.
Irving Bundy.....	Osage, Iowa.....	1898	1902	Teaching.
†Hugh Bryan.....	Sherburne, N. Y.....	1899	1903	Business.
†Harry C. Buck.....	Sugar Hill, N. Y.....	1899	1903	Law.
†Robert Craine.....	Brookfield, N. Y.....	1899	1903	Teaching.
†Irving Galusha.....	Amsterdam, N. Y.....	1899	1903	Ministry.
†Ralph Norris.....	Himrods, N. Y.....	1899	1903	Business.
Walter R. Randall.....	Buffalo, N. Y.....	1899	1903	Business.
†John W. Larkin.....	Solvay, N. Y.....	1901	1903	Teaching.
†George E. Eddy.....	Macedon Center, N. Y.....	1900	1904	Ministry.
†David B. Lisle.....	Troy, N. Y.....	1901	1904	Ministry.
†Carl H. Smith.....	Gouverneur, N. Y.....	1900	1904	Business.
Walter S. Bennett.....	Glens Falls, N. Y.....	1897	1904	Teaching.
†Linn Chapel.....	Sherburne, N. Y.....	1901	1905	Law.
†Edgar G. Evans.....	Port Chester, N. Y.....	1901	1905	Chemistry.
†Stewart R. Holmes.....	Silver Creels, N. Y.....	1901	1905	Law.
†J. Howard Hutchinson.....	Amsterdam, N. Y.....	1901	1905	Teaching.
†Fred S. Merrill.....	Carthage, N. Y.....	1901	1905	Law.
†William H. Heatley.....	Canton, Pa.....	1901	1905	Ministry.
†Roswell B. Whitman, Jr.....	Masonville, N. Y.....	1901	1905	Ministry.
†Frank H. York.....	Smithville, N. Y.....	1899	1905	Dentistry.
*†Frank Bower.....	Morristown, N. J.....	1902	1906	Law.

*†Howard P. Grant.....	Nourch, N. Y.....	1902	1906	Law.
*†Charles W. Hadden.....	Hamilton, N. Y.....	1902	1906	Business.
*Austin Merrill.....	Carthage, N. Y.....	1902	1906	Business.
*†Walter C. Nickolson.....	Mt. Vernon, N. Y.....	1902	1906	Law.
*†Joseph S. McKeg, Jr.....	Montour Falls, N. Y.....	1901	1906	Law.
*†Chelsea L. Storms.....	Hamilton, N. Y.....	1902	1906	Law.

NEW YORK ZETA.

Reported by Everett W. Boughton.

Name.	Residence.	Init.	Class.	Profession.
†H. Ginnel Leberthon.....	Brooklyn, N. Y.....	1898	1901	Business.
Harry Paul Koch.....	Brooklyn, N. Y.....	1898	1902	Business.
Walter Melville Bristow.....	Brooklyn, N. Y.....	1899	1902	Civ. Eng.
William Otto Weidmann.....	Brooklyn, N. Y.....	1899	1902	Business.
John Kellum Van Vranken.....	Long Island, N. Y.....	1900	1902	Law.
†Frederick W. Wurster, Jr.....	Brooklyn, N. Y.....	1899	1903	Law.
†Everett William Boughton.....	Brooklyn, N. Y.....	1900	1903	Law.
†Gordon Lenox Pirie.....	Brooklyn, N. Y.....	1900	1903	Law.
†Walter Suydam Rapelje.....	Brooklyn, N. Y.....	1900	1903	Business.
†Henry Perine Journeay.....	Brooklyn, N. Y.....	1901	1903	Business.
†Clarence P. Ferguson.....	Brooklyn, N. Y.....	1901	1903	Business.
†J. Edward Murphy.....	Brooklyn, N. Y.....	1900	1904	Law.
†Herbert Jester Robinson.....	Brooklyn, N. Y.....	1900	1904	Law.
†Emanuel C. Klingberg.....	Brooklyn, N. Y.....	1901	1904	Business.
Loris Freeman Warden.....	Brooklyn, N. Y.....	1901	1905	Law.
†Hugh Boyd.....	Brooklyn, N. Y.....	1901	1905	Law.
†Cornelius Ferguson, Jr.....	Brooklyn, N. Y.....	1901	1905	Medicine.
†Carl Rudolph Gluck.....	Brooklyn, N. Y.....	1901	1905	Medicine.
*†Wm. Channing Broadhurst.....	Brooklyn, N. Y.....	1902	1905	Medicine.
†Otto W. Weidmann.....	Brooklyn, N. Y.....	1902	1905	Law.
†Otto W. Sartorius.....	Brooklyn, N. Y.....	1902	1905	Law.
*†James F. Bendernagle, Jr.....	Brooklyn, N. Y.....	1902	1906	Business.
*†George M. McCarty.....	Brooklyn, N. Y.....	1902	1906	Law.

*Third District.**Archon—G. B. Miller.*

†Initiates.

*Attendant Members December 15, 1902.

MARYLAND ALPHA.

Reported by James R. Wood.

Name.	Residence.	Init.	Class.	Profession.
†J. B. Gregg Custis, Jr.....	Baltimore, Md.....	1900	1903	Medicine.
†Andrew Dickson Jones, Jr.....	Baltimore, Md.....	1895	1903	Linguist.
†Reginald Stevenson Opie.....	Baltimore, Md.....	1901	1904	Medicine.
†George Andrew Foster.....	Baltimore, Md.....	1901	1904	Law.
†Harry Briggs Heald.....	Baltimore, Md.....	1899	1904	Theology.
*†Thomas Orvings.....	Baltimore, Md.....	1902	1905	Law.
*†Horace Hatch Custis.....	Baltimore, Md.....	1902	1906	Mech. Eng.
*†Frank Snowden Ehlen.....	Baltimore, Md.....	1902	1906	Medicine.
Edward Bailey Beasley.....	Baltimore, Md.....	1901	1902	Medicine.
†Beverly Bond, Jr.....	Baltimore, Md.....	1902	GS	Teaching.
†James Barnes.....	Baltimore, Md.....	1900	GS	Teaching.
†James Raider Mood.....	Baltimore, Md.....	1901	GS	Teaching.
†James Alfred Morrison.....	Baltimore, Md.....	1901	GS	Teaching.
John Gresham Machen.....	Baltimore, Md.....	1898	GS	Theology.

VIRGINIA ALPHA.

Reported by Charles H. Cocke.

Name.	Residence.	Init.	Class.	Profession.
Morton Whitlock Baker.....	Charlottesville, Va.....	1894	1902	Medicine.
Don Preston Peters.....	Charlottesville, Va.....	1894	1902	Medicine.
Hugh Henry Trout.....	Staunton, Va.....	1898	1902	Medicine.
Robert Lemmon.....	Lynchburg, Va.....	1898	1902	Medicine.
Thomas J. Wertenbaker.....	Charlottesville, Va.....	1899	1902	Teaching.
Jno. Richard Johnson, Jr.....	Christiansburg, Va.....	1897	1902	Law.
William de Launay Worsley.....	Columbus, Ga.....	1900	1902	Law.
†Edward Victor Valz.....	Staunton, Va.....	1899	1903	Medicine.

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William Carroll Connett.....	St. Louis, Mo.....	1901	1903	Law.
†John Atkinson Owen.....	Turberville, Va.....	1897	1903	Medicine.
†James Morgan Clark.....	Wheeling, W. Va.....	1896	1903	Law.
†Hatley Norton Mason.....	Louisville, Ky.....	1899	1904	Medicine.
Ambrose Madison Richardson.....	St. Joseph, Mo.....	1900	1904	Business.
†William Alexander Fleet.....	Culver, Ind.....	1900	1904	Teaching.
†Richard Perry Spencer, Jr.....	Columbus, Ga.....	1901	1904	Law.
†Richard Phillips Bell, Jr.....	Staunton, Va.....	1899	1905	Medicine.
†Charles Hartwell Cocke.....	Columbus, Miss.....	1899	1905	Medicine.
†Karl Campbell Pritchard.....	Huntington, W. Va.....	1899	1906	Medicine.
*†Richard Veech Marshall.....	Louisville, Ky.....	1902	1906	Law.
*†Arthur Valz.....	Staunton, Va.....	1902	1906	Business.
*†Charles Magill Fauntleroy.....	Staunton, Va.....	1902	1906	Medicine.
*†Robert Eugene Farrish, Jr.....	Columbus, Ga.....	1902	1906	Engineering.
Norval J. Ellsworth Welsh.....	San Antonio, Texas.....	1901	Spcl	Business.

VIRGINIA BETA.

Reported by W. R. Bledsoe.

Name.	Residence.	Init.	Class.	Profession.
†George Edwin Haw.....	Hanover C. H., Va.....	1901	1903	Law.
†William Pendleton Lamar.....	Augusta, Ga.....	1900	1903	Law.
†William Randolph Bledsoe.....	Lexington, Va.....	1901	1904	Teaching.
*†John Woodhull Conover.....	Norfolk, Va.....	1902	1904	Civ. Eng.
*†Jason Dexter Hobbie.....	Roanoke, Va.....	1902	1905	Civ. Eng.
Archibald Belmont Young.....	Christiansburg, Ky.....	1900	1903	Law.
Edmund Randolph Preston.....	Charlotte, N. C.....	1897	1903	Law.
Osman Ellis Swartz.....	Clarksburg, W. Va.....	1900	1902	Law.
Alexander Hamilton S. Rouss.....	Charlestown, W. Va.....	1900	1902	Ministry.
Livingston Waddell Smith.....	Lexington, Va.....	1894	1902	Teaching.

WEST VIRGINIA ALPHA.

Reported by C. M. Christy.

Name.	Residence.	Init.	Class.	Profession.
Tusca Morris.....	Faremont, W. Va.....	1899	1902	Law.
Alvaroe Glen Hughes.....	Ravenswood, W. Va.....	1897	1902	Law.
Frank Miller Lardin.....	Uniontown, Pa.....	1897	1902	Law.
Chauncey Dewitt Willey.....	Morgantown, W. Va.....	1896	1902	Law.
Edward Bennighaus Kenna.....	Charleston, W. Va.....	1901	1902	Law.
Carel Robinson.....	Charleston, W. Va.....	1899	1903	Civ. Eng.
†Daniel Dawson.....	Charleston, W. Va.....	1899	1903	Law.
†Cyrus Moats Christy.....	Deimont, Pa.....	1899	1903	Civ. Eng.
†Oran B. Conoway.....	Alma, W. Va.....	1901	1903	Teaching.
†Frank William Cushwa.....	Martinsburg, W. Va.....	1899	1903	Teaching.
*†Sweeney Fleming.....	Fairmont, W. Va.....	1902	1903	Law.
†Delos Emmett Parsons.....	Huntingdon, W. Va.....	1901	1904	Mech. Eng.
†Monte Earle Morgan.....	Fairmont, W. Va.....	1902	1904	Law.
†Norvel Rogers Daugherty.....	Jefferson, Pa.....	1902	1904	Law.
†Edgar Bullock.....	Pen Yan, N. Y.....	1901	1904	Mech. Eng.
†Clyde Emil Watson.....	Kingwood, W. Va.....	1901	1904	Medicine.
Charles Hugh Reinhardt.....	Shepherdstown, W. Va.....	1901	1904	Teaching.
†Robert Morrow Brown.....	N. Cumberland, W. Va.....	1899	1904	Law.
†Joseph Kerr Buchanan.....	Morgantown, W. Va.....	1901	1905	Law.
†Robert David Hennen.....	Morgantown, W. Va.....	1901	1905	Civ. Eng.
*†Walter Ralph Barnes.....	Middlebourne, W. Va.....	1902	1905	Teaching.
*†Floyd Simmons.....	Wheeling, W. Va.....	1902	1905	Business.

TENNESSEE DELTA.

Reported by William C. Chisum.

Name.	Residence.	Init.	Class.	Profession.
†William Ernest Floyd.....	Shubuta, Miss.....	1896	1903	Medicine.
†William Charles Chisum.....	Paris, Texas.....	1901	1903	Business.
†Duncan Eve, Jr.....	Nashville, Tenn.....	1901	1904	Medicine.
*†Jules D. Lemoine.....	Cotton Port, La.....	1902	1904	Medicine.
J. Emmett Williams.....	Water Valley, Miss.....	1901	1903	Chemistry.
Gideon P. Wade.....	Nashville, Tenn.....	1901	1904	Law.
*†William L. Murfree.....	Murfreesboro, Tenn.....	1902	1904	Law.
†E. Stanley McIlvaine.....	Cynthiana, Ky.....	1901	1905	Medicine.
†Jordan Stokes, Jr.....	Nashville, Tenn.....	1901	1905	Law.
*†Rodman Meacham.....	Hopkinsville, Ky.....	1902	1905	Engineering.
†Medicus Ransom.....	Nashville, Tenn.....	1901	1905	Law.
†Frank A. Berry.....	Nashville, Tenn.....	1901	1905	Law.
*†John Black Steele.....	Chattanooga, Tenn.....	1901	1906	Medicine.
*†John Baxter.....	Nashville, Tenn.....	1901	1906	Business.

MISSISSIPPI ALPHA.

Reported by D. C. Clark.

Name.	Residence.	Init.	Class.	Profession.
Jasper Felix Guynes.....	Hazlehurst, Miss.....	1896	1902	Law.
Joseph Henry Mize.....	Forrest, Miss.....	1901	1902	Journalism.
†Jno. Middleton Foster.....	Lexington, Miss.....	1897	1903	Banker.
Clinton Clemens Steinberger.....	Oklona, Miss.....	1901	1902	Journalism.
Abe Heath Conn.....	Hazlehurst, Miss.....	1897	1902	Law.
William Brooks Miller.....	Gallman, Miss.....	1901	1902	Law.
Vernon Denwood Bowon.....	Crystal Springs, Miss.....	1901	1904	Law.
†Jno. Standifer.....	Oxford, Miss.....	1898	1903	Law.
†Benjamin F. Johnson, Jr.....	Hazlehurst, Miss.....	1901	1905	Business.
†Henry Samuel Bowon.....	Crystal Springs, Miss.....	1901	1905	Law.
†Daniel Otis Clark.....	Mt. Mebo, Miss.....	1901	1905	Business.
*†Ike Lewis Scherck.....	Brookhaven, Miss.....	1902	1906	Business.
*†John Mosley Hairston.....	Crawford, Miss.....	1902	1904	Law.
*†Robert Ervin Hairston.....	Crawford, Miss.....	1902	1906	Business.
*†Randolph Strickland.....	Olive Branch, Miss.....	1902	1906	Business.
*†Robert Jones Enochs.....	Crystal Springs, Miss.....	1902	1906	Medicine.

*Fourth District.**Archon—Harry K. Crafts.*

†Initiates.

*Attendant Members December 15, 1902.

OHIO ALPHA.

Reported by Karl H. Machetanz.

Name.	Residence.	Init.	Class.	Profession.
†Arthur John Parsons.....	Delaware, Ohio.....	1897	1903	Business.
†Daniel Ramsey Frost.....	Delaware, Ohio.....	1897	PG	Oratory.
†Stanley Clay Roettinger.....	Wyoming, Ohio.....	1900	1903	Law.
†Karl Adolph Machetanz.....	Kenton, Ohio.....	1900	1903	Magic.
†Clyde Brayton Brant.....	Lucasville, Ohio.....	1901	1904	Business.
*†Morris McKinsey Hoyt.....	Hillsboro, Ohio.....	1902	1903	Military.
*†Robert Clinton Heffner.....	Columbus, Ohio.....	1902	1903	Engineering.
*†William Dawson Beal.....	Bucyrus, Ohio.....	1902	1904	Missionary.
*†Charles William Denison.....	Delaware, Ohio.....	1902	1905	Business.
Joseph Kinsey Cole.....	Cincinnati, Ohio.....	1898	1903	Actor.
William John Smith.....	Cleveland, Ohio.....	1898	1902	Law.
Frank Elias Whitlock.....	Defiance, Ohio.....	1900	1904	Music.
Merrile Horton Whitlock.....	Mattoon, Ill.....	1901	1904	Medicine.
*Hermes Seward Welsch.....	Delaware, Ohio.....	1902	1905	Medicine.
*†Earl Warren Keyes.....	Cleveland, Ohio.....	1902	1906	Science.
*†Paul Newton Dale.....	Cherry Creek, N. Y.....	1902	1905	Law.
*Francis Marion Evans, Jr.....	Ashville, Ohio.....	1902	1906	Business.
*†Leander Quincy Patterson.....	Hampden, Maine.....	1902	1906	Business.
*†John Daniel Marshall.....	Bucyrus, Ohio.....	1902	1906	Teaching.
Edward Widman Greene.....	Milford, Ohio.....	1901	1904	Business.
*Harry Maynard Kimberland.....	Fair Play, Ohio.....	1902	1905	Business.

OHIO BETA.

Reported by Walter H. Weaver.

Name.	Residence.	Init.	Class.	Profession.
Walter T. Binder.....	Columbia City, Ind.....	1898	1902	Law.
Byron H. Clingerman.....	Springfield, Ohio.....	1898	1902	Engineering.
Aaron A. Culler.....	Lucas, Ohio.....	1898	1902	Business.
Fred J. Ritterspach.....	Nevada, Ohio.....	1898	1902	Medicine.
Julius J. Trefz.....	Springfield, Ohio.....	1898	1902	Business.
†George W. Russell.....	Nokomis, Ill.....	1899	1903	Business.
†Carl Utes, Jr.....	Springfield, Ohio.....	1900	1903	Engineering.
†Fred W. Moyer.....	Springfield, Ohio.....	1900	1903	Business.
†Waldo M. Winger.....	Springfield, Ohio.....	1900	1903	Law.
†Roscoe H. Deaton.....	Springfield, Ohio.....	1900	1904	Business.
†Delmar E. Trout.....	Springfield, Ohio.....	1900	1904	Law.
†J. Carl Barringer.....	Hillsboro, Ill.....	1900	1904	Business.
†Charles L. Harris.....	Oxford, Ohio.....	1900	1904	Business.
O. Frank Howard.....	Three Rivers, Mich.....	1900	1904	Teaching.
†Samuel R. Wigton.....	Roseville, Ohio.....	1900	1901	Law.

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†Maurice M. Wheldon.....	Jackson, Ohio.....	1900	1904	Chemistry.
†W. Pearce Rayner.....	Springfield, Ohio.....	1901	1904	Law.
†Brown Burreigh.....	Springfield, Ohio.....	1901	1905	Law.
†William K. Gotwald.....	Springfield, Ohio.....	1901	1905	Law.
*†Volney F. Trout.....	Springfield, Ohio.....	1902	1906	Business.
*†Leslie R. Trout.....	Medway, Ohio.....	1902	1906	Engineering.
*†Arlo R. Lutz.....	Springfield, Ohio.....	1902	1906	Law.
*†Reese E. Tulloss.....	Leipsic, Ohio.....	1902	1906	Business.
*†Harry P. Jayne.....	Springfield, Ohio.....	1902	1906	Law.
†Walter H. Weaver.....	Springfield, Ohio.....	1900	1904	Chemistry.

OHIO DELTA.

Reported by Egbert H. Mack.

Name.	Residence.	Init.	Class.	Profession.
Nevin Edward Veneman.....	Anderson, Ind.....	1897	1902	Law.
Willis Campbell.....	Toledo, Ohio.....	1898	1903	Business.
†Calvin Burt Ross.....	Urbana, Ohio.....	1899	1903	Engineering.
†Stanley DuBois Winger.....	Springfield, Ohio.....	1897	1903	Engineering.
†Egbert Hiram Mack.....	Sandusky, Ohio.....	1899	1903	Journalism.
†George Thomas Hoffman.....	Malta, Ohio.....	1900	1904	Business.
†William Gleason Holmes.....	Allegheny, Pa.....	1900	1904	Law.
Judd Asire.....	Fostoria, Pa.....	1901	1905	Business.
*†John Neil Reynolds.....	Columbus, Ohio.....	1902	1906	Engineering.
†Edgar Townsend Sill.....	Fostoria, Ohio.....	1901	1904	Engineering.
*†Wakeman Clark Bell.....	Boston, Mass.....	1902	1905	Engineering.
Hugh Beatty.....	Rattlesnaks, Ohio.....	1901	1903	Pharmacy.
*†Charles Jacob Stark.....	Findlay, Ohio.....	1902	1906	Journalism.
*†James Edward Randall.....	Indianapolis, Ind.....	1902	1906	Journalism.
*†Dick Finley Newman.....	Mechanicsburg, Ohio.....	1902	1906	Law.

INDIANA ALPHA.

Reported by Arthur Turley Stephenson.

Name.	Residence.	Init.	Class.	Profession.
Maurice Emmerson Tennant.....	Terre Haute, Ind.....	1899	1902	Law.
Carl Nye Vance.....	Noblesville, Ind.....	1899	1902	Missionary.
Milton Lockwood Neely.....	Lima, Ohio.....	1898	1902	Mech. Eng.
Louis Albert Stegg.....	Indianapolis, Ind.....	1900	1903	Medicine.
Charles Edward Sullivan.....	Indianapolis, Ind.....	1901	1905	Journalism.
Harris Fitch Shaw.....	Lawrenceburg, Ind.....	1900	1903	Law.
Bliss Washington Billings.....	Greencastle, Ind.....	1898	1902	Professor.
†Homes McKinstrey.....	Greencastle, Ind.....	1900	1903	Medicine.
†Will A. Cavin.....	Ligonier, Ind.....	1899	1903	Business.
†Salem Lockwood Towne.....	Greencastle, Ind.....	1898	1903	Business.
†Robert O'Brien Kimberlin.....	Greencastle, Ind.....	1900	1903	Ministry.
†Bert Dee Ingles.....	Hewlock, Ind.....	1899	1903	Chemistry.
†Arthur Turley Stephenson.....	Greencastle, Ind.....	1899	1903	Journalism.
†Henry Ray Beckman.....	Terre Haute, Ind.....	1900	1903	Law.
†Walter Creager Holmes.....	Portland, Ind.....	1901	1904	Business.
†Edger Von O'Daniel.....	Greencastle, Ind.....	1900	1904	Business.
†Lockwood Towne.....	Greencastle, Ind.....	1901	1904	Mech. Eng.
†Arthur Edwin Post.....	Greencastle, Ind.....	1900	1904	Mech. Eng.
†John Stretch Haines.....	Marion, Ind.....	1900	1904	Medicine.
†Arthur Osborne.....	Marion, Ind.....	1901	1904	Business.
*†Jno. Ross Woodring.....	Peru, Ind.....	1902	1904	Journalism.
*†Ralph W. Gwinn.....	Greencastle, Ind.....	1901	1905	Law.
*†Herold E. Sutherland.....	Greencastle, Ind.....	1902	1905	Business.
*†Walter L. Miller.....	Peru, Ind.....	1902	1905	Business.
*†Walter W. Talley.....	Terre Haute, Ind.....	1902	1905	Business.
*†Edward Shaw.....	Lawrenceburg, Ind.....	1902	1905	Business.
*†Russel H. Allison.....	Greencastle, Ind.....	1902	1905	Professor.
*†Glen A. Wilkinson.....	Greencastle, Ind.....	1901	1905	Art.
*†Neely O'Hair.....	Greencastle, Ind.....	1901	1905	Agriculture.
*†George B. Small.....	Anderson, Ind.....	1902	1906	Business.
*†Lewis W. Henry.....	Anderson, Ind.....	1902	1906	Law.

INDIANA BETA.

Reported by Frank T. Hindman.

Name.	Residence.	Init.	Class.	Profession.
Fred Adams Beck.....	Bloomington, Ind.....	1899	1902	Business.
Walter Hershaw Crim.....	Salem, Ind.....	1900	1902	Business.
Heilman Curtis Wadsworth.....	Washington, Ind.....	1896	1902	Teaching.
Roscoe Willeman Smith.....	Bloomington, Ind.....	1901	1902	Medicine.
Ralph Adolphus Pike.....	Bloomington, Ind.....	1900	1902	Law.

†Charles Mott Lawrence.....	Columbia City, Ind.....	1895	1903	Law.
†Wade Hampton Free.....	Anderson, Ind.....	1899	1903	Law.
Chauncey Warring Dowden.....	Bloomington, Ind.....	1899	1903	Medicine.
Frederick Cornelius Myers.....	South Bend, Ind.....	1900	1903	Chemistry.
James Everett Smith.....	Bloomington, Ind.....	1900	1903	Law.
Fred C. Van Vroost.....	Monticello, Ind.....	1900	1903	Law.
†Hugh Ingersoll Sherman.....	Brookton, Ind.....	1901	1904	Law.
Harry W. Reddick.....	Knightstown, Ind.....	1901	1904	Business.
†Fred Ernest Bryan.....	Washington, Ind.....	1901	1904	Law.
†Hubert Lister Beck.....	Bloomington, Ind.....	1901	1905	Business.
†William Durston Scoble.....	Washington, Ind.....	1901	1904	Law.
†Foy William Knight.....	Marion, Ind.....	1901	1904	Law.
Louis Polk Howe.....	Bloomington, Ind.....	1901	1905	Business.
†Carmi Luzerne Williams.....	Indianapolis, Ind.....	1901	1905	Business.
†Ralph Dyal Wadsworth.....	Washington, Ind.....	1901	1905	Teaching.
*†Frank Todd Hindman.....	Clarion, Pa.....	1902	1905	Law.
*†Nicholas Otto Pittenger.....	Albany, Ind.....	1902	1906	Medicine.
*†Elsworth Linn Tharp.....	Kokomo, Ind.....	1902	1905	Business.
*†Clarence Ruland Cowger.....	Monticello, Ind.....	1902	1905	Law.
*†Nathaniel Usher Hill, Jr.....	Bloomington, Ind.....	1902	1906	Business.
*†William John Blair.....	Bloomington, Ind.....	1902	1906	Business.
*†Jasper Archibald Ross.....	Marion, Ind.....	1902	1906	Business.
*†Uz McMurtree.....	Marion, Ind.....	1902	1906	Business.
*†Walter Percy Praft.....	Indianapolis, Ind.....	1902	1906	Law.
*†John Diven.....	Anderson, Ind.....	1902	1904	Ministry.
*†Thomas Aubrey Cookson.....	Anderson, Ind.....	1902	1906	Teaching.
†Fuller Combs.....	Ridgway, Ill.....	1894	1898	Teaching.

INDIANA DELTA.

Reported by A. R. Bradley.

Name.	Residence.	Init.	Class.	Profession.
Edward N. Dashiell.....	Moore's Hill, Ind.....	1901	1902	Civ. Eng.
J. Walter Dietz.....	Madison, Ind.....	1901	1902	Elec. Eng.
Earl E. Young.....	Anderson, Ind.....	1901	1902	Banker.
Earl Wallace Winans.....	Columbus, Ind.....	1901	1902	Mech. Eng.
Frank Harshaw.....	Lafayette, Ind.....	1901	1902	Chemistry.
†John Hornbrook.....	Evansville, Ind.....	1901	1903	Civ. Eng.
†Clyde C. Henley.....	Carthage, Ind.....	1901	1903	Vet. Surg.
†Ray Elder Adams.....	Indianapolis, Ind.....	1901	1903	Mech. Eng.
H. Leland Lowe.....	Ben Davis, Ind.....	1901	1903	Mech. Eng.
Omar A. Berry.....	W. Lafayette, Ind.....	1901	1903	Civ. Eng.
Judson A. Boughton.....	Rochester, N. Y.....	1901	1903	Elec. Eng.
†Irving C. DeHaven.....	Cumberland, Md.....	1901	1904	Mech. Eng.
†Earl B. Henly.....	Carthage, Ind.....	1901	1904	Civ. Eng.
†Marshall B. Dunning.....	Rochester, N. Y.....	1901	1904	Civ. Eng.
†Julius G. Kirby.....	Jacksonville, Ill.....	1901	1904	Mech. Eng.
†John N. Reynolds.....	Rochester, N. Y.....	1901	1904	Elec. Eng.
George C. McCann.....	Forrest, Ill.....	1901	1904	Dentistry.
*†Arthur R. Bradley.....	Syracuse, N. Y.....	1902	1904	Mech. Eng.
*†Samuel E. Gates.....	Hillsboro, Oregon.....	1902	1905	Elec. Eng.
*†James G. Rigley.....	Owasso, Mich.....	1902	1905	Mech. Eng.
*†Arthur Harry Sweetnam.....	Ligonier, Ind.....	1902	1905	Elec. Eng.
*†Roy Charles Palmer.....	Muncie, Ind.....	1902	1905	Mech. Eng.
*†Cornelius O'Brien.....	Lawrenceburg, Ind.....	1902	1905	Mech. Eng.
*†Charles S. Niles.....	Toledo, Ohio.....	1902	1905	Mech. Eng.
†Milton L. Neely.....	Lima, Ohio.....	1898	1904	Mech. Eng.
*†Thomas M. Haggie.....	Joliet, Ill.....	1902	1904	Mech. Eng.
Everett E. Dubbs.....	Peru, Ind.....	1899	1905	Mech. Eng.

ILLINOIS ALPHA.

Reported by Oliver M. Rogers.

Name.	Residence.	Init.	Class.	Profession.
Chester C. McCown.....	Calcutta, India.....	1892	1902	Missionary.
Edwin Balmer.....	Edgewater, Ill.....	1899	1902	Business.
G. Albert Moore.....	Evanston, Ill.....	1898	1902	Business.
G. A. McDonald.....	Clyde, Ill.....	1899	1903	Journalism.
†F. Gates Porter.....	Chicago, Ill.....	1899	1903	Business.
*†Eugene Smith.....	Maryville, Mo.....	1902	1904	Agriculture.
Earle F. Johnson.....	Wilmette, Ill.....	1900	1904	Business.
†Frank R. Newman.....	Chicago, Ill.....	1901	1905	Medicine.
†Julius P. Balmer.....	Edgewater, Ill.....	1901	1905	Business.
*†Frederick L. Bindhammer.....	Chicago, Ill.....	1901	1905	Business.
†D. Edwin Kimball.....	Evanston, Ill.....	1901	1905	Medicine.
Edwin Hurlbut.....	Ravenwood, Ill.....	1901	1905	Business.

*†Harry David Hamilton.....	Evanston, Ill.....	1902	1905	Business.
*†Gustaf Kaufmann.....	Chicago, Ill.....	1902	1905	Medicine.
*†Frederick A. Collmon.....	Madison, Wis.....	1902	1905	Business.
*†John Slocum.....	Edgewater, Ill.....	1902	1906	Business.
*†Dean Fansler.....	Evanston, Ill.....	1902	1906	Business.
*†A. Montague Ferry.....	Evanston, Ill.....	1902	1906	Architecture.
*†Isaac Springer.....	Watertown, S. D.....	1902	1906	Missionary.
*†Oliver M. Rogers.....	Dixon, Ill.....	1902	1905	Medicine.

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Reported by Edward G. Woods.

Name.	Residence.	Init.	Class.	Profession.
Carl I. Neptune.....	Memphis, Tenn.....	1899	1901	Business.
Milton H. Pettit.....	Racine, Wis.....	1898	1901	Business.
Howard S. Young.....	Indianapolis, Ind.....	1898	1901	Law.
†Albert Bertram Garcelon.....	Chicago, Ill.....	1898	1902	Law.
†Dean Swift.....	Chicago, Ill.....	1898	1902	Business.
†Howard W. Johnson.....	Chicago, Ill.....	1899	1903	Law.
Hanson F. Randle.....	Chicago, Ill.....	1899	1903	Banking.
†William F. Johnson.....	Chicago, Ill.....	1899	1903	Business.
†William W. Johnston.....	Chicago, Ill.....	1899	1902	Medicine.
†Richard Neptune.....	Memphis, Tenn.....	1899	1902	Business.
†Joseph C. Neptune.....	Memphis, Tenn.....	1900	1904	Business.
†Harry H. S. Van Velsor.....	Chicago, Ill.....	1900	1904	Medicine.
†Henry Ingle Raymond, Jr.....	Chicago, Ill.....	1900	1904	Business.
†Frederick R. Pettit.....	Kenosha, Wis.....	1900	1904	Business.
†Edward G. Woods.....	Chicago, Ill.....	1900	1904	Ministry.
*†Julian L. Brode.....	Memphis, Tenn.....	1901	1905	Business.
*†Lawrence M. Haarvig.....	Chicago, Ill.....	1901	1905	Business.
*†Robert Volk.....	Mont Clair, Ill.....	1902	1906	Law.
*†Albert J. Hopkins, Jr.....	Aurora, Ill.....	1902	1906	Law.
*†Guy D. Randle.....	Chicago, Ill.....	1902	1906	Law.
*†Frank J. Von Tesmar.....	Chicago, Ill.....	1902	1906	Law.
†William C. Meyers.....	Columbia, Pa.....	1902	Grd	Business.
†Roy D. Keehn.....	Ligonier, Ind.....	1892	1904	Law.

MICHIGAN ALPHA.

Reported by James R. Offield.

Name.	Residence.	Init.	Class.	Profession.
Charles Lamphier Patton.....	Springfield, Ill.....	1898	1902	Medicine.
Harry Kent Crafts.....	Austin, Ill.....	1898	1902	Law.
†Christopher Gregg Farnall.....	Calumet, Mich.....	1898	1902	Medicine.
†Milo Armstrong White.....	Fremont, Mich.....	1898	1902	Law.
Ralph Clark Nowland.....	Leadville, Colorado.....	1899	1902	Min. Eng.
†Jay Butler Harris.....	Ann Arbor, Mich.....	1899	1903	Engineering.
Harlow Lewis.....	Dubuque, Iowa.....	1899	1902	Engineering.
James Albric Ryan.....	Dubuque, Iowa.....	1899	1903	Law.
†Robert Emmett Fitz Gerald.....	Springfield, Ill.....	1899	1902	Law.
Arthur Michael Fitz Gerald.....	Springfield, Ill.....	1899	1902	Law.
Charles Remington Adams.....	Austin, Ill.....	1899	1903	Law.
Frederick Lyman Lee.....	Kansas City, Mo.....	1899	1903	Business.
†Karl Holbrook Pratt.....	Lansing, Mich.....	1899	1903	Engineering.
Donald McHardy Ferguson.....	Almont, Michigan.....	1900	1902	Engineering.
†John Wright Watling.....	Ypsilanti, Mich.....	1900	1904	Business.
†Robert Porter Morsman.....	Omaha, Neb.....	1900	1904	Banking.
†Ralph Ellsworth Batten.....	Chicago, Ill.....	1900	1904	Law.
†James Rogers Offield.....	Chicago, Ill.....	1900	1904	Law.
Stanley McKenzie Bailey.....	E. Somerville, Mass.....	1901	1905	Business.
Fredrick George Berger.....	Washington, D. C.....	1901	1904	Law.
†John Arthur Ryan.....	Dubuque, Iowa.....	1901	1905	Law.
†Grant David Bradshaw.....	Chicago, Ill.....	1901	1904	Engineering.
†William Shackelford Sullivan.....	Chicago, Ill.....	1901	1905	Engineering.
†Frank Mayr, Jr.....	South Bend, Ind.....	1901	1902	Business.
†Vernon Cyrenius David.....	Chicago, Ill.....	1901	1905	Medicine.
Richard Roberts Mitchell.....	Charleston, Ill.....	1901	1902	Law.
*†George Henry Mayr.....	South Bend, Ind.....	1902	1905	Law.
*†Amasa Kellogg Brown.....	Ann Arbor, Mich.....	1902	1903	Law.
*†Allen Walter Campbell.....	Riverside, Ill.....	1902	1906	Business.
*†James Edmund Lawrence.....	Ypsilanti, Mich.....	1902	1906	Engineering.
*†Eugene Nathaniel Strom.....	Austin, Ill.....	1902	1906	Engineering.
*†Ellis Moss Bonney.....	Austin, Ill.....	1902	1906	Engineering.
*†Warren Edwards Emley.....	Philadelphia, Pa.....	1902	1906	Engineering.
*†William Scott Wood.....	Muskegon, Mich.....	1902	1906	Business.

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Fifth District.

Archon—J. T. S. Lyle.

*Initiates. †Attendant Members, December 15, 1902.

WISCONSIN ALPHA.

Reported by Perry S. Johnson.

Name.	Residence.	Init.	Class.	Profession.
Fred Hiltman Carpenter.....	Pittsburg, Pa.....	1898	1902	Business.
Percy Edward Schroeder.....	Pittsburg, Pa.....	1898	1902	Merchant.
Harry Lee Reeves.....	Madison, Wis.....	1899	1902	Law.
Bernard M. Palmer.....	Janesville, Wis.....	1897	1902	Law.
Charles Orlando Frick.....	Antigo, Wis.....	1898	1902	Engineering.
Charles Lowry Thompson.....	Davenport, Iowa.....	1898	1902	Law.
†Perry Spencer Johnson.....	Decorah, Iowa.....	1901	1902	Law.
George W. Ripley.....	Iron River, Wis.....	1899	1902	Law.
Frank H. Cummins.....	Des Moines, Iowa.....	1898	1902	Engineering.
†J. T. S. Lyle.....	Madison, Wis.....	1897	1903	Law.
†Claude Z. Luse.....	West Superior, Wis.....	1897	1903	Law.
†Harry L. Lee.....	Iron River, Wis.....	1898	1903	Engineering.
†John H. Friend.....	Antigo, Wis.....	1899	1903	Engineering.
†Robert N. Sharp.....	Chicago, Ill.....	1900	1904	Banking.
†James C. James.....	Aurora, Ill.....	1900	1904	Law.
William E. Sibley.....	Freeport, Ill.....	1901	1904	Law.
†Charles M. Hangen.....	Chicago, Ill.....	1900	1904	Engineering.
†William F. McEldowney.....	Chicago Heights, Ill.....	1899	1904	Journalism.
Fred C. Pettit.....	Kenosha, Wis.....	1900	1904	Business.
†Ebor Lyth Morley.....	Edgewater, Ill.....	1901	1905	Law.
†Harrison N. Rosbrook.....	Dixon, Ill.....	1901	1905	Medicine.
†William H. Findlay.....	Kansas City, Mo.....	1901	1905	Engineering.
Willard F. McCormick.....	Hayward, Wis.....	1899	1903	Politics.
Robert N. Allen.....	Kenosha, Wis.....	1901	1905	Agriculture.
Frank A. Belden.....	Aurora, Ill.....	1901	1905	Electricity.
Harry Reynolds.....	Chicago, Ill.....	1901	1905	Business.
*†Frank Whitney Carpenter.....	Evanston, Ill.....	1902	1906	Business.
*†Rolland C. Lewis.....	Janesville, Wis.....	1902	1906	Business.
*†Standley G. Dunwiddie.....	Janesville, Wis.....	1902	1906	Law.
*†Charles D. Marsh.....	Evanston, Ill.....	1902	1906	Business.
*†Douglas H. Lawrence.....	Sterling, Ill.....	1902	1906	Business.
*†Charles Edwin Leslie.....	Evanston, Ill.....	1902	1906	Engineering.
James B. Du Shane.....	South Bend, Ind.....	1900	1904	Law.

WISCONSIN GAMMA.

Reported by George F. Sparks.

Name.	Residence.	Init.	Class.	Profession.
Ernest John Bunge.....	Chicago, Ill.....	1898	1902	Business.
George C. Ross.....	Waukeshaw, Wis.....	1900	1902	Civ. Eng.
Egbert Fletcher Loranger.....	Ashland, Wis.....	1898	1903	Chemistry.
Roy Kimball Dorr.....	Beloit, Wis.....	1898	1903	Mech. Eng.
†Albert Curle Bushnell.....	Kansas City, Mo.....	1897	1903	Journalism.
†William Lloyd Rippin.....	Galena, Ill.....	1900	1903	Medicine.
†Edward Mattocks Griggs.....	Streator, Ill.....	1899	1903	Law.
†James Andrew Newlands.....	McKeesport, Pa.....	1899	1903	Chemistry.
†William Victor Whitfield, Jr.....	Beloit, Wis.....	1899	1903	Law.
†Orvin Carlyle Gray.....	Evansville, Wis.....	1900	1903	Banking.
†Don Juan Slater.....	Richland Center, Wis.....	1900	1904	Business.
†Lorance Elam Kelley.....	Beloit, Wis.....	1901	1904	Science.
†J. Frank Thomas.....	Milwaukee, Wis.....	1900	1904	Music.
†George Francis Sparks.....	Beloit, Wis.....	1900	1904	Business.
†Henry Thomas Voglesburg.....	Potosi, Wis.....	1901	1905	Business.
†James Richard Thomas.....	Milwaukee, Wis.....	1901	1905	Teaching.
†Arthur Morey Fellows.....	Racine, Wis.....	1901	1905	Business.
Oscar Thompson Dudley.....	Spring Valley, Ill.....	1901	1905	Business.
Alfred Thomas Cooper.....	Harvard, Ill.....	1901	1905	Business.
*†Roy Fred Wright.....	Libertyville, Ill.....	1902	1906	Banking.
*†Edward Carlton Hart.....	Beloit, Wis.....	1902	1906	Business.
*†Fred William Craven.....	Mason City, Iowa.....	1902	1906	Law.
*†Irvin Simons Tayler.....	Earlville, Ill.....	1902	1906	Law.

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*†Louis Henry Edbrook.....	Chicago, Ill.....	1902	1906	Architecture.
*†Ralph Wilson Schelenger.....	Beloit, Wis.....	1902	1906	Law.
*†Hobart Leavitt Cory.....	Waukeshaw, Wis.....	1902	1906	Journalism.

MINNESOTA BETA.

Reported by Rene T. Hugo.

Name.	Residence.	Init.	Class.	Profession.
Fredrick Upham Davis.....	St. Clair, Minn.....	1893	1902	Medicine.
†Clarence Alfred Paulson.....	Minneapolis, Minn.....	1898	1903	Business.
†Robert Winthrop Putnam.....	Red Wing, Minn.....	1899	1903	Business.
†Harvey Spaulding Clapp.....	St. Paul, Minn.....	1899	1904	Law.
Carroll Hamilton Dawley.....	Minneapolis, Minn.....	1899	1904	Business.
Eri Clark Evans.....	Crookston, Minn.....	1899	1904	Business.
Earl Morris Richards.....	Hibbing, Minn.....	1900	1904	Min. Eng.
Charles Holmes Claypool.....	Hibbing, Minn.....	1900	1904	Min. Eng.
William Stuart Frost.....	Minneapolis, Minn.....	1898	1904	Medicine.
†Richard Stoops Pattee.....	Minneapolis, Minn.....	1900	1904	Business.
†Edward McMaster Pennock.....	Minneapolis, Minn.....	1900	1904	Chemistry.
†Paul Andros Brooks.....	Minneapolis, Minn.....	1900	1904	Business.
†Walter Brooks Sheldon.....	Red Wing, Minn.....	1901	1904	Mech. Eng.
Byron Sewell Howard.....	Hibbing, Minn.....	1901	1905	Min. Eng.
†Marshall Shaw Jackson.....	St. Paul, Minn.....	1901	1905	Mech. Eng.
†Myron Bangs Jackson.....	St. Paul, Minn.....	1901	1905	Chemistry.
William Henry Rolph.....	Minneapolis, Minn.....	1901	1905	Business.
John Newton Nind, Jr.....	Chicago, Ill.....	1901	1905	Journalism.
Harland Wentworth.....	Portland, Oregon.....	1901	1905	Min. Eng.
†Rene Trevanion Hugo.....	Duluth, Minn.....	1901	1905	Business.
†Fred Tracy Fairchild.....	Minneapolis, Minn.....	1901	1905	Law.
†Barthold Robert Neustadt.....	LaSalle, Ill.....	1901	1905	Min. Eng.
Francis Hamilton Robertson.....	Chicago, Ill.....	1896	Spcl	Music.
*Scott Hauxhust DeLong.....	Hudson, Wis.....	1902	1905	Mech. Eng.
*†James Clinton Scribner.....	Eldorado, Wis.....	1902	1903	Law.
*†John Ralph Nevers.....	Brainard, Minn.....	1902	1905	Law.
*†Robert Ray Reed.....	River Falls, Wis.....	1902	1905	Business.
*†Frederick Warren Putnam.....	Red Wing, Minn.....	1902	1906	Business.
*†Arthur Steen Goble.....	Earlville, Ill.....	1902	1906	Chemistry.
*†Alexander Gordon Wood.....	Duluth, Minn.....	1902	Spcl	Min. Eng.
*†Charles Phillips Hasbrook.....	New York City, N. Y.....	1902	1906	Mech. Eng.
*†Robert Couch Kinney.....	Astoria, Oregon.....	1902	1906	Min. Eng.
*†Gordon Matthew Craig.....	Portland, Oregon.....	1902	1906	Mech. Eng.
*†Jay Kennicott.....	Luverne, Minn.....	1902	1903	Law.

IOWA ALPHA.

Reported by Adam Konigsmacher Hess.

Name.	Residence.	Init.	Class.	Profession.
Eugene Gustave Johnson.....	Decorah, Iowa.....	1901	1902	Law.
Perry S. Johnson.....	Decorah, Iowa.....	1901	1902	Law.
†Earl Dudley Kenyon.....	Onarva, Iowa.....	1901	1903	Law.
*†Francis Alfred Heald.....	Osage, Iowa.....	1902	1903	Law.
†Edwin James H. Mulock.....	Colfax, Iowa.....	1899	1905	Law.
†Adam Konigsmacher Hess.....	Council Bluffs, Iowa.....	1899	1903	Law.
†Fred Collins Drake.....	Adel, Iowa.....	1898	1902	Law.
†Charles Clarence Foster.....	Iowa City, Iowa.....	1899	1904	Engineering.
†Richard Griswold Tobin.....	Fort Dodge, Iowa.....	1900	1904	Law.
Louis Howard Kepler.....	Mount Vernon, Iowa.....	1901	1904	Law.
†William Robert Law.....	Waterloo, Iowa.....	1901	1904	Law.
†Charles Joseph Kulp.....	Muscatine, Iowa.....	1901	1904	Dentistry.
†Harry Clyde Ochiltree.....	Morning Sun, Iowa.....	1901	1904	Law.
*†Harry Douglas Willis.....	Iowa City, Iowa.....	1902	1904	Engineering.
*†Roy Earl Mason.....	Albia, Iowa.....	1902	1905	Medicine.
*†Will Vestal Thornburg.....	Linden, Iowa.....	1902	1905	Medicine.
Harley Neal Powell Jones.....	Central, Iowa.....		1904	Journalism.
*Clarence Wallace Bruce.....	Massana, Iowa.....	1902	1906	Business.

KANSAS ALPHA.

Reported by Sidney S. Linscott.

Name.	Residence.	Init.	Class.	Profession.
Morton M. Snow.....	Chicago, Ill.....	1892	1896	Medicine.
Samuel Dean Hutchings.....	Kansas City, Kan.....	1898	1902	Law.
Raleigh Oscar Fife.....	Kansas City, Kan.....	1898	1903	Min. Eng.
James Clark Searles.....	Kansas City, Mo.....	1900	1903	Law.
John W. Sheridan.....	Paola, Kan.....	1897	1901	Journalism.
†Joseph R. Ramsey.....	Topeka, Kan.....	1900	1903	Law.

Frank Johnston Merrill.....	Paola, Kan.....	1899	Spcl	Law.
A. Lloyd Clotfeiter.....	Kansas City, Kan.....	1900	1905	Law.
†Marvin H. Creager.....	Lawrence, Kan.....	1901	1905	Law.
*Clay Anderson.....	Mexico City, Mexico.....	1902	1905	Civ. Eng.
George W. McGrew.....	Kansas City, Kan.....	1901	1905	Manufacturi
†Sidney S. Linscott.....	Holton, Kan.....	1901	1905	Law.
†Arthur Peters.....	Kansas City, Mo.....	1902	1904	Law.
John W. Harrison.....	Topeka, Kan.....	1898	1905	Civ. Eng.
Wesley H. Loomis, Jr.....	Chillicothe, Mo.....	1901	1905	Civ. Eng.
Joseph H. Dyer.....	Media, Kan.....	1901	1905	Dentistry.
*†William Dyer.....	Media, Kan.....	1901	1905	Law.
*Arthur Isaacson.....	Kansas City, Mo.....	1902	1905	Business.
*Edmund F. Kennedy.....	Kansas City, Kan.....	1902	1905	Business.
*†Albert M. Moduska.....	Leavenworth, Kan.....	1902	1905	Law.
*†Clare Kinne.....	Moran, Kan.....	1902	1905	Law.
*†Joseph T. McGrew.....	Kansas City, Kan.....	1902	1906	Law.
*†Glenn Lane Parker.....	Olothe, Kan.....	1902	1906	Business.
*†Harry B. Allen.....	Independence, Mo.....	1902	1905	Min. Eng.
*†George B. Hazen.....	Kansas City, Kan.....	1902	1906	Civ. Eng.

NEBRASKA ALPHA.

Reported by Philip F. Bross.

Name.	Residence.	Init.	Class.	Profession.
Claire James Baird.....	Omaha, Neb.....	1900	1903	Law.
Harry Eugene Crandall.....	Omaha, Neb.....	1898	1903	Business.
Fred Appleton Cuscaden.....	Omaha, Neb.....	1898	1903	Business.
Fred Milo Dewese.....	Lincoln, Neb.....	1898	1903	Law.
Frank Paul Manchester.....	Omaha, Neb.....	1898	1903	Business.
†Philip Fitts Bross.....	Lincoln, Neb.....	1900	1903	Law.
†Newton Earle Buckley.....	Stromsburg, Neb.....	1900	1903	Law.
†John James Ledwith.....	Lincoln, Neb.....	1901	1903	Law.
†John Dean Ringer.....	Lincoln, Neb.....	1900	1903	Law.
†Charles William Engel.....	Omaha, Neb.....	1898	1902	Law.
†Howard Ernest Allen.....	York, Neb.....	1900	1904	Law.
Daniel W. Cook.....	Beatrice, Neb.....	1900	1904	Business.
Fritz Alexander Fricke.....	Plattsmouth, Neb.....	1900	1904	Law.
†Russell Simpson Harris.....	Omaha, Neb.....	1900	1904	Business.
†Herbert Virgil McCulloch.....	Lincoln, Neb.....	1900	1904	Medicine.
Dean Powell.....	Omaha, Neb.....	1900	1904	Art.
*†Allen Zollan Prescott.....	Lincoln, Neb.....	1902	1904	Business.
Allen Ernest Sedgwick.....	York, Neb.....	1899	1904	Law.
Alexander Cuscaden.....	Omaha, Neb.....	1901	1905	Business.
†Raymond Ebersole Dumont.....	Omaha, Neb.....	1901	1905	Medicine.
Arthur Winter Jaynes.....	Omaha, Neb.....	1901	1905	Business.
George Stratford Johnston.....	Lincoln, Neb.....	1901	1905	Business.
†Herman Kountz Lehmer.....	Omaha, Neb.....	1901	1905	Business.
*†Rex Henry Morehouse.....	Omaha, Neb.....	1902	1905	Business.
†John Kelly Morrison.....	Gretna, Neb.....	1901	1905	Business.
*†William Crites Ramsey.....	Plattsmouth, Neb.....	1902	1905	Medicine.
*†Herbert J. States.....	Lincoln, Neb.....	1902	1905	Law.
†Charles Eva Shrimmer.....	Denver, Col.....	1901	1905	Law.
†Homer John Southwick.....	Lincoln, Neb.....	1901	1905	Medicine.
*†Ralph C. Christie.....	Omaha, Neb.....	1902	1906	Law.
*†Harry Gladstone Hargreaves.....	Lincoln, Neb.....	1902	1906	Law.
*†Earl Clinton Hubbard.....	Lincoln, Neb.....	1902	1906	Business.
*†Harry F. Reed.....	Omaha, Neb.....	1902	1906	Business.
*†Arthur Hall Scribner.....	Omaha, Neb.....	1902	1906	Law.
†George Edmund Douglas.....	Hastings, Neb.....	1901	Spcl	Law.

CALIFORNIA BETA.

Reported by W. G. Deal.

Name.	Residence.	Init.	Class.	Profession.
†Jesse Douglas Carr.....	Salinas, Cal.....	1899	1902	Mech. Eng.
†Wilder Taylor.....	Eureka, Cal.....	1899	1902	Min. Eng.
Royal Franklin Crowell.....	Carson City, Nev.....	1899	1902	Law.
†Waldemar Young.....	Salt Lake, Utah.....	1900	1904	Journalism.
†Henry Herbert Yerington.....	Carson City, Nev.....	1900	1904	Medicine.
†George Francis Sanborn.....	Fruitvale, Cal.....	1900	1904	Business.
†Karl Forsythe Kennedy.....	San Jose, Cal.....	1900	1904	Law.
†William Griffith Deal.....	San Francisco, Cal.....	1900	1904	Law.
†Leroy Dinwoody.....	Salt Lake City, Utah.....	1901	1905	Business.
†Walter Hubert Evans.....	Denver, Col.....	1901	1905	Elec. Eng.
*†Lynville Calder Riter.....	Salt Lake City, Utah.....	1902	1905	Business.
*†Doxey Robert Wilson.....	San Jose, Cal.....	1902	1906	Mech. Eng.

*†John G. Wood.....	Indianapolis, Ind.....	1902	1906	Mech. Eng.
*†Lee Foreman Lucas.....	Santa Maria, Cal.....	1902	1906	Medicine.
†John Sharp Williams.....	Salt Lake City, Utah..	1901	1905	Business.
Samuel Riter Wilkerson.....	Tacoma, Wash.....	1901	1905	Law.
Arthur Ernest Snyder.....	Salt Lake City, Utah..	1901	1905	Min. Eng.
*†Keith Elihu Wigle.....	Mt. View, Cal.....	1902	1902	Business.
William H. Thompson.....	Muncie, Ind.....	1896	1900	Law.
William G. Longwell.....	West Philadelphia....	1895	1899	Chemistry.

CALIFORNIA GAMMA.

Reported by George F. Beard.

Name.	Residence.	Init.	Class.	Profession.
Grover Chester Noble.....	Santa Barbara, Cal....	1899	1902	Elec. Eng.
Charles Sprecher Davidson..	San Diego, Cal.....	1899	1902	Elec. Eng.
†Stanley James Smith.....	Oakland, Cal.....	1900	1903	Law.
†Fredrick Augustus Gowing...	Oakland, Cal.....	1899	1903	Mining.
†Albert John Howell.....	San Francisco, Cal....	1899	1903	Business.
†Howard Edmonde Hendricks..	Berkeley, Cal.....	1899	1903	Medicine.
†George Foster Beard.....	Sacramento, Cal.....	1900	1904	Medicine.
†William Woods Adams.....	Berkeley, Cal.....	1900	1904	Law.
†Jesse Cameron Pickett.....	Calistoga, Cal.....	1900	1904	Medicine.
†Edgar Henry Howell.....	San Francisco, Cal....	1900	1904	Medicine.
†Nelson Dickerman.....	Salt Lake, Utah.....	1901	1904	Mining.
Hugh Duncan Campbell.....	Williams, Arizona....	1901	1904	Mining.
*†Sidney Walton Nicholls.....	Berkeley, Cal.....	1902	1904	Business.
Claude Dudley Starr.....	.....	1900	1904	Business.
Philip Jones.....	Seattle, Washington..	1901	1904	Elec. Eng.
Clifford Harvey Wood.....	Pasadena, Cal.....	1899	1903	Medicine.
†George Russell Kline.....	San Francisco, Cal....	1901	1905	Elec. Eng.
Edwin Stiltz Rust.....	Jackson, Cal.....	1901	1905	Mining.
*Albert Gilman Kenyon.....	San Francisco, Cal....	1902	1905	Medicine.
*†James Pascal Burney.....	Oakland, Cal.....	1902	1905	Business.
*†Bert C. Austin.....	Sheridan, Cal.....	1902	1906	Mining.
*†John Sherman Bagg.....	Santa Barbara, Cal....	1902	1906	Medicine.
*†John Albert Marshall.....	San Francisco, Cal....	1902	1906	Mining.
*Ray Dudley McFarland.....	Folsom, Cal.....	1902	1906	Chemistry.



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CHAPTER	NAME	Year of Initiat'n	TO WHOM RELATED	CHAPTER	Year of Initiat'n	Relation
Pa. Alpha.....	Charles Elliott Hays.....	1902	Robert Isaac Hays.....	Pa. Alpha.....	1902	Brother.
Pa. Alpha.....	Robert Isaac Hays.....	1902	Charles Elliott Hays.....	Pa. Alpha.....	1902	Brother.
Pa. Alpha.....	Robert Buchanan Nelson...	1902	Tom McDowell Nelson.....	Pa. Alpha.....	1896	Brother.
Pa. Alpha.....	William Gordon Letterman...	1902	William Letterman.....	Pa. Alpha.....	1852	Son.
Pa. Beta.....	Walter William Gleason.....	1902	W. S. Gleason.....	Pa. Beta.....		Son.
Pa. Beta.....	Walter William Gleason.....	1902	Ralph Holmes.....	Ohio Delta...		Cousin.
Pa. Beta.....	Walter William Gleason.....	1902	Wm. Holmes.....	Ohio Delta...		Cousin.
Pa. Beta.....	Eugene Forbes Craig.....	1899	J. W. Craig.....	Pa. Beta.....		Uncle.
Pa. Beta.....	Watkin Powell Sturtevant...	1902	W. S. Gleason.....	Pa. Beta.....		Uncle.
Pa. Beta.....	Watkin Powell Sturtevant...	1902	Ralph Holmes.....	Ohio Delta...		Cousin.
Pa. Beta.....	Watkin Powell Sturtevant...	1902	Wm. Holmes.....	Ohio Delta...		Cousin.
Pa. Beta.....	Watkin Powell Sturtevant...	1902	Walter W. Gleason.....	Pa. Beta.....	1902	Cousin.
Pa. Gamma...	Walter Bertolette.....	1900	F. Bertolette.....	Pa. Beta.....		Cousin.
Pa. Gamma...	Paul Garfield Smith.....	1902	Harvey F. Smith.....	Pa. Gamma...	1890	Father.
Pa. Gamma...	Wm. Amos Warren Grier.....	1902	William F. Grier.....	Pa. Gamma...	1867	Brother.
Pa. Gamma...	William Andrew Bartol.....	1902	William C. Bartol.....	Pa. Gamma...	1868	Father.
Pa. Epsilon...	Uriah Francis White.....	1899	C. G. White.....	Pa. Gamma...	1893	Father.
Pa. Epsilon...	Colstin Bernard Gladfelter...	1900	W. S. Gladfelter.....	Pa. Epsilon...	1898	Brother.
Pa. Epsilon...	James Brown Graff.....	1901	J. F. Graff.....	Pa. Epsilon...	1874	Brother.
Pa. Zeta.....	George Elmer Wilbur.....	1901	George Edgar Wilbur.....	Pa. Zeta.....	1872	Son.
Pa. Zeta.....	George Elmer Wilbur.....	1901	Harry C. Wilbur.....	Pa. Zeta.....	1898	Son.
Pa. Zeta.....	Lewis M. Bacon, Jr.....	1898	Lewis M. Bacon, Sr.....	Pa. Zeta.....	1865	Brother.
Pa. Zeta.....	Lewis M. Bacon, Jr.....	1898	John D. Bacon.....	Pa. Zeta.....	1894	Son.

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CHAPTER	NAME	Year of Initiat'n	TO WHOM RELATED	CHAPTER	Year of Initiat'n	Relation
Pa. Eta.....	Paul S. Bridenbaugh.....	1896	George B. Bridenbaugh.....	Pa. Eta.....	1902	Brother.
Pa. Eta.....	Paul S. Bridenbaugh.....	1896	S. R. Bridenbaugh.....	Pa. Eta.....	1870	Father.
Pa. Eta.....	Paul S. Bridenbaugh.....	1896	John H. Bridenbaugh.....	Pa. Eta.....	1895	Brother.
Pa. Eta.....	W. Mercer Brubaker.....	1901	H. C. Brubaker.....	Pa. Eta.....	1891	Brother.
Pa. Eta.....	W. Mercer Brubaker.....	1901	W. T. Brubaker.....	Pa. Eta.....	1899	Brother.
Pa. Eta.....	W. Mercer Brubaker.....	1901	J. F. Brubaker.....	Pa. Eta.....	1899	Brother.
Pa. Eta.....	W. Curtis Truxall.....	1901	A. E. Truxall.....	Pa. Eta.....	1867	Father.
Pa. Eta.....	George B. Bridenbaugh.....	1902	S. R. Bridenbaugh.....	Pa. Eta.....	1870	Father.
Pa. Eta.....	George B. Bridenbaugh.....	1902	John H. Bridenbaugh.....	Pa. Eta.....	1895	Brother.
Pa. Eta.....	George B. Bridenbaugh.....	1902	Paul S. Bridenbaugh.....	Pa. Eta.....	1896	Brother.
Pa. Theta.....	David Hubbell More.....	1899	Charles C. More.....	Pa. Theta.....	1894	Brother.
Pa. Theta.....	Walter Stanley Haldeman..	1900	Edward C. Haldeman.....	Pa. Theta.....	1900	Brother.
Pa. Theta.....	Edward Clayton Haldeman..	1900	Walter S. Haldeman.....	Pa. Theta.....	1900	Brother.
Pa. Theta.....	Thomas McKeen Chidsey...	1900	A. Dwight Chidsey.....	Pa. Theta.....	1896	Brother.
Pa. Theta.....	Samuel Williamson Nevin...	1901	J. Dennison Nevin.....	Pa. Theta.....	1899	Brother.
Pa. Theta.....	John Gardiner Clemson.....	1902	Ralph E. Clemson.....	Pa. Theta.....	1902	Brother.
Pa. Theta.....	Ralph Ernest Clemson.....	1902	John G. Clemson.....	Pa. Theta.....	1902	Brother.
Pa. Iota.....	George W. Childs.....	1899	Lester C. Childs.....	Wis. Gamma.	1894	Brother.
Pa. Iota.....	George W. Childs.....	1899	Robert W. Childs.....	Wis. Gamma	1895	Brother.
Pa. Iota.....	George W. Childs.....	1899	John S. Childs.....	Pa. Iota.....	1902	Brother.
Pa. Iota.....	Clarence DeArmond.....	1899	Frank L. DeArmond.....	Pa. Iota.....	1892	Brother.
Pa. Iota.....	Clarence DeArmond.....	1899	Ross DeArmond.....	Pa. Iota.....	1893	Brother.
Pa. Iota.....	Sidney J. Repplier.....	1900	John G. Repplier.....	Pa. Iota.....	1901	Brother.

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CHAPTER	NAME	Year of Initiat'n	TO WHOM RELATED	CHAPTER	Year of Initiat'n	Relation
Pa. Iota.....	Spencer K. Mulford, Jr.....	1901	William H. Mulford.....	Pa. Iota.....	1899	Brother.
Pa. Iota.....	Edgar M. Cortright.....	1902	Harry K. Cortright.....	Pa. Iota.....	1900	Brother.
Pa. Iota.....	John S. Childs.....	1902	Lester C. Childs.....	Wis. Gamma.	1894	Brother.
Pa. Iota.....	John S. Childs.....	1902	Robert W. Childs.....	Wis. Gamma.	1895	Brother.
Pa. Iota.....	John S. Childs.....	1902	George W. Childs.....	Pa. Iota.....	1899	Brother.
Pa. Kappa....	William Duly Smith.....	1902	Livingstone Smith.....	Pa. Iota.....	1899	Brother.
Pa. Kappa....	J. Archer Turner.....	1902	William W. Turner.....	Pa. Kappa....	1899	Brother.
Pa. Kappa....	J. Archer Turner.....	1902	Henry C. Turner.....	Pa. Kappa....	1893	Brother.
N. H. Alpha..	Marcus Richard Brown....	1900	D. L. Brown.....	N. H. Alpha..	1901	Brother.
N. H. Alpha..	Lester Wellington Studwell..	1901	Chester A. Studwell.....	N. H. Alpha..	1901	Brother.
N. H. Alpha..	Marshall Louis Ailing.....	1902	Benjamin W. Ailing.....	N. H. Alpha..	1898	Brother.
N. H. Alpha..	Allan Jay Parrish.....	1902	Robert Parrish.....	Pa. Alpha....	1898	Brother.
Mass. Alpha..	Ernest Monroe Ide.....	1900	H. C. Ide.....	Mass. Alpha..	1895	Brother.
Mass. Alpha..	Heath Moore.....	1899	P. O. Moore.....	N. Y. Zeta...	1898	Brother.
Mass. Alpha..	Karl Owen Thompson.....	1900	E. E. Thompson.....	Mass. Alpha..	1896	Brother.
Mass. Alpha..	Ralph Howard Boyden.....	1900	L. F. Boyden.....	Mass. Alpha..	1901	Brother.
Mass. Alpha..	Mark Hopkins Ward.....	1902	P. T. B. Ward.....	Mass. Alpha..	1895	Brother.
Mass. Alpha..	Mark Hopkins Ward.....	1902	E. St. J. Ward.....	Mass. Alpha..	1896	Brother.
Mass. Alpha..	Mark Hopkins Ward.....	1902	W. E. D. Ward.....	Mass. Alpha..	1902	Brother.
Mass. Alpha..	Wm. Earl Dodge Ward.....	1902	P. T. B. Ward.....	Mass. Alpha..	1895	Brother.
Mass. Alpha..	Wm. Earl Dodge Ward.....	1902	E. St. J. Ward.....	Mass. Alpha..	1896	Brother.
Mass. Alpha..	Wm. Earl Dodge Ward.....	1902	M. H. Ward.....	Mass. Alpha..	1902	Brother.
R. I. Alpha...	Howard W. Congdon.....	1902	Marcus R. Brown.....	N. H. Alpha..	1900	Cousin.

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CHAPTER	NAME	Year of Initiat'n	TO WHOM RELATED	CHAPTER	Year of Initiat'n	Relation
R. I. Alpha...	Howard W. Congdon.....	1902	Dana F. Brown.....	N. H. Alpha..	1901	Cousin.
N. Y. Alpha..	Harvey Griffin Rogers.....	1898	G. P. Rogers.....	N. Y. Alpha..	1896	Brother.
N. Y. Alpha..	Richard Win Root.....	1900	C. J. Root.....	Ill. Alpha....	1867	Son.
N. Y. Beta...	Harry R. Templeton.....	1898	R. H. Templeton.....	N. Y. Beta...		Brother.
N. Y. Beta...	Irving R. Templeton.....	1900	R. H. Templeton.....	N. Y. Beta...		Brother.
N. Y. Beta...	Harold I. Carothers.....	1902	James W. Carothers.....	Ind. Delta....	1871	Son.
N. Y. Beta...	Irving Smallwood.....	1902	W. Martin Smallwood.....	N. Y. Beta...	1892	Brother.
N. Y. Beta...	Irving Smallwood.....	1902	Murlin Smallwood.....	N. Y. Beta...	1898	Brother.
N. Y. Beta...	Ward Nind.....	1900	Edward S. Nind.....	Ill. Alpha....		Cousin.
N. Y. Gamma	Stafford B. Smith.....	1901	Charles L. Smith.....	N. Y. Gamma	1902	Brother.
N. Y. Gamma	Charles L. Smith.....	1902	Stafford B. Smith.....	N. Y. Gamma	1901	Brother.
N. Y. Gamma	Samuel Smyth, Jr.....	1902	David W. Smyth.....	N. Y. Gamma	1899	Brother.
N. Y. Gamma	George W. McCaskell.....	1898	J. A. McCaskell.....	N. Y. Gamma	1899	Brother.
N. Y. Gamma	William H. Adams.....	1900	F. E. Adams.....	N. Y. Alpha..	1898	Brother.
N. Y. Gamma	R. A. Longwell.....	1902	Horace C. Longwell.....	Cal. Beta....	1894	Brother.
N. Y. Gamma	R. A. Longwell.....	1902	William D. Longwell.....	Cal. Beta....	1894	Brother.
N. Y. Epsilon	Harry Childs Buck.....	1899	George L. Buck.....	N. Y. Epsilon	1897	Cousin.
N. Y. Epsilon	Fred Stillman Merrill.....	1901	Austin C. Merrill.....	N. Y. Epsilon	1902	Brother.
N. Y. Zeta...	Otto W. Weidmann.....	1902	William O. Weidmann.....	N. Y. Zeta...	1899	Brother.
N. Y. Zeta...	Otto W. Weidmann.....	1902	Anton Weidmann.....	N. Y. Gamma	1899	Brother.
Md. Alpha....	J. B. Gregg Custis, Jr.....	1900	J. B. Gregg Custis.....	D. C. Alpha..	1873	Son.
Md. Alpha....	Horace Hatch Custis.....	1902	J. B. Gregg Custis.....	D. C. Alpha..	1873	Son.
Md. Alpha....	Horace Hatch Custis.....	1902	J. B. Gregg Custis, Jr.....	Md. Alpha....	1900	Brother.

Table of Relationship.—Continued.

CHAPTER	NAME	Year of Initiat'n	TO WHOM RELATED	CHAPTER	Year of Initiat'n	Relation
Md. Alpha...	Reginald Stephenson Opie...	1901	Eugene L. Opie.....	Md. Alpha.....	1890	Brother.
Va. Alpha....	Edward Victor Valz.....	1899	Arthur Valz.....	Va. Alpha.....	1902	Brother.
Va. Alpha....	William Alexander Fleet....	1900	A. F. Fleet.....	Va. Alpha.....	1865	Son.
Va. Alpha....	William Alexander Fleet....	1900	J. S. Fleet.....	Va. Alpha.....	1898	Brother.
Va. Alpha....	William Alexander Fleet....	1900	H. W. Fleet.....	Va. Alpha.....	1899	Brother.
Va. Alpha....	Charles Hartwell Cocke.....	1899	Charles H. Cocke.....	Va. Alpha.....	1865	Son.
Va. Alpha....	Charles Hartwell Cocke.....	1899	F. A. Cocke.....	Va. Alpha.....	1898	Brother.
Va. Alpha....	Arthur Valz.....	1902	E. V. Valz.....	Va. Alpha.....	1899	Brother.
W. Va. Alpha.	Joseph Kerr Buchanan.....	1901	A. M. Buchanan.....	Pa. Alpha.....	1875	Son.
Miss. Alpha...	H. S. Borron.....	1901	V. D. Borron.....	Miss. Alpha...	1901	Brother.
Miss. Alpha...	V. D. Borron.....	1901	H. S. Borron.....	Miss. Alpha...	1901	Brother.
Miss. Alpha...	J. M. Hairston.....	1902	R. E. Hairston.....	Miss. Alpha...	1902	Cousin.
Miss. Alpha...	R. E. Hairston.....	1902	J. M. Hairston.....	Miss. Alpha...	1902	Cousin.
Tenn. Delta...	Jordan Stokes, Jr.....	1901	Jordan Stokes, Sr.....	Tenn. Beta....		Son.
Tenn. Delta...	William L. Murfree.....	1902	W. L. Murfree.....	Tenn. Gamma		Son.
Tenn. Delta...	Frank A. Berry.....	1901	Dr. Cheatam.....			Nephew.
Tenn. Delta...	Frank A. Berry.....	1901	Dr. Bass.....			Nephew.
Ohio Alpha...	Arthur John Parsons.....	1897	Harry J. Parsons.....	Ohio Alpha...	1894	Brother.
Ohio Alpha...	Will Dawson Beal.....	1902	Edwin G. Beal.....	Ohio Alpha...	1898	Brother.
Ohio Alpha...	Joseph Kinsey Cole.....	1898	Charles W. Cole.....	Ohio Alpha...	1866	Son.
Ohio Alpha...	Francis Elias Whitlock.....	1900	Wm. G. Whitlock.....	Ohio Alpha...	1898	Brother.
Ohio Alpha...	Hermes Seward Welsch.....	1902	Sumner Welsch.....	Ohio Alpha...	1899	Brother

Table of Relationships.—Continued.

CHAPTER	NAME	Year of Initiat'n	TO WHOM RELATED	CHAPTER	Year of Initiat'n	Relation
Ohio Beta....	Charles L. Harris.....	1900	Edwin C. Harris.....	Ohio Beta....	1893	Brother.
Ohio Beta....	William K. Gotwald.....	1901	Dr. D. King Gotwald.....	Pa. Iota.....	1879	Son.
Ohio Beta....	Volney F. Trout.....	1902	Delmar E. Trout.....	Ohio Beta....	1900	Brother.
Ohio Delta....	William Gleason Holmes.....	1900	Ralph Holmes.....	Pa. Beta....	1892	Brother.
Ind. Alpha....	Salem L. Town.....	1898	Salem B. Town.....	Ind. Alpha....	1865	Son.
Ind. Alpha....	Lockwood Town.....	1901	Salem B. Town.....	Ind. Alpha....	1865	Son.
Ind. Alpha....	Salem L. Town.....	1898	Lockwood Town.....	Ind. Alpha....	1901	Brother.
Ind. Alpha....	Lockwood Town.....	1901	Salem L. Town.....	Ind. Alpha....	1898	Brother.
Ind. Alpha....	Walter W. Talley.....	1902	Homer B. Talley.....	Ind. Alpha....	1894	Brother.
Ind. Alpha....	George B. Small.....	1902	Albert A. Small.....	Ind. Alpha....	1877	Son.
Ind. Alpha....	Arthur E. Post.....	1900	Edwin Post.....	Pa. Zeta.....	1869	Son.
Ind. Alpha....	Edward Shaw.....	1902	Archibald Shaw.....	Ind. Alpha....	1869	Son.
Ind. Alpha....	Edward Shaw.....	1902	Harris Shaw.....	Ind. Alpha....	1901	Brother.
Ind. Alpha....	H. Ray Beckman.....	1900	Charles Beckman.....	Ind. Alpha....	1895	Brother.
Ind. Alpha....	Louis W. Henry.....	1902	Charles L. Henry.....	Ind. Alpha....	1868	Son.
Ind. Beta....	Hubert Lister Beck.....	1901	James K. Beck.....	Ind. Beta....	1871	Son.
Ind. Beta....	Hubert Lister Beck.....	1901	Fred A. Beck.....	Ind. Beta....	1899	Brother.
Ind. Beta....	Ralph Dyal Wadsworth.....	1901	H. C. Wadsworth.....	Ind. Beta....	1896	Brother.
Ind. Beta....	Nicholas Otto Pittinger.....	1902	O. M. Pittinger.....	Ind. Beta....	1892	Brother.
Ind. Beta....	Nathaniel Usher Hill, Jr.....	1902	Nat U. Hill.....	Ind. Beta....	1873	Son.
Ind. Beta....	William John Blair.....	1902	W. T. Blair.....	Ind. Beta....	1875	Son.
Ind. Delta....	Milton J. Neely.....	1898	Fred M. Neely.....	Ind. Alpha....	1895	Brother.

Table of Relationships.—Continued.

CHAPTER	NAME	Year of Initiat'n	TO WHOM RELATED	CHAPTER	Year of Initiat'n	Relation
Ill. Alpha....	Julius P. Balmer.....	1901	Edwin Balmer.....	Ill. Alpha.....	1899	Brother.
Ill. Beta....	Milton H. Pettit.....	1898	Fred R. Pettit.....	Ill. Beta.....	1900	Brother.
Ill. Beta....	Fred R. Pettit.....	1900	Milton H. Pettit.....	Ill. Beta.....	1898	Brother.
Ill. Beta....	Guy D. Randle.....	1902	Hansen F. Randle.....	Ill. Beta.....	1899	Brother.
Ill. Beta....	Hansen F. Randle.....	1898	Guy D. Randle.....	Ill. Beta.....	1902	Brother.
Ill. Beta....	Carl I. Neptune.....	1899	R. C. Neptune.....	Ill. Beta.....	1899	Brother.
Ill. Beta....	Carl I. Neptune.....	1899	J. C. Neptune.....	Ill. Beta.....	1900	Brother.
Ill. Beta....	Richard C. Neptune.....	1899	J. C. Neptune.....	Ill. Beta.....	1900	Brother.
Ill. Beta....	Richard C. Neptune.....	1899	C. I. Neptune.....	Ill. Beta.....	1899	Brother.
Ill. Beta....	Joseph C. Neptune.....	1900	R. C. Neptune.....	Ill. Beta.....	1899	Brother.
Ill. Beta....	Joseph C. Neptune.....	1900	C. I. Neptune.....	Ill. Beta.....	1899	Brother.
Mich. Alpha....	James Albric Ryan.....	1899	John Ryan.....	Mich. Alpha....	1901	Brother.
Mich. Alpha....	James Albric Ryan.....	1899	Eugene Ryan.....	Ill. Beta.....	1894	Brother.
Mich. Alpha....	John Arthur Ryan.....	1901	Eugene Ryan.....	Ill. Beta.....	1894	Brother.
Mich. Alpha....	Robert Porter Morsman.....	1900	Ed. Morsman.....	Mich. Alpha....	1889	Brother.
Mich. Alpha....	Robert Porter Morsman.....	1900	Joe Morsman.....	Mich. Alpha....	1889	Brother.
Mich. Alpha....	Robert Porter Morsman.....	1900	Frank Morsman.....	Mich. Alpha....	1897	Brother.
Mich. Alpha....	Allen Walter Campbell.....	1902	Herbert Campbell.....	Mich. Alpha....	1897	Brother.
Mich. Alpha....	George Henry Mayr.....	1902	Frank Mayr, Jr.....	Mich. Alpha....	1901	Brother.
Mich. Alpha....	Robert Emmett Fitz Gerald.....	1899	Arthur Fitz Gerald.....	Mich. Alpha....	1899	Brother.
Mich. Alpha....	James Rogers Offield.....	1900	Charles K. Offield.....	Ill. Beta.....	1867	Father.
Mich. Alpha....	Warren Edwards Emley.....	1902	Joseph C. Emley.....	Pa. Kappa....	1891	Brother.

Table of Relationships—Continued.

CHAPTER	NAME	Year of Initiat'n	TO WHOM RELATED	CHAPTER	Year of Initiat'n	Relation
Wis. Alpha...	Fred Hittman Carpenter.....	1898	Frank Whitney Carpenter.....	Wis. Alpha....	1902	Brother.
Wis. Alpha....	William H. McEldowney.....	1899	Herbert Campbell.....	Mich. Alpha....	1898	Cousin.
Wis. Gamma..	J. Frank Thomas.....	1900	James R. Thomas.....	Wis. Gamma..	1901	Brother.
Wis. Gamma..	James R. Thomas.....	1901	J. Frank Thomas.....	Wis. Gamma..	1900	Brother.
Wis. Gamma..	Roy Fred Wright.....	1902	Wert Wright.....	Wis. Gamma..	1897	Brother.
Minn. Beta...	Robert Winthrop Putnam....	1899	W. R. Putnam.....	Minn. Beta....	1893	Brother.
Minn. Beta...	Robert Winthrop Putnam....	1899	F. S. Putnam.....	Minn. Beta....	1896	Brother.
Minn. Beta...	Robert Winthrop Putnam....	1899	F. W. Putnam.....	Minn. Beta....	1902	Brother.
Minn. Beta...	Richard Stoors Pattee.....	1900	C. S. Pattee.....	Minn. Beta....	1890	Brother.
Minn. Beta...	Paul Andros Brooks.....	1900	H. K. Brooks.....	Minn. Beta....	1897	Cousin.
Minn. Beta...	Paul Andros Brooks.....	1900	S. D. Brooks.....	Minn. Beta....	1897	Cousin.
Minn. Beta...	Marshall Shaw Jackson.....	1901	R. A. Jackson.....	Minn. Beta....	1896	Brother.
Minn. Beta...	Marshall Shaw Jackson.....	1901	G. M. Jackson.....	Minn. Beta....	1899	Brother.
Minn. Beta...	Marshall Shaw Jackson.....	1901	M. B. Jackson.....	Minn. Beta....	1901	Brother.
Minn. Beta...	Robert Ray Reed.....	1902	E. T. Reed.....	Minn. Beta....	1892	Brother.
Iowa Alpha...	Roy Earl Mason.....	1902	Ralph Taylor Mason.....	Iowa Alpha....	1897	Brother.
Iowa Alpha...	Roy Earl Mason.....	1902	Benjamin Allen Mason.....	Iowa Alpha....	1900	Brother.
Iowa Alpha...	Harry Douglas Willis.....	1902	Bernard Darwin Willis.....	Iowa Alpha....	1897	Brother.
Iowa Alpha...	Adam Konigmacher Hess.....	1899	John Jacob Hess.....	Iowa Alpha....	1893	Brother.
Kan. Alpha...	Joseph T. McGrew.....	1902	George W. McGrew.....	Kan. Alpha....	1901	Brother.
Kan. Alpha...	W. F. Dyer.....	1901	Joseph H. Dyer.....	Kan. Alpha....	1901	Brother.
Kan. Alpha...	Sidney S. Linscott.....	1901	Clarence M. Linscott.....	Kan. Alpha....	1900	Brother.

Table of Relationships—Continued.

CHAPTER	NAME	TO WHOM RELATED		CHAPTER	Year of Initiat'n	Relation
		Year of Initiat'n				
Neb. Alpha...	Herman Kountz Lehmer.....	1901	Frank Wilton Lehmer.....	Neb. Alpha...	1898	Brother.
Neb. Alpha...	Ralph C. Christie.....	1902	Burton Whitford Christie.....	Neb. Alpha...	1896	Brother.
Cal. Gamma..	George Russell Kline.....	1901	James J. Kline.....	Cal. Gamma..	1899	Brother.
Cal. Gamma..	William W. Adams.....	1900	De Quincy Adams.....	Cal. Gamma..	1900	Brother.
Cal. Gamma..	Edgar Henry Howell.....	1900	Albert J. Howell.....	Cal. Gamma..	1899	Brother.
Cal. Gamma..	Albert John Howell.....	1899	Edgar Henry Howell.....	Cal. Gamma..	1900	Brother.
Cal. Gamma...	James Pascal Burney.....	1902	James Travis Burney.....	Kan. Alpha...		Son.

Transfers.

CHAPTER	NAME	Year of Initiat'n	Former Chapter
N. Y. Alpha..	Judson Hardwell Boughton...	1901	Ind. Delta.
N. Y. Alpha..	Henry Leland Lowe.....	1901	Ind. Delta.
N. Y. Alpha..	Joseph Kinsey Cole.....	1898	Ohio Alpha.
N. Y. Alpha..	Thomas B. Marshall.....	1900	Pa. Kappa.
N. Y. Alpha..	Thomas Lytleland Dunn....	1895	Va. Alpha.
N. Y. Gamma..	Lorin J. Roach.....	1897	Iowa Alpha.
N. Y. Zeta...	Otto W. Weidmann.....	1900	N. Y. Gamma.
N. Y. Zeta...	Otto W. Sartorius.....	1901	N. Y. Gamma.
Va. Alpha....	Karl Campbell Prichard.....	1899	Pa. Gamma.
Md. Alpha....	James Alfred Morrison.....	....	Va. Gamma.
.....	do .....	....	Va. Alpha.
Ohio Delta....	Stanley DuBois Winger....	1897	Ohio Beta.
Ohio Delta....	George Thomas Hoffman....	1900	Ohio Alpha.
Ind. Beta....	Fuller Combs.....	1894	Ind. Delta.
Ind. Delta....	Milton L. Neely.....	1898	Ind. Alpha.
Ill. Beta.....	Roy D. Keeher.....	1897	Ind. Beta.
Ill. Beta.....	Fred R. Pettit.....	1900	Wis. Alpha.
Wis. Alpha....	Perry S. Johnson.....	1901	Iowa Alpha.
Wis. Alpha....	James B. Du Shane.....	1900	Ind. Beta.

Dismissals and Expulsions.

NAME	Residence	Year of Initiat'n	Suspended or Expelled	Chapter
Fred C. Van Voorst.	Monticello, Ind.	1900	Expelled	Ind. Beta.

Deaths.

NAME	Chapter	Year of Initiat'n	Class	Late Residence	Place of Death	Cause	Date	Occupation
Thomas P. Coulston	.....	.....	1859	.....	Philadelphia, Pa.	.....	1902	.....
William H. Conard	.....	.....	1862	.....	Philadelphia, Pa.	.....	1902	.....
William S. Wood	.....	.....	1864	.....	Mt. Pleasant, Pa.	.....	1902	.....
F. J. Perry	.....	.....	1872	.....	.....	.....	1902	.....
Charles W. McC. Black	Pa. Zeta	1888	1889	Wilbraham, Mass.	Wilbraham, Mass.	.....	1902	Teacher.
Eugene Frost Davis	Va. Alpha	1898	1902	Leesburg, Va.	Leesburg, Va.	Accident	1902	Insurance.
Fontaine A. Cocke	Va. Alpha	1898	1901	Columbus, Miss.	Columbus, Miss.	Drowned	1902	Broker.
Eugene G. Carpenter	Ohio Alpha	1877	1882	Columbus, Ohio	Columbus, Ohio	Apoplexy	1902	Physician.
Hugh A. McCabe	Ohio Delta	1896	1900	Sewickley, Pa.	Sewickley, Pa.	Typhus	1902	Business.
William C. Spangler	Kan. Alpha	1879	1883	Lawrence, Kansas	Lawrence, Kansas	Consumption	1902	Lawyer.
John H. Gisel	Pa. Eta	1878	1882	Lancaster, Pa.	Lancaster, Pa.	Accident	1902	Carpenter.
D. L. Schwartz	Pa. Eta	1866	1882	Lakewood, N. J.	Lakewood, N. J.	.....	.....	Minister.
Charles A. Harnish	Pa. Eta	1886	1889	Alexandria, Pa.	Philadelphia, Pa.	Consumption	1902	Physician.
William T. Rust	Miss. Alpha	1881	1882	Greenwood, Miss.	Durant, Miss.	.....	1902	Lawyer.
Francis M. Philips	Miss. Alpha	1886	1890	Lexington, Miss.	Lexington, Miss.	Shot	1902	Physician.
Samuel B. Barnitz	Pa. Epsilon	1859	.....	Des Moines, Iowa	Des Moines, Iowa	.....	1902	Minster.
James E. Edmonds	Pa. Alpha	1854	1856	Bolivor, Miss.	Bolivor, Miss.	.....	1902	Planter.
Daniel R. Miller	Pa. Epsilon	1856	1856	Pine Grove, Pa.	Pine Grove, Pa.	.....	.....	Business.
William Murray Weidmann	Pa. Epsilon	1856	1857	Reading, Pa.	Reading, Pa.	.....	1902	Physician.
Leonard W. Harrington	Ind. Delta	1900	1900	Mansfield, Ohio	Chicago, Ill.	Consumption	1902	.....
William G. Williams	Ohio Alpha	.....	.....	Delaware, Ohio	Delaware, Ohio	Apoplexy	1902	Professor.
Harl Myers	Iowa Alpha	1889	1893	Honduras	Honduras	.....	1902	Planter.
Frank Woods Nesbit	Pa. Alpha	1894	1898	Pittsburg, Pa.	Pittsburg, Pa.	Fever	1902	.....
Robert Dunlap Fetterman	Pa. Alpha	1900	1904	Pittsburg, Pa.	Pittsburg, Pa.	.....	1902	.....

Table Showing States in Which Membership of Phi Kappa Psi Resides.

STATES	Dist. 1	Dist. 2	Dist. 3	Dist. 4	Dist. 5	Totals
Pennsylvania	152	18	3	5	3	181
West Virginia.....	2	0	22	0	0	24
Illinois	5	12	0	51	26	94
Ohio	4	4	0	52	0	60
New York.....	6	134	1	5	1	147
Indiana	2	5	1	82	3	93
New Jersey.....	11	8	0	0	0	19
Maryland	3	0	14	1	0	18
Delaware	3	0	0	0	0	3
District of Columbia	1	0	0	1	0	2
Mexico	2	0	0	0	1	3
Wisconsin	1	0	0	3	31	35
Texas	1	1	2	0	0	4
Massachusetts	0	53	0	2	0	55
New Hampshire.....	0	9	0	0	0	9
Rhode Island.....	0	12	0	0	0	12
Connecticut	0	9	0	0	0	9
Maine	0	1	0	1	0	2
Vermont	0	2	0	0	0	2
Nebraska	0	3	0	1	34	38
England	0	1	0	0	0	1
Virginia	0	3	16	0	0	19
Louisiana	0	1	1	0	0	2
Montana	0	3	0	0	0	3
Colorado	0	1	0	1	2	4
Utah	0	1	0	0	6	7
Iowa	0	2	0	3	22	27
Minnesota	0	2	0	0	23	25
Georgia	0	0	4	0	0	4
Missouri	0	0	2	2	7	11
Kentucky	0	0	5	0	0	5
Mississippi	0	0	19	0	0	19
North Carolina.....	0	0	1	0	0	1
Tennessee	0	0	8	4	0	12
Michigan	0	0	0	11	0	11
Oregon	0	0	0	1	3	4
India	0	0	0	1	0	1
South Dakota.....	0	0	0	1	0	1
Kansas	0	0	0	0	18	18
California	0	0	0	0	29	29
Nevada	0	0	0	0	2	2
Washington	0	0	0	0	2	2
Arizona	0	0	0	0	1	1
New Mexico.....	0	1	0	0	0	1
No residence given..					1	1

Total Number States Represented.....	44
First District.....	193
Second District.....	286
Third District.....	99
Fourth District.....	228
Fifth District.....	215
Total Membership.....	1021

Table Showing Professional Ambition of Phi Psis.

PROFESSIONS	Dist. 1	Dist. 2	Dist. 3	Dist. 4	Dist. 5	Totals
Law	54	83	36	53	68	294
Banking	2	0	1	3	3	9
Civil Engineering....	14	5	5	5	4	33
Medicine	24	25	23	18	20	110
Business	60	52	11	68	52	243
Electrical Engineering	3	3	0	5	5	16
Theology	1	0	2	0	0	3
Architecture	6	2	0	1	1	10
Engineering	8	5	2	19	9	43
Journalism	2	4	2	7	7	22
Dentistry	4	2	0	1	2	9
Mech. Engineering...	1	21	3	16	9	50
Art	1	0	0	1	1	3
Teaching	3	44	12	6	1	66
Actor	1	0	0	1	0	2
Ministry	4	16	0	3	0	23
Mining Engineering..	3	10	0	1	16	30
Chemistry	4	4	1	5	7	21
Astronomy	0	1	0	0	0	1
Librarian	0	1	0	0	0	1
Clerking	0	1	0	0	0	1
Forestry	0	3	0	0	0	3
Army	0	1	0	1	0	2
Insurance	0	1	0	0	0	1
Music	0	1	0	1	2	4
Linguist	0	0	1	0	0	1
Oratory	0	0	0	1	0	1
Magic	0	0	0	1	0	1
Missionary	0	0	0	4	0	4
Science	0	0	0	1	1	2
Pharmacy	0	0	0	1	0	1
Professor	0	0	0	2	0	2
Agriculture	0	0	0	2	1	3
Veterinary Surgeon..	0	0	0	1	0	1
Merchant	0	0	0	0	2	2
Politics	0	0	0	0	1	1

Table Showing Professional Ambition of Phi Psis.

Continued.

PROFESSIONS	Dist. 1	Dist. 2	Dist. 3	Dist. 4	Dist. 5	Totals
Electricity	0	0	0	0	1	1
Manufacturing	0	0	0	0	1	1
	193	286	99	228	215	1021

Total number professions represented.....38

First District..... 193

Second District..... 286

Third District..... 99

Fourth District..... 228

Fifth District..... 215

Active members fraternity year.....1021

Table Showing Chapter Houses.

CHAPTER	Own House	Rent House	Rent Meeting Hall	Own Building Lot
First District.				
Pennsylvania Alpha.....	0	1	0	0
Pennsylvania Beta.....	0	1	0	1
Pennsylvania Gamma.....	0	0	1	1
Pennsylvania Epsilon.....	1**	0	0	1
Pennsylvania Zeta.....	0	0	1	0
Pennsylvania Eta.....	0	1	0	0
Pennsylvania Theta.....	0	0	1	0
Pennsylvania Iota.....	0	1	0	0
Pennsylvania Kappa.....	0	0	1	0
	1	4	4	3
Second District.				
New Hampshire Alpha....	0	0	1	0
Massachusetts Alpha.....	1	0	0	1
Rhode Island Alpha.....	0	0	1	0
New York Alpha.....	1	0	0	0
New York Beta.....	1	0	0	1
New York Gamma.....	0	1	0	0
New York Epsilon.....	1	0	0	1
New York Zeta.....	0	1*	0	0
	4	2	2	3

Table Showing Chapter Houses.—Continued.

CHAPTER	Own House	Rent House	Rent Meeting Hall	Own Building Lot
Third District.				
Maryland Alpha.....	0	1	0	0
Virginia Alpha.....	0	0	1	0
Virginia Beta.....	0	0	1	0
West Virginia Alpha.....	1	0	0	0
Mississippi Alpha.....	0	0	1	0
Tennessee Alpha.....	0	1	0	0
	1	2	3	0
Fourth District.				
Ohio Alpha.....	0	1	0	0
Ohio Beta.....	0	1	0	0
Ohio Delta.....	0	0	(a)1	0
Indiana Alpha.....	1	0	0	0
Indiana Beta.....	0	1	0	0
Indiana Delta.....	0	1	0	0
Illinois Alpha.....	0	1	0	0
Illinois Beta.....	1	0	0	1
Michigan Alpha.....	1	0	0	1
	3	5	1	2
Fifth District.				
Wisconsin Alpha.....	0	1	0	0
Wisconsin Gamma.....	1	0	0	1
Minnesota Beta.....	0	1	0	1
Iowa Alpha.....	0	1	0	0
Kansas Alpha.....	0	1	0	1
Nebraska Alpha.....	0	1	0	0
California Beta.....	0	1	0	0
California Gamma.....	0	1	0	0
	1	7	0	3
Totals.....	10	20	10	11

*Apartments.

(a) Expects to enter Chapter House January 1, 1903.

Comparative and Summary Tables,
For the Year Ending December 15, 1902.

CHAPTER	Chartered	Entire Membership to Dec. 15, 1902.	Active Members, 1902.	Attending Members Dec. 15, 1902.	Initiates 1902.	Deaths	Dismissals and Expulsions	Classes					No. of Male Students in Institutions
								1903	1904	1905	1906	Specials	
First District.													
Pa. Alpha.....	1852	339	19	11	9	3	0	2	1	1	7	0	250
Pa. Beta.....	1855	383	16	8	9	0	0	1	1	1	5	0	150
Pa. Gamma.....	1855	260	19	13	11	0	0	0	4	9	0	0	325
Pa. Epsilon.....	1855	243	11	10	2	3	0	2	4	1	3	0	240
Pa. Zeta.....	1859	305	19	15	4	1	0	3	7	3	2	0	325
Pa. Eta.....	1860	207	17	15	3	3	0	4	2	6	3	0	225
Pa. Theta.....	1869	224	33	29	5	0	0	4	11	9	5	0	422
Pa. Iota.....	1877	236	37	26	9	0	0	7	4	9	6	0	2573
Pa. Kappa.....	1889	94	22	11	13	0	0	1	6	0	4	0	100
..		2291	193	138	65	10	0	24	40	39	35	0	4610
Second District.													
N. H. Alpha.....	1896	98	40	28	8	0	0	6	5	10	7	0	789
Mass. Alpha.....	1895	108	48	32	12	0	0	2	8	12	10	0	389
Rhode Island Alpha.	1902	24	24	19	24	0	0	7	4	4	4	0	750
N. Y. Alpha.....	1868	205	36	24	3	0	0	11	2	9	2	0	2500
N. Y. Beta.....	1884	192	47	30	15	0	0	6	4	9	11	0	1100
N. Y. Gamma.....	1872	115	37	25	8	0	0	3	11	7	2	2	3300
N. Y. Epsilon.....	1887	173	31	23	7	0	0	6	3	8	6	0	178
N. Y. Zeta.....	1893	66	23	18	3	0	0	7	3	6	2	0	100
		981	286	199	80	0	0	48	40	65	44	2	9106
Third District.													
Md. Alpha.....	1876	124	14	12	3	0	0	2	3	1	2	4	676
Va. Alpha.....	1853	333	23	13	4	2	2	3	3	2	5	0	603
Va. Beta.....	1855	168	10	5	2	0	0	2	2	1	0	0	272
W. Va. Alpha.....	1890	88	22	15	3	0	0	5	6	4	0	0	300
Tennessee Delta.....	1901	15	14	11	5	0	0	2	3	5	1	0	803
Miss. Alpha.....	1858	160	16	10	5	2	0	2	1	3	4	0	350
		888	99	66	22	4	0	16	18	16	12	4	3004
Fourth District													
Ohio Alpha.....	1861	344	21	13	11	2	0	6	2	2	3	0	1400
Ohio Beta.....	1866	237	25	18	5	0	0	3	8	2	5	0	210
Ohio Delta.....	1880	141	15	11	5	1	0	3	3	1	4	0	1358
Ind. Alpha.....	1865	347	31	24	10	0	0	7	7	8	2	0	300

Comparative and Summary Tables.

For the Year Ending December 15, 1902.

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CHAPTER	Chartered	Entire Membership to Dec. 15, 1902.	Active Members, 1902	Attending Members Dec. 15, 1902.	Initiates 1902	Deaths	Dismissals and Expulsions	Classes					No. of Male Students in Institutions
								1903	1904	1905	1906	Specials	
Ind. Beta.....	1869	413	32	20	11	0	1	2	5	5	7	1	848
Ind. Delta.....	1901	186	27	15	8	1	0	3	8	4	0	0	1300
Ill. Alpha.....	1864	300	20	14	10	0	0	1	1	8	4	0	2800
Ill. Beta.....	1880	131	23	19	6	0	0	6	6	2	4	1	1200
Mich. Alpha.....	1876	199	34	22	8	0	0	6	6	4	6	0	3200
		2298	228	156	74	4	1	37	46	36	35	2	12616
Fifth District.													
Wis. Alpha.....	1875	133	33	18	6	0	0	5	4	3	6	0	2000
Wis. Gamma.....	1881	100	26	20	7	0	0	6	4	3	7	0	200
Minn. Beta.....	1888	115	34	22	11	0	0	3	5	7	5	2	2600
Iowa Alpha.....	1867	166	18	13	5	1	0	4	6	2	1	0	1117
Kan. Alpha.....	1866	179	25	11	10	1	0	1	1	6	3	0	957
Neb. Alpha.....	1895	82	35	23	9	0	0	5	4	8	5	1	1324
Cal. Beta.....	1891	94	20	15	5	0	0	3	5	3	4	0	875
Cal. Gamma.....	1899	39	24	15	7	0	0	4	6	2	3	0	1475
		908	215	137	60	2	0	31	35	34	34	3	10548

General Summary.

DISTRICTS	No. of Chapters	Entire Membership to December 15, 1902	Active Members Dec. 15, 1902	Attending Members December 15, 1902	Average per Chapter	Chapter Houses	Initiates, 1902	Deaths	Dismissals and Expuls'ns	Classes				
										1902	1903	1904	1905	Specials
First	9	2291	193	138	15.3	5	65	10	0	24	40	39	35	0
Second	8	981	286	199	24.9	6	80	0	0	48	40	65	44	2
Third	6	888	99	66	11.	3	22	4	0	16	18	16	12	4
Fourth	9	2298	228	156	17.3	8	74	4	1	37	46	36	35	2
Fifth	8	908	215	137	15.7	8	60	2	0	31	35	34	34	3
Totals.....	40	7366	1021	696	16.4	30	301	20	1	156	179	190	160	11

Total membership to Dec. 15, 1902 (active chapters).....7366

Total membership of inactive chapters, 1902.....1721

Grand total membership.....9087

Recapitulation, grand total membership, 1901.....8786

Initiates 1902..... 301

9087



J. Warren Keifer—A Man and a Brother

By Walter H. Weaver, Ohio Beta, '04.



Gen. J. Warren Keifer.

There are few names amongst the many illustrious men of our fraternity that stand forth more prominently than that of J. Warren Keifer. To the nation he is known as a brave soldier, a brilliant lawyer, and an astute statesman; to us he is all of these and in addition is known by the simple title of "Brother." A true son of a great nation he has manfully fought the battle of life and won honors for his name and his chosen brotherhood on the battlefield, in the forum and on the floor of congress. A man in every sense of the word, he has steadily climbed the ladder of fame, round by round, until now he stands at the top, the peer of any member of our fraternity.

Bro. Keifer was born on Mad River, Clark County, Ohio, January 30 1836. He was the son of Joseph Keifer, a native of Maryland, who came to Ohio in 1812, and Mary (Smith) Keifer. He attended the common schools and Antioch College at Yellow Springs, and taught a term of the country school in 1853, seeking, meanwhile, in every possible channel for means of self-improvement and higher education. He early determined to make the pursuit of law his life work; and from 1853 to 1856 he read law and acquired such other information as the books within his reach afforded him. In 1856 he entered the law office of Anthony and Goode of Springfield, Ohio, and was admitted to the bar on January 12, 1858. He continuously practiced his profession until 1861 when on April 9th of that year he enlisted in the army as a private. He was commissioned major of the Third Ohio Infantry on April 27, for three months, and on June 12 for three years. To enter into a detailed account of his long and brilliant career as a soldier of the Union would take more space than is allowed me, so a brief sketch of his military achievements will have to suffice. In the year 1861 Major Keifer took part in the battles of Rich Mountain, Cheat Mountain and Elk River. February 12, 1862, he was commissioned lieutenant-colonel of the Third Ohio and was present at the capture of Bowling Green, Ky., Nashville, Tenn., and Huntsville and Bridgeport, Ala. April 30,

1862, he led the first expedition into Georgia and performed an important service in the destruction of the saltpetre works at Nickajack Cave. He returned to Louisville with Gen. Buell's command; was made colonel of the 110th Ohio Infantry September 30, 1862; was assigned to Gen. Milroy's division in West Virginia and placed in command of a brigade and the post at Moorefield. He was twice wounded at the battle of Winchester in June, 1863; June 9, 1863, he was assigned to the Army of the Potomac in the Third Army Corps and took part in the engagement at Wapping Height on June 23, 1863. In August, 1863, he was sent with his command to aid in the suppression of the draft riots in New York; rejoined his army in the field in September and took a prominent part in the battle of Mine Run in November. On March 24, 1864, he was transferred to the Sixth Corps and at the battle of the Wilderness was wounded by a musket ball which shattered both bones of his left forearm, disabling him until August 26, when he resumed the command of his brigade at Harper's Ferry, being the second brigade, Third Division, Sixth Corps, and with his arm in a sling he commanded his troops at the hard-fought battles of Opequan, Fisher's Hill and Cedar Creek. At Cedar Creek he commanded the whole of the Third Division and for his distinguished gallantry and the energy and discretion there shown, he was brevetted a brigadier general. In December, 1864, he rejoined, with his corps, the Army of the Potomac, and was actively engaged on the left of the fortified line in front of Petersburg. On March 25, 1865, he led a successful assault on the enemy's outer line of works and was complimented in general orders. On April 2 he charged with his division in the final assault which carried the main works and resulted in the capture of Petersburg and Richmond. April 5 his command aided in cutting off the retreat of Lee's army and forcing him (Lee) to give battle at Sailor's Creek; the wings of the army (Gen. Keifer commanding the left) being forced forward (notwithstanding the fact that the enemy had broken the center line) surrounded and effected the capture of about six thousand of the enemy, including Generals Ewell, Kershaw, Custis, Pickett and others of high rank. One of the many thrilling incidents of Gen. Keifer's military career and showing his heroism and presence of mind is worth telling. Immediately succeeding the surrender of the six thousand Confederates and while assisting in the re-forming of his troops, information reached General Keifer that a body of the enemy was concealed on his right. He rode in person into the woods to reconnoiter and came suddenly upon the Confederate troops lying on the ground, evidently ignorant of the surrender that had just been made. The density of the wood, approaching night and the smoke of the battle saved the General from instant identification as a Union officer. To attempt to withdraw was instant death and surrender never entered his mind. Seeing that the Confederates were expecting an order of some kind he waved his sword toward his own troops and shouted to the Confederates to "Forward." He was instantly obeyed and the faster he rode

the faster the enemy followed him till he was out of the woods. Recognizing him as a Federal officer the Confederates would have shot him but for the prompt action of their own officers who were quick to see the desperate heroism of the act. These officers were Commodore Tucker and Captain Semmes of the Confederate navy who were on shore duty, and they undoubtedly saved the life of the General by their quick action. Later the General was instrumental in obtaining the parole of these officers from Johnson's Island. General Keifer joined in the pursuit and capture of General Lee and was brevetted major general "for gallant and distinguished services during the campaign ending in the surrender of the insurgent commander, General R. E. Lee." His corps was sent south to aid in the capture of the army of General Johnston in North Carolina and later witnessed the surrender of that officer.

His military career, thus briefly outlined, has but few parallels; without military education or experience, without influence or wealth, merit and distinguished ability earned the highest rank in the service. For over four years he was, except when disabled by wounds, in the field. Then he rendered material aid in preserving the Union from ruin; in after years he was destined to help to place his country high in the front rank among the great powers of today.

At the close of the war he returned to Springfield, Ohio, and resumed the practice of the law. On November 30, 1866, he was tendered a commission as lieutenant-colonel of the Twenty-sixth United States Infantry but declined. He was elected to the Ohio State Senate, holding office from 1868 to 1870, and it was during this time that he became a member of the Phi Kappa Psi fraternity. At that time the practice, since discontinued, was customary of taking honorary members. Bro. Keifer was thus honored, and as the fraternity honored him, he honored her by being affiliated with her. The initiation was performed by Ohio Beta Chapter in the spring of 1868. In 1876 the General was a delegate to the National Republican convention and was elected to Congress the same year, for a term beginning March 4, 1877, and by re-election continued a member until March 4, 1885, when he again retired from public service. Bro. Keifer's career was highly creditable to himself and to his state, for he achieved a distinction attained by but few men. In recognition of his eminent services he was, on December 5, 1881, elected by the Republicans as Speaker of the 47th Congress, which office he held until March 4, 1883. Gen. Keifer enjoys the distinction of being the first Speaker to enforce the rule of Cloture, which was a ruling giving to the Speaker the right to close debate and cut off purposely obstructive motions and questions. It may be mentioned here that Gladstone, in the House of Commons, cited this rule for the benefit of the English Speaker. General Keifer is the only Ohioan who was Speaker of the House of Representatives and this distinction is heightened by the fact that the Democrats had had control of the House for six years previously and at the end

of General Keifer's term they again regained a majority and elected a Democratic Speaker. His ability as a parliamentarian and his impartial enforcement of the rules have never been surpassed by anyone in that high office.

In 1887 General Keifer was the orator at the unveiling of the Garfield statue at Washington. He was commander of the Department of Ohio, Grand Army of the Republic, 1868-'70; vice-commander-in-chief of that organization, 1872-'73; a trustee of the Ohio Soldier's Orphans' Home, 1870-'78.

In 1898 occurred another turning point in Bro. Keifer's life. For some time previous to that date he was loud in his denunciations of the action of the Spaniards in Cuba and spoke against Spanish rule in that island from many platforms. When the President called for troops after the sinking of the Maine, Bro. Keifer was tendered a major generalship in the volunteer service, which he accepted. Once again he took up his sword for the defense of his country and once again he returned to his home crowned with the laurel of fame. On receiving his commission he, accompanied by his son, Horace C. Keifer, Ohio Beta '86, who was commissioned captain at the same time, proceeded to Miami, Florida, where he took immediate command of the First Division, Seventh Corps. He was encamped at Camps Cuba Libre, near Jacksonville, Florida, and Onward, near Havana, Cuba. From August 14 to August 22 and again from September 27 to November 11, he commanded the entire Seventh Corps in the absence of General Fitzhugh Lee. At the departure of General Lee for Cuba, he commanded all the troops then at Savannah, Ga., to December 8. He himself went to Cuba on December 26, 1898, and returned to this country March 30, 1899. He was mustered out on May 12, 1899, and as he expresses it in his farewell address to his troops, "sheathed his sword for the last time."

Bro. Keifer was married March 22, 1860, to Miss Eliza Stout of Springfield, Ohio, who died during the spring of 1899, when the General was in Cuba. He has three sons, J. Warren Keifer, Jr., now living in Nebraska, William H. Keifer and Horace C. Keifer, the latter two of whom are active partners with their father in the practice of his profession at Springfield. Both William and Horace Keifer are members of the fraternity to which their father has done so much to honor, William being an Ohio Delta man of 1882 and Horace an Ohio Beta man of 1886.

Such is Ohio Beta's most illustrious son.

Young Specialist's Successful Career.

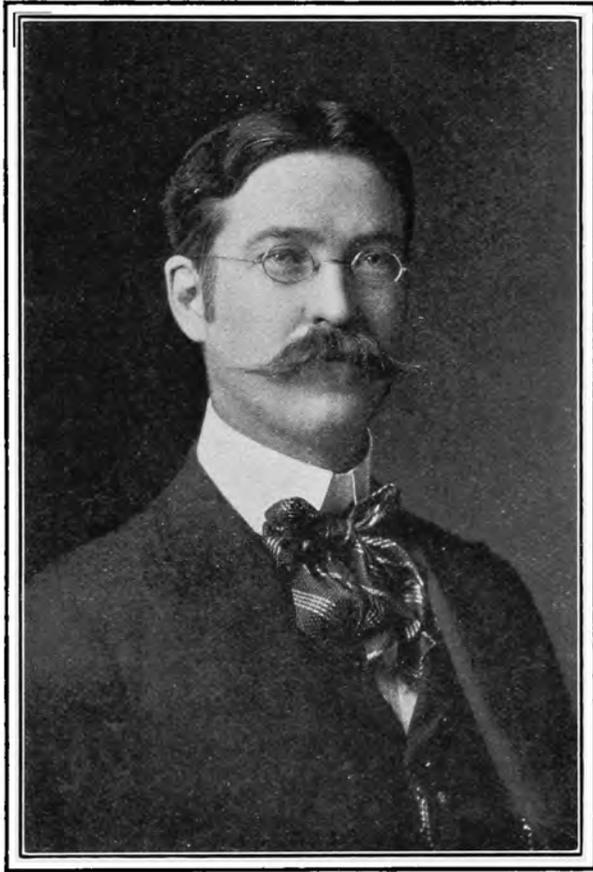
Guy M. Walker, Indiana Alpha, '89. From the *Financier*, New York City.

Among the younger experts in financial and transportation problems who have come to the front within the past few years, Mr. Guy Morrison Walker is entitled to mention. His name is familiar to readers of "The Financier" from the fact that he is a regular staff contributor to its columns, his many articles on the phases of modern finance and transportation problems having attracted much attention. Mr. Walker is well grounded in the subjects on which he has written so entertainingly and authoritatively. His first financial paper of note was published in "The Financier" in 1896. This was a study on trust companies, which he also read before the Tennessee Bankers' Association. Among his other contributions have been treatises on municipal bonds, insecure foreign loans which have been floated in this country, quasi-public corporation securities, interurban railways as investments, railroads and wages, etc. These articles, first published in "The Financier," have had a very wide circulation, many of them having run through several editions in pamphlet form.

Mr. Walker is a native of Indiana, having been born at Fort Wayne in January, 1870. He is a graduate of DePauw University of Greencastle, Indiana, and is also a graduate of the Law School. He holds degrees of A. M. and LL. B., and has been admitted to practice before the courts of Indiana, New York, Michigan, Tennessee and Arkansas. He has traveled extensively in China, Japan, the United States and Europe. For ten years he resided in China and is an admitted authority on all questions relating to the Chinese Empire. He edited all the matter relating to China in Leslie's Weekly during the recent Chinese war, and was called in consultation by President McKinley during the period of trouble between the Powers in the Chinese Empire. He also delivered a course of lectures for the Board of Education in New York on "China and the Chinese" during the winter of 1900-'01. His pamphlet on China, prepared for the Four Track series of the New York Central Railroad Company, which has been designated by General Passenger Agent Geo. H. Daniels, as a little classic, has had a circulation of over 100,000 copies.

As bearing on this point it may be said that his Trust Company article ran through an edition of 30,000 copies, the article on "Municipal Bonds," 35,000 copies; "What Shall We Buy?" 50,000 copies; "Interurban Railways," 100,000 copies, and "Railroads and Wages," 200,000 copies.

This last pamphlet, although published on October 30th last, has already had four editions printed in pamphlet form by as many different railroads, and promises to have one of the most remarkable circulations of any pamphlet written in recent years. Mr.



Guy M. Walker, Indiana Alpha, '89.

Walker is not, however, a theoretical financier, but has accomplished much. In 1894 he organized the Terre Haute Trust Company, the first trust company in Indiana outside of Indianapolis. In 1898 he organized the Security Trust Company of Toledo, Ohio, after which he located in New York City, where he has made a remarkable record as a successful adjuster of damage claims.

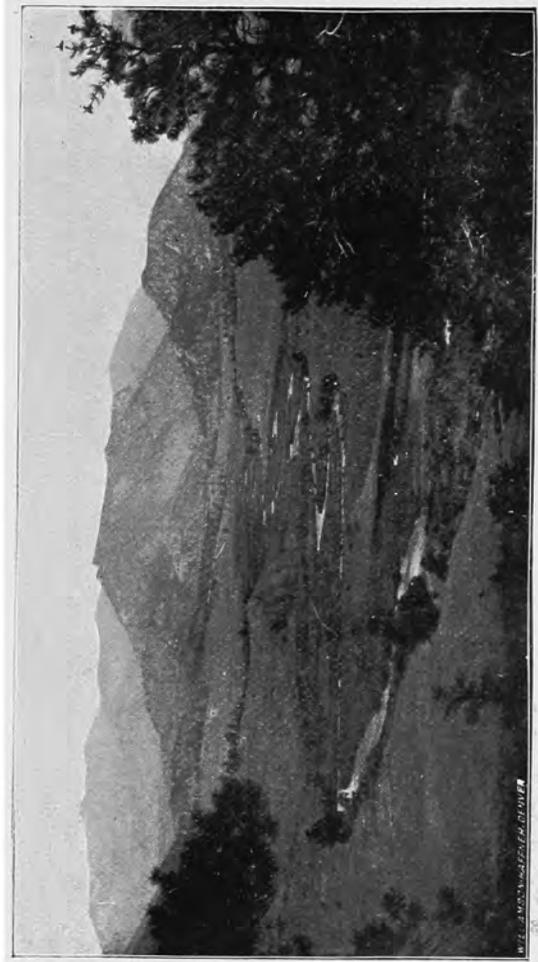
He is, however, best known as an authority on electric railroads, and it is not too much to say that he is one of the best traction experts in the United States. He was active in the organization of the Lake Shore Electric Railway between Toledo and Cleveland, Ohio; negotiated the purchase of the Maumee Valley and Waterville Southern Railways by Toledo Railway Light Company, and only within the last month closed the sale of the Detroit & Toledo Shore Line Railroad Company, of which he is the vice-president, to the Grand Trunk Railway Company of Canada and the Toledo, St. Louis & Western Railroad Company jointly.

As counsel for the Everett-Moore syndicate his work during its reorganization was most valuable, and in the final adjustment of claims his services were complimented in the highest terms by the parties at interest. In the group of younger experts and specialists, so well typified by George W. Perkins and Chas. M. Schwab, Mr. Walker has legitimately earned an advanced position.

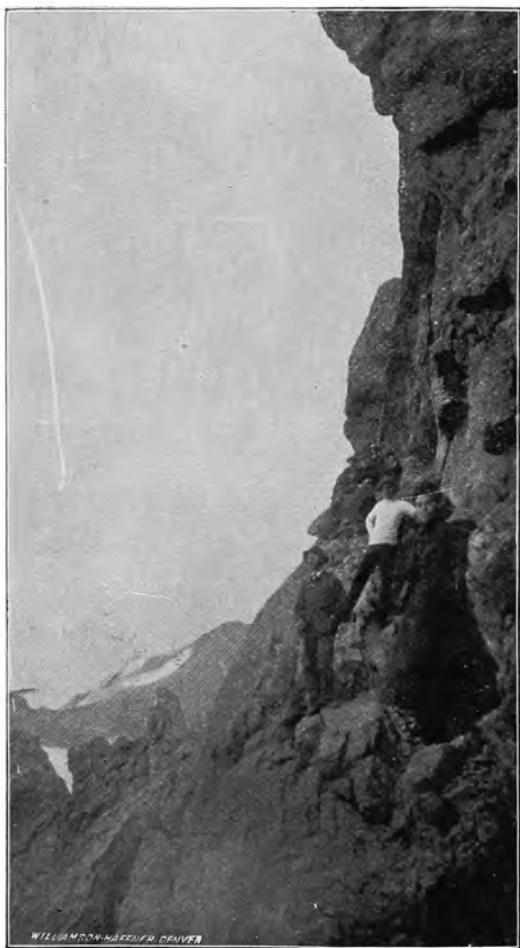
A PHI PSI SUMMER RESORT.

In our issue of last month notice was given of the resort being established in Estes Park, Colorado, by the Rocky Mountain Alumni of Denver. We are glad to state that the work is going along with all speed and the artistic little house will be ready to receive its guests by July 4.

We print two views of the park, one showing the narrow path which reaches the summit of Long's Peak, an altitude of 14,270 feet above the sea. This peak is the most interesting to the climber of all the peaks in the range. It is higher than the famous Pike's Peak and to reach the summit it is necessary to do some real climbing. The trip to the summit and back can be made in a day from the Lodge and while the steep, narrow paths are indeed thrilling and every mile of the journey is fraught with interest it may be said that there is practically no danger. This and the well known Halliatt glacier are two of the most interesting sights to be anticipated by the visitor to Estes Park. A real moving river of ice, with the well defined crevasse, never melts. Last but not least to be mentioned is the excellent trout fishing to be had at our very door. Then there are the golf links, the horseback rides through the canyons, the picnics and various social affairs given at the half dozen hotels in the park, all go to make this a



View of the world famous Iron Brook of Estes Park.



"Almost to the summit"—the thrilling path leading up Long's Peak, Colorado.

most unique and charming spot in which to spend one's vacation.

The Phi Psis in Denver have incorporated their company and subscribed enough stock among themselves to buy 300 acres of land and to commence the erection of their lodge, which is to cost over \$15,000. The work is started, as there is practically no weather to interfere and as fast as the money comes in it is used to push the good work along. The house is for the use and accommodation of only Greek letter men and their families and is to be conducted the same as any first class hotel or club. The rates will be reasonable and run from \$10 per week for accommodations in a tent and board in the club to \$3 per day for room with bath, etc.

The company is offering a plan for investment in its shares which is very unique and original. The plan is such that there is practically no chance of loss, but has features which make it about as sure to earn the investor a good rate of interest as is possible. The brothers in Denver offer the proposition to their eastern brothers and stand back of it as being sound and one that is sure to win a profit, besides adding a feature to our fraternity life which we will be always proud of and do much to revive the interest of the alumni who should happen to come to Colorado to see us. If this should reach the eye of any brother who has some money that isn't "working" we hope he will write to Bro. E. R. March, Secretary, 204 Colorado Building, Denver, and ask for the plans of the company and details of the proposition.

This proposition is strictly business and subject to the hardest investigation and at the same time it is hoped that it will be well received as a Phi Kappa Psi institution, and any brother who wants to put some money out at interest will look into it and keep his money in the family.

We do not attempt to draw any word picture that could convey to the reader the slightest idea of the marvelous and inspiring beauty of Estes Park. We only wish to add that in all this paradise the spot owned by our company is the most beautiful and the improvements to be added this year are destined to make it world famous as the most unique and charming resort in the Rocky Mounains, established by the spirit and efforts of college fraternity men, the greatest of all fraternities, Phi Kappa Psi.

EDITORIAL



A Phi Psi prominent in public life was pressed for an explanation of the unusual strength of the fraternity in his state, and answered:

The Department of "Boost."

"Well, I account for it in this way. We Phi Psis have a fashion here of boosting one another." He ran over an extended list of cases in which younger Phi Psis had been enabled to "get their toes in the sand" in a business, professional or political way through the efforts of Phi Psis successfully established. That explanation not only showed why the fraternity has attained unusual success in that locality, but it demonstrated as well that this success was deserved. It is mighty little trouble most men take for the sake of others, after all. There is a great deal of preaching and theorizing about altruism, but comparatively little is done toward making mutualism a real force in the world. But if the college fraternity stands for anything vital, if it is more than a bit of effervescent sentimentalism, it ought to find its manifestation in mutual encouragement and assistance. And indeed it does thus find its manifestation in dozens of cases. But there is room for more of the spirit, among the older men of the fraternity, the successful men who are winning out in the battle of life, in their relations with the young fellows who are coming out of college year after year— young men, all of them it may be assumed, who are worth while. It is one thing to sing the praises of Phi Kappa Psi about the banquet board, to talk of our love for the fraternity, and how much its associations have meant to us, and another to carry these things into everyday life. We have seen some men who cannot talk eloquently about the fraternity, who have quietly shown that it is a reality to them by "pushing along" some brother where there was a chance to "boost." And we have noticed that a performance of that kind always leaves the man who engages in it a bit more loyal to the fraternity. And as to the young fellow who is thus shown what fraternity spirit really means, he would be a poor specimen of Phi Psi if it did not confirm him in the purpose to some day pass that favor along to some other wearer of the shield.

"The Shield" opens its columns to the younger Phi Psis who want to get "their toes in the sand" somewhere, and to the older ones who may see chances to help some young and ambitious Phi Psi to find his door of opportunity. In other words, if any alumnus knows of an opportunity for some Phi Psi starting out to make his future in a business or professional way write "The Shield," and, without using names, "The Shield" will try to open

a channel of communication. On the other hand, "The Shield" is open to the younger men, who are to graduate this year, for instance, and who have no definite niche reserved for them. We shall call this "The Department of Boost," if the idea proves to be a practicable one. The phrase is not a classical one, but sometimes slang takes a turn that it is impossible to express in synonym.

During the holidays "The Shield" was represented in Chicago by Turley Stephenson, an active member of Indiana Alpha, who spent two weeks interviewing Phi Psis in that metropolis, recalling the old days, renewing their interest where it had lapsed, and incidentally securing subscribers for the fraternity journal. Brother Stephenson describes his experience as a most interesting one. Everywhere he was cordially received, and in many cases he was able to arouse interest in the fraternity which had long been dormant. He secured fifty-two subscribers for "The Shield," bringing the total number of "Shield" subscribers in Chicago up to more than one hundred, and putting Chicago in the front rank of cities so far as subscriptions to the fraternity journal is concerned. Bro. Stephenson was assisted in his Chicago campaign by those indefatigable Phi Psi Gemini, Holden and Rush. "The Shield" welcomes these Chicago brethren to "The Shield" family, and trusts that reading the journal will serve to bind them closer to their chapters and to the Chicago Alumni Association. It is not unlikely that Brother Stephenson will visit a number of eastern cities on the same mission in the spring. The experiment is not an immediately profitable one, but "The Shield" is building for the future, and for the whole fraternity.

A Shield Missionary at Work.

Secretary Monnette's report, which appears in this issue, speaks for itself. It covers every phase of the fraternity's activity in a manner most complete. Attention is especially directed to the statistical tables which show the steady growth of the fraternity from a material standpoint. It is certain that no college fraternity has enjoyed a more substantial intensive growth during the past decade than has Phi Kappa Psi. The future development of the fraternity must, from the very nature of things, be largely an internal affair. The responsibility for the standing of the fraternity rests, as Secretary Monnette points out, upon the chapters, and the responsibility for the welfare of the chapters upon the individuals who owe it allegiance. No chapter may safely be content to stand still while the general level of the organization is rising. The chapter which makes no advancement will, comparatively speaking, be undergoing a policy of retrogression. But there has been a very general moving forward of the line. If we search for the secret of

The State of the Fraternity.

the more recent advancement of the fraternity it will be found in the closer relations which have been established between the alumni and the chapters. There is room for additional work along this line. "The Shield" is doing its part, the alumni associations theirs; the chapters are not in all cases alive to the importance of keeping in touch with the generations gone to the front to honor the fraternity as they honor themselves.

The pocket edition of the catalog is out. It is referred to at some length in Secretary Monnette's report, so that we need not say more than that the little volume is a very useful addition to the literature of the fraternity. The book is in such form that it may be thrust into the pocket or valise of the brother enroute; a virtue which the catalog of 1904 fell far short of possessing.

The Pocket Catalog.

The catalog contains an alphabetical list of living Phi Psis with their occupations and addresses; a list of members who have died so far as it could be compiled, and a list by states and cities of members of the fraternity. It is altogether likely that many errors will be found in the catalog,—this is always to be expected, owing, first, to the length of time it takes to complete the data for a book of this character, and second, to the neglect of hundreds of members to whom inquiries are addressed, and who pay no attention thereto. It is expected to keep the pocket edition up to date by issuing either annual editions or appendices containing corrections. The new catalog will be hailed with delight by Phi Psis generally, and the fraternity will not soon forget its additional indebtedness to Bro. George Smart, the editor, and Miss Mary Smart, of Chillicothe, Ohio, his sister and assistant, for their great labor of love in this connection.

Readers of "The Shield" can be of service to the fraternity journal by showing to advertisers the value of our department of publicity and promotion. For instance there appears in our advertising columns a business and professional directory. It is not only a list of Phi Psis who are taking a special interest in the fraternity and "The

Shield Advertising

Shield," but it is a geographical directory of professional and business men in whom Phi Psis having business away from home may confidently rely. The history and the catalog also occupy space on "The Shield's" advertising pages, as do Bro. James L. Norris, the well known Washington patent attorney, Bro. Jno. L. Webster, of Danville, Ill., who will lend Phi Psi money on Illinois real estate, Bro. Robertson, who has copies of the Phi Kappa Psi Two-step for sale, and the four authorized fraternity jewelers, Newman of New York, Roehm of Detroit, Auld of Columbus, and Clegg of Philadelphia, of whom all badges should be purchased according to the constitution. To the professional

directory has recently been added the name of Bro. Palmer Ketner, of Gallup, N. M., who will accept commissions for the purchase of Navajoe blankets, baskets and pottery. A new ad. in this issue is that of the Seneca Kennels, of Geneva, N. Y., in which Bro. C. H. Annan, Ark. Delta '82, is interested, and which is now making a special sale of thoroughbred registered Scotch Collies. It is to be hoped that readers of "The Shield" will make a habit of looking through the advertising pages, which we hope to make more numerous, and in writing to advertisers, to refer to the fraternity journal.

Every month subscribers are lost by reason of persons moving and failing to send their new addresses to this office. In such cases no effort is made to find the mover if the address is not furnished by the postoffice authorities. The theory on which "The Shield" is run is that it is being furnished only to those who want it, and where subscribers do not feel sufficiently interested in the journal to notify the office of publication of changes in address, "The Shield" will not chase them.

Some Phi Psi might as well win the fifty dollar prize for the best essay on "The Effect of the Fraternity on American College Life," offered by the New York Alumni Association of the Alpha Tau Omega fraternity, and thereby reflect credit upon the pink and lavender. The essays must not be over 3,000 words in length, and any student pursuing a course in an American college or university is eligible as a competitor. Three typewritten copies of the essay, signed in a pseudonym, must be sent by May 1st to H. W. Pitkin, Chairman, 521 West 123rd street, New York City. In a separate sealed envelope the name and address of the competitor accompanied by the pseudonym, must be sent to Mr. Pitkin. The result of the competition will be announced in June. This is a very commendable enterprise on the part of the organization named.



Willis M. Everett, Pa. Beta '81, is a prominent attorney of Atlanta, Georgia.

C. D. Willey, W. Va. Alpha, is a prominent young attorney of Morgantown, W. Va.

Bro. Charles R. Whitney is president of the Security Savings Bank, of Waukegan, Ill.

Bro. Jno. C. Taylor is with the Sullivan Machinery Company, of Claremont, N. H.

Bro. W. Ross McCain is deputy clerk of Pulaski county, Arkansas, the county seat of which is Little Rock.

B. H. Roark, Indiana Beta, is a member of the executive committee of the 1903 class organization at Rush Medical College, Chicago.

Wm. Story, Jr., is a member of the firm of Story and Story, Story Block, Ouray, Colorado, in which he is associated with his father.

Thad Hiller, Indiana Gamma, is superintendent of motive power of the electric light plant and street railroad at Birmingham, Alabama.

C. F. M. Niles, Ohio Gamma, of Toledo, Ohio, general treasurer of the fraternity, has been elected president of the university club of that city.

A. S. Glasscock, Ohio Delta '01, formerly of Washington C. H., Ohio, is with the North Carolina Land and Lumber Company, at Moyock, North Carolina.

Massachusetts Alpha would like to secure No. 8, Vol. XII, of "The Shield" to complete a file. Address Karl O. Thompson, Amherst, Massachusetts.

Alan C. Durburrow, Indiana Beta, is contesting Representative William Larrimer's right to a seat in congress from the Sixth Illinois (Chicago) district.

W. W. Obear, Mass. Alpha, writes: "I enjoy the monthly 'Shield' very much. It is inspiring to read of the achievements of the alumni as well as of the active chapters."

Hon. Jno. W. Springer, of the Denver A. A., was elected president of the National Live Stock Association at the annual convention of the organization at Kansas City in January.

In remitting for his subscription, Chas. T. Springer, of Denver, Colo., writes: "I get \$1.60 worth of satisfaction out of every number, so that I am receiving in this way discount for cash."

Thomas Blaine Donaldson, Pa. Iota, is secretary, registrar and treasurer of the General Alumni society of the university of Pennsylvania, with headquarters at 3451 Woodland avenue, Philadelphia.

Bro. Geo. V. Knipe writes: "I certainly enjoy 'The Shield' out here on my poultry farm at Katonah, N. Y. I had the pleasure of seeing 107 royal Phi Psis at the New York Alumni dinner last evening, Jan. 19."

On February 3, at Saint John's Church, Elizabeth, N. J., was celebrated the marriage of Miss Isabella Groves Woodruff to the Rev. Louis B. Howell, a well known Phi Psi. "The Shield" extends congratulations.

Lewis N. Sickles, Wis. Gamma '99, of Dixon, Ill., recently recovered from a ten weeks' siege of typhoid fever, an illness which compelled him to give up his position as Master of Greek at Shattuck School, Faribault, Minn.

Bro. Fred A. Berger, Jr., of Michigan Alpha, recently paid "The Shield" office a pleasant little visit. Bro. Berger is with "The Sign of the Cross" Company. His permanent address is 1753 A street, N. W., Washington, D. C.

Lloyd E. Brown, N. Y. Beta '05, is business manager of the "Debater," a monthly periodical recently established at Syracuse, N. Y., in the interests of the debating societies in the high schools and preparatory academies of the country.

Brother J. C. Kirtland, New York Alpha '90, professor of Latin in Phillips Exeter Academy, has just published "An Introduction to Latin" through the MacMillan Company. He is editor-in-chief of MacMillan's "Latin Series."

Dr. Walter Johnston, Pa. Alpha '83, 323 Bailey Building, Seattle, Wash., writes: "The University of Washington, at Seattle, will be one of the high grade institutions eventually. It has a large endowment in land, and six hundred students now."

Hon. James E. Watson, Ind. Alpha, recently delivered a stirring address at a huge political banquet given at Madison Square Garden, New York City. Bro. Watson is prominently mentioned as a prospective member of the ways and means committee of the next House.

Hon. James L. Norris, of Washington, originally a member of Pa. Zeta, and later one of the founders of D. C. Alpha, and one of the most successful and public spirited citizens of the national capital, is one of the active and useful members of the Washington Alumni Association.

The Princeton Club of Philadelphia gave a reception to President Woodrow Wilson, Va. Alpha and Md. Alpha, on the evening of January 22, and on January 23 President Wilson delivered the first address of a series to be given in Witherspoon Hall by members of the Princeton faculty.

Bro. Nathan P. Stouffer writes from the Doctors' Quarters of the Philadelphia Hospital, 34th and Pine streets: "I am the first Psi Psi to be in the Philadelphia poorhouse. I am not lonely, as we have 4,500 patients, 1,600 of them insane. As they talk a great deal we never have the blues."

Mrs. Grace Cowan Morse, wife of Bro. W. A. Morse, Mass. Alpha, died January 29, at Mrs. Morse's parents' in Northampton, Mass. She was a beautiful and accomplished young woman and a loyal Phi Psi girl. Brother Morse should receive the hearty sympathy of all Phi Psis in his great sorrow.

The permanent Phi Psi camp in the Rocky Mountains is going to be a great success. Secretary E. R. March, 204 Colorado Building, Denver, writes that half the money necessary to complete the building at Estes Park has been raised and Phi Psis from everywhere should come early and avoid the rush.

Four Phi Psis will graduate from the Rochester, N. Y., Theological Seminary on the evening of May 13, namely: Franklin Johnson, Jr., University of Chicago, '96, and H. Schuyler Foster, Herbert E. Hatchman and Frank S. Squyer, all of Colgate University, '96. Bro. Squyer is permanent secretary of the class.

J. B. Porter, of the Fort Pitt Gas Company, and Sion B. Smith, of the law firm of Cunningham and Smith, 450 4th avenue, Pittsburg, unite in saying that the last G. A. C. produced a great revival in Phi Psi interest at the Smoky City and that they expect to lead all the rest in the matter of a delegation at the Indianapolis G. A. C. next year.

Bro. W. H. Lawrence, the sole Phi Psi lawyer in the Philippines, writes from Manila: "It is very gratifying to me to see 'The Shield' on a monthly basis again. The journal makes a great hit with the Manila Phi Psis. We have planned for a dinner some time this

month (December) at which we think we can gather eight or ten brothers."

Friends of Bro. Fred M. Neely, who is now with the St. Marys Drilling Co., St. Marys, Ohio, will be sorry to learn that as the result of a recent injury to his arm he will be more or less crippled permanently. "Phi Psis," he says, in a recent letter to "The Shield" commenting on members of the fraternity he has met recently, "is a sky-scroper, built of best grade bricks."

"The Shield" is in receipt of an invitation to the annual Founders' Day banquet of Pennsylvania Theta chapter, to be held at the Franklin House, Easton, Pa., on Saturday evening, February 21, at 9 p. m. Brothers Miller, Kyte, Maclay and Hartje are the committee on arrangements. Any wandering Phi Psi who happens to be in the vicinity of Easton on that date is invited to participate.

G. Livingston Bayard, former Archon of the First District, and an enthusiastic Phi Psi, has been appointed by the President as Chaplain in the Navy, to be attached to the flagship of the European squadron. This appointment Bro. Bayard received over three thousand other applicants through his strong personality and merit. He is especially well equipped for this position, and "The Shield" rejoices in his preferment.

George B. Baker, of the Boston A. A., writes that the fourth annual rally of the bearded contingent of Phi Kappa Psi will be held at the Bellevue Hotel on Saturday evening, February 28, at 6 p. m. Delegates from New York and Philadelphia are expected to be in attendance. Bro. E. T. Hartman has issued a circular of invitation which ought to arouse the brothers from Martha's Vineyard to the Canadian frontier.

Hon. Charles L. Henry has moved from Anderson, Indiana, to Indianapolis, where he has purchased one of the handsomest residence properties in the city. Mr. Henry's change of residence was not made solely in order to better perform his duties as chairman of the G. A. C. committee. He is president and W. L. Taylor, Indiana Beta, is secretary of a company formed to build an electric line connecting Indianapolis and Cincinnati.

Dr. E. A. Schell, Ill. Alpha, is lecturing occasionally under the management of the Slayton Lyceum Bureau, of Chicago, his subjects being: "The Aristocracy of Youth," "Vision and Service," "The New Generation," and "Great Deeds for Great Men." Dr. Schell was formerly the executive head of the Epworth League of the United States. He is now presiding elder of the Crawfordsville district, Northwest Indiana Conference, M. E. Church.

The editor of "The Shield" delivered the address on the occasion of the celebration of Founders' and Benefactors' Day at DePauw University on January 18. A. E. Dickey, Indiana Alpha, was present on the platform on this occasion, and was introduced to the audience by President Gobin as DePauw's latest and youngest benefactor. His endowment of a library for the department of biology was announced in the last number of "The Shield."

Lewis G. Stephenson, Pa. Alpha '85, of Battle Creek, Michigan, was a recent visitor to the chapter house of Michigan Alpha, where he was enrolled on "The Shield" subscription list by Bro. Karl H. Pratt. Since his graduation at Washington and Jefferson Bro. Stephenson has been engaged in mining in the West. At present he is engaged in putting on the market a new health coffee, "Javril," which he expects will please the public as a coffee substitute.

On Jackson Day, January 8, Hon. James L. Norris, president of the Jackson Democratic Association of the District of Columbia, and the Democratic leader of the district, issued a handsome memorial of "Old Hickory," who is Bro. Norris's political patron saint. Bro. Norris writes that the Founders' Day banquet of the Washington alumni on the evening of February 20 will be a great affair. Unusual preparations are being made with this end in view.

Bro. W. S. Small, Ohio Alpha '87, who is practicing law in Chattanooga, Tennessee, writes that he hopes to attend the Indianapolis G. A. C., and sends this list of Phi Psis living in Chattanooga: Bro. L. G. Walker, Pa. Zeta, managing editor of the Chattanooga Times; Bro.

Theodore Richmond, Pa. Gamma, prominent lawyer; Bro. W. B. Ford, Tenn. Gamma, retired capitalist; F. A. Nelson, Va. Beta, cashier of the Bank of Chattanooga; Chas. R. Evans, Wis. Alpha, lawyer and dean of the law department of U. S. Grant University; and W. S. Small, Ohio Alpha, lawyer.

Bro. C. H. Horswell, Ph. D., formerly of Northwestern University, gave a series of inspiring lectures on "The Prophets" at Fargo, N. D., during the week of January 11 to 17. He made a profound impression upon the community and at his closing lecture was given a distinct ovation by the throng that filled the audience room and that had assembled night after night, with undiminished zeal, to hear his surpassing interpretations of biblical history. He was entertained at the Phi Psi home of Dr. and Mrs. F. J. Campbell, and was the guest of honor at several social gatherings.

The work to be undertaken in China under the direction of the international committee of the Y. M. C. A. by Bro. N. Wilbur Helm, who recently resigned as an instructor in Latin at Princeton, is of an interesting character. As the government of China is introducing western learning into the requirements for examinations which the applicants for positions as assistants for civil offices must pass, Mr. Helm will lecture to the candidates for these places upon various sciences and arts, and will supplement this portion of his labor with personal work among the many into contact with whom he may come.

On the occasion of the re-election of Senator Charles H. Fairbanks by the Indiana Legislature, the "star" nominating speech was made by Senator E. E. Hendee, of the Anderson A. A. In the lower branch of the Indiana General Assembly, Bro. Roscoe E. Kirkman is floor leader. On the evening of January 29 a dinner in honor of the seven Phi Psi members of the Indiana Legislature, Lieutenant Governor Gilbert, Senators Thompson, Hendee and Whitcomb and Representatives Bell, Boyd and Kirkman, was given at the Columbia Club by the Indianapolis A. A. The affair was a very interesting and enjoyable event.

A recent marriage of Phi Psi interest was that of Rev. Augustine P. Manwell, Mass. Alpha, to Miss Elizabeth Frances Huston, of Lynn, Mass., which was solemnized at the North Congregational Church, Lynn, Mass. The best man was Rev. Samuel A. Fiske, pastor of the Congregational Church, of Avon, Conn., and the ushers were Walter S. Frisbee, of Salem, Mass., and William Walter Obear, of Fitchburg, Mass., all three being classmates of the groom at Amherst College, in 1897, and all Phi Psis. The groom is pastor of a flourishing Congregational Church at Northbridge, Mass., where he and Mrs. Manwell have taken up their residence.

They tell a story of Senator Hendee, of Anderson, as a lawyer, says the Indianapolis News, that calls attention to his ingenuity and capacity. He was attorney in a suit in which he had some information. He asked the court to swear him, which the court did. Hendee took the stand and Hendee was both lawyer and witness. "State your name to the court," said Hendee. "Edgar E. Hendee," answered Hendee. "Where do you live, Mr. Hendee?" "In Anderson," said Hendee. "What is your business, Mr. Hendee?" asked Hendee. "I am a lawyer, and a good one," answered Hendee. And Hendee went on questioning and answering until all his evidence was in.

The following from the Crawfordsville, Ind., News Review refers to an Indiana Alpha Phi Psi of the class of '79: "Dr. W. F. Cook, arch-deacon of the diocese of Indiana, yesterday sent his resignation to Bishop Francis of Indianapolis, to take effect March 1st. This severs his connection with St. John's Church and will be a surprise to his many friends in this city. Dr. Cook has been in Crawfordsville two years and in that time his influence has not only been felt to a great degree within the church, but has extended to a large circle of friends who are not closely identified with the church. The hosts of friends he has made during his short stay here, will learn with genuine regret of his determination to leave us."

The following item concerning an alumnus of Ohio Alpha and New York Alpha, appeared in the Columbus, Ohio, Citizen, of February 9: "Judge Festus Walters of Circleville, Ohio, today entered upon his duties as circuit judge of the Fourth Ohio circuit, succeeding Judge Hiram L. Sibley. Judge Walters was elected to this position last fall. He received a very large complimentary vote from the Democrats

of the district. Judge Walters has several times been mentioned in connection with the Republican nomination for governor of the state. Judge Walters was a delegate to the national Republican convention at Chicago in 1888, and in 1892 he was a candidate for congress, but failed to secure the nomination. He is a native of Fairfield county, and was born on Sept. 30, 1849."

Letters of encouragement and commendation are acknowledged from Bros. W. L. Ripplin, Wis. Gamma; W. A. Fleet, Va. Alpha; Fred W. Truscott, Indiana Beta, professor of Germanic languages, West Virginia University; F. T. Sherman, Jr., 265 Henry street, New York City; T. F. Hennessy, Mass. Alpha '95, Spencer, Mass.; C. W. Waddell and S. C. Love, of the State Normal School at Fairmont, W. Va.; W. W. Obear, 78 Pleasant street, Fitchburg, Mass.; H. H. Goodfellow, proprietor of the Goodfellow School of Shorthand, Springfeld, Ohio; L. Clark Oberlies, of the lumber firm of Jno. Oberlies and Company, Lincoln, Neb., "the grandfather of Nebraska Alpha;" Francis Baldwin, Ill. Beta '01, of 3852 Lake Avenue, Chicago; Jno. B. Atken, N. Y. Beta, who is in the law offices of Coon and Bentley, Oswego, N. Y.; Ralph L. Boyer, Hagerstown, Md., and Edwin C. Reed, Moorehead, Minnesota.

The Washington Post says of a South Carolina Phi Psi: "Representative Finley, of Yorkville, S. C., is a disciple of Baron Munchausen, as he himself admits, but only for the charm of that writer's anecdotes. 'The baron,' says Mr. Finley, 'is a delightful story teller. I devoted some leisure for quite a year and a half to reading and rereading his tales. They are charming, simply charming, and not a few of them have turned out to be truthful. Why, he described to a nicety the digging of the isthmian canal and the sailing of ships through the big ditch. At Yorkville,' added Mr. Finley, 'we have a courthouse ring. It is not a political ring, such as exists at courthouses, but a coterie of good fellows who meet, often under the trees in the yard, and tell stories. We have some fixed rules, one of which is that no vulgar anecdotes shall be told and that the name of woman shall not be mentioned. And our fellows have become experts. I believe we have the most finished raconteurs in the State of South Carolina.'"

The following dispatch to the New Orleans Picayune from Lexington, Miss., under date of January 29th, refers to an alumnus of Miss. Alpha: "Official advices from Jackson were received here this afternoon by Hon. W. P. Tackett, announcing his appointment by the Governor to the office of District Attorney for the Fifth Judicial District, to succeed Hon. W. S. Hill, who has tendered his resignation of that office, to take effect March 1. All this afternoon Mr. Tackett's office has been a reception room, his friends among all classes calling to offer their congratulations upon his appointment. No man in this county stands higher than Mr. Tackett, and his appointment will not only be a popular one in this county, but throughout the district. He is a young man in the prime of life and well qualified to ably discharge the duties of his new office, and his friends confidentially predict that he will make the district, one of the most popular and efficient officers it has ever had."

Mr. Bryan's "Commoner" says of an Illinois Phi Psi: "The democrats of Illinois honored themselves as well as complimented a deserving man when they made Congressman James R. Williams the minority candidate for the United States Senate. Mr. Williams has had a long and honorable career in congress and has always been a faithful champion of democratic principles. Some congressmen and senators have allowed their long residence in Washington and their intimate association with those who hang about the federal capital to wear them away from the interests of their constituents. Not so with Mr. Williams. He has maintained his democratic simplicity and his democratic integrity and stands today as a conspicuous representative of true democracy, devoting his extraordinary ability and untiring energy to the interests of the people. Illinois has many able and faithful democrats, but none who have done more than Mr. Williams to earn the compliment unanimously paid him by his party in the Illinois legislature."

The following Washington special is of Phi Psi interest: "Dr. Chas. Hodell, formerly of Indianapolis, is making a fine record as an educator. Although a young man, he is at the head of the English department of the Woman's college at Baltimore and is considered one of the strongest members of the faculty. Dr. Hodell occasionally comes

over to Washington during the sessions of congress and while here today he related an interesting story showing the influence of college fraternities in politics. The doctor is a member of the Phi Kappa Psi fraternity, to which Congressman Watson also belongs. When the convention which resulted in Watson's first nomination was held Dr. Hodell's father was a delegate, but he was not for Watson. Before he left to attend the convention, however, Dr. Hodell took occasion to say to him: 'Father, if a break comes and it looks as if your candidate cannot win I wish you'd please remember that Jim Watson is a Phi Kappa Psi.' The elder Mr. Hodell 'remembered' by throwing not only his own vote, but that of several others to Watson."

One of the old boys sends in the following, with the request that it appear in "The Shield" anonymously: "Did you ever stop and reflect for a moment, think of the fraternal fellowship there is in the Phi Kappa Psi fraternity? The sincere, unaffected friendly greeting you always receive when meeting 'one of the boys.' * * * One in a strange, or an almost strange city, so quickly feels the existence of such fraternal fellowship, and it always makes him better, gives him nobler aspirations, a keener ambition, to know that others have an interest in him and his welfare; and that there is a 'something,' which I may call fraternal fellowship, sincerely in evidence, that produces a pleasing thrill, a kind, mutual sympathy, that is buoyant and full of interest for your happiness and success. The jealousies naturally implanted, as it were, in man, and that arise between man and man, seem to vanish like the ideal blossom of hope, that sometimes sits upon the cap of the mast of one's imagination. * * * If you never thus reflected, why not pause for a moment now, and let in the thought, see if the answer is not in yourself, impossible to define, yet real."

To James Whitcomb Riley, Gardener.

Yours is a garden of old-fashioned flowers;
Joyous children delight to play there;
Weary men find rest in its bowers,
Watching the lingering light of day there.

Old-time tunes and young love's laughter
Ripple and run among the roses;
Memory's echoes come murmuring after,
Filling the dusk when the long day closes.

Simple songs with a cadence olden
These you learned in the Forest of Arden;
Friendly flowers with hearts all golden—
These you borrowed from Eden's garden.

This is the reason why all men love you,
Remember your songs and forget your art;
Other poets may soar above you—
You keep close to the human heart.

—Henry Van Dyke, in February Scribner's.

The Washington Post says of a Virginia Alpha Phi Psi: "Among the members of the House who have given much study to the subject of trusts and their suppression is Representative Dudley G. Wooten, of Texas, who was the author of the famous Texas anti-trust statute, considered to be the most drastic and comprehensive law that has been passed in any of the states. Mr. Wooten was a prominent member of the Chicago trust conference in 1899, and was first vice-president of that body, and made a speech against trusts that was widely published and favorably commented upon throughout the country. As a consequence he was made a member of the executive council of the National Civil Federation, which position he has since held, and he was also made a member of the executive committee of the American Anti-Trust League at its organization at Chicago in 1899. Mr. Wooten enjoys the credit of having delivered a speech in this congress on trusts which is now beginning to be sought for and quoted from by those who are discussing the question. Senator Tillman in his recent speech in the Senate referred in most complimentary terms to Mr. Wooten's speech, which was delivered last June and published in the Congressional Record of June 26, and the South Carolina Senator reproduced at length the greater part of Mr. Wooten's data. The Democratic Congressional campaign committee also used many thous-

ands of copies of the speech during the fall campaign throughout the country, and it was in great demand by the campaign orators of the Democrats wherever the trust question was considered to be available. Mr. Wooten will not be a member of the Fifty-eighth Congress, but has already announced his candidacy for the Fifty-ninth House. It is expected that he may have something to say on the trust bill before he retires from this Congress."

To Old Phi Kappa Psi.

Written by Thomas B. Donaldson for the annual dinner of Pa. Iota, given at the Bellevue Hotel, Philadelphia.

Toss off your wine! we're toasting—
Old Phi Psi is the host.

On top of toast comes roasting,
Laugh, tho' it hurts you most.
Dine well, for Boldt's providing—

Providing that you pay!
Here's food. The like's ne'er biding
In Houston Hall today.

Knights of the Triple Bonding
As you through Greekdom ride,
Push on and fear no taunting,
Phi Kappa Psi's beside.
And make another toasting—

"Penn men! To Red and Blue!"
Stand to the Quaff. We're boasting—
Iota, here's to you!





"The Shield" will publish in each issue the names of those alumni who have paid their subscriptions to the fraternity journal since last publication. This will serve as a receipt to paid-up subscribers, and at the same time as a directory of "live" alumni. This custom was inaugurated at the beginning of Volume 21, and consultation of the various lists will show members of the active chapters and secretaries of alumni associations which of their members are and are not subscribers, and enable them to conduct an intelligent campaign for the increase of "The Shield" subscription list. Corrections of names and addresses as printed in these lists are invited, and any person having paid since last issue, whose name does not appear, should make immediate inquiry of "The Shield" office in order to receive proper credit.

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 Archibald Bush, 488 1st St., Brooklyn, N. Y.
 Chas. N. Thompson, 1824 N. Pennsylvania St., Indianapolis, Ind.
 Chas. R. Whitney, Waukegan, Ill.
 W. J. Latta Walker, Box 248, Gap, Pa.
 Lloyd N. Scott, 11 Broadway, care Logan & Co., New York, N. Y.
 Lewis G. Stevenson, Battle Creek, Michigan.
 Buren Higgins, Princeton, N. J.
 Fred A. Berger, 1753 A St., N. W., Washington, D. C.
 Melville M. Smith, care Sandusky Portland Cement Co., Syracuse,
 Ind.
 Clifford B. Jump, Easton, Md.

Washington Alumni Association.

C. W. Clement, Contributor.

From the Washington Post, January 17: "An enthusiastic gathering of collegians was held at the Barton last night, the occasion being a banquet of the Washington Alumni Association of the Phi Kappa Psi fraternity. Graduates of a dozen universities and colleges, representing prominent professional and business interests of Washington, were the guests. Plans were discussed and committees appointed to arrange for a large banquet to be held at the New Willard, February 20. Informal remarks were made by the Rev. Dr. F. D. Power, J. P. Earnest, Arthur E. H. Middleton, and Dr. W. Ashby Frankland. Those present were: W. Spencer Armstrong, Aldis B. Browne, Samuel J. Butterfield, Dr. W. Thompson Burch, William W. Curtiss, Jeremiah Collins, J. P. Earnest, M. D. Hensey, Arthur E. H. Middleton, Dr. Eugene L. Le Merle, Hon. James L. Norris, the Rev. Dr. F. D. Power, Frederick B. Pyle, Dr. Charles W. Richardson, Preston B. Ray, Henry W. Reed, George A. Seaman, H. W. Smith, John Sherman, Jr., Dr. J. L. Suddarth, A. V. Snell, C. L. Sturtevant, Raleigh Sherman, W. H. Woodward, Ralph Wormelle, Dr. W. Ashby Frankland, C. W. Clement, Dr. George B. Corey, H. C. McCartney and C. W. De Knight. The date for the annual banquet was set for February 20."

Bro. J. Paul Earnest, Pa. Epsilon, has been elected to the faculty of the Law School of Columbian University.

Bro. Aldis B. Browne, D. C. Alpha, has been unanimously elected trustee of the Women's College of Baltimore, Md.

Bucyrus Alumni Association.

Edwin G. Beall, Contributor.

Rising phoenix-like from the ashes of the past the Bucyrus Alumni Association hereby renews its allegiance to Phi Kappa Psi and swears fealty to the host of Greek letter alumni already gone forth to emblazon their deeds on the history of time. Really, however, the B. A. A. has not been buried nor even dead, but had temporarily lapsed into a state of mild repose.

Our association now has a membership of about fifteen, and is in a flourishing condition. We have had a number of meetings during the past year, and while our social functions have not been held with the regularity desirable, yet they have been enjoyable, and abounded with the Phi Psi enthusiasm.

The association is proud of the fact that seven of our Bucyrus citizens were made Phi Psis at Pa. Alpha when that chapter was still in its infancy. Three of these seven are now residing in our city. They are Bro. Geo. C. Gormly '64, Bro. Jno. B. Modewell '64, and Bro. Maj. E. C. Modewell '59.

Bro. Wallace Stahle, Ohio Alpha, is practicing law, being a member of the Crawford county bar.

Bro. Reuben Stahle, Ohio Alpha, has until recently been auditor of Crawford county.

Bro. A. J. Hazlett, Ohio Alpha, has temporarily removed to Findlay, Ohio, where he is assuming the duties of city editor of the Findlay Jeffersonian. Rumor has it that he has recently struck it rich in the oil fields at that place.

Bro. T. A. Stifer, Ohio Delta '99, is practicing law in Granite Falls, Washington, and has recently been elected county superintendent of the Mahonish county schools at a salary of \$2,500 per year.

Bro. F. T. Beer, Ohio Beta '96, reaches his home in Bucyrus every few months after successful travels in his vocation. He intends to prepare himself for the Ohio State bar examination in June this year.

Bros. Earl Warren Keyes, William D. Beal and John D. Marshall are at present undergraduates in Ohio Alpha.

Bro. O. E. Monnette, Ohio Alpha '95, is a member of the law firm of Beer & Monnette, which is enjoying a large and lucrative practice.

Bro. Monnette has recently been invited to serve as one of the judges on the national contest to be held February 18 at Marietta, Ohio, by the Ohio Intercollegiate Oratorical Association, which comprises Hiram, Mt. Union, Buchtel, Marietta, Wittenberg Colleges and Wooster and Dennison Universities. He has accepted the invitation.

Bro. Jay Cook Fisher, Ohio Alpha, has been called to Columbus, Ohio, to assume an important position with the Toledo and Ohio Central Ry. Co.

Bro. Chas. D. Lafferty, Ohio Alpha '93, formerly pastor of the Episcopalian Church in this city, but recently traveling in the state of Arkansas, is about to return and take another appointment to a pastorate in the same church in this vicinity.

Your humble scribe, Ohio Alpha '01 and Ohio Delta '02, law, was admitted to the bar in Ohio at the June Bar examination, 1902, and is at present filling the position of assistant cashier of the First National Bank in this city.

Harvard Phi Kappa Psi Club.

Clinton H. Colleston, Contributor.

The Club held its second regular meeting on the 12th of last month, with twelve brothers in attendance. Bros. S. A. Clotfelter and C. W. Foss were there mustered into the ranks, and Bros. C. H. Hasban, J. D. Walz and J. W. White of the faculty elected honorary members. After the transaction of routine business the meeting adjourned for refreshments, not limited to five minutes.

A most pleasant evening was spent in the interchange of chapter experiences, and the consumption of various pleasant and harmless things. In this pursuit many of the brothers gave palpable evidence of great capacity. Bro. Keedy negotiated a Welsh rarebit for us, and Bunny was straightway referred to the Department of the Interior. We had hoped that Bros. Clingerman, Sneeringer and Welsh, just over the pale in the M. I. T., might be with us for the occasion; but "the hard-grained Muses of the cube and square" were obdurate, and refused to release them from their devotions.

The dull cloud of the mid-years has been casting its shadows about us since the Christmas recess, and the Wise Virgins among us have of late been trimming their lamps at midnight. At last, however, the ordeal is over, and the Club proposes shortly to hold another jollification in celebration thereof.

Now is the season of skates and sleigh bells; of favors and foot-lights; of the crackling oak-fed flames, and par excellence of the unobtrusive pluggers; and of athletics, under partial eclipse. The basketball team has met with a fair degree of success, defeating, among other teams, Princeton and Pennsylvania, and succumbing only to Cornell and Amherst. The hockey team has thus far won its games throughout. On the latter team, Bro. Clothier, to whom all games seem alike, has been playing center puck.

On the 28th we are going to swarm down on the Boston Alumni and clean the provender from the boards. So we give them due warning. Cambridge, Mass., February 4, 1903.

Pennsylvania Zeta.

Bro. Roy E. Keedy, Pa. Zeta, is now with the Cambria Steel Co., Johnstown, Pa.

George P. Kline, Pa. Zeta, during the last month was appointed secretary of the Westmoreland Mutual Life Insurance Company. Office in the Barclay Building, Greensburg, Pa.

Bro. Wade T. Kline, Pa. Zeta, on Jan. 2d was elected Second Lieutenant, Company I, 10th Reg. N. G. P. Pa. Zeta has the honor of having three commissioned officers in the State Guard. Phi Psis at the present writing number eleven in the National Guard of Pennsylvania.

Bro. Harry Wilbur '02 is engaged with the Wheeling, W. Va., Register, as literary editor. Bro. Wilbur is a rising young journalist and his ability is recognized in being selected to fill such an important position.

Bro. Rev. Marvin D. Eckels, Pa. Theta, was a visitor in town recently and renewed acquaintances with all the brothers.

Bro. Rev. N. Perry Eyeland '92 spent several days in Carlisle during the past month, and was just as enthusiastic as ever for the welfare of the chapter.

Bro. Ralph L. Boyer '01 attended our chapter meeting on Friday evening, January 30, and gave the brothers some good advice.

Bro. Reuben Nevling '02 has been appointed superintendent of schools at Smith Mills, Pa. The fact that he has been secured to fill this responsible position shows that the people recognize his ability.

Bro. Sterling of N. Y. Epsilon is professor in mathematics and coach of the football and baseball teams at Mercersburg Preparatory School.

Bro. Earl Evans ex-'02 is located in Washington, D. C., where he holds the position as secretary to his father, Congressman Evans.

Bro. Tom Vale holds the responsible position as district attorney of Cumberland county.

Bro. Greer '92 is serving his second term as city solicitor of Johnstown, Pa.

Bro. Sam C. Boyer has announced his engagement to Miss Sara Hilton of Carlisle, Pennsylvania.

Bro. A. C. T. McRea '92 was a visitor in Carlisle during the past month and renewed acquaintances with former friends.

Indianapolis Alumni Dinner.

H. C. Brubaker, Contributor.

Thirty good, jolly, enthusiastic Phi Psis around the festive board, with Ed Hendee in the center of the bunch, bursting forth every few minutes like a boiler blowing off steam, and the other twenty-nine with the same "whirling, twirling, whirling, something's the matter with me inside" were discovered in the stag dinner rooms of the Columbia Club Wednesday night. The occasion? Why—seven members of the State legislature, weary with the toils of legislating—or not legislating—were rescued for one night from the talons of the third house, and "The Ripper," and were immersed in the balmy atmosphere and cheered with the effervescent spirits from the eternal springs of Phi Kappa Psi.

Were they relieved? Why I should say so—each one unburdened himself to the fullest extent, and didn't stop there—loaded up and shot off again. But who else was there. My soul alive! Don't you know? Why, I'll tell you, of course. There was Billy Taylor, Attorney General? Yes—used to be—he was at the head of the table—he is our president, you know. He made the most noise—no, he didn't either—Jack Boyd from Greencastle was there—he has a voice that would call the cows home. He can't get recognition on the floor of the House because he belongs to the minority, so he bellowed for the good of his soul—he will feel better now. Then Governor Gilbert told us how he ran the Senate. Yes, he runs it—that is, with the consent of Senators Hendee, Thompson and Whitcomb,—but it's all in the family. He had a girl waiting for him—Whitcomb said one was waiting for him too, but he said she could wait—he would stand for it. Nat Hill—yes, our new State Treasurer, that is, our present Treasurer—he's not new; why, he has been in the fraternity thirty years—has two sons who nearly became Betas—narrow escape, he says—made the chills run down his back. He told the Betas they could have them if they could get them, but he got busy himself. One is a Phi Psi now, the other is pledged. Yes, he has lots of money in his charge now, it's all for Phi Psis too—he told us where he puts the keys—says we should come along whenever we needed it. He brought Billy Taylor up—said Taylor came into the fraternity through a window. Littleton was there, too, he's a "has been" you know—ruled the House last session. Yes, he smiles wisely. Thompson spoke. No speeches were made, the talk just flowed out—one minute we were in the depths of Phi Psi sentiment—yes, goes deeper than any—the next minute at the height of hilarity. Tears came to my eyes several times—I rolled off my chair once. Indiana Delta's Father was with us—Alford's as ever—a Phi Psi first, last and all the time. Kirkman, chairman of the House caucus, nearly told us how he would

have voted on the Ripper bill. Judge Jordan, of the Supreme Bench, says the five Phi Psi delegates gave him just five majority in the convention.

Is that all? Not yet. Hough from the green fields of Greenfield, said Bro. James Whitcomb Riley told him this afternoon that the doctors had given him up and advised him to consult a plumber. The plumber told him he needed a set of storm doors on his stage entrance. Then there was Henry Warrum—he said, confidentially, he would if he could, but he can't, so he doesn't—that is, hold an office—poor Henry is a Democrat. Sam Bell rang a few. Daumont soared up into the Rocky Mountains. He has just dropped among us lately—he is an old bird at it and can keep pace with any. Just name the rest? Well, there was Judge Allen, he couldn't stay away—Ed Knight, Hestor—two Walkers—W. E. Henry, Dickey, Oakes, Percy Burnet—all the way from Irvington—Eddy Campbell, Iles, Dr. Malone, The Sentinel—I mean Fred Weimer—and you humble servant.

Lancaster Pennsylvania Alumni Association.

T. Roberts Appel, Contributor.

A meeting of the Lancaster Alumni Association was held at the law offices of Bro. Chas. G. Baker on Saturday evening, November 22, to elect officers for the year. A goodly crowd was present and after the chairman was able to induce the brothers to postpone the telling of reminiscences, Bro. J. Harold Wickersham was unanimously elected president. Bro. Wickersham was unable to be present at the meeting, I dare say it was the first Phi Psi gathering he has missed in years, but he will be in the chair at our next meeting, assuming the particularly arduous duties of that office by his usual interesting remarks on the good and welfare. Bro. Scott W. Baker, of that family so illustrious in Phi Psi annals in Lancaster was elected vice-president and treasurer and we have already seen him chasing the brothers for the merely nominal fee and who, as a consequence daily increases in popularity. Bro. Zimmerman, archon of the first district, was elected secretary, so we are sure that the duties of that office will be faithfully performed.

At this point Bro. W. T. Brown made the startling and unexpected announcement that he was anxious for a banquet and thought it should be held as soon as possible. The younger brothers accordingly anticipated a feed that night, but since the weather was very inclement and a few of our most active brothers who would have been terribly disappointed not to have been at a feed, among whom we class Bros. Charlie Musser, "Skinner" Nauman, "Kid McCoy," after much persuasion we induced Bro. Brown to consider a postponement until the 19th of February, Founders' Day.

Bro. John W. Appel now made himself heard, telling us some weird tales of a place called "Soap Fat" alley, where it appears the local chapter held its meetings and then of the queer antics the brothers played on the candidate during initiation when the meetings were held in G. A. R. Hall, of how impressed the candidate was of the wealth and power of the fraternity when upon the removal of bandages from his eyes, he glanced about the walls and saw the G. A. R. trophies of the civil war.

Miss Dorothy Wickersham, daughter of our president, and Miss Elizabeth Nauman, sister of Bro. John Nauman were presented to society this past fall. Indeed the town has been very gay and at any function it would be rare indeed not to see a goodly "bunch" of Phi Psis.

So the Lancaster Alumni Association has started the winter and in our next letter we hope to tell the fraternity more news. You know we have twenty-five alumni in town, all prominent in professions and business and when they get together for a jolly good time there is likely to be "something doing."

Lancaster, Pa., January 15, 1903.

Indiana Delta.

The following item appeared in the Lafayette Morning Journal a short time ago: "Frank Harshaw, Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Harshaw, of the city, and a graduate of Purdue, will leave next Sunday for New York City, and will on the following Thursday sail from that place for Berlin, Germany, where he will spend a year in

study. He will enter the university at that place and will make a special study of scientific chemistry. Mr. Harshaw was graduated at Purdue in 1901 from the Science department and last year took a post-graduate course. He is a member of the Phi Kappa Psi fraternity and considered one of the best students ever graduated from the Science department."

Massachusetts Alpha.

Rev. Augustine P. Manwell '97, was married on January 14 to Miss Elizabeth F. Huston, of Lynn, Mass. They are at home at Rockdale Parsonage, Northbridge, Mass.

Loren H. Rockwell '01, who, since his graduation has been teaching in the Philippines, has returned to this country. He landed in Boston on January 17, and spent a few days in Amherst on his way home to Jordan, N. Y. He is planning to make South America his next objective point.

A Rousing Phi Psi Dinner.

"For spontaneous enthusiasm, I never saw its equal," is what Bro. Walter L. McCorkle said of the dinner which the New York Alumni Association gave in honor of President E. Lawrence Fell on the evening of January 19, at the Arena. Although it was the regular monthly meeting and dinner of the association, personal work and the magic name of Bro. Fell served to attract a big gathering.

In addition to Bro. Fell there were present three ex-presidents of the fraternity, Bros. McCorkle, Wilson and Stires; ex-treasurer George B. Baker, now of the Boston Alumni Association; several members of the Philadelphia Alumni Association, undergraduate representatives of Pa. Iota, N. Y. Gamma and N. Y. Zeta, and a larger number of New York alumni than have turned out before this winter.

In all, 108 Phi Psis were present, representing 24 chapters. A hasty canvass showed the following representation: N. Y. Gamma, 20; N. Y. Zeta, 15; Pa. Kappa, 10; Pa. Zeta, 9; N. Y. Alpha, 7; Neb. Alpha, 6; Pa. Theta, 6; N. Y. Epsilon, 4; Mass. Alpha, 4; Pa. Iota, 4; Ind. Alpha, 4; Mich. Alpha, 3; Pa. Gamma, 3; N. Y. Delta, 2; Kansas Alpha, 2; Pa. Beta, 2; Cal. Gamma, 2; Va. Alpha, 2; Pa. Epsilon, 1; Cal. Beta, 1; Ohio Gamma, 1; Va. Beta, 1; Va. Gamma, 1.

The dinner was enlivened with songs and college yells and by the time Bro. William C. Wilson called the meeting to order, the room was charged with Phi Psi spirit. All the toasts were informal. The speakers were Bro. E. Lawrence Fell, Bro. Ernest M. Stires, Bro. George W. Porter, Pa. Theta, Bro. George B. Baker, ex-Archon G. Livingston Bayard, Bro. N. Wilbur Helm, Ind. Alpha, Bro. Walter L. McCorkle, and Bros. Charles Sullivan, E. W. Boughton and W. L. Sheppard, representing the undergraduates of N. Y. Gamma, N. Y. Zeta and Pa. Iota respectively. Bro. Edgar B. Glatz, N. Y. Zeta, rendered a violin solo, accompanied by Bro. Norman C. Raff, Ohio Gamma, and Bro. E. L. House, Kansas Alpha, sang, accompanied by Bro. Gus, Allen, N. Y. Epsilon and Gamma.

The addresses of Bros. Bayard and Helm were especially interesting in view of the fact that Bro. Bayard has just received an appointment as Chaplain in the U. S. Navy, and was about to leave for the European station, while Bro. Helm, who has been teaching at Princeton, is about to engage in Y. M. C. A. work in China. By a strange bit of good fortune he will be located in the same town with Bro. Ingle of Va. Alpha. Bro. Helm has promised something good for "The Shield" when he gets settled in his new field.

Altogether, the dinner was a huge and howling success and was the liveliest occasion which has stirred the old town for a year or more.

Minnesota Beta.

Bro. Lewis Sickles, who has been very ill with typhoid fever, is now at his home in Wisconsin. He is out of danger but it will be some time before he can return to his duties at Shattuck Military School.

A recent letter from Bro. "Ham" Lawrence bears the news of his new partnership under the name of Pillsbury, Sutro & Lawrence, attorneys. Bro. Lawrence reports a good business in his new home, Manila, and says, "Filipino lawyers are no match for us Yankees."

*THE SHIELD.**Virginia Alpha.*

Bro. Wm. Wertenbaker, M. D. '01, has severed his connection with Washington and Lee University and is at present in New York doing hospital work, preparatory to beginning the practice of his profession in March, in Ansted, W. Va.

Bro. George L. Wertenbaker, 2nd lieutenant, U. S. A., is with the 18th Coast Artillery, (having been transferred from the infantry) in Cuba.

Bro. Wm. de L. Worsley, B. L. '02, is practicing law in Columbus, Georgia.

Bro. Morton W. Baker, M. D., '02, assistant surgeon, U. S. A., is at present stationed in Washington, D. C.

Bro. Robert Hill Davis, M. D. '01, left some time before Christmas for Germany to pursue his professional studies.

New York Alumni Association.

Walter A. Dyer, Contributor.

The New York Alumni Association has taken a new lease of life through the spirit awakened at the February dinner, an account of which appears elsewhere in this issue. An occasional splurge like this, it is hoped, will serve to keep together the rapidly growing Phi Psi alumni in the Metropolis.

The promised directory of Phi Psi alumni residing in New York City and vicinity has at last made its appearance. It was expected by January 1, but printers will be printers. The directory contains brief historical facts regarding the founding and growth of the New York Alumni Association, a directory of the alumni in the vicinity, including residence and business addresses, occupation, college, chapter and class, and a summary by chapters and states. This directory is necessarily deficient in some respects, but it is hoped that next year the association may be able to improve on it greatly. Phi Psis, especially B. G.'s all over the country can greatly assist the secretary in this work by keeping him informed regarding all Phi Psis who come to the city. This is the first directory of the kind printed since 1898. More than enough were printed to meet the present demand, and extra copies may be had by applying to the secretary as long as the supply holds out.

On February 16 the association is planning to celebrate Founders' Day, and Vice-President W. C. Alexander is expected as the principal speaker.

San Francisco Alumni Association.

W. H. Mayhew, Contributor.

It has been some months since the brothers in the Western Metropolis gathered about the Phi Psi board, but a dinner for the month of February is on the slate after which we will try and make our meetings more frequent.

Eddie Pomeroy, Pa. Theta, has visited in Pennsylvania and other states since our last epistle. He is the same genial Eddie and is doing wonders in the railroad business.

Carl Schilling, Cal. Gamma, has lately returned from a European trip. We note by the papers that he is one of the committee of arrangements for the ball to be given by the Alumni Commissioned Officer's Association of the University of California.

Will Smith, Cal. Beta, is doing advanced work in philology at the University of Berlin.

A. H. Stephens of Cal Alpha, is now assistant division superintendent of the railway mail service. Bro. Stephens is living in Oakland at 1196 Linden street.

W. W. Douglas, Kansas Alpha, the deputy state collector, has been made a lieutenant colonel and aid-de-camp on Governor Pardu's staff. Bro. Douglas is a thorough Phi Psi and an honor to the fraternity.

Joe Rosborough, Cal. Beta, president of the S. F. A. A., has been appointed manager of the San Francisco office of the "Out West" magazine, the largest publication west of Chicago, and will immediately take charge of the whole Northwestern territory.

Carl Brown, Cal. Beta, who has been in the Salt Lake office of Voss, Conrad & Co., has returned to the San Francisco office. The boys are all glad to have "Coxey" with them again.

Ben Gillette, Cal. Beta, is private secretary to H. M. Yerington at Carson, Nevada. Ben slips into town now and then and is always very welcome.

Charles Kenyon, Cal. Gamma, has entered the commission business as a partner in the firm of Bellstedt, Kenyon & Co., 320 Davis street.

Louis Dougherty, Cal. Beta, is another to cast his lot in the same business. His uptown office is at 303 California street.

Hamilton Bauer, Cal. Beta, is now a state senator and helping to make laws for the California commonwealth. At the last session of the legislature he was an assemblyman.

Fred G. Burrows, Cal. Beta, is a practicing physician and surgeon with offices at 590 Sutter street, San Francisco.

Will Blake, Cal Beta, is now an interne at the city and county hospital.

Orville Pratt, Cal. Beta and New York Alpha, will be a benedict by the time this is in print. On February 2nd he will be united in marriage to Miss Emma Brown, a young lady who is highly spoken of by her acquaintances. Their home will be made in Portland, Oregon. The boys all join in wishing them the best of luck and connubial bliss.

Rev. A. H. Barnhisel, Cal. Beta, has accepted a call to the First Presbyterian Church, of Tacoma, Washington. He was formerly at Los Gatos, Cal.

A Phi Psi whom we have lately discovered is J. T. Burney, of Kan. Alpha. He is a lawyer with offices in the Safety Deposit Building.

Rev. F. B. Cherington has resigned his pastorate at Plymouth Congregational Church.

John M. Lewis, Cal. Beta, has removed his law offices to the Hayward building.

Judge J. W. McKinley, Mich. Alpha, of Los Angeles, has been appointed a regent of the University of California.

Emile White, Cal. Beta, is in New York City with the American News Company.

We are glad to know our brothers in San Jose are to have an alumni association of their own. They will be able to get together more frequently, as it is some distance to come to San Francisco to our rallies. We hope to have joint rallies with them occasionally.

San Francisco, California, January 28, 1903.





Notice to B. G.'s: The number of "Shields" sent to each chapter this month is in accordance with the returns of initiates paying "Shield" dues to the General Secretary. An examination of the list shows that about forty "Shields" are being sent to the chapters for which payment is not being made. Where there is a deficiency in number of copies received, arrangements may be made for supplying it through the General Treasurer.

Pennsylvania Alpha—Washington-Jefferson College.

J. H. Otto, Correspondent.

Fraternity circles have been agitated since our last letter to "The Shield" by the addition of another fraternity to the already large number of frats at W. and J. Sigma Phi Epsilon has installed a chapter at W. and J. and this brings the number of fraternities up to nine at an institution with an enrollment of less than four hundred.

The W. and J. Glee Association and the Gettysburg Musical Clubs gave a joint concert at the College Gymnasium on the night of January 30. Phi Psi was represented by Bro. Graff on the Gettysburg Mandolin Club and Bro. Ash on the W. and J. Glee Club.

Bros. Dunn and R. Hays are creditably holding down positions on the Freshman basketball team.

Our chapter is making preparations for a dance to be given on February 6. If it is the success we anticipate it will be a fine affair indeed.

Any Phi Psis who happen to strike this "burg" will receive a welcome if they will call on us.

Phi Kappa Psi House, Washington, Pa., Jan. 31, 1903.

Pennsylvania Beta—Allegheny College.

Watkin P. Sturtevant, Correspondent.

When the brothers assembled after our Christmas vacation it was found that two of our number were missing. Bro. Scott, one of our leading men, has a position with the Keystone View Co., and will not be in college again this year. Crosby, a pledged man, did not return. He is attending Allegheny preparatory school at his home in Allegheny, Pa. Although we greatly miss both these men, yet we wish them much success in their respective places.

After a hard rush we received an affirmative answer from Mr. A. W. Comfort of Pittsburg, Pa., and initiated him January 13. Bro. Comfort was undoubtedly one of the strongest men who entered college this term and we are very glad to be able to introduce him to the fraternity at large. He is playing a star game at forward on the basketball team and will also pitch for the baseball team in the spring. We also pledged Mr. Paul Mitchell of Indiana, Pa., on January 19. Mr. Mitchell is a strong track team man and will make a good Phi Psi. He will soon be initiated in full. Bro. Birk, whom we took in the latter part of last term, has been compelled to leave college. He has gone into business with his father in Buffalo, N. Y.

Phi Psi hearts at Allegheny were jubilant a few days ago when it was announced that Bro. Nelson had been elected editor-in-chief of our weekly college paper, "The Campus." As he was elected in com

petition with some fifteen others it is a matter of no small importance. We are sure that Bro. Nelson is fully capable of performing his new duties, and we look for "The Campus" to be a better paper than ever before.

By April 1 Pa. Beta expects to be located in her new chapter house in Main street opposite the college chapel. We dislike to leave the old house which has been the scene of so many good times, but as the new location is one of the finest in the city, we know the move is a wise one.

Our president, Dr. Crawford, who is a loyal Phi Psi, expects to return about March 20 after an extended trip abroad. He will receive a warm welcome from all the Phi Psis as well as the rest of the students.

Bro. Mook is in college again this term after an absence of a term on account of sickness. We were all glad to welcome good-natured "Mookie" back. He will catch for his third season on the baseball team in the spring.

Googe, one of our pledged men, will no doubt make the track team. He is a sprinter of no mean ability.

The college glee club, assisted by Dr. Carl Dufft of New York City, will give its mid-winter concert February 5. Pa. Zeta is represented on the club by Bros. Chaig and Mook.

Our basketball team, which has not been defeated this year, is to play the U. of P. on February 6. We will be glad to see any Pa. Iota Phi Psis on that evening.

Bro. W. W. Youngson, a Pa. Beta man, is to give a toast here at our Washington's birthday banquet. Bro. Youngson is pastor of the largest church in Crafton, Pa.

We have been visited this term by Bro. Hawkins ex-'96, Bro. Brady ex-'97 and Bro. Morrow '00.

Pa. Beta is to hold her term party on the evening of January 30. As our parties are among the most pleasant events of the college year, we are expecting to have a fine time. All wearers of the shield will be given a hearty welcome on that evening.

We are wondering why we do not receive a visit from our archon. It has been over three years since we were last honored by his presence.

Meadville, Pa., January 28, 1903.

Pennsylvania Gamma—Bucknell University.

R. J. Hess, Correspondent.

Since last we sent our humble contribution to "The Shield," our efforts here in college life have met with great success.

Here at Bucknell, as all good Gamma men well know, we hold elections every fall and there elect the men whom Fate decrees shall rule our college world. The biggest plum of this political tree is that which makes a man the manager of our sturdy football team. And this honor has come to a Phi Psi, to Bro. Charles Stephen Marsh of the class of 1905. Bro. Marsh will serve one year as assistant manager, at the end of which time he will become the regular Varsity manager. The winning of the election was especially gratifying to us because of the fact that the opposition worked hard all through the campaign and used every effort to elect their candidate.

Phi Psi now has her full share of honors and is doing good work in all lines. Bros. Grier and Smith are making strong bids for places on the Varsity basketball team of which Bro. Bertolette is manager. Bucknell has a strong team on the floor this year, but with all that Bros. Stanton and Elliott are keenly missed.

Bro. Grier is captain of the sophomore class team. This is the class team that won the inter-class contest and landed the "1903 Cup."

The many alumni of the chapter may be proud of Bucknell and of her progress. The last piece of good fortune to come to her was the \$100,000 increase to her endowment. President Harris now recommends the raising of \$1,250,000 more for the use of the school. The Engineering department has been well launched and prospects for a large class in the fall are favorable.

Into the sophomore honor fraternity, Eta Delta Tau, five Phi Psis were initiated this year. Phi Psi was honored by receiving the largest proportionate number of "bids" from this frat. The fact speaks for itself.

Since last letter Bro. Edward Bell '00, who since graduation has been professor of mathematics in the academy, has resigned to accept a position with the Bureau of Surveys at Philadelphia. The chapter,

while fully aware of the great loss they have suffered in being deprived of the advice, counsel and companionship of Bro. Bell, join in wishing him every success.

During the month Bro. White of Pa. Epsilon was with us for a few hours when his basketball team played here.

Bro. Gundy ex-'00 of Philadelphia dropped in to see the boys during the month. "Bill" reports prosperity.

The brothers are sorry to report the illness of Bro. Galbreath ex-'04. He is improving, however, and we all wish him a speedy return to health. He is in New Mexico at present and while getting back his health is looking after the mining interests of his father.

Bro. White is chairman of the junior prom. committee this year. and expects to have a successful dance on February 6.

By next issue of "The Shield" we will have had our quarters here remodeled and improved somewhat. Founders' Day will find us celebrating in good old Phi Psi style.

Gamma sends her best regards to all the brothers.

Chapter Rooms, Lewisburg, Pa., January 31, 1903.

Pennsylvania Epsilon—Gettysburg College.

Chas. H. May, Correspondent.

We are just beginning to recover from the effects of the mid-year exams., and songs of rejoicing go up from all our little band, save one lone brother who emulated the "mills of the gods" in "grinding slowly" but forgot that they also "grind exceeding fine."

The basketball team has just returned from a very successful trip through the northern part of the state.

Bro. White, who, not being satisfied with football honors and the basketball leadership, must needs be also captain of the baseball team, has his candidates hard at work in the cage. All but one of last season's men are in college and there is plenty of new material. Besides Bros. Fisher and Bingaman, who played on last year's team, Bros. Hollinger and Washington are likely candidates.

The college musical clubs are away on a two weeks' tour of West Virginia and Western Pennsylvania. The press notices have all been most flattering and we have every reason to feel proud of our representatives. Bro. A. H. Shoupe '01, who was leader of the glee club for three consecutive seasons, participated in the Pittsburg concert.

It will no doubt be of interest to the alumni to learn of the marriage of Bro. Harry F. Buehler '06, to Miss Calla Beatty Hicks of Somerset, Kentucky.

February 22, which is known here as "Gettysburg Day," will be celebrated by the usual parade.

Gettysburg, Pa., January 30, 1903.

Pennsylvania Zeta—Dickinson College.

E. J. Carlin, Correspondent.

All the brothers have returned from their vacations and we are preparing to give one of the largest dances ever held by a fraternity at Dickinson. We have had several enjoyable social affairs this term, among them being a sleigh ride to Mechanicsburg after which we had a very pleasant dance. Everybody expressed the opinion that Phi Psis still prevail in social affairs.

Bro. Ben B. Rogers '03 gave a spread on Friday evening to the active members of the chapter and the boys all expressed their appreciation of Bro. Rogers' hospitality. During the evening several toasts were rendered, among which was one given by Bro. Adair Herman, whose remarks inspired us to work more zealously for the honor of Phi Psi.

Bros. Ray and Esler attended the mid-year reception given by the Phi Alpha Pi sorority at Ladies' Hall on Friday evening, January 16.

Bro. Barnhart attended the banquet given by the Johnstown Alumni Association. He informs us that he had a very pleasant time and speaks in glowing terms of all the worthy alumni who strive to make the association a success.

Bro. Cook recently acted as best man at a wedding in Newark, N. J., which was attended by several Phi Psis.

Bro. Louis B. Howell '97 was married to Miss Isabel Graves Woodruff at Elizabeth, N. J., February 3, 1903.

The members of the chapter are preparing for a reception on Founders' Day and are looking forward to a large attendance of alumni.

Bro. Ruby Vale's book entitled "Elementary Principles of Pennsylvania Law" has become a fixed issue of reference and authority on Pennsylvania law.

We were visited by the following brothers during the past month: Roy Keedy '01, Dr. Claude Barton '96, Ralph G. Boyer '01 and Chas. Evans ex-'02.

Phi Psis are holding their own in college athletics, having Bro. Williams captain of the 1903 football team, Bro. Carlin captain of the 1903 baseball team and Bros. Hall and Wilbur of the basketball team.

The candidates for the baseball team are now working in the cage and a strong team will be placed on the diamond. We have a schedule of twenty-four games and among them we play Princeton, Georgetown, Columbia, West Point and Annapolis.

The dramatic club will give a play during the month entitled "Charley's Aunt" and among the cast will be seen Bros. Stanton, Rogers, Ray and Cook.

There are at present eight fraternities located at Dickinson but we have always had the pick of available men and have been greatly assisted by the alumni and members of the active chapter who reside in town.

All Phi Psis who chance to be in the vicinity of Carlisle will be gladly welcomed by the members of Pennsylvania Zeta.

Carlisle, Pa., February 1, 1903.

Pennsylvania Eta—Franklin and Marshall College.

W. Curtis Truxal, Correspondent.

Pennsylvania Eta has added two more names to the list of her pledged men, Mr. Davis Bowman and Mr. Henneberger. Mr. Bowman comes from a good Phi Psi family, his father and an uncle being members of Pa. Eta. He will enter the freshman class next year, while Mr. Henneberger is a member of the class of 1906.

The glee and mandolin clubs made a very successful trip during the Christmas vacation, and the five Phi Psis on the club are greatly indebted to Bros. Cushwa, W. Va. Alpha, Boyer, Pa. Zeta and Keady, Pa. Eta, who received the brothers and entertained them in the hospitable manner for which Phi Psis are noted.

On the evening of February 10 the brothers of Pa. Eta laid aside their toil-worn books and entertained the ladies at a card party given at the chapter house, and although none of the fair sex were initiated, a few of the brothers feel sure of having a few more friends to Phi Kappa Psi.

At an election of the dramatic club, the Green Room Club, held a short time ago, Bro. Peterson was elected manager and Bro. Westerman president.

Pa. Eta expects to unite with the Lancaster Alumni Association in celebrating Founders' Day with a banquet.

Phi Kappa Psi House, Lancaster, Pa., Jan. 31, 1903.

Pennsylvania Theta—Lafayette College.

Hugh M. Miller, Correspondent.

The winter term, with its dull and uninteresting features owing to the lack of field sports, is nearly half gone, but the unusual activity in college and fraternity life here have caused the time to pass quickly. To the fraternity man, whether living in a house or not, this is the term when he will be thrown in closer touch with his companions and chapter work, and if he realizes and appreciates the advantages at hand it may be made the most profitable of the whole year to him and to his fraternity.

By far one of the most enjoyable events of the whole year was a smoker given at the fraternity rooms a few weeks ago by Bro. John Clemson '06. There was feed galore and plenty of smoke and we all spent a most delightful evening together.

Bros. Kennedy '05, Witte '06 and R. Clemson '06 came back for a short visit at the opening of the term and while here we had the chapter photo taken which appears in this issue of "The Shield."

Bro. Chidsky '04 is chairman of the junior hop committee. The hop will be held on the evening of February 20.

Bro. Kyte '04 has been elected a member of the mandolin club and this now gives us three men on the musical clubs of which Bro. Chidsey '04 is manager.

We are glad that Bro. Stroh's ('02) interests in the city demand frequent attention and are always glad to welcome the "Kid" when he has time to come on the hill.

We learned with deep regret, a few weeks ago, of the death of Mr. C. A. Godcharles of Milton, Pa. We extend to our three brothers in the family our heartfelt sympathy in the sad loss of their father.

Bro. Wharton Huber '01 spent Sunday with us a short time ago. Bro. Huber is an expert taxidermist and has just accepted a position in one of the departments of the University of Pennsylvania, where he will do this kind of work.

Bro. Harry G. Dale '91 has just finished a very successful term as tax collector of the Scranton poor district and his re-election to the office seems very probable.

The arrangements for junior week have been completed. It will be held on the week beginning February 15. The exercises of the week open with a reception at Brainard Hall in charge of the Y. M. C. A. Following this there will be a Glee Club concert, basketball games, two dances and a play by the dramatic association.

We had our Founders' Day banquet on Saturday evening, February 21st at the Franklin House and judging from the hearty response of the alumni we may hope to rally 'round the "pink and lavender" in good old fashioned form. We extend again a hearty welcome to any Phi Psis who may happen to be near us at this time.

Easton, Pa., February 1, 1903.

Pennsylvania Iota—University of Pennsylvania.

G. H. Bickley, Correspondent.

The events of the past month of most interest to Phi Psis at Pennsylvania were the annual chapter dinner at the Hotel Bellevue on January 14 and the New York alumni dinner to President Fell on January 19th. Brothers Sheppard and Gates attended the dinner in New York and brought back glowing accounts of the occasion. Brothers Weaver and Livingston Smith also of Pa. Iota were present. Of course it goes without saying that every active member was on hand for the dinner at the Bellevue. Of the alumni there were Bros. "Ted" Donaldson, who acted as toastmaster, Carl Williams, Ray Smith George Smith, Patterson, Harrar and Allison. It was a typical Phi Psi occasion and many times the hall resounded with the good old "High, high, high!"

As regards college affairs the principal event has been the Ivy ball, which was held at Horticultural hall on January 30. It was pronounced a great success. On the committee we had Bros. Metzger, Schoch and Nates.

The list of the chapter officers given in our last letter was not quite complete. It should have been as follows: G. P., Bro. George W. Childs; P., Bro. Sidney J. Repplier; A. G., Bro. Warren Marshall; B. G., Bro. Bickley; S. G., Bro. Warwick; Hd., Bro. Levin; Ph., Bro. Bradbury; H., Bro. Riley.

113 South 37th St., Philadelphia, Pa., February 1, 1903.

Pennsylvania Kappa—Swarthmore College.

F. Bramwell Geddes, Correspondent.

On the evening of January 17 the chapter held its annual banquet at Hotel Bellevue, Philadelphia, in celebration of Founders' Day of Pa. Kappa. It was one of the most successful in the history of the chapter. Thirty alumni together with the active chapter attended. Phi Psi enthusiasm was not lacking. The singing of fraternity and college songs, the giving of yells and many spirited toasts kept things going, so that all regretted when the moment came to disperse. In having attended this banquet, the active brothers feel as if they had gained much. The meeting with the alumni, the glad renewing of friendships and the inspiring toasts filled us all with more love and pride for Phi Kappa Psi. Bro. Thomas Caball '97 acted as symposiarch in a very acceptable manner. Bros. Beans, Lippincott and Ryder responded to toasts in behalf of the active chapter, while Bros. E. Lawrence Fell, William G. Underwood, E. Pusey Passmore, Richard Peters, Jr., Frederick C. Hicks, Charles S. Hallowell and

Alexander Mitchell Palmer toasted in behalf of the alumni. The alumni are to be congratulated upon the interest they are taking in the chapter, as many of them came from great distances to meet with the younger brothers.

Several of the alumni after the banquet and the following day came to Swarthmore to visit the chapter rooms. It was another pleasant reunion and made a fitting climax to that pleasant occasion which will be so long remembered.

The brothers are at present all busy with the mid-year examinations, some have been taken while a few remain. This fact has made things rather quiet around the chapter rooms, but more life and happier gatherings are looked for next week, when those dreaded exams. have all been passed.

Since the last edition of "The Shield" Pa. Kappa takes great pleasure in introducing to the fraternity Bro. Frederick N. Price '05. Bro. Price entered college this fall but entered the sophomore class and hopes to be able to complete his course in three years.

President Swain has returned to college, having attended the inaugural exercises of President Bryan of the University of Indiana. During the Christmas holidays President Swain visited several of the eastern colleges and universities, and a letter from Bro. Ince of Rhode Island Alpha informs us that he had the honor of showing our well loved president the interesting features of Brown University. Next week President Swain leaves for a trip abroad through Europe and Egypt. President Swain is taking this trip as his vacation as the building of a new dormitory at Swarthmore will necessitate his being here during the summer months.

In a short time Swarthmore college will have one of the best athletic fields in the country for a small college. Bro. Morris Clothier '89 has given five hundred dollars while the athletic association has given fifteen hundred for the improvement of Whittier Field. The field will be covered with loam and drained while the track will be well repaired. We are proud of the part that the Phi Psi is taking in this movement. Bro. William G. Underwood will superintend the job on behalf of the alumni.

Basketball and hockey are at present absorbing the minds of the athletes at college. Bro. Beans is managing the former, while Bro. Price plays on the team. On the hockey team we are represented by Bros. Beans, Crowell, Ryder and Geddes.

Swarthmore, Pa., February 1, 1903.

New Hampshire Alpha—Dartmouth College.

H. W. Flemming, Correspondent.

Our usual chapter letter was omitted last month owing to the fact that the month was broken up by our mid-winter vacation. Since we returned our time has been well spent in plugging for the exams. in the midst of which we are at present.

There is little going on in Hanover in the winter time, but with skating, "skiing," snow shoeing time by no means hangs heavily upon our hands.

We have been handicapped by the departure of three good men whose loss we keenly feel. Bros. Parish '06, Williams '06 and Biggs '06 are Illinois men and they have decided to finish their courses in the universities of their own state.

Bro. Alling '06 is playing a fast game as guard on the Varsity basketball team.

Hanover, New Hampshire, February 1, 1903.

Massachusetts Alpha—Amherst College.

W. Virgil Spaulding, Correspondent.

The winter term, the busiest of the year, is now well under way, and all branches of college life are in full swing.

The leading social event of the year is the junior prom., the time for which is now close at hand. Mass. Alpha feels a special interest in it this year as Bro. Moore is the chairman of the prom. committee. Pratt gymnasium will be the place and February 6th the date of this function. It is always a very brilliant and successful affair and this one promises to be no exception. The arrangements for it and for the accompanying festivities are now practically complete. The evening preceding the prom. will be given up to a presentation

of the senior dramatics in the town hall. At convenient times during the latter part of the week dances will be given by the various fraternities.

Much interest is being taken in debating at the present time. Preparations for the annual debate with Bowdoin are well under way. The preliminary trials for the team have taken place and eight men selected from which number the team will be picked. It is pleasant to note that two of the eight are Phi Psis, Bro. Johnson '03, and Bro. Wood '06. A movement for a debate between the sophomore and freshman classes is also on foot. Phi Psis are showing up well in declamation also, as is shown by the fact that Bros. Edgecomb and J. A. Taylor have made the sophomore Kellogg fifteen and Bros. Dillon, Wheeler and Wood the freshman.

In connection with these honors it may be interesting to know that Bro. Field won the Williston Hygiene Prize and Bro. Wood the prize offered by Professor Cowles to his division in freshman Latin for the best work of the fall term.

The athletic activity of the college finds expression at this season in the track, basketball and gymnasium teams. The track team is busily training for the coming B. A. A. meet. Bro. Chase's chances of making the relay team are considered excellent. The basketball team has played five games thus far, losing two and winning three. Amherst lost two to Williston Academy, but won from Massachusetts Agricultural College, Hamilton and Harvard. As practically an entire new team had to be developed, this opening of the season is looked upon as being very auspicious. Baseball practice will begin on February 2. All the members of last year's team are still in college, and there is a large amount of excellent material in the freshman class. All signs point to an exceptionally strong team for the coming season.

The chapter life of Mass. Alpha goes on smoothly and pleasantly. The first of the customary series of entertainments or "bats" given by each delegation is expected to occur in the near future.

We were very glad to have with us for a few days Bro. Rockwell who has just returned from the Philippines, where he has been teaching. His visit here was much enjoyed. We greatly wish we might hear and see more of the older brothers of Mass. Alpha. Brothers of other chapters as well may be assured of a hearty welcome from us if they will but give us a call.

Amherst, Mass., January 30, 1903.

Rhode Island Alpha—Brown University.

Warren A. Clough, Correspondent.

Brother Easton '03 with one other man represented Brown at the triangular chess tournament between Brown, Cornell and Pennsylvania. The object of the tournament was a trophy offered by one of Cornell's professors. As in previous years Cornell won, thus securing the trophy permanently. Bro. Easton, however, was a match for his opponent, winning two, losing one and drawing one.

Bro. Howard '03 is assistant to Prof. Bailey in the Herbarium and also in the biological laboratory.

Bro. Young '04 represents Phi Kappa Psi on the junior week committee. He will see to it that our interests do not suffer if too much politics creeps in.

Bro. Ashley '03 and Bro. Colburn '04 are members of the senior and junior Library boards respectively.

Bro. Meredith has left college for a year at least. He is now employed as draftsman by the Silver Spring Dyeing and Bleaching Co., one of the best known concerns of its kind in this country.

Bro. Hartman, of the B. A. A., dropped in on us a few days ago, and strongly urged every one of us who could to go to Boston on the 14th of February.

During the Christmas vacation Bro. Walter MacLean of N. H. Alpha met a few of the brothers while on a visit to Providence.

When the Lafayette basketball team came here to play Brown, we had the pleasure of entertaining three of the players who were Phi Psis. Our chapter was very glad indeed to meet Bros. Haldeman and Soles.

Bro. Knauer, Pa. Kappa, of the law firm of Knauer & Hogan of this city, was present at a regular meeting a few weeks ago. He spoke a few words to the assembled brothers commenting favorably on the Phi Psi spirit and wishing us success in our endeavors to build up the chapter.

Before we end this letter we want to thank Bro. Gabbi, Rhode Island Alpha '02, for the fine cigars and sodas he treated us to the other night. One of our alumni, Bro. Ince, was very anxious to tell us a story. Of course, being an honored alumnus, he had his way. To repeat the whole story would be a tiresome job, so I will tell you only the ending and let you draw your own moral. After considerable beating about the bush, and a whole lot of stage play, Bro. Ince managed to convey to us that Bro. Gabbi had induced a fair damsel from Holyoke to become his wife. How he did it none of us can guess. Hence the cigars and the sodas.

Providence, Rhode Island, February 2, 1903.

New York Beta—Syracuse University.

Lloyd E. Brown, Correspondent.

The members of N. Y. Beta chapter are now comfortably settled in their temporary quarters in Comstock avenue. The damage done to the chapter house by the recent fire is being rapidly repaired and everything will be in excellent shape for the D. C. meeting in April. We have been in receipt of numerous telegrams and letters of sympathy and take this means of expressing our sincere thanks for their kind condolences.

One of our recent social functions of which mention was overlooked in the last letter was a reception given on December 12 by the active chapter to the alumni and the parents and friends of the chapter's city men. The main feature of the evening's entertainment was the carrying out of a musical program by our undergraduate talent, consisting of violin, piano, vocal and mandolin selections. An amateur orchestra of eight pieces also inflicted itself upon us.

At Syracuse University attention is centered on the winter training of the various athletic teams. Bro. Harry E. Elden '03, captain of the crew, has issued the call for crew candidates and the response has been very good. Pending the arrival of the new coach, Jas. A. Ten Eyck, who takes E. R. Sweetland's place, Bro. Elden has been coaching the men. Bro. Lowe '03, captain of the track team, has had his men in training for the past month. Syracuse will have a good track schedule next spring. Of the freshman delegation, Bro. Chester Williams '06 is captain of the victorious freshman basketball team, has made the Varsity five and is also out for the track team in the pole vault. Bro. Smallwood '06 is a candidate for the freshman crew. Bros. Terry '06 and Mills '06 are on the mandolin club of the university. At Easter the glee and mandolin clubs travel westward.

The annual senior ball and city glee club concert take place on February 11 and 12. Bro. Elden is on the committee of three in charge of the ball, which will be given at the Alhambra under the auspices of Phi Kappa Alpha, the men's senior society.

Phi Psi has a good representation in the several class fraternities and clubs established at Syracuse. Bro. Harry E. Merritt '04 is a member of Delta Chi, and Bro. Lloyd E. Brown '05 of Phi Delta Phi, both legal fraternities. In Beta Delta Beta, freshman society, are Bros. Beeler, Carothers, Reddish and Williams. In Theta Nu Epsilon, Bro. L. Brown. In Monx Head, junior society, Bro. I. R. Templeton; Bros. Morse and Brown are members of Double Seven, the sophomore social society; and Bros. Williams and Carothers are in Pipe and Stem.

Recent visitors to this chapter have been Bros. Frank Paddock '95, and Murlin Smallwood '02, of N. Y. Beta; Bro. Stanley Brooks of Ohio Delta; Bro. T. H. Crook of Mass. Alpha; Bro. Jennings '04 of N. Y. Epsilon; Bro. Geo. Buck, N. Y. Epsilon.

Syracuse, N. Y., 805 Comstock Ave., January 30, 1903.

New York Gamma—Columbia University.

Thomas R. Buell, Correspondent.

This has been a busy week. Another half year has passed and the mid-year exams are here, very much here in fact and for the last week Gamma boys have had a chance to show what they know and incidentally to show what they don't know.

Since our last letter nothing, I think, of a startling nature has happened here at Columbia, although everything seems to be coming all right. Both crew and baseball practice are in full swing and

bid fair to develop plenty of good material. In a game with Yale, played in the Columbian Gym. last week, our basketball team met its first defeat in the intercollegiate series. The game was very fast from start to finish, resulting in favor of Yale by a score of 14 to 12. The next event of interest will be the annual Gym. meet with Yale to be held here next Friday night. A very interesting contest is expected. In the trials for the 'Varsity show which is to be given in March, Bro. Herbert Adams did some fine work and obtained the leading part. The junior ball, the leading social event of the year, was held at Sherry's on the night of Jan. 16. Bros. Stangland and Catron were on the committee. It was a very successful affair.

The last meeting of the N. Y. Alumni Association at a dinner given in honor of President Fell, was attended by a number of our fellows. Of the representatives from over twenty chapters Gamma had the largest number. Many prominent Phi Psis were there, including President Fell, ex-Presidents Wilson, McCorkle and Stires and ex-Treasurer Baker. It was a most enjoyable occasion.

New York, January 31, 1903.

New York Epsilon—Colgate University.

J. H. Hutchinson, Correspondent.

New York Epsilon has lately had the pleasure of welcoming to the chapter two alumni. Bro. A. B. Potter '91, spent a few days in town renewing old acquaintances. Bro. Potter has left Hudson, N. Y., where he was pastor of the Baptist church, and has begun his work as pastor of the Baptist church at Ogdensburg, N. Y. Bro. Potter has the best wishes of his friends and brothers for success in his new field. Bro. Geo. Buck '01, also visited the chapter and friends for a short time. Bro. Buck has left Buffalo, where he has lately been engaged in business, and has accepted a good position with a publishing house of Chicago. New York Epsilon is always glad to welcome her alumni. It seems to awaken a new interest for the fraternity to have men, who have had experience with the world, come back and show that in spite of their busy lives, Phi Psi is still something real to them. We hope, before the year is over, that we may see many more of our alumni.

During the Christmas holidays the Principals' conference of New York state was held at Syracuse, at which New York Epsilon was well represented. On the second evening of the Conference the reunion of Colgate alumni was held. Of the twenty-five Colgate men present, eleven were Phi Psis. Bro. Fred V. Lester '86, superintendent of the schools of Ticonderoga, was elected president for the ensuing year, and Bro. C. G. Mabley '98 of Morrisville was elected secretary.

At the beginning of the term two men from the academy, Swift and Sweet, put on the Phi Psi pledge buttons. On Friday evening, January 22, a tunk was given to the seven pledged men. On the same evening before the tunk, Bro. Callahan '04 was initiated into the fraternity.

Bro. Davis '02 spent a few days at his home in Troy, N. Y.

Bro. Galusha '03 has been elected president of the senior class and Bro. Craine '03 toastmaster.

Bro. Craine '03 was absent for a short time on a visit to Syracuse.

Bro. Eddy '04 has been elected leader of the glee club.

Hamilton, N. Y., February 3, 1903.

New York Zeta—Brooklyn Polytechnic Institute.

E. W. Boughton, Correspondent,

The mid-year examinations are over and all our men did creditably. Things are not quite settled as yet in the schedule for the coming semester but will be in a few days.

The college play is now but three days off and all the cast, with seven of our brothers therein, are sacrificing everything else in the final preparation. Zeta is to have a box party to attend the show, followed by a supper at the Hotel Clarendon. Bro. Wurster is chairman of the committee. Bro. McCarty has been appointed assistant property man for the night of the performance.

Bro. O. W. Sartorius has been appointed assistant manager of the baseball team.

Four brothers of the active chapter and fifteen of our alumni attended the New York Alumni Association dinner on January 21, when Bro. Fell was present.

The last half of the college year having arrived, the senior class has adopted caps and gowns.

We wish to introduce to the fraternity William H. D'Esterre, who was initiated January 27. We have now twenty active men, the largest chapter Zeta has ever had.

We intend to have an informal smoker in the rooms Founders' Day night and welcome all Phi Psis who can attend.

Brooklyn, N. Y., January 3, 1903.

Maryland Alpha—Johns Hopkins University.

J. R. Mood, Correspondent.

Although our chapter has not had a letter in "The Shield" for some time, nevertheless we have not been idle, but have been taking our share of college honors.

At a recent meeting of the "News Letter," the college publication, Bro. Foster was advanced to the position of associate editor-in-chief, and Bro. Opie to the position of news editor.

Bro. Horace Custis is president and Bro. Ehlen vice-president of the class of 1906.

The various classes are busy preparing for their banquets, which will be held some time this month. Bro. Opie is chairman of the junior class banquet committee.

Bro. H. Custis is a candidate for the track team. Bro. Custis will probably be on the year's lacrosse team, the highest honor to which a student of the university can aspire.

At a meeting of the alumni association it was decided to hold monthly dinners at the St. James. The first has already been held. Its unqualified success is the greatest proof of the popularity of the movement, which is well supported, not only by the active chapter men but by the alumni.

Bro. Woodrow Wilson was the guest of honor at the annual banquet of the Princeton Alumni Association of Baltimore, held at Music Hall last night. During the course of his remarks President Wilson asked the company if they had heard that the ground hog would not come out this year. The answer was, he said, because the ground hog was afraid the president of the United States would put a "coon" in.

Before closing we might add that Bro. J. R. Mood was re-appointed scholar in Latin for the term 1901-1902.

Baltimore, Maryland, February 7, 1903.

Virginia Alpha—University of Virginia.

Charles Hartwell Cocks, Correspondent.

This is hardly the season with us when "the time has come to talk of many things" unless perchance those "many things" be tales of the holidays, or else the manifold woes of examinations and other kindred subjects, not very well calculated to inspire cheerfulness and a happy content. Football is too much a thing of the past, while baseball is still a remote futurity—too distant indeed to make any bold predictions as to the quality of the 'Varsity, but unless there is a hitch somewhere, Phi Psi will be represented on the team.

The only thing of general interest that will occur in college till the baseball season opens will be the gym. tourney, in which Bro. Fleet will doubtless uphold the honor and reputation of the fraternity as he is commonly acknowledged to be one of "the best there is" He has the honor to be vice-president of the Gymnasium Association—a recognition of his ability and general worth.

Shortly after the Christmas recess, Bro. Trout M. D. '02, gladdened us all by his presence for a few days. Bro. Mort Baker, M. D. '02 now assistant surgeon of the U. S. N., spent the holidays in Charlottesville with his family, but unfortunately only a few of the brothers had the pleasure of seeing him, as his duties compelled him to leave before college re-opened.

A visit from Bro. "Billy" Wertenbaker, M. D. '01, was much appreciated lately. "Billy" is now in New York taking hospital work before leaving for Anstead, W. Va., where he goes to accept a position as general practitioner for a mining company.

Bro. Geo. L. Wertenbaker, 2nd Lieutenant U. S. N., was home for Christmas. George is now in Cuba doing doughty deeds of arms.

The Washington Alumni Association has decided to hold its annual banquet on Friday, February 20, and Bro. Arthur V. Snell, University of Chicago, whom all of us remember so pleasantly, has sent the chapter a most urgent invitation to be present "en masse." The five fortunates who attended this function last year brought back such glowing accounts of the good time that was shown them that I think all can rest assured that the delegation from Va. Alpha this year will be large and enthusiastic.

University Station, Charlottesville, Va., Jan. 26, 1903.

Virginia Beta—Washington and Lee University.

Geo. E. Haw, Correspondent, pro tem.

Our little band came together again after the Christmas holidays and our first move of interest was the initiation of Ben Smith Preston, who was pledged last fall. Bro. Preston makes the fifth of that name initiated into this chapter. We feel exceedingly lucky in getting him, as he was rushed by several other frats, and is considered one of the best goats initiated this season.

Several weeks ago we were agreeably surprised by a visit from Bro. Lockwood of Indiana Alpha. He told us much that was of interest concerning our Phi Psi brothers in the west.

On the evening of the 23rd our chapter was delightfully entertained by Bro. Vance and his charming bride.

The chapter has suffered a great loss by the departure of Bro. Wertenbaker, Va. Alpha, who has been for several years our physical director and football coach. He has accepted a position as mining physician for some large coal mines in Fayette county, W. Va. In him W. and L. loses one who has done much toward putting her in the front rank of southern athletics.

We are now pushing our chapter house scheme and hope by next session to be able to welcome to our home any Phi Psis who may wander into our midst.

Lexington, Va., January 30, 1903.

West Virginia Alpha—University of West Virginia.

C. M. Christy, Correspondent.

In the midst of the work of the busy winter term and in the midst of house furnishing and moving, W. Va. Alpha is at present the scene of much activity. Our house is now having the finishing touches put on it and we expect to have it in readiness for Founders' Day exercises, for which we are already preparing.

While Founders' Day brings to all Phi Psis memories that are well worth cherishing it recalls to us this year the doubly pleasant scene of which this will be the first anniversary—the occasion of the gift to us of our chapter house on last Founders' Day—and we feel that the same spirit of gratefulness and homage should characterize the observance of both anniversaries. The exercises at that time will be of a nature commemorative of these important events in our history and we shall be glad to welcome any of our alumni or other brothers who may be able to be with us at that time.

We are looking forward to a rousing D. C. in Baltimore in April, and shall try to help in the making of such a convention. Several of our alumni have already signified their intention of going and at least six of our active members will be present, which we think is a good representation considering the distance we have to go.

We wish to call the attention of our alumni to the request made of them not long since that a picture of each one be sent to us to be placed in the meeting hall of our chapter house. In making this request we neglected to state that we desired to have the pictures as nearly uniform as possible, therefore should like to have cabinet pictures only and each picture should be accompanied by the business card of the person sending, the card to be placed in the framed picture. We hope this matter will not be delayed a day longer than necessary as we want a complete representation of our alumni by the end of the present school year.

Bro. S. W. Lockwood, Indiana Alpha, spent several days with us recently. Bro. Lockwood is an enthusiastic Phi Psi as well as a jolly good fellow and was heartily welcomed by the boys.

Bros. Welch of Keyser, W. Va., Morris of Fairmont, W. Va., and Lardin of Uniontown, Pa., were recent welcome visitors to our house. Morgantown, W. Va., January 27, 1903.

Mississippi Alpha—University of Mississippi.

D. O. Clark, Correspondent.

This is the dullest period of student life at the University of Mississippi. The social functions here and in Oxford are about the only things to break the monotony of lectures and class room work. Bro. J. M. Hairston represented us at the Kappa Alpha reception. Bros. Standifer and R. E. Hairston were guests at the Delta Psi dance last Friday night.

At the recent class elections Bro. Strickland was elected vice-president of the freshman class, and Bro. J. M. Hairston is a member of the junior prom. committee.

At our last meeting Bros. Johnson and J. M. Hairston were selected to represent the active chapter and Bro. Steinberger to represent the alumni at the District Council in Baltimore.

Bro. W. P. Tackett '81 has been appointed by Governor Longino to the office of district attorney for the fifth judicial district. A clipping from the New Orleans Picayune reads thus: "No man in this county stands higher than Mr. Tackett, and his appointment will not only be a popular one in the county, but throughout the district. He is a young man in the prime of life and well qualified to ably discharge the duties of his new office, and his friends confidentially predict that he will make the district one of the most popular and efficient officers it has had."

Bro. Charles R. Freeman '01 is practicing law at Checotah, I. T. University, Mississippi, February 2, 1903.

Tennessee Delta—Vanderbilt University.

Jules D. Lemoine, Correspondent.

In this, the first "Shield" letter of the new year, we desire to express our well wishes of a happy New Year to all Phi Psis.

During recent holidays an informal dance was given by Tenn. Delta, in honor of Miss Etta Chisum, of Paris, Texas, while the guest of her brother, Will C. Chisum, one of our most loyal and beloved brothers. Light refreshments were served. At the kind selection of our friends Misses Martha Stokes and Emma Berry the rooms and dancing hall of our chapter house were beautifully and most appropriately decorated with holly and mistletoe which, with the mural banners in fraternity colors, also those of the university colors of old gold and black, made a very pretty effect. The evening was most happily enjoyed by a dozen couples, who departed as the music lullingly played "Home, Sweet Home." The honored guest is one of Paris' most attractive and accomplished young ladies. Her beauty and gracefulness has won the fond esteem of we Phi Psis.

Our popular young brother, Jordan Stokes, Jr., '04, was married to Miss Elsie Rhea Warren '03 on Christmas Eve. The bride, one of Nashville's most talented young ladies, is the beautiful daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jos. Warren of this city. Mr. Warren is the general manager of the Edgefield and Nashville Mfg. Co. The groom, a Phi Psi heart and soul, is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Jordan Stokes, Sr. Bro. Stokes, Sr., stands at the forefront at the Bar of Peace and Justice of Nashville, and is our dearest and most enthusiastic alumni of the city. To this happy couple, may peace, happiness and prosperity be the success of a long lived life, is the sincere wish of Phi Psi of Tenn. Delta.

Bro. Spearman, Miss. Alpha, now a student of the University of Nashville, honored us with a pleasant visit at our regular meeting last week.

Tenn. Delta boys will be happy for the next fortnight. Mid-year exams are just over and all brothers can boast of a good record.

Nashville, Tenn., February 2, 1903.

*Ohio Alpha—Ohio Wesleyan University.**Paul N. Dale, Correspondent.*

All else had tried and failed, and so smallpox finally tried to drive Ohio Alpha from the field. But not so long as a true Phi Psi is in Delaware will obstacles do aught else than spur each one of the brothers to his best efforts.

At the close of last term the matron of our chapter house contracted smallpox, and the house has been under quarantine ever since. Mr. Stone, one of our preps., was forced to remain in the house the entire time, but fortunately he and all the brothers have thus far escaped the disease. We have thus been forced to give up our house this term, but may be able to enter another next term.

All the brothers except three have returned for the winter term. Bro. Roettinger's work allows him to be out this term, and he will return to finish his course in the spring. Bro. Machetanz has finished his work and is studying law at his home in Kenton. Bro. Keyes is attending Western Reserve University.

Since our last letter, Bros. Patterson, Keyes, Dale, Dennison and Marshall have been initiated, whom it is my pleasure to introduce to the fraternity at large. Also Bro. Evans, one of last year's initiates and who was not in college last term, has returned to us.

Mr. Lockwood, one of our former preps., has been initiated into Indiana Alpha, having entered DePauw University. Our loss has been their great gain.

Before this comes out in print, Ohio Alpha hopes to have another brother in the name of Phi Psi.

Delaware, Ohio, January 24, 1903.

*Ohio Beta—Wittenberg College.**Walter H. Weaver, Correspondent.*

Ohio Beta had no letter in the last number of "The Shield," and the correspondent takes this opportunity to ask pardon for his neglect. In this letter, however, he hopes to make up for past sins and give a somewhat lengthened account of the "doings" of the brothers during the last two months.

The Christmas holidays have come and gone, each brother has returned "alive and kickin'" and has entered into college and fraternity life with renewed spirit, showing the restorative effects of turkey and plum pudding. But we must not overlook the events between December 1 and Christmas, if we are to give a complete record for two months. At the meeting of the college athletic association on December 5, Phi Kappa Psi obtained the lion's share of the offices. We speak within bounds when we say that the chapter could have had anything it desired from the association; but we got all we wanted. Bro. Gotwald was elected vice-president; Bro. Barringer, treasurer; and Bro. Rayner a member of the board of directors. Bros. Harris and Tulloss are our representatives on the advisory board. Bro. Jayne was elected basketball manager, and last but not least we again secured that much coveted position, the managership of the football team, which was secured by Bro. Deaton. This office is the highest and most honorable gift to an undergraduate which the college has the power to bestow, and we are justly proud of our success. Our alumni were not forgotten in the election as Bros. Oscar T. Martin and Alvin F. Linn were chosen members of the advisory board.

Neither have we been neglectful in a social line. On December 11 the chapter entertained at the house with a dance which was attended by about fifty persons. During the holidays the town men again entertained for a number of visitors, the dance continuing until the small hours of the morning. January 24, just a year from the formal opening of the house, the chapter's alumni and friends were again entertained. We have many plans for making this year a merry one in a social way and it is said that the entertainment committee has a few surprises up its sleeve which it is ready and willing to spring on the chapter at any time.

In athletics our chapter still has a finger in the pie. Bros. Ultes, Deaton and Delmar Trout are members of the Varsity basketball team, and the latter two are on the indoor baseball team of the college. Training for the track has already begun and here is where Bros. Jayne, Volney Trout and Tulloss will shine as the bright par-

ticular stars. Bros. Delmar Trout, Deaton, and a pledged man, Phillips are sure to make the Varsity baseball team, while Bros. Volney Trout, Ultes and Barringer will set them a hard pace.

Bro. Tulloss has been elected historian of the freshman class.

Bro. Russell is organist of the Second Lutheran Church of the city. One of the most delightful events which the chapter has ever enjoyed occurred on the evening of January 23, when Bro. Gotwald royally entertained us at dinner. Twenty persons sat down to a table, which was literally loaded with good things, and it is safe to say that it was a good long time till those twenty men arose again. And when they did it was with a kinder feeling toward their fellow-men, as becomes those who have been feasted both physically and mentally. After an evening of music, etc., they departed, waking the entire North side with the good old Phi Psi yell.

Only three names have graced our visitor's book for some time. They are those of Bro. Hugh G. Beatty, Ohio Delta, who ran over from Columbus for a day or two; Bro. Dana C. Johnson '99, who visited a week with friends and brothers and then returned to the wilds of Iowa; and Bro. Walter Falconer '90, who, as lieutenant in the navy, is home on leave. We wish that all Phi Psis who happen in Springfield would call. Our latchstring is always out.

Phi Kappa Psi House, Springfield, Ohio, February 1, 1903.

Ohio Delta—University of Ohio.

W. E. Campbell, Correspondent.

For the past three years there has been a "scare" each year in the form of a contagious disease at Ohio State. Two years ago smallpox was the cause of not a little worry. Last year measles made many students its prey, while at present a most serious condition is presenting itself. Smallpox is again having its inning. The local board of health ordered that each student must present to the university authorities a certificate of either recent or successful vaccination, and that non-compliance with this order meant refusal to admittance to the class rooms. As a result of this edict there was a general vaccination among all students who were not able to present the necessary certificate. The dreaded contagion proved fatal to one unfortunate student, while two other students are reported to have the disease. The development of a few more cases will result in the University being quarantined.

Considerable activity has been manifesting itself among fraternities here in the way of securing chapter houses. Various methods are being pursued in securing the desired homes. Some chapters are renting houses in advance, others are organizing stock companies. Ohio Delta is by no means asleep along this line of work, for while very little is being noised about, we are "sawing wood."

Ohio Delta may once more make herself known in athletic circles. Bros. Newman and Bell are sprinters, and both men are giving a portion of their time to training for the coming track meet. We believe "Dick" Newman holds a good high school record as a runner.

Since our last letter to "The Shield" Bro. Beatty, Ohio Delta, and Don Cratty, Ohio Alpha, have made us a visit. Bro. Beatty, as well as the chapter, looks forward to next fall when he will again be with us as an active member.

February brings to Phi Psis the anniversary of the founding of our fraternity. The Columbus Alumni Association and the Ohio Delta chapter will celebrate the occasion by giving a big banquet. We extend to our brothers a hearty invitation to be with us in the celebration of Founders' Day.

Columbus, Ohio, February 2, 1903.

Indiana Alpha—De Pauw University.

Turley Stephenson, Correspondent.

As predicted in our last letter, we are now able to introduce to the fraternity Bro. Arthur Lockwood, of Peru, Ind., the fourth of that quartet of Lockwoods that are so familiarly known to the fraternity world and especially to Ind. Alpha. We made the occasion of the initiation a source of a little hilarity, and did our usual "stunt" of banqueting down at Gardner's afterwards, and in the meantime of disturbing the peace and quietude of the down town neighborhood. Bros. Colonel Weaver, Alfred E. Dickey and Geo. B. Lockwood were

with us at the initiation. At the banquet Bro. Dickey sat at the head of the table and in this capacity he succeeded in keeping the spirit of the fraternity and of mirth at ebb tide throughout the evening.

The day following our initiation, Sunday, the University celebrated Founders' and Benefactors' Day, the principal address for which was made by Bro. Geo. B. Lockwood, editor of "The Shield." The address of Bro. Lockwood was a brilliant effort, and was highly and most favorably commented upon by the press, members of the faculty and students. At the request of President Gobin, Bro. Dickey, who was present, was asked to sit on the platform, but refused to make a speech. In introducing Bro. Lockwood, Dr. Gobin in a most eloquent manner, made mention of Bro. Dickey as one of the substantial benefactors of the institution, and as one of the rising young men of the country. In this connection it might be news to some to inform you that the benefactor mentioned above has just given \$2,500 to the department of biology, to be used in establishing a departmental library. It is said that this is not yet the end of his beneficence, for he has promised more to the same department, and is contemplating a similar gift to the chemistry department. Dickey has the "where-withal" and the most pleasant feature about it he is not afraid to put it to good use. Such alumni we are especially proud of.

In order to break the monotony of hard work and to give our much used minds a little rest, we took one evening off for "Jimmy" last week. We had all our cases in to kind a help along and the Peru delegation entertained with a shadow play, such as is common in that part of the country. The whole affair was a success, however, and after a few little stunts about the cozy corners and the dining room the curtain fell for the evening.

Bro. N. Wilbur Helm, formerly instructor in Latin at Princeton University, has resigned his position there and will sail the first of September to take charge of the Y. M. C. A. work in China. We had hoped and predicted for Bro. Helm a most successful career in his chosen work of teaching, and sorry to find that he finds it necessary to abandon it. However, we congratulate him in obliging the calls of duty and we predict for him the same success in his foreign work as was attending him at Princeton. Wilbur has been with us here at DePauw for the last week visiting his alma mater and friends before his final departure, and it is not a mere formality when we say that his visit is greatly enjoyed and appreciated. And as far as "she" is concerned, it is safe to predict that if Wilbur goes away alone this time, before sailing he will come again to receive her unto his own.

In our last letter we forgot to mention the fact of Bro. Carl Vance's wedding to Miss Ethel Jackson at Anderson, Ind. Such, nevertheless, was a stern reality, as Bro. Vance and wife could possibly testify. There are rumors of considerable disturbance in the way of a "rough house" after the wedding, in which the bride and groom figured prominently. They sailed for South America the first of the year, where Bro. Vance has a position in the schools.

Bro. Kimberlin is forced to be out of college this term on account of the illness of his mother. We miss Bob very much and greatly regret that he can not be with us, but we sincerely hope that conditions will be such that he can be with us again in the spring.

Among the brothers who have visited us this past month besides the ones mentioned are Bros. Neeley, Adams and DeHaven from the active chapter at Purdue, "Red" Williams, Ind. Beta, and Maurice Tennant, Ind. Alpha, now of Chicago. To all of our guests the least we can say is, come again, come often, bring others with you and stay longer.

We can not close our letter without acknowledging the receipt of Mrs. Alfred E. Dickey's most delicious and appetizing nut cake. It arrived last Saturday evening, delivered by Bro. Dickey in person, and after fraternity meeting it was devoured by the hungry brothers with the graetest relish. Many thanks to Sister Dickey and may she and others of our friends remember us often in a similar way.

Greencastle, Ind., February 3, 1908.

Indiana Beta—University of Indiana.

Frank T. Hindman, Correspondent.

Our chapter began the winter term without losing any of our fall term men, and with two old men of last year returned. These are Bro. Everett Smith, who was compelled to be out of college last term on account of the death of his father, and Bro. Harry Reddick, who was teaching during the fall. This raised our active member-

ship to twenty-two men. On January 24 we initiated and placed the shield on Bro. George Otis Rafert of Indianapolis, whom we introduce to the fraternity at large. Bro. Rafert is a member of the University glee club and otherwise prominent in college affairs. Bro. Williams has been compelled to return to his home in Indianapolis on account of trouble with his eyes, but hopes to be with us again in the spring term.

The exercises at the university on January 20 and 21 in connection with Foundation Day, the dedication of Science Hall, and the inauguration of President William Lowe Bryan passed off smoothly and successfully. Delegates and visitors from the leading colleges of the country were present. The principal address at the inauguration was by Pres. Faunce of Brown University, after which Dr. Bryan was installed by Chief Justice Hadley of the Indiana Supreme Court. The new Science Hall is a magnificent stone building of five stories and will fulfill for a time the rapidly increasing needs of the university for more room.

On Monday, January 19, was presented the annual "Student Play," which this year was "Much Ado About Nothing." Bro. Pfaff played the part of Borachio. This was his first appearance here in a play and he clearly demonstrated his dramatic ability. Bro. Pfaff made a decided hit with his readings at the glee club concert January 30.

On the evening of January 20 we gave an enjoyable dance at our chapter house, which was one of the foremost social events of the year. We had as guests Bro. W. W. Spangler, Ind. Beta '80, and his wife who are making a sojourn in Bloomington. Bros. Crim of Salem and Beck of Bloomington, both of whom graduated last year, were present. Bro. C. J. Scott of Pa. Beta has been in the city on business for a couple of weeks and has been with us quite often. We have become more closely acquainted with Pa. Beta through Bro. Scott and have enjoyed his visit extremely.

Indiana University is taking more interest in basketball this year than ever before, and our team has made a very creditable showing thus far. Bro. Cookson easily made the 'Varsity and is playing forward. The team played at Lafayette January 30 and Bro. Cookson reports an enjoyable visit with the Ind. Delta brothers.

We are preparing to observe February 19 in a fitting manner, also the anniversary of the founding of our chapter, which took place May 15, 1869. I think that at the present time Phi Psi at Indiana is stronger than ever before. The brothers are always together at games, etc., or in the class room, and there is a certain "clannishness" which more than anything else, almost, makes a fraternity stronger with outsiders and makes them wish they were a part of it. It is a good thing to cultivate.

Before closing I wish to say a word about visitors. There is nothing, almost, that a chapter enjoys more than a visit from its alumni or from those of other chapters. It helps undergraduates very much to understand the national side of the fraternity, and gets them away from the idea of a fraternity as a college club, which is so detrimental to a chapter. Lately there have been in Bloomington several Phi Psis whom we did not know were here, or else were ignorant that they were Phi Psis until they had gone. Whenever we know of a Phi Psi being in the city we hunt him up, but we don't want you to wait to be hunted. We want you to come to the house at once, make yourself known, and make us your headquarters while in Bloomington.

Phi Kappa Psi House, 322 E. Kirkwood, Bloomington, Ind., Feb. 2.

Indiana Delta—Purdue University.

Arthur R. Bradley, Correspondent.

The first semester has just closed at Purdue and it is safe to say that it has been one of the most prosperous in the history of the institution.

Our number has been increased by the return of Bro. Niles who has been engaged in engineering work in Jeannette, Pa., since September. This now gives us a total of twenty-four in the chapter.

Purdue has been making rapid strides in basketball the past two years and is now considered to have one of the strongest teams in this part of the country. So far this season every game played has been won by the home team. The last victory was over Indiana University, in which Bro. Cookson played a fast game for Indiana.

The fraternities here are trying to co-operate more this year than ever before, the latest development being a Pan-hellenic council made up of two upper classmen from each fraternity. The object

of the organization is for mutual help in college affairs. So far the movement has proven very successful.

One of the most enjoyable occasions of the past month was that of an informal dinner given at the chapter house on the 17th of January. Bros. Alford and Kern of our alumni were with us and helped to make the event most interesting with talks on our favorite topic—our new chapter house.

Bro. Dietz stopped with us for a short visit the past week. He was on his way to New York City where he has been offered an excellent position with the Northwestern Telephone Co. Another of our recent guests was Bro. Berger, Mich. Alpha, who gave us a very pleasant call while here in the interests of the "Sign of the Cross" company.

Bro. Ben Waldenmaier, who for the past two years has been an instructor in the mechanics department, has left us to take a position with the Westinghouse Church Kerr Co. of New York City. He has our best wishes for success in his new work.

Phi Kappa Psi House, Lafayette, Ind., February 2, 1903.

Illinois Alpha—Northwestern University.

Frank R. Newman, Correspondent.

We are now in the midst of the mid-year examinations. Accordingly there is nothing doing around college except studying and exams., and during the last month we have been very successful in pledging Mr. Louis Walker and Mr. Guano Burt, both of whom will be in college next year.

Last Friday the active chapter and resident alumni were very agreeably entertained at the home of Bro. Ferry, wher we enjoyed ourselves in card playing and singing frat. songs, after which we had a nice feed.

Bro. Brooks of Ohio Alpha visited the chapter last month, but we regret that his stay was very short.

Bro. Rogers, while practicing for the track team, fell and sustained a fracture of the jaw. He was confined to the hospital for a few days, but is now out and will soon be able to leave off his plaster cast.

Bro. Robertson has decided to remove his smiling countenance and will room with Bro. Page of Ill. Beta at 1815 Indiana avenue.

Very soon our junior prom. will come around and all are looking forward to it with great pleasure.

Recently we had the pleasure of a visit from Bro. Swift of Illinois Beta, who caught us in the midst of our exams.

We beg to excuse in the name of the chapter Bro. Rogers for seeming to extol too highly his football achievements. The letters which he appeared to write were written by some one else when Bro. Rogers was practicing football.

Bro. Kimball was recently appointed editor-in-chief of the 1903 Syllabus Board. The Syllabus is our 1903 year book and the position of editor-in-chief is a great honor for the one receiving it besides being one which requires no small ability.

1946 Orrington avenue, Evanston, Ill., February 1, 1903.

Illinois Beta—University of Chicago.

Edward G. Woods, Correspondent.

Founders' Day is rapidly approaching and on that festival Illinois Beta will again drink to the health of her sister chapters and wish them years of prosperity. For herself this chapter hopes and expects to have more than one reason for a joyous celebration.

The faculty of Chicago is contemplating the emancipation of fraternities. Since the first Greek letter society entered the university until the present day, they have been restricted; they have not been allowed to pledge, rush or initiate any person not having three major's credit. To chapters which have never labored under any such rules they will not appear particularly hard, but those that have will join us in our rejoicings and congratulate us on our anticipated freedom. For those restrictions have kept us always a year behind the other chapters of Phi Kappa Psi and have been the cause of several "dressings down" from the secretary and other officers of the E. E.

Another man, "Billy" Thomas, is wearing the proper pledge button

around the campus. This makes the tenth man that we have "spiked." Next year we will "bunch" the announcements.

Bro. Knight of Indianapolis took a glass of water with us on the 4th of this month. He drank hurriedly as he could only spare us a few moments. We hope that some day we will have another opportunity to entertain him and that, should the chance arrive, he will have more time.

Chicago, Ill., February 5, 1903.

Michigan Alpha—University of Michigan.

Karl H. Pratt, Correspondent.

The last vacation of the first semester is past, and we of Michigan Alpha have at length wearied of telling of the good times we had "at home." During the Christmas holidays the house was closed, save for a short time when the carpenters were getting in the last of their work. Luckily they did not require a warm house to work in; for as it is our coal supply is so small that there are doubts about its lasting through junior hop, and Bro. Morsman has been able to find but one ton of coal in town. Unless summer comes quickly, we are liable to be frozen out of college.

At the present time examinations are but three days off, and consequently our light bills are running up rapidly. None of the brothers feel themselves so perfect in their studies that they can go to the finals without additional study. Bro. Offield is responsible for a rather novel examination scheme. He proposes to send some one up a tree near the law building with numerous law books. Then Jim is to take a pair of opera glasses to the examination with him and read off the answers to the questions at his leisure. He is now perfecting a system of signals by which he can communicate with the man up the tree.

The most pleasing feature of examinations is their end; for by closing on Thursday, February 5, the next day is left open for the junior hop. As is annually the case, we are assured that this year's hop is to be the best ever given. There will be no dancing while the sun is gradually creeping in the windows of the gymnasium, as the Regents have said that the music must stop at 2:30 a. m. and all lights must be out at 3:00 a. m. Consequently, Bro. Offield, as chairman of the reception committee, will start the grand march at 9:00 o'clock Friday night, at least two hours earlier than in former years. We are to have an unusually large crowd as at least five or six of our alumni and fourteen or fifteen of the active chapter are going to take part in the affair.

In spite of our arduous studies this week, we have found time to get in some good rushing. As a result, we have placed a button on Mr. Benjamin Boyce of Chicago. He enters the university next semester. This addition will raise our total active membership to twenty-three.

During the past month the chapter received an invitation to attend the wedding of Bro. C. F. Drake. The wedding is to take place in Chicago, February 14, and the bride to be is Miss Imogene Lyal Higgle of that city. The chapter extends hearty congratulations to Bro. Drake. Bro. Lester Childs also sent us an announcement—not of marriage, but of the fact that he has opened a law office at Room 411, 145 LaSalle street, Chicago. Bro. Rider dropped in on us unexpectedly tonight, and Bro. Effinger, who is keeping house this year with his mother, has been up several times this month. Bob's visits used to be a matter of course rather than a matter of comment. But since he has the responsibility of a home upon his hands, we do not see him as often as when he used to live with Bro. Prentiss. In speaking of Bro. Prentiss, we might say that the youngest pledged man is getting along finely.

Phi Kappa Psi House, Ann Arbor, Mich., January 27, 1903.

Wisconsin Alpha—University of Wisconsin.

Perry S. Johnson, Correspondent.

At the opening of the new year all the brothers returned from their pleasantly spent holidays, ready to again take part in the life of the university. During the vacation some repairs were made on the house, and unfortunately it was not ready for occupancy on the return of the brothers. After a week's time the improvements were

completed and the chapter resumed its comfortable life in the old home.

Since our last letter we have had visits from Bros. G. W. Ripley '03, B. Palmer '02, and W. C. Bergstrom '01. Bro. Bergstrom is engaged in the lumber business at Priest River, Idaho.

Bro. Lynn Tracey spent the holidays at his home in Madison, and we were thus enabled to have him with us at this time.

Among others whom we have entertained at the chapter house should be mentioned Bro. H. Warrum, Ind. Alpha, of Indianapolis. Bro. Warrum lectured on Robert Burns. Bro. Robert J. Burdette also lectured in the city. His subject was "Rainbow Chasers."

The interest in college athletics has fallen to rather a low ebb at this season. However, the track team is in training and promises to be a credit to the Varsity. The crews have also begun practice. Over a hundred men made application for positions on the freshman crew, so there is no lack of material. Great interest is taken by the students in an ice fete which is being conducted by the Woman's League of the University. The chapter is organizing a hockey team which will compete in a tournament with other fraternities.

On January 18 the chapter was pleasantly entertained at cards by Mrs. Prof. Rosenstengel.

The brothers are now looking forward to the junior prom, which occurs on February 13. This is the greatest society event of the year. Bro. Hangen is our representative on the prom. committee. Arrangements have been made for the annual house party during prom. week and we hope to have many of our alumni with us at that time. We will give a full account of the program carried out in our next letter.

The anniversary of the chapter's founding on January 16 was celebrated by a banquet at the house. Each one of the freshmen distinguished himself as an artist in comic opera. This has become an annual affair and affords an opportunity for our alumni to meet the younger members and talk over the "good old days."

Another national fraternity has entered the University of Wisconsin. The local fraternity, Phi Phi Phi, has been absorbed by Sigma Alpha Epsilon. The installation took place during the holidays. Phi Kappa Psi House, Madison, Wis., January 20, 1903.

Wisconsin Gamma—Beloit College.

Frank Thomas, Correspondent.

Outside of study, there is not much doing at Beloit just at present. Semester examinations are bearing down upon us, and everybody is busy.

At the last frat. meeting officers were elected for the ensuing half year. Bro. Wm. Rippin will head the chapter and Bro. Don Slater will manage the finances.

The house committee has fitted up one of the rooms to be used exclusively for card playing, smcking and frat. meetings. We are planning to hold a cinch tournament soon, and this room already vies in popularity with the billiard room. Visiting brothers will find it open day and night and always full of Phi Psis.

Several of the alumni and active men expect to attend the D. C. at Iowa City in April.

The members of this chapter have received invitations to a party to be given by Wisconsin Alpha to Phi Psi active men and alumni.

Bros. Pederson, Palmer and Bergstrom, Wis. Alpha, of Janesville, and Bros. Jeffries, Wis. Gamma, of Janesville, and Van Wart, Wis. Gamma, of Beloit, called at the house Sunday, Feb. 1.

Beloit, Wis., February 2, 1903.

Minnesota Beta—University of Minnesota.

Rene T. Hugo, Correspondent.

Examinations are "over" and in most of our cases we can say "passed" and the anxiety of waiting for yellow slips ends today. The very small number of these "yellow boys" to be seen around the Phi Psi house shows that all the brothers are at least doing passable work. And now that it is over for the present we are looking forward to our big social event of the year, our annual ball. The date set is February 11, the eve. of Lincoln's birthday. We have sent out invitations to all of our alumni, but if any fail to get them we hope that

they will take this notice as a very sincere invitation for them to be present.

Since our last letter went in we have pledged Charles Lusk, a younger brother of Bro. F. H. Lusk, Minn. Beta '98. We are rushing a couple of other fellows whom we expect to have pledged soon.

The big event in college circles, the junior ball, comes off tonight, and will undoubtedly be a great success. It is a great undertaking, this party on which over a thousand dollars is spent, but under the skillful direction of Bro. Paul Brooks, as president of the junior ball association, there is money enough on hand already to clear all expenses. Were this not true the fact that Bro. Brooks leaves tomorrow morning for an extended European tour might be looked upon with suspicion, but we have made careful inquiry into the number of trunks and grips he will be forced to carry and any extras will be immediately seized. We hope Bro. Brooks will have the pleasure of meeting some of our more eastern brothers on his trip.

The lack of coal has made it necessary for several of the fraternities here to close up their houses, but Phi Psi has been burning hard coal, real anthracite, nearly all winter and we are in no immediate danger of freezing either.

In closing we extend our fraternal greetings to all our sister chapters.

Minneapolis, Minn., January 29, 1903.

Iowa Alpha—University of Iowa.

A. K. Hess, Correspondent.

We take pleasure in announcing the initiation of Bro. Guy A. Drake. The wedding of Miss Clara Heuck to Bro. A. W. Hamann occurred December 28. Bro. Hamann is the youngest member of the Iowa legislature and has served with distinction in that body. Both were residents of Davenport, Iowa, where they now reside.

Next Friday night is the sophomore cotillion. Bro. Guy Drake is a member of the committee.

The District Council of the Fifth District is to hold its meeting this year in Iowa City on April 15 and 16. Iowa Alpha is already making preparations for its entertainment and hopes for a large attendance from all the chapters.

During the Christmas vacation Bros. Mulock and Tobin visited with Bro. Roy Mason at his home in Albia, Iowa. Bros. Ralph T. and Ben A. Mason also visited at home. The former is now a ranch proprietor at Laramie, Wyoming, and the latter is a lawyer in Beloit, Kansas.

The end of the first semester is near at hand and the brothers are all working very consistently in preparation for the exams.

Bro. Joseph A. Frailey has accepted a position as claim attorney for the Atchison, Topeka and Santa Fe R. R. and has an office at Kansas City, Mo.

Bro. J. W. Kindall has entered upon his duties as justice of the peace of Onawa, Iowa.

Bro. John A. Hull, Judge Advocate with rank of major in the U. S. Army, is now stationed at Omaha, Neb., and has an office in the old postoffice building.

Bro. Zel Hutchinson is now looking after lumber interests at Stillwater, Minnesota.

Iowa City, Iowa, January 29, 1903.

Kansas Alpha—University of Kansas.

Sydney S. Linscott, Correspondent.

The active chapter and lady friends were entertained with an elaborate dinner at the home of Miss Cockins, sister of our own Bro. Billy, on the night of December 16 last. The brothers certainly did justice to the many good things put before them. After the eight course dinner, the remainder of the evening was spent in "parlor stunts." The Phi Psi song was "executed" by all with more zeal than harmony.

When the brothers returned after the holidays they brought many articles which helped to make the home of Kansas Alpha more cheerful and attractive. We were especially glad to receive two stat-

ettes and divers other presents and donations from Bro. Kinne, especially the tobacco jar together with a liberal supply of contents for the same.

Fred Rea of Hiawatha, was pledged to Kansas Alpha soon after our return. We feel sure he will be a valuable addition to the fraternity.

On the evening of January 24 we gave an informal dance in the chapter house, in honor of Bros. "Tub" Hife of Kansas City Alpha, "Buck" Hayden of Topeka, Joe Dyer, of Kansas City, Mo. Bro. Hife is now superintendent of Poor Man's mine, at Boulder, Colorado. Bro "Buck" Hayden is gaining fame if not fortune on the Topeka Daily Capital. Bro. Joe Dyer is taking dentistry at the Kansas City Dental College.

Bro. Isaacson returned from California, where he has been for the past year, and will resume his work in the Civil Engineering school next semester. We were very much surprised and gratified to see him drift back with the intention of lingering a few years in our midst. We were sorry, however, to lose Bro. Hazen, who left school to accept a position in Kansas City, Kansas. We hope to see much of him as he is located near Lawrence.

Thanks to the generosity of Bro. Merrill of Paola, we now have a mascot; a bull terrier commonly called Kim. He is a wonder, improving every day; has warmed up to the lads and becomes a trifle too familiar, having torn up a few books and countless hats. Kim is the coming champion of Lawrence bull dogs and bears the ear marks of a good Phi Psi.

Rufus Tiwitt of Eskridge, Kansas, has just donned the pink and lavender. He will register at the university tomorrow, and we feel that we have added one more good man to the roll of membership.

Our table is now running full blast, and we find it much more enjoyable and satisfactory to eat at the house. Bro. and Mrs. Dunlap and Bro. and Mrs. Hodder of the faculty were guests at the first Sunday dinner in the house, making the chapter a very pleasant visit in the afternoon. We will have our "fratres in facultate et urbe" in to dinner often, and hope to be permitted to extend our hospitalities to any wandering or visiting Phi Psi.

Lawrence, Kansas, February 3, 1903.

Nebraska Alpha—University of Nebraska.

P. F. Bross, Correspondent.

As this letter is being written, the brothers are finishing their work for the first semester and are looking forward to Saturday, February 7. On that evening will occur our second semester initiation and our four pledged men will be taken in. As the men will be initiated before the February "Shield" is published, we take pleasure in introducing to our alumni and to the fraternity at large, Donald McLennan, of Lincoln; Alexander Hitchman, of Weeping Water; Burdette Lewis, of Omaha; Louis Folts, of Lincoln.

On the evening of December 13 Nebraska Alpha held an informal house party which all reported as a success. The alumni present from out of town were Bros. Powell, Crandall, Manchester and Jaynes.

When we returned to school after the Christmas holidays we were sorry to learn that Bro. Morehouse would not be back. He was offered a good business position in Omaha and decided to accept it. We are all sorry that Bro. Morehouse could not be with the chapter longer, but he has the true Phi Psi spirit and wherever he is, we feel sure, he will always work for Phi Psi.

At a meeting of the athletic board Bro. Jno. Morrison was elected assistant football manager for next year. This comes as a reward to Bro. Morrison's ability and to Phi Psi's honesty in fraternity life.

A fraternity bowling league has been organized and so far the Phi Psi team has not lost a game. Bros. Christie, Shimer, Scribner and Reed have defeated the teams of Phi Delta Theta, Sigma Chi, Delta Upsilon and Alpha Theta, local.

On the evening of Saturday, January 24, it was the privilege of a number of brothers to meet Bro. Chas. P. Richardson, an alumni of Michigan Alpha. Bro. Richardson is at present located at New-some, Idaho. Although he has been away from chapter life for some time, Bro. Richardson has kept in touch with the fraternity and has visited a number of the chapters.

Lincoln, Nebraska, February 1, 1903.

*California Beta—Stanford University.**Doxey R. Wilson, Correspondent.*

The second semester at Stanford opened last month under most favorable and auspicious conditions, and equally well did California Beta, although we did lose two men.

During the holidays many improvements on and about the house were made. We furnished our hall in old Dutch furniture, and also put a handball court, chest weights and punching bags on the third floor. These improvements put us in such a position that it will be no trouble at all to get the best men who come to Stanford. We have already placed the pledge on two men who will make prize Phi Psis, and expect it to be honored by others within another week.

Bro. Wigle graduated in economics in January and leaves shortly for Cleveland, Ohio, to take a position there.

Bro. Frank Von Tesmar of Ill. Beta spent several days with us last week. While he was here Bros. Adams, Bagg and Campbell came down from Berkeley with several preps. We entertained at an all-night smoker.

Cal. Beta boasts of one of the best baseball teams on the campus this year. Last Saturday we played Belmont prep. school. They treated us great by giving a big feed and dance. We have dates for five games during the season, and hope to make a record. Our outlook for the track is splendid. We look for great results from Bro. Lucas.

The dedication of the Stanford Memorial Church took place last Sunday with great ceremony. It is one of the most beautiful structures of its size in the United States. Bro. Young was one of the ushers on this occasion.

The cornerstone of the new gymnasium, which is to cost in the neighborhood of \$1,000,000, was laid a few weeks ago.

We are making great preparations for the celebration of Founders' Day. We will give a big dinner, after which there will be a cotillion. Last year this was the most successful event given in college, and we hope to make it so again this year.

Palo Alto, California, January 28, 1903.

*California Gamma—University of California.**Geo. F. Beard, Correspondent.*

College has again commenced after Christmas holidays, during which time the boys were scattered to all parts of the state.

The entering class at Christmas is rather small, but we have initiated two fine fellows whom we wish to introduce to the fraternity, Bros. Reuben Morton and Will Burney. Bro. Burney is the son of Bro. Burney, Kan. Alpha '81, and is the second one of Bro. Burney's offerings to the shrine of Cal. Gamma. All of the old members passed safely through the trial of examinations, so that the chapter is now in a splendid condition.

Visits from brothers of other chapters always make a bright day for us, and we have been more than pleased at the number who have dropped in on us since college opened. Bro. Bushnell, Wis. Gamma, spent an evening with us and has promised to make more than a party call on his return from the southern part of the state. Bro. Frank Von Tesmar, Ill. Beta, was another welcome visitor.

We have just learned that there are a few Phi Psis stationed at the military post at the Presidio in San Francisco, and they will be over to see us in the near future.

Some of our alumni have been visiting us and they find it hard work to leave again. Bro. Davidson '02 is spending a week's vacation with us. He has a position in the erection of a large power plant in Northern California. Bro. Campbell spent a week with us before returning to the hard graft in Arizona. Bro. Dickerman has gone to Spokane and is visiting Bro. Phil Jones.

Track athletics and baseball are the college sports of this term, and Bro. Will Adams will again play shortstop on the 'Varsity baseball team. Bro. Bagg is out for practice and we expect good playing from him. The season is too early to predict but we hope that our rival, Stanford, will be snowed under in both the field day and the baseball series.

Berkeley, California, January 26, 1903.

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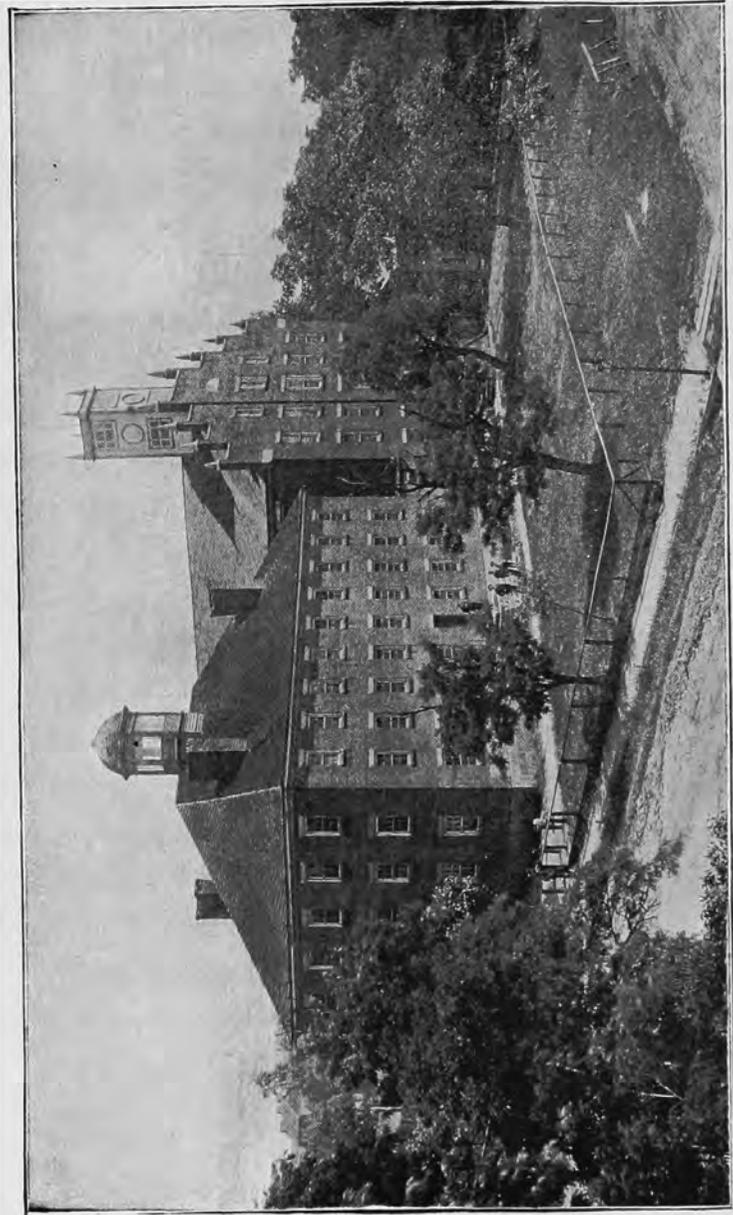
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JEFFERSON COLLEGE—THE BIRTHPLACE OF PHI KAPPA PSI.

Canonsburg May 15 1853

Friend Charley, How swiftly glides
the time by, it had if I mistake not been
four weeks this (Monday morn. I did not
do any writing except dating) morning,
since you left the old Town of C-
and all of your true friends that love
him in Hill Charley, I cant imagine
why I dont receive a letter from
you I intend giving you my op-
inion about things I am oppos-
ed to writing the associations
and if there is any chance
of founding a division I would
much rather write me by return
mail & give me your sentiments
in full.

1. I have so
many things to say, but you
are not here I feel lost, and
almost ask where is Charley?
but that cannot be. I will write
you to Philadelphia to study
Medicine by the first of next
October where I shall remain
Dro volente for three years.
Write soon very soon

I am at ever

Your obedt Servt
Miller W. Lethbrun,

To

Charles P. J. Moore

Duron College

THE HISTORY OF PHI KAPPA PSI.

CHAPTER ONE.

THE GENESIS OF AN IDEA.

 ON the 19th of February, 1852, in the upper room of the house occupied by the Widow Letherman, Canonsburg, Pa., Phi Kappa Psi was born. The incident seems but a trifle, but the thought prompting the action has evolved into a great truth, shared by eight thousand noble men in the brief period of half a century.

William Letherman,* with his intimate friend, Charles Moore, had talked over the wisdom of establishing at Jefferson College a new college secret order of higher character and with loftier aims than those then existing in the college. They had each been solicited to unite themselves with the chapters of other fraternities then in existence at Jefferson, but the character of the men who composed these chapters was not of the kind that they desired to emulate, and so, inspired with the thought that they might be the founders of a new order of the very highest sort, they asked several friends to come to Letherman's room to join them in this noble work. Of those invited none came but Moore, and so in dignity these two lofty spirits launched Phi Kappa Psi upon the uncertain sea of college life.

* This is the original spelling of the name.

thers were found present: Davidson, Estill, Hale, Massie, Payne, and Shearer. Minutes of preceding meeting were read and approved. No communications. War! war!! war!!!

“Farewell addresses were made by Bros. Estill, Hale, Payne, and Shearer, which were offered and received with great feeling. It was stated that there were four or five Phi Psis in the Richmond Howitzers, seven or eight in the Rockbridge Dragoons, besides a great many others in different companies. The question arose whether, if we should meet a Phi Psi in an opposing army, we should raise our hand against him. It was decided that we should not, but if he were captured, to take the best care possible of him.

“Whereupon the present minutes were read and approved, and the fraternity adjourned in Phi Kappa Psi, *sine die*.

(Signed) “R. B. SHEARER,
“E. B. MASSIE.”

The brave, generous lad who presided that memorable night and whose name appears first in signature to these minutes, so beautifully expressive of the sound faith he held of true brotherhood, fell at the head of his company at Monocacy, leading a charge.

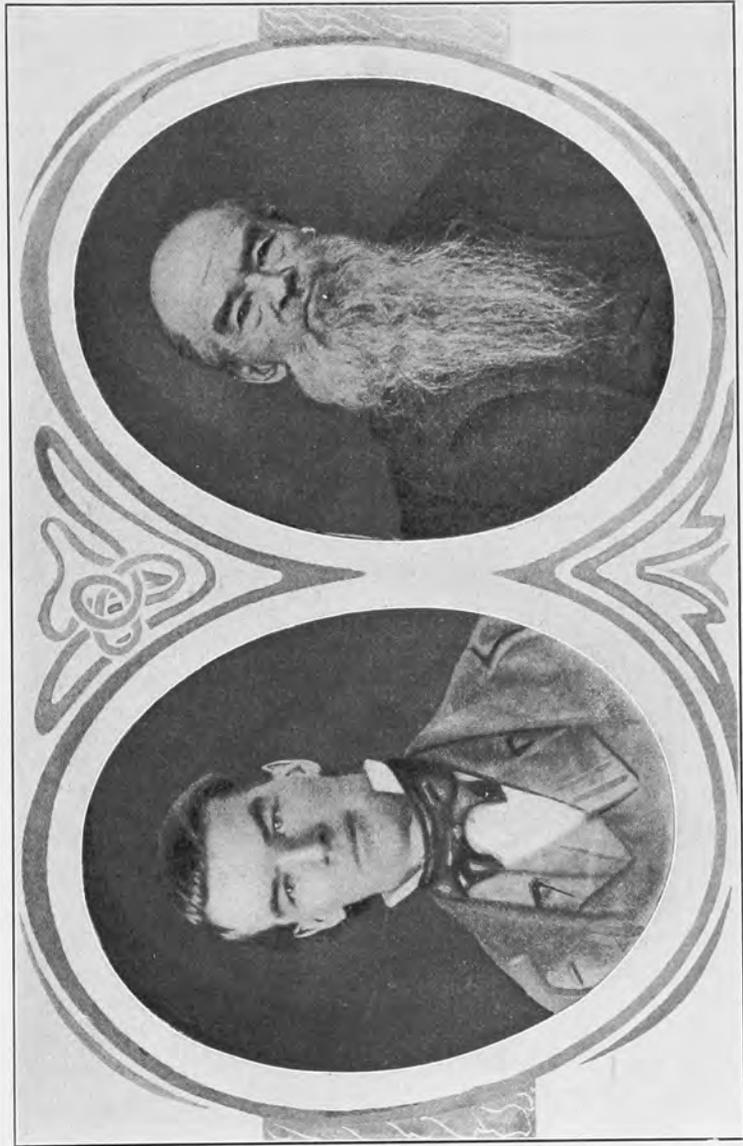
CHAPTER THREE.

GRAND CHAPTERS.

THE persistence with which an indefensible, irresponsible, and entirely ineffective form of government held a place in Phi Psi economy is a fine tribute to its stability and conservatism. That any one should ever have thought that a government which put into power during successive trienniums an entirely new and inexperienced body to rule similar and co-equal bodies, seems to the present generation of Phi Psis impossible, but Phi Kappa Psi lived through such a government for thirty-four years of its fifty, and prospered in spite of its inconsistencies and absurdities.

Naturally the first Grand Chapter, as it was called, was with Pennsylvania Alpha. The first complete form of government provided for an administrative body with some degree of legislative function, and this was called the Grand Chapter. The Grand Chapter was nothing other than a body of college boys, comprising a so-called subordinate chapter, lifted for the brief term of its authority into a position of general supervision and law-making power over other bodies of youth equally inexperienced, who naturally had little respect for Grand Chapters so constituted, obeying edicts or not, just as sweet fancy dictated.

The more one studies our history, particularly that part of it which is concerned with matters of government, the deeper grows the feeling that the same Providence which is said to watch over children and fools must have had tender regard for Phi Kappa Psi through all the vicissitudes of its career with governmental experiments. Attention has been



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PHI PSI'S APOLLOS.

a thing of the present at all. Circumstances compelled even so enthusiastic and talented a Phi Psi as he to surrender to the present hands the labors of the long years and loyal hearts of List, Kinkade, Niles, and Lockwood. A pair of Phi Psi striplings essayed a beautiful labor for their fraternity; a white-headed, middle-aged man has plodded over the way to the end.

Have you, dear Phi Psi brother, read the tale with joy? have you lived upon the streets of the quaint mountain town with Campbell and Keady, and Dodd and Niccolls? have you gone down into the maelstrom of civil conflict with that noble Virginia Alpha band of Phi Psi patriots who wore the gray? have you wearily climbed the slow ascent of reorganization after the war, with the devoted heroes who rebuilt the shattered structure of our fraternity life? have you tingled with shame for the poor fellows who, in Cornell and Wisconsin, proved how false a man could be and yet wear the garb of a gentleman? have you walked through the tangled ways of resuscitated fraternity life with Wilson, Dun, McCorkle, Holden, and Monnette? have you wept in spirit over the pathetic stories of Mississippi Beta and Missouri Alpha? have you rejoiced at all the signs of promise which make the sky of Phi Kappa Psi bright with present glory? If this has been your experience, then reverently thank God for fraternity life, and give with vigor the stirring rallying-call of our dear old Phi Kappa Psi:

High! high! high!
Phi Kappa Psi!
Live ever! Die never!
Phi Kappa Psi!

OPINIONS OF PROMINENT PHI KAPPA PSIS.

It has these points of excellence :

1. It is authentic, its statements being founded upon contemporaneous documents.

2. It is interesting. **Frank Bray**, editor of the *Chautauquan*, says: "I read every word of it, and it is a long time since I have read anything which affected me as this book did."

Prof. A. E. Dolbear, the famous physicist, says: "I have read nearly the whole of it with affectional interest, and felt at the time as if I ought to send to you my personal thanks for undertaking such a task. . . . If I were young again, I'd put more zeal and activity into the society, for it pays in ways I never thought of forty years ago."

3. It is an invaluable compendium of Phi Psi matter. **J. M. De Camp** says: "It has a wealth of information and must rekindle the old fires on many smoldering altars."

4. It is written in no narrow spirit. **Thos. H. Johnson**, one of the "Old Boys," says: "Your history has broadened the field and made me proud of the whole fraternity."

5. It is designed for enlargement of fraternity conceptions. **Geo. Lockwood** says: "It is a splendid piece of work, of the most intense interest throughout. It has stirred my fraternity interest to the very depths and given me a better understanding of what Phi Kappa Psi stands for."

6. It is far and away the finest purely fraternity history ever published.

For the above reasons, it ought to be widely circulated and carefully read. The active members have, by especial arrangement of the Executive Council, been put into possession of copies, but comparatively few alumni have as yet secured it.



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Frank Harshaw, Jr., Ind. Delta '02, is in Germany, whither he went in January. From 3 B. Wilhelm street, Berlin, he sends fraternal greetings.

The poem by Dr. A. E. Schell, Illinois Alpha, printed in this issue of "The Shield," has been commented on by the most authoritative literary critics as a production of the most unusual merit.

Bro. A. A. Ayers, formerly of Elkhart, Ind., is now at Cleveland, Ohio, his address being 56 Windermere street. "The Shield," he writes, "is worthy of the fraternity, than which no higher praise could be uttered."

Ernest Merritt, N. Y. Alpha '86, has recently been promoted from assistant professor of physics in Cornell University to a full professorship in the same department. It was for a Hall of Physics for this department that Mr. Rockefeller recently gave \$250,000.

The Seattle Alumni Association celebrated Founders' Day on the evening of February 19 in royal style, and Bro. Horace T. Wilson, one of the active spirits of the organization, sent a list of half a dozen new "Shield" subscribers as a result of missionary efforts put forth on that occasion.

President Edmund J. James, Ill. Alpha, of Northwestern University, is chairman of the committee on arrangements having in hand an elaborate celebration of the two hundredth anniversary of John Wesley, to be held in Chicago in May. All Methodist educational institutions have joined in the movement.

On Saturday evening, February 21, Miss Marguerite Cornell Dickson was married to E. A. Lowther, N. Y. Beta '02. The ceremony took place at the home of the bride, 260 Stuyvesant Ave., Brooklyn, N. Y. Bro. Lowther is instructor in Latin and German at the Barnard School for Boys, New York City.

Bro. G. Livingston Bayard, who was recently appointed a chaplain in the United States Navy, has been assigned to the European Station, with headquarters on the U. S. S. "Chicago." He sailed on the St. Paul on February 24. "At home or abroad, in peace or in war," writes this loyal Phi Psi, "I must have 'The Shield.'"

Dr. John Marshall and Vice-Provost Edgar F. Smith, of the University of Pennsylvania, both Phi Psis, are two of the three faculty members of the society of the Latin students of America recently formed by Spanish speaking students from Central and South America and the West Indies at the University of Pennsylvania.

A brother writes that he does not remember having seen anything in "The Shield" about a little book by Bro. James F. Oates, Ill. Alpha '93, secretary of the Chicago Central Branch, Y. M. C. A. It is a study of "The Religious Condition of Young Men," 77 pp., published in 1901, and contains some original statistics and reports of facts on that subject.

Theta Delta Chi seems to have entered mildly upon a policy of expansion, and is following the example of Phi Kappa Psi in entering institutions on the Pacific coast. A chapter at the University of California was recently established, and at the recent annual convention of the fraternity at Boston, Leland Stanford University was recommended to the chapters for favorable consideration.

Bro. Frank M. Colby, N. Y. Alpha '86, formerly professor of economics in New York University, and for several years editor-in-chief of the "International Year Book," is one of the three head editors of the New International Encyclopedia which is now being published. Prof. W. B. Trent, Va. Alpha '84, of Columbia, Prof. Archibald Church, Wis. Alpha '84, of Northwestern University, and Rev. Dr. F. D. Powers, Va. Delta '72, of Washington, D. C., are among the other Phi Psi contributors.

G. W. Stewart, an instructor in the department of Physics at Cornell, writes under date of February 26: "The Phi Psi house is almost deserted here on account of the typhoid fever epidemic, only two or three of the boys being left. I hear that two of those who have gone home are ill, but I trust they will come out all

right. At present the epidemic seems to be a great blow to the university, but if we advertise the facts next summer we can at least partially recover." Bro. Stewart contributed an article to the December number of the *Physikalische Zeitschrift*.

At the banquet of the Washington alumni on February 20 Melville D. Hensey, D. C. Alpha, sang a Phi Psi song of which he was the composer. The Washington Alumni Association has held more successful dinners during the past winter than any other association. Bro. Middleton thinks that Secretary Monnette should have mentioned the Washington A. A. as being among the most active of the alumni organizations. "If he will come down to one of our monthly dinners," writes Bro. Middleton, "we will show him a thing or two that a dead one can do."

Fred H. Fitch has recently been made president of the Electrical Installation Company, engineers and contractors giving special attention to electrical railway construction and equipment, with offices in the Monadnock building, Chicago. Bro. Fitch has had a very successful career in electric railway construction and management. He built and managed the first successful inter-urban line in the country, that connecting Joplin, Mo., and neighboring towns. At various times he has held responsible positions with the electric railway systems of Chicago, Kansas City and Indianapolis. He is, withal, a loyal Phi Psi.

The cosmopolitan character of the Phi Psi population in New York City is shown by a summary presented in the attractive directory of the New York Alumni Association, issued by a committee composed of Dr. R. T. Bang, William C. Morrill and Walter A. Dyer. Of the 288 alumni in the metropolis, 60 are from Pennsylvania chapters and 136 from New York. Other states are represented as follows: New Hampshire, 2; Massachusetts, 11; Maryland, 7; Virginia, 16; West Virginia, 2; Ohio, 9; Indiana, 12; Illinois, 2; Michigan, 9; District of Columbia, 2; Wisconsin, 4; South Carolina, 3; Minnesota 1; Kansas, 4; Nebraska, 4; California, 3.

Bro. P. A. Shaffer, W. Va. Alpha, of Waverly, Mass., writes: "When I get a copy of 'The Shield,' I naturally look first for some news from my own chapter, and all too frequently find not a thing. Of course this is just a little disappointing. I suppose the boys, like the rest of us, are pretty busy, but if they knew how anxiously we look for news of the old chapter, I am sure the chapter would never be without a representation. We have enjoyable dinners of the Boston Alumni Association occasionally when we usually have some fellows from Massachusetts Alpha, New Hampshire Alpha and the Harvard Club. Altogether the New England Phi Psis are pretty full of life."

Letters of encouragement and commendation have recently been received by "The Shield" from Warren F. Rugg, N. H. Alpha '01, of 304 Hudson street, Albany, N. Y.; George A. Sagendorph,

Pa. Iota '99 manager and cashier of the Penn. Metal Ceiling and Roofing Company, of Boston, Mass.; Gus A. Wiedenmayer, one of the most loyal among Phi Psis, of Newark, N. J.; Henry P. Bailey, a prominent attorney of Minneapolis, with offices at 507 N. Y. Life Building; Rev. George F. Rosenmiller, Rector of St. Stephen's Church, McKeesport, Pa.; Aaron A. Culler, of Lucas, Ohio; Harry M. Lewis, of Tunkhannock, Pa., and Chas. C. More, of 222 Rochelle avenue, Philadelphia.

S. R. Zimmerman, archon of the First district, and one of the most efficient members of the executive council, institutes an interesting and valuable innovation by issuing, in neatly printed form, an "Archon's Annual Message." It reviews in general terms the state of the fraternity, and gives some attention to the condition of each of the nine chapters of the district. It contains a strong plea for the development of solidarity among the chapters and alumni associations of the district. Bro. Zimmerman urges the chapters to make certain their representation by letters each month in "The Shield." In every way this publication of Bro. Zimmerman's is timely and admirable.

Charles S. Powell, Ohio Delta '90, who has been associated with the Westinghouse electric interests since 1893, and who, for the last six years, has been manager of the Cleveland office of the Westinghouse Electric and Manufacturing Company, has changed the scene of his activities from the United States to Europe. He has been appointed assistant manager of the British Westinghouse Electric and Manufacturing Company, Limited, and has already entered upon the duties of his new position. Mr. Powell, who was one of the most popular men in the electrical business in the United States, is bound to be equally well liked in Great Britain. His headquarters are in the Westinghouse building, Norfolk street, Strand, London, W. C.

Bro. Will W. Lockwood, assistant secretary of the Y. M. C. A. at Omaha, Nebraska, has been chosen by the international committee of the Y. M. C. A. as an international secretary. He will have charge of the European work at Shanghai, the most important commercial center of the Orient. He will go to his new field of labor in the autumn, when Bro. Wilbur T. Helm, formerly of the Latin department at Princeton, will also go to China to undertake work among the literati. His brother, Verling W. Helm, is national secretary of the Y. M. C. A. in Japan. The declared policy of the international committee is to choose the strongest men for work at these strategic points and three of the most recently chosen international secretaries are Phi Psis.

Edwin R. March, of the Denver Alumni Association, spent some days recently in Chicago in the interests of the Phi Kappa Psi summer camp in the Rockies. The enterprise is going to be a great success, and every Phi Psi who intends to take a vacation this year should seize the opportunity to spend it in the midst of surroundings so beautiful and companionships so congenial.

Western brothers should remember that Denver is only thirty-six hours from Chicago, and that during the summer the fare for the round trip is but \$25.00. To spend a week or a month at Estes Park this summer will be the experience of a lifetime. Inquiries regarding this most commendable project should be addressed to Edward R. March, secretary Estes Park Country Club, 204 Colorado Building, Denver, Colorado.

Hon. H. H. Bingham, Pa. Alpha, "father of the House of Representatives," was tendered the chairmanship of the committee on appropriations, in many respects the most important House chairmanship by Speaker-to-be Cannon, but declined the honor. A special to the Philadelphia Inquirer says: "The General's reasons were based on sound common sense. The chairman of the committee, he said, has little time to devote to any other Congressional work than the details of the big appropriation bills. He cannot, if he is conscientious, give any satisfactory amount of time to the interests of the constituents of his home city. Philadelphia has many pressing needs and he believed he would be in better position to further the interests of his city and of his immediate constituents if he remained where he was and did not take upon his shoulders added responsibilities and duties. Mr. Cannon expressed his regret at General Bingham's decision, but was forced to admit that it was a wise one."

Archon Arthur W. Towne writes: "The matter of each chapter owning a safe deserves attention. Each chapter is custodian of a copy of the constitution, by-laws, ritual and rules and of the chapter seal, and owns its various chapter record books, notes, receipts and other valuable papers; and all of the archives should of course be kept in some place that is both secret and safe. A recent fire in one of our chapter houses, something that is liable to happen with any chapter at any time. shows how important it is that the chapter books and papers should be kept protected against such an emergency. During vacation periods most of the chapters deposit the more valuable of their archives in safety deposit vaults or intrust them to some one brother's care; but the better way would be for each chapter to own its own safe and then there would be no danger from fire or sneak thieves or anything else. Some chapters already own their own safes. Small ones can be bought cheap, and second hand ones will do the work as well as new ones; so there is no reason why every chapter should not take this precaution."

Rudolf Tombo, Jr., Registrar of Columbia University, a prominent member of Theta Delta Chi, contributes to "Science" for December an article on "University Registration Statistics", which contains some information of Phi Psi interest. Thirteen of Phi Kappa Psi's forty chapters are in the eighteen leading American universities. Of the five institutions at which Phi Kappa Psi is not represented, Princeton is not a fraternity field and Harvard and Yale offer well nigh insurmountable obstacles to

the development of the college fraternity system common in other institutions. The only institutions mentioned at which the fraternity is not represented which could be considered legitimate fields are the University of Illinois and the University of Missouri. At the University of Missouri there was once a chapter of Phi Kappa Psi which was, in fact, the pioneer among Greek letter societies at that institution. The total attendance at these eighteen institutions is as follows: California, 3,805; Chicago, 4,315; Columbia, 5,439; Cornell, 3,402; Harvard, 5,481; Illinois, 2,951; Indiana, 1,648; Johns Hopkins, 686; Leland Stanford, Jr., University, 1,493; Michigan, 3,764; Minnesota, 3,505; Missouri, 1,408; Nebraska, 2,289; Northwestern, 2,875; Pennsylvania, 2,578; Princeton, 1,377; Syracuse, 2,020; Wisconsin, 2,884; Yale, 2,884.

Bro. E. B. Mumford, Wis. Alpha, who is attending Johns Hopkins Medical School, Baltimore, hails from New Harmony, Ind., the scene of Robert Owen's socialistic and educational experiments early in the last century, and which may fairly be called, as Bro. Mumford says, "the most interesting and cultured village in the country. It is not surprising, in view of this fact, that it has a larger proportion of Phi Psis than any other community in the world. With the initiation of W. H. Thomas into Illinois Beta there are ten New Harmony Phi Psis, the village having a population of but 1,341, in other words, one Phi Psi for every 134.1 inhabitants. Bro. Mumford writes: "Look out for the Posey Kounty Alumni Association! The Phi Psis are W. E. Golden, professor of English in Brooklyn Polytechnic Institute; M. D. Owen, a Chicago attorney; F. W. Truscott, professor of Germanic languages at the University of West Virginia; Frank Hayden, a Cincinnati business man; R. D. Owen, banker; W. R. Owen, a broker at Denver, Colorado; E. B. Mumford; F. Stokes, a reporter on the New York News; F. Lichtenberger, merchant; W. H. Thomas, Chicago University." In speaking of the Baltimore Alumni Association Bro. Mumford says: "We have had two very successful dinners at the St. James Hotel this winter."



MY FLEET

[From The Outlook, October 4, 1902.]

My gallant bark sailed out at morn,
Out on the tide;
Fair blew the wind, serene the skies,
I laughed in pride.
The welcome waves like faithful friends
Rolled in its track;
The ship was Youth—I watched in vain
It came not back.

Still brave of heart a second craft
I sent to sea,
Wealth, friends and honor from afar
To bring to me.
A passing captain spoke it once,
Such is report;
Though signalled oft, my ship of Hope
Comes not to port.

Then, feeling deep, and anxious still
To do my best,
A loyal fleet with captains bold,
Sailed to the west.
The big four-masters, "Industry,"
"Economy,"
"Ambition," "Fame," they too were lost:
Alas for me!

But faith unmoved persuaded me
To try again,
And so the Ship of Love I sent
Across the main.
Quick the return and loaded deep
With charity:
Oh happy ship, fitted to bear
Life's argosy!

—*Edwin A. Schell, Illinois Alpha.*



"The Shield" will publish in each issue the names of those alumni who have paid their subscriptions to the fraternity journal since last publication. This will serve as a receipt to paid-up subscribers, and at the same time as a directory of "live" alumni. This custom was inaugurated at the beginning of Volume 21, and consultation of the various lists will show members of the active chapters and secretaries of alumni associations which of their members are and are not subscribers, and enable them to conduct an intelligent campaign for the increase of "The Shield" subscription list. Corrections of names and addresses as printed in these lists are invited, and any person having paid since last issue, whose name does not appear, should make immediate inquiry of "The Shield" office in order to receive proper credit.

The following named alumni have paid subscriptions to "The Shield" since last publication of the list in the February number, up to March 5th.

- Frank W. Stanton, Scranton, Pa., 23.
- J. E. Keene, Peoria, Ill., 23.
- M. C. VanGundy, 355 Oakland Ave., Pittsburg, Pa., 23.
- Dr. P. A. Shaffer, Waverly, Mass., 22, 23.
- Thomas Simmons, West Superior, Wis., to Jan., '03.
- Wilbert Ward, South Bend, Ind., 23.
- Warren F. Rugg, 304 Hudson Ave., Albany, N. Y., 23.
- Rev. H. T. Scudder, 194 Clinton St., Brooklyn, N. Y., 23, 24.
- Henry P. Bailey, 507 N. Y. Life Bldg., Minneapolis, Minn., 23.
- Gus A. Weidenmayer, Newark, N. J., 23.
- Jos. Weidenmayer, Newark, N. J., 23.
- L. E. Tieste, Brooklyn, N. Y., 23.
- Aaron A. Culler, Lucas, Ohio, 23.
- G. A. Sagendorph, Boston, Mass., 23.
- Ben T. Gillette, Carson, Nevada, 23.
- G. B. Out, 118 Sabine St., Syracuse, N. Y., 23.
- Robert S. McConnell, 2112 Ontario St., Philadelphia, Pa., 23, 24.
- G. Livingston Bayard, U. S. S. Chicago, 23.
- Rev. George F. Rosenmiller, McKeesport, Pa., to March, '03.
- Harry K. Crafts, Austin Station, Chicago, Ill., to March, '04.
- Harry M. Serviss, Tunkhannock, Pa., 23.
- G. W. Stewart, Ithaca, N. Y., 23.
- Chas. C. Moore, 222 Rochelle Ave., Philadelphia, Pa., 23.
- R. L. Harper, Denver, Colorado, 23.
- A. R. Ayres, 56 Windermere St., Cleveland, Ohio, 23.
- Prof. W. E. Golden, Brooklyn Poly. Institute, Brooklyn, N. Y., 23.

Seattle Alumni Association.

Horace A. Wilson, Contributor.

The Seattle Alumni Association of Phi Kappa Psi fittingly celebrated Founders' Day by a banquet given at the Maison Barberis. A large number of brothers were present, and the evening was delightfully spent in retelling college experiences and in singing fraternity and college songs.

Bro. Shippen was in good voice and sang his famous Greek song, much to the enjoyment and amusement of all. At our next meeting he promises to give us an address in the Siwash language.

The Tacoma brothers showed their love for Phi Kappa Psi by coming over in a body. They are all fine fellows, and the Seattle brothers much appreciated their courtesy and Phi Psi spirit in being with us. They are now members of the association, and by their invitation we expect to hold our next feed in Tacoma.

During the course of the evening the annual election of officers was

held. Bro. Franklin B. Gault was chosen president, Bro. Walter Johnson vice-president, and Bro. Horace A. Wilson, secretary and treasurer. Among those present from Tacoma were the following: Franklin B. Gault, Iowa Gamma; Rev. Harvey Knight, Pa. Delta, Phillip Jones, Cal. Beta; Gilbert Jackson, Minn. Beta; L. F. Gault, Kansas Alpha; A. T. Fox, Virginia Delta; Carrol Dawley, Minn. Beta; John McMurray, Ohio Delta; Harry Yeazell, Ohio Beta; S. J. Smythe, Iowa Gamma.

From Seattle: Joseph Shippen, Pa. Beta; C. B. Blethen, Ill. Beta; H. R. Clise, Wis. Alpha; L. T. Turner, Cal. Alpha; William F. Piper, Ill. Alpha; Walter Johnston, Pa. Alpha; Frank Dana Moore, Ind. Beta; Fred Hollenbeck, Mich. Alpha; Elmer Heg, Wis. Gamma; Chas. Whittlesey, D. of C. Alpha; Solon T. Williams, Kansas Alpha; J. N. Martin, Cal. Alpha; Horace A. Wilson, Minn. Beta.

From Whatcom: W. H. Axtell, Ind. Alpha.

Phi Kappa Psi is well represented at Whitworth College, Tacoma. Bro. Franklin B. Gault is president, Bro. Hervey Knight is vice-president, and Bro. A. T. Fox is a member of the faculty.

Bro. L. F. Gault is connected with one of the strong banks in Tacoma. Bro. Gilbert Jackson is connected with the O. R. and N. Railroad Company with offices in Tacoma.

Bro. Walter Johnston is one of Seattle's leading physicians.

Bro. Frank Dana Moore has a responsible position with the Olympic Foundry Company.

Bro. William E. Piper is connected with the Great Northern Railroad with headquarters at Seattle.

A new Phi Psi has been discovered in Seattle, Bro. H. A. Walton, who is cashier of the Seattle Brewing and Malting Co.

Seattle, Washington, February 28, 1903.

Washington Alumni Association.

Arthur E. H. Middleton, Contributor.

Young men rubbed elbows with gray-haired alumni at the banquet of the Washington Alumni Association on the evening of February 20, in the beautiful banquet hall of the New Willard, and the walls rang with High! High! High! from eight o'clock until the wee small hours of the morning.

In the early part of the evening a reception was held, the brothers being received by the reception committee which was composed of the following: James L. Norris, Esq., chairman; Judge Harry M. Clabaugh, Prof. H. L. Hodgkins, Dr. D. B. Deale, Rev. W. C. Alexander, J. Paul Ernest, Esp., Chas. L. Sturtevant, Esp., and Gen. W. S. Shallenberger.

There were representatives present not only from the Washington Alumni Association, but from University of Virginia, Swarthmore, Indiana University, Columbian University, Gettysburg College, Johns Hopkins, Allegheny College, University of Chicago, Bucknell, Bethany, Lafayette, DePauw and Beloit College.

At 9 o'clock the procession made its way into the banquet hall headed by our honored vice-president, Rev. W. C. Alexander, who escorted ex-Governor Lloyd Lowndes of Maryland.

The table was in the shape of a gridiron and handsomely decorated with carnations, violets, roses and orchids and the colors of the frat. were everywhere present on decoration, menus and souvenirs.

From the balcony poured forth the strains of music dear to every Phi Psi's heart and the boys took the tunes up with a vim and sang song after song well known to every Phi Psi.

Bro. A. B. Browne, the president of the Washington Alumni Association, in a few well chosen remarks, introduced the toastmaster of the evening, Bro. James E. Watson, who called on the following to respond to toasts: Representative Arthur L. Bates, Pa. Beta '80, "Men Who Touch Elbows;" J. Paul Earnest, Pa. Epsilon '86, "The Fraternity Twenty Years Ago;" Lloyd Lowndes, Pa. Beta '65, "College Memories." Informal toasts were given by James L. Norris, D. C. Alpha '68, Gen. W. S. Shallenberger, Pa. Alpha, and the Rev. W. C. Alexander, who is vice-president of the executive council. Henry M. Clabaugh, one of the Justices of the Supreme Court of the D. of C., also responded to an informal toast, in which he said that his wife was the originator of the Phi Psi colors, at Gettysburg, Pa., as colors for Pa. E., after which they were adopted by the general fraternity.

Before the last toast was given Bro. James E. Watson, our toastmaster, talked to the boys for a few minutes. That he was given earnest attention goes without saying and the only regret expressed

was that he did not keep on. Bro. Watson as a toastmaster is par excellence.

The Washington Alumni Association wishes to express to the brothers from out of town its sincere appreciation for the presence of so many visitors at our banquet and we hope that next year they will all come again and bring other brothers with them.

Bro. Frank G. Turner, president of the Baltimore Alumni Association, in a few well chosen remarks, seconded by Bro. Lindsay C. Spencer, vice-president, invited the brothers to be present at the District Council to be held in Baltimore in April.

The officers of the Washington Alumni Association are: President, Aldis B. Browne; vice-president, Arthur E. H. Middleton; treasurer, Dr. W. Ashby Frankland; secretary, Chas. W. Clement.

The banquet committee was composed of Aldis B. Browne, chairman; Arthur E. H. Middleton, Dr. W. Ashby Frankland, Chas. W. Clement, Samuel J. Butterfield, John Sherman, Jr., W. W. Curtis, Preston B. Ray and Arthur V. Snell.

The next monthly dinner of the association will be held at the Hotel Barton on March 20, and any brother who is in Washington on that date will receive a hearty Phi Psi welcome if he will come and join us. The following were present at the banquet:

Rev. W. C. Alexander, J. I. Anderson of New York, George C. Aukam, W. Spencer Armstrong, Samuel J. Butterfield, Representative A. L. Bates, Wm. H. Beck, H. H. Bliss, Dr. Wm. T. Burch, A. Lee Baldwin, Robert L. Blewett, Aldis B. Browne, Jeremiah Collins, Wm. W. Curtis, Chas. W. Clement, Ossian E. Carr of Baltimore, Dr. J. B. Gregg Custis, J. B. Gregg Cusic, Jr., of Baltimore, Horace H. Custis of Baltimore, Judge Harry M. Clabaugh, Chas. H. Cocke of University of Virginia, C. W. DeKnight, Dr. H. B. Delae, Geo. J. Davis of Brooklyn, N. Y., J. Paul Earnest, John B. Ecker, Frank S. Ehlen of Baltimore, Dr. L. L. Friedrich, Dr. W. Ashby Frankland, Frank Hume, ex-Governor Lloyd Lowndes of Maryland, Melville D. Hensey, D. N. Houston, F. Mc. Johnson, Wade L. Jolly of Altoona, Pa., Dr. Carl S. Keyser, Dr. Berwick Lanier of Baltimore, Prof. M. G. Latimer of Baltimore, Dr. Eugene LaMerle, Dr. Thomas McLaughlin, Arthur E. H. Middleton, James L. Norris, Representative J. C. Needham, Fred B. Pyle, C. Clarence Price, Dr. Charles W. Richardson, Preston B. Ray, Hon. W. S. Shallenberger, Raleigh Sherman, John Sherman, Jr., Dr. Jas. Suddarth, J. W. Smith, Chas. L. Sturtevant, Chester A. Snow, Arthur V. Snell, Lindsay C. Spencer of Baltimore, Frank G. Turner of Baltimore, Ernest G. Thompson, Dr. J. R. Tubman, Norval J. Welsh, Representative Jas. E. Watson, Representative D. G. Wooten.

Boston Alumni Association.

Edward T. Hartman, Contributor.

The Boston Alumni Association held its fourth annual rally at the Bellevue Hotel on Saturday, February 28. The day was about as bad as Boston could afford, but the boys came in spite of it until the total was fifty-six. And it was hardly a local affair because there were twenty-six chapters represented. These men are all now residing in New England except five, who braved the storm and come from New York. The baby chapter in New England, Rhode Island Alpha, had ten present; New Hampshire Alpha had eight present and Massachusetts Alpha had five present. There were probably never so many active men of New England together outside of chapter walls. These are the bare facts in the case.

But there are other things to tell about. Dolbear, the Bakers, McCorkle, Wilson, Haskins, Anderson, Grant, and many others well known to the fraternity were there. The active chapters sent greetings as well as men. They will probably never know how much their larger representations and their greetings were appreciated. The older men appreciate such things in a quiet way, but they note carefully, not only the number, but the manner and the spirit of the younger, active men. And if words are necessary they now may have them, for the old men of New England never had greater pleasure than in the evidences of good spirit which were shown among the New England chapters on this occasion.

And the Harvard Club was out in strong force. It was ably represented by the eloquent Colleston, who sees the beauties of Phi Kappa Psi as accurately and describes them as poetically as he sees a tennis ball and turns it.

Our newly arrived brother, Haskins, of Harvard, gave us the idea of the busy professor, investigator and writer. It is good to know that professors have something of the humanistic in them which undergraduates are not always able to detect.

Grant showed us the psychological of that in Phi Psi which brings us out and brings us together, though we may be absolute strangers in the ordinary sense.

Wilson told us of the eternal hold the fraternity has on its initiate and of its value to us in every walk of life.

McCorkle talked, as he always does at Phi Psi gatherings, and as he is always at Phi Psi gatherings he naturally talks a great deal. But his story, though old, is as attractive as any other old story we read about.

Boston cannot do anything in this line without at least a mention of its appreciation of Dolbear. He was with us as long as his strength, under his many duties, would permit. He is always with us in spirit, and when we see the genial face of the man we understand the spirit.

Anderson talked. It was his duty to introduce the speakers. He did it well. He told them what to talk about and when to say it. And he hit several nails on the head, as he always does.

This was not a Boston affair. It was a Phi Psi affair, and all forces were joined to make it a success. Every man helped, by his presence. If all would accept this as an axiom, which it is, secretaries would be spared many anxious moments. And every man, it seems reasonable to assume, was helped. Such occasions can not do otherwise than develop the broad and generous and useful qualities of men. This occasion surely did much along these lines. And this is the measure of its success.

Boston, Massachusetts, March 2, 1908.

Pennsylvania Epsilon Alumni Notes.

Bro. Edgar F. Smith '74, vice-provost of the University of Pennsylvania, has been unanimously elected president of the American Philosophical Society.

Bro. G. F. Leffler '01 is working with the assistant state geologist at Harrisburg, Pa.

Bro. M. Ross Fishburn is pastor of the Mount Pleasant Congregational Church, Washington, D. C.

Bro. H. M. Clabaugh '77 has attracted considerable attention by reason of his decision in the Supreme Court of the District of Columbia that a young Filipino, who instituted proceedings to compel the clerk of the District of Columbia Supreme Court to receive his declaration of citizenship, is an alien and entitled to citizenship. The clerk refused to accept the declaration on the ground that the Filipino was already a citizen of the United States. The decision is in line with notable treatment of a similar case.

Bro. J. Frank Graff '79 has been re-elected a member of the legislature from Armstrong county.

Bro. J. Paul Earnest has been elected to the faculty of the Law School of Columbia University.

Pittsburg Alumni Association.

L. R. Alexander, Contributor.

Ever since the G. A. C. fraternity men of this section have been active in getting together and organizing so that now the following have weekly luncheons and an occasional smoker or social functions: Delta Tau Delta, Phi Gamma Delta, Tau Delta Omega, Phi Delta Epsilon. The Phi Gams, however, were about a year ahead of us in organizing. The influence of our convention, however, was what started the Greek ball rolling.

We held an "occasional" smoker last night at the University club. About seventy-five loyal brothers were there. Of course a good time was the order—Phi Psis always have a good time. Hon. Bro. McClung was in the chair for the business meeting, at which the acting committees all gave encouraging reports. After business had been put aside our genial and reverend Bro. Rosenmiller of McKeesport, spun some of his famous yarns and the evening passed away with songs and lots of Phi Psi cheers.

Bro. Bedford Brittain, Pa. Alpha, who so successfully managed the finances of the G. A. C., is still our "secretary of treasury," and unlike most treasurers he always has a good balance on the credit side of the books.

Our weekly "lunch" club has been a delightful feature of Phi Psi life for nearly a year now. Any brother who chances in Pittsburg on Thursday should not fail to call at Matt Weiss' between 12 and 2. He will find a welcome awaiting him.

Proportionately no town or city in the world has as many fraternity men as Pittsburg, and Phi Kappa Psi leads the van about two to one of any other.

Bro. "Gem" Batchelor, N. Y. Alpha, has become a full fledged glass man and is assistant superintendent of the Pittsburg Plate Glass Company at Charleroi, Pa.

Whenever there is anything doing in Phi Psidom you can count on the "dean" of our association, Bro. T. H. Johnson, consulting engineer of the Pennsylvania Company. Broad in his views, thoroughly posted on every scientific topic of the day, a scholar, a gentleman and a loyal, royal Phi Psi, he is at home in any sphere. He is a man and a brother worth knowing well and we count ourselves fortunate in having his name upon our rolls and the benefit of his long experience.

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New York Alumni Association.

Walter A. Dyer, Contributor.

The New York brothers made the acquaintance of a glorious Phi Psi in Bro. W. C. Alexander, who was the guest of the New York Alumni Association at their monthly meeting and dinner at the Arena on Monday evening, February 16. The meeting took the form of an observance of Founders' Day, and was attended by about forty Phi Psis, including undergraduates of N. Y. Gamma and N. Y. Zeta. Bro. Alexander delivered an inspiring address. Among the other speakers were Bro. H. M. Warren, N. Y. Epsilon, chaplain of the hotels of New York City, a new member of the association; by Bro. Gleed, of Kansas Alpha, a distinguished visitor from the west, and by Bro. W. W. Elsworth, Pa. Beta, visitor from "up State." Bro. Sterling S. Beardsley, N. Y. Zeta, delivered two of his inimitable recitations, including his famous "Romeo and Juliet."

Members of the association attended the Founders' Day celebration of N. Y. Zeta on February 19, and N. Y. Gamma on February 23, and also the annual rally of the Boston Alumni Association on February 28.

A number of copies of the New York directory are in the secretary's hands and may be had on request for one cent postage. Plans for the publication of a new song book for the association are now under way.

Massachusetts Alpha Alumni Notes.

"The Cause of Thunder" is the title of an article by Bro. Robert V. R. Reynolds '98, assistant forest expert in the United States Forestry department, which appeared in a recent issue of the Scientific American. Bobby was always up to something devilish.

Bro. Albert C. Howe '99 has left Hot Springs, Va., and has been traveling in New York and New England.

A son was born on January 31 to Rev. and Mrs. Thos. V. Parker, Babylon, L. I. This would have been the 1900 class boy if it hadn't been for an earlier achievement of Bro. E. L. Harris.

Bro. Arthur W. Towne '01 has been in Orlando, Florida, for the past two months. One of his occupations has been the delivery of lectures on Psychology to the ladies of the town, thereby gaining the name of hoodoo-man among the colored gentry. He will return north in April.



Pennsylvania Alpha—Washington-Jefferson College.

J. H. Otto, Correspondent.

The month just closed has been a very busy one for Pa. Alpha. We have been working very hard to get a couple of good men and I am glad to say that we were successful and when our next letter goes to "The Shield" we will be able to present two new brothers, which will bring our membership up to thirteen, which number is not always unlucky.

On the evening of February 6 we gave a dance which was very successful in every way. We were very much pleased to have with us that evening a number of Phi Psis from Pittsburg and nearby towns.

At a meeting of the senior class on February 13 Bro. Earl V. Braden was elected president after a very warmly contested fight. Besides Bro. Braden we have two other class presidents in our fold—Bro. Ritchie of '05 and Bro. C. Hays of '06.

Phi Kappa Psi House, Washington, Pa., March 4, 1903.

Pennsylvania Epsilon—Gettysburg College.

Chas. H. May, Correspondent.

At his reception tendered to the senior class February 24, Bro. Harvey W. McKnight, D. D., LL. D., announced his resignation as president of the college because of ill health and length of service. For nearly nineteen years Bro. McKnight has stood at the head of Gettysburg College, during which time the student body has doubled in number and the entire college has been built up and strengthened in every line of its activity, and we voice the sentiment of the entire student body when we say that his departure will be a source of general regret.

We were very glad to meet Bros. Haldeman and Soles who were here with the Lafayette basketball team some time ago.

Bro. Bingaman was one of the four juniors recently elected to membership in the college honorary society of Pen and Sword.

Bro. Whitney has been elected assistant editor of the "Gettysburgian." It is seldom that this position falls to the lot of a freshman and Bro. "Nat" is to be congratulated.

Among recent visitors we note Bros. J. E. Erf, Minn. Beta, J. F. Graff '79, and Schmucker Duncan '91.

We are all looking forward with great pleasure to the coming D. C. which will be held here, and the thicker you "pile in" when April comes around the better we will like it. We are bending all our energies and efforts to perfect arrangements for the complete entertainment of our guests and hope to make this the banner D. C. of the First District.

Gettysburg, Pa., March 2, 1903.

Pennsylvania Gamma—Bucknell University.

R. J. Hess, Correspondent.

The principal event of the past month in our chapter history was the celebration of Founders' Day. Old Phi Psi spirit ran high and yet amid the good fellowship there was a vein of sober earnestness and the toasts of our honored alumni brothers, Wolfe, Leiser and Dreisbaugh were replete with serious reflections upon the life of the college man. And all of Pa. Gamma's sons felt proud of the fact that the sacred ties that bind us do not relax when one has left the college

to enter the world. Letterman and Moore were the brothers that had the highest places that night, and in spite of the fifty-one golden years that have passed since the founding, their spirits dominated all.

The more practical affairs have been attended to and the chapter rooms are becoming more inviting every day. We wish that many of the boys—yes, all of them—could drop in for a fraternal visit.

Bro. Purdy of Sunbury gets into the bunch frequently. The town alumni are very fraternal and life is good to enjoy.

The basketball team is doing some great work this year. Up to date not a game has been lost. We are about to reopen relations with Williamsport Y. M. C. A., perhaps the strongest basketball team in the state. Bros. Smith and Grier are doing consistent work. Bros. Smith and Deats will be on the 'varsity basketball squad this year and help to keep Phi Psi at the top.

Bro. Martin Bell '67 has just been renominated by the republican party as president judge of the Blair county courts. We congratulate Bro. Bell and the fraternity.

Bro. Geo. Ingalls McLeod '55 is a member of the state board of lunacy.

Chapter Rooms, Lewisburg, Pa., March 8, 1903.

Pennsylvania Eta—Franklin and Marshall College.

W. Curtis Truxal, Correspondent.

As predicted in the last letter that Pa. Eta would soon be able to add another name to her list, the chapter now takes great pleasure in introducing to the fraternity at large Bro. Frank Henneberger of the class of 1906. Bro. Henneberger hails from Greencastle and has already made himself known at the college world at F. and M.

The chapter joined with the Lancaster Alumni Association in celebrating Founders' Day by a banquet at the Hamilton club rooms. It was certainly a gorgeous affair. Every alumnus present responded to toasts which will long be remembered by the active chapter. Bro. Wickersham presided, and after making a few opening remarks called on the different brothers. Bro. Westerman's recitation on "The Power of Rum" was a rare treat.

The Archon's letter to the chapters of the First District came the other day and was read and re-read with much pleasure by all the brothers. The Archon's letter is an innovation to the fraternity and tells us how our sister chapters are getting along.

It is with great sorrow that the writer is compelled to tell of the departure from our midst of Bros. Westerman and Wint. Bro. Westerman has left college to attend the Stanhope Wheatcroft school of dramatic art in New York to prepare himself for his life work on the stage. Bro. Westerman has already proven himself to be an actor of rare ability and his departure is mourned by the college as well as the chapter. He filled a place in the college and fraternity which is practically impossible for another single man to fill. Besides being leading man in the dramatic club, he was one of the best quarter-backs the college has ever had, and as a reciter and singer on the glee club has been unequaled in the history of the college. Bro. Wint leaves to go into business with his father at Catasqua, Pa. Bro. Wint was one of the most popular men about the college. In losing these two most enthusiastic Phi Psis, Pa. Eta feels that there is a large gap in the chapter and that it will be many years before she will be able to find two more such noble Phi Psis.

Pa. Eta has had the pleasure of entertaining quite a number of Phi Psis lately. Bro. Rupley of Fort Washington dropped in on us suddenly with his bright little son the other week and told us of Pa. Eta years ago. Bro. Feldhoff was present at the card party after which we all sat up until the "wee sma' hours" and talked over things. Bros. Bair, Hartman and Heller also were in to look over the house and Bro. Ray, Pa. Zeta, dropped in for dinner.

The chapter had the pleasure of entertaining Bros. Haldeman and Soles, Pa. Theta, who played on the basketball team.

The chapter was greatly instructed by a visit from Bro. Carpenter, Wis. Alpha. It is the first time in years the chapter has had the opportunity of entertaining a western brother and it certainly was a treat. Bro. Carpenter is a genteel Phi Psi and has fraternity spirit to let. While here he attended the banquet on Founders' Day.

The basketball team has begun indoor practice and a goodly number of Phi Psis are trying for the team. Bro. Schock is at his old position behind the bat and Bro. Peterson is holding down third base.

As the semi-centennial of the union of Franklin and Marshall col-

leges will be celebrated this coming commencement, Pa. Eta is making every effort to show all her alumni a good time. We are looking for all the Phi Psis, so please don't disappoint us.

Phi Kappa Psi House, Lancaster, Pa., March 2, 1903.

Pennsylvania Theta—Lafayette College.

Hugh M. Miller, Correspondent.

Our annual Founders' Day banquet held on the evening of February 21 was a decided success. The two days' postponement was made for the accommodation of the alumni and while not as many responded as we had hoped for, the occasion was indeed a pleasant one.

Twenty-six brothers were on hand to celebrate the founding of our dear old fraternity and again recall to mind the noble efforts of her first guiding spirits. Bro. Muscoe M. Bibson '80 acted as symposiarch and did justice to the position for which he is so amply qualified. Among the alumni present were Bros. P. C. Evans '74, E. M. Green '83, C. B. Green '86, E. H. Green '95, More '98, Voorhees '98, Bryden '02, Stroh '02, Lewis '04 and Kirk, Pa. Kappa '05. Bros. More '98, More '03, Chidsey '04, Green '83, Evans '74 and Voorhees '98 responded to the toasts.

Some interesting information regarding our chapter house situation was given by Bro. Green '83. The trustees of the college have done nothing as yet to favor fraternity houses here, but with the earnest efforts of our chapter house promoters, coupled with the hearty co-operation of the active chapter, something definite will materialize as soon as matters are decided favorably for us.

Junior week is a thing of the past. The most notable event of the week was the junior hop, the management of which reflects great credit on Bro. Chidsey '04, who made it a success financially, contrary to the usual custom.

In the play given by the Sock and Buskin during junior week Bros. Chidsey '04 and Young '05 had two of the leading parts.

Bros. Hopper '05 and Young '05 are members of a new sophomore club known as the Calumet club.

Bros. E. and W. Haldeman '03 and Bro. Soles '04 reported pleasant visits with the brothers of Pa. Epsilon and Pa. Eta while on a recent trip with the basketball team.

We are planning to be well represented at the coming D. C. at Gettysburg next month.

Our basketball outlook is unusually promising and our ten days' southern trip begins March 21.

Bro. Tenney's ('01) present address is 26 Park Place, Schenectady, N. Y. He is with the General Electric Co.

Bro. Klotz '03 is now superintendent of the Port Jarvis Electric Light, Power and Gas Co. at Port Jarvis, N. Y.

Our spring vacation begins March 18.

Easton, Pa., March 1, 1903.

Pennsylvania Kappa—Swarthmore College.

F. Bramwell Geddes, Correspondent.

Now that winter, with all its snow and ice is fast disappearing, our campus presents a pretty sight with its sounds of lacrosse men. An unusually large number of men are trying for the team this year, a squad of about fifty men reporting daily to Bro. Beans, who will captain the team this year.

A number of contests have come off lately at college. In the extemporaneous contest eight of the brothers entered the preliminaries and three made the team, Bros. Hicks, Geddes and Beans.

The freshmen and sophomores are now preparing for their annual contest and Pa. Kappa hopes to have representatives on both teams.

Bro. Terrell has been on several trips lately demonstrating his fleet-footedness in short indoor dashes.

The basketball season is now over, and although we didn't win all the games no one is discouraged when we consider that this is Swarthmore's first year in basketball.

We are all now looking forward to the college reception which takes place on the 7th. The college mandolin and glee club will make their debut for this year on this occasion; Bros. Geddes and Crowell playing mandolins and Bros. Lippincott, Geddes, Crowell, Ryder and Passmore singing on the glee club.

Swarthmore, Pa., March 3, 1903.

*Massachusetts Alpha—Amherst College.**W. Virgil Spaulding, Correspondent.*

Another month has gone and the time has come for a little summing up of what this month has brought to Amherst and Mass. Alpha.

The college won new laurels in the athletic line at the recent indoor meet of the Boston Athletic Association where our team lowered the association record for the one mile relay race. Our basketball team is doing splendid work, and has won nearly all of its games to date. Baseball training has begun, and all signs indicate that our team this year will be exceptionally strong. The annual indoor athletic meet of the college was held February 28. Bros. Wheeler and Williams '06 were point winners.

The junior promenade, held February 6, was a great success and reflected great credit upon Bro. Moore, chairman of the prom. committee. The annual college chess tournament is just completed. Bro. Ide '04 was successful in making the college team, being tied for second place in the tournament. On March 6 will occur the joint debate between Amherst and Bowdoin. Bro. Johnson '03 is alternate on the Amherst team.

Preliminary sketches have been received for the new alumni hall, which Amherst is soon to have. This building will fill a long felt want of the college. It will provide for an assembly hall, reading and reception rooms, rooms for the various college organizations, and will include numerous other attractive features.

Mass. Alpha has recently been the recipient of a much valued gift from the alumni of the chapter. This was in the shape of a collection of about seventy-five volumes as a nucleus for a chapter library.

We were glad to receive a visit a week or two ago from Bro. French '99. Such visits are always very welcome to us.

Amherst, Mass., March 2, 1903.

*Rhode Island Alpha—Brown University**Warren A. Clough, Correspondent.*

With fifteen fraternities to contend against here at Brown, we "baby Phi Psis" appreciate the need of keeping our eyes open for despicable men. Accordingly we announce with pleasure the initiation of one of the freshman class, Mr. Arthur F. S. Phetteplace. He is a Providence boy who has taken a prominent place in debating and athletics in his preparatory school and gives promise of doing something in college for the glory of old Phi Kappa Psi. His initiation was followed by a social hour or two enlivened by speeches and refreshments. Among the alumni present was Charles Holt '02, from Harvard Medical College.

On the following evening we were glad to welcome Bro. Alling, who came down with the basketball team from Dartmouth to play Brown.

Bro. Winslow '04 did credit to his frat. in the part he took in "The Cool Collegians," the play presented February 23 by the Sock and Buskin club.

Bros. Atwell '03 and Kettner '05 played in the whist tournament at Yale on February 28. On the evening of that day ten of us attended the banquet of the Boston Alumni Association at Hotel Bellevue in Boston. We had a very enjoyable time, broadened our acquaintance, received many helpful suggestions and, most of all, came to feel more keenly than ever the deep spirit of fraternity which only such a convention can give.

As to general college news we might add that Brown is entering on an era of material blessings; a social building is soon to be erected; the John Carter Brown library, a new engineering building, and a new dormitory now in process of construction; and, what interests especially just now, the Colgate Hoyt Swimming pool, "the finest in the country," was opened March 2.

We are now getting ready for the final examinations of the second term, which begins March 14. The spring recess follows, extending from March 21 to 30 inclusive.

Providence, R. I., March 4, 1903.

*New York Beta—Syracuse University.**Lloyd E. Brown, Correspondent.*

With the close of the mid-year examinations and the publication of their results, entailing the usual joy or sorrow, the brothers of New York Beta have once more turned to their studies and the advent of slightly warmer weather has put everyone in the best of spirits.

The alumni members of the chapter are all interested in the coming D. C. and a movement is on for the early creation of a Syracuse A. A. At recent fraternity meetings several of the older members have been present and we are always pleased to welcome them. Bro. Edw. A. Kraus '96, who was formerly associate professor of German and Mineralogy at the university, is now in charge of the science department at the Syracuse high school. Another Phi Psi in the high school is P. O. Lewis '92, formerly principal of the Prescott grammar school, this city. Bro. Lewis is head of the English department and also assistant principal. The new city high school is a magnificent structure and cost upward of \$450,000. It has an attendance of 1,570.

Several Phi Psi marriages have recently taken place. Among those who have entered the bonds of matrimony are Bros. Lester Baker '02, Andrew Telfer '99, Earl Hollenbeck '97, Henry L. Morgan '95, and Lieber E. Whittle '95. The best wishes of the chapter are extended to these brothers.

Dr. Francis J. Cheney, Ph. D., principal of the Cortland normal school, Cortland, N. Y., recently lectured in Syracuse and while here was the guest of his nephew, Bro. Lloyd L. Cheney '05, at the chapter house. Bro. E. T. Hartman, of W. Va. Alpha, also passed a few days with us last month. This was Bro. Hartman's first visit to Syracuse and we were all glad to welcome him. Other visitors have been Bro. William Montgomery, M. D., '99; Bro. R. Alfred Waite '01, of this chapter; and Bro. Geo. D. Ford '03, of N. H. Alpha. Bro. Ford was in Syracuse with the Viola Allen Co. of which he is assistant treasurer.

Bro. Waite returns to Syracuse University as secretary of the Christian associations. For the past year he has been pastor of the M. E. church at Alden, N. Y., but upon a petition signed by students of this college, he accepted the offer of the secretaryship. Bro. Waite, while an undergraduate, was the best 100 and 220-yard dash man on the 'varsity track team, and was also president and secretary of the Y. M. C. A.

On the track team which participated in the indoor athletic meet at Buffalo, N. Y., recently, were included Bros. Lowe '03 and Pottinger '05. Bro. Lowe tied with Serviss, the famous Cornell high jumper, at 5 feet 11. Bro. Beeler '06 is manager of his class basketball team.

Bro. Cheney '05 has been elected secretary of the Archbold Debating Society, and has been chosen leader of the sophomore debating team of the interclass series. Bro. Frank Baker '06 is vice-president of the freshman debating club. Bro. Montgomery '05 is president of his class in the College of Medicine.

Bros. Stacy '02 and R. H. Templeton '99 visited Syracuse for the senior ball last month. Bro. Galen Nichols '03 has returned from Buffalo and is now residing at the chapter house.

805 Comstock Ave., Syracuse, N. Y., March 2, 1903.

*New York Gamma—Columbia University.**Thomas R. Buell, Correspondent.*

On the evening of February 19 we joined the N. Y. Alumni Association at their regular monthly dinner held at the Arena. The attendance was large and after the dinner many enthusiastic speeches were made, prominent among which was that of Vice-president Alexander, the guest of honor.

The following Thursday, Founders' Day, several of our brothers attended the smoker given in honor of the day by N. Y. Zeta. It was a very pleasant affair. Then on Monday evening, the 23rd, we celebrated the day by an initiation and informal smoker given to the alumni. After the initiation of Bro. Edwin C. Keys, whom I take pleasure in introducing to the fraternity at large, we had one of the most enjoyable and enthusiastic meetings that I have ever had the pleasure of attending. Those present beside our active chapter were Bros. Wilson, Walter L. and Henry H. McCorkle, Guy Walker, Ind. Alpha; Graham, Kan. Alpha; Hamilton, N. Y. Zeta; Richard T. Bang, N. Y. Gamma; Gilchrist Morrill, Allen Smyth Cairns all of N. Y.

Gamma; F. A. Cook, Mass. Alpha; Harper, Pa. Gamma, and the active members of the N. Y. Zeta chapter. After the meeting refreshments were served and the remainder of the evening spent in having a good time generally.

Last week we had a pleasant visit from Bros. Lippincott, Terrel, Beans and Knight from Swarthmore, who came up to the indoor meet given by Columbia on February 28. Other visitors within the last month have been Bros. Smith and Weaver, Pa. Iota, and Bros. Close and Masters of N. Y. Alpha. We are always glad indeed to see our brothers from other chapters and hope that they will always come around to see us when they are in the city.

At a dance given by the Kappa Alpha (Southern) fraternity at Delmonico's a short time ago we were represented by Bros. Catron and Anderson. They reported a most enjoyable evening.

Bro. Stangland is running on the relay team this year. The 'varsity show in which Bro. Adams has the leading part is progressing rapidly and will be given some time this month.

New York City, March 3, 1903.

New York Epsilon—Colgate University.

J. H. Hutchinson, Correspondent.

For the past two months basketball has demanded the interest of all Colgate men. This season Colgate has put out a team which ranks with the best of college teams. Already Hamilton, Rochester, Syracuse and University of Pennsylvania have sent teams here which have easily been defeated.

There has recently been organized in the university a Chemical society for the purpose of increasing the interest in science among the students. Bro. R. T. Norris '03 has been elected as president of the organization and Bro. G. E. Eddy '04 vice-president.

On the evening of February 13 N. Y. Epsilon held an informal reception in the parlors of the chapter house. A large number of friends were present and a very pleasant evening was enjoyed.

At Mount Vernon, N. Y., on February 21, occurred the marriage of Miss Clara Louise Angel and Bro. Stephen Holden '99. Bro. and Mrs. Holden are now on a tour which will include Washington and Old Point Comfort, Va. Their future home will be at White Plains, N. Y. Bro. Holden graduated from the New York Law School in 1901 and, the same year, was admitted to the bar. He is now in the employment of the Westchester and Bronx Title and Mortgage Guaranty Company of White Plains, N. Y.

Bro. A. S. Davis '02 has left the seminary and, together with his sister, is enjoying a trip through the south and west.

Bro. H. C. Buck '03, has been elected captain of the track team of the senior class.

Hamilton, N. Y., March 4, 1903.

New York Zeta—Brooklyn Polytechnic Institute.

E. W. Boughton, Correspondent,

Zeta celebrated Founders' Day by an informal smoker at which were present many of our alumni and brothers of the N. Y. Alumni Association. N. Y. Gamma also sent quite a large delegation and altogether the evening was passed most enjoyably. On the following Monday night Zeta attended a like celebration at Gamma's chapter house, where we all had a good time.

In conjunction with the New York Zeta club we have purchased much new furniture for the rooms, which much improves their appearance.

Our chapter house sinking fund, which though started on a small scale will ultimately bear fruit, has been deposited and thus a good advance made toward a home of her own for N. Y. Zeta.

We intend to have a good representation at the coming D. C. It was most unfortunate that none of our brothers could attend the Boston A. A. dinner on February 28. Up to the last minute two men expected to go, but unforeseen obstacles prevented. At the February dinner of the N. Y. A. A. two of our brothers were on hand and had the pleasure of meeting Bro. Alexander.

The baseball team has commenced practice with a goodly number of Phi Psi candidates. These are Bro. Robinson '04, Bro. Gluck '05,

Bro. Ferguson '05, Bro. Sartorius '05, Bro. Weidmann '05 and Bro. McCarty '06. The interclass indoor meet will take place on March 21 and many of our men are on the several class track teams.

At the Poly. play which came off in February Phi Psi was very much in evidence, with seven men in the cast and four on the executive committee. The stars of the performance were Bros. Leberthon, Journeay, Pirie and Bendernagel. We had a pleasant little informal supper after the show at the Hotel Clarendon, at which some of our alumni were present. This was ably arranged by Bro. Wurster.

We had the pleasure last month of a visit from Bro. Drew of Pa. Theta.

Prominent in the affairs of the Polytechnic Alumni Association is Bro. Paul Bonyng '96. This organization has taken a new lease of life and Phi Psis are active in the movement.

Bro. Boughton '03 is on the committee in charge of the indoor games. Brooklyn, N. Y., March 3, 1903.

Maryland Alpha—Johns Hopkins University.

J. R. Mood, Correspondent.

It was with true Phi Psi spirit that the brothers of Maryland Alpha celebrated Founders' Day. We had the usual program which goes to make up a celebration of the kind. Our regular monthly dinner came off at the St. James, where a goodly portion of our brothers congregated for sociability as well as festivity.

Bros. Gregg Custis, Horace Custis and Ehlen represented the chapter at the Washington alumni banquet on February 20. More of our undergraduate brothers would have attended had it not been that two class banquets, the junior and the freshman, were held on the same night.

The Baltimore Geographical society, which was organized last year for the purpose of collecting and disseminating geographical knowledge is preparing to make a systematic, scientific survey of the Bahama Islands. The staff will consist of fifty men who will leave Baltimore early in June in a specially chartered vessel.

Bro. O. L. Farrig, who is associate in meteorology at the university, will superintend the work in climatology. His assistant will be Bro. James E. Routh, Jr.

Bro. J. B. E. Curtis, who will receive his bachelor's degree this year, will act as assistant in the study of the biological features of the country.

Now we must not close before stating that our former G. P., Bro. E. Machen, will be with us at our regular meeting.

Baltimore, Md., March 4, 1903.

Virginia Alpha—University of Virginia.

Charles Hartwell Cocke, Correspondent.

In two more weeks the result of the first game of our baseball season will be known. When the call for candidates was made a few days ago, between forty-five and fifty men reported, Bros. Mason, E. Valz, Fleet, Prichard and your scribe being among those desirous of winning diamond fame. If Bro. Prichard sustains his reputation as a twirler as ably as he did that of a halfback in the fall, Phi Psi will be represented on Virginia this spring, and well too. Our prospects for a winning team are more encouraging than they have been for several years. Six of last year's 'varsity—which played Yale 2-2, ten innings—and quite a number of subs are still in college and the new men are showing up in excellent form. Our schedule is one of the most complete in recent years and includes games with all of the "big four" save Harvard. Va. Alpha hopes to see many Phi Psis on the teams which visit us this spring, as we are scheduled to meet Lafayette (2 games), Brown, Pennsylvania (2 games), Gettysburg, Syracuse, Cornell and Dickinson, and extend to them the glad hand and a hearty welcome. Twenty-nine games is the sum total for the season—a rather tough proposition, some of them, too, but we hope to prove again the aphorism that "Ole Virginia never tire."

On February 20 Bro. Welsh, of San Antonio, Texas, and your correspondent represented Va. Alpha at the annual banquet of the Washington Alumni Association held at the New Willard hotel. A more

royal time was ne'er accorded any one than we enjoyed. With Bro. Watson as symposiarch, truly it was a "feast of reason and a flow of soul" interspersed with good songs and a few draughts of Bacchic juice and an elegant supper. To Bros. Middleton, Snell, Clements, Sherman and Latimer will fond memory oft return in thinking of one of the pleasantest Phi Psi functions it was ever our good fortune to attend.

It is high time that official notice be made of the most recent addition to the ranks of Phi Kappa Psi. Four months ago Norval John Ellsworth Welsh, Jr., made his entrance into this mundane sphere and a hardier, brighter chap can not be found, so Bro. Welsh, Sr., says, and if the young one is like his "pa" I don't doubt it. Bro. Welsh spent Thursday night with us on his return home from Washington and New York to Texas. His visit was quite a pleasure to all though a rather abruptly ended one.

Bro. Wm. Wertenbaker having returned from New York, left yesterday morning for West Virginia where he will be located, at Ansted, in the practice of his profession, medicine. Bro. Tom J. Wertenbaker has changed his hours, though in the meanwhile he is able to do a good deal of art work for Corks and Curls, our annual.

The plans for our new athletic club house have been submitted and probably approved. Pelz of Washington was the architect and the building is to cost \$72,000. Work will be commenced shortly. The club house will be located on our new \$20,000 athletic field.

The annual gym. tourney will be pulled off next Saturday night. University Station, Charlottesville, Va., March 1, 1903.

West Virginia Alpha—University of West Virginia.

D. Dawson, Correspondent.

Besides being the anniversary of the founding of our fraternity, the 19th of February has for this chapter a peculiar and joyful meaning, for it was on that date one year ago that we first learned from Bro. A. M. Buchanan, the "father of W. Va. Alpha," the generosity and interest in us of Mrs. Cochran, the latest proofs of which are an oil portrait of her son, of whom "The James Cochran House of Phi Kappa Psi" is a noble memorial; a piano and a generous check which will help materially to purchase needed furniture. May she enjoy as great happiness in the giving as we in the receiving, is our earnest wish.

We met to celebrate Founders' Day in our new meeting hall for the first time. To all who were present one year before, the recollection of the joyous scene that followed "Bro. Buck's" announcement of the gift to us of this home, brought back the emotions then felt, making this like that former meeting, one ever-memorable to all.

There were present of the alumni Bros. A. M. Buchanan, Pa. Alpha '78, C. N. Ridgway '95, Lon Robb '98, G. E. Anderson '99, A. W. Porterfield '00, A. F. Dickey '01, A. G. Hughes '02, Tusca Morris '02, and C. D. Willey '01. Several other brothers whom we expected, disappointed us. However we had one of those good times such as is experienced nowhere else than at a reunion of Phi Psis. Everybody made a speech; the most worthy of note were Bro. A. M. Buchanan's "Reminiscences of Earlier Days of the Fraternity;" Bro. Porterfield's masterly exposition of "The Duties of the Active Member to the Chapter," and Bro. Willey's humorous remarks which were of too general a nature to be comprised under one subject, unless it might be something like "Where Are We At?" After everyone had said his say, a light lunch was served and the meeting was turned into a smoker, musical and general good time which lasted, no one can say just how long, for quite a while anyway.

Bros. Robb, Anderson and Smith, together with several active members, attended the ball given the following night by the officers of the Cadet Corps of the university.

Our house is still "nearing completion" but is much nearer than when we sent our last letter. The end is in sight; a few days more and then we shall begin to live in comfort, when we shall be more glad than ever to receive any of the brothers who may happen our way.

Morgantown, W. Va., February 25, 1903.

*Mississippi Alpha—University of Mississippi.**D. O. Clark, Correspondent.*

We are now in the midst of the second term examinations. The fellows are found at their respective rooms preparing for them.

Since our last letter to "The Shield" we have initiated Bro. J. L. Harris of Water Valley, Miss. Bro. Harris is a young man of sterling qualities and was sought after by other fraternities. We have several new men.

We acknowledge a pleasant visit from Bro. O. A. Berry, Ind. Delta. Bro. J. W. Mosley is a Presbyterian minister at Okolona, Miss.

In our next letter we will give a full description of the three new buildings now under construction.

Miss. Alpha sends her best wishes for success to her sister chapters and "The Shield."

University, Miss., March 4, 1903.

*Ohio Alpha—Ohio Wesleyan University.**Paul N. Dale, Correspondent.*

On Thursday evening, February 19, the members of the active chapter and Phi Psis of Delaware banqueted in observance of Founders' Day. An inviting menu was served, after which Bro. R. E. Hills '73 announced the following toasts: "Fraternity Life Thirty Years Ago," Prof. W. W. Davies; "Thoughts of an Alumnus," Dr. W. M. Semans '83; "Beginnings of Football in O. W. U.," C. Sumner Welch; "What Founders' Day Suggests," W. Maurice Hoyt; "What I Know of Phi Psi," Earl R. Slutz. After these toasts several other brothers were called upon for short remarks. The banquet was enjoyed throughout and alumni and undergraduate members were united in the opinion that such gatherings arouse closer interest and sympathy between the active chapter and graduate Phi Psis.

It is my pleasure to introduce to the fraternity at large Bro. Earl R. Slutz of Lancaster, Ohio, who has been initiated since our last letter. He is the third of his family to become a Phi Psi and has already proven himself a most valuable addition to our number.

Delaware, Ohio, February 25, 1903.

*Ohio Beta—Wittenberg College.**Walter H. Weaver, Correspondent.*

Another month has come and gone and we are thirty days nearer the close of one of the most prosperous years in the history of the Ohio Beta chapter.

Of course the one thing uppermost in the minds of all the brothers at the present time is the coming District Council. Numerous and far-reaching plans have been proposed for the entertainment of the visiting brothers during the two or three days they will spend with us next month. We hope and intend to make the coming D. C. one from which the brothers will return to their chapters and homes with the memories of one of the best councils of recent years clinging about them. On March 5 the Springfield Alumni Association has arranged for a meeting to be held in the chapter house at which the "old boys" will have their say as to the different ways and means for the entertainment of the delegates. The meeting was to have been held on Founders' Day, but on that day occurred one of the most disastrous fires that Springfield has seen and suffered for "many moons," and the meeting was postponed until March 5. The culmination of the joint plans of the chapter and the association will be seen on April 15 and 16.

This is not exactly a time for a rush of business at the old college on the hill and the only thing to break the monotony of constant brain work (?) is the succession of entertainments which are being "pulled off" by the different fraternities. Phi Kappa Psi has not been behind in any case as, since our last letter, we have had some kind of entertainment every week. On February 6 we entertained with a small informal dance at the house at which all active men and about twenty alumni gaily disported themselves. On the 17th and also on the 27th of February occurred events of the same kind. On the 13th the chapter entertained with a musicale which was the event of the

college in a social way. The program, of twenty numbers, was ably carried out by Bros. Russell, Ultes, Delmar and Volney Trout, Hosterman, Spangler, Burleigh, Lutz and Weaver. Afterwards the guests dance to the music of the "home talent" orchestra, and supper was served.

Indoor practice for baseball has been going on for some two weeks now and a few more days of spring-like weather will see the team and the candidates for the team out on the field for practice in the open. The basketball team has played several games and has made more than a good showing, but if fault must be found with it, it is in the fact that the members of the team are not able to roll up quite the scores of their opponents as they did last season, when, it may be wise to add, they did not lose a game. Track practice is advancing steadily and we hope to make a good showing at the field meet in May.

Bros. A. D. Hosterman and H. C. Hosterman had offices in a building adjacent to the one which was completely gutted by the four hundred thousand dollar fire, and suffered severe damage by smoke and water, but the flames were fortunately stopped before any other damage was done them.

Bro. Anderson, Pa. Beta, and Bro. Parkhurst, Ohio Delta, have been among our visitors for the past month. Bro. Anderson is connected with the Springfield and Xenia Traction Company, which has headquarters here.

One word more, brothers of the Fourth District, remember the District Council.

Phi Kappa Psi House, Springfield, Ohio, March 4, 1903.

Ohio Delta—University of Ohio.

W. E. Campbell, Correspondent.

On the night of February 19 the Columbus Alumni Association and Ohio Delta celebrated Founders' Day with a banquet at "The Neil." On account of several cases of illness and other unexpected reasons for absence among the alumni, the affair was not as well attended as anticipated, nevertheless the faithful ones all considered themselves fortunate that they participated in one more gathering of Phi Psis who are always congenial and of one mind. We were specially favored by the presence of our secretary, O. E. Monnette, who presided during the evening, and who pointed out the possibilities of chapter house ownership prevalent among many of the chapters not enjoying a home. Since house occupancy is our goal and our one ambition every one was deeply interested in the remarks made by the secretary.

The most pleasant social feature of the year at Ohio State, the annual junior prom., occurred on the night of February 13. Although the weather was decidedly inclement the dance was well attended. More than one hundred couples, representing all the frats and sororities made a very imposing spectacle on the spacious gym. floor. Our fellows were there in the usual full quota.

On the program of the concert given by the O. S. U. glee club last Friday night was a parody on the popular song "Oh! Mr Dooley," that brought out the personality of a certain "prof." in a very effective manner. The selection made a hit. A Phi Psi is credited, or perhaps charged, with having composed the refrain, and since it would not be "good form" to make known the author, we shall not disclose the name of our illustrious brother.

While Ohio Delta has nothing definite to report concerning a chapter house movement, we are considering two or three propositions bearing directly upon the subject, and sincerely hope to be able to announce our success before many more chapter letters appear in "The Shield." Columbus, Ohio, March 3, 1903.

Indiana Alpha—De Pauw University.

Turley Stephenson, Correspondent.

At the time of this letter the boys of the active chapter again find themselves near the end of another term of college work, and to any brother who has ever attended DePauw no explanations are necessary. With the finals beginning next week, the one and all absorbing topic among the brothers now is "how to get through." The battle

proper begins next Thursday morning and both senior and freshman alike will don their helmet and mount their "horses" and wade into the fray to live or die. However, by the reputation left our chapter by our many graduate brothers, we have no fears but that the thought of such will be sufficient inspiration for every brother in the active chapter to do his best to sustain the honor of himself and his chapter.

It is certainly with a deep feeling of regret that just after introducing Bro. Arthur Lockwood to the general fraternity that we are now compelled to announce his leaving college because of sickness. Bro. Lockwood was attacked two weeks ago with something like nervous prostration and for several days was in a serious condition. His physicians—one of whom was a Phi Psi, Dr. Hawkins, and to whom the whole frat. goes with their troubles—advised that he be taken home, at any rate for the present term. We sincerely hope, however, that his health will permit him to again be with us at the beginning of next term.

Fraternity Founders' Day was celebrated by us as a chapter in a manner as fitting as we knew how to make it. On the day of the anniversary of the birth of our fraternity we held a special meeting to commemorate the occasion. A literary program was given, in which a number of papers and talks were offered by various brothers dealing with the various phases of the chapter and fraternity in general. It was certainly an occasion when everyone present imbibed the true spirit of Phi Kappa Psi, and felt more grateful than ever for the privilege of wearing the emblem of such a fraternity.

Last Monday night occurred the fifteenth annual Pan-Hellenic banquet at the Commercial hotel. It was not one of the kind that some of the older brothers may recall, but instead was one where the true Pan-Hellenic spirit prevailed. Bro. Cavin was a member of the executive committee that got it up, and Bro. Salem Towne represented the fraternity with a toast, and we can safely say that the toast of Bro. Towne was one of, if not the best given at the occasion.

One of the especial things that Ind. Alpha, and well may we say Phi Kappa Psi in general, is in no little sense proud of is her representation in the State Legislature, which is now drawing near to a close. In the House is foud Bros. Boyd and Kirkman, and in the Senate are Bros. Hendee, Thompson and Whitcomb. Though it is his first time in the Legislature yet Jack, as he is more familiarly known, has been one of the minority leaders and recognized as such. Bro. Kirkman was a candidate for Speaker of the House, and has gained a reputation in the skillful manner he has led his party in every contest. Bro. Hendee is the father of many bills and his oratory has served him well on various occasions, while Bros. Thompson and Whitcomb have distinguished themselves equally as much in other ways. As for Bro. Gilbert, lieutenant-governor and president of the Senate, those who know anything of Indiana's Senate know of the successful and dignified manner in which he has conducted that law-making body of our state. Such a record as this cannot help but reflect credit upon our fraternity, and as an active chapter, composed of men who are preparing to enter into the world's battles, we are indeed grateful for the inspiration afforded us in the successes and achievements of these brothers and to all others who are doing honor to their fraternity in other ways.

Bros. McKinstry and Haines entertained the Biological club of which they are members, at the fraternity house last Monday night. Some of the members had never seen our new home before and expressions of praise and congratulations were heard from them. The occasion was also evidence of the fact that we are attempting to keep our end of the line in all phases of college enterprises.

Bro. Scott, of Pa. Beta, was our guest for a while during the last month. Bro. Scott brings prosperous news from the fraternity in the east and himself possesses that genuine fraternity spirit that characterizes every Phi Psi.

Bro. Frank Hayden of Cincinnati is paying frequent visits to his alma mater, and well may he, for "she" is one of the fairest and choicest of all that Greencastle possesses.

Our other guests for the month have been Bros. Adams, Ind. Delta, Tennant and Kimberlin, and all on a mission similar to that of Bro. Hayden's.

We want to conclude this letter by congratulating the editor of "The Shield" for the very excellent edition of the February number. As a type of art and up-to-date fraternity journal it can not be excelled, and Bro. Lockwood is worthy of all praise and commendation that may be given him.

Greencastle, Ind., March 3, 1903.

*Indiana Beta—University of Indiana.**Frank T. Hindman, Correspondent.*

Since our last letter Indiana Beta has been pursuing the even tenor of its way in fraternity and college life. While nothing of particular interest or importance has happened, we are having a prosperous existence. The brothers are looking somewhat longingly toward the close of the term, and at the same time taking care that they will not be found wanting when weighed in the balance of final examinations.

Indiana has had thus far a very successful basketball season. Last week she defeated DePauw and State Normal by decisive scores. Saturday night at Columbus our track athletes clearly demonstrated their superiority over the Ohio State University team. This year's freshman class contains an exceptionally large number of promising track men, and Indiana's outlook for the next several years is very bright indeed.

On February 21 was the annual class scrap between the lower classes and was a time of much excitement in college circles. Phi Psi was right in the van on both sides and battled to uphold class honor.

We have enjoyed visits from several brothers within the past month. Bro. Brooks of Ohio Delta, representative of D. L. Auld & Co., spent a couple of days with us and told us all the latest stories as only he can tell them. Bro. Shaw of Indiana Alpha was here for the reception which Pi Beta Phi gave last month for Phi Kappa Psi. Bro. Iles of Indianapolis ran in on us long enough to shake hands with the bunch as did also Bro. Charley Guthrie of Bedford, Ind.

Next Saturday night is the annual banquet by the freshmen of the fraternity to the older men. It promises to be a great affair, and will be fully described in our next letter. We expect to have with us all our local alumni.

Bloomington, Ind., March 4, 1903.

*Indiana Delta—Purdue University.**Arthur R. Bradley, Correspondent.*

February 19 again brought happy recollections and anticipations to our number, and we observed the occasion with our second annual Founders' Day dance. It was held in the Lincoln Club, and enabled us to offer an evening's enjoyment to our guests. Bros. Miller and Cavin, Ind. Alpha, were with us and as always were most welcome.

Bro. "Patsy" O'Brien dropped in most mysteriously one day last month and dropped out in the same manner. We were racking our brains for an explanation when we discovered that Pat is the superintendent of a Sunday-school in Lawrenceburg, Ind., and we now are wondering whether or not we will be asked to join. We have reasons to suspect that he has been working with Indiana Alpha for some time.

Our freshmen entertained their fellow classmates of the other six fraternities here on March 5 in the chapter house with a smoker. A jolly good time was had and we think that it was a good stunt.

Bro. Brooks, of jewelry fame, he of the winning smile and eloquent tongue, spent a day with us recently, incidentally prying into our reserve funds. We wish that he would come on a peaceful mission once, but even when carrying his case he is a mighty good fellow to have around.

Robert P. Noble '03, of Gouverneur, N. Y., was ushered into the mysterious realms on February 23, and we are very glad to present him to our brothers throughout the fraternity.

Purdue has just been granted an appropriation of \$135,000 for a new heating plant and physics building, which will be constructed as soon as possible. We are practically assured of a very material increase in our annual state revenue, which will prove useful in meeting the needs and necessities of the 1,200 students now in attendance.

Bro. Kaylor '05 has been kept out of college for two weeks or more with a badly wrenched knee, hurt in an indoor meet. He looked like a winner in our meets but will hardly be able to take any part in athletics this spring.

Our chapter house plans are maturing and we expect very shortly to have a house with Indiana Delta safely stowed away in it.

An inter-fraternity baseball schedule has just been arranged, each fraternity to play six games. We have a number of men who think

that they know a thing or two about baseball, and intend to be a factor in the struggle for the banner.

P. S. If anyone wants to learn a few choice card tricks we are prepared to reveal some "stunners," all entirely new and original. Price, \$4.98 per man.

Phi Kappa Psi House, Lafayette, Ind., March 5, 1903.

Wisconsin Alpha—University of Wisconsin.

Ebor L. Morley, Correspondent.

Since the last letter Wisconsin Alpha has been constantly on the go, due to the semester examinations, the junior prom. festivities and other numerous social functions.

The exams, which were very difficult, were passed by all the brothers, thus making the following festivities more enjoyable.

Our prom. house party began Thursday afternoon, February 12, with a reception, followed by a formal dancing party Thursday evening at Keeley's hall. On Friday evening came the great event. The gymnasium was very handsomely decorated and illuminated, surpassing that of previous years. Phi Psi was certainly well represented by eighteen brothers, consisting of most of the active chapter and several visiting brothers. The prom. lasted until 2:30 a. m. On Saturday afternoon we went to Janesville in a private car, where we had a very enjoyable banquet followed by a dancing party. The party was attended by the Janesville alumni and a large number of the active brothers from Beloit. Sunday afternoon and evening were passed at the house in conversation, enlivened by various vocal and instrumental selections. Monday morning the house party broke up.

The visiting brothers at the prom. are mostly alumni of Wisconsin Alpha. They are Bro. McCormick, Bro. McNamara, Bro. Schroeder and Bro. Hazard, and Bro. A. H. Hopkins, Jr., of Illinois Beta.

Founders' Day was duly celebrated by a banquet, followed by toasts and speeches.

It is with regret that we must mention that Bro. Johnson, having taken his master's degree, has returned to his home in Iowa City, where is practicing law.

We are very glad to introduce to the fraternity the name of Arthur Stivers, of Evanston, who was initiated on Monday night, Feb. 23.

At the annual university circus to be given March 7, Phi Psi will be represented in the prize contest by Bro. Marsh and Bro. Rosebrook in their makeup as an elephant.

One of the most amusing features of the indoor meet Saturday, February 28, was the thirty-five yard hurdle race between Bandeline, the baseball coach, and Bro. Tommy Lyle, two of Wisconsin's "old heads." The circumstances are that Bandeline, after three weeks' secret practice, challenged Tommy to a hurdle race and Tommy, feeling unusually spry, accepted, but afterward tried to "back peddle." However, Manager Kilpatrick jollied him into it. As a result of Tommy's superfluous flesh and advanced years, he lost.

During the past week we received a visit from Bro. Sibley.

Madison, Wisconsin, March 1, 1903.

Wisconsin Gamma—Beloit College.

Frank Thomas, Correspondent.

Baseball season is now on in Beloit and everyone is looking forward with much interest to the outcome of a good schedule of games. The Rockford Three-I league team will be with us for their annual two weeks of practice games in April, and under the good coaching of "Jack" Hollister, we fully expect the usual successful results. Phi Psi and Beloit College will greatly deplore the loss of Bro. Dan Slater, who has been a mainstay of our baseball and football teams for the past three years. Bro. Slater left school about the first of March to accept a position with Bro. Alfred Cooper ex-'05 of this school. We shall miss him in the house and on the diamond. Bro. Roy Wright '06, red-headed and fast, is one of the aspirants for baseball honors, and it is but a question of time before he will wear a baseball "B." Bro. Vogelsburg, who pitched a couple of games last year, is out and we are confident that he will play a good game this spring. On the track team we are well represented by Bro. Arthur

Fellows and Bro. Edwin Hart. The former was the college two-miler last year. The latter bids fair to run a splendid half and quarter.

On the evening of February 21 Wisconsin Gamma gave their annual Washington's birthday party, and although the crowd was large we all had a most enjoyable evening. Bro. Frank Dupee of Earlville, Ill., was with us and helped make things go faster.

Bro. E. J. Reitler of Beloit has just recovered from a long sickness, and is now able to get abroad. Bro. Reitler's many friends will be glad to hear that he is much better. Bros. Mouat and Palmer of Janesville have each spent a few hours with us during the past month. They are both pretty busy men and do not have much time to visit.

Wis. Gamma will be pleased to welcome any of her alumni who may be able to spend a few days with us. Our annual glee club concert and dance comes the 31st of this month, and on that occasion we fully expect to have some of the old bunch back.

Beloit, Wisconsin, March 2, 1903.

Minnesota Beta—University of Minnesota.

Rene T. Hugo, Correspondent.

So many things have happened to Minnesota Beta this month that the writer hardly knows where to begin. First came our annual ball which was held at the Minnikadha club on the eve of Lincoln's birthday. The alumni did not turn out as strongly as usual, but our larger active chapter made up the difference. The rooms were very prettily and tastefully decorated and the music was said by the ladies to be the best ever. The elements without combined with the pretty scene within made the whole a thing to be remembered. The well-lighted club on the hill, its large veranda overlooking the frozen lake on which the lights of many ice boats gliding here and there looked like so many fireflies, a hazy moon in the background, formed a picture fit for the most sentimental.

Then came our Founders' Day banquet on the 19th. While it was not quite up to the high standard set for three years previous, owing largely to the lateness with which the invitations were issued, it was a fine banquet and a good time was had by all. Several visiting alumni were present, among them Bro. Lansing of Wis. Gamma, who gave a very fine talk to the assembled board. Bro. Williams of Mich. Alpha drew attention very forcibly to the tendency of a chapter in the lead to get the big head and try to live on its laurels. The speaker reminded us that the only way to keep from sliding backward is to be forever pushing forward. Bro. Jorgens spoke feelingly of some Phi Psis he had met and of the uniform type of Phi Psi. Bro. H. P. Hall, who has not missed a banquet for thirty-five years, was absent this time, and something seemed missing all through the evening. Municipal Judge, Bro. Dickenson, took Bro. Hall's place as toastmaster. At the banquet arrangements were made for a series of "informal feeds" to be held during the year, the object being to keep some of our busy alumni from getting out of touch with the active chapter. These together with the smokers given by the active chapter to the alumni, are a source of pleasure to the alumni and a great benefit and pleasure to the chapter.

The most important event in college circles was the university circus and menagerie. Tried at Michigan and Wisconsin with success and now at Minnesota with great success, it is bound to become a feature of every western college's round of festivities. Each fraternity and literary society represented an animal and some of them were excellent, especially the Delta U. elephant and the Alpha Kappa camel. Nearly all of the performers were undergraduates and yet some of the feats are worthy of professionals. A tight rope walker, a hand-balancing artist and a ball walker were among the best attractions. Phi Kappa Psi, D. K. E., Alpha Delta Phi and Psi U. did not go into the menagerie for local reasons, but contributed in other ways to the success of the "World's Greatest Show," the University of Minnesota circus.

The glee and mandolin club recently conferred an honor upon two Minn. Beta Phi Psis by electing Bro. Hugo manager and stage manager and Bro. Sheldon assistant manager of the combined organization. This is the first time in many years that the business management of the club has been intrusted to a student, and it is now up to Bro. Hugo to make a success of his new venture. The club, which by the way, counts six Phi Psis among its members, will tour the

western and southern parts of the state and will probably go into Iowa and Illinois.

The February number of "The Shield" has just been received and Minn. Beta wishes to extend her hearty congratulations to Bro. Lockwood. The number is a fine one and one of which the editor may well be proud.

Minneapolis, Minnesota, March 1, 1903.

Iowa Alpha—University of Iowa.

A. K. Hess, Correspondent.

This being Lent things are rather quiet around Iowa City. The last large party was the athletic ball on February 20. The party was a decided success from every standpoint.

We received a visit from Bro. Fred Larrabee, who is at present located at Fort Dodge, Iowa. He is a member of the law firm of Dolliver & Larrabee.

Bro. Fred B. Gleason was in Iowa City for a short visit last week. Bro. C. J. Kulp spent Sunday at his home in Muscatine. Bro. Neal Jones, city editor of the Iowa Citizen, also visited in Muscatine.

Bro. Fred Drake made a business trip to Cedar Rapids, Saturday.

Bro. F. A. Heald spent Saturday and Sunday at Cornell, Iowa. Bro. Heald is on the Iowa debating team which will contest for honors with the team at Northwestern.

Bro. Guy A. Drake has begun training for the long distance runs. He took a prominent place in the cross-country runs last fall and is looked upon as a most prominent candidate for the mile and half mile in the spring meets.

We have made arrangements for a party the night of the 15th of April. This will be during the D. C. at this place. We are hoping to see quite a number of our alumni at that time. Several have already signified their intention to come.

Bro. Sibley, Wis. Alpha, stopped here for a brief visit.
Iowa City, Iowa, March 2, 1903.

Kansas Alpha—University of Kansas.

Sydney S. Linscott, Correspondent.

The present administration marks a new epoch in the growth and history of the University of Kansas, financially and intellectually. An extra allowance of \$50,000 a year is to be granted for maintenance of the university; also a new law school and gymnasium are to be built during the next year. The unfinished natural history building will be opened by the next semester. There is good reason to believe that there will be an increase of two hundred in the student body during the next year. All these facts show that the university is growing rapidly to meet the demands of these prosperous times which have recently visited Kansas.

Interest in athletics was never so strong as it is now, nor was there ever such a supply of promising material. Much can be expected from K. U. in athletics this season. We hope it may continue so always. Phi Psi will step in and claim her share of the honors when the season opens. Bro. Allen is doing good work throwing the hammer and discus. He will do himself credit, as he has on the football and basketball teams. He is also a candidate for pitcher on the 'varsity, and in this place he will compete with Bro. Trivitt, the only two candidates for the place. Bros. Ramsey and Kinne are the leading candidates for catcher. It looks as though K. U. will have a Phi Psi battery for the coming season. Bro. Peters is a candidate for second and Bro. Maduska for third.

In addition to all this baseball material we have many candidates for the several positions on the Phi Psi team. Competition will be sharp for places on this team, and consequently a strong fraternity team will be the outcome. We hope it will reflect credit and honor upon the chapter, and that it will win the inter-fraternity "cup."

At the present writing Bros. Kinne and Creager are at work on the annual chapter letter, which has been sadly neglected in the past. We hope to have an interesting one ready in a few weeks. We desire every alumnus to receive one, and in this manner keep in touch with them, and let them know what Kansas Alpha is doing. We ask your

co-operation in this, and hope that each and every Phi Psi to whose notice this may come, will kindly send us their own present address and that of every alumnus, concerning whose whereabouts we know not, save that bit of ancient history left us in the ancient catalogue of 1892, which is apt to be somewhat inaccurate at this late date.

Bro. Jenks, a member of the ways and means committee of the legislature, visited his alma mater since our last letter. Bro. Wilmoth was also with us for a day attending the meeting of the board of regents of the university of which he is a member. Bros. James Searles, of the firm of J. M. Searles & Son, Kansas City, Mo., and Buck Hayden of the Topeka Daily Capital, have been welcome visitors at the house lately.

An initiation that will long be remembered was held on the night of March 2, as a result of which Kansas Alpha is able to introduce to Phi Psis at large Bros. Fred Rhea of Hiawatha, and Rufus Trivitt of Eskridge.

Our boarding club is a success in every particular. We find it much more satisfactory than any other method. Already the benefits of it can be noticed and are appreciated by the whole chapter. Scarcely a week passes away but some member is entertaining an out of town friend at the chapter house. Nothing would give us more pleasure than to extend our hospitality to any member of the alumni or to a Phi Psi at large. We extend a cordial invitation to you to spend a few days, or weeks, or months or even years with us, and see for yourself what Kansas Alpha is doing.

Lawrence, Kansas, March 3, 1903.

Nebraska Alpha—University of Nebraska.

P. F. Cross, Correspondent.

As announced in the last "Shield" letter Bros. Donald McLennon of Lincoln, Alexander Hitchman of Weeping Water, Burdette Lewis of Omaha and Louis Folts of Lincoln were initiated into the fraternity on the evening of February 7. After the initiation a banquet was served to the forty brothers present. The following toasts were responded to: "Our Mothers," J. D. Ringer; "Phi Kappa Psi," G. Shedd; "A Resume," J. J. Ledwith; "Freshman's Trials," A. H. Scribner; "As Others See Us," E. H. Allen; "Our Standing," R. E. Dumont; "In the Sweet Now and Now," C. Oberlies.

Besides the active brothers there were present Bros. C. H. Gere, Allesworth, Oberlies, Mercer, G. Shedd, H. Shedd, Haecker, Clark and Collott. All spoke of it as one of the best initiations we have had.

On Saturday evening, February 21, the active brothers held a smoker in honor of Founders' Day and discussed questions of interest to the chapter here.

All the teams in the fraternity bowling league have a percentage of 500 so the Phi Psi team has an even start with them again.

The chapter is planning a number of social events for the coming spring, but now the interest of the brothers is toward the annual banquet given on the chapter's birthday, March 23. The banquet this year will be held on Saturday evening, March 21 and we are expecting to have with us a large number of the Phi Psis from the state.

Lincoln, Nebraska, March 4, 1903.

California Beta—Stanford University.

Doxey R. Wilson, Correspondent.

California Beta takes pleasure in presenting to the fraternity Harry Riley Madden.

Founders' Day was very fittingly celebrated with a dinner and dancing party. The house was lavishly decorated with pink carnations and violets, which carried out, as near as possible, the fraternity colors. Streamers of broad pink ribbon and smilax caught in a huge bow on the chandelier, and strung to each plate made a pretty canopy over the table. The center piece was a large shield of carnations lettered in violets. These same flowers with lots of smilax were carelessly strewn about the table, and with the soft pink shaded lights it was indeed a picture. Places were laid for seventeen couples, and the "feed" was one to be remembered. Bro. Young responded to a toast to the founders. During the evening an orchestra of five pieces made time fly.

Spring is the greatest time for rushing at Stanford, and we are right in line. Saturday evening ten preps., from various schools about the bay, are coming down and we expect to have a rousing time, so the knockers in the neighborhood can have a chance to get in their work. They will be here all night and on Sunday we have a four-in-hand and coach engaged to take us up to Congress Springs, a very popular mountain resort. We will take lunch there and return in the evening.

The junior farce and dance comes off along towards the end of the month and this will also be made a rushing stunt, in a way.

We have renewed the lease on the house and during the summer it will be repainted and the interior redecorated.

A number of the chapter attended the annual banquet given by the alumni association, and Bro. Young responded to California Beta.

Palo Alto, California, March 2, 1903.

OBITUARY.

Daniel W. McCurdy, Pennsylvania Zeta.

Whereas, Almighty God in His providence has seen fit to remove our beloved brother, Daniel W. McCurdy; and

Whereas, Bro. McCurdy was for many years a faithful and devoted brother, always looking to the interests of his fraternity and ever willing to help his chapter; therefore be it

Resolved, That the Pa. Zeta chapter of Phi Kappa Psi fraternity feels the deep loss to the chapter and mourns with the family in their sad bereavement; and be it further

Resolved, That a copy of these resolutions be sent to the bereaved family, that they be published in "The Shield," and that they be spread upon the minutes of this chapter.

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The First District

Samuel R. Zimmerman, Archon.

Archon Samuel R. Zimmerman writes: "If the coming convention of the First District Council, which will convene at Gettysburg, Pa., April 15 and 16, does not prove to be one of the most memorable of its kind in the history of Phi Kappa Psi, the fault cannot be laid at the door of our loyal host. The brothers of Pennsylvania Epsilon have applied themselves to the preparations

for these meetings with a devotion that deserves our personal cooperation. They have done their part, and well. It remains for you, brother Phi Psis from every nook and corner of this district, to show your appreciation of what has been done for your special and exclusive enjoyment by accepting of the extended hospitality.

"There are many of you whose faces at these annual gatherings, whether D. C. or G. A. C., have grown so familiar to us all, that should you not appear in your accustomed places this year we shall feel that somehow there is something wrong. Just as returning home from a distant journey, we expect to find old friends to greet us, so we delight in the happy anticipation of greeting you who have made yourselves and anything Phi Psi inseparable to our minds. Your constant attendance in the past has become a pledge, which we know you will not break, that you will be present as usual on this occasion. It is hardly necessary to urge you, of course. This is only to remind you, lest you forget. We count on you.

"And as to you who have but recently joined the fraternity. If you wish to make the most of your fraternity life, if you want to understand more about this Phi Kappa Psi, if you want to see the "stuff" of which she is made, if you want to know men, true men, if you wish to enjoy experiences which you can recall with pleasure throughout your life, attend every Phi Psi gathering within the range of possibility; and start aright by coming on to Gettysburg. If you mean to learn what Phi Psi is, you must learn to know what Phi Psi means. You will be enlightened on this point, if you come. Don't take our word for it. Ask some one in your Chapter, who has "been there."

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"And now, you brother Phi Psis who have never attended a convention, or who, at least, have been indifferent in this regard in recent years, let us insist that you fan up your smouldering spark of fraternity love, and renew your associations with us. You have many happy recollections of old acquaintances and fraternity affections formed during your college days. Come, revive those bonds, and stir your blood again with the life of your youth. These festivities will add more years to your life than all the tonics on the list.

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The Second District.

Arthur W. Towne, Archon.

The D. C. of the Second District will be held at Syracuse, N. Y., April 14, 15 and 16. It will be under the auspices of New York Beta and the Syracuse Alumni Association.

The program has not been perfected in its details at this early date. On the evening of April 14, the smoker takes place at the Yates hotel. This will be the occasion for joining hands and entwining hearts anew in the love of old Phi Psi. The pipe of good will, peace and prosperity lighted by the match of a glowing Phi Psi spirit will pass around the merry circle. Stories of the good, old times as told by the alumni will stir the blood and warm the hearts of the younger generation.

Wednesday, April 15, the D. C. convenes. All business and other meetings, as the banquet, will be held in the assembly hall of the Yates hotel. The first day will be devoted to business sessions, approval of credentials, appointment of committees and other routine work as laid down by the constitution. The address of welcome to the delegates and visitors will be given by Daniel Kelly, of the local Chapter.

Papers will also be read and discussions take place on the following topics: Fraternities at Brown; Fraternity Memorabilia; Pan-Hellenic Education; Shield Correspondence; The Chapter Corporation; The Chapter Treasury; The Organization and Powers of Alumni Associations; The Support and Distribution of Our Publications.

A reception and ball will be given the delegates Wednesday evening at Empire hall. This is out of the usual order held at D. C.'s, but the New York Beta boys hope to make it a great success with the aid of the charming young ladies in the University and city. Brothers from other Chapters, who have enjoyed New York Beta's hospitality in this respect, know what a splendid time is in store for them.

Thursday, April 15, will be devoted to reports of committees and discussing of old and new problems that are of vital interest to all live Phi Psis. The evening of this day will be given over to a grand, old-time banquet in which the flow of speech will only be excelled by the excess of Phi Psi enthusiasm.

Brother Walter McCorkle, of the New York alumni, has consented to act as toastmaster and you all understand what that

means. Among the other venders of speech and agitators of Phi Psi fire will be Brothers Orra E. Monnette, George B. Baker of Boston, Richard H. Templeton of the Buffalo A. A., and Lieber E. Whittic of the Syracuse A. A.

The banquet will be one of those "never-to-be-forgotten" occasions. There will all make merry amidst the out-bursts of oratory worthy of the grand and glorious fraternity that is extolled.

New York Beta and the Syracuse Alumni Association extend a most hearty invitation to all Phi Psis in the second district and elsewhere to be present. It is earnestly desired that this be made the best district convention ever held in the Second District, not only in point of attendance, but in all things which makes a convention really great.

The Third District

G. B. Miller, Archon.

The first District Council to convene after the fraternity has completed its one-half century of prosperous existence, will be held, for the Third District, in Baltimore under the auspices of Maryland Alpha chapter, Johns Hopkins University and the Baltimore Alumni Association, on April 15 and 16. The business meetings of the council will be held at the Maryland Alpha Chapter house, northeast corner of Calvert and Read streets.

The District Council will conclude with a banquet on Thursday evening, April 16, to be held at the Merchants' Club, 206-210 East German street. Maj. Richard M. Venable will preside as toastmaster.

Brother Frank G. Turner writes on behalf of the Baltimore Alumni Association, of which he is president:

"You are most cordially invited and urgently requested to, at least, attend the banquet, and we sincerely hope that you will not only come yourself, but that you will inform other brothers of the cordial invitation which is extended to all Phi Psis to be present, and that you will also urge them to attend the banquet.

"In addition to the fraternity having men of prominence in the state of Maryland, many of whom will be with us, we will have at the banquet a large number of Phi Psis from Washington, together with the delegates of the District Council.

"We wish to assure you that no pains are being spared to make the banquet a complete success, and we desire to have your hearty co-operation, which will be of great assistance.

"The fraternity will have exclusive possession of the Merchants' Club on the evening of the banquet, and the reputation which the club has for good service, etc., is sufficient to warrant a delightful banquet. Tickets will be five dollars (\$5.00) each. It is essential for the committee to know, not later than the fifth of April, upon whom it may absolutely rely to attend the banquet."

The local committee having the District Council in hand are as follows:

Committee on Arrangements and Banquet—Representing Alumni Association: William H. Bosley, Howard P. Sadtler, F. Albert Kurtz, Lindsay C. Spencer, Arthur W. Machen, Jr., Frank G. Turner, pres. Representing Active Chapter: James Barnes, Frank S. Ehlen, Thomas Owings, J. B. Gregg Custis, Jr., G. P.

Committee on Entertainment—Representing Alumni Association: Maj. R. M. Venable, Dr. I. R. Trimble, S. Johnson Poe, Dr. B. B. Lanier, Wm. D. Lilly, Dr. Wm. S. Baer, Lindsay C. Spencer, Dr. Robert Reuling, J. Gresham Machen, E. B. Mumford, Frank G. Turner, pres. Representing Active Chapter: Geo. A. Foster, Reginald S. Opie, Horace H. Curtis, James R. Mood, J. B. Gregg Custis, Jr., G. P.

The Fourth District

Harry K. Crafts, Archon.

The Council of the Fourth District will be held at Springfield, Ohio, April 15 and 16, under the auspices of Ohio Beta and the Springfield Alumni Association. "It is the aim of our hosts," writes Archon Crafts, "to make this the largest and most successful District Council ever held in the history of the Fourth District, and it develops upon you as an alumnus residing in this district, and upon you as an active member, to do all in your power to be present at that time and aid in making this convention a success."

The council will convene on Wednesday, April 15, at 9.30 a. m., and will close Thursday night with a banquet. On Wednesday evening an elaborate ball will be given in honor of the visiting delegates, to which all are cordially invited.

During the convention papers will be read by members of the various chapters upon the following subjects:

1. The Pledged Man, the Active Member and the Alumnus—Ohio Beta.
2. Internal and External Development—Michigan Alpha.
3. Qualifications of Petitioning Institutions and Petitioners—Ohio Delta.
4. The Advisability of Entering the University of Illinois—Indiana Alpha.
5. Chapter By-Laws—Indiana Beta.
6. The Relation of the Archon to His District—Illinois Beta.
7. The Chapter and the University—Ohio Alpha.
8. The Fraternity and the Shield—Illinois Alpha.
9. The Development of a New Chapter—Indiana Delta.

The Fifth District.

J. T. S. Lyle, Archon.

It is said that life in any particular chapter has a tendency to make the average student narrow and exclusive in his ideas so that he unduly assumes the superiority of his chapter unless he

allows his mind to be broadened by discussions with his brothers from other institutions.

The G. A. C. is a convocation of the whole fraternity whose legislation can apply only to general conditions while the D. C. meets more for the purpose of enabling the undergraduates to discuss problems which pertain especially to the local conditions of their respective chapters.

It is for this reason that the biennial meeting of the D. C. is of such great importance to the government of the fraternity. At the present time there are many problems concerning the regulation of chapter affairs which should be discussed by those present at the D. C. and for that reason every chapter and alumni association should make unusual efforts to have as large a representation as possible. The more men in attendance the greater will be the benefits derived from the discussions. It is especially desired that the alumni lay aside the cares of business for a few days and join the undergraduates in the pleasures of the convention.

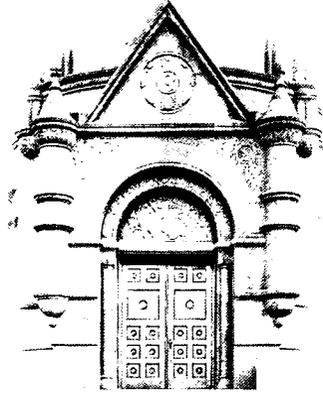
The D. C. will be held under the auspices of Iowa Alpha at Iowa City and we are assured from the number of good things that they have in store for us that all our time will not be occupied with the serious side of fraternity life.

On Tuesday evening, April 14, there will be a smoker at the chapter house. Wednesday night we are all invited to their formal dance and the convention will close with a banquet on Thursday night.

The following papers will be read:

1. The Chapter House Corporation.
2. Summer Rushing.
3. What Constitutes an Offense Against the Fraternity Sufficient to Justify Expulsion?
4. The Financial System of the Chapter.
5. Chapter By-Laws.
6. The Future of the Alumni Association.
7. The Freshman: Whom Shall We Seek and What Shall We Do With Him?
8. Have We Too Many Chapters?

A glance at the list of subjects for discussion given above will convince all those interested that there is much business to be transacted and that it will be necessary for all delegates to be on hand in good season, so that the convention may start without delay.



Entrance to Crouse Memorial College.

Growth of Syracuse University.

Irving R. Templeton, N. Y. Beta, '04.

The growth of Syracuse University in all departments has been so marked in the past ten years, that it is evident even to the casual observer. Not only has it been strengthened in its educational facilities, but in the additions to the faculties, student body and buildings. Athletics have also taken a mighty spurt under the fostering influence of Chancellor Day. The social life has held its own in the race of progression, and withal the good old customs have remained and some new ones added.

When Chancellor Day took up the reins of government in 1893, the seeds of progress planted by the former chancellors were just beginning to sprout. But it needed a master hand to protect and care for the further growth of the plant. Such an one was Chancellor Day, a man of broad sympathies, keen intellect, and excellent business ability combined with consummate executive powers.

Facts can often tell a story in the shortest space. In 1893 the university consisted of five buildings scattered over a campus of fifty acres, which lay on the heights in the southeastern part of the city. These buildings were the Hall of Languages, or Liberal Arts College. The John Crouse Memorial College of Fine Arts, which is one of the finest colleges of its kind in the country. It was erected at a cost of one million dollars. The Von Ranke Library, Holden Observatory and gymnasium complete the list.



John Crouse Memorial Hall



Smith College of Applied Science.

The faculty numbered about one hundred members inclusive of the College of Medicine. Over eight hundred students were in daily attendance at the three colleges which were under the supervision of a chancellor.

The inauguration of Chancellor James Roscoe Day in 1893 marked the commencement of a greater university. In June plans were made for a College of Law. In 1896 the new Medical College building on Orange street was opened. In 1897 Electrical and Civil Engineering were added to the extensive list of courses. In June of 1897 the erection of the University block begun. It is one of the finest office buildings in the state outside of New York City. In it is located the College of Law. In April 1898 the Ester B. Steele Hall of Science was commenced. During 1900 Winchell Hall, a finely equipped dormitory having thirty rooms was erected. The year of 1902 saw the Lyman C. Smith College of Applied Sciences completed. This was built at the expense of Lyman C. Smith, one of the most generous supporters of Syracuse university. It is a four-story building, fifty-three by one hundred and fifty-six, in which is stored the most modern equipment for electrical, civil and mechanical engineering.

Plans are now ready for Haven Hall which is to be erected opposite Winchell Hall and facing the campus. It will contain suites of rooms for one hundred students. A central heating plant is to be erected in the near future at a cost of fifty thousand dollars.

The faculty now numbers about two hundred, and the student body has increased to the two thousand mark. There are at present five colleges, each having its own dean, who has charge of all departments in his respective college. These colleges include courses in liberal arts, fine arts, engineering, law and medicine. All the departments have kept pace with the ever increasing growth of the institution in the greater facilities given them. The university library has fifty-one thousand volumes and twenty thousand pamphlets with room for twice that. In addition to this library, seminar rooms of the various departments furnish excellent material for individual research.

Dean Smalley, of Liberal Arts College, is perhaps the most popular and widely known man in the university next to the chancellor. He has always taken a keen interest in athletics, and not only has he aided greatly in advancing Syracuse to the front ranks in that direction but in other departments of college as well. He is ever ready to help the student in difficulties. As the right hand man of the chancellor he has patched up many differences between the chancellor and the various classes.

The athletic interests of Syracuse were at a low ebb ten years ago. Then there was no splendid athletic field with its great quarter-mile track, and ground laid out for base ball, track and foot ball. It was in the first year of Chancellor Day's rule that the Archbold Field with its excellent facilities was completed. Since then the growth in all branches of athletics has been won-

derful. In the early nineties it was counted as remarkable to have a foot ball or base ball team defeat Colgate or Rochester. Two years ago the crack Columbia eleven awoke one fine November day to see Orange men from the Salt City depart from the gridiron with the trophies of victory. The preceding year saw the star Cornell base ball team get neatly trimmed by a score of six to one. Recently three successive years have witnessed the Orange track team take fifth place at the Intercollegiate Mott Haven games. Such men as Prinstein, Lee, Whitmore, Lewis, Waite of Buffalo P. K. P., Gardner, Scrafford, and Will Lowe, P. K. K., of Buffalo, have assisted in this remarkable feat. The more noteworthy as only seven or eight men are sent down each year to compete with the cracks of the whole country.

The University Navy is the latest branch of sport Syracuse



Hall of Languages.

has developed. This was started through the generosity of Lyman C. Smith. It is now but four years old. In that brief time its growth has been almost phenomenal. Coach E. R. Sweetland, who recently severed his connection with the university, is the man who saw the birth of the navy and assisted materially to bring it to its present prosperity and success. Last year the Orange was represented by two strong crews, a varsity and a freshman, at Poughkeepsie. The freshman crew gained an easy victory over the junior Harvard eight on Lake Cayuga last May, and also pushed the junior Cornell crew hard for first place.

Last year over eighteen thousand dollars was raised and expended on athletics. A generation ago it was a hard proposition to raise one fourth that sum. Coaches are now chosen, and

training tables are kept for the regular branches of sport. This is one result of the increased financial aid. Another is the improved facility offered from year to year to a corresponding large number of candidates.

The social life of Syracuse is most enjoyable. There are eighteen fraternities in the university. Each of these gives one or more functions of importance during the college year. Many hold informal dances several times each semester. Besides the fraternity functions and dances there are the Sophomore cotillion, Junior promenade and Senior ball. All of these are well attended and beside the pleasure they give, afford an excellent opportunity for widening the realm of one's acquaintances and friends. The annual Glee club concert in John Crouse College always draws a large crowd and is one of the university functions. The various plays and benefits given by the different departments present an opportunity for joining pleasure with duty.

There are four of the men's fraternities which may be called practically the Big Four, as they are the leading four in the Greek letter world. They are D. K. E., Delta Upsilon, Phi Kappa Psi and Psi Upsilon. Not only are they in the front ranks in every line of the college world, but they are four of the oldest fraternities of Syracuse. Their average membership is thirty men. This may seem large to chapters of Phi Psi outside of Syracuse and the New England States. No one, however, who understands conditions here and knows that every fraternity runs in the thirties in membership, will think it remarkable.

The D. C. of the second district will be held in Syracuse, April 14, 15 and 16. We of New York Beta will endeavor to make it the banner District Council of years past, and give a hearty invitation to every Phi Psi in the district and elsewhere to be present.

There are two old customs of Syracuse of peculiar interest to all who have been, or will be freshmen in this university. These are "Flour Night" and the "Salt Rush."

The night preceding opening day of college is "Flour Night." On this occasion the sophomores loaded down with small bags of flour and in many cases lamp black, assemble in a body in the vicinity of Walnut park, which faces on the campus. The "frosh" coached by the juniors congregate near Oakwood cemetery about a quarter of a mile away. After the ranks of both have been filled, each takes up its line of march, meeting at the edge of the campus.

When the forces are about forty yards apart they are instructed in tactics by the seniors and juniors. The word "go" being given, two masses are hurled on each other only to be hidden from view by a cloud of flour, mixed with lamp black, floating in the air. Good natured struggles and wrestling matches galore are indulged in, while both classes are trying their best to push back the other. The scene is intensely interesting, and a large crowd from the city and university is on hand to watch the participants. After a half hour of struggling an upper



UNIVERSITY BLOCK
In which is located the College of Law.

classman could not distinguish his most intimate friend in the yelling, pushing, panting crowd.

When one side has shown its superiority the rush is called off by the seniors. The freshmen then join hands file after file, and march around the streets past the fraternity houses in the vicinity of campus. Finally rallying around their leader on the campus they give their song and yell for the first time, then depart, themselves being as black as the night which surrounds them.

The "Salt Rush" takes place the next morning immediately after "First Chapel." The sophomores do not attend the opening exercises in John Crouse college but assemble outside, each having an abundant supply of small bags of salt. After the exercises are over and all others have departed from John Crouse Assembly Hall, the freshmen who are dressed in their most antique clothes, line up and each has a paint mark put on his face for his confederates to distinguish him in the rush. The class song and yell is given, then in lock step they pass through chapel, preparatory to the rush. So soon as the "frosh" appear from the rear entrance of the college the sophomores are at once in evidence with their salt. It not only rains salt but pours. When the two classes come together a general struggle ensues to push each other over the hill near at hand. The dual scraps and the general rush are very exciting and enjoyed by thousands of spectators. In a short time the freshmen are rubbed so that no class mark appears on them, except their distinctive green. Then the laughable scene takes place of one or two freshmen struggling to throw one of their unrecognized classmates down the hill, for in the general scramble all freshmen look alike. When the pleasantries have been exchanged, the youngsters line up and march around Crouse College three times, trying meanwhile to keep their line intact.

The ranks are composed of a motley crowd. All have on their old clothes, old sweaters and other habilaments of antiquity. Here are three or four with sleeveless shirts and torn sweaters, there are several with faces as verdant as the grass they were rubbed in. All are out of breath and striving in the march to possess that which is quite foreign to them, dignity and precision. The march ended, the sophomore class president issues a challenge from the sophomores to the freshmen for a dual track meet and a series of foot ball games, and the freshman class president accepts. All the undergraduates then join in the college songs "Where the Vale of Onondaga" and "Oh, Syracuse." The immense throng at last disperses, having seen the entering class duly initiated into college.

The most important growth of the university has been left to the last. This is the increase in finance. The great development in this line is due to the excellent financier at the head of the university, namely Chancellor James R. Day. He has the happy faculty of getting in money to run the colleges, while he is at the same time making the moneyed men staunch friends of the

university. A brief summary of finances for the last ten years, or the time me has been chancellor, will illustrate the point.

Receipts from tuition and fees:

Year ending June 1, 1893.....\$29,548.04

Year ending June 1, 1903..... 97,000.00

Total receipts from all sources including special subscriptions toward endowment:

Year ending June 1, 1892.....\$117,045.24

Year ending June 1, 1892..... 779,311.00

Total net resources:

Year ending June 1, 1892.....\$1,708,399.35

Year ending June 1, 1902..... 3,953,351.62

Such is the brief but telling summary of the financial prosperity of Syracuse University. This need only be coupled with the increase in students from eight hundred to two thousand in the last decade to complete the story.

Syracuse University possessed of an excellent faculty, fine location and splendid resources is just coming to realize its possibilities. Its past prosperity and its wonderful present are but stepping stones to that grand future which shall open for it an untold wealth of resources and greatness of power that will place it in the front rank of the universities of the world.

PHI KAPPA PSI—A TOAST.

Written and sung by M. D. Hensey, D. C. Alpha, at the Founders' Day Banquet of the Washington Alumni Association.

Come fill up your glasses with wines old and rare.

And look well that you hold them high—

For I have a toast that will banish all care,

'Tis our dearly loved Phi Kappa Psi.

Let others sing praises or toast what they may.

Or try to belittle her fame;

But brothers, they cannot, for ever and aye

We'll stand by her dearly loved name.

We'll always remember with love and with pride

The days of the goat, grip and sign—

The pipes and the songs as we sat side by side,

Or marched fraters with shields in line.

Then fill up your glasses with wines old and rare.

And loyally hold them high,

And drink me this toast that will banish all care.

God bless dear old Phi Kappa Psi!

PHI KAPPA PSI IN CHICAGO

Thomas R. Weddell, Contributor.

Chicago claims a larger number of Phi Psis than any other city in the country. The new catalogue of the New York Alumni Association records less than 275 members in that vicinity, while Chicago has nearly 350. She is surrounded by Phi Psi territory on all sides, with some of the largest Chapters of the fraternity near by and attracts the young graduates of the colleges of the middle west and east.



*G. F. Rush,
Mich. Alpha, '86.*

Chicago now has over 300 listed and known members of the fraternity. New men are coming in by the scores each year, and many drift away, and there are doubtless many of whom no record has ever been secured. Brother Lincoln M. Coy, Illinois Beta, '83, has devoted much time in the past years to the securing of an accurate list, and now has a card

catalogue which records every known brother, his Chapter and year of initiation, and his home and business address. There are a lot of good fellows among them, and some who have honored their fraternity by preeminence in varied walks of life. But most of them are still young, and in ten years their proportion of judges and doctors of divinity and professors and captains of industry will have greatly increased.

Phi Kappa Psi history in Chicago dates back to 1864, when a Chapter was organized at Northwestern, followed a year later by one at the old University of Chicago. The flame has burned steadily on the Phi Psi altar ever since, but the history of the fraternity as an organization in Chicago, aside from the Chapter life, dates from the organization of the Chicago Alumni Association in 1888. This was the first organized under the new constitution of 1886. Its charter is signed by Senator J. B. Foraker as president; W. C. Wilson as secretary, and George W. Dun as treasurer. Most of the credit for the association is due to the alumni of



*Charles M. Stuart,
Ill. Alpha, '83.*

Illinois Beta, who had no active chapter to rally about in the lapse between the closing of the old university and the birth of the new. The charter members are the following: Lincoln M. Coy, '83; Charles W. Henderson, '82; Guy Brockway, '84; E. A. Buzzell

and T. R. Weddell, '83, all of Illinois Beta; L. W. Crow, '82, of Wisconsin Beta; A. E. Mahe, '85, Ill. A., and F. C. Cole, Mich. A, '81. The association signalized its organization with a banquet, which has been an annual affair ever since, and in 1889 entertained the District Council, and in 1890 the Grand Arch Council, setting a new record for the latter organization.

Chicago has a number of Phi Psis who are an honor to the fraternity in their various walks of life. She has produced members of congress, leaders at the bar, judges on the bench, prominent preachers, famous physicians, successful politicians and leading business men. Take, for instance, the field of politics. Allan C. Durborow, Ind. B., '77, has represented a Chicago district in congress as a democrat, was a candidate again last year, and is contesting the election of the man who was counted in. Edmund W. Burke, Ill. A. '68, is one of the judges of the circuit court. Luther Dearborn, Wis. B. '77, is a member of the Illinois court of claims. George W. Dixon, Ill. A. '85, is a state senator, and his brother, T. J. Dixon, Ill. A. '85, is an alderman. So is W. M. Butterworth, Ind. B. '87, and the Phi Psi alderman are always with the honest majority of the regenerated Chicago council. J. P. Grier, Ill. A. '86, who has just retired as secretary of the Chicago Alumni Association, is an alderman at Evanston. Fred Rush, Mich. A. '86, is a master in chancery, as is Wirt E. Humphrey, Ill. A. '65, Eighth Presbyterian church, and W. E. McLennan, Ill. A. election commissioners. At the bar Phi Psi has such well-known lawyers as J. R. Custer, Pa. E. '64; James Frake, Ill. A. '63, and C. K. Offield, Ill. Alpha '64. Young, ambitious and rising lawyers she has by the score.

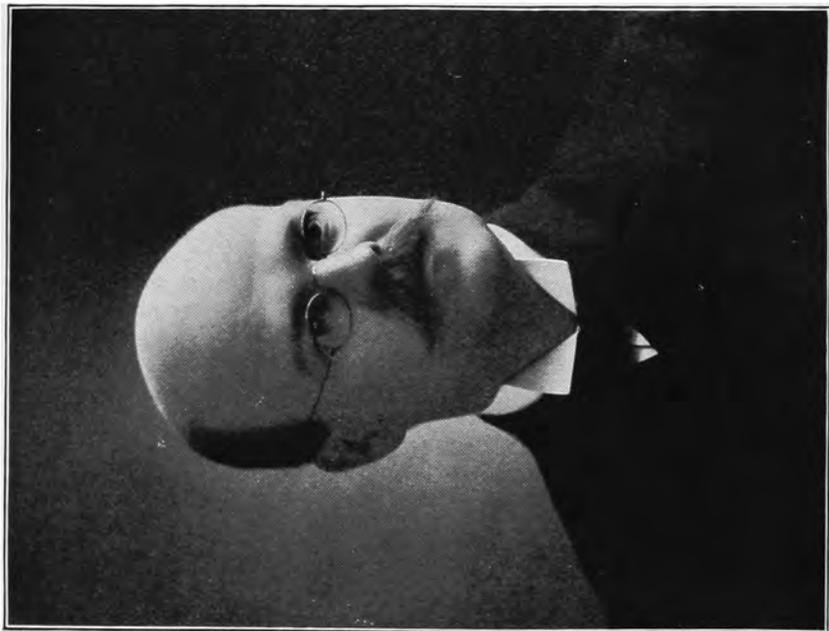
Among the Chicago Phi Psi preachers the following may be mentioned: J. P. Brushingham, Ill. A. '79, First Methodist church, J. N. Hall, Ill. A. '78, Oak Park Methodist church; Thaddeus A. Snively, Pa. Z. '66, St. Chrysostam's Episcopal; T. G. Soares, Minn. B. '88, Oak Park Baptist church; T. D. Wallace, D. D., Pa. A. '65, Eighth Presbyterian church, and W. E. McLennan, Ill. A. '82, Emanuel M. E. church, Evanston.

Not many Phi Psis have gone in for medicine. Archibald Church, Wis. A. '80, who has just completed a term as president of the association, is an eminent specialist on nervous diseases; Winfield S. Hall, Ill. A. '86, is a professor in the Northwestern Medical College, and Frank Taliaferro, Va. B. '66, is one of the veteran practioners of the city and a regular attendant at all Phi Psi feeds.

The fraternity is well represented on the faculties of the two universities of the city. At Northwestern she has the president, Edmund J. James, Ill. A. '94; Robert Baird, Ill. Alpha '68; Charles Horswell, Ill. A. '79, and C. M. Stuart, D. D., Ill. A. '83, the latter the new president of the Alumni Association and the professor of sacred literature in Garrett Biblical Institute. Charles W. Pearson, who recently retired from the faculty of Northwestern because of theological differences, revealed in his book "The Carpenter Prophet," and is now lecturing, is also a Phi Psi.



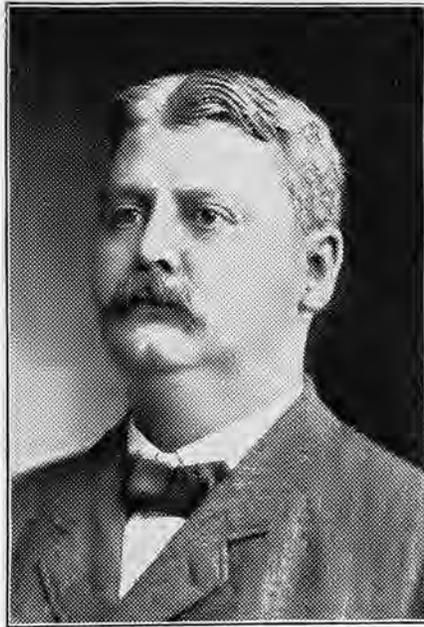
*EDMUND J. JAMES,
III. Alpha, '94.*



*W. S. HOLDEN,
Mich. Alpha, '85.*

At the University of Chicago the members of the faculty who wear the shield are George L. Hendrickson, Wis. G. '83; David J. Lingle, Ill. B. '81, who has been prominent as an assistant of Prof. Jacques Loeb in the scientific discoveries which have attracted so much attention; Oscar L. Triggs, Minn. B. '88, who has become one of the best known members of the faculty, and Lee T. Neff, Ind. A. '88.

Other Phi Psis who have won distinction in their various lines are John G. Wooley, Ohio A. '69, the temperance worker, who was the last Prohibition candidate for president; J. F. Oates, Ill. A. '87, secretary of the Central department of the Y. M. C. A., and Roswell M. Field, Mo. A. '69, the journalist and author.



ALLAN C. DURBOROW.

Ind. Beta, '77.

Chicago has some of the oldest members of the fraternity, and two of them have been specially active and devoted until recently, when severe illness has kept them from the regular meetings. They are ex-Senators Erastus C. Moderwell, Pa. A. '55, and Frank M. Gregg, D. L., Pa. B. '55, both of whom were models to the youngest alumni in their enthusiastic devotion to Phi Kappa Psi.

Some of the Chicago Phi Psis have served the general fraternity with distinction. The Rev. Ernest M. Stires was a Chicagoan when he was elected president at the Grand Arch Council at Columbus in 1900. Walter S. Holden, Mich. A. '85, has been vice-president and secretary. G. Fred Rush, Mich. A. '86, his law

partner, has been editor of the Shield and is now doing good work as chairman of the Chapter house committee. F. H. Robertson, Kan. A. '96, is editor of the next Phi Psi song book, and the composer of the popular Phi Kappa Psi Two-Step. H. K. Craits, Mich. A. '97, the present archon of the Fourth District, is taking his law course in Chicago. Frank C. Bray, Pa. B. '86, former editor of "The Shield," is now a Chicagoan as the editor of the Chautauquan.

In a number of cases fraternity friendships have been carried into business or professional association. Phi Psi law firms are Rush & Holden, both of Mich. A., and Tuttle & Grier, both of Ill. A. George C. Nimmons, Ohio G. '82, and W. K. Fellows, N. Y. G. '92, make up the prosperous firm of Nimmons & Fellows, architects. Thomas C. and Joseph W. Moulding, both of Ill. A., are officers of the Thomas Moulding Co., prominent in the brick business. The Dixon brothers from Ill. A., formerly mentioned



Illinois Alpha Chapter House, 1902-3.

as politicians, are associated in the Arthur Dixon Transfer Co. The three Durborow brothers from Ind. B.—Allan C., Clarence E. and Conrad B.—are associated in the casualty insurance business.

Some of the Chicago Phi Psis who are well known in business circles are Joseph Halstead, Mich. A. '82, architectural iron manufacturer; Conway W. Hillman, Pa. Z. '69, auditor of the Metropolitan Elevated Railway; R. S. Johnston, Pa. Theta, '76, president of the Star and Crescent Milling Co.; Charles F. Piper, Ill. A. '79; secretary and treasurer of the Royal League; Theodore Perry Shonts, Ill. G. '74, president of the Indiana, Illinois and Iowa Railway, and Samuel M. Smith, Wis. G. '86, secretary of the Endowment Rank of the Knights of Pythias.

Illinois leads in membership of the alumni association, with 70 men. Michigan A. has 43, Illinois B. 35, Wisconsin G. 16, New York Alpha 11, Indiana B. 10 and Wisconsin A. 9.

The Chicago Alumni Association has contributed liberally to the various Chapter house schemes in the colleges from which its members came, and is specially interested in those of the two Chicago universities. Illinois Beta gives most of the credit for her's to Lincoln M. Coy, who organized the plan and financed the deal by which she got the finest Chapter house at the university, and members of the association are at the head of the Northwestern enterprise.

Annual banquets come too far apart for the enthusiastic Chicago Phi Psis, and so for nearly a year a lot of them have fallen into the habit of lunching together at the Saratoga, 179 Dearborn street, on Thursdays. Tables are always reserved for them, and often twenty or thirty brothers get together for from twenty minutes to an hour about the fraternal board. These meetings have never been advertised, except as word has been passed from one brother to another, and any Phi Psi, whether from Chicago or elsewhere, will always be sure of a welcome and a place at the Saratoga on Thursday noons.

***Some Reflections on the Harvard Phi
Kappa Psi Club.*** *o* *o* *o*

Brother E. T. Hartman, of the Boston A. A., sends to the Shield the manuscript of a delightful little speech made at a recent banquet of the Boston A. A. by a member of the Harvard club. The modest author requests that his name be not used.

"I had not imagined, Brother Symposiarch, that, on this festive occasion, I should be thus ruthlessly dragged forth from the comfortable obscurity, whence I have just arisen, into the great, white light of post-prandial prominence. I had fondly fancied that the worthy head of our Harvard organization, acute criminal lawyer that he is soon to become, would be selected to plead our case before this lofty and enlightened tribunal, and that the result of his efforts would be an immediate acquittal for the rest of us, without ourselves being put to trial. Since, however, such has not proved to be the case, and I am to be butchered to make a Phi Psi holiday, I shall proceed to my remarks without other apology than that, at this stage of the game, I am really too full for utterance.

"I suppose I am expected to say a few words about the Harvard club. As individuals, our position is unusual, as I shall attempt to show. As an organization of the Phi Kappa Psi fraternity, it is unique, in that we are its only Alumni club. Many of us did not burst our shells at the conclusion of our college courses, and, as yet unhatched into the world, have been taken from beneath the nurturing wing of Alma Mater, and committed to the more or less indefinite cold storage of the Harvard Graduate Schools.

And to some of us, after the warmth of active fraternity life, our condition does seem at times most woefully irigid. But of these be it said, in the language of scripture, that many are cold, but few are frozen; and that those that attend the banquets of the Boston Alumni Association are neither. Others of us are exotic flowers that sprouted far away, but whose bloom and sweetness was reserved for other than their native clime. We have a regular membership of seventeen; and in this, eleven Chapters are represented. There are also three honorary members; them we may pity, but not blame; they are members of the Harvard faculty. (Still we are proud of them.)

"Our organization is necessarily somewhat loose. Local conditions and the fact that we are not self-selected and self-perpetuating preclude anything like the closeness of Chapter life. We are simply an organization founded for the mutual acquaintance of Phi Psis in Harvard, and for continuous and reciprocally helpful contact with the parent fraternity and its constituent Chapters. Our attitude toward individual Phi Psis is one of hearty and brotherly welcome, and toward the various organized bodies of the fraternity, one of attention and, as far as may be, of co-operation. We like to call ourselves, also, the Boston Reserves, and to fly to the rescue whenever Brother Hartman is trying to draft recruits to fill, or rather to empty, the table. We are a club, composed, I trust, as all clubs should be, of good timber; but in spite of the paradox, without a stick among us.

"I would like to extend this ligneous, this (so to speak) wooden figure a degree further. In these days when bituminous is a tradition, and anthracite a legendary dream, timber is quite properly a fuel. Now the Phi Kappa Psi Powers, in their wisdom, provided for three kinds of apparatus in which the fire of fraternal feeling might be kept warm. The Chapter is a furnace in which the fuel, green and otherwise, is kindled and roused into a brisk heat; a club is a grate where the embers are kept smoldering by occasional stirring; and an alumni association is an urn for the preservation of the ashes. But just as, on the one hand, we occasionally find to our sorrow clinkers in the furnace; so, on the other, embers may now and then be blown into a bright blaze—and among those to whom I have jocosely alluded as the ashes, gray, some of them, with time, there are genial coals that glow with an inextinguishable fervor, in whose presence we like to warm ourselves from the chilliness of the world, and to rekindle our own flickering spirit. An urn for revered ashes, indeed; but no ash-barrel! Therefore you, guests of the Boston Alumni Association, and we of the Harvard club, at once its guests and its loyal members, might perhaps be described in the phraseology of political economy as the un-urned increment.

"So we of the the Harvard club stand here tonight in a sort of midway stage. We are, most, though not all, of us, neither of the college nor of the world. In you, delegates from our New England Alphas, we see the life that was ours, and is ours no longer. Your presence rouses in us memory, surest to man of

earthly gifts, for it cannot die. In you, men of business and of the professions, we see, some of us, the life that is to be ours in a few short seasons. We see, all of us, living pledges that years, whatever tricks they may play with our interests and our fortunes, are powerless to cool the Phi Psi spirit. You therefore speak to us of hope and assurance, dearest of gifts to the human heart. To us, then, there is in these banquets a three-fold pleasure, the varied enjoyment of the present for its own sake; the dear memories of an irrevocable past; and the possession, as here demonstrated, of a fellowship that neither time nor space can dissolve—a promised fellowship of the fraternal eternal.”



EDITORIAL



"The Shield" is issued somewhat earlier than usual this month in order that it may reach its readers before the dates set for the several District Councils. Elsewhere in this issue appears a series of articles giving the order of business at these meetings. "The Shield" cannot too strongly urge upon the undergraduates the importance of attending the conventions of the fraternity. The man

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who goes through college without coming into contact with the broader relations of the Greek letter life has missed entirely a very important phase of fraternity experience. The Councils are largely social in their character, it is true, the legislative functions being reserved for the Grand Arch Council and the Executive Council. Yet indirectly the District Councils have a very important influence in determining the policy of the fraternity, because they are charged with the duty of electing members of the E. C., a majority of the membership of that body, in fact. Especial care should be taken in the choice of archons. Men of good business judgment and enthusiasm for the fraternity are needed. Phi Kappa Psi has prospered in recent years because of sound business management. We should continue in the course which we are now moving. The District Councils should not be forgotten by the alumni. Their presence is needed at these gatherings, and the Councils are always a source of renewed enthusiasm to those who get within their influence. Let the first series of District Councils to be held in the second half century of the fraternity's existence be notable in the matter of attendance and interest.

The unit rule is one of the distinctive characteristics of the college fraternity system. Occasionally an effort is made to overthrow it, but it is usually found that the only opposition it has, and that involuntarily, comes from those who are disposed to abuse it. Some men find in the unit rule an encouragement for stubbornness, learn to rather pride themselves in being a bit different from their

The Unit Rule

fellows, and come to believe that the way to create the impression that one has well-grounded convictions, or superior wisdom, is to use the veto power on as many occasions as possible. It is hardly necessary to say that it was no intention of encouraging men to be arbitrary that inspired the incorporation of the unit rule in our polity. The very fact that so arbitrary a power

exists should tend to make the wise man cautious in using it. The brother with liberal views will always recognize the fact that there is always argument in an overwhelming majority—an argument that must be met with something more substantial than any opinionated or provincial view of policy. Otherwise there would be in this unit rule the germ of death. If every one of the twenty or thirty members of a chapter, or every one of the chapters of a fraternity should enter upon a settled policy of obstruction, the sum of all these whims would be annihilation for the organization.

We brave the danger of becoming tiresome on this topic to commend to all our readers the plan of Brother March and his associates in the Rocky Mountain Alumni Association, for a

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national summer camp of Phi Psis under the afternoon shadow of Mount Long. We hope that the circulars recently sent out by the Denver brothers will meet with a ready and generous response. Those who know what sort of spirit animates the Phi Psis of the Rocky Mountain Association know that there is not the faintest tinge of selfishness about this proposition. The plan has been undertaken by this organization, as other plans affecting the welfare of the fraternity have been, in a spirit of enthusiasm for Phi Kappa Psi and all it stands for. The point touched upon in the circular will strike a responsive chord among all members of "The Shield." Every year more than a score of Phi Psis go to the Rocky Mountain region in search of health. It will be a pretty good thing, brothers, to be able to fight consumption, if it must be fought, in the midst of the companionship for which this permanent camp will stand. We need this institution, and we must support it, as we have all other fraternity enterprises, unselfishly and with enthusiasm. "The Shield" knows of what sort of stuff the alumni of Phi Kappa Psi are made, and it believes that there is among them enough generosity and enthusiasm to make this project an assured success from the start. Take up the matter with Bro. E. R. March, Colorado Building, Denver, Colorado.

Presidents of some of the larger institutions are seriously discussing the question of shortening the college course to three years. Because such a departure would have a very vital bearing

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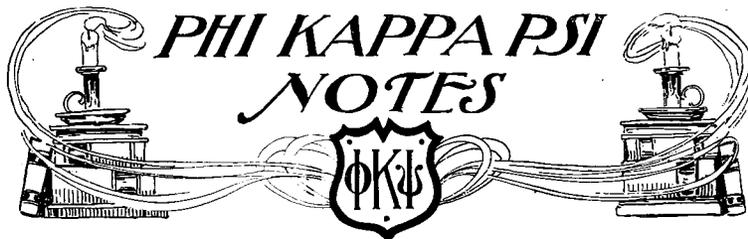
on the college fraternity system, the proposal has an unusual interest to Greek letter men. The most serious obstacle to the permanent strength of the average chapter at this time is the rapidity with which the membership changes, and the consequent scarcity of seasoned fraternity men. It is doubtless true that the personnel of the average student body has changed more rapidly during the past few years than ever before. It has been a period of great activity in industrial lines, the call for the services of intelligent and

educated young men has been greater than at any previous time in the history of the country, and the result is that fewer men have been lingering for a degree. This is the condition which brings to the surface this discussion of a shortened college course. Few men of mature years will say that their college life covered too long a period; most of them wish it might have lasted longer. The average student does not get into thorough sympathy with academic surroundings until he has entered upon his junior college year,—and then there are but two brief years ahead of him. It may true that his last nine months in college might be spent to better advantage; from a financial standpoint, getting a standing in the world outside, but have we become so thoroughly commercialized that we recognize no other standard of success than the winning of wealth or even of the evanescent quantity called fame? There is so much of the spirit of change prevalent in educational circles, that there may be opposition to the present four year course merely because it has been so long established, but those who cherish college life because of its associations and its atmosphere, as well as for the mental training it affords, will hope that the present plans for educational rapid transit will fail.

We get on familiar ground again when we talk of the growth of the fraternity journal; this is in no spirit of boasting, but because it is evidence of the spirit existing among the alumni. It took

The Shield's Growth.

nearly a ton of paper to print the March "Shield," as much as it used to take, and not so very many years ago, to get out the entire edition for the greater part of the year. Every month this year there has been a substantial increase in the number of copies of "The Shield" printed, and every month there has been a shortage in the edition before all calls could be complied with. Five hundred names have been added to the subscription list, and all from among the alumni, during the past year, and the new names continue to come in, many of them secured by readers without special effort from this office. Missionary work of this character counts, not only for the journal, but for the entire fraternity, not only for the present but for the future. At the District Councils we hope a special effort will be made to secure the subscription of every alumnus in attendance who does not now take the journal. In return we agree to make the next number of "The Shield" something more than a chapter letter issue, and to incorporate in it reports of the several Councils.



Bro. William B. Austin is a successful lawyer and investment banker at Rensselaer, Indiana.

T. V. Parker, Mass. Alpha '00, is the proud father of a son who is already booked for Mass. Alpha '24.

"'The Shield' deserves success," writes Judge H. C. Allen, of Indianapolis. "It is an honor to the fraternity."

Bro. H. B. Knight is vice-president of Whitworth College, a flourishing institution located at Tacoma, Washington.

Bro. H. K. Cortright, Pa. Iota ex-'04, is a member of the firm of Conard & Cortright, dealers in cotton yarn, 240 Chestnut St., Philadelphia.

Bro. Edw. T. Reed is president and treasurer of the Joseph G Reed Company, wholesale dry goods and notions, of Portsmouth, Ohio.

Bro. Roy Reger has returned from Manila, P. I., where he has been engaged in teaching, and is now at his home near Rural Dale, W. Va.

Bro. Geo. W. Ross is the senior member of the law firm of Ross & Todd, Chicago attorneys, with offices at Suite 1303, Chamber of Commerce.

Bro. James Minnick is superintendent of the Chicago bureau of charities for the West Side, with headquarters at Room 338, 181 W. Madison St.

Bro. Leonard Groh is rector of St. Mark's Lutheran Church at Omaha, Neb. Rev. Groh was recently given the degree of D. D. by Susquehanna University.

The editor of "The Shield" has been appointed private secretary to the Governor of Indiana. His "Shield" address remains, however, Box 87, Marion, Indiana.

President Roosevelt has appointed Bro. Stires, ex-president of Phi Kappa Psi, a member of the board of visitors to the U. S. Military Academy at West Point.

Two Phi Psis are connected with the American News Company. Brothers J. Howard Rhodes, 26 City Hall Place, New York City, and Emil White, of San Francisco.

The law firm of Pettes & McAllister, of McKeesport, Pa., is strictly a Phi Psi affair. Both members of the firm, B. H. Pettes and H. J. McAllister are loyal wearers of the shield.

Hon Martin Bell, of Hollidaysburg, Pa., Pa. Gamma '67, was renominated for Judge of the Blair County Courts at the Republican primary on March 7, defeating his opponent by 3,500 votes.

On Saturday evening, March 28, the Rocky Mountain Alumni Association gave a well attended dinner at the University Club, Denver. A characteristically unique and interesting invitation was issued.

Dr. Frederick U. Davis, Minn. Beta, of St. Clair, Minn., writes: "The chapter picture idea as a 'Shield' feature is splendid. It is my first introduction to most of the Freshmen members of Minnesota Beta."

Bro. Frederick L. Anderson, Ill. Beta, brother of Bro. Elbridge R. Anderson, president of the Boston Alumni Association, is professor of New Testament Interpretation in Newton Theological Seminary, Newton Center, Mass.

Earl E. Young, Indiana Delta '02, Harvard '03, writes from Cambridge: "If you know of any Phi Psis coming to Boston as strangers, send them to see some of us. We have some loyal Phi Psis in our Harvard Club who love to meet as in the old chapter days."

Frank H. Bayne, Ill. Alpha '97, proprietor of the Warren Grist Mills, at Warren, Ill., writes: "We can't do without good things like 'The Shield,' even if we do wear old clothes as a result. 'The Shield' gets better right along, and Bro. Monnette's report ought to make us all better Phi Psis."

"The Shield" is in receipt of two interesting archon's printed reports, one by Bro. Harry K. Crafts, of the Fourth District, and one by Bro. A. W. Towne, of the First. Both deserve more extended mention, but they may be described briefly with the statement that they are worthy of all praise.

One of the headliners at the Grand Theatre, Indianapolis, during the week of March 30 was Clay Clement, a well known Phi Psi. Friday, April 3, he was the guest of honor at the luncheon of the Indianapolis Alumni Association given at the Columbia Club. Friday evening the Alumni association attended the performance in a body.

E. M. VanCleve, Ohio Alpha, superintendent of schools at Greenville, Ohio, is glorying in the most recent addition to the educational establishment of which he is the head, a beautiful new Carnegie library. "That two-step of Robertson's," he writes, "is a good thing. Our pianist here at this building plays it for the children to march by, and it has the swing."

C. F. M. Niles, our worthy treasurer, is talked of for the Democratic mayoralty nomination in Toledo. Phi Kappa Psi can give him a first-class certificate of character as an executive official and would rejoice mightily at his preferment. Bro. Niles recently visited the Indianapolis alumni while in the Hoosier capital for the purpose of purchasing an automobile.

Dr. Edmund J. James, Ill. Alpha, president of Northwestern University, was the guest of Northwestern alumni residing in New England on the occasion of a dinner given at Hotel Bellevue, Boston, Mass. Bro. Edwin Balmer '02, now at Harvard, delivered an address on behalf of the active alumni. Bro. H. C. Johnson '03, also a Harvard student, was among those present.

Bro. Geo. Gibson Hurst, of Florence, Miss., former archon of the Southern district, needs the following "Shields" to complete his file: Vols. 1, 2, 3, 4 and 5 complete; Vol. 6 except Nos. 2 and 7; Nos. 5 and 10, Vol. 7; Nos. 1, 3 and 10, Vol. 8; Vol. 11; No. 7, Vol. 12; all of Vol. 13; No. 2, Vol. 15. "I can't find Vol. 13," writes Bro. Hurst, "and everyone I hear from wants to complete it."

W. B. Rogers and P. S. Gardiner, both Michigan Alpha Phi Psis, have been elected president and vice-president, respectively, of the First National Bank, of Laurel, Miss. "This is an evidence," writes Bro. George G. Hurst, "of how these 'Michiganders' in the south are 'getting there.' It's amusing, but there's a class of illiterate people who live in the 'piney woods' who call all timber speculators 'Michiganders,' accent heavy on the penult., because most of the timber men down here, not natives, are from that state."

The Hattiesburg, Miss., Citizen, says: "Hon. T. Brady, Jr., of Brookhaven, has spent several days here, and as attorney for a large syndicate, consummated an important real estate transaction yesterday whereby Hon. Benjamin Stevens, of Augusta, disposed of his large holdings of timber lands to the Tallahala Lumber Company at Ellisville, for a consideration of \$150,000. These buyers are interested in lumber mills at Brookhaven, Ora. Mish, Ellisville and perhaps elsewhere." Mr. Brady is a Miss. Alpha Phi Psi, while the Capt. Stevens mentioned is the father of four Phi Psis of the same chapter.

"The Shield" acknowledges letters of encouragement and commendation from Bro. Francis H. Robertson, editor of the Song Book, manager of the Chicago office of Brown & Bigelow; Jno. R. Bowen, N. Y. Alpha '96, with Robert M. Hunt & Co., engineers, with offices in The Rookery, Chicago; I. M. Stewart, Ind. Alpha '92, assistant professor of Physics at the University of Missouri, Columbia, Mo.; Paul C. Burchard, of Ft. Atkinson, Wisconsin, secretary and treasurer of the Phi Kappa Psi Association of Beloit College, and C. B. Miller, Minn. Beta, of the law firm of Adams & Miller, 515 Torrey building, Duluth, Minn.

One of the features of the Founders' Day banquet at Washington was a speech of Bro. James L. Norris, one of the most prominent business men and political leaders of the District of Columbia and active in behalf of Phi Psi interests at all times. Brother Norris spoke eloquently of the years during which Phi Psis were entering the contending armies in the great war of 1861-5. He punctured the pretensions of Brothers Middleton, Clement and Browne as poets, reciting several verses of which they claimed to be the authors, but which he showed by well authenticated records were at least a half century old. Bro. Norris promises soon to lead a pilgrimage to the American elm tree planted on semi-centennial Founders' Day at Mount Vernon and to give 'The Shield' an account of the trip.

The engagement of Will W. Lockwood, Ind. Alpha, assistant secretary of the Y. M. C. A. at Omaha, to Miss Mary Towne, of Greencastle, is announced. Bro. Lockwood with his bride is to sail in the fall for Shanghai, China, where he enters the European Y. M. C. A. work in that city as an international secretary for the Y. M. C. A. Miss Towne is a DePauw Theta and a classmate of Bro. Lockwood. Her father and two brothers are Ind. Alpha Phi Psis, while Bro. Lockwood has three Phi Psi brothers belonging to the same chapter. Miss Towne has a sister who is a DePauw Theta as has also Bro. Lockwood. To complete the coincidence, although the families are not related, Miss Towne will have, after her marriage, her mother's maiden name. The wedding will take place at Greencastle during the summer.

Associate Justice Harry M. Clabaugh, D. C. Alpha, has been appointed by President Roosevelt Chief Justice of the District of Columbia. The Washington Star says in commenting on the appointment: "The selection meets with the hearty and practically unanimous approval of the bar. Chief Justice Clabaugh is one of the most popular and at the same time most highly respected jurists who ever sat in a local court. Since his appointment as a member of the District Supreme Court, nearly four years ago, he has made a record of which any man might well be proud. Chief Justice Clabaugh is little more than forty-five years of age, and is charmingly affable in manner. He is a native of Maryland, and was serving as the attorney general of that state when selected in 1899 by President McKinley to succeed Senator Comas as an associate justice of the District Supreme Court."



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Philadelphia Alumni Association.

Wistar E. Patterson, Contributor.

The regular annual dinner of the Philadelphia Alumni Association was held at the University club of Philadelphia on the evening of the 19th of March. The gathering was one of the largest and most successful that we have had in recent years, and some 110 loyal brothers assisted at the feast and afterwards listened to the heart to heart talks that were vouchsafed to us by several of our more noted brothers. Bro. M. M. Gibson of Norristown, Pa., presided as symposiarch and did ample justice to the occasion and to the remarks of each speaker in turn as he took his seat.

At the meeting of the association the following officers were elected to serve for the ensuing year:

President—David Halstead.
Vice-president—Walter L. Clothier.
Sec'y-Treas—Wistar E. Patterson.

The following were appointed as delegates to the D. C. at Gettysburg: David Halstead, Channing Way, Chas. E. Merritt, Carl S. Williams and Walter Lippincott.

Those present were:

Wm. C. Gross, Glenn C. Heller, Wm. H. Lloyd, Dr. G. G. Davis, I. Lynn Barnard, Paul Denniston, Samuel Riddle, W. N. Wilbur, Wm. Campbell Posey, Carl Williams, Carl H. Reed, Richard Peters, Jacob Verlinden, Walter Clothier, Frank DeArmond, Clarence DeArmond, David J. Myers, W. H. Bower, Edward H. Nesbitt, Cyrus N. Anderson, Chas. Ewan Merritt, Byron Beans, James J. Lippincott, Paul Weeks, Samuel S. Sadtler, J. J. L. Houston, Wm. P. String, Maxwell Langdon, Howard Breemer, Frank Rommel, Walter C. Longstreth,

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Johnstown Alumni Association.

Albert T. Smith, Contributor.

Since our last letter to "The Shield" we have elected the following new set of officers to serve for the ensuing year: Rev. C. C. Hays, D. D., G. P.; Frank S. Love, P.; Albert T. Smith, A. G.; Bruce H. Campbell, B. G.; A. L. G. Hay, Ph.; Capt. E. O. Kooser, H. All of the officers have entered upon their duties with such zest as gives promise of a good Phi Psi year.

Our recent holiday gathering has done much to stir up Phi Psi spirit in both old and young alike, but more especially in some of the older members whose spirit has been lying dormant for years. This is not only the source of much satisfaction to us but also of much real genuine pleasure to all the brothers present.

We trust that any and all Phi Psis residing in counties surrounding Cambria or territory contiguous, who have not as yet heard from us, will kindly drop us a line and let us know their whereabouts. We want to get together. We want to place you on our mailing list and have you with us at all times that it is possible to do so.

At our last meeting we elected to membership in our association a good old Phi Psi, in the person of Maj. T. D. Cunningham. Bro. Cunningham is cashier of the First National bank at Blairsville. He is a Pa. Alpha man and was initiated in '59. He is one of those old "young" Phi Psis of whom we have every reason to be proud.

We also elected Bro. Selah Linton as delegate to the D. C. at Gettysburg, with the writer as alternate.

At the polls on Saturday last the republicans of Blair county demonstarted their confidence in Hon. Martin Bell, one of our Phi Psis of this section, by renominating him for president judge of the county which position he now holds. This shows that our brother has been tried and not found wanting. The victory was most signal and decisive. We unite in congratulating Bro. Bell in his triumph, for in Blair county the republican nomination practically means the election.

The brothers are already preparing for our annual outing which is to be held at Somerset, Pa., near about the middle of July. This will be a great Phi Psi rally and we want you all with us.

Before concluding we wish to take this opportunity to commend Bros. Lockwood and Monnette, the former for the most excellent issue of the February "Shield," and the latter for the most thorough and comprehensive report of the fraternity contained therein. These two brothers cannot be too highly praised for the efficient manner in which they handle their respective work.

We extend to our brothers greetings and best wishes for the year and also a cordial invitation to call upon us when in the vicinity.

Michigan Alpha.

Dr. C. J. Miner, Mich. Alpha '82, is located at 15 Paris building, Manila, P. I., where he has been for the past year. His specialty is diseases of the eye and ear. He is on the staff of a new dispensary established by Bishop Brunt of the Episcopal Church, which consists of twelve of the best physicians, both American and Filipino.

The Peoria, Ill., Herald-Transcript of March 12, 1903, contains the following: "Walter H. Kirk, the republican nominee for city attorney, was born at Baxter Springs, Kansas, December 5, 1870, the eldest of three children of John E. and Laura J. (Sevier) Kirk. In his infancy Mr. Kirk's parents moved to California where they remained for a year or so, returning later to their native state, Missouri, where they settled at Salisbury, Chariton county. Here Mr. Kirk first attended school. When he was ten years of age, his parents removed to Peoria, arriving August, 1881, and this has ever since been his home.

In 1886 he graduated from the old Franklin school on Moss avenue and entered the Peoria high school from which with high honor he graduated in 1890 and entered the literary department of the University of Michigan at Ann Arbor, a candidate for the degree of A. B. but owing to his father's decline in health he was obliged to discontinue his college course in December of that year and did not again resume it until January, 1893, when he returned and entered the law department from which he graduated with a degree of LL. B. in June, 1894.

"While in college he was well liked and popular with his professors and fellow students and was a valued contributor both in prose and in verse, to the leading college publications at Ann Arbor while there. He is a member of the Phi Kappa Psi fraternity of which Hon. John E. Keene of this city is also a member, although of another college chapter.

"Returning from college in 1894 Mr. Kirk opened a law office and entered upon the practice of his profession. Since that time his business has grown and developed until today, making a specialty of corporation and commercial law, he numbers among his clients some of the largest and most conservative business interests in the city of Peoria.

"In 1901 he was nominated and elected a member of the board of supervisors and will complete his term, at a meeting of the board to be held this month. While a member he has served upon some of the most important committees and his keen judgment and sound advice has very materially aided in the administration of the county's best interests while he has been there. At the suggestion of State's Attorney Tefft, he was called upon by the court, as associate counsel to assist in the defense of a certain suit brought by the city against the county involving upwards of twenty-one thousand dollars, known as 'The Small-Pox Cases.' State's Attorney Tefft and his assistant were busily engaged with other duties and the burden of handling and looking after the defense of this suit for the county was placed upon Mr. Kirk. With such skill and ability did he address himself to the task that in consequence of his efforts and attention, the city, after a stubborn effort to get its case before the court accepted a settlement at seven thousand dollars.

"Besides being a member of all the Masonic bodies, he also belongs to several other fraternal organizations, but so broad and liberal are his views that he is popular and well liked by all as his magnificent race of Monday last fully demonstrates. He is of recognized ability and of great promise and is in every way abundantly qualified and able to perform all the duties of city attorney."

New York Alumni Association.

Walter A. Dyer, Contributor.

The monthly meetings of the New York Alumni Association have been of unusual interest this winter, and remarkably well attended. The March meeting and dinner, held at the Arena on the 16th, was no exception to the rule. It was Zeta night. After Bro. John I. Anderson had given an interesting report of the recent dinner in Washington, D. C., and Bro. McCorkle of the annual rally in Boston, the evening was turned over to the New York Zeta chapter, which attended in a body. Among other interesting things, the Poly boys told the alumni more about Zeta's past, present and future than the most of them had known before. Bro. Journeay made an excellent symposiarch. It was the eve of St. Patrick's Day, and the Irish stories came thick and fast. In addition to the entertainers from Zeta, Bro. Walter Graham told a bunch of good ones, and Bro. Phil

Leakin sang a couple of songs, including his popular success, "Oh, baloo-balable."

The next meeting and dinner will be held on April 20 and will be in the hands of the New York Gamma boys.

A committee is getting up a new song book for the association, the old ones having been slowly but surely carted away by song-loving brothers. The new collection will contain one or two new ones, and the best of the old ones.

Pittsburg Alumni.

We had the pleasure of two California Phi Psis at our weekly luncheon in February, Bro. "Eddie" Pomeroy, Pa. Theta, now representing the P. R. R. freight interests on the Pacific coast, and Bro. Paul Schilling, Cal. Gamma, who had been called home from Germany where he was taken sick while on a tour round the world. They are both royal Phi Psis.

Our honorable brother, Judge McClung, has added to his fame and popularity by stopping a sparring match between Jeffries and Fitzsimmons. Much editorial praise followed his wise action.

Already we are on the lookout for new men for next fall. Last week we had two promising "preps" at lunch, looking them over.

Occasionally some of the brothers bring an outsider to our Thursday luncheons,—and we give him a taste of Phi Psi. Last week we entertained Mr. John Collins of Sewickley, a rising member of society and an official of the Great Lakes Coal Co.

Many active brothers are home from college on Easter vacation. We have noted Bro. John Clemens, Chas. Hartje, Raymond Baer, of Pa. Theta, about town renewing acquaintances.

Bro. James McGunnegle, N. Y. Alpha, is a busy brother we see little of, as his duties on the pay car of the P. R. R. lines west of Pittsburg keep him away much of the time. He travels as far as Chicago in his car.

Bro. Shirley Austin, Pa. Beta, has accepted a fine position with Robert Hall, the big broker, and has been made a member of the local stock exchange. We predict a great future for Bro. Austin.

The following is taken from the Pittsburg Gazette of Sunday, March 22, 1903: "Greek letter fraternity men in this city are planning the formation of a Pan-Hellenic club, an organization unique in its purposes but believed to be demanded by the large number of Greek letter men in this city and an extraordinarily active interest the alumni residing in this city continue to take in the various 'frats' after they have left college.

"The plan had its birth in the regular weekly meetings of several of the larger fraternities at hotels and restaurants every week. The idea arose simultaneously in several of the groups that it would be possible to secure more appropriate surroundings for these meetings. The Delta Tau Delta and the Phi Kappa Psi members especially have discussed the plan, and it has met with great favor among them. On the strength of this a little investigation was started. It was found that in 'Greater Pittsburg' are more than 2,000 alumni of college and university Greek letter fraternities, and that about 35 of these associations, including every one of importance, are represented in Pittsburg.

"With this number to draw from, it was suggested a club with permanent and attractive quarters would be possible. Two plans were proposed for this, one being quarters in one of the many big office buildings, the other that of securing a house devoted only to the club purposes. The organization would be pre-eminently a luncheon club for the majority of the members, as planned in the informal talks of the members. The initiation fee and the dues would be kept moderate in order to be no barrier to young men whose incomes as yet do not permit expensive club life. The majority of the prospective members are business and professional men with offices in the lower part of the city, and for them such a luncheon club would be a great convenience.

"As suggested now, the club would also be the headquarters for the many fraternal social events that are held annually in the city. The annual banquets, the smokers and other features would be held in the club instead of restaurants and hotels. Visiting fraternity men from other towns and college students home from school, where

they are active members of fraternities, would find headquarters at this club.

"Among those taking the most active interest in the plan at present are D. H. Holbrook, Delta Tau Delta, of the Pennsylvania Malleable Company, Frick building; Shirley P. Austin, Phi Kappa Psi, of Robert C. Hull & Co., brokers, Pittsburgh Bank for Savings building; Dr. J. L. McCurdy, Fifth avenue and Pride street, Delta Tau Delta; J. Merrill Wright, Esq., Pittsburgh, Phi Delta Theta; Berford Brittain, Carnegie Steel Company, Pittsburgh, Phi Kappa Psi; Edward Mattern, Pittsburgh, Phi Gamma Delta; the Rev. A. V. C. Dieffenbach, Bellevue, Phi Kappa Sigma; George B. Kuntz of J. L. D. Speer & Co., and T. D. Sensor, principal of the Howard school, Delta Tau Delta."

Chicago Alumni Association.

The annual banquet of the Chicago Alumni Association was held Friday evening, March 6th at Kinsley's. Eighty-six members were present. Dr. Archibald Church, Wis. Alpha '80, presided at the business meeting. Rev. Charles M. Street, Ill. Alpha '83, acted as toastmaster. The following was the program:

"Phi Psi and Physic".....Robert B. Preble, M. D., Mich. Alpha '85.
 "Phi Psi and Clergy".....Rev. John N. Hall, Ill. Alpha '78.
 "Fraternity Life at University of Chicago".....
Roy D. Keehn, Indiana Beta '95.
 "Fraternity Expansion".....Walter S. Holden, Mich. Alpha '85.

The following officers were elected for the ensuing year: President, Rev. Charles N. Stuart, Ill. Alpha '83; secretary, Roy D. Keehn, Indiana Beta '95; treasurer, John H. Bartelme, Mich. Alpha '96; members of executive committee, Francis H. Robertson, Kas. Alpha '96, and Lincoln M. Coy, Ill. Beta '83.

Massachusetts Alpha Alumni Notes.

Herbert F. Hamilton '97, is teaching in the high school in Flushing, Long Island, N. Y.

Simon G. Eliason, who has been enveloped in silence for the past three or four years, has at last been heard from. He sent in a fine young contribution to the chapter library fund. He is living in Montivideo, Minn.

Arthur W. Towne '01, sailed for the north and the D. C. the first of the month. His temporary address is 113 College Place, Syracuse, N. Y.

Ellery C. Clapp '02, substituted during the fall term as principal of Smith Academy, Hatfield, Mass. Since then he has been in charge of Conwell Academy, South Worthington, Mass., which closed on March 20. He is now at home at 23 River Road, Northampton, Mass.

Pennsylvania Alumni Association.

Chas. L. Bryden Contributor.

The Easton Alumni Association of Phi Kappa Psi has been founded and has held two or three meetings. We have ten members now in Easton and we are looking out for alumni in the nearby towns to join us.

At our last meeting the following officers were elected: President, Bro. P. C. Evans, Pa. Theta '74; treasurer, Bro. C. B. Green, Pa. Theta '86; secretary, C. L. Bryden, Pa. Theta '02.

On December 6, 1902, eight of our members signed a petition for a charter. It was presented to the E. C. and on January 15 we got notice that the E. C. had granted us a charter.

Although we have just formed we expect to send a delegate to the coming D. C. at Gettysburg.

Easton, Pa., March 20, 1903.



Pennsylvania Beta—Allegheny College.

Watkin P. Sturtevant, Correspondent.

With Easter exams, and moving close upon us, Pa. Beta Phi Psis are more than busy, but from all reports no one fears the exams. and we will be all moved and settled by next term in our new house near the college chapel. Of course we are very glad that we will from henceforth live in our own house which has an unsurpassed location for a Chapter house. We expect to give a party as soon as we are settled and we invite all Phi Psis in this locality to be present.

Our "billy" had work to do on the evening of March 21, when we initiated Mr. Frank E. Baker of Clymber, N. Y. Bro. Baker was vice-president of Chamberlin Institute previous to his coming to Allegheny last Xmas. We feel proud that we have landed so fine a fellow as Baker and we are glad to present him to the fraternity at large. He is a sophomore in college and has taken high standing in all his classes.

On February 22 was held an annual dinner in the college gymnasium. This institution is a college affair and is one of the greatest events of the college year. The last one far surpassed all others in elaborate decorations, class spirit and general good fellowship. Pa. Beta was well represented on the program and all the fellows reported a fine time.

The following extract from "The Campus" of March 17, will be of interest as both Dr. Crawford and his son, Raymond, are loyal Phi Psis:

"On Monday, March 9, after nearly eight months away from home, four happy travelers arrived in New York—Dr. William H. Crawford, president of Allegheny College, and wife and family. Hardly had they disembarked before they were being royally entertained at a banquet spread by the loyal Allegheny alumni of America's metropolis. Here the alumni heartily received their guests, even singing for the doctor's benefit 'My Bonnie Lies Over the Ocean,' taking the precaution, however, to substitute the word 'money' for bonnie."

On Wednesday evening the spirit hovering over the college community in Meadville suggested that something unusual was to happen; there was no hard digging that evening, for the decree had gone forth that college exercises would be omitted after 9:45 on the following day. And when the powers of Allegheny issue such a decree involving the omission of any recitations you may feel assured that something extraordinary is doing. When train 5 came into the city at 10 a. m. Thursday there was assembled a great reception party about the Erie depot. It was a college crowd, bound together by that wonderful tie of college spirit and loyalty which was revealed by beaming faces, sparkling eyes, ready wit and the inevitable songs and yells. College spirit was rampant and exuded from the most delicate prep to the emiturus professor of philosophy. As the train slowed down, a waving handkerchief in the hands of Mrs. Crawford located the travelers. Soon the party, Dr. Crawford, Mrs. Crawford, Raymond and Lucy, were in the warm reception of a multitude of friends.

"The party was conducted to a carriage decorated in college colors and driven to College Hill, escorted by a howling mob of happy students. The college bell rang out its joyous welcome and the assembled multitude before Bentley Hall sang a stanza of 'Home, Sweet Home.' Dr. Crawford, in answer to 'speech! speech!' manifested in a few words his thanks for the hearty welcome accorded

their arrival and expressed his feelings in 'being mighty glad to get back.'

"In the evening a reception was given in the library, where the party met the new students for the first time and renewed the acquaintance of the old. Besides the students in attendance, a few friends from the city were present to extend greetings."

Pa. Beta turned out to a man to welcome Bro. Crawford and son, for we all feel that in them both we have strong friends who are anxious for our welfare. At our last meeting Bro. Raymond Crawford gave us a fine talk about his trip.

On Monday evening, March 17, we gave an informal dinner in honor of Dr. Crawford and his son. Songs, speeches and yells made up the evening's entertainment while the air was full of Phi Psi enthusiasm. After spending a very pleasant evening the party broke up agreeing that although Dr. Crawford is president of our college nevertheless he is our brother.

Crosby, whom we pledged last term but is now out of college, continues to receive flattering notices from the Pittsburg papers for his fine work at forward on the Allegheny, Pa., preparatory school basket-ball team. We will be glad to welcome Jack back into our fold next year.

Out-door base-ball practice has begun and we have a fine outlook for a winning team. The team will have a Phi Psi battery in Bros. Comfort and Mook. Bro. Comfort has pitched for some fine teams while Bro. Mook has caught for two years on our team. Bros. Yard, Sturtevant, Crawford and Mitchell are also trying for the team.

Our relay team is getting ready for their trip to Philadelphia in April to take part in the relay races held there. Pa. Beta expects to have one and possibly two men on the team.

The basket-ball season ended March 20 with a record unequalled in the history of the college. We suffered only two defeats, while we were victorious over such teams as University of Pa., University of Syracuse, Pa. State university, W. R. U. and Oberlin. Pa. Beta was represented on the team by Bro. Comfort, who played a star game at forward.

We have received the following visits since our last letter was sent to "The Shield."

Bro. V. W. Stewart, Pa. Kappa, on January 29, '03. Bro. Stewart is now with the firm of J. C. & V. W. Stewart at Pittsburg, Pa.; Bro. Pearson, an old Minn. Beta man, on February 4; Bro. Culbertson, Pa. Beta, '01, visited us on March 5 and 6. "Cubby" came up to attend the Glee club concert and U. of P. basket-ball game. Bro. Hatch, Pa. Beta, '01, was here for the Westminster basket-ball game on March 16.

Pa. Beta's outlook for next term is very bright. We will be in our own house and will have at least thirteen active members. With these conditions existing we expect to enjoy more success, if possible, than we have heretofore.

Before our next letter is due we hope to welcome another brother into our fold.

Meadville, Pa., March 23, 1903.

Pennsylvania Gamma—Bucknell University.

R. J. Hess, Correspondent.

Pa. Gamma sends her greetings to all the brothers and to D. C.'s as they convene in their respective places on April 15. It is the earnest desire of our Chapter that these gatherings may be productive of much general good to the fraternity. In all departments the very noticeable progress is a source of great pleasure and pride to us. The great improvement in "The Shield" is in itself a great thing for all Phi Psis.

But to come down to the chapter—winter term exams. are now over and the brothers are all enjoying a few days' vacation. During the past term the meetings have been a source of great pleasure to us, and each week is better for us because of our coming together for mutual and general good. Several new ideas are now being tried in connection with the meetings with good promise of success.

The fraternity rooms have been somewhat improved. The Chapter

house idea has now taken hold of us, however, and hence elaborate changes will not be made in our present quarters. Any alumnus of Pa. Gamma who will offer words of encouragement for the proposed Chapter house will help us very much indeed.

Bro. Bertolette has just closed his basket-ball. During the season Bushnell has won every game on her schedule. The hardest tussle was with the State Y. M. C. A. champions of Williamsport. Bucknell won two games from them in fine style, administering the first defeat they have had on their own floor in three years.

Bros. Smith and Grier were in the game during the season. Bro. Grier captained the second varsity.

Bro. Bertolette was forced to resign from the senior play because of his trip to Texas where he goes in the capacity of best man at a friend's wedding. We hope to have him back in time for the D. C. at Gettysburg.

Bro. McCain has been elected to succeed Bro. Smiley as society editor of the "Orange and Blue."

Bro. Smiley won the applause of the audience many times by his interpretation of the role of Brutus in the Everette club's presentation of scenes from "Julius Caesar."

During the past month Bro. Mulkie, '98, visited the boys for a few days. Bro. Stanton, '02, stopped over on his way west to see the brothers. Bro. Stanton will have charge of the Denison university base ball team this spring and we all wish him success. We learn from outside sources that Bro. Stanton is very popular with the students in the Western university.

We'll be with the First District's D. C. in body and spirit and with all the rest in the latter. Success to all.

Chapter Rooms, Lewisburg, Pa., March 31, 1903.

Pennsylvania Epsilon—Gettysburg College.

Chas. H. May, Correspondent.

The past month has been one of extraordinary activity on the part of old Epsilon and, as a result of our work we take pleasure in introducing to the fraternity Bros. J. N. Poffinberger and Harrison Kauffman, both of '06. Bro. "Sal" Turner '93, was present at the initiation and that alone goes to show that no details were omitted. These additions raise our present active membership to twelve. After the initiation, Bro. Gladfelter announced that, whereas this was his twenty-first birthday and whereas such a momentous occasion does not come every month, therefore, after due deliberation he had resolved to invite the whole crowd up to his room for a little "feed." There were lots of good things to eat but "Gladdy" had forgotten to order tumblers for the bunch, so to show the true Phi Psi spirit—and for lack of anything better—all the brothers took turn in drinking out of an old pitcher found somewhere in "Pops" onion patch. Notwithstanding this slight handicap the affair was a decided success.

Bros. Bertolette and Smith were here with the Bucknell basket-ball team during its recent visit. Bro. T. H. Carpenter, Wis. Alpha, dropped in about the same time, and after the game we had a very pleasant moonlight drive over the battlefield.

Bro. H. M. Clabaugh '77 has been appointed chief justice of the supreme court of the District of Columbia.

The Lafayette College Musical clubs stopped off here on their recent trip and we were very glad to meet Bros. Kyle, Chidsey and Young. Bro. Chidsey is manager of the clubs. After the concert we gave a little smoker in the Chapter house in honor of the brothers from Theta.

Among other visitors of the month were Bro. R. S. Williams '96, Pa. Theta, and G. F. Endsley, a pledged man of W. Va. Alpha.

At the present writing the baseball team is away on its southern trip and, as in football, Phi Psi is the whole thing, being represented on the team by Bros. White, Fisher, Bingaman and Kauffman.

Gettysburg, Pa., March 29, 1903.

*Pennsylvania Zeta—Dickinson College.**E. J. Carlin, Correspondent.*

Since our last letter we have initiated William H. White, '08, College of Carlisle, Pa., into the mysteries of Phi Kappa Psi and take pleasure in introducing him to the general fraternity. In Bro. White we have secured a man who stands high in his class and is a congenial chap who will make a good Phi Psi.

We have initiated William M. Ferguson of Newark, N. J. Bro. Ferguson entered college recently and bids fair to make the base ball team. He has already become popular with the students.

We observed Founder's Day by giving a smoker to the Chapter and alumni. Everybody expressed their appreciation of the progress the chapter is making and several short speeches were made. The brothers departed at midnight in a happy mood after giving the yell and singing several songs.

On Friday evening, February 8, Bro. Bosler gave to the brothers of the active Chapter and Bro. Adair Herman a dinner party at his residence, Carlisle, Pa., prior to his departure for an extended tour of the south. The brothers assembled at West College and proceeded in a body to his residence. The dining room was most gorgeously decorated in pink and lavender. The trimmings of the table consisted of violets and pink roses. After dinner was served the brothers joined in singing college and fraternity songs, after which we proceeded to the Chapter rooms and there expressed our appreciation of Bro. Bosler's hospitality and wished him a safe and pleasant journey.

Mr. George Hall of Philadelphia, Pa., visited his brother, Ralph Hall, of the active Chapter during the week of February 1. During his stay he was entertained by the members of the Chapter. Before departing, to show his appreciation of the hospitality extended during his short stay, he gave a dinner party to the members of the Chapter at Hotel Wellington.

During the past month Bros. Nevling and Jump visited us and renewed acquaintances. Bro. Nevling is general manager of several company stores for a firm in Clearfield, Pa.

The Dramatic club produced "Charley's Aunt" on Friday evening, February 27, and a large audience was in attendance. Bros. Stanton, Rogers and Cook took prominent parts and much credit is given to those brothers who were instrumental in making the show a success. Bro. Ray, who managed the show, deserves credit for his unceasing labors in behalf of the club.

Bros. Isaacs and Adams distinguished themselves in the debate held under the university exercises of Belles Lettres Literary Society.

Bro. Hall has been elected captain of the freshman basket-ball team. The base ball team promises to be one of the strongest in the history of the college and should win the majority of games. We will be represented on the team by Bros. Ferguson, Hall and Carlin.

The candidates for the track team are rounding into good form. We will be represented by Bros. Stanton, Barnhart and Williams.

On Thursday, March 27, the Glee and Mandolin clubs left for an extended tour through the western part of Pennsylvania. Phi Psi was represented by Bros. Williams, Ray and Hall.

Bros. Ray and Williams attended the reception and dance given by the S. A. E. fraternity during the past month.

Bro. Ray was chosen to represent us at the convention dance given by the Beta Theta Pi fraternity in Carlisle during the past month.

Nearly all of the brothers expect to attend the D. C. and endeavor to make it a grand success. Bros. Herman and Morgan have been chosen as the alumni who are to represent us at the convention. Bros. Ray and Bosler were chosen as delegates to the convention.

We are sure that from the zeal displayed by Pa. Epsilon in preparing for the convention that it will be one of the greatest ever held in this district.

Carlisle, Pa., March 29, 1903.

*Pennsylvania Eta—Franklin and Marshall College.**W. Curtis Truxal, Correspondent.*

Pa. Eta is still up and doing in the rushing line, and as a result of our labor we have succeeded in adding one more new man to the list of pledged men.

Bro. Wint, who left a few weeks ago to go into business with his father, has returned to college.

For the last couple of years Pa. Eta has been considering the advisability of having an inter-fraternity meeting of some kind. At F. and M. the rivalry between the different fraternities is very intense and the relations heretofore have been rather distant. So that in order to bring the Chapters into closer relation with each other Pa. Eta tendered an informal smoker to all the fraternity men about the college. The result was even more than could be expected. All present seemed to enjoy themselves with the one regret that such functions had not been started long ago. After refreshments Bro. Dr. Bowman acted as toastmaster and called on one representative from each of the different fraternities represented.

On March 5 the Glee and Mandolin clubs gave one of the most successful concerts of the season at Reading, Pa. By the departure of Bro. Westerman to New York, the club was without one of the most attractive features and without him would have meant the almost total failure of the concert. However, Bro. Westerman showed his true Phi Psi spirit and leaving his other work behind came to Reading and helped make the concert a success. The next day Bro. Bridenbaugh gave a very elaborate banquet to the clubs.

The Chapter has lately enjoyed visits from Bros. Dr. A. E. Truxal, L. R. Bair, Zimmerman and Scot Baker.

Bro. Francis Schroeder drops in to see us often. Lately he took a trip to New York to have a waltz of his own composition published which he intends to call the "Phi Kappa Psi Waltz." While there he visited New York Gamma and was more than pleased with their hospitality.

At a recent election of the graduation class, Bro. Stein was elected class marshal and chairman of the promenade committee and Bro. Bell was elected master of ceremonies for the class day exercises. Pa. Eta wishes to make the coming Symposium the largest and best ever held in the history of the Chapter, and as soon as the commencement program is completed arrangements will be made so as not to have anything interfere. We are looking for you, one and all, drop in and make yourself at home. Lancaster, Pa., March 29, 1903.

Pennsylvania Theta—Lafayette College.

Hugh M. Miller, Correspondent.

We have just returned to college after a two weeks' vacation. The basket ball team was fairly successful on their vacation trip. From the showing thus far our base ball team promises to be fully up to the standard and the outlook for the season is unusually good. Three out of six games were won on the southern trip, Virginia, North Carolina and Annapolis being among the victories.

Bros. Chidsey '04, Kytte '04, and Young '05 are with the musical clubs and will not return to college until April 4. They report thus far a very pleasant trip.

Bro. Charles C. More, '98, has resigned his position in Philadelphia with the American Bridge Co. and is now in the employ of a firm of architects in Chicago, Ill., where he will be permanently located.

We have received an announcement of the wedding of Bro. Robt. G. Leetch, '00, which took place in Buffalo, N. Y., on February 26, 1903. We extend heartiest congratulations.

Bro. Muscoe M. Gibson, '80, of Norristown, Pa., will represent us as alumni delegate at the coming D. C. in Gettysburg. Bro. More, '03, will represent the active Chapter.

We have already heard of some very good men who will enter here next year and some of the brothers did some good preliminary work during the recent vacation.

Bro. Hart, '04, will spend the summer in Europe traveling with his father. They sail from N. Y. about June 15.

Pennsylvania Iota—University of Pennsylvania.

G. H. Bickley, Correspondent.

On Thursday, March 19, the Philadelphia alumni of Phi Kappa Psi held their annual banquet at the University Club. All the active men who were able attended. Both undergraduates and alumni enjoyed

themselves throughout and everyone agreed that it is just by such gatherings that the active Chapter and graduate Phi Psis are brought into closer relationship. Before the menu was served a short business meeting was held at which it was announced that the alumni had purchased a lot for the new house. This is the first real step towards Iota's much needed Chapter house, and before another year has passed we all hope to be within its walls.

In the Senior Class Day elections Bro. Clarence DeArmond was elected presenter, and at the meeting held for nominating officers for the Houston club, Bro. Sol Metzger was nominated for president.

The rehearsals for this year's Mask and Wig production—"Sir Robinson Crusoe"—are now well under way. The dress rehearsal takes place on the 9th of this month and the first performance at Atlantic City on the 11th. In the chorus we have Bros. Levin, Mulford, Bradbury, Bement and Howard. On account of illness Bro. Davis has been forced to resign from the cast. This will be the first time in many years that Phi Psi has not been represented in the cast of the Mask and Wig show.

Bros. DeArmond and Bickley took part in the Architectural society play which was given last month.

Soon after the Easter holidays the annual bowl fight between the sophomores and freshmen takes place. Elaborate preparations are being made for this year's fight. Bro. Levin of the sophomore class is a member of the committee.

Bro. Bromley easily won the monthly billiard tournament at the Houston club.

Bro. Metzger was elected to the punch bowl board.

Of course the one thing uppermost in the minds of all the brothers at the present time is the coming District Council. All who possibly can are going—we all realize what it means.

113 South 37th St., Philadelphia, Pa., April 1, 1903.

Pennsylvania Kappa—Swarthmore College.

F. Bramwell Geddes, Correspondent.

The regular spring holidays began on March 28, and will extend to April 7. Four or five of the brothers have remained at college during the vacation, and we are endeavoring to pass the time away pleasantly between now and the seventh.

Bros. Lippincott, Terrell and Beans, on a recent athletic trip to New York, were hospitably entertained by the brothers of New York Gamma.

When our basket-ball team played Lafayette, Theta men did much to make the trip a pleasant one for Bros. Beans, Price and Lippincott. Such hospitality as that shown by New York Gamma and Pa. Theta is one of the many pleasant and practical privileges of our sacred order. May Phi Psi gates always be open to Phi Psis wherever they are.

Several brothers attended the recent banquet of the Philadelphia Alumni Association. Phi Psi cheer was not wanting and all spent a very agreeable and profitable evening. Bro. Lippincott was called upon to respond to a toast to "The Girls," which he did in his characteristic way.

We are now all looking forward to the D. C. Although all the brothers cannot attend, yet each one is thoroughly interested, and those left behind will be at Gettysburg on the fifteenth in spirit if not in truth.

Swarthmore, Pa., April 1, 1903.

New Hampshire Alpha—Dartmouth College.

H. W. Fleming, Correspondent.

We are glad to be able to write that spring seems to have really arrived up here among the hills when usually the spring is very late. Our base ball team has been out on the campus practicing the last two weeks. Our prospects, however, for a winning team are hardly more than fair.

Six of our fellows, Bros. Patteson, Hall, Sturtevant, D. Brown,

Studwell and Besse, represented New Hampshire Alpha at the banquet given by the Boston alumni February 28. They report a "Cocking good time." It is a fact worth mentioning, it seems to me, that all of our brothers who attend Phi Psi gatherings any where, always return more enthusiastic Phi Psis than ever.

We expect to be represented at the next D. C. by Bros. M. R. Brown and Neal.

Your correspondent visited Amherst this last month, and was very much pleased with the college and the men who represent old Phi Psi in that institution.

Bro. Gilbert was elected last month a member of the board of seven from which the athletic managers are chosen by the athletic council.

We were represented on the "Aegis"—the annual recently issued by the junior class (1904)—by Bro. Fiske.

Hanover, N. H., March 31, 1903.

Rhode Island Alpha—Brown University

Warren A. Clough, Correspondent.

Well, we are back again, some with bad luck, some with good, ready to begin once more the activities of college work. After our pleasant vacation, we are returning with new vigor and a firmer determination to raise the yell—

Hi, Hi, Hi!
Phi Kappa Psi;
Live ever, die never,
Phi Kappa Psi!

During the past month we have seen all our alumni. They are all very busy, but they all find time to give suggestion and an occasional word of encouragement.

Just at present the Phi Psis of R. I. Alpha are looking forward to their first D. C. with eager expectancy. And our watchword is "On to Syracuse."

Providence, R. I., March 31, 1903.

New York Alpha—Cornell University.

Judson H. Boughton, Correspondent.

The epidemic of typhoid fever which has held the city of Ithaca and Cornell university in its grasp for the past eight weeks has been widely heralded and discussed by the press of the country, but the actual facts concerning the causes and effects of the disaster have been greatly elaborated in numerous instances. Without going into the details of this matter it seems proper to say that the contamination of the city water supply arising from neglect on the part of the private corporation in control has been the cause, and that the separate system owned by the university and supplying all of its properties has at all times been exempt from infection. The large number of cases among the students of Cornell appear to have been due to the direct drinking of the city water or to secondary infection.

A total of nearly seven hundred cases has been developed, by far the greater portion being among the townspeople. The cases have in general been of a mild form, something less than thirty deaths having resulted among the students afflicted. A very general exodus from the city closely followed the outbreak of the epidemic. In the neighborhood of fifteen hundred students, including some who had developed symptoms and many to whom it did not appear wise to wait for symptoms, left for their respective homes, causing the university work in all of its many departments to become badly disorganized.

Upon the appearance of the fever the university authorities took immediate steps, first to provide every care and comfort for its sick and then to determine the cause and adopt means of suppressing the epidemic. Two properly arranged and equipped buildings were converted into annexes for the university infirmary and physicians

and nurses were secured from the neighboring cities. The board of trustees then placed the sum of one hundred and fifty thousand dollars at the disposal of the city for the immediate erection of a filtration plant, and arranged for the flushing and purifying of the entire supply and distribution system with proper germ-killing chemicals. Artesian wells were ordered to be driven among the surrounding hills as an additional precaution.

These timely measures have had their effect, and new cases which at one time numbered as high as twenty a day, have practically ceased to appear. Confidence has been in a large measure restored and students are beginning to return in considerable numbers. Under pressure from the university the water works interests of the city have passed under municipal control, and as stated in the recent report of Dr Soper, of the New York state board of health, Ithaca will, within a very short time, be completely entitled to her old rating as one of the healthiest cities in the United States.

New York Alpha, to whose alumni and sister Chapters this brief exposition of the true conditions may have been of interest has suffered with the rest. The Chapter sick list includes as fever victims, Bros. Ward, Heitshu, Rogers, Brown and Cole of the senior class, Bro. Heist '04, Bros. Brinkerhoff, Seymour and Close from the sophomores, and as patients to other afflictions, Bros. Dunn '06 and Boughton '03. Most of these cases have been of a comparatively mild form, and in all instances the men have now passed the crisis and are convalescing.

The effects of the epidemic upon the Chapter and its interests have been demoralizing in the extreme. For four weeks two men constituted the entire active contingent and at this writing only five men sit around the board where the usual atmosphere of good-cheer is woefully lacking. The proper joint consideration of fraternity matters recently placed before the Chapters and of the subjects of discussion for the coming D. C. has been completely impossible, and the business, social and other interests of the Chapter have suffered alike.

The indications are that three more men will return after the Easter recess, swelling the number to eight, and that others will register for the summer school. By September normal conditions should prevail, and the Chapter as well as the university should have completely recovered from the effects of the epidemic.

Phi Kappa Psi House, Ithaca, N. Y., March 31, 1903.

New York Beta—Syracuse University.

Lloyd E. Brown, Correspondent.

The D. C. for the Second District will be held with this Chapter on April 15 and 16. A smoker, to which every Phi Psi brother is invited, will be held on the evening of April 16 at the Chapter house, and a dance and banquet occur on the two evenings following. Every alumnus of New York Beta is urged to attend the convention and a cordial invitation is hereby extended to all brothers, within the District and out, to make Syracuse their headquarters on the above dates, and help make this the greatest D. C. of recent years. We are going to place an order with Bro. Ashley, the local fore-the fraternity will be our guests, so do not miss this great festival. We are going to place an order with Bro. Ashley, the local fore-caster of the U. S. weather bureau, for bright and glorious weather during D. C. week, with winds from all directions, and we want everybody to blow into Syracuse next month and help carry out and enjoy Bro. Towne's excellent program.

There is very little other local news to record this issue. The announcement, however, of the marriage of Bro. Edgar Lowther, '02, came as a surprise, and yet there were a few knowing ones who now say "I told you so." The Phi Psi girl whom Bro. Lowther has pledged is Miss Margaret Cornell Dickson, of Brooklyn, N. Y. The ceremony took place on February 21. The address of Bro. and Mrs. Lowther is No. 260 Stuyvesant ave, Brooklyn. We extend our congratulations and best wishes. The only regret is that we were not present to help scatter the product of the rice fields.

Bro. Karl D. Wood, A. B., '03, medic, has received the appointment

of interne at St. Catherine's hospital, New York City. Bro. Wood's duties begin next September.

Our recent visitors have been Bro. Barden of N. Y. Epsilon, and Bros. Corn, '02-ex, and Cribb, '04-ex. Syracuse, N. Y., March 27, 190

New York Gamma—Columbia University.

Thomas R. Buell, Correspondent.

Since our last letter we have initiated three men whom we are glad to take this opportunity of introducing to the fraternity at large. The new brothers are Earl R. Pembroke of Salt Lake City, Utah; William H. Connell, Wilmington, Del., and Robert S. Schultz of Philadelphia, Pa. Bro. Pembroke is a senior and is president of the Rocky Mountain club, a recent but very strong and successful organization open to men from the states west of and including the Rocky mountains. The secretary and treasurer of the club are also Phi Psis, Bros. Wickes and Catron. Bro. Connell is a sophomore and was pitcher on the freshman base ball team of last year. Bro. Schultz is a freshman and was quarter-back on the class football team this year, also a member of the trophy room committee.

This year's varsity show, with Bro. Hobert Adams as stage manager and also one of the leaders in the cast, has just closed the most successful run of any show that has been put on in a number of years.

On March 28 Columbia's base ball team won the first game of the season against St. Francis Xavier. We are represented on the team by Bro. Sam Smith. We are also represented on the board which edits the "Columbia," the college annual, for next year.

In the basketball game between the freshman teams of Yale and Columbia, the latter won by quite a large score. Bro. Keys played on the Columbia team.

Among our out-of-town visitors during the last month have been Bros. Johnson, Mass. Alpha; Longwell, Cal. Beta, and Schroeder, Pa. Eta. Bro. Schroeder came to N. Y. for the purpose of publishing some Phi Psi music which we hope will be enjoyed throughout the fraternity as much as it was by N. Y. Gamma while Bro. Schroeder was with us. New York City, March 29, 1903.

New York Epsilon—Colgate University.

J. H. Hutchinson, Correspondent.

After a most successful season in basketball, Colgate has begun to prepare for the baseball and track seasons. The outlook is bright for good teams in both these branches of athletics. Among the candidates for the track team are Bros. Buck, Larkin, Smith, McMillan and Grant, and Bros. Smith and Hedden are among the candidates for the baseball team.

During the spring vacation the University Glee and Mandolin clubs enjoyed a trip through the Mohawk Valley and Catskills. New York Epsilon was represented by Bros. Eddy, who was leader of the Glee club, and Hadden, McKeg and Bowen.

Bro. Emmett C. Miller '01, who for the past two years has been principal of the DeRuyter high school, has been elected principal of the Canajoharie high school. Bro. Miller will begin his duties at Canajoharie next fall.

Bro. Craine '03, left school last term, having finished all the required work for graduation. Bro. Craine immediately went to Manlius, N. Y., where he is teaching in the St. John's Military Academy.

At the last election of officers of the Y. M. C. A. for the ensuing year Bro. Eddy '04 was made president, and Bro. Lisle '04, vice-president. Bro. Eddy was also elected as a delegate to the conference of the college Y. M. C. A.'s of the east, which is to be held at Cambridge, Mass.

In a very short time the members of New York Epsilon expect to paint the chapter house. As the house needs painting it will be a great improvement to the appearance of the place.

Hamilton, New York, April 1, 1903.

*New York Zeta—Brooklyn Polytechnic Institute.**E. W. Boughton, Correspondent.*

March has passed very pleasantly for New York Zeta. Through the courtesy of Bro. Wilson the New York Alumni Association dinner on March 16 was a Zeta affair, and we hope all the brothers present enjoyed themselves as much as we did.

The indoor games occurred on March 21 and were won by 1905. Bro. "Connie" Ferguson of that class won the medal for third individual honors. Bros. Murphy and Robinson won several points for the junior class. Bro. Weidmann, '06, was appointed clerk of the course.

At our regular meeting on March 24 we had the pleasure of having with us and hearing from Bros. Cook and Johnson of Mass. Alpha. We greatly appreciate the presence of visiting brothers at our meetings. We were sorry to learn that Bros. "Al" and Eli Peil of New York Alpha of whom we have seen quite a little this year, are going to leave us for the west.

We have adopted the plan which Indiana Beta has in use according to the secretary's report in the February "Shield," and appointed a political committee to look after our interests in college elections, etc.

The base ball team is hard at work and our first game with Columbia takes place next week.

We have started a Chapter library to be supported by a monthly tax on each active man and hope to soon have a goodly collection of books.

Brooklyn, N. Y., March 29, 1903.

*Maryland Alpha—Johns Hopkins University.**J. R. Mood, Correspondent.*

The brothers of Maryland Alpha are looking forward with much pleasure to the meeting of the D. C., which is to be held here in Baltimore on April 11, 12 and 13.

We have arranged for quite an elaborate program for the delegates which we are to have with us. On Wednesday night we give them a box party at Ford's opera house to see Markle Tilman in "The Mocking Bird," after which we shall have a Welch-rarebit at the chapter house.

On Friday night we expect to make the banquet and exceptionally enjoyable one.

Maryland Alpha was more than pleased to receive from Bro. T. Machen, our former T. P., a photograph of Bro. Woodrow Wilson, who is now president of Princeton university.

The Johns Hopkins lacrosse team is now in training and we expect much of them this year. All the members have not yet been chosen but we certainly expect to see Bro. J. E. T. Custis, our esteemed T. P., appointed on the team.

Baltimore, Md., March 30, 1903.

*Virginia Alpha—University of Virginia.**Charles Hartwell Cocke, Correspondent.*

This is the very time doubtless (or one similar to it) that inspired the poet when he said that "the best of all letters, is to let her alone." So beware, reader and gentle critic, I have forewarned you—let this letter alone.

A matter of supreme interest to every student and alumnus has recently been settled—and that is, the question whether we shall have a president or not. We have never had one adhering to Thos. Jefferson's original ideas with traditional tenacity, but our recent growth and the impelling force of the times has caused every one to realize our need of one, and this past fall, the matter took definite shape by the activities of many prominent alumni. Recently a bill has passed the state legislature empowering the board of

visitors with the right of electing a president, whose duties and powers shall not be circumscribed as those of our chairmen of the faculty have been.

The base ball season opened up two weeks ago today when we defeated Miller's school. Three more school teams fell easy victims and on Thursday last, with Bro. Prichard in the box, Virginia ran helter-skelter over Lafayette to the tune of 17 to 2. Karl pitched magnificent ball, allowing his former playing mates only four hits. Friday the tables were decidedly turned on us when the boys from Easton took us into camp at 12 to 2. Your scribe is at present playing right field on the varsity. Our prospects for a good fast team are very encouraging. We play Brown University Monday and Penn. Tuesday and Wednesday and we hope to extend the glad hand to some brothers who may be along.

University Station, Charlottesville, Va., March 28, 1903.

Virginia Beta—Washington and Lee University.

W. R. Bledsoe, Correspondent.

Spring examinations and base ball are the absorbing topics at W. & L. at present. In the former Va. Beta appears to have maintained her usual standard and the boys are at present making the best of their short respite before hitching up again. The base ball prospects are excellent in spite of the fact that Phi Psi is unrepresented, having expended all of her energy on foot ball. We hope to meet some Pa. Iota men next week when old Penn. will cross bats with us.

Bro. Haw was recently initiated into Theta Nu Epsilon.

Bros. Preston and Conover won laurels for Phi Psi in the February gymnasium tourney.

Bro. Beldsoe has been appointed one of the football managers for next season.

Lexington, Va., March 3, 1903.

West Virginia Alpha—University of West Virginia.

D. Dawson, Correspondent.

The winter term with its exams. is over and we who did not leave town for the short vacation are now looking forward to the return of the absent brothers, upon the opening of the spring quarter, which begins April 1.

Many new students usually enter the university at this time; we hope to find some among them worthy of Phi Psi.

During the past month of March, we received visits from several Phi Psis, our alumni and others. On Sunday, March 8, Bro. Buchanan being out of town, his pulpit was filled by Bro. C. E. Hills, Ind. Gamma, '76, pastor of the Presbyterian church of Wilmerding, near Pittsburg. In the afternoon of that day he made us a call which we enjoyed very much. Bro. Hills is certainly a true, enthusiastic Phi Psi.

Bro. L. L. Friend, A. B., '97, who is now principal of the university's new preparatory school at Keyser, was with us on the 14th and 15th of March.

Bro. "Tip" Lardins, L. L. B., '02, visited us again last Sunday (22). He is hard at work reading law in Uniontown, Pa., preparatory to being admitted to the bar there.

Bro. Tusca Morris, L. L. B., '02, was in town almost all last week, March 23-28, on legal business and, of course, spent all his spare time with us. He is practicing law in Fairmont.

To make the vacation pass more pleasantly, we entertained, Saturday evening the 28th, some of our "fair friends of Grecian mold" with an informal chafing dish party. About twenty-five, in all, were present. The evening was passed delightfully, being chiefly taken up with eating and music, and it is hard to tell which of the two forms of entertainment was most enjoyed by guests and hosts.

We note in the last "Shield" the remark of Bro. P. A. Shaffer, '00, on our failure to have the regular letter in the November number, with much more of pleasure at his continued interest in us, than

of surprise at his gentle criticism of our carelessness, for we know Phil of old. We will try not to let occur again an occasion for such disappointment on the part of our loyal alumni.

Morgantown, W. Va., March 29, 1903.

Tennessee Delta—Vanderbilt University.

Jules D. Lemoine, Correspondent.

On the evening of Saturday, March 24, Bro. John Baxter entertained the members of Tenn. Delta, to an elegant dinner at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lewis T. Baxter, on the Gallatin pike. The dinner began at 7:30 o'clock, and the twelve courses was finished at about 9:30. Following this were toasts made by the various members, in answer to place cards containing appropriate verses. After dinner cards were introduced and served for amusement for the remainder of the evening. Mr. Will Baxter of Harvard, and L. L. Baxter, a brother of our host who will be in the university next year, were also present.

Tenn. Delta takes this means of thanking Bro. Baxter most sincerely for one of the most delightful evenings we have ever enjoyed, and also not the least his dear parents whose kind attention warranted brotherly love to us all.

Final exams. in the department of medicine of the university are now over, the reports as yet are concealed from the students, imploring much anxiety to them. The news will be broken tomorrow evening at the close of the faculty meeting, when we hope to learn that our Bro. Floyd will be given a sheep-skin at the commencement exercises to be held at the college auditorium on next Thursday evening, April 2.

Beginning this afternoon the "boys" are making extensive preparations at the Chapter house for a "grand dance" to be given tomorrow evening, Tuesday, March 31, in honor of our departing brother, W. E. Floyd. The occasion promises to be one of the most encouraging, and one we hope to enjoy most happily, as it falls the lot of Tenn. Delta for the first time, the honor and pleasure to send forth from its Chapter a brother with the dignity of a profession.

Nashville, Tenn, March 30, 1903.

Ohio Alpha—Ohio Wesleyan University.

Paul N. Dale, Correspondent.

After three months of exile, we are again in our Chapter house, and real fraternity life again begins for Ohio Alpha.

All the brothers of last term, and also Bros. Roettinger and Machetanz, who were not in college during the winter, are with us this term, and our prospects are very bright.

Since our last letter two more preplings have been hatched for mother Phi Psi, and we hope to initiate the brood of four in the near future.

The prospects for baseball at O. W. U. this year are very encouraging. Last year we had the championship team of the state, and we again this year hope to repeat this record under the able captaincy of Bro. Brandt. Three Phi Psis beside Bro. Brandt are working hard to make the team.

Bros. Brady of Pa. Beta, Brooks of Ohio Delta, and Timmons of our own Chapter, visited the Chapter since we last wrote.

Delaware, Ohio, Alpha, March 30, 1903.

Ohio Beta—Wittenberg College.

Walter H. Weaver, Correspondent.

The minds of all the brothers of Ohio Beta have been occupied with preparations for the District Council almost all of the time for the

last month, and when not thinking up some plan to make the delegates' stay among us enjoyable, we have been boning hard to prepare against the March tests and also the winter term exams, which latter fell upon us the week beginning March 15. Hence this letter will not perhaps be so full of descriptions of entertainments as some of our former letters have been. Suffice it to say that our expenditure of gray matter has led to success in the latter and we trust success in the former. We will leave the former matter to the good judgment of the brothers of the Fourth District.

The Springfield A. A. has had two extremely successful meetings at the Chapter house, the dates being March 5 and 14. The first meeting was to simply effect a new organization in view of the coming D. C. Officers were elected and a social time was enjoyed afterwards. The second meeting was more to the point. Plan after plan was discussed, some discarded and others adopted, but all were for the entertainment of the visiting brothers. Both meetings were very well attended, which shows that the old saying, "Once a Phi Psi, always a Phi Psi," is entirely correct. The chapter house seemed a loadstone, drawing almost every "old boy" in the city to its doors (and inside them).

Our entertainments for the Phi Psi girls had narrowed down almost to the zero point in the last month and to make amends for our seeming neglect an unusually pleasant dance was given at the house on the night of March 27. About fifty persons danced to the music of Rigio's orchestra until it was almost time to say good-day instead of good-night at parting.

Since the last writing we have lost a brother from the active Chapter. Early in the month Bro. Brown Burleigh left college to accept a position offered to him by the superior division of the American Seeding Company, and he accepted. He is not lost to us for all time, however, as the superior division is located in the city and Bro. Burleigh finds plenty of time to come to the house. In his own words, "I'm sorry to leave you, boys, but you can't lose me on Monday nights."

Bro. Rayner has been recently elected president of the Athletic association; vice, Mr. H. Court Miller, resigned. Bro. Rayner and Bro. Barringer are members of the committee to make arrangements for the annual college minstrels which is to be pulled off soon. Bros. Russell, Ultes, Lutz and Tulloss are to be star performers in the entertainment.

Bro. Winger was a member of the college debating team which recently won from Otterbein university by a good margin.

Bros. Delmar Trout and Deaton are members of the city Y. M. C. A. basket-ball squad which recently made a successful trip through Illinois, Indiana and southern Ohio. This team now holds the Y. M. C. A. championship of the state.

Bros. Wigton, Tulloss, Harris and Wheldon enjoyed a few days of vacation at their homes recently.

Bro. Tulloss has been elected manager of the freshman base ball team.

Bros. Ultes and Weaver, members of the Lagonda Club assembly committee, are arranging for the last dance of the season which will be held on April 13.

We suppose it is not necessary to say anything more to the brothers of the Fourth District concerning the D. C. We have had letters from nearly all the Chapters in regard to it and all promise to send as large a delegation as possible to the convention. Ohio Beta and the Springfield A. A. will be more than pleased to see every member of the fraternity in the district here at Springfield on April 15 and 16.

Phi Kappa Psi House, Springfield, Ohio, March 31, 1903.

Ohio Delta—University of Ohio.

W. E. Campbell, Correspondent.

Due to the efforts of the Chapter and the co-operation of a few of our willing alumni, there is being formed at the present time a corporation for the purpose of building, buying or renting a home for the Ohio Delta Chapter. The company is to be incorporated with a capitalization of \$10,000 with the following brothers as incorpora-

tors: Bro. Kiesewetter, Bro. Rice, Bro. Wing, who is one of the charter members of the Chapter, Bro. Neff and Bro. Dunn, ex-president of our fraternity. Bro. Kiesewetter has signified his willingness to care for the funds resulting from the sale of stock. He is in an advantageous position to carry the work out, being cashier of the the Ohio National bank, which bank will be the depository of the company's capital. The plan met with favor not only by alumni of Ohio Delta, but by Phi Psi's in general. Bro. Ralph Westfall, Ohio Alpha, is at present attending to the legal end of incorporating the company, while one of the incorporators, Bro. Neff, is from Ind. Beta. Both of these brothers have helped their mother Chapters toward Chapter house occupancy and yet show much interest in Ohio Delta, and we sincerely appreciate their loyalty. A little time will be required to overcome the formalities of incorporating, but in a very short time the company will be fully organized and the stock floated.

During the past week ground was broken for the erection of a new engineering building at Ohio State. Such a building has been badly needed due to the rapid growth of the engineering department. The greatest convenience for the variety of work to be conducted in this building has been carefully planned, and \$80,000, the amount of the appropriation, will add another splendid building to the state university.

While on his way to classes one morning a few days ago, Bro. Dick Newman of Mechanicsburg, Ohio, was seized with a fainting spell caused by the swelling of the mastoiditis gland just back of the ear. He was assisted to his room by a fellow-student and was there confined for several days, but has recovered sufficiently to be out again. The attending physician pronounced his condition too serious to allow further school work at present, and as a result "Dick" will have to leave school until next fall. An operation on the mastoid bone will be made in a few weeks, and we all hope for complete success.

Bro. Beatty, Ohio Delta, was with us last Saturday and Sunday. His visits are frequent and always appreciated.

The prospects for a winning base ball team at Ohio State this spring are the best in the history of O. S. U. More and better candidates have reported than heretofore, and the coach and captain are rounding the men up for the opening game which is not far distant.

Bro. Randall has worked up a base ball league among the fraternities here and there promises to be a series of interesting games among fraternity men. While from a scientific standpoint these games will not perhaps shine, at the same time it is a good way to bring fraternity men together and will tend to rub off any feeling of rivalry between different chapters as sometimes develops.

Members of the Phi Psi team are overcoming "glass arms" by almost daily practice. Bro. Randall has been made manager of our team and Bro. Stark is captain. Both of these men are freshmen, yet our confidence in their ability is not lacking.

Ohio Delta looks forward to the D. C., for it means another gathering of good fellows.

Columbus, Ohio, March 28, 1903.

Indiana Alpha—De Pauw University.

Turley Stephenson, Correspondent.

Without exception all of our number survived the shock of the final exams. of last term, and with two exceptions all are again back and getting a good start on the closing term of the year. The two exceptions mentioned above are those of Bros. Osborne and Miller, both of whom have so far been prevented from returning with a large sized case of the mumps. We are expecting them in every day, however, and when they return our roll will again be complete. When we send our next letter, however, we will be able to introduce a new brother to the fraternity, who is now wearing the colors of a pledge. He is Mr. Herman Free of Anderson, Ind., and a brother of Bro. Wade Free, active of Ind. Beta, and so well known by members of that chapter and by us all.

With the opening of the spring term and the settling down of weather, began the base ball season. And to our alumni interested

in this sport and the success of their alma mater, we think we can inform you that we will have one of the best teams that ever represented our institution since the days of Joe Pulse and his band of warriors. Our hopes are built up principally on the ability of our battery, in whom we have the utmost confidence. The team has not yet been selected, but when it is Phi Psi will be represented there, as she is in all other phases of college enterprise.

The new Minshall laboratory is now fully completed and an old-timer coming back would notice many changes in the various departments from what they were once. The chemistry department has been moved from the basement of the east college building, and is now commodiously located in its new apartments on the north side of the new laboratory. Prof. Naylor has also moved his physics laboratory from the old science hall to his new quarters in the new building. Col. Weaver has converted the old recitation room and the south laboratory of Prof. Naylor's into a seminarium room, and this has been arranged and fixed up only as the artistic eye of the colonel can arrange. We might add here too, some more changes that have occurred in the locations of the different departments, but not occasioned exactly by the new laboratory. Prof. Tilden's department having grown so extensively, he had to move from the room always used by that department and now has for his recitation room the large history and political science seminarium. Dr. Stephenson has also greatly improved the looks of his department. On a whole things around DePauw now have a most prosperous appearance.

Bro. Gavin has about completed arrangements for the second trip of his Glee club for this year. This time they will make a tour of the southern part of the state, making ten places in all. In the club of twenty-two members there are six Phi Psis, besides the manager, Bro. Gavin.

At the close of last term, Col. Weaver, a Phi Psi so well known to every alumnus of DePauw, entertained his seminarium class at his beautiful home at Beechcroft. Those of you who know the colonel know his ability to entertain and this was by no means an exception. This partook a great deal of the nature of a Phi Psi affair, for beside the host four of the eleven members of the class were Phi Psis.

We are glad to announce that Bros. Kimberlin and Lockwood, both of whom were compelled to leave college last term because of sickness, are again able to be with us. Bro. Kimberlin was out because of the illness of his mother, and Bro. Lockwood was out because of failing health personally.

While it is with pleasure we announce the return of the two brothers mentioned, yet it is indeed reluctantly we announce the absence of Bro. Lockwood Towne, who tomorrow leaves college and the active chapter for Trenton, N. J., where he takes up the work of his profession, that of mechanical engineering. Bro. Towne leaves with the deepest feeling and concern on the part of every brother in the active Chapter for his welfare, and we certainly wish for him that success and prosperity which we know he will achieve. Bro. Towne goes to join Bro. George Poucher, who is engaged in the same work.

To those of you who have not been previously informed, we have the pleasure of announcing to you the engagement of Bro. Will Lockwood to Miss Mayme Towne, of Greencastle, Ind. Bro. Will Lockwood, as most all know, is a brother of George B. Lockwood, editor of "The Shield," and has been active in the Y. M. C. A. work since his graduation from college. Miss Towne is a daughter of Dr. Salem B. Towne, one of the most prominent ministers in the North Indiana Conference of the Methodist church, presiding elder of the Greencastle District, and a charter member of the Ind. Alpha chapter, Phi Kappa Psi. After the wedding, which will probably occur this fall, they will sail for China where Bro. Lockwood has been appointed one of the general secretaries in the Y. M. C. A. work in that country.

Bro. Ray Beckman has been elected delegate to represent the chapter at the D. C. which convenes at Springfield, Ohio, April 15 and 16.

Bro. Paul Tucker, who has been spending the winter in the oyster bays at Maryland, has just sent us a barrel of the largest, finest and the juiciest of the kind that ever came out of a shell. "Tuck" has just moved back to Greencastle and a brother never wore a shield that possesses a bigger heart for his fraternity than does he.

One of the best fraternity meetings we have experienced for a long time was our meeting of last Saturday night, when were with us Bro. Caleb E. Obenshain, one of the charter members of our Chapter, and Bro. George W. Faris, of Washington, D. C. This was the first visit of Bro. Obenshain to his alma mater and fraternity for thirty-five years. This continued absence, however, was not his fault, for almost the greater part of his life since graduating from college had been spent in travels abroad. In all this time and in his travels he had not to his knowledge ran across a Phi Psi. But by no means had time lessened his fraternal spirit and his care for his old fraternity. His talk was a most enjoyable one, as was also the one of Bro. Faris, both of whom certainly made the occasion one where every Phi Psi present felt more closely united to his fraternity than before.

The other visiting brothers for the past month were Bros. Hayden and Maurice Tennant, Ind. Alpha, and Adams and Ensley, Ind. Delta, and "Red" Williams, Bryan and Free, Ind. Beta.

Greencastle, Ind., March 30, 1903.

Indiana Beta—University of Indiana.

Frank T. Hindman, Correspondent.

Back in the early nineties in a fraternity meeting of Indiana Beta, a senior arose and moved that in accordance with the time honored custom of the Chapter, the fraternity freshmen should give the annual banquet for the upper classmen on the next Friday evening. The motion was carried and thus the annual "freshmen banquet" was instituted. Such an excellent custom has not been suffered to die out, you may be sure, and so on March 7, the active brothers and local alumni met together with the freshmen as hosts. An hour or so was spent in talking, story telling, toasts and speeches with Bro. Hindman as toastmaster. When these were concluded the doors of the "banquet" hall were thrown open and the "eats" displayed. The sight that met the eyes of the expectant "old dogs" was certainly striking and surprising. The centerpiece on a long table was a whole roast pig, erect and lifelike. Around this were piled in great heaps all the accessories to make the "gorge" complete. All formality was laid aside and the brothers just pitched in and the fragments left lacked a whole lot of being twelve basketfuls, I can assure you. Bro. McMurtrie played the part of Phidias to his swineship. When nothing remained but the skeleton the crowd adjourned to the adjoining parlors and spent the remainder of the evening in story telling, reminiscences, etc., and all departed unanimous in the opinion that the affair far outbid the "banquets" of all previous years. The alumni present were James K. Beck, W. H. Adams, W. T. Blair, Sanford Teter, Win Sutphin, Fred Beck, Roy Pike, Ralph Pike and Louie Howe of Bloomington, and K. O. Hert of Indianapolis. The freshmen hosts were Bros. Pittenger, Diven, Pfaff, Ross, McMurtrie, Blair, Hill, Cookson, Rafert and Hindman.

On the afternoon and evening of March 14, the Chapter entertained at a "Belated Picnic," which was undoubtedly the most unique and enjoyable affair given in Bloomington for a long time. The house was decorated with evergreen and smilax and the floors were covered with grass. Here and there in the "picnic grounds" were placed logs which served as seats and heightened the rustic effect. In one end of the hall was a rail fence to climb which was required of every girl present. All accomplished the feat with more or less grace. A hidden spring was discovered in the fireplace and a doorway under the stairs served as entrance to a cave gruesome with skeletons and from which issued cold draughts of air. After an hour or so spent at cards, conversation and exploring the "grounds" the baskets were brought and the eatables spread out on tablecloths on the floor. The picnics seated themselves around and literally "cleaned up." Following this the floors were cleared and dancing was enjoyed for several hours. The first dance was to the strains of "Nobody's Lookin' but the Owl and the Moon," both of whom gazed down indulgently from the upper corner of a darkened parlor. The "Belated Picnic" was original, an innovation, and a thorough success.

Bro. "Red" Williams, who was compelled to leave college last January on account of his eyes, has re-entered for the spring term.

Bro. A. E. Grantham of Ind. Alpha has entered the university and will be with us this term. Bro. McMurtrie will not return this term, having accepted a position to tour the country as a member of the famous Marion Zouaves. The Chapter enjoyed a visit from Bro. K. O. Hert, Ind. Beta, '79, of Indianapolis, and Bro. Scott of Pa. Beta returned to Bloomington for a day or two and was present at the picnic.

Our Chapter house has been frescoed and decorated during the spring vacation, which improves its appearance greatly and makes it without question the finest Chapter house in the city.

Phi Kappa Psi House, Bloomington, Ind., March 31, 1903.

Indiana Delta—Purdue University.

Arthur R. Bradley, Correspondent.

Unlike most colleges and universities throughout the country, Purdue gives its students no Easter recess, hence while our brothers in other Chapters are enjoying a rest from their studies we at Indiana Delta are still plugging away at our work waiting patiently until June when we shall get our turn.

Around college baseball is the all-absorbing subject at present. Bro. Kelsey as coach is rounding the men into excellent condition and is looking forward to a very successful season.

Bro. Palmer, who last year put up an excellent game behind the bat, has deserted that position, but will be found on second base.

Bro. Heggie is also out for the team and is playing an extremely fast game.

In the inter-fraternity games we hardly know what to expect. Our first game will be played within a few days. So perhaps it is sufficient at this time to say that we hope to keep the pink and lavender in the lead.

The evening of March 26 gave us an opportunity to renew our social activities with an informal dancing party at Griffiths. To say that we all had a good time would be putting it mildly.

On the 13th and 15th of April come respectively the junior and sophomore Pan-Hellenic parties. These are the leading social events of the year and from all indications those of this year will surpass all others.

Owing to a rather severe rule of the faculty the fraternities here are not allowed to initiate their freshmen before April 1, but as that has now arrived we expect to have a right good time at the initiation Saturday night, which is to be followed by an elaborate banquet. At that time we shall have a large number of our alumni with us so there's little doubt but what it will be one of the jolliest occasions of the year.

During the past month we have had the pleasure of entertaining Bro. C. F. M. Niles of Toledo, Bro. Ed Knight of Indianapolis, and Bro. Sherman of Ind. Beta, all of whom we hope to see again soon.

Phi Kappa Psi House, Lafayette, Ind., March 31, 1903.

Illinois Beta—University of Chicago.

Edward G. Woods, Correspondent.

At the time of this writing Ill. Beta is in the midst of a general house cleaning and repairing owing to the fire which a short time ago damaged the Chapter house to a considerable extent. It was thought advisable by the Chapter to take advantage of the ten days spring vacation to repaper and recalcimine the house from basement to roof, but the first few days of school still finds us in a rather chaotic condition.

It is with considerable regret that I must report the withdrawal of Bros. Meyers and Joe Neptune from the active chapter. Bro. Meyers has accepted a position in a large banking concern at Columbia, Pa., and Bro. Neptune has taken a partnership interest with his brother "Dick" in the Tennessee Trunk Manufacturing Co., at Memphis, Tenn.

Bro. Joe Sibley has been unable to return to college for the spring

quarter as he has been forced to remain at home on account of sickness.

A few of the brothers remained at the Chapter house during the recent vacation and an informal dance was given by them at the Chapter house. Bro. and Mrs. Fred Rush chaperoned.

Bro. Rosenbrook, Wis. Alpha, spent a few hours with us and helped us while away a few dull vacation moments with an abundance of rag time.

Bro. Chapman, New York Alpha, will be with us for the spring quarter at least, to continue his work which was so suddenly suspended at Cornell. He expects to return to Ithaca next fall.

3635 Lexington Ave., Chicago, Ill., March 30, 1903.

Michigan Alpha—University of Michigan.

Karl H. Pratt, Correspondent.

The fact that Mich. Alpha was not represented in the last "Shield" makes it necessary to go back to what is now ancient history in order to mention the big social event of the year, the "Junior Hop," which occurred on Feb. 7. This year's hop was unusually successful in all respects. The booths were particularly attractive, all the crowd paying more attention to the decorative effects than ever before. Not the least noteworthy feature of the affair was the grand march led by Bro. James Offield, as chairman of the reception committee. The march was supposed to begin at 9 o'clock, as the regents this year decided that dancing should stop at 2 a. m., and for the first time in the history of "J Hops" the march did start on time. We had an unusually large crowd for us—twenty-two couples in all—and the girls were about the prettiest and most congenial we've had at the house in some time. Fred Rush and his wife, Don Swannell and his wife, "Duckie" Drake and his bride, Carl Rider, "Herbie" Campbell, "Dad" Crafts and Fred Berger were here during the hop. Just before the hop Fred announced his engagement to Miss Clara Hastings, of Jackson, Mich. Perry Shorts of Mt. Pleasant, brother of Bruce Shorts, Michigan's star tackler on the 1901 varsity, was also our guest, and before he left we were able to put a pledge button on him.

The sophomore prom occurred last evening and was an extremely enjoyable affair. Bro. Sullivan was our representative. Bro. Lawrence and Bro. Campbell represent us on the freshman banquet, which is to occur in the next few weeks.

Mention of these largest of Michigan's social affairs, recalls our own individual house party on March 20—not because our party was the "largest," but because it was the "best." There were seventeen couples in attendance, and while the floors, on account of their newness, were not all that could be desired, yet the dancing was very enjoyable. Mrs. Brown and Mrs. Waite were our chaperones.

The party resulted rather disastrously for Ben Boyce, a second semester freshman whom we initiated on February 20. As all Michigan men know, this is the period for the fresh-soph hair-cutting, and while all the freshmen were sufficiently wise or else sufficiently scared to send upper classmen for their girls, Boyce persisted in calling for his girl. Consequently when he stepped from the carriage he found an interesting crowd of sophomores waiting for him, who gave him a very good hair cut free of charge. Ray Florentine, one of our pledge men, lost his locks in the past week. Last Thursday the two classes decided upon a truce for the remainder of the year, but this was all too late in the case of some fifty under classmen who had already fallen victims to the scissors.

Bro Jim Ryan was in Champaign March 11 to 14 investigating in behalf of the Chapter the University of Illinois and the crowd who are going to petition the fraternity for a chapter. Upon his return he reported very favorably upon the crowd and the institution, and incidentally told of many good times he had while there.

Bro. Ferguson, '02, has accepted a position with Geo. A. Fuller Construction Co. of New York, and stopped off on his way to that city to make us a visit. Bro. Bennett, '98, who is also in the construction business in New York, made a visit of a few days in the early part of the month.

Bro. Watling, the steward, was made glad during the past week by receipt of a case of "Javril," the new coffee substitute which Bro. Stevenson, Pa. Alpha, is putting on the market from Battle Creek. It made a hit with all the brothers who tried it, and some of them are using it in preference to coffee. If any of the stewards of the various Chapters are looking for a "good thing," both from the financial standpoint and from the healthy side of the question, I should advise them to write Bro. Lewis Stevenson at Battle Creek for some of his "coffee."

The Michigan Alpha delegation of the D. C. will not be as large as usual, as the majority of the brothers are going home spring vacation. Bro. Harris reads a paper before the D. C. Bro. Brown gives a toast at the banquet, and Bros. Offield, Jack Ryan and David complete our delegation.

Michigan Alpha alumni have been rather active this spring in politics, as Bro. Wilter Kirk is running for city attorney of Peoria, Ill., and Bro. Arthur Fitzgerald is running for the same office at his home in Springfield, Ill. Bro. "Bob" Fitz has gone home to help out in his electioneering.

Now that spring weather has come and it is possible for us to sit out on the porch, it is almost impossible to do any work, and by the same token, letter writing is an impossibility.

Phi Kappa Psi House, Ann Arbor, Mich., March 28, 1903.

Wisconsin Alpha—University of Wisconsin.

Ebor L. Morley, Correspondent.

The last month has witnessed quite a gathering of alumni of Wis. Alpha, Bro. Palmer, Bro. McNamara, Bro. McCormick and Bro. Schmid having favored us with a visit about the same time.

Bro. W. C. Sutherland, '01, also made us a short visit.

We were pleased to entertain at dinner Bro. Hendrickson, Wis. Gamma '87, and Professor Turner with whom he was visiting. Bro. Hendrickson is a professor of Latin at Chicago University.

Saturday evening, March 14, we all enjoyed one of the best indoor meets ever held at Madison, Wis., and Chicago struggled for the lead from the first to the last event, and we were proud of our track team when they finally won the meet.

We were glad to receive a visit from Bro. Kelley of Ill. Beta, who was here to take part in the track meet.

Saturday, March 28, we all attended the last military hop of the year.

Bro. James, Bro. Sharp and Bro. Hangen were elected as delegates of Wis Alpha. to the D. C. to be held at Iowa April 15. Several other members of Wis. Alpha expect to be present.

Bro. Johnson, who left us a short time ago, is making us a short visit.

Bro. Carpenter, who has been at his home at Evanston, Ill., for several weeks on account of sickness, has nearly recovered and is back for a short visit, but we regret to say that he will not resume his work until next fall.

Base ball season is well under way and the inter-frat. games for the possession of a fine loving cup will start immediately after the Easter vacation, April 15. Phi Psi will be represented by a team which we hope will be one of the best. Bro. Hangen '04, was elected captain.

Bro. Morley, '05, was elected manager of the varsity tennis team for the coming season.

The prospects for Wisconsin having a winning base ball team this year are very good, as the material is more abundant and better than ever before.

Madison, Wis., March 31, 1903.

Wisconsin Gamma—Beloit College.

Frank Thomas, Correspondent.

Beloit's proposed new gymnasium is becoming more of a reality every day. It has been coming for eight years and the "new gym"

has been a standing joke among the students, as the old one has been to outsiders. But yesterday there was a mysterious looking individual taking "soundings" around the campus in the vicinity of the gymnasium. We hope he was planning to burn it down, but, better still—he was introduced to us at prayers as the architect of the new building. It will cost about \$40,000.

The Glee and Mandolin clubs give their annual home concert to-night. The three fraternities here will unite in giving a reception to the members of the clubs after the concert. Bros. John Dufee, Ed Ellis and "Frenchy" . . . ranger are here, and we regret that others of our alumni cannot find the time to be with us.

Mrs. Oakley Griggs and Miss Lillian Griggs of Streator, Ill., are guests of Bro. Griggs.

At the last meeting of the Chapter Bros. Griggs and Sparks were chosen as delegates to the D. C. Several others hope to attend.

School closes tomorrow, April 1, and the students are already beginning to leave. This has been a successful term for Wis. Gamma and we wish the same to our sister Chapters.

Beloit, Wis., March 31, 1903.

Iowa Alpha—University of Iowa.

A. K. Hess, Correspondent.

Only two weeks now remain until the District Convention meets here. We anticipate seeing a large number of alumni back and hope none will stay away who can possibly attend.

We take pleasure in introducing Bro. Horace W. Gregory to the fraternity. Bro. Gregory was initiated last Saturday night.

Bro. F. B. Gleason has accepted a position with the Iowa Telephone Company.

Iowa City, Iowa, March 30, 1903.

Kansas Alpha—University of Kansas.

Sydney S. Linscott, Correspondent.

Bro. Buck Hayden helped make a bleak, snowy Sunday afternoon pass lively for those in the house. Bros. Frank Merrill and Fred Wood were with us last Sunday. Good reports come from Bro. "Lon" Heath, '01, and rumor has it that he is coming west again.

We were very glad to have Bro. Loomis in school again. We have pledged Frank Chase of Sterling, Kans. He is a student and base ball player as well as a good fellow. At present he is holding down short-stop on the varsity, and third on the Phi Psi team.

I hope that by this time every alumnus of Kans. Alpha has received a copy of our annual letter. If you have not, or know of any one who has not received a copy, you would be doing me a great favor by informing me of the fact, as well as sending your present address. If anyone has been missed or slighted in this matter it is because we do not know your present address. Right here I might urge that every alumnus send his present address to the B. G. or any active member. This will help us in completing a list of corrections which are being prepared to send to thee ditor of the catalogue of 1902, and enable him to make it more accurate. It will also aid the active Chapter in their search for information concerning men they are about to rush. If any alumnus knows of a good man who is coming to K. U. there is no way in which he can do as much for his fraternity as by notifying the chapter of the fact and by practicing a little summer rushing on the person in question.

We are developing a strong base ball team and hope soon to be able to announce that we hold the inter-fraternity "cup." In a practice game with the junior laws we defeated them by a score of 8 to 3.

We are looking forward to the D. C. and will be able to tell you about it in our next letter.

Bro. Merrill has supplied us with another of the canine tribe. This time it is, an English bull dog, to be a companion for the bull terrier, "Kim."

Lawrence, Kans., March 28, 1903.

*California Gamma—University of California.**Geo. F. Beard, Correspondent.*

It is getting close to the end of the college year and we are preparing for the final examinations.

Base ball and track work is in full blast. Bro. Adams is doing excellent work at shortstop on the varsity. It is conceded that he is the best short-stop on the coast. We have our first meet with Stanford a week from next Saturday, and from all indications it looks as though we are going to win the series again this year. The first game is to be played here on the Berkeley campus, and on the morning before the game we are going to have a game of ball with the brothers from Stanford. We expect to have a very exciting time, and it is needless to say that both sides will score quite a few runs.

We celebrated Founders' Day by having some young ladies to dinner and a dance afterwards. The house was prettily decorated and we had a very enjoyable time.

We have had the pleasure of a visit by Bro. Davis, N. Y. Epsilon, and his sister for the past few days. They are fine company and we have enjoyed their visit very much.

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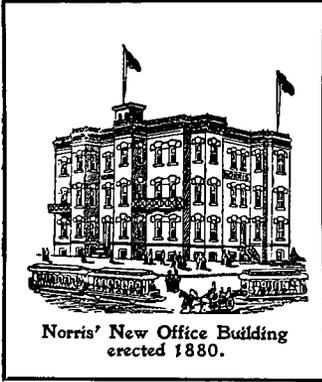
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The First District Council.

Ben K. Hay, Contributor.

The Council of the First District of Phi Kappa Psi at Gettysburg, Pa., April 15 and 16, will not be forgotten soon by those who attended it. The name of Gettysburg recalls, to those "who were there" in '63 memories of war—of the hurried march, the fearless attack, the brave defense, the fields covered with wounded and dead. These scenes will ever remain fresh and vivid.

In the minds of those who were there in 1903 memories equally lively and enduring will linger, but they be of peace, of pleasure,

of delight in Phi Psi associations. There have been conventions in the First District when more business of an important character was transacted, but none at which so much Phi Psi spirit, enthusiasm and fraternal fellowship prevailed.

The delegates and visitors at the council were guests of Pa. Epsilon, and the brothers of this chapter proved, beyond question, their ability to show Phi Psis a good time. Headquarters were at the Eagle Hotel, and by ten o'clock Wednesday morning there were delegates present from all parts of Pennsylvania. The convention meetings were held in Bona Chapel, on the campus of Gettysburg College.

The council was convened at 10:00 a. m. on Wednesday by Archon Zimmerman and the following officers were elected: P., Sol Metzger, Pa. Iota; A. G., Hugh M. Miller, Pa. Theta; B. G., R. J. Hess, Pa. Gamma; S. G., J. J. Lippincott, Pa. Kappa; Hod., Curtis Fisher, Pa. Epsilon; Ph., W. Dulty Smith, Pa. Kappa; H., Don R. McCain, Pa. Gamma. The credentials of the delegates were received and every chapter found to be represented.

The following chairmen of committees were then appointed: State of the District, Ben K. Hay, Pa. Eta; Constitution, Walter L. Sheppard, Pa. Iota; Books and Accounts, Earl V. Braden, Pa. Alpha; Extension, David Halstead, Philadelphia A. A.; Finances, J. W. Crumbaugh, Pa. Epsilon. The convention then adjourned.

At the afternoon session the W. A. presented a carefully prepared report, after which the chapter and A. A. delegates were heard. All reported their chapters to be in a live and flourishing condition. From these reports it was shown that the chapter house movement has taken a firm hold in the First District. Zeta, Theta and Iota have just purchased lots upon which they will build as soon as possible. Zeta expects to occupy her own house by September, 1904. Gamma has owned a lot for some years and has a building fund on interest. Delegates from the Philadelphia and Johnstown A. A.'s reported.

Several papers were read at the session, viz: "The Fraternity's Part in the Development of Ideal Manhood," J. H. Otto, Pa. Alpha; "The Future Policy of Our Fraternity," R. J. Hess, Pa. Gamma; "Southern Extension," C. B. Gladfelter, Pa. Epsilon. The convention then adjourned until Thursday morning.

During supper President E. Lawrence Fell arrived from Baltimore, where he attended the meeting of the Third District Council, and was given an ovation. In the evening the Epsilon boys gave a dance to the convention in Xavier Hall. There were scores of Phi Psi girls present, not only from Gettysburg but from a number of surrounding towns and cities. The hall was artistically decorated in fraternity colors and the entire affair was a delightful one.

The convention convened again on Thursday morning and greetings from the other District Conventions were read. Additional papers were read as follows: "Is the Accredited List of Any Benefit?" E. F. Craig, Pa. Beta; "Business Principles as

Applying to the Chapter," D. P. Ray, Pa. Zeta; "The Advantages of the History," W. E. Snyder, Pa. Eta; "A Suggestion," D. H. More, Pa. Theta; "Fraternity Life at Swarthmore and its Chances of Improvement," J. J. Lippincott, Pa. Kappa; "What Our Alumni Associations Can Do for the Active Chapters," Sol Metzger, Pa. Iota. Discussions followed these papers. Short addresses were made during the morning by Bro. Prof. Geo. D. Stahley of Gettysburg College; Bro. Dr. H. W. McKnight, president of Gettysburg College, and President E. Lawrence Fell.

The various committees appointed then presented their reports. The committee on the State of the District recommended that provision be made for an annual visit to chapters by the archon; that Alumni Associations be formed at Carlisle, Sunbury and Reading, and urged that every chapter secure and keep accurately the card index of alumni and issue at least one letter each year to its alumni. The committee on Constitution recommended that Article 1, Section 1, clauses 5 and 6 of the By-Laws be modified, and that Article 1, Section 2, clause 4 be stricken out entirely. After an animated discussion the convention voted to recommend this change to the E. C. The committee on Books and Accounts reported that all books with the exception of those of one chapter were in good condition and carefully kept, and suggested that they be balanced twice a year. The committee on Extension reported that there are no institutions available for extension in the First District, but strongly urged southern extension. Lancaster was selected as the place of meeting for 1905.

The election of archon resulted in the selection of Bro. Sol Metzger of Pa. Iota. Bro. Metzger is one of the most popular and best known men at the University of Pennsylvania and is captain of the 'Varsity football team for 1903. The session, on account of amount of business, was protracted until 1:30 p. m., when the council was adjourned.

At three o'clock all started for a drive over the world-famous battlefield under the leadership of a professional guide, Mr. Minnigh. This was the rarest and perhaps the most delightful feature of the whole convention. All the points of interest were visited successively, and a graphic and connected story of the battle was given at each place. The entire convention was photographed at Devil's Den and again at the "High Water Mark." As we stood at the latter place and listened to the guide's eloquent description of the magnificent charge of Pickett's men and the fearless and unyielding defense which they met, the thought suggested itself that perhaps there were Phi Psis in blue and Phi Psis in gray who met and fell just a few yards away at "the bloody angle," on that 3rd day of July, forty years before.

But a fitting climax to everything was the banquet on Thursday evening at the Eagle Hotel. Sixty-five men were present. After the menu the program of speech-making was opened by the retiring Archon, S. R. Zimmerman, who introduced Bro. Chas. S. Duncan of Pa. Epsilon as symposiarch. Bro. Duncan, if we are to credit the stories told of him at the banquet, has been:



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unusually successful in having himself appointed to this office on Phi Psi occasions, but by his happy manner of presiding proved his clear title to the place.

The following were the toasts: "Phi Kappa Psi," E. Lawrence Fell, Pa. Kappa; "Phi Psi and Gettysburg," H. W. McKnight, Pa. Epsilon; "Phi Psi in Retrospect and Prospect," James H. Morgan, Pa. Zeta; "Recollections," A. H. Rothermel, Pa. Eta; "The A. A. and the Chapter," David Halstead, Pa. Iota; "The Next G. A. C.," Muscoe M. Gibson, Pa. Theta. The new archon, Sol Metzger, also spoke briefly. The speeches were of a high order and stirred the depths of the Phi Psi heart. Bro. J. W. Brown, Pa. Eta, had a place on the program but was called home on business Thursday afternoon. Bros. S. L. Linton, Pa. Epsilon, and Wm. C. Sproul, Pa. Kappa, were prevented from being present at all. After the last toast there was a Phi Psi song and a yell, and the District Council of 1903 was formally ended.

The Second District Council.

A. W. Towne, Contributor.

Over ninety Phi Psis joined in saying that our D. C. in Syracuse, New York, was the greatest success ever known; and that New York Beta did herself proud in giving us all a fine time. We began with a smoker on Tuesday night when the glad hand, reminiscences, nicotine and aromatic waters were passed around; and in between courses a few impromptu recitations were served. Wednesday morning came the organization in the Yates Hotel, the best hotel in the city, where we had our headquarters. In the afternoon we went in a body to the Beta chapter house, which Phoenix-like had just risen from the ashes and there held our business session. During a recess the photographer took our picture and pronounced us such a handsome looking gang that we let him come to take another picture of us at the banquet.

The New York Beta brothers, whom the Syracuse young ladies pronounce as the best entertainers "on the hill," certainly outdid themselves in providing for the social edification and enjoyment of the visiting brothers, as each and every one will testify who attended the grand Phi Kappa Psi ball in Empire Hall on Wednesday evening. The fifty fairest daughters of the city and university brought their beguiling charms, and Terpsichore smiled graciously upon the assembly. It is rumored that also other goddesses and gods smiled that night for it was observed that several of the undergraduate delegates remained over an extra day in Syracuse to make party calls—a striking tribute to the very commendable favor in which Syracuse Phi Psis stand with the fair sex of that city.

The next day we completed the business of the council. The business was done promptly and well, and the papers were fruitful in suggestions. Every organization had its delegates on hand at all the sessions, and they were in earnest, and besides getting

inspired themselves with the love of Phi Psi, they all carried back a strong leaven to their respective chapters or alumni associations. The Harvard Club also sent a representative at whose request the D. C. passed resolutions favoring granting clubs official delegates at the G. A. C.'s and D. C.'s. Other transactions that call for notice were the adoption of a set of District By-Laws; the passing of resolutions recommending that alumni associations be called graduate chapters, and that the secretaries of alumni associations and clubs shall issue an annual statistical report similar to the chapter B. G.'s reports at present. Probably the most important recommendation was to the effect that all chapters amend their by-laws so as to compel all undergraduates to pay, the year previous to their becoming alumni, an assessment of one dollar and one half to the chapter treasurer who shall use such moneys to pay "Shield" subscriptions for such brothers for the ensuing year. The object of this is to make the first year alumni sure subscribers to "The Shield" the first year after they become alumni.

The D. C. elected Bro. Daniel J. Kelly, New York Beta 1904, archon for the ensuing two years, and the choice was most fortunate, since Bro. Kelly, who was initiated seven years ago, has had much experience in Phi Psi as well as in other fraternal organizations and will bring a ripe and profitable maturity to both the E. C. and to the direction of the affairs of the district.

We were very glad to have with us among many other alumni Bro. Secretary Orra E. Monnette from the Fourth District, and to have him present to answer all questions calling for an official and authoritative answer. Bro. Rev. Dr. H. T. Scudder, New York Gamma '73, chairman of the Ritual Committee, on Thursday afternoon gave us a most beautiful oration—in its line the gem of the council.

The banquet Thursday night was a fitting climax to the most successful D. C. ever held in our district. Bro. Walter L. McCorkle, Va. Beta '80, was symposiarch and called upon these brothers for toasts: George B. Baker, Ind. Alpha '87; L. E. Whittic, N. Y. Beta '93; Guy M. Walker, Ind. Alpha '89; Rev. Dr. R. R. McG. McN. Converse, Pa. Alpha '63; Orra E. Monnette, Ohio Alpha '95; R. T. Templeton, N. Y. Beta '95; William C. Wilson, Pa. Beta '80. The speeches were all filled with Phi Psi fire, a fire which one moment would crackle and sparkle in jest, and then like imperishable glowing embers would warm us with tender sentiment and then the next would burst into the blazing glory of a high, high, high! The palm of the evening easily went to Bro. Converse, rector of St. Luke's Church in Rochester, N. Y., who for forty-three years has carried the congenial and brotherly love of Phi Psi in his soul. Suffice it to say that the common remark after he took his seat was this: "I hope they can get him for a speech at the Indianapolis G. A. C." As we joined hands about the room and sang "Our Strong Band Can Ne'er be Broken" every brother said in his heart that he had had the time of his life and vowed that if possible he would

be at the next D. C., which meets in Providence, R. I., in 1905, under the auspices of Rhode Island Alpha.

The Third District Council.

The District Council of the Third District, held in Baltimore, was thoroughly successful and enjoyable in every particular. The business sessions were truly full of life and business and the social features of the occasion were events long to be remembered.

At the first session both the president and the vice-president of the fraternity were present and stimulated the convention at the very start by rousing, enthusiastic Phi Psi speeches. All the chapters in the district were represented, and sent reports that were very satisfactory and encouraging. Bro. Spencer reported Va. Alpha in flourishing condition and winning all the honors in school.

Bro. Lamar's report for Virginia Beta was entirely satisfactory. Bro. Buchanan reported for West Virginia Alpha. He dwelt especially upon that chapter's elegant new home. Miss. Alpha's report was made by Bro. Hairston and was very good. The report of Tennessee Delta was very encouraging indeed. Bro. Chisum made this report.

Bro. Foster of Maryland Alpha was elected archon for the next two years. He is a man of power and ability and will fill the chair of archon very successfully. Not only do all the active members of the fraternity trust Bro. Foster's judgment, but the members of the Baltimore A. A. have the greatest confidence in his ability and speak in very complimentary terms of him. The convention accepted the invitation of West Virginia Alpha to meet at Morgantown in 1905.

The visiting members of the D. C. very much appreciate the way in which they were entertained by Maryland Alpha. Nothing was wanting to make their visit pleasant.

The banquet, the closing feature of the D. C., was a great success. Bro. Turner, president of the Baltimore A. A., had this matter in charge and he is to be thanked for the great pleasure it afforded all.

The Fourth District Council.

F. E. Smith, Contributor.

The Fourth District Council of Phi Kappa Psi convened at the Arcade Hotel, Springfield, Ohio, at 10:00 a. m. on April 15, under the direction of Ohio Beta and the Springfield Alumni Association. The delegates numbered about fifty, all the chapters being represented by from three to five men. Four of the alumni associations failed to send delegates.

The officers of the D. C. in order were as follows: Bro. Harry K. Crafts, Mich. Alpha; Bro. J. C. Barringer, Ohio Beta; Bro. F. E. Smith, Ill. Alpha; Bro. R. H. Deaton, Ohio Beta; Bro. S. D. Winger, Ohio Delta; Bro. F. T. Hindman, Ind. Beta; Bro.

U. M. Hoyt, Ohio Alpha; Bro. J. A. Ryan, Michigan Alpha.

The reports of the archon and delegates showed the district to be in an exceedingly prosperous condition. Of the nine chapters, containing 156 active members, eight occupy chapter houses, three of which are owned by the chapters occupying them. Ohio Delta, the only chapter not at present in a house, has a movement on foot whereby they hope to own a house in a short time.

Nine papers were read during the different sessions. Each was put before the convention for discussion and thus afforded a means of considering some of the more important questions with which we are now concerned. "The Pledged Man, the Active Member and the Alumnus," was very ably discussed by Bro. Carl Ultes, Jr., of Ohio Beta. He set forth the relations that should exist between these three, in their different stages of fraternity life. Bro. J. B. Harris of Mich. Alpha discussed "Internal and External Development," treating mainly of the former half of the subject. "Qualifications of Petitioning Institutions and Petitioners," was treated by Bro. C. B. Ross of Ohio Delta. He pictured the ideal crowd of petitioners and advised a careful survey of the institution as to its size, promise of growth, etc. "The Advisability of Entering the University of Illinois" was the subject of the paper by Bro. H. R. Beckman of Ind. Alpha. Bro. Beckman has visited the University of Illinois, has met the petitioners and recommends that the fraternity take favorable action toward them. "Chapter By-Laws" was the subject of the paper by Bro. F. T. Hindman of Ind. Beta. Bro. Hindman was peculiarly fitted to speak on this topic, as Ind. Beta has one of the most complete sets of by-laws among the chapters. Bro. J. L. Brode of Ill. Beta, in his paper "The Relation of the Archon to His District," pictured the ideal archon as one thoroughly acquainted with all fraternity matters and policy, and in close touch with the undergraduate members of the district, making periodical visits to the different chapters. Bro. C. W. Denison of Ohio Alpha spoke on "The Chapter and the University." He found that the chapter has many interests in common with the institution at which it is established and, in fact, is dependent almost entirely upon it for its strength and existence. Bro. F. E. Smith of Ill. Alpha read a paper upon "The Fraternity and 'The Shield,'" treating the subject from an historical standpoint. Bro. C. L. Van Cleve, who for so many years had charge of "The Shield," made some interesting remarks upon this subject. Bro. R. E. Adams of Ind. Delta, our youngest chapter, spoke very fittingly upon "The Development of the New Chapter."

Greetings were sent to and received from other D. C.'s in session. Resolutions were adopted regretting the absence of George B. Lockwood, editor of "The Shield," and it was directed that the congratulations and felicitations of the D. C. be sent to him.

Only one event brought sadness to the hearts of the assembled brothers. Bro. J. T. Jones, a noble and loyal Phi Psi, had re-

cently passed away. Resolutions were adopted expressing to his wife and family the heartfelt sympathy and regret felt by his brothers in Phi Kappa Psi.

The active chapter had made arrangements whereby the delegates might visit the chapter house and the campus of Wittenberg College. This was taken advantage of by most of the brothers at some time during their visit. The chapter has a very convenient and well arranged house, pleasantly located near the campus.

Upon the invitation of Ill. Alpha, Ill. Beta and the Chicago A. A. it was decided to hold the next D. C. at Chicago, Ill.

Bro. A. B. Garcelon of Ill. Beta was elected by white ballot as the next archon of the Fourth District. On Wednesday night occurred the reception and ball given to the visiting Phi Psis. It was a very brilliant and successful affair, about seventy-five couples enjoying the music and dancing.

The last event on the last day was the banquet, with covers laid for eighty-five. While the twelve courses were being served the company enjoyed themselves with college yells and songs. Major-General J. Warren Keifer, Ohio Beta '68, presided as toastmaster. The following toasts were listened to with great pleasure and profit: "The Fraternity a Sentiment," S. A. Ort, D. D., LL. D., Ohio Beta '66; "Our Future," Prof. C. L. Van Cleve, Historian, Ohio Alpha '77; "Phi Psi Publications," Stanley D. Winger, Ohio Delta '03; "Dine Ever—Die Never," J. Harry Robbitts, Ohio Gamma '78; "The Individual in Phi Kappa Psi," A. K. Brown, Mich. Alpha '03; "The Ideal Alumnus," C. F. M. Niles, Treasurer, Ohio Gamma '78; "Phi Psi in Politics," Roy E. Adams, Ind. Delta '03; "Forty Chapters, Forty Houses," Lincoln M. Coy, Ill. Beta; "The G. A. C. 1904," E. H. Knight, Indianapolis A. A., Ind. Gamma '93.

Ohio Beta and the Springfield, Ohio, A. A. surely fulfilled their promise to show us a royal good time. Everything possible was done for our pleasure and enjoyment, and I am sure that none of us could have spent two days more pleasantly or profitably than those at Springfield at the Fourth District Council.

The Fifth District Convention.

J. C. James, Contributor.

The third meeting of the Fifth District Council occurred at Iowa City, Iowa, on April 15 and 16, under the auspices of Iowa Alpha. From start to finish the meeting was a great success. Bro. Lyle, archon of the district, pronounced it the "best D. C. he had ever attended." The first session opened Wednesday morning. The committee on credentials reported the following delegates: Wisconsin Alpha—R. N. Sharp, J. C. James. C. M. Hangan; alumni, E. L. Williamson. Wisconsin Gamma—E. M. Griggs, W. W. Whitfield. Iowa Alpha—F. C. Drake, H. C. Ochiltree. E. D. Kenyon; alumni, G. F. Lindsay and J. W. Kindall. California Gamma—J. C. Pickett. Nebraska Alpha—J. D. Ringer.

Minnesota Beta—R. W. Putnam. Kansas Alpha—S. S. Linscott; alumni, J. F. Merrill. California Beta—Unrepresented, delegate detained at last moment by serious illness in family.

The afternoon session opened with the report of the archon. This and the subsequent reports of the chapters showed the district to be in excellent condition. These reports were followed by an interesting discussion on "Summer Rushing." Bro. Whitfield, Wis. Gamma, read an excellent paper on the subject and the convention proceeded to an informal consideration. The sentiment was unanimously in favor of a vigorous system of summer rushing.

Bro. Drake, Iowa Alpha, opened the subject, "What Constitutes an Offense Against the Fraternity Sufficient to Justify Expulsion?" with a very creditable paper. The majority of the convention agreed that there were two main grounds for expulsion, immorality and non-payment of dues. A strong paper on "The Financial System of the Chapter" was read by Bro. Sharp, Wis. Alpha. This and subsequent discussion brought out two points of importance to successful finance. One an accurate system of books and the other a method for enforcing a prompt payment of dues.

The reading and discussion of papers was continued on Thursday morning. The first was by Bro. Ringer, Neb. Alpha, on "Chapter By-Laws." The whole subject of by-laws and their enforcement was well treated, and the general discussion revealed many interesting similarities and differences in the by-laws of the different chapters. "The Chapter House Corporation" was well handled by Bro. Putnam, Minn. Beta. Various schemes for financing chapter houses were proposed, but general sentiment favored the stock corporation, recommended by the Committee on Chapter Houses. Bro. Merrill, Kansas Alpha, gave a careful discussion of "The Future of the Alumni Association." The general conclusions reached were that the Fifth District should make efforts to secure the organization of many more alumni associations. There are already ten in the district, but their wide territorial separation makes them seem "few and far between." A list of twenty-one cities in the district was read, each of which have the required number of alumni to start associations. The last paper was an able one by Bro. Pickett, Cal. Gamma, on the subject, "Have We Too Many Chapters?" The whole subject of extension was taken up. It was the unanimous opinion of the council that it is for the best interests of the fraternity to expand, but that expansion should be careful and conservative.

The session of Thursday afternoon was of a routine nature. Committee reports were read and adopted.

An offer of Kansas Alpha to entertain the next D. C. was unanimously accepted, and the 1905 council will meet at Lawrence, Kansas.

Bro. J. T. S. Lyle, Wis. Alpha 1900 and Law 1903, was unanimously re-elected archon.

The last official action of the council was a vote of thanks to Iowa Alpha "for the royal entertainment during the D. C." This formal vote but poorly expresses the royalty of the entertainment, or the appreciation of the delegates and alumni. Hours not spent in routine of business were filled most pleasantly by the careful arrangement of Iowa Alpha. Most of the delegates arrived at Iowa City on Tuesday, and got well acquainted at a smoker given at the chapter house that night.

On Wednesday evening was the "Convention Party." The Iowa brothers had spared no trouble nor expense to make the Armory beautiful. The walls and ceiling were hung with bunting, and flowers, lights and great Phi Psi shields transformed the bulding into a pink and lavender bower. The local papers pronounced it "the most elaborate social function that Iowa City had ever witnessed." Prominent faculty members and members of local chapters of other fraternities were present. The "Iowa Girls," themselves almost as interesting entertainers as the men, added their efforts to those of Iowa Alpha in making the delegates realize what it meant to be a visiting Phi Psi in Iowa City.

Thursday afternoon the delegates were presented to President McLain, who held a short reception in his office and made a few brief but interesting remarks on fraternities and on Iowa State University. He is a man of striking personality and one whom we were very proud to meet.

Thursday evening occurred the banquet at the Burkley Imperial Hotel. After a lordly repast, Bro. Kenyon, Iowa Alpha, officiated as master of ceremonies. The toasts were: "The Ideal in College Life," by E. M. Griggs, Wis. Gamma; "The Social Side of Phi Psi," by R. W. Putnam, Minn. Beta; "The Fifth District," by J. C. James, Wis. Alpha; "The G. A. C. of 1904," by H. C. Ochiltree, Iowa Alpha; "Friendship and Fraternity," by J. D. Ringer, Neb. Alpha; "Fraternity Obligations," by S. S. Linscott, Kansas Alpha; "Our Rivals," by J. C. Pickett, Cal. Gamma.

When the regular program was finished Bro. Kenyon called for impromptu toasts from Bro. Lyle, Wis. Alpha, Bro. Lindsay, Iowa Alpha, and others. One of these responses was from Bro. A. E. Swisher, Iowa Alpha, class 1868. Bro. Swisher was one of the fathers of Iowa Alpha and he delivered a toast which was magnetic with Phi Psi enthusiasm. It was a fitting closure to the council meeting, to learn from a brother who had been in the fraternity for forty-five years how much Phi Psi means.

Ho For Colorado, 1903.

During the past month a very attractively printed prospectus describing all the charming features of the proposed Phi Psi Lodge in Estes Park has been sent to all members of Phi Kappa Psi. This has proven a most strenuous advertisement of the scheme and the request for contributions has been most generously responded to in amounts from one dollar to one hundred

dollars. However, the vast, vast majority is yet to be heard from and it is most devoutly hoped that every member will send his loose change to the secretary in Denver to help boost. If every "Shield" subscriber would send five dollars or ten dollars to this fund in the next thirty days, it will be the end of all financial anxiety and the lodge will go up with a whoop and will be open by July 4. The secretary of the company writes "The Shield:" "Since the first day our circular letter left Denver there has been a steady flow of most enthusiastic replies. Bros. Lincoln M. Coy of Chicago, and C. C. Spencer of Monticello, Ind., were the first to arrive with 'acknowledgements.' Bro. Coy says that he 'thinks the advertising the fraternity will get by showing such enterprise should encourage every one to go in and help make the affair a success.' Bro. L. E. Habbeger of Pittsburg gets to Denver with a 'five' and said: 'This is one of the most cheerful investments I ever made. I shall try my best to be with you next summer with my war paint and lots of good old Phi Psi spirits.' Richard H. Templeton of Buffalo says: 'Enclosed please find greenback and wish I had \$40 more to send you. Your plan is a great one and every brother should support it.' Bro. E. B. Mumford of Baltimore says: 'Enclosed please find a small bunch of the stuff. Sorry I can't send more but until J. P. Morgan pays me off I am on the bargain counter. Your proposition is a hummer and worthy of any loose change a Phi Psi may have.' Next came the 'always and forever a Phi Psi,' Bro. C. L. Van Cleve. He says: 'I like you fellows in Colorado. You have a way that means business and does not take 'no' for an answer. I know this enterprise will succeed, for the fellows who can get up the seductive circulars which you get out will not let it fail.' Bro. Van Cleve is a sage. He knows the 'real thing when he sees it, and this Phi Psi roost is as sure to bloom into a splendid reality as it is certain that Bro. Van Cleve is one of the brightest jewels in the Phi Psi shield. Bro. R. L. McCord of Sac City, Iowa, says: 'It is my privilege to throw in the widow's mite. There is something about the way the Phi Psis do things in Colorado that inspires my keenest admiration and I have promised myself a trip out there next summer.' Good for Bro. McCord. Bro. Stanley Christopher of Kansas City says: 'Enclosed is ten dollars. I hope every member will respond and in case you need a little more later let me know and I will be glad to 'cough up' again.' Next comes the limit from Bro. Fred S. White of Chicago. 'Enclosed please find check for \$100. I cheerfully send this small contribution and trust that at some future time to add to this amount, etc. etc.'"

We are glad to print these statements in "The Shield" and show the spirit with which the enterprise is progressing. It is to be hoped that every member who reads "The Shield" and has received the blanks from Colorado, will bestir himself and send his little contribution to Denver. It is the small amount from everybody that is to make this project a success. Address Phi Psi Colorado Club, 204 Colorado Building, Denver.



Bro. J. H. Armstrong is deputy treasurer of Clark county, Indiana, with offices at Jeffersonville.

Bro. James W. Emison, of Vincennes, Ind., has been elected alumni trustee of his alma mater, DePauw University.

Almus G. Ruddell, Cal. Beta '93, of Indianapolis, is the proud father of a son, James Henry Ruddell, born April 19.

Gerhart C. Mars, Ph. D. (Halle), Ill. Alpha '83, is engaged in editorial work on "The Great Round World," 150 Fifth avenue, New York.

Bro. Chas. M. Hatch is treasurer of the Erie Traction Company, of Erie, Pa. The line connects Erie, Edenboro and Cambridge Springs.

At the annual meeting of the Calumet Club of Chicago, Monday, May 4, Bro. Jacob R. Custer of Pa. Epsilon '64, was elected president.

Wm. A. Beane, Ind. Beta '97, principal of the Ligonier, Ind., High School, is assured of election as county superintendent at that point.

Dr. George Shockley, Pa. Gamma, now of Camden, Maine, leaves on May 9 to join the Ziegler Polar expedition in the capacity of surgeon-in-chief.

The Rev. Ralph Maclay Crissman, Ill. Alpha '97, of McCormick Seminary, has received a call to the old historic First Presbyterian Church of Galena, Ill.

Bro. Everett E. Thompson is an examiner with the Civil Service board at Manila. He states that he sees Bros. Lawrence, Miner and Reger frequently.

Frank Harshaw, Jr., Ind. Delta, writes from Charlottenburg, Germany: "The farther the precious old 'Shield' comes the 'stickier' with interest it seems to be."

Dean Swift, Ill. Beta, has become advertising manager of the Chicago Tribune. Chas. W. Lockwood, Ind. Alpha, is advertising manager of the Marion, (Ind.) Leader.

Gen. J. Warren Keifer, of Springfield, Ohio, has succeeded the late General Jones, who was also a Phi Psi, as a trustee of the Ohio Soldiers' and Sailors' Orphans' Home.

Rush McNair, A. B., M. D., Ill. Alpha '83, Kalamazoo, Michigan, has gone to Glasgow and Edinburg to take medical and surgical studies. Later he will go to Paris.

Cornelius M. Smith, Ind. Beta '98, who has been employed in the offices of the Wabash R. R. at Moberly, Mo., has accepted a position with the B. & O. R. R., with headquarters at Lorain, Ohio.

Paul J. Gilbert, Ind. Alpha, assistant secretary of the Y. M. C. A. at Duluth, Minn., was married on April 22 to Miss Etta C. Fox, of Manchester, Iowa. Mrs. Gilbert is a sister of the wife of Ralph C. Norton, Ind. Alpha.

"Roderick Taliaferro," a story of Maximilian's Empire, by George Cram Cook, Iowa Alpha '92, has just been published by the Macmillan Co. Bro. Cook is at present holding a chair in the English Department of Stanford University.

Hon. Chas. L. Henry, Ind. Alpha '68, of Indianapolis, has purchased the Indianapolis Journal, one of the leading journals of the middle west, and the republican organ of Indiana. The price paid was somewhere in the neighborhood of a quarter of a million.

"I would like to renew my acquaintance with 'The Shield,'" writes S. G. Anspach, Va. Beta, from Bedford City, Va. "I feel like I almost owe the journal an apology for not keeping up with it. I am availing myself of 'The Shield's' address promptly upon receiving it."

The August number of "The Shield" will contain, in addition to other interesting features, pictures and biographies of the new archons and an article by Bro. Chas. L. Van Cleve on "The Birthplace of Phi Kappa Psi," with a picture of the historic Potts house.

Bro. Guernsey Van Riper is one of the officers of the Union Traction Company at Noblesville, Ind. He was recently presented by the Elks of that city with a fine watch chain and diamond studded fob as a recognition of his services in the arrangement of a successful minstrel show.

A wedding of special Phi Psi interest occurred at St. James Episcopal Church, Lancaster, Pa., on April 22, when Rev. Howard W. Dillon, rector of the Episcopal Church in Plattsville, Pa., and a well known wearer of the shield, was united in marriage to Miss Susan Kline, of Manheim, Pa., Bishop Talbot officiating.

Hale Hamilton and Solon Summerfield, both Kansas Alpha Phi Psis, are proprietors and managers of the June Oakes Stock Company, which opens a twelve weeks' engagement at the Broadway Theater, Denver, Col., on June 7. Bro. Summerfield writes that Phi Psis visiting Denver will be most heartily welcomed.

At the Mississippi State Teachers' Association at Vicksburg April 30, May 1 and 2, papers were read by Bros. T. L. Trawick, Va. Gamma, superintendent of city schools, Crystal Springs, Miss.; C. C. Swinney, Miss. Alpha, County Superintendent Education, Lexington, Miss., and Geo. G. Hurst, Miss. Alpha, principal Steens Creek High School, Florence, Miss.

Mrs. Rene B. Reger writes from Rural Dale, W. Va., that Bro. Roy B. Reger has not yet returned to his home from Manila. Nor is he expected until August. This corrects an item presented in a recent "Shield." That Mrs. Reger is a loyal Phi Psi mother is shown by her message of "good wishes to the fraternity boys."

The New Orleans Picayune of May 3, says: "Dr. S. G. Wilson left Wednesday night for New York, where he will remain for study in the post graduate School of Medicine until June. Friends trust that this young disciple of Aesculapius may add largely to his already abundant store of knowledge and zeal, and return refreshed and invigorated physically." Dr. Wilson is an alumnus of Miss. Alpha.

A wedding announcement of special Phi Psi interest reads as follows: "Mr. James Houston announces the marriage of his daughter Sarah to the Reverend J. Livingston Bayard, on Monday, February the twenty-third, Philadelphia." Bro. Bayard was formerly archon of his district, is well known to Phi Psis everywhere and is now chaplain in the United States Navy, stationed with the European squadron.

"The Shield" acknowledges letters of encouragement and commendation from Dr. E. O. Smith, 1223 Walnut street, Cincinnati; Fred H. Van Allen, Clinton, Iowa, Rev. Howard Obold, of Alexandria, Pa.; Dr. Norman Probasco, 175 East Front street, Plainfield, N. J.; H. B. Brewster, of the firm of Brewster & Beete, engineers and contractors, with offices in the S. A. & K. building, Syracuse, N. Y.; Dr. C. E. Strite, Dunloop, W. Va.

A Baltimore dispatch to the Philadelphia Ledger under date of April 7, announces the marriage of Dr. Henry K. Pancoast, Pa. Iota, Skiographer of the University of Pennsylvania, to Miss Clara Louise Boggs, of Baltimore. The ceremony was performed at the Brown Memorial Presbyterian Church. Among the ushers was Wistar E. Patterson, Pa. Iota, of Port Kennedy, Pa. The home of Dr. and Mrs. Pancoast will be in Philadelphia.

Dr. Edwin A. Hyatt, N. H. Alpha '99, was married to Miss Sarah Eugenia Terry at Poland, N. Y. on April 25. The Utica Observer says: "The bride belongs to one of the oldest families of Herkimer county and is a dearly loved favorite in a large circle of friends. The groom is a Dartmouth man and a graduate from McGill University Medical department. After a short trip through the Berkshires Dr. and Mrs. Hyatt will be at home at St. Albans, Vt.

The wedding of Rayburn Clark Smith, Pa. Iota, to Miss Mary Vichaux Houston, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Boyle Houston, at St. James Church, Philadelphia, on April 22, is described by the Philadelphia papers as one of the social events of the year. Seventeen hundred guests witnessed the ceremony at the church, and 600 attended the wedding breakfast which followed at the residence of the bride's parents, 3915 Walnut street. Thomas Blaine Donaldson, Pa. Iota, was best man.

The Arkansas Democrat of April 17, a copy of which is forwarded to "The Shield" by Bro. Shirley P. Austin, of Pittsburg, contains an extended article on college fraternities, embracing conclusions favorable to them reached by Prof. W. A. Crawford, of Little Rock, as a result of inquiries addressed to the authorities of the leading educational institutions of the country. A list of the fraternity men in Little Rock is given. The Phi Psis are Gray Carroll, Chas. C. Collins, Wm. V. Smith, Geo. Thornburgh and H. C. Tipton.

The following from the Indianapolis News refers to a prominent alumnus of Iowa Alpha: "John L. Griffiths said today, in response to an inquiry as to whether he and Mrs. Griffiths were to remove to New York: "It is not true. I am now arranging my business here in order to go on a business trip to London. Mrs. Griffiths and I will sail from New York for London on June 4, and later we expect to visit Russia. On our return we will come to Indianapolis. All of my interests are centered in Indiana, and I expect to remain here for the next fifty years or more."

Dr. Frederick H. Wines, who has been for some time connected with the Census Bureau, Washington, D. C., and who is a good, live Phi Psi, has transferred his allegiance from the Washington Alumni Association to the New York Alumni Association. He has moved with his family to Jersey City, N. J., where he holds the position of General Secretary to the State Charities Aid Association of New Jersey. Bro. Wines is a noted prison reform advocate, and has brought great honor to the fraternity in the past. His address is Commercial Trust Building, Jersey City, N. J.

The Marion, (Ind.) Chronicle has this to say of an Ind. Gamma alumnus who is rapidly achieving a wide reputation as a writer of charming verses: "Those who have been reading the contributions of Edwin Meade Robinson to the Indianapolis Sunday Sentinel will not be surprised that the work of the young man commands the admiration of James Whitcomb Riley or anybody else. Those who read 'The Better Part' in Tuesday's Chronicle will be able to see a touch that indicates that of a master, and there is seldom a Sunday Sentinel these days that does not show similar work on the part of this writer."

Under the presidency of Dr. L. H. Murlin, Ind. Alpha, Baker University, Baldwin, Kansas, has in five years doubled its enrollment, the value of its plant and its housing capacity, and quadrupled its endowment and income. Nearly one thousand students are now matriculated and the institution is known as "the first college in Kansas." At the end of this year President Murlin will have graduated more students than all his predecessors in thirty-six years of the history of the college. This is a wonderful record and in itself constitutes a splendid tribute to the executive and educational ability of Bro. Murlin.

Hon. A. S. McClure, Pa. Alpha '57, died at Wooster, Ohio, on April 17. Judge McClure served in the Fourth and Sixteenth Ohio regiments during the civil war. He was postmaster at Wooster for eight years and represented his district in the 47th and 54th congresses. He was for many years active in politics and long the leader of the republican party in his county. Capt. McClure was one of the old Jefferson College Phi Psis and was instrumental in the establishment of Ohio Gamma at Wooster in 1872. At the funeral of Capt. McClure, which was very largely attended, a glowing tribute was paid to his memory by Judge M. L. Smyser.

Bro. J. Orin Wait, Pa. Beta '98, was joined in marriage to Miss Nina Maycock, at the bride's home, McLallen's Corners, Pa., Saturday noon, April 18. The ceremony was witnessed by about sixty guests, the immediate relatives and friends of the bride and groom. The bride was attended by her sister, Miss Grace Maycock, and Miss Bessie Feidler, of Waterford, Pa., and the groom by Bros. A. A. Culbertson and Chas. H. Hatch, of Erie, both Pa. Eta men. Mr. and Mrs. Wait will be at home to friends after May 1, Toronto, Canada. Bro. Wait was recently admitted to the Erie county bar, and expects, after January 1, 1904, to take up the practice of law at Erie, Pa.

A good story is going the rounds in Methodist circles about Bishop C. C. McCabe, Ohio Alpha, the newly elected president of the Methodist University in Washington, D. C. Bro. McCabe was in Fort Worth, Texas, a while ago, and while there a New York paper telegraphed him asking him for his opinion of the Anglo-American alliance. The telegraph operator in Fort Worth, not knowing of the presence in his town of the distinguished bishop, delivered the message to one C. C. McCabe, a resident of the place. This C. C. McCabe could not understand why his opinion on the Anglo-American alliance should be wanted; but since he was asked of course he had to answer, so he sent this reply: "I think it is a d-d good thing. C. C. McCabe."

The following item concerning a Phi Psi of Miss. Alpha was taken from the Maben, (Miss.) Meteor of May 1: "The Checotah Enquirer of April 24 says: 'Mr. Freeman, whose likeness appears above, was elected city attorney by the Checotah council Monday night. The honor is one worthily bestowed on a young man of sterling worth. City Attorney Freeman came to Checotah last fall from Mississippi, and although a young man, is rapidly coming to the front, both professionally and as a private citizen. He is a graduate of the law department of the University of Mississippi and has a bright future in Indian Territory.' The Mr. Freeman referred to is Charles R. Freeman, who has a large circle of friends in this section who will be glad to note his success and promotion."

General J. S. Jones, of Delaware, Ohio, one of the charter members of Ohio Alpha, died on April 11. General Jones was known throughout Ohio as as a soldier and political leader. He enlisted in the civil war as a private and came out colonel of the 174th Ohio Infantry with the brevet of brigadier general. He served in the Ohio legislature for three terms and represented his district in the Forty-fifth Congress. Since 1890 he has been president of the board of trustees of the Ohio Soldiers' and Sailors' Orphans' Home at Xenia. He had been three times mayor of Delaware, member of the city board of education and prosecuting attorney of Delaware county. He was one of the founders of the Delaware public library. He attained great distinction as a lawyer. In honoring himself General Jones equally honored the fraternity.

C. C. McCown, Ind. Alpha and Ill. Alpha, writes from Calcutta, India, where he is principal of the American Methodist Institution: "The February 'Shield' has just reached me, being somewhat delayed. The farther one gets from college and from home the more news from the fraternity and the brothers means to one. If 'The Shield' tells as much welcome news to other brothers as it does to me it is no wonder its circulation continues to grow. So far as I know there are no Phi Psis in Calcutta, and I know of only one or two in all India. In that regard I am in a poor country. As to most matters, however, India is a great land. I have not seen very much of it yet and so can not say much of it, but I certainly find enough here to keep me interested. Nothing could be a greater calamity to me than to have to go back home. Educational work is very different here from what it is at home. We have very different methods and very different people. This is a so-called 'Entrance School,' i. e., one taking boys from the lowest grade to college entrance. In a year or two I hope to establish college classes."

Bro. William Duncan Kelly, N. Y. Alpha '00, has won political preference in the east for himself and honor for his fraternity, by being elected in November last to the Assembly of the State Legislature of New Jersey, from Hudson county, on the democratic ticket, by a plurality of 13,500 over the highest opposing candidate, and is practically certain of re-election to Trenton in November of this year.

Bro. Kelly was a member of two of the most important committees within the gift of the Speaker, and during the three months' session of the legislature made, as he does everywhere, many friends, winning for himself very great popularity. He is by far the youngest member of the entire body, having been born in 1878. He graduated from the Cornell Law School in 1900, with the degrees of LL. B. In 1897 he was admitted into N. Y. Alpha of Phi Kappa Psi, and straightway became one of her prominent men; socially and athletically, while in the class room—in campus politics and in the "Dutch Kitchen" his star shone with a peculiar brilliancy all his own. "Kel" was undoubtedly one of the most popular men in his class at Cornell and his career will be followed by his friends and classmates with great interest, and by Phi Psi brothers with especial pride.

E. M. Pomeroy, Pa. Theta, writes from San Francisco: "I thought you might be interested in learning that I have just discovered here, in one of our most prominent citizens, one of the oldest members of our fraternity. I was calling one evening on Mr. Dudley Evans, President Wells Fargo Express Co., and just as I was about to leave him he noticed my pin and asked me what fraternity I was a member of, and when I told him he remarked: "I don't imagine you know you are talking to one of the oldest living members of Phi Kappa Psi." After we had given each other the grip he added that he was a member of Pennsylvania Alpha, having graduated from Washington College in 1859. I am sending him the history of our fraternity to read, telling him of the old days when he was an active member of the fraternity. He has a son who will be eligible in a year or two and I hope to get his interest awakened again. * * * Tuesday night of this week I attended the vaudeville show at the Orpheum here and upon looking over the program came to a little sketch "Hooked by Crook," and found in the cast my old New York friend and archon of the First District, Bro. Guy Hubbard. I caught him after his act was over and we spent several hours talking over old and present Phi Psi happenings. He will be here for another week and I intend to see that he meets a great many of our brothers here who will help me to send him away with pleasant recollections of his stay here. His sketch was a good one and made a great hit with the audience."

On Tuesday evening, April 21, the fashionable world of Montclair, N. J., held its most brilliant function of the year in the double wedding of the Misses Alice and Gertrude Armitage to Messrs. Harold Mitchell Stuart and Herbert Chapman Bradley respectively. It will be remembered by all who attended the ceremony or the reception afterward, as a most beautifully impressive and successful affair, and many are the heartfelt Phi Psi congratulations and good wishes that follow Bro. Bert Bradley, N. Y. Alpha '01, as he takes this new "lease on life" unto himself. Phi Psi's chapter at Cornell will never forget this genial, loyal brother, nor the many and long faithful services which he rendered his chapter. As a token of their regard a number of men who were in college with Bro. Bradley had made and sent to the bride a very handsome silver and gold loving cup, with the fraternity monogram beautifully engraved thereon. Bro. Bradley declares it to be the most deeply personal, and in many senses, affectionate of all their many gifts, and solemnly assures his brothers that their generously bowled cup of Phi Psi will always be on tap at his home, as over-running and brimful of Phi Psi spirit as "Burt" is himself. The following Cornell Phi Psis attended the wedding in a body, to say nothing of the many and charming Phi Psi sisters who were present: "Jack" Servis '97, "Bug" Pate '99, "Bottle" Pate '00, "King" Kelly '00, "Kid" Lawson '03, "Ruben" Brown '03, "Tom" Adams '98, "Pop" Eurich '99, "Bud" Woodhull '00, "Reg" Trautschold '02, "Bill" Ward '93, and Jim Gulick, N. Y. Gamma '03, a cousin of the groom. Bro. Bradley is in the dry goods business at 52 White street, New York City. He and Mrs. Bradley will reside in Montclair.



"The Shield" will publish in each issue the names of those alumni who have paid their subscriptions to the fraternity journal since last publication. This will serve as a receipt to paid-up subscribers, and at the same time as a directory of "live" alumni. This custom was inaugurated at the beginning of Volume 21, and consultation of the various lists will show members of the active chapters and secretaries of alumni associations which of their members are and are not subscribers, and enable them to conduct an intelligent campaign for the increase of "The Shield" subscription list. Corrections of names and addresses as printed in these lists are invited, and any person having paid since last issue, whose name does not appear, should make immediate inquiry of "The Shield" office in order to receive proper credit.

The following named alumni have paid subscriptions to "The Shield" since last publication of the list in the March number, up to May 5th:

- Paul C. Burchard, Ft. Atkinson, Wis., 23.
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 Dr. Fred W. Davis, St. Clair, Minn., 23.
 Jno. R. Boen, Monon Bank Building, Pittsburg, Pa., 23.
 Rev. K. F. Richardson, Canoga, N. Y., 23.
 Geo. W. Ross, 133 Chamber of Commerce Chicago, Ill., 23.
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 W. A. Drake, Lafayette, Ind., 23.
 C. B. Miller, 515 Torrey Building, Duluth, Minn., 23.
 J. Howard Rhodes, 26 City Hall Pl., New York City, 23.
 Jno. J. L. Houston, 3704 Walnut St., Philadelphia, Pa., 23.
 Prof. J. M. Green, Trenton, N. J., 22.
 Dr. Irving I. Bretz, Cleveland, Ohio, 23.
 W. W. Sickles, 1026 Forest Ave., Evanston, Ill., 23.
 R. E. Keedy, Johnstown, Pa., 23.
 W. B. Grant, Boston, Mass., 23.
 C. H. Annan, Geneva, N. Y., 23.
 W. S. Deffenbaugh, Leechburg, Pa., 23, 24, 25.
 Wm. B. Austin, Rensselaer, Ind., to Jan., '04.
 Dr. Beni. B. Morrow, Mt. Victory, Ohio, 23.
 W. A. Atkinson, Perry, N. Y., 22.
 H. B. Knight, Tacoma, Washington, to February, '04.
 George McGrew, Kansas City, Kansas, to March, '04.
 W. J. Anderson, Berwyn, Ill., 23.
 Pettes & McAllister, McKeesport, Pa., 23.
 Hon. James L. Norris, Washington, D. C., 23.
 Judge Henry C. Allen, Indianapolis, Ind., 22, 23.
 Prof. E. M. Van Cleve, Greenville, Ohio, 23, 24.
 Dr. J. O. Stranahan, Rome, N. Y., 23.
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 F. A. Belden, 233 Peach Tree St., Atlanta, Ga., to March, '04.
 Hale Houston, Toledo, Ohio, 23.
 Rev. Louis B. Howell, Tolen's Rectory, Trenton, N. J., 23.
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 Ralph Knauer, 4 Weybosset St., Providence, R. I., 23.
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 J. W. Lilliman, 160 West Coulter St., Philadelphia, Pa., 23.
 Prof. T. G. Alford, Lafayette, Ind., 23.
 Ralph R. Carter, Jr., Wilkes Barre, Pa., 23.
 H. F. Summers, 33 Gotwald Bldg., Springfield, Ohio, to April, '04.
 G. H. Carson, 68 Limestone St., Springfield, Ohio, to April, '04.
 Robt. C. Gotwald, No. 1 Ferncliff, Springfield, Ohio, to April, '04.

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Pittsburg Alumni Association.

L. R. Alexander, Contributor.

The proposed Pan-Hellenic Club of Pittsburg gives promise of life and ten fraternities were represented at a meeting called by Bro. S. P. Austin in his office about ten days ago. In a few months we hope to report fully on a permanent organization.

Bro. James Young, United States District Attorney, has just returned with Attorney General P. C. Knox from a successful trout fishing trip. They are both experienced fishermen and report "good luck."

The undergraduate brothers who were with us over Easter have all returned to college. It is always a pleasure to see the enthusiasm they bring home from their active chapters and which they inject into us on these vacation trips. Any real Phi Psi is a real enthusiast, however, but the place to get truly filled is in the chapter halls and during the active college days.

Bro. Ralph Clemson, Pa. Theta, who had to leave college on account of his health, has been spending some weeks in North Carolina where he has put in most of his time on horseback. He returned to us Easter week, much benefitted by his outing and reports a "great trip."

Bro. Louis Habegger, one of Pittsburg's most successful dentists, has moved his office to 406 Smith block. Bro. Habegger was a member of Iowa Alpha and is one of our stand-bys here in Pittsburg.

He plans making the trip to Colorado for the Phi Psi outing the coming summer.

After devoting his time in college to chemical work with a view of doing something in that line after graduation, Bro. Thos. W. Pomeroy found his way open to banking and today is cashier of the Peoples' National Bank of Tarentum, Pa., a Pittsburg suburb. Every Phi Psi hereabouts knows "Tom"—and he is one of the loyal Phi Psis it does you good to know. He is doing splendidly in his bank and has the confidence of the business men of Tarentum.

Among our association we number three brothers who hold permanent positions in Pittsburg church choirs; Bro. Benjamin Porter, basso in Calvary M. E. Church, Allegheny; Bro. Albert Gill, tenor in East Liberty Presbyterian Church, and Bro. L. R. Alexander, basso in Christ M. E. Church.

Bro. R. H. Haand, Pa. Theta '98, was one of our lunch party Thursday, April 23. Bill is a married man now—but it seems to agree with him, for he carries around about 175 pounds of avoirdupois.

We welcome to Pittsburg Bro. Howard Baltz, Maryland Alpha. He is an engineer with the Pennsylvania railroad.

Bro. Pettes, of the Phi Psi law firm, Pettes & McAllister, slipped on the ice about four months ago and injured an old "football knee" which has never been strong. He has had the limb in a cast until recently and has walked only with the aid of crutches, which he hopes to drop soon. We are glad to report him doing well and though still lame, he is attending to his legal practice.

Bro. D. T. Watson has our congratulations on his recent success in the now famous Northern Securities Merger suit, which was decided in his favor. Attorney General Knox has been repeatedly quoted in the papers of the month as giving Bro. Watson the entire honor in this important case.

New York Alumni Association.

Walter A. Dyer, Contributor.

Monday evening, April 20, was to have been Gamma night, and the boys from the Columbia chapter were planning to entertain their elder brothers with a few choice stunts, chiefly of a musical character. Sickness and other causes, however, kept the best of their talent from attending the dinner, and while the Gamma boys attended in large numbers and added not a little to the hilarity of the occasion, the best of the program was indefinitely postponed. Among the features of the meeting were the new song books, which made something of a hit, and the delegates to the D. C. made interesting reports.

This song book was compiled and prepared for publication by Bros. Bang and Dyer. It is a re-publication, with numerous changes, of the old song book, originally prepared by Bro. Pegram. It contains the words of over thirty songs. These are old college songs, the old favorites of the association, a number of selections from the fraternity song book, and a couple of brand new ones. The secretary has had a goodly supply of these song books printed, and while there are not enough to supply the entire fraternity, the secretary will gladly send a copy to any brother on receipt of one cent for postage, or two or three copies to any of the other organizations at the same rate. The New York Alumni Association have found their song books to be an excellent investment, and no association should be without something of the sort.

A number of the directories also remain in the secretary's hands, and may be had for the postage. He will be glad to receive from the secretaries of other associations any similar literature which they may from time to time publish.

A cordial Springtime greeting from New York to all Phi Psis.

Minnesota Beta Alumni.

Bro. Clark Evans is now working for Brown-Biglow Co. in the northwest. Bro. Evans can be reached through the house at St. Paul.

Bro. Bert Page is rejoicing in the birth of a fine baby Phi Psi. A pledge button will be forwarded to Bro. Page at once.

Massachusetts Alpha Alumni.

Rev. Herbert C. Ide '98, who for the past year has been assistant pastor of the South Congregational Church, New Britain, Conn., has been appointed acting pastor, with a good chance of becoming pastor de facto. This is one of the largest Congregational churches in New England, if not the largest.

Robert V. R. Reynolds '98 recently looked in on some of the New York brothers. He has been enjoying quite a varied and interesting life. After giving up ranch life in Dakota, he joined the government field forces in the Department of Agriculture, Bureau of Forestry. He has been studying the planting of trees in Nebraska and Dakota, and during the past winter he has been conducting forestry surveys in the cyprus swamps and Southern pine forests in South Carolina. He is now enroute for central Wisconsin, where he will make a study of forest fires. His permanent address is care of the United States Forestry Bureau, Washington, D. C.

J. Maxwell Clark, ex-'01, has given up railroading and has completed his studies at Purdue, and is now in the fruit growing business in North Hadley, Mass.

Arthur Towne's temporary address is 113 College Place, Syracuse, New York.

Other addresses for which some of the brothers have been inquiring are: George H. Colman, ex-'99, Searles High School, Great Barrington, Mass.; Herbert F. Hamilton '97, 136 Barclay street, Flushing, Long Island; Loren H. Rockwell '01, Jordan, New York; Frank C. Wellman '98, South Lang avenue, Pittsburg, Pa.

The New York Zeta Club.

W. P. Henshaw, Contributor.

This is the first time that the Zeta club has appeared in "The Shield" as a correspondent. With the kind permission of Bro. Editor we have decided to "butt in" on the Phi Psi world and exhibit ourselves.

The Club is a product of the rather unique situation of the New York Zeta chapter in Brooklyn where nearly all the brothers are residents. Its membership is made up chiefly of alumni of the chapter, but of course any Phi Psi alumnus is eligible. At the same time it does not encroach upon the field of the New York Alumni Association, and in short its principle, *raison d'être*, is to keep in constant touch with the active chapter. To this end the chapter and the Club share the same apartment at 95 Court street where every good brother will receive a hearty welcome. After college closes the Club keeps the apartment open and holds informal meetings every week during the summer. We supplement the activities of the chapter whenever requested and in general try to be the fond papa. But the active boys are so blamed prosperous at present that we begin to feel that there is nothing for us to do but sit around and be models of Phi Psi dignity and superlativeness to the younger men. This is somewhat exhausting but doubtless confers its benefits.

It is not to be supposed, however, that we live only for the active chapter. We must have our own fun, too, and the exciting contests at old maid, casino, bean-bags and poker for beans would delight your heart *gol durn* it! Every now and then during the year the treasurer is requested to look into the stocking and take its heft. When the treasurer looks in we look out, but when he "blows in" then we get a "blow out," and I might say here that if any brother will only drop in on us New Year's eve we will treat him to a hair-raising, edifying revival meeting that will leave a fast and fond impression on his mind. When we inscribe a thing on a man's mind we always employ indelible ink.

There is a certain brother in the Club known as the "editor" and it is his business at several of the regular meetings to read a manuscript copy of the "Spirit," thereby contributing largely to the enjoyment of the seance. The "Spirit" is the Club publication. Each edition consists of one copy in manuscript, hand bound and embellished (sometimes). The *modus operandi* of evolving the "Spirit" is simple. The editor asks the artist members for covers and illustrations, the literary members for copy of all sorts, then allowing for the possibility that no contributions will be forthcoming he goes home and does the whole thing himself. This is not always the rule

for several brothers have been known to write for the "Spirit."

The Club does its philanthropic work during the summer, when it opens its doors to the hot and homeless brother whose family has gone to the country, and calms him to content with the soothing balm of companionship. This will be about all. Nothing much doing, nothing much to say.

Our president is Bro. W. L. Pate; treasurer, Bro. F. T. Sherman, Jr.; secretary, Bro. Archibald B. Bush; editor of "Spirit," Bro. Edgar B. Glatz.

Harvard Phi Kappi Psi Club.

Clinton H. Colleston, Contributor.

The last meeting to date of the Harvard Club took place on April 7, in Bro. Behr's room. There was considerable discussion in regard to general fraternity matters, after which we sat around and watched each other go through masticatory gymnastics. Bro. Behr had borrowed a mouse trap with the idea of sponging bait therefor out of the Club feed. We are sorry for the rats. Traps and poison are bad enough when employed separately, but to thus combine the two doesn't give the "timorous beastie" a ghost of a show. The scribe himself has gone through the horrors, in return for having multiplied his endurance by his enthusiasm; and he knows whereof he speaks.

Bro. Keedy, Maryland Alpha, left us this morning. For several months his eyes have been giving him trouble, and at last it has seemed advisable for him to discontinue work in the Law School for a year. Bro. Keedy expects to resume his studies next spring at the point where he is now leaving them. Those of us who are to be here then will give him a hearty welcome on his return, and hope that in the meantime his sight may regain the needed strength.

Bro. Johnson has been busy in the musical line. He is singing on the university glee club and in addition was "made" business manager of the Pierian Sodality, a musical organization of the university, conducted on a somewhat more extended scale than the university glee and string clubs. This is a remarkable honor for one who was fresh this year from another university. "John" tells us on the quiet that he thinks his own specialty in the music of the clinking coin is far sweeter than the warblings of the proteges.

Bro. Behr has been running on the Harvard two-mile relay team during the winter, and we look to see him do his usual reliable work on the track this spring.

Will any brother who expects to be at Harvard next year drop a postal, giving his name, to the correspondent at 67 Oxford street, Cambridge, Mass., and will the others who see this bring it to the attention of those for whom it is designed?

The Rocky Mountain Alumni Dinner.

E. R. March, Contributor.

On Saturday night, March 28, the brothers of this association stretched their regals under the mahogany for the seventh annual dinner at \$3.00 per plate. Bros. Josiah Winchester and B. H. Giles rode the range very thoroughly and rounded up forty head at the University Club and they were a most tumultuous herd. At sundown Bro. Springer cantered across the scenery and hobbled his broncho in front—which the same was formal announcement that it was time to feed. The stampede commenced with a strenuous Phi Psi yell and the soup-to-pie was carefully dealt. In the absence of our worthy president, Bro. Chas. J. Hughes, Jr., Bro. Springer presided over the flow of soul. Judge H. C. Helm delivered an oration (with interference from Judge Campbell) and told us how about "Phi Psis in Peace and in War." Judge Helm is a good Phi Psi and the burden of his soul seemed to be the regret of how he had missed the other six dinners, and he registered an oath never to be missing again. Then came a song. This is Bro. Springer's strong suit—singing(?). He has a splendid yellow tenor and is very proud of the same. If the other brothers had not interfered there might have been some music. Then it was up to the Hon. H. M. Hogg. Bro. Hogg had just arrived from Washington where he has been making some laws.

assisted by a number of other Phi Psi congressmen and senators. He told us "How I Won Out." After he had finished everybody wanted to know how he did it and he said he didn't know. Next came the speech of the evening by Bro. W. A. Hover about "Patent Medicines." Bro. Hover owns a very presentable wholesale pill store in Denver. He told us all about Lydia Pinkham, Peruna, Pale Pills for pink people and Duffy's malt whiskey. Bro. Hover read testimonials and cited personal experiences. The association has sent him a bill for advertising. After the smoke had cleared a little and Bro. Springer had led in singing for his second time, Bro. Barrett arose in response to a call to tell us about some of the things he knows about "The Fair Sect." Bro. Barrett opened with a request that all the five shooters be laid upon the table and promised to tell the truth. What Barrett don't know about the girls has not yet been ascertained. He made a good oration, didn't say that he felt like "embracing his subject" and didn't tell any Irish stories. He seems to be informed as to Cleopatra, Lalla Rookh, Sapho and a number of our friends. Barrett deals only in inside information. Next on the list (after more close harmony) came "confidential subjects responded to by members with interference by the company present." Many of the brothers arose and gave some "heart to heart" sermons on politicians—discussed ways and means of how to get to Indianapolis next year without walking, and also looked into the many good reasons why a charter should be extended to the University of Texas boys who have been knocking at our doors for entrance for such a long time. It was the concensus of opinion that our great fraternity has a form and system of government that is capable of sustaining the standard of all good and well started chapters, and that each applicant should stand strictly on its merits and that there should be no applicant excluded on a general question of fraternity extension. So ended the best attended and most enthusiastic banquet yet held by this association and we stand today a stronger organization, and the spirit of old Phi Kappa Psi is truly alive in the breast of every member in Colorado, regardless of how many summers have passed since our college days. The members present were Congressman H. M. Hogg, Chief Justice Campbell, ex-Justice J. C. Helm, Senator Jno. A. Rush and W. A. Owen, besides a lot of high privates named Barrettt, Daniels, Harper, Sam Large, Winchester, Giles, March, Sweet, Watts, Hover, Carstarpher, Rathvon, Knowlton, Gillett, Edson, Effinger, Dale, Downey, Harrington and Martin.

P. S.—John Springer gave out that he came from Indiana Alpha, one of the oldest and best chapters and that she has many prominent alumni members in Indianapolis. Bro. Springer says he is going to send them a large contribution to their chapter house fund and is going to write a letter to Bro. Campbell in Indianapolis, telling him and all other good Phi Psis to give the Denver contingent a good time next year at the G. A. C.

Illinois Alpha Alumni.

Charles K. Offield '64, a charter member, is a patent, trade-mark and copyright lawyer in the Monadnock building, Chicago.

Joseph A. Matlack '79 is a minister in Chicago.

Thomas C. Moulding is employed in Buck Mfg. Co. with an office in the Chamber of Commerce, Chicago.

Wm. E. McLennan '82 is a minister here in Evanston.

John B. MacGuffin '78, charter member, is a minister in Sheridan, Illinois.

Frank Little '84 is a lawyer in Chicago.

Charles S. Graves '85 is an attorney with offices on Delaware street, Chicago.

C. L. Root '78 is a prominent attorney at Lyons, Iowa.

Johnstown Alumni Association.

Albert T. Smith, Contributor.

Another month has passed away, during which there has been considerable activity among the brothers of this vicinity as is to be expected of a Phi Psi community. On April 3 last we had the pleasure of meeting Bros. Ray, Hall and Williams of Pa. Zeta. These brothers were here with the Dickinson musical clubs who gave a concert in our city. After the concert the Dickinson boys were

entertained by a dance given in their honor. As might reasonably be supposed Phi Psi was at the bottom of this entertainment. The same was brought about through the instigation of Bros. Campbell, Greer, Keedy and Williams, alumni of Dickinson. It was carried to a successful issue by Bro. Campbell who had the entire matter in charge.

We were represented at the District Council by four brothers, Russell C. Love, William G. Woods, Chas. S. Evans and Albert T. Smith. All of the brothers pronounce the D. C. a most decided success. Too much cannot be said to commend our loyal host, Pa. Epsilon, for the thorough manner in which she conducted the D. C. Nothing was left undone. Arrangements were perfected in every detail and carried out as per schedule. If the boys of Epsilon will attend our outing in Somerset this coming summer, we will endeavor to reciprocate partially for the hospitality shown our boys and the rousing good time enjoyed by them.

Following the adjournment of the D. C. the Johnstown delegates together with a number of the brothers from various chapters, accepted an invitation from the Pa. Zeta boys to spend a day with them. That day is one long to be remembered, for we all enjoyed ourselves as we never did before. The Pa. Zeta boys proved themselves no less loyal entertainers than the boys of Pa. Epsilon.

It was indeed the source of much gratification to the Johnstown Alumni Association to hear of the election of Archons Metzger and Foster of the First and Third Districts respectively. Both hail from our locality and we feel that we have a partial claim on both. Archon Foster's home is in this city and that of Archon Metzger is in Bedford, an adjoining county. Two better men and two better Phi Psis are nowhere to be found. Not only are the brothers to be congratulated upon the honor conferred, but the fraternity is to be congratulated as well upon its finds. We look forward to the enrollment of these two brothers in the near future. Before leaving the archons we wish to take this opportunity to commend our departing archon, S. R. Zimmerman, for the capable and efficient manner in which he discharged the duties of his office.

Ever alert and wide awake Bro. Frank S. Love, vice-president of the Love & Sunshine Co. of this city, has launched a new company known as the F. S. Love Manufacturing Co. This company is engaged in the manufacture and sale of candies, confections and kindred products. Bro. F. S. Love is the executive head of the new concern and still retains his position and interest in the Love & Sunshine Co. Surely if there ever was a Phi Psi company this is one. In the application for charter we find the names of Bros. E. M. Love, B. H. Campbell and F. S. Love; Bro. Roy E. Keedy is ably filling the place of cashier and there are several other Phi Psis connected with the new institution in some way. One can readily see on the face of it that with such a combination success for the new concern is assured. The company is now comfortably housed in a three story brick at 621 Railroad street, one of the busiest business centers of the city and in addition to this they occupy a two story brick candy factory. They are doing volumes of business and already they are planning for the building of two additional stories to their building.

Again we find a Phi Psi in front. Among the incorporators of the new Farmers' and Merchants' National Bank of this city is the name of Bro. Bruce H. Campbell, president of the B. H. Campbell Brick Co.

After a most careful perusal of our recently issued catalog we find that unavoidably a few errors have crept in and also we note quite a few omissions. We believe that now is the time to make all corrections and additions, while it is fresh in the minds of the brothers. It will be of very little trouble now to do this and will greatly facilitate the work of the next editor of the catalog. We think that all chapters and alumni associations should take this matter up. What we should realize in a catalog is, that regardless where we travel, if there be a Phi Psi who dwells in these parts, we should know it. We should know the whereabouts of every Phi Psi. Bro. Smart deserves a great deal of credit for compiling our catalog. The work has been very laborious and tedious. But he has handled it well and has made the way much more easy for the next editor of the catalog.

We wish to again impress it upon your mind that the Johnstown Alumni Association will hold an outing at Somerset about the middle of July. Do not forget this. Make preparations now in order that you can be with us at that time. Remember that you are all invited to come and a good time is assured. We will give you more particulars concerning our outing in our next letter.

Indianapolis Alumni Association.

H. C. Brubaker, Secretary.

The April meeting of our association was notable for three things. First, we had with us a hero of the stage, Bro. Clay Clements. Second, we had with us a hero of war, Col George B. Lockwood of the Governor's staff, who was presented with a sword of which more will be said later. Third, it was the largest and most enthusiastic meeting of our association, which was probably due to our distinguished guests.

Bro. Clements is the same good jolly fellow as of old, full of Phi Psi spirit, and always ready to give a High, High, High! He won the hearts of all who had not met him before. The association repaired to the theater in a body, where he threw in some extras for our benefit, ably assisted by his wife, who wore the Phi Psi colors.

Bro. Lockwood has lately been made war secretary to the Governor with the commission of colonel. The position is one of distinction and another feather in the cap of Phi Kappa Psi. The boys thought it in keeping to make the occasion memorable, and to the end presented Col. Lockwood with a tin sword. The presentatory was made accompanied by a great deal of pomp and ceremony. Bro. Ed. Robinson made the speech, reading a poem, which he wrote for the occasion, with apologies to Bro. James Whitcomb Riley.

When Bro. Lockwood found his voice he spoke very feebly and we believe thoroughly appreciated the spirit of the donor.





Pennsylvania Alpha—Washington-Jefferson College

J. H. Otto, Correspondent.

Since our last letter Pa. Alpha has added to her roll the names of three men. It affords us great pleasure to present to the fraternity Bro. James D. Moffat '04 of Washington; Bro. John Wicks '06 of Allegheny, and Bro. W. S. Walsh '05 of Allegheny.

Athletics are booming at W. and J. We have the best baseball team that we have had for a number of years. The team returned last night from a trip through the northern part of the state. They won every game on the trip, the fine pitching of Bro. Bob Nelson being instrumental in the winning of two of them.

There are more men out for the track team this year than were ever out before at W. and J. Bros Ritchie and C. Hays are our representatives on the track.

W. and J. is soon to enjoy the advantages of a new library. Three years ago Mr. W. R. Thompson of Uniontown gave to the college \$50,000 for a library, but there was so much delay about deciding on plans for the building that it was not until a couple of weeks ago that work was begun. But now that work has started we hope to have the building finished in the near future.

Bro. Braden and your correspondent were Alpha's delegates to the D. C. and we certainly did enjoy the Phi Psi hospitality of Pa. Epsilon. On our way home we stopped over a day with the boys of Zeta and they showed us the good time that Phi Psis know how to show to brother Phi Psis.

Phi Kappa Psi House, Washington, Pa., May 3, 1903.

Pennsylvania Beta—Allegheny College.

Watkin P. Sturtevant, Correspondent.

The fact that the end of school is in sight and that we are now living in our own house makes Pa. Beta men feel jubilant. We are all settled now and enjoying our new location very much. It brings us in closer contact with college life and with each other. Our house is large and roomy and well adapted to our needs. We have nine men rooming in our house at present and hope soon to bring the rest of the brothers under our roof.

On the 3rd of last month we pledged Mr. Floyd Nelson of Kane, Pa. Nelson entered college the first of this term, coming from Chamberlin Institute. He is a fine fellow and we will be glad when his classification in the college will permit us to take him into the frat. in full. The pledging of Mr. Nelson brings our number of active members up to eleven, and with two pledged men we have thirteen strong men.

A Pan-Hellenic banquet was held on the 15th of last month and that day and night was filled with fraternity enthusiasm. All the frat. men in college were red and black from 8 in the morning until 3 the next morning. About 9 o'clock at night the frat. men met on the campus and formed the line of march. As the line is formed in order of establishment, Phi Psi was at the head. We then marched down town singing, yelling, stopping street cars and having a very noisy time. After parading the town we adjourned to the Kepler Hotel where a fine banquet was served. Bro. Nelson was toastmaster and Bro. Baker gave the first toast. In the "wee sma'" hours the crowd broke up, after voting it the most successful banquet in the history of Pan-Hell.

The college relay team returned from Philadelphia last week, having won third place in a race in which the Carlisle Indians were first. Bro. Mitchell, who was on the team, reports a fine time and says that an accident caused us to lose first place. Bro. Mitchell is making a name for himself in college on account of his running.

Bro. Baker was recently elected to the board of editors of the "Literary Monthly," our college monthly. This is another unsought honor conferred upon our successful brother and we are proud of him.

On April 25 the spring term elections were held and Bro. Mook was elected basketball manager for next year. The fight was between the fraternities and the "barbs" and the entire frat ticket was elected. We are glad that Bro. Mook was elected and we feel sure that he will perform his duties in first-class shape.

Our baseball team opened the season recently by defeating Erie by a score of 18 to 5. Last Saturday we won from Westminster College and tomorrow we play N. U. P. from Pittsburg, Pa. Beta is represented on the team by Bro. Mook as catcher and Bro. Comfort in the middle garden. Both men are playing star ball and keeping up the glory of old Phi Psi. Bro. Comfort is the best batter on the team. Bro. Nelson also has a chance to make the team.

Bro. Craig returned from the D. C. last week and reported a fine time. He says we should be proud to belong to a frat. which has such representative men as those who were in attendance at Gettysburg. We at once gave the yell to assure him that we were proud of old Phi Psi.

Fourteen of the bishops of the Methodist church have been holding their annual meeting here for the last week. We were glad of the chance to see and hear such great men and more than glad to welcome Bro. McCabe who was here on the 3rd. We are proud of the fact that such a noted bishop is a Phi Psi.

The college students also had the privilege lately of listening to four fine lectures of Dr. Leon H. Vincent of New York. The lectures were grand and were much enjoyed by all who heard them.

The brothers have been spending their spare time lately working on our tennis court. When it is completed we will have a court second to none in college.

We have had visits since our last letter from Bro. Culbertson, Pa. Beta '01, and from Bro. Burr, Ohio Delta '99. We are always glad to welcome any visiting brothers. Our latch string is always hanging out.

The outlook for next year is very bright. We lose only two men, Bro. Craig by graduation and Bro. Sturtevant, who goes to Princeton. We will have at least thirteen men to start the year and prospects for a successful rushing season.

Pa. Beta extends congratulations to Bro. Metzger on his election as archon and hope to have a visit from him in the near future.

Meadville, Pa., May 2, 1903.

Pennsylvania Epsilon—Gettysburg College.

Chas. H. May, Correspondent.

With spring exams close at hand, all the brothers are now making the final "spurt" for the finish. Because of the resignation of Bro. McKnight, president of the college, and for a number of other reasons, commencement will be held on June 3, several weeks earlier than usual. This commencement will be of unusual interest because the new head of the institution will then be chosen. We extend a hearty invitation to all of our alumni to be with us at that time and so help in making this one of the great occasions in the history of the college.

This year we lose by graduation Bros. White and Marvin and the best wishes of the remaining brothers go with them both. Bro. White is recognized as being one of the best athletes that Gettysburg has produced for many years and his departure will be deeply regretted, not only by the chapter, but by the entire student body as well.

Bro. W. S. Gladfelter, ex-'02, was here with the U. of P. baseball team some time ago. We were all glad to see "Gladdy" again and wish him every future success.

Bro. H. M. Clabaugh '77 will deliver the alumni address at commencement this year.

Among the visitors of the month we note: Bro. F. E. Paddock, N. Y. Beta, and Bros. Wint, Schoch and Peterson, who were here with the F. and M. baseball team.

The following Epsilon alumni attended the recent D. C. held here: H. W. McKnight '65, Chas. A. Duncan '82, G. D. Haley '71, Schmucker Duncan '91, Wm. Arch McClean '82, Wm. G. Woods ex-'03, W. Chi McClean ex-'01, Louis A. Weaver '99, John W. Crumbaugh and Albert T. Smith.

Gettysburg, Pa., May 4, 1903.

Pennsylvania Zeta—Dickinson College.

E. J. Carlin, Correspondent.

The D. C. is a thing of the past and one long to be remembered. Pa. Zeta sent almost her entire chapter over to get better acquainted with old Phi Psi. Some of the brothers came to the conclusion that a bed was an unnecessary article at a fraternity convention. Bro. Morgan responded to the toast "Phi Psi in Retrospect and Prospect," and it is needless to say that Pa. Zeta was proud of her alumni representative. Pa. Zeta had an adjourned meeting of the "Monkey Club" in Carlisle after the D. C. and entertained Bros. Otto and Braden of Pa. Alpha, Bro. Wood of Epsilon, Bros. Drew and Maclay of Pa. Theta, and Bros. Smith and Love of the Johnstown alumni.

Franklin and Marshall baseball team played at Carlisle on April 24, and among the members of the team Phi Psi was represented by Bros. Peterson, Windt and Schoch, all of whom played a good game. We were pleased to meet the brothers and trust they will come again.

During the past month we were visited by Bros. Carp Evans, Claude Barton, Ruby Vale, Samuel Boyer and Harry Wilbur.

Bro. Ralph Hall was called home during the month on account of the death of his brother. We all extend heartfelt sympathy for his sad bereavement.

Since our last letter we gave a smoker in the fraternity hall to Bros. Mooser, Eveland and Price prior to their departure for their respective charges. The following alumni were present: Bros. Morgan, Frysinger, Evans, Adair, Herman and Curwin. A very enjoyable evening was spent and all wished the brothers success in their new charges.

Carlisle, Pa., May 2, 1903.

Pennsylvania Theta—Lafayette College.

Hugh M. Miller, Correspondent.

The joy which comes of a well earned victory over a formidable opponent was ours on April 18 when we met and defeated Princeton on her own field by a score of 7 to 1. An errorless game with good team work tells the story. We were not so fortunate with Fordham in New York a week later, being beaten by a score of 6 to 2, but we hope to square accounts in the return game here on May 6. Defeated Dickinson here on April 29 by a score of 9 to 0. Bro. Carlin was with the team but did not pitch the game. We meet Lehigh here tomorrow in the first of a series of three games, two of which will be played here.

To the five of us who went to the D. C. at Gettysburg there is but one conclusion: Don't ever miss a Phi Psi convention. There's lots doing while there and you return with more enthusiasm than ever for old Phi Kappa Psi. We were glad to meet there Bro. Gibson '80, and Bro. Schoch '04. Bro. More '03 read a paper urging a yearly visit by the archon which was very well received and we hope that the "suggestion" may receive favorable attention before the close of another year.

The engagement of Charles L. Bryden '02 to Miss Lulu Purcell of this city was recently announced. If the "finals" take place while college is in session we will make it a day long to be remembered by our fat man of the faculty. It looks as if "Pop" would be with us at least another year.

We regret very much to report that Bro. Knauss '04 has left college. This means no more pipe organ solos in chapel and a silent piano in the rooms down town. He has gone to Annapolis to prepare

to take exams at the Naval Academy next June. We extend best wishes and hope that he may be successful. This leaves us but sixteen men in active chapter, three of whom are Seniors, and that means some hard work for us next September. We have some dandy material already spotted but if you know of any more good men who will enter Lafayette next fall don't keep the good news until then, but let us hear from you at once.

We have been making some much-needed improvements in the chapter rooms down town and when you drop in to see us now you will find things a little more inviting. We will spend at least \$150 in this re-furnishing.

Bro. Samuel A. Martin '77, president of Nelson College, preached in college chapel last Sunday. Bro. Mervin J. Eckles '77 of Philadelphia will preach to us next Sunday.

Bro. Dwight Chidsey '01, paid us a visit while in Easton attending the wedding of his sister last week. He is now located at Sunbury, Pa., with the Pennsylvania Railroad Co.

We also saw Bro. Den Nevin '03 while on his Easter vacation. He is still at Yale.

Bro. Kennedy '05 spent several days with us at the beginning of the term. He has arranged to take a western trip with the Presbyterian General Assembly excursion which leaves Philadelphia about May 10. He will return from California by way of Canada and Niagara Falls.

Only six weeks now remain until commencement and we hope to see a large delegation back for these closing exercises and the annual banquet on June 15.

Easton, Pa., May 1, 1903.

Pennsylvania Iota—University of Pennsylvania.

G. H. Bickley, Correspondent.

From the accounts brought back by the brothers who represented Iota at the D. C. at Gettysburg it must have been a very successful one. Of course the thing that most interested Iota was the election of Bro. Sol Metzger to the archonship of the First District.

Now that the second term is nearing a close some of the university organizations have held their election of officers for next year, and as usual Phi Psis have secured many of the honors. At the musical clubs' elections held last week Bro. Gates was re-elected leader of the mandolin club and Bro. Donaldson graduate manager and Bro. Marshall assistant manager of the combined clubs.

The bowl fight which took place April 15 on the Old Field was a decisive victory for the freshman. Bro. Fred Yost was the freshman bowler and Bro. Cortwright one of the freshman guards.

In the inter-department games held last Saturday Bro. Metzger made third place and Bro. Yost fourth place in the hammer throw. Bro. Sherwood was fourth in the 120 yard hurdles and second in the broad jump. Bro. Yost was fourth in the broad jump. The games were won by the college department with a total of 71 1-2 points. The medical school was second with 32 points.

We were very glad to see Bro. Keene of Ohio Alpha and Bro. Craig of Pa. Beta at the house last month.

Philadelphia, Pa., May 4, 1903.

Pennsylvania Kappa—Swarthmore College.

F. Bramwell Geddes, Correspondent.

The past month finds Kappa men coming prominently before the college in all phases of college life.

In the recent freshman-sophomore oratorical contest, out of five contestants from each class, two of each team were Phi Psis, Bros. Ryder and Passmore making the freshman team and Bros. Hicks and Turner the sophomore.

Elections were held lately for the 1905 Halcyon. Out of five men to be chosen Pa. Kappa carried off two of the honors, Bros. Hicks and Turner being elected on the first ballot.

Bro. Walter H. Lippincott '97, one of Kappa's most enthusiastic alumni, has just sailed for Europe. As a fitting farewell he set the chapter up to a neat little feed after fraternity meeting last Wednesday evening. The presence of Bro. E. Lawrence Fell, our revered president, and several other Kappa alumni, made the evening very enjoyable to all.

On May 2, the college alumni day, our lacrosse team met defeat at the hands of Johns Hopkins. It was a hard, well fought game, the outcome being uncertain till the end. Phi Psi was well represented, Bros. Price, Crowell, Turner, Geddes and Captain Beans holding positions on the team. Before the game inter-scholastic relay races were held.

In the evening an inter-scholastic oratorical contest was held. Two handsome cups were offered for first and second places. These cups were given by Pa. Kappa's alumni and are to be known as the Phi Kappa Psi cups for an annual inter-scholastic oratorical contest. The whole day was a great success and all felt pleased at the work being done at old Swarthmore.

We also had the pleasure of entertaining Bros. J. G. Custis and H. H. Custis of Md. Alpha, after the Hopkins lacrosse game, in which Bro. J. G. Custis played.

Swarthmore, Pa., May 4, 1903.

Massachusetts Alpha—Amherst College.

W. Virgil Spaulding, Correspondent.

On April 9 Amherst's spring term commenced. It was unfortunate for Mass. Alpha that our vacation was so early, as the fact that the college was in session prevented many of our brothers from attending the D. C. Our delegates brought back to us glowing accounts of the gathering at Syracuse and imparted to us a share, at least, of the enthusiasm which was there gained. We hope for better luck next time, so that we may all be present with the Rhode Island Alpha brothers in 1905.

There are several items of news regarding the college which it may be of interest to note. Our athletes continue to bring old Amherst into prominence. At the recent relay carnival of the University of Pennsylvania the Amherst relay team won its event. Second place in the shot put and third in the broad jump also fell to us. We have a very strong baseball team this year. None of last year's team have graduated, and we have much promising material in the freshman class. Bro. Chase '04 is still playing his star game at third base, and Bro. Wheeler '06 is playing regularly at shortstop or center field. In both these positions he has been doing excellent work. Bro. Williams is playing on the freshman team and Bros. Dillon and W. E. D. Ward are on the squad. Trials for the tennis team are now going on. Among the strongest competitors are Bro. Moore '04 and Bro. Williams '06.

Today ground will be broken for the new Amherst observatory. This building will be located on the summit of the hill near the present observatory house. It will contain an eighteen inch telescope, the largest in New England, as well as many other valuable instruments. It is expected that this building and its fittings will be completed in June, 1904.

A proposition to change the present system of fraternity "rushing" by postponing the rushing season is now being earnestly considered. At present, practically all rushing is done during the first three days of the fall term. It is now proposed to postpone all rushing for some months. There are advantages and disadvantages in the proposed scheme, and the question is one of great importance to the fraternity life of Amherst. The matter will probably be decided within a few days, but too late for the result to be announced in the present letter.

This spring we are making a number of improvements about the chapter house and grounds. Among other things our parlors are being freshened up with new wall decorations, and the tennis court is being greatly improved with new back and side nets. On Wednesday, May 6, our chapter is to hold an informal reception and dance. Tonight the sophomore delegation will give its annual "bat" to the brothers of the chapter.

Some of the baseball enthusiasts have organized themselves into a nine. As yet the manager's efforts have resulted in the playing of but one game. This was with the boys of Deerfield Academy, of which Bro. "Bill" Boyden is principal. The Phi Psi team was defeated by a narrow margin owing to a decided slump (?) in the ninth inning. Captain Moore's pitching was the feature of the game.

We were glad to welcome Bro. Clapp '02 who made us a short visit a few days ago.

Amherst, Mass., May 2, 1903.

*Rhode Island Alpha—Brown University**Warren A. Clough, Correspondent.*

With the opening of spring Brown has put onto the diamond an unusually good baseball team. Though no Phi Psis play on it the team has good Phi Psi support and that is not the least element of success.

Bros. Smith, Upton, Phetteplace and Clough are training for the track squad.

Bro. Meredith has secured a good position in the city engineering department.

Bro. Winslow held the leading part in the play given by the Sock and Buskin, but owing to the fact that he left college he had to give it up.

Bro. Collum and Bro. Foster both play in the college band. Bro. Foster is the best drummer in college.

Bro. Aldrich is reading law with E. D. Bassett of this city.

During the past month Bro. Holt, from the Harvard Club, spent several days with us. Bro. Young, also from the Harvard Club, dropped in on his way to New York.

Our delegates to the D. C. came back tined with the Phi Psi spirit and told us all about the good times at Syracuse; what a fine bunch of fellows they met and how the pretty girls seemed to predominate. But better than that they told us that the next D. C. was to be in Providence. We are very much delighted and feel very much honored with the privilege of entertaining the chapters of the second district. And we hope that even the second district will not be the bounding line, but we want to see Phi Psis from all over the country.

On their way home our delegates were royally entertained in New York by the Gamma chapter.

Already we of Rhode Island Alpha are lining out sub-freshmen. Recently we had an informal rush meeting and entertained several promising fellows from the high school.

Providence, Rhode Island, May 1, 1903.

*New York Alpha—Cornell University.**H. C. Colborn, Correspondent.*

There has been little change in the unusual conditions which have prevailed here for so long. Our sadly depleted ranks have been swollen by the return of Bros. Griffith and Williams, making nine in all, who having in some way or another resisted the attack of the ubiquitous typhoid germ, expect to finish out the year. Undoubtedly another exemplification of the "survival of the fittest."

The sick brothers are all at a more or less advanced stage on the road to recovery, and a number expect to be again with us in June for commencement and senior week. We are also looking forward to visits at this time from many of our alumni, some of whom have already written to that effect.

The prospects are that not a few will return for the summer session and that by next September all our troubles will have vanished and become "ancient history."

Ithaca, New York, May 2, 1903.

*New York Gamma—Columbia University.**Thomas R. Buell, Correspondent.*

Here at Columbia the time is getting very short before the summer vacation, only two more weeks before the final exams, which means a busy season from now on.

Since our last letter we have had two initiations. Bros. Chas. C. Swartz of South Norwalk, Conn., and John A. Bennett of New York City are the initiates.

Of course the greatest event of the month was the D. C. at Syracuse. We were represented by a complete delegation of five, Bros. Scudder, McCorkle, Adams, Smith and Buell. It was a fine convention and our delegates reported a most enjoyable and instructive trip.

Among our visitors this month have been Bros. Clough, Atwell and Colborn, R. I. Alpha, and Bro. Carlin, Pa. Zeta.

New York City, May 2, 1903.

*New York Epsilon—Colgate University.**J. H. Hutchinson, Correspondent.*

The first few weeks of the spring term have been full of interest to both college and fraternity. The week beginning on the 13th was junior week. At that time the glee and mandolin clubs gave their annual concert, the Grout oratorical contest was held and Friday was recognized as Patrons' day, when all the college exercises were suspended. On the morning of Patrons' day, President William DeWitt Hyde of Bowdoin College, delivered an address on "The Types of Personality." At noon the annual Patrons' day banquet was held in the college gymnasium. Speeches were delivered by Presidents Hyde of Bowdoin College, Charles M. Needham of Columbia University, and Rush Rhees of the University of Rochester. In the evening the junior promenade was held, also in the college gymnasium.

Among the many alumni who were in town during the week to attend the banquet and promenade were Bro. Barden '02 of Gage, N. Y., and Bro. Craine '03, who is teaching in St. John's Military Academy at Manlius.

New York Epsilon was represented at the D. C., held at Syracuse, by Bros. Norris, Larkin, Bryan, McMillan and Merrill, who declared that they never enjoyed a better time and that the Syracuse brothers should be congratulated for the pleasure which they afforded. It is only to be regretted that more of the brothers of New York Epsilon could not have been present, but all profited by the encouraging reports given by the delegates upon their return.

On the 27th of April occurred the marriage of Miss Edith Mary Jacobs to Bro. Leon M. Wait '01. The wedding took place in Cincinnati, Ohio. Bro. and Mrs. Wait came east on their wedding trip and spent a few days in town. On Friday evening, May 1, an informal dance was given in their honor in the parlors of the chapter house. The guests were received by Bro. and Mrs. Wait and Mrs. Piotrow. There were about seventy-five present and a very enjoyable evening was spent by all. During the past winter Bro. Wait has had charge of a hotel in Florida. Upon leaving Hamilton he went to Narragansett Pier where he will control a hotel during the summer. Bro. Rathbone '97 and his wife are also in town and attended the dance. Bro. Rathbone has left Chicago, where he was on the editorial staff of the Chicago Inter-Ocean. He will go to New York to take a position with one of the New York dailies controlled by Hearst. Bro. Bennett '00, principal of the high school, and Bro. Craine '03, were also present at the dance.

Bro. Davis '02 has returned to the Seminary, after an absence of three months spent in traveling in the south and across the continent to California.

Quite a number of improvements have lately been made about the chapter house. Most noticeable of these is the appearance of the house itself which has been painted by the members of the chapter. It is a great improvement and adds very much to the appearance of the place.

Hamilton, N. Y., May 4, 1903.

*New York Zeta—Brooklyn Polytechnic Institute.**E. W. Boughton, Correspondent.*

One more month remains of the college year and naturally every one is nerving himself for the final test. The date of commencement this year is June 17, when Zeta loses six 1903 brothers by graduation. Bro. Leberthon '01, who has been doing graduate work for the past two years, will also leave us. Bro. G. L. Pirie has been selected as one of the commencement speakers. As the number of these has been reduced to three this year, so much the more honor for Bro. Pirie.

Of course the most important event for us in the last month was the D. C. Four active men, Bros. Pirie, Leberthon, Boyd and Boughton attended. We all had a most enjoyable trip and most cordially thank the Syracuse brothers for their hospitality. It was a great privilege and a long to be remembered treat for us to have the benefit of such a jolly Phi Psi spirit as was in evidence in the Vale of Onondago.

The junior prom. was held May 1 in the Poly gymnasium. Although the date was a little late in the season, there was a large crowd pres-

ent, though not too many, and the dance was voted one of the best managed, nicest affairs ever given at Poly. Bro. Murphy represented us on the committee in charge.

The baseball team, under the management of this same illustrious Bro. Murphy, is having a successful season. Bro. Weidmann '05 is doing good work behind the bat and leads the team in batting average. Bro. Furgeson '05 is playing a star game at shortstop and Bro. Gluck is covering third creditably. Bro. McCarty '06 is a substitute and will probably get his letters before the end of the season. Bro. Robinson '04 is playing his old steady game at center field.

We have pledged another freshman, Mr. Edmond Fongera, who will be initiated next fall. We look for a lot of good material in next year's freshman class entering from the prep. school.

Five of our brothers managed to get over to the April dinner of the New York A. A. and enjoyed themselves.

Our S. G., Bro. Rapelje, is at work on the annual chapter letter, which will be sent out soon, so that our alumni and others may know what we have been doing since September.

The report of the treasurer of the Dramatic association shows a net profit of \$610 for this year's performance. This satisfactory showing is largely due to the work of the four Phi Psis on the executive committee.

Brooklyn, New York, May 2, 1903.

Maryland Alpha—Johns Hopkins University.

J. R. Mood, Correspondent.

Maryland Alpha, I am proud to say, had a most enjoyable time at the recent D. C. and, from all we can learn, our brother delegates enjoyed it no less. We had with us Bro. Fell, our president; Bro. Alexander, our vice-president, and Bro. Miller, the district archon. Bros. Morgan, Fleming, Buchanan, Chisum, Houston, Johnston, Lamar and Spencer were present as delegates. The first morning we had a business meeting and lunched at the chapter house. That night we enjoyed a clever musical comedy, *The Mocking Bird*, after which we had a smoker at the chapter house. The following day was taken up with business, but we attended to it very cheerfully, as all of us were thinking of the banquet to take place that night. A most enjoyable banquet that was; of course all of us whooped up old Phi Psi. Bro. Alexander acted as toastmaster, and he certainly did make a capital one. There were about seventy-five guests present, and they were all jolly good fellows. The time passed most pleasantly and we disbanded to meet again at the next D. C. with West Virginia Alpha.

In choosing an archon for the next term Maryland Alpha had one of her men chosen, Bro. George Foster, who all of us know is just the man for the place. He is a good student with a good eye for business and altogether a good old Phi Psi. Bro. Foster will certainly do credit to himself and to Maryland Alpha.

One of our brothers made the Phi Beta Kappa this spring.

At lacrosse Johns Hopkins has been very successful this season. The first regular game was played with Stevens, with a score of 13 to 1 in favor of Johns Hopkins. The second was with Lehigh with a score of 17 to 4, the third with Swarthmore, with a score of 6 to 4. Swarthmore gave us the greatest or hardest tussle, and in all it was a hard fought game. In the first half no goal was shot for the first nine minutes, then Hopkins shot a goal and at the end of the first half the score stood at 5 to 4 in favor of Hopkins. During the second half there was only one goal shot, and that was shot by Hopkins. Bros. Gregg and Horace Custis were royally entertained by the Pa. Kappas, and came back with the news that they had never met a better set of fellows. Next Saturday Hopkins plays the Crescents and we hope for a victory.

Baltimore, Md., May 2, 1903.

Virginia Alpha—University of Virginia.

Charles Hartwell Cocke, Correspondent.

This is the season of politics as the different class officers are to be elected shortly. Bro. Fleet is making a very strong run for president of the academic class, while Bro. Bell is on the med. ticket that seems

to have the brightest prospects of winning. Bros. Mason and Vaiz were initiated into P. K. a few weeks back.

Bro. Traut, M. D. '02, paid us quite a flying visit last week on his way home.

The baseball team has not altogether been quite as successful as we had hoped, though the work of Bro. Prichard on the rubber has been excellent. Thus far he has lost only one game and his victories include Lafayette, Pennsylvania, Lehigh, Gettysburg, and other minor college teams. Our last big game is with North Carolina here next Saturday, for the championship of the south. Thus far Carolina has won one game from us and tied one with us, 15 to 15.

The called meeting of the board of visitors took place last Tuesday and as required by law they are advertising for applications for the presidency of the university. The election will be held June 13. As this is to be a decided change in our government, the action of the board will be watched with the keenest interest by all.

Bro. Morton W. Baker, M. D. '02, first lieutenant U. S. N., recently paid his family a visit, much to our pleasure as well as theirs.

About a month ago our debating team won from Penn. in Philadelphia. Phi Psi was not represented on the team. The track meets with Johns Hopkins and North Carolina will be pulled off in the next few weeks. Bro. Marshall is our representative on the team. Bro. Spencer reports an excellent time at the recent D. C. in Baltimore.

University Station, Charlottesville, Va., May 4, 1903.

West Virginia Alpha—University of West Virginia.

D. Dawson, Correspondent.

The most important event of the past month was our first reception in the new house, which took place on Friday, the 24th, and there would be little, if any, exaggeration in styling this reception the most notable social event of the year, either in university circles proper or in the town.

Mrs. Cochran, the guest of honor, headed the receiving line, in which were also Bro. A. M. Buchanan, pastor of the Presbyterian Church; Bro. M. F. Compton, pastor of the M. E. Church, and Mrs. Compton; Bro. W. M. Youngson, pastor of the Presbyterian Church of Crafton, Pa.; Bro. F. W. Truscott and Bro. Wm. P. Willey of the faculty; Mrs. R. W. Dawson and Mrs. McCormick, of Brownsville, Pa. About 300 guests were present, representing the faculty, townspeople, other fraternities and the student body. In the course of the evening we were favored with vocal solos by Prof. Challet of the faculty, Miss Shaw of the School of Music, and Bro. Barnes of the active chapter. MacArthur's orchestra of Fairmont furnished the music during the evening. Miss Donley and Miss Hartigan conducted the guests to the meeting hall on the third floor where refreshments were served. Misses Martin, Clayton and Collett, Phi Psi Alphas, and Misses Buchanan, Colbert and Stalnaker, Kappa Deltas, presided at two punch bowls. Among the Phi Psis present from out of town were Bro. W. H. Brown, Pa. Iota, of Connelville, Pa.; F. M. Lardin, of Uniontown, Pa., and Paul McCoy, S. C. Lowe and C. W. Waddell, of Fairmont, W. Va. Only one thing tended to make the affair less than a complete success; that was the fact that, through either some accident or inexplicable carelessness in the postoffice, many people failed to receive their invitations which had been directed and mailed to them. Invitations were mailed to all the alumni and their wives, indeed to everybody at all closely connected with the chapter. We have already learned of a number who received none, and fear that there may be other who, justly, felt slighted at our apparent neglect. We hope all such will note this explanation and expression of our extreme regret at the unfortunate accident, if such it was. The fault was not ours, it rests somewhere in the postoffice.

An occasion of less importance to others, but of greater pleasure to the chapter, was the presentation, on April 27, to Bro. A. M. Buchanan, of a handsome leather davenport, a gift from the chapter in token of our deep appreciation of his interest in us and particularly of the part he took in the presenting to us of the chapter home which we now enjoy. The affair was in the nature of a surprise party, and a most successful one it was. Bro. Buchanan and his wife were completely overcome with astonishment and emotion at the gift. Bro. Porterfield made the presentation speech, and it is hardly necessary to say it was a model. Bro. Buchanan, although taken by surprise, replied in a talk that made the Phi Psi spirit fairly boil over. Altogether it was one of the most enjoyable events within our remembrance.

The chapter is temporarily weaker by the absence of Bros. C. E. Watson and R. D. Hennen, both of whom are engaged in civil engineering work for the spring and summer. They will be with us again in the fall.

And the chapter is eternally strengthened by the addition of a new member, J. Guy Pritchard, of Fairmont, W. Va., who entered the class of '06 at the beginning of this term and was initiated on the 19th ult.

With all these purely fraternal matters on hand we have not neglected out athletics. Several of the brothers have been more or less conspicuous on the baseball field, where Coach Hutchinson of Princeton is training what looks like an excellent team. Phi Psi is represented by Bro. Simmons, who has captured the left fielder's position and seems abundantly able to take care of it, while Bro. Barnes is "second corner" for the Reserves, with good prospects of getting on the 'varsity in case any of its present infield should drop out of the game.

Morgantown, W. Va., May 4, 1903.

Mississippi Alpha—University of Mississippi.

D. O. Clark, Correspondent.

This school year is drawing to a close, only one more month remains and the brothers will depart for their summer vacation. Most of them, however, will return next year, and our prospects for the coming year grow brighter every day.

Bros. Johnson and Hairston represented Miss. Alpha at the Third District Council in Baltimore. They brought back a very elaborate report of the proceedings of the meeting, and we feel that we have profited a great deal by their talks concerning the southern chapters.

There have been a few mild cases of small-pox in Oxford and two on the campus. But at present it is about stamped out and the work of the university has not in the least been interrupted by it. Reports over the state have very much exaggerated the condition of affairs; but there has been really little cause for alarm, and no future trouble is anticipated.

Bro. J. L. Harris is secretary and treasurer of the Blackstone club. Bros. Johnson and J. M. Hairston are members of the 'varsity minstrel show.

Since our last letter we acknowledge a very pleasant visit from Bro. Steinberger. Bro. Steinberger is one of the most prominent business men of Tupelo, and has always taken a great interest in his chapter and the general policy of the fraternity.

There is very little news among our alumni to record this issue. The announcement, however, of the marriage of Bro. Jack Taggart to Miss Erma Covington on April 6 was quite a surprise to us. Bro. Taggart is an efficient employe of the Y. & M. V. R. R. Mrs. Taggart is one of the reigning belles of Mississippi. We extend our congratulations and best wishes to the happy couple.

It is our pleasure also to report the marriage of Bro. J. H. Sumrell '00 to Miss Bessie Cassidy of Brookhaven, Miss., on April 8. The best wishes of Miss. Alpha go with them through life.

In conclusion Miss. Alpha extends a most cordial invitation to all her alumni and the brothers of her sister chapters to visit us whenever an opportunity presents itself. We will accord you a most cordial welcome and we are always pleased to entertain our visiting brothers.

University, Miss., May 1, 1903.

Ohio Alpha—Ohio Wesleyan University.

Paul N. Dale, Correspondent.

Ohio Alpha sends greetings to the numerous Phi Psis scattered over the country. We admire the energy of the Phi Psi Boosters who are building a place of rest in the Rockies. We are also proud of "The Shield" and its handsome April number. Its editorials show a wise insight into the conditions of colleges and chapters.

Bro. Ed. Beal '99 visited us lately. He is assistant cashier of the First National Bank of Bucyrus and secretary of the Bucyrus Alumni Association. Bro. Beal was one of the leading men in school while an undergraduate and a strong man in the local chapter. We wish him success behind the counter.

Bro. Brant is building up Ohio Wesleyan's baseball fame this spring as captain. He is building up a team from practically new material but his past baseball record augurs well for his success. April 25 Bro. Wilkinson, of Indiana Alpha, visited us with the DePauw team. We heartily welcome all Phi Psis who come to Delaware to visit our chapter.

The eight fraternities of the school are in a baseball scramble for a silver cup. Unfortunately Ohio Alpha went down in the first round in one of the most excitable and ludicrous games of our history. Prep. Stone was our captain and Bro. Parsons our star pitcher. The bases were well covered but the outfielders showed a lack of General Geometry. The score was 11 to 8.

Four of the active chapter attended the D. C. at Springfield. We enjoyed the sessions (and incidentally the social functions) and our general outlook of fraternity life was broadened. Ohio Alpha is spurred to activity by the noble examples of its alumni. We reverence their names and welcome them back to the commencement in June.

We desire to introduce to the general fraternity our newest brother, Bro. Harry Lenhart. He is a sophomore in college, a popular man among the fellows and has a high standing in his classes. We also expect him to honor the fraternity in athletic lines.

The city of Delaware is just now on the eve of an election under the Beal law. Forty per cent. of the citizens have signed a petition for the holding of a local option election. We are confident of the success of the movement and it will increase the enrollment of the school. There are at present about one thousand students.

We hope to introduce another brother in our next letter. We send our assurances to our brothers in Phi Kappa Psi that the altars of fraternal devotion are bright at Ohio Alpha.

Delaware, Ohio, May 1, 1903.

Ohio Beta—Wittenberg College.

Walter H. Weaver, Correspondent.

The District Council has played the principal part in the minds of the brothers of Ohio Beta since our last writing and as we are always glad to look back over the many pleasant happenings of last Easter week, I will try to describe some of these same happenings, especially for those brothers who are not able to meet with us. I believe Bro. Crafts, late archon, was among the first to arrive. He came in on Tuesday and was immediately made acquainted with such of our men as he did not already know and also with some of those he did know. But it was on Tuesday evening that the most of the delegates and visitors arrived. That night was more or less of a reunion in the lobby of the Arcade Hotel, which at least gave the brothers a chance to remember faces. The next day, the 15th, the council was called to order at 9:30 in rooms on the parlor floor of the hotel. The business that day was of course of a routine order and all were ready for the annual assembly, which was given at the Arcade that evening. Our annual assembly generally occurs in May, but in honor of the visiting brothers, the date was changed. The dance was indeed a delightful one and all seemed to enjoy it. Landlord Rockfield had done all in his power to make it a success, as the dining room, parlors and long corridors, filled as they were with palms and cut flowers, testified. A program of twenty-two numbers was played by the Cadet Band, and it seemed as if every one danced every dance. The patronesses were Mrs. Charles L. Bauer, Mrs. Harvey S. Siegenthaler, Mrs. Scipio E. Baker, Mrs. Louis E. Bauer, Mrs. Alvin F. Linn, Mrs. Samuel A. Ort, and Mrs. John L. Bushnell. Every Phi Psi girl in the city was present and there were quite a number of out of town girls in attendance also. The council convened the next morning as usual but it was to be noticed that several brothers came in late and seemed to be not particularly interested in the proceedings. At noon of the 16th some of the brothers paid a visit to the chapter house and then went up on the hill to take a look at the old red college. In the afternoon, after the sessions were over, a photograph of the council was taken. The south porch of the court house was used as a background, and the man behind the camera succeeded in making an extremely good group picture. A banquet occurred in the evening at 9 o'clock in the dining room of the Arcade. Fully a hundred men sat down to as splendid a repast as Mr. Rockfield could prepare and that is not underrating it in the least, as Mr. Rockfield is considered one of the most competent local hotel managers in central Ohio, and

his house one of the best in the state. Songs, yells, etc., were carried on at irregular intervals between courses, those started by Bros. Brubaker and Stephenson and the rest of the Indiana men being the most heartily applauded. At about midnight the last course was removed, the "smokes" were lighted and the commanding figure of the toastmaster, Bro. J. Warren Kiefer, arose from the west end of the table and in a few well chosen words introduced the first speaker, Bro. Van Cleve. After Bro. Van Cleve, the other speakers were Bros. Niles, treasurer; Ort, Ohio Beta; Coy, Chicago A. A.; Knight, Indianapolis A. A.; Brown, Michigan Alpha; Adams, Indiana Delta; Winger, Ohio Delta, and Rabbitts, Ohio Gamma. The latter's "spur-of-the-moment" conception of "Die Never—Dine Ever," probably evoked the most facial ripples. It was nearly half past two when we arose from the table and the greater part of the early morning was then spent in talking it over. Thus ended the D. C. which was more enjoyed than any G. A. C. (Ask Bro. Brubaker.)

The past month has been full of events for the chapter. We have had three most enjoyable dances at the house since our last letter. On April 3 we entertained at the house for the Phi Psi girls and also the evenings of April 24 and May 1 found us thus pleasantly employed. The last dance was given by Bros. Lutz, Tulloss, Jayne, Leslie Trout and Volney Trout, our freshmen, in honor of the seniors, whose vacation began that day. About a hundred persons were present and all spoke of the freshmen as splendid entertainers. It is expected that the Juniors will follow in the footsteps of the underclassmen and arrange for a similar entertainment in the near future, and the seniors themselves have announced their intention of tendering us a stag "blow out."

On April 16 the board of directors of the college met and elected a president of the college to fill the vacancy caused by the death of Dr. J. M. Ruthrauff which occurred in May last. Our new president is Dr. C. G. Heckert, who until his election had occupied the chair of English in the college. A better choice could not have been made, as President Heckert is a young man and one of pronounced executive ability. Bro. Samuel A. Ort, who resigned the office of president some two years ago and who is now Dean of the Faculty, has been acting as president since the death of Dr. Ruthrauff.

Bro. John Philip Schneider '98, Fellow in English at Johns Hopkins, spent a few days with us last week but has since returned to his home in Cooperstown, N. Y.

Bro. "Buck" Wheldon spent a few days at his home the early part of last month.

Bros. Harris, Deaton, Delmar Trout and Barringer worked at the polls during the recent municipal election. Bro. Barringer was the only democrat in the bunch, and as the city was carried by his party by an overwhelming majority, he has assumed quite the "I-am-the-man-who-did-it" air. But he hasn't been to the city hall to see the mayor as yet and so we can only conjecture.

Bro. J. J. Trefz '02, recently returned from a trip to Illinois, where he paid a visit to the University of Illinois and looked up the crowd of petitioners there. He reports them as being as fine a set of fellows as can be found.

Bro. Charles L. Harris returned on April 13 from a few days' visit at his home in Oxford.

The annual Wittenberg Minstrels gave a very successful performance at the Grand Opera House on April 13. Several of the brothers were in the cast, including Bros. Ultes, Lutz, Delmar Trout, Volney Trout, Leslie Trout, Jayne, Gotwald, Barringer, Winger and Tulloss. Bro. Russell was director of the orchestra, and Bro. Rayner was stage manager. Bros. Ultes, Lutz and Burleigh were the principal soloists, and in addition Bro. Burleigh made a decided hit as an end man. His song, "When the Minstrel Comes to Town," was considered the best "stunt" in the production.

Even as I write this, word comes to me of another honor being awarded to old Phi Psi. Bro. Carl Ultes, of the senior class, was given second honors of his class, and there is only a very small fraction of a per cent. between his grades and those of the first honor man, who is, by the way, a barb. Thus Phi Psi is the only fraternity represented in the honor list. And it has been long thus, for there has been scarcely a year in the past two decades when the name of a member of Phi Kappa Psi has not been on the honor roll. Bro. Ultes has thus not only done honor to himself but to the fraternity. Here's to Bro. "Carl," may succeeding Phi Psi seniors do likewise.

Phi Kappa Psi House, Springfield, Ohio, May 4, 1902.

*Ohio Delta—Ohio State University.**Geo. T. Hoffman, Correspondent.*

Since our last letter the D. C. of the First District has come and gone and it was an event that will long be remembered by those who had the good fortune to be present. Ohio Delta was represented by Bros. Ross, Winger, Hoffman, Nelson and Randall from our undergraduates. Among our alumni who were in attendance were Bros. Burr, George and Walter Ware, Hosterman and Bauer. When the fellows came back to Columbus they did not feel as if they would be able to make any brilliant "hits" in the class room for a few days, but no one who was there will ever regret it, for we had a most enjoyable time. Ohio Beta and the Springfield Alumni Association deserve much credit for the splendid manner in which everything passed off and for the good time that all had.

The new \$80,000 engineering building is progressing rapidly and is expected to be ready for occupancy by the opening of the fall term. This will be a much needed and valuable addition to our excellent and well known engineering department. The new building for the department of veterinary medicine is also in process of construction and is nearing completion.

Our alumni will doubtless be interested in learning something of the progress of our chapter house movement. We have taken out incorporation papers for a company to be capitalized at \$10,000 with shares of \$25 each, and these papers have been signed by Bros. Kiesewetter, Dunn, Wing, Rice and Neff as the incorporators. Bro. Kiesewetter has kindly offered to act as president and treasurer of the company. He is well fitted to act in this capacity, being cashier of the Ohio National Bank, which bank will be the depository for the funds received from the sale of the company's stock. It is expected that the stock will soon be offered for sale, and we hope that every Ohio Delta brother will begin now to save up his "glue" because each one should own at least one share of this stock and thus show his good Phi Psi spirit by helping Ohio Delta to own her own home. The chapter is greatly indebted to Bro. Ralph Westfall of Ohio Alpha for the kind assistance at the legal end of the incorporation, and we wish to express our thanks for his efforts in this line.

We quote the following from "The Lantern" of April 10: "Mr. L. F. Kiesewetter of this city came before the board of trustees and in behalf of the ex-students and alumni presented \$1,200 as a sinking fund to found a scholarship in engineering in honor of the late Prof. Brown, dean of the college of engineering." We hope that the alumni of Ohio Delta will respond liberally enough, when we get ready to sell our stock, so that Bro. Kiesewetter may next be able to present Ohio Delta a chapter house.

The chapter has received an announcement that Bro. Charles S. Powell and Miss Carolyn Thompson were married in Hamburg, Germany, on the 8th of April. They will be at home after May 1, Brown's Hotel, Albemarle street, London, W.

Our baseball team has made a very good showing so far. Three games have been played, one with Ohio University of Athens, Ohio, one with DePauw, and one with Case, and all have been won by O. S. U.

The chapter regrets the loss of Bros. Campbell and Newman, who were compelled to leave school last term on account of illness, but we expect to have Bro. Newman with us again next year.

45 West 10th Ave., Columbus, Ohio, May 2, 1903.

*Indiana Alpha—De Pauw University.**Turley Stephenson, Correspondent.*

With mid-term exams, back papers, daily recitations, tennis tournaments, baseball games, track meets and society all to look after, the brothers of Ind. Alpha are now kept moving in a way that tests their capacity. But all of these phases of college enterprises are being well looked after in a way that should reflect pride upon the chapter here. In the last month Bro. Glen Wilkinson has been elected manager of the DePauw Tennis association, and I think we can safely say that the tennis club sent out under the management of Bro. Wilkinson will prove a strong contestant in the state tournament. Bro. Wilkinson is also on the staff of pitchers of the baseball team and is making a record for himself in this particular. Bros. Post and Allen were also strong rivals for positions on the team. Bro. Nealy O'Hair

has won a place on the track team as a sprinter, winning out over some strong rivals.

The glee club has just returned from one of the most successful trips ever experienced by a DePauw club. Everywhere they were received with the greatest of enthusiasm and the press reports are the most flattering. The success of this club was due in no little degree to Bro. Cavin, who managed it, and to Bros. Salem Towne, Edward Shaw and Arthur Lockwood, who went along as members of the club.

A few weeks ago the Kappas kindly consented to exchange chapter houses with us for one night, thereby giving us a chance to once more hold a fraternity meeting in the old Phi Psi house, so well known to the older members of our chapter. The meeting in the old house was certainly a reminder of old times, especially to the upper classmen. For an hour the seniors lived over their freshman days, and recalled the scenes enacted in fraternity meetings by such characters as Ferd Fisher, Billy Williams, "Ikey" Norris, Herrick, "Daddy" Crooke and others. Tramping down the grass, running over the yard, the giving away of favorite flowers, letting the water run, and other "house-like" grievances were grieved about, and that the meeting might be as old time like and natural as possible, the party list for our spring party was brought up and discussed thoroughly. After fraternity meeting we went back to the new Phi Psi house, where the Kappas had been holding their meeting, and enjoyed a social spell for a while with the Kappas as our guests.

In this connection it might be well to announce our spring party, which will be the big party of the year, and will be on the night of May 15. We are expecting a large number of our alumni in for the occasion, the particulars of which, however, will be in the letter for the summer edition.

It is certainly with a little degree of pride and honor that we announce that Bro. Ray Beckman has been elected to Phi Beta Kappa, thus adding one more to our already large list and holding us in the lead by a good margin, of all the other fraternities of DePauw.

During the last month a number of the active chapter have had occasion to visit both of our sister chapters at Beta and Delta, and at both places as on all previous occasions we found the latch string hanging out and the same fraternal hospitality that should characterize every Phi Psi.

Since our last letter to "The Shield" we have initiated into the fraternity Bro. Hiram Free and now take great pleasure in introducing him to the fraternity at large. At the initiation and banquet down at Gardner's afterwards were Bros. Wade Free of Ind. Beta, and a brother of the initiate, and Bro. Milt Neeley, Ind. Delta.

Arrangements are now being made for the annual symposium which will occur some time during the week of commencement, and we now extend to every brother who can possibly arrange to be with us on that occasion a hearty invitation. At that time there will be a meeting of the stockholders of the new house, and a general good time in other ways.

In conclusion, here's to the eight seniors of Ind. Alpha who graduate this coming June, and may they as they have learned to be men in being Phi Psis, learn to prove themselves of greater worth and honor to their chapter and their fraternity by having been members of it.

Greencastle, Indiana, May 5, 1903.

Indiana Beta—University of Indiana.

Frank T. Hindman, Correspondent.

The past month has been a very quiet one for the university and for the chapter. The nearness of the mid-term examinations keeps all the brothers pretty busy just at the present time. The chapter has given two dances this term which were very enjoyable, especially so on account of the recent repairing and beautifying of our chapter house. At one of these we had present Bro. Scott of Pa. Beta, who dropped in on us again during his travels through the west. This made his third visit to us and we certainly have enjoyed them all and have his promise to come again before the term is out.

Baseball is the only thing that has been at all lively this term. Indiana has a good team this year, and turned the trick again of defeating our old rival, DePauw, after they had defeated Notre Dame and the latter team had defeated us. Bro. Ross made his first appearance on the varsity in this game and was easily the star. He

made two of Indiana's four hits and brought in two of her three runs. In addition to this he distinguished himself in the field, accepting eight chances without an error, several of them of the most difficult kind.

On Tuesday, April 29, Lieutenant Governor Gilbert of Indiana came down to visit the university and that evening we gave an informal smoker at the house in honor of the occasion of having with us a Phi Psi who has risen so high in political affairs. He told us how he helps to run the state at Indianapolis and we told him how we are the whole thing in the fraternity line at Bloomington.

Quite a number of the DePauw brothers came down from Greencastle last Saturday to see the game and several of them stayed over to see the college minstrels that night and visited with us over Sunday. We acknowledge an invitation from the Ind. Alpha brothers to attend their annual assembly this month and some of us hope to take advantage of it.

Bloomington, Ind., May 4, 1903.

Indiana Delta—Purdue University.

Arthur R. Bradley, Correspondent.

The event of greatest interest to members of Ind. Delta during the past month has been the initiation of our freshmen. On the evening of April 4, seven worthy spikes were made acquainted with the mysteries of the fraternity. We are glad to introduce as brothers, Bro. Nichols, Bro. Haywood Bro. Patterson, Bro. Keith, Bro. McCrea, Bro. Hardy and Bro. Sheerin, all members of the '06 class. Following the initiation a banquet was given in their honor at the chapter house, presided over by Bro. Brubaker, Pa. Eta '91. We were also favored with the presence of Bros. Hollingsworth, Mich. Alpha '81; Stephenson and Cavin, Ind. Alpha; and of our own alumni Bros. Alford, Kern, Drake, Dashiell Endsley and O'Brien. The freshmen got off their usual prosaic stunts in the way of toasts, saying they were "proud to become Phi Psis," and "would do all they could," etc., and then reminding us that they never could make speeches and "didn't have anything more to say." At any rate we had a jolly, good time and mean to continue to make this event an impressive one.

On April 3 Purdue's famous band gave a minstrel performance at the Grand Opera House. Bro. Nichols as end man and "small Filipino boy," and Bro. Hornbrook in the chorus and sketch contributed to the success of the entertainment.

The junior and sophomore fraternity men gave their annual dances a short time ago, and from accounts a thoroughly enjoyable time was had at each. Both classes can prove the superior excellence of their respective functions, but not to the satisfaction to the balance of us.

Bros. Dunning and Neely have been confined to the hospital for a part of the past month but are now able to be back in school. Quite a number of Purdue students have fallen before the ravages of our changeable climate, but none are seriously sick.

At the D. C. held in Springfield, Ohio, Bro. Adams represented our chapter and says that he had the best time "ever." He evidently made a "hit" with the fair ones at the ball, if his boasts are to be believed. He returned overflowing with enthusiasm and spirit and gave us a glowing account of his trip. Our congratulations to Ohio Beta for their hospitality and courtesy.

On the evening of April 23 we gave an informal dance in honor of Bro. Kelsey's sister and other visitors in the city. Again we had a good time.

Bro. Rigley '05 was called home a week ago and may not return this year. We miss him, especially on our frat. baseball team, of which he was captain. Our defeat at the hands of the S. A. E.'s a few days ago was largely due to his absence.

The inter-fraternity baseball schedule is being played as arranged and as only about half the games have been played the interest displayed is commendable indeed. We are in the field with a percentage of 500.

We are the grateful recipients of two very handsome chafing dishes and trays, given by Indiana Gamma alumni, now our alumni. It is needless to say that the aforesaid dishes are working overtime, and any homeless and hungry Phi Psis who can, would better drop in and have a little feed.

We were greatly pleased to have a short visit from Bro. Endicott '01 on Easter Sunday.

Phi Kappa Psi House, Lafayette, Ind., May 4, 1903.

*Illinois Alpha—Northwestern University.**G. L. Kauffman, Correspondent.*

It will be necessary for us to apologize to our alumni and to our friends, for taking so little interest in our chapter letters. We know that our alumni expect to see a letter from us in each edition of "The Shield;" they have a right to expect a letter, for it is chiefly by this means that our alumni are informed about us. During the past months unfortunate circumstances have arisen, so that at times we were unable to get in a letter, but from now on we will do better, and we hope that our alumni and friends will have patience with us, for we shall try to have a letter in every month.

Since our last letter several things of importance have happened. But before going on any further we take great pleasure in introducing to the fraternity at large Edward Craven, who was duly initiated by us into Phi Kappa Psi. Bro. Craven is certainly of a Phi Psi stock, having numerous Phi Psi relatives. We feel assured that Bro. Craven will do honor to our fraternity, and will worthily uphold the honor and trust imposed upon him.

The chief event of the year for our town was the recent visit of President Roosevelt. As in everything of importance, Phi Psi here also took a leading part in the reception of the distinguished guest. Bro. Smith was chief student marshal, while Bro. Fansler was one of his aides. In his speech President Roosevelt highly recommended the work of our life-saving crew, of which both Bro. Bindhammer and Springer are members, Bro. Bindhammer being first lieutenant of the crew.

In athletics Phi Psi also plays an important part. Bro. Rogers is a member of the track team; Bro. Collmann is substitute on the baseball team, while both Bros. Balmer and Ferry are upholding our reputation in tennis. The inter-fraternity baseball league is about to open the season. Bro. Rogers is our captain, and Bro. Newman our manager. Our prospects are pretty good and we expect to win the championship this year.

The fraternity and sorority parties are now going on in full blast, with one or two parties a week. At all of these parties the shield is numerously represented and holds a conspicuous place.

In the D. C. at Springfield, Ill. Alpha was represented by Bros. Smith, Collman and Ferry. Our delegates were received very cordially and have returned very much pleased with the good time which the Ohio brothers gave them.

During the past month we were favored by quite a few visits from different brothers of the fraternity. Bro. J. M. Ericson, of Dixon, Ill., paid a short visit to his former alma mater. Bros. Fitch and Brubaker of the Indianapolis A. A. visited us, and spoke to us on the Texas proposition. Bro. A. S. Davis of New York Epsilon and his sister paid us a short visit while on their way home from California. We also enjoyed visits by Bro. J. C. Picket of Cal. Gamma, by Bro. Merrill of Kansas, and by Bro. Rosebrook of Wisconsin.

Bro. Gould, who was with us for a few months, has come to the conclusion that life at a fraternity house was too strenuous for him and has therefore left us and has moved to 55th street, Chicago, where he is now engaged in business as an advertising manager.

1946 Orrington Ave., Chicago, Ill., April 24, 1903.

*Illinois Beta—University of Chicago.**W. F. Johnson, Correspondent.*

The 1903 D. C. is now an event of the past but we still remember it with a great deal of interest because of the honor which it bestowed upon this chapter by electing Bro. Garcelon archon of the Fourth District. We feel sure that the honor was not misplaced, for if Bro. Garcelon proves to be as enthusiastic an archon as he has been a member of this chapter, we may safely predict that the district will prosper during his regime.

The greatest honor that the student body of the university has bestowed upon this chapter for some time was the election of Bro. Julien Brode chairman and leader of the junior promenade, one of the two most important social events of the year. Bro. Brode was elected almost unanimously, which is an honor seldom bestowed with such general accord.

The inter-fraternity baseball season is now at its height and Phi Kappa Psi still remains unbeaten. However, we have played only one game, but that was such a decisive victory—28 to 0—that we have great hopes of finally winning the pennant. We have a find in Bro. Kelly as a pitcher, but at present his chances for making the 'varsity are so good that we may ultimately lose him.

One of the most pleasant events that has occurred during the past month was the alumni smoker given by the chapter to its Chicago alumni. There were about forty of the old boys present and Bro. Coy succeeded in convincing some of them that Ill. Beta Chapter House Co. shares are an excellent investment.

Bro. Frank Merrel, Kansas Alpha, and Bro. Pickett, Cal. Gamma, spent a few days with us, while on their way to Champaign, Ill., from the D. C. of the Fifth District. They furnished us with a report of the "doings" of the D. C. at Iowa City, and also of the prosperity of their respective chapters. We trust that we may see representatives from Kansas and California more often than once every year or two.

Bro. Davis, N. Y. Epsilon, and sister spent a few moments with us a short time ago.

Last but by far not the least of the chapter events was Ill. Beta's fifth annual prom, given at the Chicago Beach Hotel last Friday evening, May 1. It was one of the most enjoyable of the university functions given this year. All the Greek letter fraternities were well represented and in addition a number of our Chicago alumni turned out as well as a goodly crowd of our younger alumni from out of town. Bros. Howard, Young and Jacobs of Indianapolis, also Bro. Lichtenberger of New Harmony, Ind., were among those present.

Chicago, Ill., May 2, 1903.

Michigan Alpha—University of Michigan.

Karl H. Pratt, Correspondent.

During the spring vacation the D. C. of the Fourth District was held at Springfield, Ohio, under the auspices of the Ohio Beta chapter, and Michigan Alpha was represented by Bros. Parnall, Ryan, Harris, Offield and Brown. According to their stories of the convention, it certainly must have been a grand success; and Ohio Beta is to be congratulated upon the way they arranged for the entertainment of their guests. Our delegation were especially enthusiastic over the dance given by the local chapter. Usually where so few of the men know the girls in attendance, such functions are apt to prove rather a bore, but thanks to the efforts of Ohio Beta, this dance was a very successful and enjoyable occasion. The reports of all the happenings of the D. C. were extremely interesting to all the brothers who were so unfortunate as not to be able to attend.

Next in interest to the D. C., perhaps, comes the baseball outlook here at Michigan, but the interest is divided between the 'varsity and our own Phi Psi team. This year Michigan is in a league with Illinois, Chicago, Northwestern and Wisconsin, so that the so-called championship of the west can be determined from a percentage basis. At the start of the season Michigan's prospects were anything but pleasing, as the team lost to Chicago and M. A. C. on the spring trip. But in the first home game, the strong Illinois team was defeated by the score of 14 to 10, and yesterday Chicago was beaten, 12 to 4, so that now, although Michigan rooters do not expect the championship, they look to the 'varsity to make the contest interesting at least. This year, under the leadership of Bro. Brown, we expect to have one of the strongest fraternity teams in the university, and to win many "set ups" from the crowds with which Bro. Watling, as our manager, arranges dates. Rain kept us from what we looked upon as a sure victory over Chi Psi last Thursday.

Track athletics are very promising this year, also, especially since our four mile relay team won the championship of the United States at the Pennsylvania games this spring, and "Archie" Halm, our hundred yard man, practically tied Schick, the Howard sprinter, in his event. Michigan has won the western intercollegiate conference meet for the past two years, and if successful this year, we retain possession of the Spaulding trophy cup. At present our prospects of gaining this coveted prize are very good.

The Comedy club gives its second performance of the year on Tuesday next, when they present "My Friend from India," with Bro. Fitz Gerald in the leading part. Under the efficient management of Bro. Brown, the club has had a very prosperous year.

The musical clubs held their annual election of officers last Thursday, and Bro. Watling was elected manager. His hopes at present are centered on gaining the consent of the faculty to an extended trip during the Christmas vacation next year. Even since the disastrous western trip of '94 or '95 the faculty has refused to allow the clubs to leave the state.

Social activities in the chapter have been very slight during the past month, although eleven of the brothers attended the May party given by Fischer's Orchestra of Kalamazoo May 1. Next Friday, May 8, the Omega Psi give their annual party at Granger's, to which numbers of the brothers are invited. We ourselves are bending all our energies toward making our June house party a grand success. The party starts on Thursday, June 11, with a dinner and dance, and the next day we shall probably go to Whitume Lake. Saturday, the 13th, sees an end to our festivities.

We have had several visitors during the past month, beginning on April 4 with Bro. Lyle, archon of the Fifth District. His visit, while short, was much enjoyed by the brothers. Bro. Rider dropped in last Wednesday just in time to see the Oberlin game, and yesterday Bro. Crummer put in an appearance from Jacksonville, Fla.

Mention was made in the last letter of our Phi Psi politicians, Bro. Fitz Gerald, who was running for city attorney of Springfield, Ill., on the democratic ticket, and Bro. Kirk who was running for the same office on the republican ticket at Peoria, Ill. Both were elected by large majorities, and Bro. Fitz Gerald has already entered upon the performance of his duties.

The senior swing out, which marks the beginning of the end for all '03 men, was held this year on Friday, May 1. The number who appeared in caps and gowns was larger than ever before; the parade around the campus was witnessed by a large crowd. While the senior swing out is only the beginning of the end for seniors, for this letter it shall be the last.

Phi Kappa Psi House, Ann Arbor, Mich., May 2, 1903.

Wisconsin Alpha—University of Wisconsin.

Ebor L. Morley, Correspondent.

An event of great importance has occurred during the last month which will have much to do with the future welfare of the University of Wisconsin. Prof. Van Hise, the well known geologist of Wisconsin University, was elected president of the university. That the election was a popular one has been evinced by the processions accompanied by the band, which after serenading the new president, have paraded the city. One of the memorable nights of the various celebrations was that of the nightshirt parade on the lower campus. This was accompanied by noisy demonstrations and the burning of an entire block of wooden sidewalk. Dean Birge has been the acting president for over a year.

We are very proud of the fact that Bro. Lyle has been re-elected archon of the Fifth District, as it shows that the other chapters in this district appreciate his worth as we do.

Bro. Jacobs, after having made quite a tour of the different states, has returned and helps things along at the house with his presence.

The Phi Psi baseball team at the present writing has a percentage of one thousand in the inter-fraternity baseball league, having won the only game played.

The 'varsity won a very amusing baseball game from Northwestern University a short time ago. The game was played in a drizzling rain and the field was very muddy. The features of the game were the base-sliding, the runner sometimes sliding ten or fifteen feet past the base, and the throwing from a sitting posture.

Bro. McCormick, who visited us for a short time at the end of last month, passed the state bar examination creditably.

On April 25 most of the brothers attended the Naval ball which was very successful.

At present we are enjoying the most pleasant time of the school year at Wisconsin. As the time for the hardest bucking for exams. has not yet arrived, we find time to enjoy the fine sailing and the pleasant drives.

One of the most interesting ways to spend any spare time of an afternoon is to be down at the university boat house watching the crews on the water. The 'varsity has been rowing in fine form and we expect them to make a fine showing in the east again this year.

Madison, Wisconsin, May 4, 1903.

*Wisconsin Gamma—Beloit College.**Frank Thomas, Correspondent.*

This has been a great month for Beloit. The past few weeks have witnessed quite a series of victories in athletics, oratory and debate. We have won games from Madison, Sioux Falls, S. D., Rockford and Northwestern and today lost our first game of the season to Notre Dame. April 23, our debating team defeated Knox, giving us five victories out of seven. And now for the final boast. Last night Beloit's representative, Mr. W. I. Maurer, won the interstate oratorical contest, held at Cleveland. His subject was "Bismarck, the Great German Monarchist."

A few weeks ago our "preps" gave the "frat" a fine, large, silk Phi Psi banner. Many of the strongest men among the alumni were pledged in this same "prep" and we have a good loyal bunch there at present.

And we would like to remind our alumni of the banquet to be held here in June. Cards will be sent out, and we hope that a large number can be present. Last year covers were set for forty-two and it was a most enjoyable occasion both to alumni and undergrads. Bros. Burchard '00 and Bentley '00 are at the house today.

Bro. Smale spent a week with us the first of April.
Beloit, Wis., May 2, 1903.

*Iowa Alpha—University of Iowa.**A. K. Hess, Correspondent.*

The principal event with us during the past month was the district convention held here April 15 and 16. On the night of the 14th we gave a smoker at the house for those delegates who were able to get here before the regular meetings. A very pleasant evening was spent in improving the acquaintances so recently formed and in laying a basis of good fellowship to last through the convention.

During the mornings and afternoons of the next two days the time of the delegates was taken up by meetings of the convention. A harmonious spirit prevailed throughout, showing that the Fifth District, so widely scattered geographically, has a remarkable spirit of unanimity in matters concerning the fraternity. Bro. Lyle was elected unanimously to his second term as archon. The following papers were read during the meetings:

"Summer Rushing".....	Wisconsin Gamma.
"What Constitutes an Offense Against the Fraternity Sufficient to Justify Expulsion?".....	Iowa Alpha.
"The Freshman—Whom Shall We Seek and What Shall We Do With Him?".....	California Beta.
"The Financial System of the Chapter,".....	Wisconsin Alpha.
"Chapter By-Laws".....	Nebraska Alpha.
"The Chapter House Corporation".....	Minnesota Beta.
"The Future of the Alumni Association".....	Kansas Alpha.
"Have We Too Many Chapters?".....	California Gamma.

The papers and discussions following them were most interesting and instructing to all who had an opportunity to hear them.

A party at the Armory was a feature of the first evening of the convention. That all Phi Psis enjoyed themselves is but the natural result of the geniality of Phi Psi dispositions. On the second rendition of the "Phi Kappa Psi Two-step" by the orchestra, all Phi Psis joined, at one end of the hall, in singing the words of that famous song written in honor of the "King of the Frats."

On Thursday evening the convention fittingly closed by a banquet at the Berkley Imperial Hotel. Toastmaster Kenyon was the charge d' affairs and called for the following toasts:

"The Ideal in College Life".....	E. M. Griggs, Wisconsin Gamma.
"The Social Side of Phi Psi".....	R. W. Putnam, Minnesota Beta.
"The Fifth District".....	J. C. James, Wisconsin Alpha.
"The G. A. C. of 1904".....	H. C. Ochiltree, Iowa Alpha.
"Friendship and Fraternity".....	J. D. Ringer, Nebraska Alpha.
"Fraternity Obligations".....	S. S. Linscott, Kansas Alpha.
"The Young Alumnus".....	F. G. Sanborn, California Gamma.
"Our Rivals,".....	J. C. Pickett, California Beta.

In addition to these, toasts were responded to by Bro. Frank Merrill of Kansas Alpha, Bros. A. E. Swisher and Lindsay of Iowa Alpha and our archon, Bro. Lyle.

No more enjoyable evening could be imagined than that spent

around the banquet board with truly enthusiastic and congenial Phi Psis, and Iowa Alpha feels extremely grateful that this opportunity was afforded her through the honor of being selected to entertain a D. C. Our recollections are not only filled with pleasure, but we feel that we have been given a chance to secure enthusiasm, interest and information most valuable to active members of a chapter.

Those who were present during the convention were: Bros. Lyle, James, Hangen and Sharp of Wisconsin Alpha; Griggs and Whitfield of Wisconsin Gamma; Putnam of Minnesota Beta; Linscott of Kansas Alpha; Ringer of Nebraska Alpha, and Pickett of California Beta. Of the alumni present were Williamson and Sibley of Wisconsin Alpha, Merrill of Kansas Alpha and Kindall, Lindsay, R. F. Mason, B. A. Mason, A. R. Swisher, Ferson and W. M. Davis of Iowa Alpha. Iowa City, Iowa, May 2, 1903.

Kansas Alpha—University of Kansas.

Sydney S. Linscott, Correspondent.

Bro. Merrill of the alumni, and your humble correspondent of the active chapter, had the pleasure of attending the D. C. of the Fifth District and accepting the hospitality of Iowa Alpha. Much praise is due Iowa Alpha for the open-hearted welcome given to the several delegates, as well as for the entertainment furnished.

The baseball season is well along now. We are represented by Bro. Ramsey as catcher, Bro. Chase as shortstop and Bro. Trivitt as pitcher. The Phi Psi team is in good form. We are very hopeful concerning our first game of the season, which will be with the Betas on May 8.

The sophomores suffered defeat at the hands of the freshmen in the annual May Day "scrap." Phi Psi was well represented even in this feature of K. U. life.

Spring is here, and following as a close second in commencement. We wish to extend a hearty invitation to each and every Phi Psi who attends commencement at Kansas University to look us up.

One very important matter in the government of a chapter is an effective method of "rushing." Under different circumstances different methods should be used. But generally speaking, we believe summer rushing is the most effective. We propose to employ this system more extensively in the future than it has been resorted to in past years. Rushing blanks will be sent to every Phi Psi in Kansas and the neighboring states and to each of the alumnus of Kansas Alpha, whose address we are able to ascertain. Much can be accomplished for the benefit of the chapter by the prompt and hearty co-operation of the alumni, and brothers in Phi Kappa Psi in this matter.

The year is about to draw to a close, and we claim Kansas Alpha has enjoyed a prosperous year and taken a few steps in the march of progress. Our prospects are exceedingly bright for next year, both for old men returning and for new men who are "in sight."

Again we wish to extend a general invitation to all Phi Psis to drop in on us and a special one to all to attend the commencement exercises at K. U. and while here look us up.

Lawrence, Kansas, May 4, 1903.

California Beta—Stanford University.

Doxey R. Wilson, Correspondent.

California Beta has added to the list of brothers one who fulfills every condition to be a Phi Psi. We take much pleasure in introducing to the general fraternity Arthur A. Mathewson.

Bro. George Cook, an instructor in the English department, has moved into the house and will live with us the rest of the semester. He is a dandy fellow and we only hope to persuade him to live with us next year.

Bro. Davis, from Colgate University, with his sister, spent several days with us last month. The evening before they left Miss Davis remembered each of the brothers with a toy of some kind tied with pink and lavender ribbons.

Our rushing party was a success in every way; we pledged two men who will make prize Phi Psis and who enter college in September.

Bro. Young took the leading part in the junior farce and made more of a hit in the roll of "Uncle Web" than in the "Rank Outsider" last year. Five farces were submitted to the committee for the senior. Bro. Young's was chosen and he will take one of the leading parts.

Our much noted Bro. Young will do the monologue "stunt" at the combined concert of the Stanford and California musical clubs.

There has not been much doing with California Beta this last month. Typhoid fever has been raging here for the past four weeks. Bros. Wood, Madden and Mathewson are victims, but none of these are in anything near a critical condition.

Stanford won the field day from the University of California this year for the first time in its history.

There are only a few days left before college closes and our prospects for next year are unusually bright. We extend a most cordial invitation to any and all brothers who come this way.

Phi Kappa Psi House, Palo Alto, Cal., May 1, 1903.

California Gamma—University of California.

Geo. F. Beard, Correspondent.

Before this letter is read by the brothers, another year of California Gamma's bright history will have closed. College will be over May 14, on which day President Roosevelt will preside at the commencement exercises of the class of '03. The past year has seen a steady growth of our chapter and each year leaves a brighter memory behind it. One regret always comes with the inevitable yearly close of college, that is the loss of brothers who have been active factors in the life of the chapter during their college years. We shall lose this year Bros. Augustus Gowing, Stanley Smith, Howard Hendricks, Albert Howell and George Beard.

Bro. Jesse Pickett, who was our delegate to the Fifth District Council at Iowa City, has just returned, filled with enthusiasm and stories of the princely way the boys at the council treated him. Fortunate is the undergraduate who has the opportunity of attending these love feasts.

Next week will be the troublesome time of examination, followed by the closing festivities of senior ball, class day, and commencement.

Class day is celebrated by a pilgrimage to the various buildings in the morning. The ceremony is in reality a farewell to the campus and buildings of alma mater. At the several department buildings, students most representative of the colleges from which they graduate are chosen to give a topical address on their favorite study. These short speeches are often of a humorous character in which the foibles and characteristics of students and instructors in the department are pilloried. Often the members of the class are dressed in the fantastic garb in which they appear later in the day in the annual extravaganza. This drama ranks only second to the graduation exercises of commencement day. The class day extravaganza has for years in the University of California been the great spectacular show of the college world. The cast includes the whole senior class, numbering some three hundred. This year the drama will be a burlesque of the Stanford student play, recently given with great success, "The Knight of the Burning Pestle." It is entitled, "The Knight of the Burning Pretzel," and is both a parody of the Elizabethan play and a satire on the University of California institutions. It will be given in the new amphitheater now under process of construction, which was donated by William R. Hearst on the occasion of his last visit to California. It will cost \$45,000. It has twenty-three tiers of stone seats arranged in a semi-circle and will seat 8,000 people. It is the only building of its kind in America and is modeled upon the plan of the ancient Greek amphitheater. It has a stone stage fronting the semi-circle, which will accommodate 500 people. It is built on the sight of the old Ben Weed amphitheater, which was a natural hollow in the hills used by two generations of students almost exclusively for the production of the senior extravaganza.

Before the play for a few hours it is customary for the fraternities to entertain their friends. We expect to see all our fair and brave Phi Psi friends at the house, and like all such affairs there will be refreshments, music, and leave-takings for the year. We expect to have the house fitted up in fine style and all will be there with yells.

Athletics are all over now. We won football, baseball and tennis from Stanford, while they won the track meet from us by a very few points, due to the fact that one of our best men was hurt on the day of the meet.

We have had the pleasure of a visit of a day or two by Bro. Frank Von Tesmar of Ill. Beta. The only trouble was that his stay was too short.

Phi Kappa Psi House, Berkeley, Cal., April 28, 1903.



John S. Jones, Ohio Alpha '61.

Whereas, Almighty God has in His wise providence removed from our midst our beloved brother, John S. Jones, and

Whereas, By his eminent service to our country, his sterling character and his kindness of disposition has commanded our love and respect.

Resolved, That Ohio Alpha chapter of the Phi Kappa Psi fraternity feels the deep loss to the fraternity and mourns with his family in its bereavement.

PAUL N. DALE,
R. C. HEFFNER,
Committee.



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A TOUR OF THE NORTHWEST WITH THE EXECUTIVE COUNCIL

By HENRY PEGRAM

PART I—EXPERIENCES.

In the City of New York, where Broadway, that great, kaleid-escopic artery of commerce and pleasure, intersects Sixth Avenue, there nestles a tiny, triangular park, having Thirty-third street for its base and a bronze statue of Horace Greeley for its apex.

Diurnally, many business and professional men pass this venerable figure, upon their unceasing quest for daily bread and for the luxuries that render that bread more palatable and appetizing. Yet, familiar though the countenance of the great expansionist be, it is seldom seen without recalling his famous admonition to the youth of a by-gone generation and without inspiring a yearning to visit the marvelous empire, which the stalwart pioneers of old founded in that vast territory, vaguely styled the "West."

Recently, it happened that one such bread-seeker found his desire translated from the realms of fancy to those of actuality.

and himself metamorphosed from a yearner into a traveler. The manner of this transformation was thus.

On a beautiful Saturday morning of early spring, to be specific, on May 9, 1903, upon arriving at his office he found a peremptory summons to attend the sessions of the E. C. at Chicago, the following Monday. Now a prompt compliance with this mandate involved great activity and energy. A matter of no small moment for one so heavily freighted with fraternity law, not to mention sturdy other kilograms of too, too, evident avoirdupois. Nor was it without an absolutely reckless expenditure of hydro-carbonates, that suitable arrangements for a hasty departure were finally consummated.

Fortunately, the prospective traveler had never sallied forth, full-panoplied, beneath Dan Cupid's invincible banner. Therefore, there was no fair Sabine, victorious trophy of his bow and spear, installed as tutelary goddess of the weird combination of pipes and sounds which represents the modern hearth-stone, whose feelings had to be propitiated; nor were there any small pledges of affection, evidences of anti-racial-suicidal tenets, whose shrill clamor of expostulation had to be appeased, ere the old bird could temporarily forsake his cozy nest in peace and comfort. Yet even a crusty and crabbed old bachelor, exclusive of the purely business relations which he must necessarily maintain with the hydra-headed, gorgon-eyed harpy who presides over his more material wants, has certain personal and platonic ties which cannot be abruptly severed without some slight, informal valedictories. In addition, sinews of travel had to be provided, involving prolonged conferences with the baron of the exchequer or the presiding genius of that haven of solace for the impecunious, which the French so poetically term a *mont de piété*. And these sinews, once provided, had to be forthwith bartered for parti-colored strips of paper, granting to the traveler the freedom of perambulating hostelrys, including the right to slumber stertorously in the lower cubby hole. For it would have accorded neither with the dignity of the fraternity nor with the comfort of the individual, had he been condemned to display the unseemly gyrations attendant upon the awkward endeavors of a man of his inches trying to scale the rugged escarpments of the upper tray.

Finally, proper testamentary dispositions had to be made, so that the vicissitudes encountered mid the hazards and perils of the "wild and woolly West," might be endured with pious resignation.

At length, all these cumbersome and harassing details having been perfected, with a last commendation to St. Raphael and St. Yves Helori, the traveler embarked upon the 6:00 p. m. train for Chicago, blissfully unconscious that he had left undone well nigh everything that he ought to have done.

The gradual obscuration of the swiftly passing landscape, as the sable pall of brooding night quietly settled over the face of the earth, soon blotted out the picturesque scenery of the Hud-

son Valley. And, as in the language of the proletariat, there was "nothing doing," the traveler at an early hour consigned himself to slumber's sweet oblivion. Nor did he regain consciousness till the rythmical accentuations of a passing locomotive seemed to mete out the immortal ballad that made Buffalo famous. A cautious investigation of the outside world revealed the fact that the engine had indeed been put off at Buffalo, and soon a distant glimpse of the turbid and opaque waters of Lake Erie announced that he had at length traversed, what, to his benighted intellect seemed the threshold of the "West."

Forthwith, in laudable emulation of the progressive spirit of that section of the country, he pushed his watch an hour ahead, in order to get abreast of the times. Being now naturalized, as it were, he was at leisure to scan the swiftly moving panorama of northwestern New York and Pennsylvania and northeastern Ohio, where vineyards, pasture-lands, and thriving, industrial cities, swept by in rapid succession, interspersed here and there with glimpses of cultivated fields or broad expanses of the muddy waters of Lake Erie; till a thickening of the atmosphere and an uncalendered eclipse of the sun, betokening the vicinage of that foul and ugly blotch with which the hand of man has defiled one of nature's fairest spots. Then, mid Cimmerian darkness, the murky waters of the Cuyahoga, reeking with noxious effluvia of Stygian blackness, were safely traversed; and soon, as the city noted for bearing the name of the distinguished philosopher of Princeton, rapidly receded, the sun emerged from its retirement and spread its glorious countenance over the smiling fields of northeastern Ohio and northern Indiana. Where, for countless miles, the broad, level acres of fertile farmland and numerous, thriving manufacturing towns and cities attested the richness and greatness of this section of the nation. At appropriate points, the crowded station-platforms were scanned for glimpses of the towering forms of the Mentor of Bucyrus and of the Nestor of Toledo. But to no purpose, and the traveler upon whom the monotony of the scenery had begun to pall, and who had become somewhat surfeited with his communion with nature, reluctantly resumed his silent conversation.

As the northeastern confines of Illinois were approaching, the fall of another night began to veil the earth; and thus, the traveler, proceeding beneath the charitable opaqueness of its kindly mantle, was mercifully spared the awful sight of that leagues-long expanse of darkness and desolation, the purlieus of Chicago.

Arrived in due season at the Harrison street station, a lanky charioteer was subsidized to convey the traveler and his appurtenances to the Great Northern Hotel.

Owing to the uncouth appearance of Jehu and to his apparent feebleness of mind, due either to an absence of intellect or to a presence of liquor, he was closely questioned as to his knowledge of localities; and, notwithstanding his eloquent assurances of topographical certitude, was concisely informed as to the exact situation of the hotel. In the course of the brief transit,

the wide openness of the thirst-abating emporia and the ennui-dispelling resorts, on a Sunday evening, were viewed with as wide-eyed amazement as the extraordinary jolts and jerks of the ancient chariot, rambling over the unkempt and ill-paved streets, would permit.

A sudden turn into a well paved boulevard and a halt before the glittering portals of a gorgeous caravansary, fortunately allayed all incipient tendencies towards mal de mer. Having dismissed the equine Palinurus upon payment of his stipulated fare, subsequently ascertained to be fifty per cent. in excess of his legal dues, the traveler was about to be ushered into the sparkling presence of the autocrat of the autograph department when he happened, a propos of nothing, to inquire whether he was in the Great Northern Hotel, and to his discomfiture learned that he was in the Auditorium Annex. A greatly be-buttoned emissary having been dispatched to capture Jehu Palinurus, that ancient mariner was speedily brought forward muttering incoherent excuses. Once more his antique craft was eventually disembarked at the temporary headquarters of the fraternity. After the customary formalities had been undergone, he found himself installed in an eyrie upon the thirteenth floor, commanding what would have been a magnificent view of Lake Michigan had not the dense pall of soot-impregnated smoke completely obliterated the sight.

As he was about to bestow his Lares and Penates in their appropriate shrines, Brother Edward R. March, Ohio Beta, appeared with the welcome information that Brothers C. F. M. Niles, Ohio Gamma, treasurer of the E. C., and H. C. Brubaker, Jr., Pa. Eta, advance agent of the Indianapolis G. A. C., had already arrived at the hotel. A persistent search throughout the house failed, however, to disclose the whereabouts of either of the twain. After giving a very promising statement of the condition of the Denver A. A., about 11:00 p. m., Brother March took his departure; but only to return in a few moments with Brother Orra E. Monnette, Ohio Alpha, secretary of the E. C., whom he had captured wandering aimlessly through the lobby. Thereupon the visitors and visatee resolved themselves into a committee of three upon, the past, present and future condition of the fraternity. After an exhaustive discussion, it was unanimously concluded that it was, is, and ever will be a good old fraternity, whereupon the committee adjourned at 2:30 a. m.

Monday morning was auspiciously commenced by partaking of a smoked breakfast in the grill-room, Brother Niles kindly furnishing the smoke.

After breakfast the initial session of the E. C. was attended. As the minutes of this body have already been published, no reference to its proceedings will be made herein.

When the hour for luncheon arrived, Brother Niles called the roll of the Archons and marshalled them to the grill-room, where in a most paternal and patriarchal manner, he administered

nourishment. After luncheon, the E. C. resumed its session, adjourning for the day at 4:00 p. m., at which time everybody left to visit Illinois Alpha at Northwestern University, Evanston, Illinois.

Evanston is a beautiful city of twenty thousand inhabitants, situated on the shore of Lake Michigan, twelve miles from Chicago, and is practically a residential suburb of that city. It is flat and well laid out in broad streets and avenues, shaded with finely grown trees and adorned with handsome residences.

Northwestern University is a co-educational institution under the auspices of the M. E. Church. Its campus is situated upon the shore of Lake Michigan and is very attractive. The buildings seem to be adequate to the needs of the institution and are comparatively modern.

Illinois Alpha at present consists of fourteen members, only two of them are upper classmen. It recently abandoned the chapter house which it leased and has started a movement looking towards the purchase of a new house. The unfortunate conditions by which this chapter has been handicapped for several years seem to have been eradicated; nevertheless the chapter is still weaker than it should be, owing to the immaturity of its present members. Time and kindly offices of the Chicago A. A. may be counted upon to repair this fault. After enjoying a pleasant drive through the beautiful streets of Evanston, a few moments were spent with the chapter at the house of one of its members, after which the party returned to Chicago, partook of a hasty dinner, and then departed to visit Illinois Beta at the University of Chicago.

The University of Chicago is a co-educational institution, situated upon the site of the famous "Midway" of the Chicago exposition. Its campus is in a very chaotic condition, owing to the improvements in course of construction. The buildings wholly or partially completed are simply magnificent. In view of the immense resources of this institution, it can be safely predicted that in a very few years the University of Chicago will have one of the finest educational plants in the world. But it is greatly to be regretted that its natural surroundings do not afford a better setting for so fine a gem.

Illinois Beta owns a splendid house situated directly opposite the new gymnasium. It was constructed especially for the chapter, is in splendid condition and its location cannot be surpassed. The chapter is strong in every sense of the word, in members, standing, maturity and intellect. The fratres in facultate, of whom there are several, are in touch with the undergraduates, as are likewise the members of the Chicago A. A. The undergraduates of the chapter are well acquainted with all matters pertaining to the fraternity and keenly alive to its best interests.

After spending a delightful evening with the members of the chapter, the party left to return to the hotel, Brother G. Fred Rush, Michigan Alpha, chairman of the chapter house committee, kindly volunteering to lead the way to the station. In

transit, he surprised and delighted the party by introducing its members into his charming house and giving them an impromptu Phi Psi love feast. As a fitting climax thereto, he produced his curly-headed three-year-old, who gave the fraternity cheer in inimitable style for the benefit of his father's guests. As the clocks heralded the commencement of another day, the party regained its hotel and retired to repose.

At 8:30 the next morning, the session of the E. C. was resumed and continued with but a ten minute interruption for refreshments at noontime, until 5:30 p. m., when the council adjourned sine die.

At 6:00 p. m. the visitors partook of a collation tendered them by the Chicago A. A. in the parlors of the Great Northern Hotel. After the onslaught on the victuals had abated, Brother Francis H. Robertson, Kansas Alpha, editor of the Song Book, took the chair, turned the tap and started the flow of Phi Psi oratory customary at such gatherings. Of all the bewildering flood of wit and eloquence with which that occasion was deluged, one anecdote stands out in bold relief in the writer's memory. The anecdote was as follows:

"Once upon a time, a worthy and lifelong citizen of Chicago had occasion to pass in his chips and pass over the great divide. Shortly after his arrival within the portals of the other world, he was accosted by an acquaintance who had preceded him thither and who, in a spirit of kindly neighborliness, undertook to point out the various matters of interest. After an exhaustive tour of the place, the newcomer was asked what he thought of it. To which, with that civic pride for which all Chicagoans are famous, he replied, 'Heaven isn't much different from Chicago.' Whereupon his guide exclaimed, 'Why, man, this is Hell.'"

After the meeting had adjourned, Bros. E. Lawrence Fell, Pa. Kappa, president of the E. C., and David Halstead, Jr., Pa. Iota, president of the Philadelphia A. A., left for the Pacific coast to visit California Beta and California Gamma. Shortly afterwards Brother Niles, because of urgent business affairs, returned home. After seeing these brothers start on their way, the remainder of the party, as the hour was now well advanced, betook themselves to their rooms.

The next morning, a call of the roll disclosed the presence of Brothers W. C. Alexander, Pa. Theta, vice-president of the E. C.; Henry Pegram, New York Delta, attorney general; Sol Metzger, Pa. Iota, archon of the first district, and Daniel J. Kelly, New York Beta, archon of the second district. Brother George A. Foster, Maryland Alpha, Archon of the third district, preferring the ease and comfort of his bed to an inspection of the horrors of Chicago, Brother A. B. Garcelon, Illinois Beta, archon of the fourth district, being compelled by collegiate duties to resume his work, Brother J. T. S. Lyle, Wisconsin Alpha, archon of the fifth district, having already proceeded to Madison for similar reasons, and Brother Monnette having been duly horrified on a former occasion, being indisposed to undergo

a ghastly ordeal. So the assembled brothers under the kindly guidance of Brother Lincoln M. Coy, Illinois Beta, president of the Chicago A. A., proceeded to visit the eighth and ninth wonders of the world, viz: the Chicago River and the stockyards.

The river was first inspected. It was viewed from different points and at different consistencies, being at one place liquid, at another mucilaginous and at a third solid. The river is fully as weird and wonderful as rumor has it. Unfortunately no part happened to be on fire so that *lusus naturae* could not be witnessed.

Beyond the river lay the stockyards. No attempt will be made to describe that dreadful saturnalia of sights and smells. Dante or DeQuincey, and possibly Poe, might have been able to convey some idea of the rivers of blood and the thousand and one stench that permeate the place. As for the writer, he could but gaspingly quote these touching lines of an eastern poetess. "Oh, smell; Oh, hell!" Nevertheless, the party having come to see, with Spartanlike fortitude, for two hours, remained and saw. Saw the horse marts, the cattle marts, the packing houses. Saw the porkers reluctantly coming in countless thousands from the wide-mouthed chute to the great iron wheel that seals their fate. Heard their vociferous expostulations as they were bound thereto, watched their voices stilled forever at the rate of twelve expostulators a minute, followed their quivering carcasses through the bristle-removing vats, over the paddle wheel on to the moving trolley table, slowly passing between lines of butchers armed with gleaming knives. Shudderingly admired the wonderful economy which finds some use for every scrap and the dexterous and systematic manner in which that economy is effected; till, what a scant twenty minutes ago was a living, squealing porker, hung artistically suspended in a vast refrigerating room, and its name was "pork." Saw the sausage plants, where every conceivable brand of that toothsome delicacy is turned out by the mile. Saw the sharp-horned Texas cattle butchered to make a world's feast day, almost as rapidly as their smaller porcine fellows and almost as rapidly filed away in the cooling rooms as dressed beef. Saw the canning plants, where packages of food were being turned out in thousands to appease the hunger of mankind, wherever man can and does go. Till revolted by the sight of gore and the stench of the steaming, fetid atmosphere of the abbatoirs, the party absolutely declined to witness the slaughter of the sad-eyed sheep and squawking fowl, and with a grateful sigh of relief turned their steps to the soap-making plant, to find great comfort in its pleasant surroundings while watching the making of huge blocks of soap, and the various processes whereby these blocks were reduced to the tiny cakes of commercial use, wrapped and boxed up, and made ready for the market.

Returning to the heart of the city, after lunching at the Saratoga, where every dish, monotonously, to say no worse, tasted

of the stock yards, the party dispersed to reassemble later in the afternoon at the Northwestern R. R. station.

The city of Chicago might well be "the abomination of desolation spoken of by Daniel the prophet." What may be properly styled the city, being the quarter where are to be found the hotels, theatres, offices, stores and railroad stations, is a tract a mile square, fronting upon Lake Michigan. Some of the streets in this quarter are broad, well-paved and lined with large handsome modern buildings. Michigan Avenue upon the border of the Lake and upon which the principal hotels are situated, would be a superb boulevard, were it not for the unsightly network of railroad tracks and heaps of rubbish, lying between it and the water. But some of the streets in this quarter are wretchedly ill-kempt and lined with ramshackle buildings containing stores of the poorest description. The sombre veil of soft coal smoke that eternally obscures the skies, soiling everything and everybody, is most depressing to the sensibilities. When it rains there is visible evidence thereof, but as to all other meteorological phenomena, one is dependent upon the bulletins of the weather bureau, the sullen skies positively refusing all information.

Surrounding the scanty oasis of the city proper, if it may be so termed, is a vast tract devoted to manufacturing and railroad purposes, unutterably squalid and dreary. Beyond this tract it is stated, lie the residential sections of the city, which, unhappily, time afforded no opportunity of visiting. Perhaps in these sections there are churches, certainly the writer never saw one in any portion of Chicago visited by him.

That Chicago is a great city, a wonderful city, nobody can deny; but its citizens are so proud of its great commercial eminence, that they undergo and ignore all its ugliness, squalor and discomfort, for the sake of the gigantic possibilities of money-making. Now this making of money is a good thing, the possession of a goodly quantity of it, even better; still, one can eat but when hungry, be the viands never so choice; sleep but when tired, be the residence never so sumptuous; and wear but one suit of clothes, be the raiment never so gorgeous. So much for mere physical wants. But the spiritual part of mankind craves other nourishment. It needs the exhilaration of pure air, glorious sunshine and azure skies, the refreshing view of verdant foliage and herbage, and the beautiful sight of artistic works of man amid suitable surroundings. Some day, perhaps, the inhabitants of Chicago may pause long enough in their headlong pursuit of riches to consider these matters and to strive to attain them; till then, to those who delight in beautiful cities rather than in arid pages of commercial statistics, Chicago is a place to be avoided as if stricken by a plague.

At 6:30 p. m., the party having reassembled, departed to visit Wisconsin Gamma at Beloit College, Beloit, Wisconsin. After a three-hour journey through the fertile and slightly undulating

plains of northern Illinois, the city of Beloit, just across the state line, was reached.

Beloit is an ancient little town of eight thousand inhabitants, prettily laid out. It lacks the spick and span appearance of a more modern and opulent city, but has the indescribable atmosphere, so delightful, of a town that has grown old gracefully and comfortably. It is situated on the Rock River and rises with a gentle slope from the water level to an imposing altitude. It is a quaint, old-fashioned, up-to-date town, by which paradoxical expression is meant, that the business portion, about the river's bank, contains modern manufacturing industries of national reputation; while higher up the hill lie the campus and residential portions of the town, bearing the hall marks of antiquity.

Beloit College is a co-educational institution under the auspices of the Congregational Church, and has been appropriately described, quite recently, by a noted eastern educator as the "Yale" of the "West." It is a wide-spreading, sleepy, old campus upon the summit of a hill, dotted with plain and substantial buildings as a rule, with here and there a handsome, modern building. It has, likewise, funds already in hand for the erection of further modern buildings.

It is improbable that Beloit will ever have the great educational plant of a large university, but it can always rely upon the patronage of those who prefer the sound, wholesome, all-round education of the old-fashioned college course, now so deplorably thrust out of sight by the get-learned-while-you-wait spirit which is contaminating even the oldest and most famous institutions of the country.

Beloit is an ideal college town, and its college affords ideal facilities and surroundings for the development of *mentes sanæ in corporibus sanis*.

Wisconsin Gamma occupies a handsome chapter house which it owns, situated upon one of the principal, residential streets at a short distance from the campus. The house was built expressly for the chapter and is most admirably arranged. As the undergraduates take their meals at an adjoining house, they are enabled to dispense with the culinary department and to devote the entire ground floor of their house to social purposes.

Of the personnel of the chapter, too much cannot be said in commendation. Wisconsin Gamma has developed to the highest degree the true fraternal spirit, the ideal, brotherly relations existing between its members being a constant topic of approving commentary among the visitors. The chapter takes an active interest in everything that pertains to its college and fraternity, its undergraduates stand well in their classes and in their college organizations.

After passing a pleasant evening with the undergraduates and several of their alumni, who had come from Janesville for the occasion, the visitors retired for the night to the quarters hospitably assigned to them in the chapter house.

In the morning, with the exception of Brothers Metzger and Foster, who were either too lazy or too fatigued to rise betimes, the visitors inspected the campus and the buildings. Upon their return, Brothers Kelly, New York Beta, and Kelly, Wisconsin Gamma, with the able assistance of "Deacon," the chapter's huge St. Bernard, which they coaxed upstairs and induced to jump into bed with the sleeping brothers, persuaded these slothful persons to arise.

The remainder of the morning was devoted to strolling through the town till shortly before noon, when the visitors took the train to visit Wisconsin Alpha, at the University of Wisconsin, Madison, Wisconsin, arriving in that city, after a short hour's run along the picturesque valley of Rock River.

Madison, the capital of the State of Wisconsin, is a residential city of twenty thousand inhabitants. It is beautifully situated between Lakes Mendota and Monona, rising steeply from the water level with high hills on either end, on one of which stands the State Capital and on the other the State University.

The city, handsomely laid out, is essentially modern, bespeaking wealth and culture. The campus of the university is situated on the side of a steep hill, with magnificent buildings dotted all over the slope from base to crown. It is an ideal site for a university and, in the writer's opinion, the handsomest ever seen. The university is a co-educational institution, having upwards of three thousand three hundred students. It is a source of pride to the inhabitants of the state and is liberally supported by the legislature. It already has a national reputation and gives every promise of enhancing the same.

Of the existing chapter house, nothing need be said beyond the mere statement that it appeared to be entirely adequate for its purpose. As, at the time, negotiations were pending and since happily consummated whereby the chapter became the owner of a magnificent site with a suitable building thereon, within two minutes' walk of the lower campus.

The undergraduate members of Wisconsin Alpha are a mature set of men, charming in their personality and possessing a strong, incisive interest in all that affects the fraternity. Indeed, the breadth and earnestness of their views and the painstaking method with which they arrive at their conclusions, was a matter of keenest delight to the visitors.

After partaking of luncheon at the chapter house, the visitors set out upon what proved to be a most enjoyable drive of five hours' duration, in the course of which the campus was thoroughly inspected and the beautiful streets and parkways of the city were seen to their best advantage, including a glimpse of the famous Yara-Yara crews in their practice spins, and concluding with a sight of the university's mascot, a huge badger, comfortably ensconced in a nook in the gymnasium.

After dining at the chapter house and enjoying a pleasant evening with the undergraduates, at 10:00 p. m., Brothers Alexander, Monnette and Pegram departed to visit Minnesota Beta

at the University of Minnesota, Minneapolis, Minnesota; the visiting archons being compelled by pressure of collegiate duties to return to their homes from Madison.

In the morning the travelers awoke to find themselves traversing the rugged grazing lands of Western Wisconsin. Shortly afterwards they crossed the broad St. Croix river, arriving in southeastern Minnesota, and in a little while the "father of waters," the great Mississippi, was crossed and the journey ended.

Minneapolis, the metropolis of the State of Minnesota, is a splendid city of one hundred and twenty-five thousand inhabitants. It is laid out in broad, spacious, well-paved avenues and streets, lined with modern office buildings and handsome residences. It is level in places and hilly in others, kept beautifully clean and has a magnificent system of parkways with fine lakes.

Owing to a misunderstanding, Minn. Beta was not duly advised of the hour of the visitors' arrival, so no local cicerones were on hand. Consequently, after having retained quarters at the West Hotel, the visitors, acting as their own guides, sallied forth to view the city. The falls of St. Anthony were duly admired and the mammoth flour mills with their snow-white surroundings viewed from a distance. Then a car was boarded to take the party to the far-famed Falls of Minnehaha. En route, the Scandinavian nomenclature of the merchants along the streets was curiously noted as an instance of the thoroughly cosmopolitan character of the nation. Eventually the car stopped at a pretty park beyond the city limits, in which a rustic stairway with devious descent led to

"Where the Falls of Minnehaha
Flash and gleam among the oak-trees,
Laugh and leap into the valley."

The beautiful, lace-like tracery of the waters falling over the precipice was indeed a beautiful sight; though, to those familiar with the noted, eastern cascades, somewhat lacking in grandeur.

Upon returning to the hotel, the visitors found a message from Minnesota Beta to the effect that its representatives would shortly arrive. After luncheon, the visitors and their hosts started upon a four-hour drive through the city and parkways, including a tour of the university campus and terminating at the chapter house. Here the visitors had the pleasure of dining with the undergraduates, and of spending a most delightful evening afterwards with them and with members of the Minneapolis A. A., till at length the waning hours admonished the visitors to depart. The return to the hotel having been most auspiciously accomplished under the kindly guidance of Brother Horace D. Dickinson, Minnesota Beta, president of the Minneapolis A. A., the party retired to rest.

The University of Minnesota is a co-educational institution, liberally supported by the state. Its campus is situated on a high level bluff forming the east bank of the Mississippi river,

in the direction of St. Paul. It is very spacious and handsomely adorned with splendid modern buildings, amply suited for the needs of the great university which it has grown to be.

Minnesota Beta is delightfully housed at present and owns a fine lot opposite the campus on which it proposes to erect a new chapter house at an early day. Its undergraduates are a splendid, wide-awake set of men, well matured. They stand well in class and college and evince an alert and intelligent interest in the affairs of the fraternity. The members of the Minneapolis A. A. are in touch with the local chapter with results mutually beneficial to each organization.

It was with more than a passing feeling of regret that the three travelers assembled at breakfast the next morning for the last time, and reluctantly dissolved the delightful ties which had bound them together in a week's close fellowship.

At 9:10 a. m. Brothers Alexander and Pegram departed to take the train together as far as Cedar Rapids, Iowa, where Brother Alexander was to rejoin certain members of his family, leaving Brother Pegram to continue on to visit Iowa Alpha, at the University of Iowa, Iowa City, Iowa. Shortly afterwards, Brother Monnette departed by a different route to visit Nebraska Alpha, at the University of Nebraska, Lincoln, Nebraska.

As Brothers Alexander and Pegram were pacing the station platform prior to the departure of their train, they were pleasantly surprised by the appearance of Brothers Lyle and R. T. Hugo, Minnesota Beta, who kindly and courteously came to bid them a final farewell.

After a pleasant day's ride through the vast fertile plains of southeastern Minnesota and eastern Iowa, remarkable for their wonderful crop and stock producing faculties, at gloaming, Cedar Rapids was reached where, after bidding Brother Alexander farewell, the writer was left to continue his journey in solitude. Not for long, however, as in a scant hour's time, the cordial greetings of Brothers R. G. Tobin and W. R. Law, Iowa Alpha, upon his arrival at his destination, assured him that he was no stranger, though in a strange land.

Iowa City is a typical, sleepy country town of eight thousand inhabitants. Originally, it was the capital of the state, but since that dignity has been transferred to Des Moines, the university is its sole *raison d'être*; for when the university is not in session the town sinks into lethargy. The city is very hilly and the streets are mostly unpaved and neglected. A few of the residential streets are in good condition and bordered with pretty residences. But, as a whole, Iowa City is a town whose greatness lies before it, for though it is well planned and well laid out, the march of improvement has not been commensurate with the intention of its founders.

The campus of the University of Iowa lies in the heart of the city, is entirely too small and the buildings are wholly inadequate to the needs of the institution. It seemed incomprehensible, after having seen the magnificent plants of the universities

of the neighboring states, to believe that the great state of Iowa, abounding as it does in wealth and prosperity, should be content with such a shabby and unpretentious State University. But the reason for this remarkable state of affairs became apparent, as soon as the peculiar conditions affecting the institution were ascertained. It seems that the state agricultural and engineering schools are at a separate institution known as Ames College, leaving the collegiate and professional schools at the State University. Both of these institutions are supported by the state and petty jealousies and rivalries have, until quite recently, seriously impeded the development of each. Now, however, both, instead of working against each other, are working together, with the result that last year the legislature granted the university a large sum per annum for several years to come, to be devoted exclusively to extending the campus and to erecting suitable modern buildings thereon. Work in both directions is already well under way. This legislature was likewise more liberal in its appropriation for maintenance and support and it is to be hoped that in a very few years the State of Iowa will have a university of which it may be justly proud. The University is co-educational, and notwithstanding its present disadvantages, has a large attendance and is accomplishing very excellent work.

Iowa Alpha is a splendid chapter and its undergraduates are a fine, sterling, manly set, feeling their isolation somewhat; yet, nevertheless, cheerfully maintaining a close and intelligent interest in the affairs of the fraternity. They stand well in their classes and in their college organizations. They are delightfully housed in a large rented, roomy building, with spacious grounds. They are anxious to purchase the property, but, unfortunately, the owner at present declines to sell; still his reasons are such that, with a little patience, the chapter may yet obtain its desire. They have a number of resident alumni, strong and substantial men of wide experience in fraternity matters, who maintain close relations with the chapter. In a word, Iowa Alpha is a flourishing and prosperous chapter, a substantial and useful integer of the fraternity and one of which it may be justly proud.

After arriving at the chapter house, the visitor spent a pleasant evening with the undergraduates; retiring, as the hour waxed late, to the quarters kindly prepared for him there. In the morning, he enjoyed a drive of several hours duration through the city and suburbs. After luncheon, he had the pleasure of meeting the resident alumni and later of inspecting the campus. After dinner, another pleasant evening was enjoyed with the undergraduates till the time arrived for him to leave to catch the 1:44 a. m. train on his long, homeward journey.

The incidents of this journey are omitted from this Odyssey because the traveler slept so industriously, both by night and day, in an effort to balance his sleep account, that he has but a very faint recollection thereof.

At length at 1:30 p. m. on May 19th, he arrived at the Grand Central Station in New York City and concluded his memorable journey.

The tale of this tour having thus been told, at a subsequent period the impressions gathered by the way will likewise be narrated.

Ohio State University in its Thirtieth Year

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Typically situated in the very center, the veritable fountain-head of the "State of Colleges," Ohio State University is at present one of the most conspicuous of the western universities. It is decidedly a modern institution in the broadest sense of the word. Every advantage that nature and liberal endowment can



A Bit of the Campus.

afford are present in its environment. Behind its progress is one of the grandest states of the Union, while the national government, itself, is a prominent factor in its promotion.

With the golden rays of unlimited success and prominence now beaming upon it, the school seems to be in a state of perpetual prosperity. But like all young colleges, it has been called upon to survive a period of struggling infancy. Though it has cast aside its swaddling clothes, it is still in the full vigor of its youth, having just passed the twenty-ninth milestone of its existence. To gaze upon its beautiful, well-kept grounds, its modern, substantial halls and the air of brisk industry now about it, tends only to emphasize the wonders of time.

Ohio State, as it is coming to be generally and famously known, is a land grant institution. The offer of the national government, tendering a vast extent of land for the establishment and maintenance of a state university was formally accepted

by the Ohio legislature February 9, 1864. The usual steps incident to the inception of the college were extended over a number of years, and it was not until September 17, 1873, that the institution began to receive students. Its location had originally been fixed upon a tract of three hundred and forty-five acres of land near Columbus, the state capital, and wisdom has never seen fit to order a change from this decision.

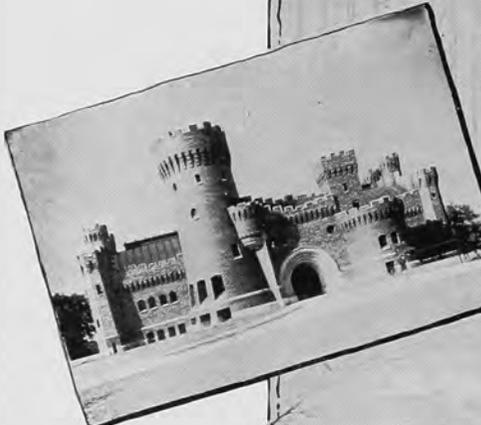
Starting with an insignificant attendance, housed in a single building, the school has quite outgrown the predictions of the most enthusiastic alumnus, until now to draw a comparison between the past and present, shows a remarkable result. From the one building and the mere handful of students, the university has branched out into a modern, progressive school of eighteen buildings and over seventeen hundred students.

Six colleges are now included in its curriculum, namely, Agriculture and Domestic Science, Arts, Philosophy and Science, Engineering, Law, Pharmacy and Veterinary Medicine. Each college has a reputation in itself and many students are drawn from other states and schools by this excellence.

This fact is especially true in the Engineering college. This college is the largest in the university, strongly manned by instructors and richly equipped with the appurtenances of the profession, so that the results it turns out are reflecting great credit upon the whole institution. Ohio State engineers have no trouble whatever to be placed in lucrative positions when they have completed the requirements of their courses, until now, as an engineering school, the university is ranked as one of the very best in the country. In the ceramics or clay working engineering, the school stands pre-eminent, being the first to introduce this department into practical college work.

The Law, Arts and Veterinary colleges are also very strong, the work of each having been greatly accentuated, lately, by new buildings and liberal appropriations. The Laws have been in an elegant new building for one year and the Engineers and Vets are only awaiting the finishing touches to be put upon their modern new houses. These new structures will all be in readiness for occupancy at the opening of the 1903 school year, the coming September. In addition to these the appropriation has been made and all arrangements completed for the erection of a new physics building. Other extensive improvements are in the embryo, contingent upon the liberality of a generous state legislature or the recognition of the imperative demands of the greater university by some philanthropic alumnus.

The large faculty is headed by Dr. W. O. Thompson, a man of liberal ideas but firm executive ability. He has occupied the honored chair as president of the school since 1899, and a great deal of the credit for Ohio's rapid enlargement in the past few years is due to his indefatigable efforts. President Thompson enjoys the hearty co-operation in his work of the large faculty as a whole, and a strong and steady pull for the pre-eminence of the school is continually being made with the success that



HUGHES COLO.

1. *Armory and Gymnasium.*

2. *Observatory.*

3. *University Hall.*

4. *Orton Hall.*

5. *Biological Hall.*

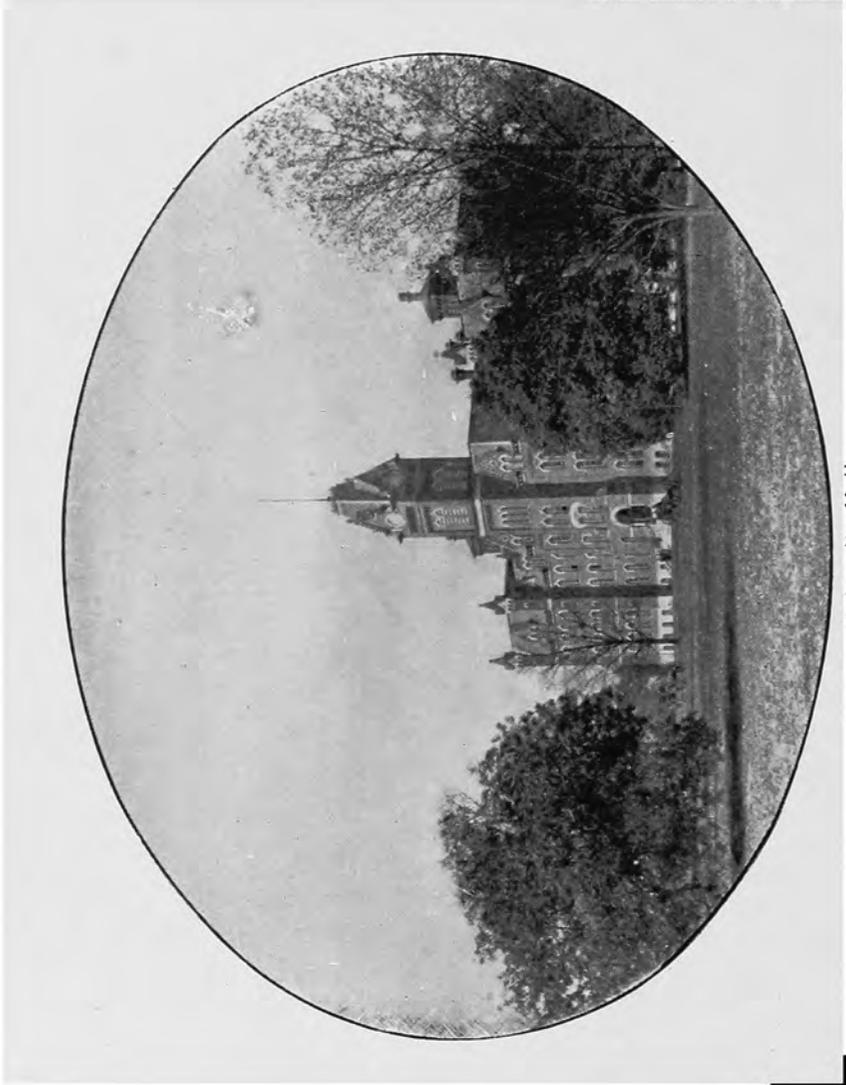
the world knows. Such men as William Henry Scott, Edward Orton, Jr., William Forrest Hunter, Emilius Oriatt Randall, Frederick Converse Clark, Joseph Villius Denney, George Washington McCoard are a part indicative of the illustrious whole. It might not be amiss at this juncture to add that Dean Denny of the Arts college, Prof. McCoard and Physical Director Dinhart are loyal Phi Psis.

The extensive campus of Ohio State now greatly enhanced by artificial means, originally reflected Dame Nature's partiality. It is uniformly level, yet with its abundance of trees and shrubbery, its nicely kept walks and lawns, this monotony is decidedly broken. There is a bit of primitive forest on the grounds, which is preserved with a jealous care and it affords a treasure house to the biological student in search of specimens. Almost in the center of the vast tract is a spot of especial beauty, whose fame is not confined merely to college realms. This is the university spring, the haven of rest and refreshment for the tired student on a sultry day and the source of the good health of the water drinking class in the city of Columbus in general. For years the spring has brought renown to the school and through the generosity of a thoughtful benefactor, Mr. Louis Siebert, it now possesses surroundings more in keeping with its hygienic office. Bubbling forth in a stone basin, in a pretty grotto, with the lake or lagoon stretching before it under the thickly set trees, the spot is an ideal destination for a stroll or promenade from the various buildings. All walks lead to the hill that surmounts the popular spring and "campus work" in the springtime, along these avenues, gives some of the professors no end of trouble and in some cases plays havoc with recitations.

But all in all, the university spring is an indispensable factor in college life at Ohio State and with it gone there would be a gap in the unwritten requirements of the institution. It is one of the pleasant memories of college days and tends to cement more closely the ties of alma mater and alumnus.

With all the beauties of its grounds, Ohio State has more individual qualities to recommend it to the intellectual world. One of these is its athletic prowess. More particularly in recent years the school has pushed this department of college life, with a firm determination to take the proud position among the western universities which Ohio claims as a state. The obstacles that have opposed this ambition, have almost all been surmounted and the future looms up very auspiciously. Ohio State claims to possess one of the finest college gymnasiums in the country. It now owns a finely equipped athletic field and it is almost a certainty that a new field, one of the very best, will soon be laid out to keep pace with the rise of the greater university. With these superb facilities the teams of the school are beginning to make themselves felt in western athletics.

The fall attractions on the gridiron are always first-class, including the State Universities of West Virginia, Indiana, Illinois and Michigan. The latter date is one of the gala events



University Hall.

on the calendar. Oberlin college is Ohio State's principal competitor in its more native realms, and when the two institutions clash, there is always occasion for much public interest. At the dual track meet held recently between these teams, the half-mile western intercollegiate record was lowered by the sprinters of both schools. This is but an illustration of the progress in motion and an inkling of what can be expected of Ohio in the athletic line in the future. The rapid forward strides of the past few years make this a natural expectation.

Socially, Ohio State presents attractions for the most aristocratic and democratic alike. With the fraternities, literary societies, college clubs and other organizations continually vying with each other, the hours for social recreation are crowded. The tie of student to student has grown so strong in the institution that this has become a qualification for social recognition. The faculty aids in this social movement, personally conducting many of the affairs which are held in the spacious gymnasium. Each college in the university has its own peculiar clubs and organizations, designed for the promotion of work out of the class room. Some of the most important of these might be mentioned as the English Club, the Philosophical Club, the Political Science Club, the Engineering and Chemical Societies and many others.

The college glee club as an all wide-awake institution, is a leading light in the social realms. Its annual concert is always a musical treat for the student body and the citizens of Columbus. A trip through the state is usually taken at vacation times.

There is still one more phase of the social side of the university to be looked upon with much interest and that is the fraternities. Seventeen national fraternities and a number of locals are represented by chapters of fine fellows, as material is fairly abundant. The spirit runs strongly in the school and the liberal attitude of the faculty in extending the open door policy to all, aids largely in the fraternal development of Ohio State. The chapters in the institution in the order of their establishment are Phi Gamma Delta, Phi Kappa Psi, Sigma Chi, Phi Delta Theta, Chi Phi, Beta Theta Pi, Kappa Kappa Gamma, Sigma Nu, Kappa Alpha Theta, Alpha Tau Omega, Sigma Alpha Epsilon, Phi Delta Phi, Pi Beta Phi, Delta Tau Delta, Kappa Sigma, Delta Delta Delta, Alpha Zeta, and Delta Chi.

The fraternities live close to each other in the issues of the institution and stand united on many questions. An inter-frat baseball league is one of the means employed to keep the various chapters in touch with each other.

With all the fraternity, club and the broader university enthusiasm, class spirit finds plenty of opportunity to assert itself. The Soph-Fresh cane rush is the opening week of school. the baseball and football games, which are annual fixtures, are noted occasions for the outcropping of this buoyancy of spirit, and it never fails to make the most of the chance. The changing seasons bring various methods of inter-class competition to the



Down by the Spring.

different leaders, and victory flits back and forth in these contests of brawn and brains. ,

Summing it all up Ohio State University possesses peculiar fitness for a great institution. It has left, solved, behind it most of the knotty problems that have encompassed its growth, particularly the sturdy competition of the forty odd other colleges in the limits of the state. The future of the school could not be brighter than at the beginning of this, its third decade and the thousands of alumni throughout the country will doubtless greet this announcement by swelling forth once more in the grand old battle cry:

Wahoo! Wahoo!
Rip, Zip, Bazoo!
I yell, I yell,
For O. S. U.



Phi Psis in College Navies

By IRVING R. TEMPLETON, New York Beta

The writer of this article desired to give the fraternity at large some idea of how she is represented in that most interesting branch of college athletics—aquatics. Blanks were sent, weeks ago, to those aquatic colleges in which there were also chapters of the fraternity. Columbia, the Universities of Pennsylvania and Syracuse were the only colleges to respond from the seven asked for reports. Brother Thomas Buell said that the Light Blue and White colors were not carried by any Phi Psi this season. So this article will cover briefly the preparation of a candidate for the races, the Poughkeepsie Regatta of this June, and last but not least Phi Kappa Psi as represented in the Navies of Pennsylvania and Syracuse.

The Poughkeepsie Regatta annually brings together the best oarsmen that Columbia, Cornell, Georgetown, University of Pennsylvania, Syracuse and Wisconsin can produce. Before tallying the results of this year's races on the Hudson, it may interest some of the uninitiated to note some of the work done by the crew candidates in order to secure or hold a seat in the 'varsity or freshman boat.

When a freshman, the supposed candidate starts in training for his class crew, for it is only in exceptional cases that a freshman makes the 'varsity crew. Further a man who has made his freshman crew stands much greater chance of making the 'varsity over another man who has never rowed before. Most of the colleges which support crews have a professional coach and often an assistant. It is by these men that the prospective candidates are taken to task or preliminary training early in the fall. The real, hard work is not given the men in the fall practice. The men are taken out every afternoon in squads. The attention of the coach is given to drilling into the men an idea of his stroke, for every coach has a stroke of his own. He teaches them how to get into a shell without sticking a hole in it with their feet, how to handle an oar and row in some kind of unison with a combination of men. Many are the mishaps of the green hands, such as catching a "crab," in learning what is expected of him. The fall practice is of short duration, usually a month. No great importance is attached to it as the same work has to be repeated with new and old men in the spring practice on the water. It has, however, allowed the coach to get a line on the new men, and also given him some conception of the equipment needed in spring.

The winter work, which usually commences soon after the Christmas holidays, consists of work on the rowing machines indoors. This practice brings out most of the possible new men, including the men who during the fall training were on the foot-

ball squads. The candidates are divided into 'varsity and freshman eights and each given a certain time to report daily. Now the real, hard work for a long, strenuous season begins. The men are taught all the points of oarsmanship which the coach can give them on a machine. Every day they are given a run which is gradually made longer. They learn how to use their slides at the same time that they are trying to pull a clean stroke. Every part of the body must be under control and do certain things in a fixed time. The patience of the coach is seemingly endless as he corrects fault after fault in each new man. The candidate himself thinks that he will never get over his faults, for so soon as he corrects one the coach shows him another. After some weeks of hard work the coach makes his first cut in the number of men. The indoor training is continued until the warm spring weather allows work on lake or river.

Then the heart of the coach is gladdened, for he can now teach them true watermanship. The shells and other rowing apparatus have been overhauled during the winter, and everything is ship-shape for a splendid season. The men report as before at regular periods, and are worked hard and long. It has been said, and truly, that a college man has more hard work to do to make a crew position, than he has to make a place in any other branch of sport. It is on the water that the coach puts the men through the finishing touches of the winter's work. He shows them the true art of handling oar and body in perfect unison as a part in a combination of eight men. The coxswains are also kept busy in learning how to manage a boat and eight men at the same time. Day after day, week in and week out, the hard, long pull of practice continues.

After careful thought and many cuts in the ranks the coach finally chooses his crews with several substitutes for each. With these he goes to Poughkeepsie about the middle of June, in order to have a week or more of practice before the races. This year the races were held on Friday, June 26. For a week previous columns of the leading eastern newspapers were devoted to the daily work of the crews. Many were the speculations as to probable winners and order of the finish. In none was the order of the finish in any race correct, and there were consequently several surprises to the experts.

The freshman and four-oared races were both for two miles. In the freshman race Syracuse sprung a surprise in landing second place, finishing but a half length behind the Cornell youngsters, who broke the former record by one and a half seconds. The time of four-oared and freshman races follow:

Four-oared—Cornell, 10:34; Pennsylvania, 10:35 4-5; Wisconsin, 10:55 3-5; Columbia, 11:14.

Freshman—Cornell, 9:18; Syracuse, 9:22 1-5; Wisconsin, 9:32; Columbia, 9:41; Pennsylvania, 9:44.

The 'varsity race also saw an unexpected finish. It was thought that first honors lay between Cornell, Wisconsin and Columbia. Georgetown, however, was the only crew which gave Cornell

a good race, landing second, while Columbia ended the procession. Time of 'varsity—Cornell, 18:57; Georgetown, 19:27; Wisconsin, 19:29 2-5; Syracuse, 19:36 1-5; Columbia, 19:54.

The reports from the chapters of Phi Kappa Psi at the University of Pennsylvania and Syracuse show that Phi Psis have nobly assisted in carrying their college colors to the front in the crews of these institutions. Brother G. H. Bickley of Pennsylvania Iota reports that five brothers have lately been active in the Red and Blue Navy.

Brother F. Warren Marshall, class of 1905, has rowed one year on the second 'varsity and also rowed bow on the freshman boat in 1902.

Brother James R. Shoch, class 1903, rowed on his class crew and has rowed two years on the 'varsity crew. His position was number two on the 'Varsity Four.

Brother Samuel Crowther, Jr., class of 1904 Law, has rowed four years on the 'varsity crew. In 1901 he rowed in the Henley Regatta, and in 1899, 1900 and 1902 in the Poughkeepsie races. Besides being so well represented in the crews, Pennsylvania seems to have run the Navy during the past two or three years. During 1901 Brother B. Homer LeBoutellier was manager, and in 1902 Brother S. Metzger was his worthy successor.

Syracuse has a remarkable record for the four years her Navy has existed. Since its formation the Pink and Lavender representatives have stood in the front as in everything else at Syracuse. During the past two years Harry Edward Elden has been captain of the 'varsity crew. He has also been a member of the 'varsity during its four years of history and rowed in every race during that time, both those on Onondaga Lake and at Poughkeepsie. For three years he rowed number five, this year at number seven. In 1900 Brother Lynn Jennison rowed number two on the 'varsity, while the following year Brother Robert C. Farrington was coxswain of the 'varsity.

Brother James Middleton, 1903, rowed bow on his class crew, number two on the second 'varsity in 1900 and was substitute on the 'varsity this season.

The statistics of the men reported active the last two years are as follows:

Name	College.	Chapter.	Height.	Wt.	Age
Samuel Crowther, Jr.	U. of P.	Pa. Iota.	6 ft. 1 in.	170	22
F. Warren Marshall,	U. of P.	Pa. Iota.	5 ft. 8 in.	158	20
James R. Shoch,	U. of P.	Pa. Iota.	5 ft. 11 in.	170	23
Harry E. Elden,	S. U.	N. Y. B.	6 ft.	165	24
James Middleton,	S. U.	N. Y. B.	5 ft. 9 in.	150	22

The principal event in which these colleges participate is the annual Poughkeepsie Regatta.

This article is written only through the request of the editor of "The Shield," and because of the thought that next year a thrice more glorious tale may be told of our water babes.

If his memory serves him aright, the writer believes we have a brother at Harvard who is manager of their Navy this year or was last year. Brother Weymouth, the greatest all-around athlete at Yale a year ago, was a member of the Yale freshman crew. Further calling on memory he thinks that in 1901 our fraternity had a goodly representation in the college Navies. Brothers Crowther, Shoch, and LeBoutillier at University of Pennsylvania; Brothers Palmer, 'varsity substitute, and Sutherland, assistant coach at Wisconsin; and Brothers Elden and Farrington at Syracuse.

May the Pink and Lavender followers of Old Neptune increase, and as they gather the laurels of success in aquatics may they remember that "As you honor yourself you honor Phi Kappa Psi."

The Birthplace of Phi Kappa Psi

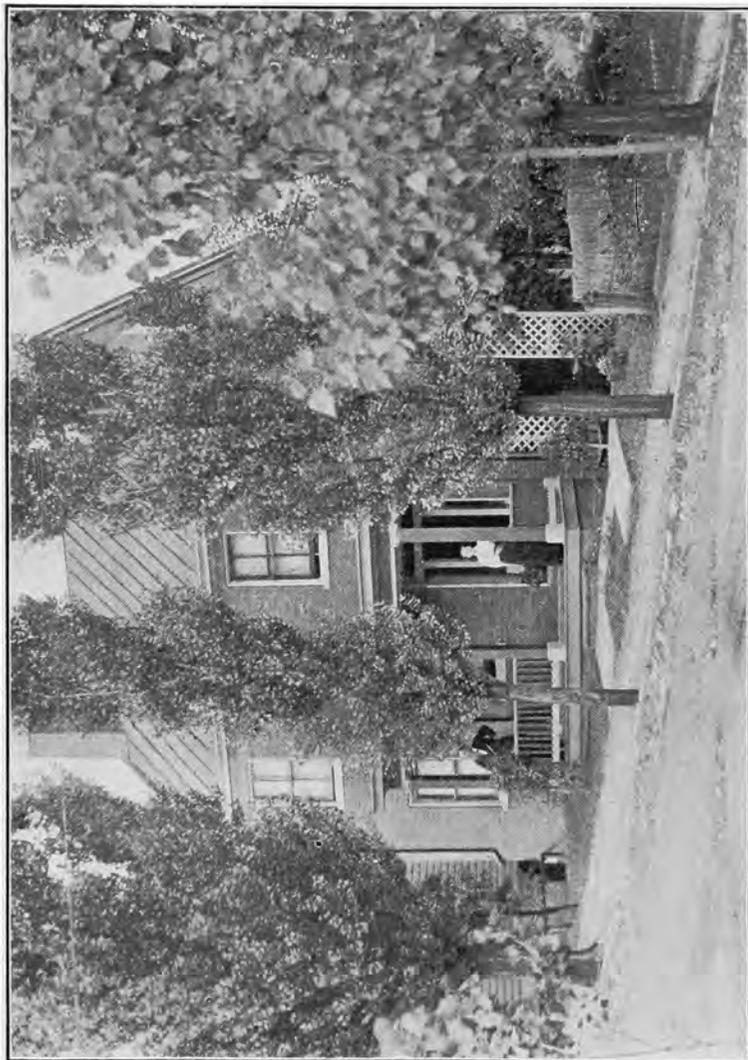
CHARLES L. VAN CLEVE, Ohio Alpha, Contributor

The accompanying cut represents the home of Th. Maxwell Potts of Canonsburg, Pa. In the attic of this building, in the room facing the south, Phi Kappa Psi was born February 19th, 1852.

The securing of this picture has a somewhat interesting story connected with it, interesting at least to the historian. Like many other things connected with our early history, the birthplace of the fraternity was long obscured in doubt, and yet a very simple procedure might have revealed the truth: viz., a visit to Canonsburg and personal inquiry. It may seem strange to the readers of "The Shield" that this course was not pursued, but thereby hangs a tale.

When the work of the history was begun many years ago much material was gathered relative to the early history of the fraternity, and some things connected with that history were early determined. Diligent correspondence by the present historian at the beginning of his career as an official of the fraternity failed to elicit any definite information as to the exact house, or the exact location of the house in which the fraternity was born. However, the joint efforts of one of the former editors of "The Shield" and the historian were rewarded by some pictures sent by old members of the Pennsylvania Alpha chapter, whose very positive statements as to where the house was located and equally definite opinions as to the time and circumstances of the formation of our beloved fraternity have been already set forth in the history. Some of these very positive facts are like Josh Billings'—"They ain't so."

The visit made by the historian to Judge Moore in West Virginia seemed finally to have settled beyond any reasonable doubt the location of the house which we were seeking, and



Birthplace of Phi Kappa Psi. Residence of Th. Maxwell Polls, Canonsburg, Pa.

the cuts in the history indicate where the house was located. The small scale in which the village of Canonsburg is drawn in those pictures renders it very difficult for one to get anything like a clear idea of the position of the house, and in one cut at least the house is located on the opposite side of the street from which it really is, and one block further south than Mr. Potts' residence stands.

The historian has no special desire to justify his conduct in indicating in the history the house where Phi Kappa Psi was located and indicating it wrongly, but inasmuch as the information which he received was from the founders of the fraternity he supposed of course that it was authentic.

Those of the readers of "The Shield" who were at the Canonsburg celebration in 1902 will recall very vividly with what courtesy we were shown through the old mansion, and how we reverently stood uncovered in that room now turned over to the uses to which attics are ordinarily put. We were abundantly satisfied from the testimony of Mrs. Potts and several old Phi Psis who were living in Canonsburg when the fraternity was established and have resided there continuously since, that this time there is no mistake and that the picture which the readers of "The Shield" now look upon is the veritable place which to us should be the shrine of holiest emotions.

Upon returning from the G. A. C. last year Mr. Potts was kind enough to send to the historian several prints of the house from a photo engraving then in his possession. Upon my request he sent me the half-tone plate and I had arranged with the editor of "The Shield" to print it in the May issue of last year. In some unaccountable way the cut was lost in the mails, and although months were spent in attempting to trace the missing package it did not come to light. A second application to Mr. Potts brought an excellent photograph of the house with himself and wife standing at the front, and from this photograph the cut now used was made and is here presented to the members of Phi Kappa Psi fraternity for the first time.

The surprising thing to the historian is the apparent trivialities upon which so many items of historic value in connection with our fraternity have hung. A mere accident revealed the identity of the likeness of Tom Campbell; a chance stumbling upon some old letters cleared up the doubts about the time and place of holding the first G. A. C., and in many other ways not necessary here to enumerate the historian found his way cleared from apparently inextricable masses of tradition and hazy information to the essential items needed for writing an accurate account of Phi Kappa Psi.

LINES TO A "COLONEL."

The Indianapolis Alumni Association has for the second time made a demand for the publication of the lines read by "Ted" Robinson, of the Indianapolis Sentinel, on the occasion of the presentation of a (tin) sword to the editor of "The Shield" in honor of his elevation to the staff of Governor Durbin, of Indiana, with the rank, emoluments and especially the uniform of a colonel. To meet this demand, the clever verses of Bro. Robinson are presented. It will be seen that the poem is a parody on Bro. James Whitcomb Riley's "Old Glory."

I.

O Colonel, say why
Have they raised you so high?
Don't blush or demur—look us square in the eye;
Say what you have done that they honor you so,
Nay, tell us, please do: on the dead we don't know.
What country did you ever fight for to save—
On what field of blood were you valiant and brave?
What drill-book did you
Ever learn—or read through?
If they bid you "Port Arms!" say, what would you do?
Could you right-about-face if they ordered you to?
Say, why do they call you a Colonel?
(But the colonel just bowed like a weary-winged bird,
And to all of our questions he said not a word.)

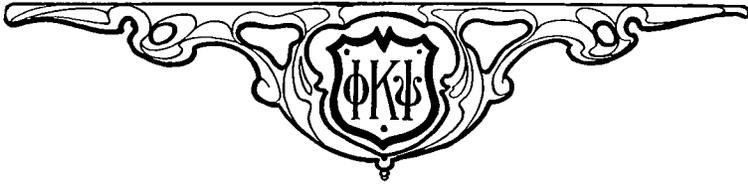
II.

Tell us, just for fun,
What you ever have done—
Would you know the right end of a sword or gun?
Did you rise from the ranks to your present proud height,
Have you earned your commission by right or in fight?
Say, what's your war record? Where were you upon
The third day of April, Eighteen-sixty-one?
We're about to donate you a beautiful sword,
But we'd like to know something about you, me lord.
Answer up, loud and clear -
Tell the gentlemen here
How it comes they have made you a bold chevalier—
What right have you got to be Colonel?
(But the colonel's too modest to give a reply,
So I'll speak—just pretend this is George, and not I.)

III.

"I really don't feel
That I've got a square deal;
I used to work hard, not with sword but with Steele.
I may not have fought on the war's bloody field,
But the fellows all know how I've carried the Shield.
I have fought for its fame in the East and the West,
Its flashing protection is still on my breast—
And I'll fight till I die
To raise up on high
The glorious banner of Phi Kappa Psi!
And that, if no other's a good reason why
I've earned my right to be Colonel!"

EDITORIAL



The pronouncement of the Executive Council in the Schradenbach case, prepared by Attorney General Henry Pegram, is a

The Fraternity's Duty.

notable contribution to the literature of the fraternity. To no better purpose could space in "The Shield" be put than by reproducing what the governing body of the fraternity has to say with reference to the essential relation which morality bears to successful fraternity life. The Council says, in concluding this edict:

"From the very beginning Phi Kappa Psi has placed its faith in men of clean and upright lives, looking to them to uphold and advance its standard of moral integrity. From this position it has never receded, nor can it recede therefrom the veriest jot or tittle, without sacrificing and abandoning that for which Phi Kappa Psi stands and has ever stood.

"The fraternity owes a positive duty to itself, to every college and community where it has an organization, and to every family from which it derives a member, not only to maintain and uphold its present standard of purity but to advance and elevate the same. Therefore, any member who fails to assist in this undertaking is recreant to his trust, false to his oath, and rotten in his support; and, being such, he should be promptly lopped off, lest decay manifest itself in the parent stem to the irretrievable disgrace and ruin of the fraternity for whose upbuilding, well nigh 8,000 men, actuated by their love, respect and veneration for Phi Kappa Psi and what it represents, have laboriously toiled for upwards of fifty years."

The Executive Council held its annual meeting at the Great Northern Hotel, Chicago, the new archons, Messrs. Metzger,

The Executive Council Meeting.

Kelley, Foster and Garcelon being present, with Archon Lyle and the alumni officers of the fraternity. Much business of importance was transacted, the detail of which is set forth in the official report sent to the chapters by Secretary Monnette. George Smart was accorded a resolution of thanks for his service as editor of the catalogue, and S. R. Zimmerman, of Lancaster, Pa., former archon of the First District, was elected his successor. To succeed C. L. Van Cleve as editor of the history Guy M. Walker of New York City was chosen. The committee on certificate of enrollment was finally discharged. Geo. B. Lockwood was

re-elected to a third term of two years as editor of "The Shield" and his work was commended by resolution. We quote the following from the official record: "On motion of Lyle seconded by Metzger, the editor of 'The Shield' was authorized and directed to reprint in same size and form for binding as the present issues of 'The Shield,' any of the earlier volumes of 'The Shield' commencing with Volume I, also including the Phi Kappa Psi Monthly and Phi Kappa Psi Quarterly for the use of members and organizations of the fraternity, to be sold to them at stipulated price at any time when he has secured a sufficient number of pledges to take up the same which would cover the cost of the re-print and re-publication." This matter will be taken up in the autumn. On adjourning its sessions at Chicago, members of the Council entered upon a tour of visitation which Bro. Pegram describes elsewhere in "The Shield."

In compiling the new Song Book Brother Robertson is very properly seeking the aid and co-operation of Phi Psis. old and young, with a view not only to having

**The
New Song
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within the covers of the new book some splendid new material, but to the preservation of the older songs most cherished. The chapters have been very slow in responding to Brother Robertson's calls for suggestions, incredible as this may seem. But many of the alumni have manifested an unexpected interest. Brother Robertson solicits responses from Phi Psis everywhere to the following inquiries:

1. What songs in the present edition are used enough by your chapter to warrant re-publication?
2. What song is best known to your Alumni? (Write title, not first line or page number.)
3. Do you know of any unpublished Phi Psi songs? If so state how I could get the manuscript.
4. Do you know anyone who would be able and willing to undertake the composition of Phi Psi songs; either words or music or both? If so, give name and address.

"In selecting old songs to be re-published," writes Brother Robertson, "remember that our space is limited. Only such songs as are in use by several chapters, and new material of a permanent and lasting character will be accepted."

Each of the questions propounded should be answered on a separate sheet. Bro. Robertson should be addressed at 1310 Security Building, Chicago. "The Shield" will give further information on this subject later. Meanwhile let Phi Psis everywhere show their interest in this important fraternity enterprise by getting in communication with the editor of the song book.



Bro. Frank W. Clark is practicing law with signal success at New Martinsville, W. Va.

Jesse Howard Briggs, Ohio Beta, graduated from Rush Medical, Chicago, on June 17th.

W. M. Duncan, Pa. Eta '83, is president of the Citizens' Bank of Eureka Springs, Arkansas.

Gordon Cook, N. Y. Beta '01, is a member of the law firm of Moore & Cook, Youngstown, Ohio.

I. C. Elston, Indiana Gamma, is general manager of the Michigan City, Indiana, Gas Company.

Bro. James E. Gartrell is with the Mammoth Springs Roller Mills, Mammoth Springs, Arkansas.

Linnaeus Hines, Ind. Beta, principal of schools at Union City, Ind., spent the summer in Europe.

Bro. E. M. Ellsworth is secretary of the Atlas Savings and Loan Association, of Chattanooga, Tenn.

J. H. Jennings is associated with his brother in the publication of the Independent at Fenton, Michigan.

Bro. Tolen J. Howard is assistant general manager of the Pulaski Iron Company of Pulaski City, Virginia.

Bro. Joseph Shippen, of Seattle, Washington, is an attorney with offices at 627 New York Block, that city.

Bro. C. A. Weymouth is physical director of the St. Paul's School Athletic Association at Garden City, N. Y.

Bro. R. B. Wilcox is the engineer in charge of the construction of intercepting sewers for the city of Chicago.

Bro. Benjamin C. Harvey has completed his course at Harvard, and is now at his home near Germantown, N. Y.

Fred W. Fitch, Indiana Alpha, is president of the Electrical Installation Co., Monadnock Building, Chicago.

Bro. Edward H. Peterson, Wis. Alpha '97, was married April 22, at Janesville, Wis., to Miss Katherine B. Smith.

Thos. W. Finletter and Clifford S. Beale, both Pa. Iota, are both assistant solicitors of the city of Philadelphia.

Jacob R. Custer, Pa. Epsilon '64, is president of the Calumet Club, one of the great social organizations of Chicago.

Fred Reeves, Ind. Alpha, holds a responsible position with the Chicago Book Company, 378 Wabash avenue, Chicago.

Bro. Charles R. Freeman is city attorney of Checotah, I. T. He is one of "The Shield's" most appreciative readers.

Bro. Herbert S. Downs is with the Nashawannuck Manufacturing Company, at 66 and 68 Worth street, New York City.

Dr. B. H. Roark, Indiana Beta '00, has gone from Chicago to Milwaukee as resident physician at the Milwaukee hospital.

Bro. Geo. L. Buck is in the credit department of the main offices of Silver, Burdett & Co., text-book publishers, Chicago.

Bro. B. T. Gibson is associated with James C. Gibson in the firm of Gibson Brothers, retail merchants at Tunnelton, W. Va.

Bro. W. L. McCormick, Wis. Alpha, was admitted to the bar in April and will engage in the practice of law at Hayward, Wis.

Judge A. N. Summers, Ohio Beta, of Springfield, Ohio, is a candidate for Justice of the Supreme Court of Ohio on the Republican state ticket.

Walter Stewart, Ind. Alpha, instructor in physics at Cornell University, has accepted the chair of physics at the University of North Dakota.

Owing to delays in receiving pictures "The Shield" will postpone until the October number publication of biographies of the new archons.

Gilbert G. Benjamin, New York Beta '99, is acting as assistant instructor in history at Yale, and is also instructor in the New Haven high school.

Bro. George A. Elvins is a member of the real estate firm of H. G. Harris & Co., with offices in the Bartlett Building, Atlantic City, New Jersey.

Bro. C. W. Cole was one of the losers in the Pike building fire at Cincinnati last spring. His law offices have been removed to the Wiggins block.

Bro. Mark R. Craig, of Pittsburg, has removed his law offices from the Fidelity building to 232 Fifth Avenue. His home address is 244 Highland Avenue.

Edward M. Van Cleve, Ohio Alpha, formerly superintendent of schools at Greenville, Ohio, has been elected superintendent at Steubenville, Ohio.

Dr. Ralph Holmes, Ohio Delta and Pa. Beta, of Columbus, Ohio, has been elected assistant superintendent of the Ohio State Hospital for Epileptics at Gallipolis.

The excellent annual letter issued by Bro. C. B. Gladfelter for Pa. Epsilon gives favorable mention to all the fraternity publications, including "The Shield."

W. W. Douglas, Kansas Alpha, deputy controller of the State of California, writes from Sacramento: "The Shield" reflects great credit on the fraternity."

Chas. P. Morse, N. Y. Beta '05, is business manager of "The Debater," a periodical published at Syracuse, N. Y., in the interests of oratory and debating.

Edward M. Van Cleve, Ohio Alpha, superintendent of schools, Steubenville, Ohio, offers for sale a file of "The Shield" almost complete from the beginning.

C. W. Sencebaugh is secretary of the Richards & Sencebaugh Manufacturing Company, manufacturers of door hangers and hardware specialties at Aurora, Illinois.

Bro. Muscoe M. Gibson is a member of the law firm of Larzelere, Gibson & Fox, with offices at Norristown, Pa., and Philadelphia. He is an enthusiastic Phi Psi.

Bro. E. L. Williamson, Wis. Alpha '00, has accepted a position at Des Moines, Iowa, with the Chicago, Rock Island and Pacific Ry. in the office of the division engineer.

Walter H. Crim, a popular alumnus of Ind. Beta, is junior member of the firm of C. M. Crim & Son, Salem, Ind., manufacturers and wholesalers of hardwood lumber products.

Bro. L. H. Atkinson, Kansas Alpha '97, is treasurer of the H. N. Strait Manufacturing Co., makers of engines, shafting, etc., with a large factory located at Kansas City, Kansas.

Dr. Daniel J. McDougall, Ind. Alpha, of New York City, is secretary of the Botanical Society of America, the next annual convention of which will be held at St. Louis in December.

The Denver Phi Psis entertained Secretary O. E. Monnette at luncheon at the Denver Athletic Club on August 3rd. Bro. Monnette was enroute home from a visit to the Pacific coast.

Bro. Charles Koonce, Jr., is a member of the law firm of Murray & Koonce, Maloney Building, Youngstown, Ohio. The card of this firm appears in "The Shield" professional directory.

The Music Teachers' National Association, Bro. Rosseter G. Cole, of Chicago, president, held its quarter-centennial convention at Asheville, N. C., during the four days beginning with June 30.

The baby chapter in Phi Kappa Psi seems to be in the lead in the number of men making Phi Beta Kappa. Four of the Brown brothers were honored with the right to wear the key this year.

Christopher Gregg Parnall was married on July 29 to Miss Emma Willis, of Jackson, Michigan. Bro. and Mrs. Parnall will be at home after October 1st at 707 Oxford Road, Ann Arbor, Michigan.

W. C. Gretzinger, Pa. Gamma, the well known former editor of "The Shield," has been appointed quarter-master of the 12th Infantry, Pennsylvania National Guard, with the rank of captain.

H. M. Barrett, editor of the Colorado School Journal, at Denver, writes: "I'm convinced that there is only one fraternity on earth that can support such a journal as we have in 'The Shield.'"

E. F. Wallbridge, Michigan Alpha, has retired from the lumber business at Toledo, and is now with Riggs & Sherman, 613 The Nasby, Toledo, engaged in his old profession of civil engineering.

Carl C. Wilson, Indiana Beta '98, senior member of the furniture firm, "The Stout and Wilson Manufacturing Co.," at Salem, Indiana, is the father of a prospective Phi Psi, born on June 15.

Frank Hayden, Ind. Alpha, was married on June 30 at Greencastle, Indiana, to Miss Jessie Matson. Bro. Hayden is a member of a wholesale firm engaged in the agricultural implement trade at Cincinnati.

H. Campbell Brenaman, N. Y. Gamma '02, is associated with Chas. W. Brenaman & Co., shade cloths and shades, 1009-1113 Walnut St., Cincinnati. He is one of the fraternity journal's enthusiastic friends.

Bro. Joseph W. Ince, R. I. Alpha, of 108 Chestnut Ave., Providence, is the latest recruit to the comparatively small coterie of enthusiasts who see that "The Shield" is kept posted on the doings of Phi Psis.

Ray S. Hubbard, Mass. Alpha '00, graduated from Auburn Theological Seminary on May 7, was ordained on May 8, and was installed as pastor of the Presbyterian Church at Milton, N. Y., on May 26.

Bro. R. E. Fitch, of Laramie, Wyoming, writes: "The Shield" is about all the Phi Psi company I have. However, Bro. C. B. Ridgway, Pa. Zeta, is now a professor in the State University here."

Dr. and Mrs. Delmar Ritchie, of Pittsburg, have recently moved into a newly fitted home, 937 St. James street. Dr. Ritchie, who limits his practice to the ear, nose and throat, has removed to the Empire building.

Wisconsin Gamma wishes to secure the following copies of "The Shield," viz: Vols. 1, 2 and 3, complete; Vol. IV, No. 1; Vol. IX, No. 7; Vol. X, No. 2; Vol. XI, Nos. 1 and 4. Address O. E. Gray, Beloit, Wisconsin.

Bro. Geo. D. McIlwaine has resigned his position as Pittsburg manager of the Frick Company to become general sales agent of the Standard Supply and Equipment Company with offices at 811 Liberty avenue, Pittsburg.

Bro. Walter T. Binder is deputy clerk of the Whitley Circuit Court, Columbia City, Indiana. He writes: "Keep on sending 'The Shield.' If I die, file bill against my estate and I will see that it shall be a preferred claim."

Bro. Henry G. Stifel, W. Va. Alpha, Spec. 1890, after pursuing the study of Chemistry for several years abroad, located in his native city, Wheeling, W. Va., and is now one of the prominent business men of that place.

Bro. L. H. Bennett, of Danbury, Conn., is to teach in Cherry Chase College, Washington, D. C., during the coming academic year, and writes that he expects to associate himself with the Washington Alumni Association.

Fabius M. Clarke, of Broadway, New York, would like to secure copies of numbers 2 and 3 of Vol. XXIII, "The Shield," to complete a file at the national headquarters of Phi Gamma Delta. Can any brother supply him?

C. F. M. Niles is a member of the high grade municipal police board appointed by Governor Nash at Toledo. The Toledo Press describes Bro. Niles as a man of "high personal honor and of honorable record in the community."

At the meeting of the Engineers' Club of Philadelphia, on May 16, A. L. Baldwin, Pa. Iota '90, read a paper on "Recent Rapid Base Line Measures, Precise Leveling and Triangulation," which was illustrated by lantern slides.

Rev. M. Ross Fishburn, pastor of Mount Pleasant Congregational Church, of Washington, and a Phi Psi, was elected moderator of the Congregational Association which held its sessions at Asbury Park, New Jersey, in April.

Harris F. Shaw, Ind. Alpha, writes: "'The Shield' is almost a family magazine with us, with three Phi Psis in the family and mother an ardent Phi Psi supporter." Bro. Shaw, Sr., is post-master at Lawrenceburg, Ind.

Geo. C. Miller, Jr., Ill. Alpha, is with the Miami County Savings and Loan Association at Peru, Ind. Harry L. Miller, Ind. Alpha, is associated with his father in the ownership of a new mercantile establishment at the same point.

Brothers Edward D. Jenner and Robt. E. Freeman are members of the law firm of Velas, Jenner & Freeman, 1017-1019 Wells Bldg., Milwaukee, Wisconsin. Good wishes come to "The Shield" from the Phi Psi members of the firm.

Morton S. Browne, Ohio Delta, formerly with the Edison Electric Light Co., of Columbus, Ohio, is now a member of the Brown-Ryan Electric Co., electrical contractors and engineers, with offices in the Deshler building, Columbus.

The F. S. Love Manufacturing Co. has succeeded the Love & Sunshine Co., manufacturers, jobbers and importers of Johnstown, Pa. In the new concern our enthusiastic Phi Psi brother, F. S. Love seems to be about the whole thing.

Bro. P. H. Evans writes from Dodge Center, Minn., where he is vice-president of the Farmers' National Bank: "'The Shield' keeps my fraternity spirit and enthusiasm at high tide, even though I find Phi Psis few and far between."

Bernard M. Palmer, Wis. Alpha, is a member of the law firm of Dougherty & Palmer, with offices in the Phoebe Block, Janesville, Wisconsin. He sends to "The Shield" a number of items of interest concerning Wisconsin Alpha alumni.

"Ed." Sullivan, Indiana Alpha, is achieving great success as Secretary of the Armstrong Surgical Instrument Company, of Indianapolis, one of the well-established concerns of the kind in the country. Bro. Sullivan is a stockholder in the company.

Bro. L. H. Tracy, Wis. Alpha, who is professor of Latin and Greek at Brees Military Academy, Macon, Mo., left for Europe in June, where he joined his brother, Bro. P. W. Tracy, who has been traveling on the continent for the past nine months.

Walter E. Ervin, Ind. Alpha, formerly superintendent of the high school at Muncie, Indiana, has retired from educational work and has taken possession of a beautiful farm near the edge of Indianapolis, where he is building a handsome modern house.

George Smart, Ohio Delta, known to all Phi Psis, is the proud father of a daughter, born on June 12th. The mother, Lucy Allen Smart, is well known to all members of Kappa Kappa Gamma as editor of "The Key." "The Shield" extends congratulations.

Dr. Chas. J. Jewell, N. Y. Beta '99, a dentist with offices in the University Block, Syracuse, N. Y., writes in glowing terms of the District Council held in Syracuse in April, and announces the laudable intention of attending the G. A. C. in Indianapolis next year.

The Purdue chapter has purchased the house it occupied last year. It is a handsome and commodious structure, well located in West Lafayette. Extensive improvements have recently been made in the house and it is admirably adapted to chapter house purposes.

Hon. S. C. T. Dodd, Pa. Alpha, one of the fathers of Phi Kappa Psi, is said to draw a larger salary than any other man in the United States. He is paid by the Standard Oil Company, of which he is general solicitor, something like a quarter of a million dollars a year.

Charles H. Sutherland, Wis. Alpha '00, has graduated from the Chicago Medical School, and will be interne at the Cook County Hospital. Bro. Sutherland obtained the position by competitive examination, and received the highest standing obtained at the examination.

Winthrop E. Scarritt, Indiana Alpha, has erected on the campus of his alma mater, DePauw University, a handsome drinking fountain, with a massive shaft of red Median sandstone weighing 17,000 pounds. Bro. Scarritt also pays for the cement walks leading to and surrounding the fountain.

Matthew N. McIver, Wisconsin Gamma '92, and later a member of Wisconsin Alpha, was married on June 30 to Miss Myrtle Morrissey, of Bloomington, Wis. Miss Morrissey is an '02 graduate of Wisconsin. Bro. and Mrs. McIver will be "at home" at Hudson, Wisconsin, after September 1st.

Bro. Rufus W. Miller is secretary of the Sunday School Board of the Reformed Church, with offices at 1908 Arch street, Philadelphia. He is also president of the Brotherhood of Andrew and Philip, and chairman of the executive committee of the Pocono Pines Assembly and Summer Schools of Naomi Pines, Pa.

Bro. E. R. Week, Jr., is at Ballard, Washington. He writes: "I recently had the pleasure of meeting Bro. Philip Jones, who is with the Seattle-Tacoma interurban railroad in the department of motive power. He is the first Phi Psi I have met in five months and appeared as an oasis in the desert."

Rev. Henry G. Robinson, Pa. Zeta '31 is pastor of the First M. E. Church of Trenton, N. J., which recently celebrated its 130th anniversary. The congregation is housed in a beautiful stone church on Broad street, below State, and is enjoying a period of unusual growth under the pastorate of Bro. Robinson.

Bro. E. H. Vickers, W. Va. Alpha 1890, is meeting with great success as professor of Economics and Social Science at the University at Tokyo, Japan. Bro. Vickers is married and is the proud father of two little girls. He took an A. M. from Harvard, and studied three years in Berlin and Paris before going to Japan.

Bro. C. M. Linscott is with the Mahogany Lumber and Transportation Company, of Mobile, Alabama, and thinks he is the only Phi Psi in that ancient southern city. "Almost all of those mentioned in 'The Shield' are strangers to me," he writes, "and yet they are Phi Psis and on that account interesting to hear about."

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Murdock, of Milton, Pa., announce the marriage of their daughter, Helen Margaret, to William Burkenbine Godcharles, of Milton, on Thursday, June 18th. Bro. Godcharles is of the famous Pennsylvania Theta family, proprietors of the Godcharles Nail Factory at Milton, Pa. "The Shield" extends congratulations.

Captain Newton W. Gilbert, Ohio Delta, lieutenant governor of Indiana, is president of the Indiana World's Fair Commission. He is considered a prominent candidate for the republican nomination for governor of Indiana in 1904, as is former Attorney General, W. L. Taylor, Indiana Beta, who at this writing is at Antwerp, Belgium, on legal business.

"Pennsylvania Beta chapter is still in evidence," writes Bro. Sion B. Smith. "At the banquet of the Pittsburg alumni of Allegheny College, two of the five speakers were Phi Psis, as were also two of the members of the quartette from the college glee club, which came down to help us make merry. Pittsburg expects to send a large bunch to Indianapolis next April."

In response to "The Shield's" suggestion that he engage some space in the business directory, Bro. Merle N. A. Walker, Probate Commissioner of Marion County, (Indianapolis), submits the following: "Estates administered and guardians appointed expeditiously and economically. Special inducements offered to dead infant and insane brother Phi Psis. We are open day and night the year round."

Bro. Chester Woodward, is one of the owners and manager of the Wind River Lodge, Denver, Colorado. Bro. Woodward writes: "I trust that the Phi Psi camp in Estes Park will prove to be a great success. Any Phi Psis coming this way may be sure of finding a hearty welcome at Wind River Lodge." Bro. Woodward's home is at Topeka, Kansas, where he is a dealer in bonds and other securities.

Wisconsin Alpha has purchased a chapter house. It is a substantial brick structure, writes Bro. Marley, well located, and when proposed improvements have been completed, will be one of the most imposing and comfortable fraternity houses in Madison. Bro. Marley promises more information on the subject later. Bro. Marley was one of Wisconsin's representatives in the intercollegiate tennis tournament at Chicago late in May.

Dr. Wm. M. Edwards, Ind. Beta, superintendent of the Michigan Asylum for the Insane at Kalamazoo, is abroad with his wife this summer, recuperating after a serious illness. In London he attended the meeting of the British Medico-Psychological Association as a delegate from the American association of similar name. These associations are composed of men who are engaged in the care of the insane in both countries.

A Detroit special of May 19, says: "A wedding of more than usual interest took place at high noon today at the home of George H. Snow, 219 Grummond Place, when Miss Nora O'Malley, Mrs. Snow's sister, became the wife of Edmund Herbert Bingham, an Indianapolis newspaper man. The bride is also a newspaper worker. The Rev. Father Ernest VanDyke officiated at the wedding, which was witnessed only by the families of bride and bridegroom."

Hon. John L. Griffiths, Iowa Alpha, has been selected by the widow of the late President Harrison to prepare a biography of her distinguished husband. Bro. Griffiths brings high qualifications to this important work. Few men anywhere write more charmingly, and Bro. Griffiths was a close personal friend of the late president. The London Atheneum of a recent issue makes complimentary reference to the literary work in which Bro. Griffiths is now engaged.

Six Phi Psis were in social session at the Talley Cottage on Lake Wawasee, near Syracuse, Indiana, on July 15 and 16. They were Brothers Homer Talley, Indiana Alpha '97; Walter Talley, Indiana Alpha '05; Walter Holmes, Indiana Alpha '04; Roy Adams, Indiana Delta '03; Mel Smith, Indiana Delta '00, and Will A. Cavin, Indiana Alpha '03. "Northern Indiana is filling up with Phi Psis," writes Bro. Cavin, "and they are leaders wherever you find them."

One of the interesting books of the year is "By Order of the Prophet," of which Alfred H. Henry, Illinois Alpha, is the author. The story deals with Mormonism, and Bishop John St. Vincent declares that "it will do for the cause what 'Uncle Tom's Cabin' did for freedom." The book has already met with a very favorable reception. The story is dramatic and convincing, and holds the reader to the close. Bro. Henry is a resident of Butte, Montana.

At a dinner of the Indianapolis alumni at the Columbia Club in June, Geo. C. Harvey of Danville, described the initiation of "Bob" Burdette into Indiana Gamma, and E. E. Hendee of Anderson, told how James Whitcomb Riley, on being called on for a "stunt" after his initiation into Ind. Alpha, indulged in a spirited jig, winding up with a hand-spring across the floor of the old hall. Bro. Harvey is a past commander-in-chief of the Sons of Veterans of Indiana.

Bro. Arthur W. Towne, Mass. Alpha '01, the popular ex-Archon of the Second District, who is at present in Syracuse, N. Y., is announcing his engagement to Miss Bertha Vilas Knapp, of Essex-on-Lake-Champlain, N. Y., a member of the graduating class of Syracuse University, and of the Kappa Alpha Theta sorority. Some of the more observant of the brothers who attended the recent D. C. in Syracuse, especially the ball, say that they are not prostrated with surprise.

Bro. Frank Wells Clark, W. Va. Alpha 1890, after receiving his diploma from the Harvard Law School, commenced the practice of law at New Martinsville, W. Va., where he is meeting with success. He is president of the New Martinsville Glass Mfg. Co., a director of the New Martinsville Bank, and a leading stockholder of the New Martinsville Wholesale Grocery Co., all of which he helped found. He is also prominent in Masonic circles, being an officer of the Grand Lodge of W. Va., A. F. & A. M.

President Woodrow Wilson, of Princeton, an honored alumnus of two Phi Psi chapters, was honored by Brown University with the Doctor's degree this year. In conferring the degree, President Faunce referred to him as follows: "Woodrow Wilson, Southern gentleman and Northern scholar, student of history and government, lucid writer, inspiring teacher, leader of old Princeton into the new day." President Wilson delivered the Phi Beta Kappa address at Brown during commencement week.

The Providence Phi Psis are fortunate in having with them a young Phi Psi lawyer, Philip Knauer, a Pa. Kappa brother of 1896. Bro. Knauer read law in an office in New York for a year or two, when he was admitted to the bar. He then engaged in government work in the pursuit of which he came to Providence. He eventually became associated with a very promising young lawyer, John Hogan. Bro. Knauer has already established several new points of law in Rhode Island and has secured a very large clientele.

The Boston Herald of June 1st announces that Bro. Edward Borncamp, assistant minister of Trinity Church, Boston, has accepted a call to become rector of St. Paul's church, Winona, Minn., the largest parish in that state outside of St. Paul and Minneapolis. He will take up his new work about September 1st. Bro. Borncamp graduated at Minnesota in 1893 and later studied at Yale, Harvard and the Cambridge Episcopal Theological School. Since 1897 he has served as assistant minister at Trinity Church, Boston.

Brother Horace W. Dresser, New York Zeta '96, formerly of Brooklyn, has resigned his position as paying teller in the Fifth Avenue branch of the Corn Exchange Bank, New York, and has been appointed treasurer of the Commonwealth Trust Company, a new house just established under his excellent auspices in Buffalo. The New York brothers will miss Brother Dresser greatly, but are rejoicing in his great luck. Brother Dresser has moved to Buffalo, and it is said that there is to be a wedding there shortly, which is the best part of it all.

Bro. Frank Mark Gregg, who died on July 12th, at his home, 308 Sixtieth street, Chicago, had been rector of Episcopal churches in Kentucky, Indiana, Iowa and Illinois. Until a year ago he was rector of St. George's Church, Grand Crossing, but was compelled

to resign on account of ill health. His most important work was done at Springfield, Ill., where during his eight years' rectorship he built up a successful and flourishing church. Dr. Gregg was born in Wheeling, W. Va., in 1833 and entered the ministry in 1860.

Guy M. Walker, Indiana Alpha, of New York City, the new editor of the History, has severed his connection with the Moore-Everett syndicate, and has disposed of his electric railway interests. Bro. Walker is contemplating the publication of what he calls a "spiking book" for the fraternity. His wife, Minnie Royce Walker, a De-Pauw Kappa, recently issued for her fraternity a booklet of similar purport. Bro. Walker's lucid and popular pamphlets on finance are evidence that when he does issue his document, it will be a great persuader.

Bro. B. H. Roark graduated from Rush Medical College in June and has gone to the Milwaukee Hospital, Milwaukee, Wisconsin, where he holds the position of house physician. Bro. Roark is one of the active spirits in the Phi Rho Sigma medical fraternity, which corresponds to Phi Beta Kappa in classical institutions. As the result of an eastern trip taken by him last spring, chapters of the fraternity were established at Western Reserve, (Cleveland), Jefferson Medical, (Philadelphia), and the University of Pennsylvania, while action is pending at Johns Hopkins and Harvard Medical Schools.

The following from the Chicago Record-Herald of June 20 refers to an Illinois Alpha Phi Psi: "Edwin Balmer, the Chicago boy who, at the age of nineteen, has just taken the degree of master of arts at Harvard, is the son of Mrs Helen C. Balmer, the author, of 1327 Hollywood avenue, Edgewater. Edwin was born in Chicago July 26, 1883, was graduated from the Northwestern Academy in June, 1899, took his degree of A. B. at Northwestern University last June, and at the same time was honored with Phi Beta Kappa being the youngest student who ever received the honor. He will return to Harvard next year to continue his studies.

A number of the alumni of Maryland Alpha have recently been distinguishing themselves. Robert F. McLane, Jr., Maryland Alpha '85, has just been elected mayor of Baltimore. H. J. D. Bowdoin, Maryland Alpha '79, has been made a trustee of the University. He is the first Hopkins graduate to receive this honor. Bro. E. R. L. Gould, Maryland Alpha '83, is doing excellent work as the Chamberlain of New York, under the reform administration. Bro. James B. Wright, Pa. Theta '74, but now a member of the Baltimore Alumni Association and professor of English Philology at the University, presided over the last annual meeting of the Modern Language Association, held in Baltimore.

"The Shield" takes special pleasure in announcing the publication of another delightful piece of Phi Psi music, a waltz, by Bro. Frank Schroeder, Pa. Eta, which he has called "Lavender and Pink." The publisher is Theodore Presser, of Philadelphia. John Wanamaker, of Philadelphia, will handle it and it has already been ordered for his Angelus department. Bro. Schroeder graduated from Franklin and Marshall in 1881, and is one of the most enthusiastic Phi Psis in the fraternity. The waltz is dedicated to Pa. Eta chapter, and is a Phi Psi production throughout. In a later issue of "The Shield" will appear fuller details and a facsimile of the title page.

The following from the Williamsport, Pa., Sun, refers to a Pennsylvania Gamma graduate of '85: "Professor Kelchner, principal of the high school, has just been awarded a prize of \$250, which was offered by the University of Pennsylvania for the best essay written by a high school teacher of the state on the subject, 'What the High School Should Do to Fit Students for College.' The award was announced in a letter from Provost Chas. C. Harrison, enclosing the check for \$250, the prize offered. Honorable mention was given Miss Ruth Elmer White, of Carlisle. The award is a high compliment to Professor Kelcher, and he deserves the warm congratulations which he is receiving."

Edward R. March, of the Denver Alumni Association, the hustling advance agent of the Rocky Mountain Summer Camp, while enroute to eastern cities in the interests of the enterprise, was put out of commission by an attack of pneumonia at Washington, D. C. He

was seriously ill at Garfield Hospital for some time, but under the careful medical attention of two Phi Psi doctors, one of whom was Dr. W. Ashby Frankland, D. C. Alpha, and with the encouragement of Dr. Alexander and other Washington Phi Psis, he recovered sufficiently to go to Grand Rapids, Michigan, for recuperation. Phi Psis everywhere join in the hope that Bro. March will soon be completely restored to his usual health.

Colonel William M. Black, a Phi Psi regular army officer, has been relieved of duty at the Engineer School and placed in command of the battalion at Washington by Secretary Root, and will be detailed in connection with the construction of the Panama Canal as soon as the treaty is ratified with Colombia. A Washington special to the New York Herald says: "Colonel Black has a good record in connection with sanitary engineering. It was under his immediate supervision that the city of Havana was placed in its present fine sanitary condition and yellow fever completely eradicated. Previously to his assignment in charge of the engineering work in Havana he was Engineer Commissioner of the District of Columbia. He will have much sanitary work to do at Panama and Colon and along the canal route."

Thomas B. Donaldson, Pa. Beta, writes: "Leaving New York the other evening, on the 23rd street ferry, I met a loyal Phi Psi on the hurricane deck of the good ship "Typhoidis" or "Jeromeus" I forget which. I noticed a short fat gent sitting beside me, idly tugging at an unlighted cigar. I offered him a match. I always carry matches, because I live in hopes that some one will offer me a cigar. He took the match with a 'saddy' and in two minutes of close conversation I found out that, although we were not old college chumps, we belonged to the One and Only. His name was, and is (unless he has married since) Waldo E. Cummer, of Jacksonville, Florida. He is assistant general manager of the Jacksonville and Southwestern railroad. He's all right, too, and anxious to see any of the brothers who may go Florida way. Cummer was initiated in Michigan Alpha and was a member of '96 for two years.

Bro. Walter T. Hindman, of Indiana Beta, writes: "Bros. Free and Grantham are the only men of our chapter who graduated this year. The former has accepted a position with the Equitable Life Assurance Company and is located in New York. Bro. Grantham expects to go to Purdue next year. Bro. Combs took his A. M. and will teach next year. We feared for a time that Bro. Lawrence, who has been active with but one short interval since 1895, would leave this June, but he has assured us that he is a fixture for another year at least. While we are pretty widely scattered this summer we are keeping in touch with each other as in former vacations by our annual 'Bulletin' or cumulative letter. It was started from the chapter house by the fellows who remained for the summer term and goes the rounds of all the brothers wherever they may be, each of whom writes his addition to it, and finally comes back to Bloomington where all of the brothers can read it in the fall. The 'Bulletin' is a great thing and ought to be a custom of every chapter."

It seems impossible to conduct a daily newspaper in Indianapolis without the assistance of Phi Psis. The new morning paper, The Star, has its Phi Psi representation in Charles Crawford, Indiana Alpha, night city editor; Eli Zaring, Indiana Beta, state editor and editorial writer, and Ferde Fisher, Indiana Alpha, of the local force. The Evening Sentinel force, under the managing editorship of Nat C. Wright, Indiana Alpha, is pretty much of a Phi Psi affair. Joe Weimer, Indiana Gamma, has recently become city editor of this paper, remarkable advancement for a young man who has not yet reached his majority. The Journal, the republican morning paper, is undergoing marked improvement under the control of Charles L. Henry, Indiana Alpha, the new proprietor, and ranks among the great papers of the country. As a political writer on the Journal, Claude S. Watts, Indiana Alpha, is achieving an enviable reputation. On the News R. T. Buchanan, Indiana Beta, is considered one of the strongest men. LeRoy Snider, Indiana Alpha, formerly of the South Bend Times, is a recent recruit on the local force of the Sun.

Bro. Norval J. Welsh, Va. Alpha, is a member of the firm of Hill & Welsh, mining geologists and engineers, with offices in New York, Washington and San Antonio, Texas. Bro. Welsh is at San Antonio. He writes: "Brother Murray F. Crossette, N. Y. Alpha,

and myself, together with a Phi Psi pledge man who daily regrets that he is not one of the good old band, are mutually interested in a mine 'way down yonder in Mexico. For the sake of Bro. Crossette's chapter brothers at Cornell, I want to say that he is living on salt sides and bacon, frijoles (beans) and tortillas (corn cakes) and is thriving on them. His sweet mandolin recently got mixed up with a mule and two boxes of dynamite on the side of a mountain, but, like a true Phi Psi as it were, survived the fracas. On my own behalf I want to say that if any of the brothers anywhere ever get down here (San Antonio) I want them to look me up. There are only two of us here that I know of, the other being Brother Allen Houston, an old-time brother but as enthusiastic as ever. I said only two of us; pardon me, brothers of Virginia Alpha. There is also N. J. W., Jr., aged eight months, whom the Virginia Alpha brothers have pledged already."

Rev. Dr. F. M. Clendenin, D. C. Alpha '75, has been instrumental in bringing about political reforms of no small importance in West Chester, Bronx Borough, New York City. Brother Clendenin is rector of St. Peter's Church, West Chester. Some time ago Brother Clendenin, backed by some of the leading citizens of the town, organized the good government movement. To overthrow the ring in control of that part of the Bronx district, with leaders up to their necks in loot, was the object of Brother Clendenin's campaign. It proved a long and desperate fight. The first victory was the annexation of West Chester to New York, despite the ring. Next came the good government fight to put honest men into office, culminating not long ago in Mayor Low's appointment of the reform candidate for police magistrate. The school system has also been improved, and a revolution from a state of practical lawlessness and corruption to a condition of honest administration has been the result of Brother Clendenin's work. He has won, by his well directed and successful efforts, the honor and love of his fellow citizens. The New York Herald of June 28 devoted the better part of a page to Brother Clendenin and his campaign.

On July 30 Will W. Lockwood, Ind. Alpha '98, was united in marriage to Miss Mary Town, a DePauw Theta of the class of '99, at Greencastle, Indiana. The father of the bride, Dr. Salem B. Town, one of the founders of Indiana Alpha, assisted in the ceremony. Bro. Lockwood has three Phi Psi brothers, while Mrs. Lockwood's two brothers and father are members of the same chapter. Bro. Lockwood has a sister who is a member of the DePauw chapter of Kappa Alpha Theta, while his bride has two sisters in the same chapter. Mr. and Mrs. Lockwood both belong to the Indiana Alpha chapter of Phi Beta Kappa. Mrs. Lockwood is one of the brightest and most lovable young women ever graduated at Greencastle. Modesty forbids sufficient mention of the virtues of her husband. Bro. Lockwood is now closing up his work as assistant secretary of the Y. M. C. A. at Omaha, Nebraska, where he has made a notable record. He has been chosen as international secretary of the Y. M. C. A. at Shanghai, China, for which port he will sail on October 23. Wilbur Helm, of Indiana Alpha, will sail on the same steamer for Japan, where as an international secretary of the Y. M. C. A. he will assist his brother, Verlin W. Helm, Ind. Alpha, national secretary of the association for the empire, in the development of the college work. Bro. Wilbur Helm retired from an instructorship in Latin at Princeton, where his prospects were most promising, to undertake this work.

"The Shield" acknowledges messages of encouragement and commendation from Brothers John S. Gilman, N. H. Alpha '02, principal of the Town Control Schools, Newbury, Vt.; Jesse C. Wiley, Ohio Beta '95, an attorney of Del Norte, Colorado; R. S. Tennant, Indiana Alpha, of Terre Haute, Indiana; James McGunnegle, 630 South Negley Avenue, Pittsburg, Pa.; Rev. Earl A. Brooks, of Waverly, W. Va.; B. M. Allison, Cincinnati, Ohio; John T. Ling, with James C. Woodley & Company, dealers in roofings, 69, 161 Randolph Street, Chicago; H. Kenneth Church, who is chief mailing clerk of the Kingston, Pa., postoffice; Lester C. Childs, attorney-at-law, with offices at 411 Roanoke Building, 145 LaSalle Street, Chicago; J. A. Smale, of Delafield, Wis.; S. C. Parks, of Lander, Wyoming; G. D. Rodgers, Tishimingo, I. T., who is with the United States Commission of the Five Civilized Tribes; F. Homer Curtiss, Indiana Delta, director of the University of Texas gymnasium at Austin, Texas; C. S. Hallowell, Marine and Field Club, Bath Beach, N. Y.;

Gilbert B. Benjamin, N. Y. Beta, of Yale University; George W. Ross, of the East Moline Co., Moline, Ill.; Rev. Ray S. Hubbard, of Milton, New York; H. W. Williams, 115 Western Ave., St. Paul, Minn.; Wm. P. String, 2436 No. 30th Street, Philadelphia; John H. Berryhill, who is with the Vulcan Plow Company of Evansville, Indiana; Albert W. Cummins, Wilmington, Del.; W. C. Kendig, Longview Hospital, Carthage, Ohio; W. D. Watts, 1536 Vine St., Denver, Colorado; J. P. Steele, of the law firm of Steele Brothers, Winterset, Iowa; Carrol F. Graff, with the Duluth Iron Range Railroad Company, Duluth, Minn.; Earl Tracy, N. H. Alpha '97, superintendent of schools at Claremont, N. H.; A. Ford Dickey, Morgantown, W. Va.; W. E. Woodyear, Baltimore, Md.; E. W. Winans, 84 Sprague Avenue, Bellevue, Pa.; Ralph E. Wager, Escanaba, Michigan; H. A. Rice, 814 Spring St., Elgin, Ill.; Theo. Bunker, Pa. Iota, superintendent of the Essex and Huston Gas Co., Newark, New Jersey; J. M. Bennett, 350 W. 71st Street, New York City; Fred J. Bartel, Richmond, Ind.; Fred B. Thomas, Ill. Beta '96, with the Bradstreet Company at Chicago; Walter S. Holden, of Chicago; C. B. Jump, Easton, Md.; Geo. P. Rogers, Michigan City, Ind.; Wm. L. Mack, 219 E. 7th Street, Pueblo, Colorado; Rev. Thomas L. Bickel, pastor St. John's Reformed Church, Philadelphia; Charles J. Borncamp, Albert Lea, Minn.; W. N. Wilbur, Pa. Theta '80, of H. O. Wilbur & Sons, manufacturers of cocoa and chocolate, Philadelphia; George F. Lindsay, Davenport, Iowa; D. E. Cobb, Iowa Alpha, of Fort Worth, Texas, who complains emphatically of the infrequency and brevity of letters from his chapter in "The Shield;" Paul Reed, Bedford, Pa.; E. P. Passmore, assistant cashier of the Franklin National Bank, Philadelphia; John Roach, vice-president of the Lambert-Schmidt Telephone Manufacturing Co., 395 Broadway, New York City; Frederick W. Revels, department of agriculture, Syracuse University, Syracuse, New York; John J. Bower, Pa. Eta '98, Bellefonte, Pa.; H. H. Simpson, of H. M. Simpson & Sons, proprietors of the Knox Nurseries, Vincennes, Indiana.





"The Shield" will publish in each issue the names of those alumni who have paid their subscriptions to the fraternity journal since last publication. This will serve as a receipt to paid-up subscribers, and at the same time as a directory of "live" alumni. This custom was inaugurated at the beginning of Volume 21, and consultation of the various lists will show members of the active chapters and secretaries of alumni associations which of their members are and are not subscribers, and enable them to conduct an intelligent campaign for the increase of "The Shield" subscription list. Corrections of names and addresses as printed in these lists are invited, and any person having paid since last issue, whose name does not appear, should make immediate inquiry of "The Shield" office in order to receive proper credit.

The following named alumni have paid subscriptions to "The Shield" since last publication of the list in the March number, up to August 5th:

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Johnstown Alumni Association.

Albert T. Smith, Contributor.

On Thursday, July 30th, the Johnstown Alumni Association held their annual mid-summer outing at Somerset, Pa. It was a day that will long be remembered by all the participants. It was one of those times that you read about, it gave you something to think of after it was over, and it so impressed us that we all long for a repetition. Everything was certainly "did up brown" and in such a complete manner that even the suggestion of improvement could not be ventured. We must thank, for our good time, the committee in charge consisting of Bros. Biesecker, Kooser, Hay and Ed. Love, of Somerset, and Bro. F. S. Love, of Johnstown, whose arrangements as to time, place, and completeness of every detail could not have been excelled. The time selected was on Governor's day during the Second Brigade encampment, the place in Tamn's Grove on the top of a small hill overlooking the encampment grounds; and the nature of the affair was a clam-bake; not just an ordinary clam-bake, but a good old-fashioned Phi Psi clam-bake. It is indeed too bad that you could not all have been with us, and if you really want to know what you missed just consult any of the following brothers who were among the fortunates: Rev. C. J. Musser, D. D., editor of the Foreign Messenger of Philadelphia, Pa.; P. H. Bridenbaugh, Esq., and Hon. Martin Bell, of Hollidaysburg; Capt. Alken and Lieut. Wade T. Kline of Greensburg, and Bugler Frank Kieffer, of Ligonier, who were with the soldier boys; Maj. T. D. Cunningham of Blairsville; Chas. S. Evans of Ebensburg; Geo. E. Anderson of Latrobe; Dr. A. E. Truxal and W. Curtis Truxal of Meyersdale; Carl L. O. Graul and James R. Peterson of Mount Pleasant; Russell C. Love of Hites; E. M. Love, Capt. E. O. Kooser, Esq., Fred W. Biesecker, Esq., and A. L. G. Hay, Esq., of Somerset; Rev. C. C. Hays, D. D., C. C. Greer, Esq., Albert T. Smith, Frank S. Love, Francis B. Hamilton, William G. Woods and Curtis Fisher of Johnstown.

It was worth a price just to see those boys eat. Everyone was there with a multiplied capacity. Bro. F. S. Love was the first on

the ground and with the exception of Bro. Capt. E. O. Kooser was the last to leave. When we left for the train the Captain was still eating and we do not know but what he is there yet.

One of the boys from the other side of the table inquired of Judge Bell whether he was enjoying himself and whether he was getting enough to eat. All the Judge could do for answer would be to point to that small mountain of clam shells which completely buried his plate, and which hid from view quite a good portion of the Judge himself.

After the clam-bake Rev. C. C. Hays, Judge Bell, P. H. Bridenbaugh, Maj. Cunningham and a few more of the boys made a Phi Psi inspection of Camp McKinley and enjoyed the proffer of Bro. Capt. Aiken's hospitality to the amusement of a portion of the party and the embarrassment of the Captains who did not quite catch the names at the first meeting.

Bro. Barton of Homestead spent a few hours here on July 31st. We regret indeed that he arrived at Somerset too late to join the party. Bro. Roy Keedy has just returned from a few weeks' trip to the Bermuda Islands and reports a great time. Bros. Ray, of Tyrone, R. C. Love, of Hites, and Hay, of Somerset, spent a little time with us recently, and Bro. Robt. Longwell, of Philadelphia, is with us now.

Our next affair will be our usual holiday banquet. You are all invited to be with us. We want to make this the greatest Phi Psi gathering ever held in Johnstown and we need your presence to make it such.

Massachusetts Alpha Alumni.

Rev. John P. Garfield '98, has been installed pastor of the church in Enfield, Conn., where he has been preaching for the past year.

Rev. Ray S. Hubbard '00, graduated from Auburn Theological Seminary in June and has been installed pastor of the Congregational Church in Milton, N. Y.

Simon G. Eliason, ex-'00, is in business with his father in Montevideo, Minn. "Lemon's" particular job is the superintending of six thousand acres of tillable land and the care of a herd of fancy thoroughbred Shorthorn cattle and Poland China hogs. They call him Farmer Si. out there.

Rev. Thomas V. Parker '00, of Babylon, L. I., after a year's course in New York University work, went up to Amherst at commencement time and received his Master of Arts degree.

Loren H. Rockwell '01, who recently returned from the Philippines, has settled in New York City. He has a position with the Title Guarantee and Trust Company, 146 Broadway, and is living at 66 East 124th Street, with Frank A. Cook '02, and E. P. Gilchrist, Pa. Gamma '97, and N. Y. Gamma '01.

Arthur W. Towne '01, is temporarily engaged, until fall, in the work of the Soldiers' and Sailors' Historical and Benevolent Society, at Washington, D. C. He is superintendent for Northern New York State, with headquarters at Utica. His address is 22 Blandina Street, Utica, N. Y. Bro. Towne is announcing his marriage engagement with Miss Bertha Villa Knapp of Essex-on-Lake-Champlin, N. Y. Miss Knapp is a graduate this year from Syracuse University, and is a member of the Kappa Alpha Theta Sorority.

John H. Frizzel '02, is spending the summer at the Hesperus, Magnolia, Mass. He will return in the fall to his work in the English department of Pennsylvania State College.

Fred H. Allen '02, has returned to this country from Germany, where he spent the past year in study. In the fall he will enter Harvard Medical.

Charles B. Martindale, ex-'02, has been an invalid since March, 1901. He has suffered with lumbago, rheumatism and abscess, and has been confined to the hospital most of the time. He had to undergo several very dangerous operations for abscesses formed near the spine. He has been out of the hospital since last February, however, and is now looking forward to a complete, though not a speedy recovery. His address is 1911 North Twelfth Street, Philadelphia.

The following addresses of Mass. Alpha alumni are printed in answer to recent inquiries: Melbourne T. Abel, ex-'04, 12 West 60th Street, New York City; William H. Best, ex-'02, 576 West Madison Street, Chicago; Jesse E. Foster, ex-'03, Rapid City, South Dakota;

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San Francisco Alumni Association.

The time has rolled around again for another letter. Since our last we have had one of the most enthusiastic meetings in our history. It was on the 25th of May. On that occasion we had the extreme privilege of entertaining our worthy president, Bro. E. Lawrence Fell, and Bro. David Halstead, president of the Philadelphia Alumni Association at dinner. Thirty brothers gathered about the board at the Maison Riche to bid the victors welcome to California Phi Psidom. The meeting was very informal which made it the more enjoyable. Bro. Fell and Bro. Halstead both gave interesting talks on the fraternity. They told us things we had never known before and gave us new ideas to work from in bettering our chapter and association. Unfortunately our two chapters were not in session but many of the undergraduates attended the dinner. It was a love feast from start to finish and we sincerely hope that our visiting brothers enjoyed it as much as the resident ones. Such visits from our officers are beneficial in various ways and I hope we will soon have the opportunity of greeting many others. It puts new life in the association and stimulates the chapter to a greater endeavor.

But we have still another pleasure in anticipation. Our esteemed secretary, Bro. Monnette, will be with us ere this letter is in print. Bro. Monnette's annual reports have won him many admirers in our association and the boys are looking forward to meeting him personally.

Bro. Poery and Bro. Mayhew are each wearing a handsome alumnus button sent them by Bros. Fell and Halstead after their return home. The buttons are much admired by all the brothers and especially by the owners.

Mrs. Fell and Mrs. Halstead accompanied their husbands to the coast and to those who had the good fortune to meet them proved that they are as charming as their husbands are loyal to the fraternity.

Our lunch club is continuing a great success. It serves as a means of bringing us together once a week to talk Phi Psi baseball or what not.

Reports from our two chapters show that they will start the year in good condition. They stand high in each institution and are an honor to the fraternity.

Bro. Wm. Ford Blake, M. D., California Beta, will soon leave to take up the practice of medicine in Santa Barbara. It is the wish of all the boys that he will have the best of success.

Bro. Arba T. Perry, Indiana Gamma, has left us for Seattle. Bro. Perry is a royal good fellow and we miss him greatly.

Bro. Cavanaugh, of Ill. Beta, has become a member of the San Francisco A. A. He is engaged in the steel business and will no doubt make a name for himself in his line.

Bro. Roscoe Logan, M. D., Cal. Gamma, has been taking a needed rest in Southern California. He returned feeling much improved.

Dr. A. B. McKee, Cal. Alpha, is one of the leading oculists and aurists of San Francisco.

Rev. E. E. Baker, D. D., Ohio Beta, preached before the Chautauqua Society at Pacific Grove recently. Rev. Baker is very popular in Oakland and San Francisco.

The New York Zeta Club.

Edgar B. Glatz, Contributor.

At this time of the year the heart of the old graduate is filled with memories. For commencement time is at hand and the academic world is crowded with theories for the betterment of mankind just as it was five, ten or twenty years ago. We remember our own carefully evolved ideas for universal happiness and cannot suppress a smile which perhaps is more of pathos than of mirth. The thrill of June is in the air with all the promise of life and joyousness and even the prosaic alumnus is stirred.

There is not a great deal in the way of news to report among Zeta Club members.

We are very glad to see Bro. Gale around again. He was stricken with a severe case of typhoid fever last September and for the past month or two has been in Florida recuperating.

Bros. "Stump" Tangeman and "Jake" Bergen awhile ago purchased a sea-going sailing craft somewhere up in the Sound and are busily engaged remodeling her into a steam yacht by adding a couple of decks and a gasoline engine. A commodious but extraordinary vessel is the result. Her lines closely approximate those of an Erie canal boat and at her Glen Cove anchorage by way of contrast alongside August Belmont's "Scout," she is at once the wonder and admiration of all yachtsmen. Some idea of her size may be had when it is stated that Bro. Bergen can enter her cabin.

Informal meetings of the Zeta Club members will take place as usual on Thursday nights during the summer. An invitation is extended to all Phi Psis to join us at 95 Court street on any Thursday evening.

Brooklyn, New York, June 1, 1903.

Pittsburg Alumni Association.

We had the pleasure of entertaining at lunch on June 25th, our genial vice-president, W. C. Alexander, who was on his way home from the E. C. Bro. Alexander is full of running over with Phi Psi enthusiasm and he gave us an interesting account of his trip, speaking in highest terms of the western chapters he visited. We hope to see him soon again.

Bro. Lewis Haas, who was general superintendent of the Baltimore and Ohio R. R., with offices in Pittsburg, has been made general manager and moved to the road's headquarters in Baltimore. Somehow you can't keep a good Phi Psi down. Congratulations to Bro. Haas.

The Phi Psi law firm of Pettes & McAllister has set Phi Psidom pace here by introducing Paul McAllister, Jr., and B. H. Pettes, Jr., ages two and three weeks respectively. May they make as good Phi Psis as their fathers.

Bro. Ralph Clemson has recently purchased a 1903 Winton Touring Car. He is one of the most expert operators of the "Red Devil" around Pittsburg. D. M. Clemson, father of Bros. Ralph and John, has moved into his handsome home which he purchased from Mr. Schwab for \$300,000. A veritable palace in architecture and finishing, Mr. and Mrs. Clemson make it most homelike, for one would travel the broad land o'er to find a more congenial and gracious host and hostess.

Bro. W. G. Sweeney, W. Va. Alpha, lunched with us on May 23rd. He's a good fellow and we want to see him again.

Bro. "Jack" Rodgers, Pa. Alpha, has closed a contract with the Reliance Life Insurance Company. Success to Bro. Rodgers.

David Whiting, Michigan Alpha, stopped over Sunday, May 3, at the Ninth Avenue Hotel. Bro. Hal Allen showed him the sights.

New York Alumni Association.

Walter A. Dyer, Contributor.

In spite of the drizzling rain, the eighth annual outing of the New York Alumni Association was a success. Thirty-two Phi Psis gathered on Saturday, June 20, at the Fort Lowry Hotel, Bath Beach, Long Island. The good attendance was due in a large measure to the delightful Pegramese which was sent out in the form of preliminary programs. The inclemency of the weather prevented the baseball game and other sports which had been planned, and the forenoon was spent singing and gossiping on the veranda of the hotel, and in playing pool and billiards and bowling. Dinner was served at 7:30, and Bro. Wm. C. Wilson filled his accustomed place as toastmaster. The speakers were Bros. Sperry, Kilpatrick (just back from the other side of the world), Raff, Bright, H. G. Wilson, Walker and Pegram. Bro. Jack Westerman, Pa. Eta, and Bro. Sterling Beardsley, N. Y. Zeta, gave recitations. Bro. Westerman's was an original poem entitled "A Wharf Rat," and he received a hearty ovation. A telegram of greeting was read from

Bro. Bram. Baker, of Boston, and an alleged poem from ex-Archon Guy Hubbard, written in Saginaw, Michigan, and there was plenty of good Phi Psi singing.

The May dinner was held at the Arena on the 18th. We have some sweet singers among us, and the brothers were entertained with vocal solos by Bros. House, Reed and Raff.

The secretary of the association hereby requests the B. G.'s of all the chapters to inform him of any brothers graduating this year who are planning to come to New York, or who have already done so. We are laying for them. The secretary won't be satisfied until he has the name and address of every brother within a radius of fifty miles of the Bowery.

Boston Alumni Association.

E. T. Hartman, Contributor.

Bro. Edward Borncamp, Minn. Beta '90, for a number of years assistant rector in Trinity Church, Boston, has accepted a call from St. Paul's Church, Winona, Minn. This is an important charge and Bro. Borncamp is to be congratulated. He received a unanimous call.

Dr. J. W. Francis, W. Va. Alpha '92, has only recently entered upon his duties as pastor of the First Presbyterian Church, of Parkersburg, W. Va., Since leaving McCormick Theological Seminary, where he studied Theology, Bro. Francis has successfully held charges in Richland Center, Wis., and Evanston, Ill.

Bro. G. W. Stewart, Ind. Alpha '94, has accepted a call from the University of North Dakota as head of the department of Physics. Bro. Stewart has been instructor in Cornell for a number of years.

Bro. L. H. Rockwell, Mass. Alpha '97, who recently returned from two years teaching in the Philippines, has just accepted a position with the Title Guarantee and Trust Company, at 146 Broadway, New York City.





News reached Philadelphia, says the Philadelphia Press, of the death out in Colorado from pneumonia of Ross De Armond, former second lieutenant of the Second City Troop.

Mr. De Armond was a graduate of the University of Pennsylvania, Class of '96. He was bowl man of his class in the senior year, a member of the Phi Kappa Psi fraternity, rowed on the class crew his sophomore year, and was captain of the senior class baseball team.

Mr. DeArmond's many friends among the University alumni and in the city generally were shocked to hear of his death. During his stay at the college he made hosts of friends.

The following resolutions were adopted by Pennsylvania Iota:

Whereas, It has pleased our Heavenly Father, in His infinite love and wisdom, to remove from our midst our esteemed brother, Ross De Armond, therefore be it

Resolved, That we, the active members of Pa. Iota chapter of Phi Kappa Psi, deeply regret the loss of one who has ever been a true and loyal Phi Psi, and whose life and character was ever an example to be followed and be it further

Resolved, That these resolutions be spread on the minutes of our chapter, that a copy be sent to the bereaved family and that they be published in "The Shield."

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