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# Looking to the Future



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Another academic year has begun and Phi Delta Theta is recruiting its ranks to fill the gaps left by the graduating seniors of last June. It is my earnest hope that these new men be selected in the most careful manner because it is upon them that the destinies of the fraternity will fall in later years.

The fall is the period of much enthusiasm for both college and fraternity. Let us capitalize this enthusiasm by getting off to a good start both in our college work and our fraternity activity.

To the new Phikeias may I say that a good start in college is half the battle; don't waste any time getting under way. Our scholastic record must be improved and a large share of the burden is yours.

For the past ten years Phi Delta Theta has been expending its energy almost entirely upon work with the active chapters. The present administration has desired to make some effort to help in stimulating alumni interest and a fortunate circumstance has made it possible to make a start. Pasi P.G.C., Frank J. R. Mitchell, Northwestern, '96, has kindly consented to accept the post of Alumni Commissioner and to give such time as his own affairs will permit to the work. No man in the fraternity is so well equipped. Brother Mitchell has served us in many capacities and probably knows more Phi than any one else. He is now laying his plans and I bespeak for him your hearty cooperation. Our great body of splendid alumni must be reminded of their responsibility.

Yours in the Bond,

*Robert E. Haas*

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Robert E. Haas  
President of the General Council

## Editorial . . .

**A New Year** With the issue for October, 1931, THE SCROLL begins its fifty-sixth volume. New Year for the colleges, and hence for the college fraternities, comes with September or October instead of January. To THE SCROLL this means little except that a numbered volume must consequently extend over parts of two calendar years, coextensive with the limits of the college year.

Fifty-six years form a long record for a fraternity journal; THE SCROLL is among the oldest of all those published. To those members of Phi Delta Theta who are at all familiar with any considerable portion of THE SCROLL's history, the fifty-six years present a most interesting development—the magazine serves now not only as a channel for presenting the present but also as a repository of the past: next to Walter Palmer's *History of Phi Delta Theta* the bound volumes of THE SCROLL undoubtedly serve as the best source of historical material about Phi Delta Theta. Contemplation of this long record adds a sobering effect to a consideration of the magazine's future. The years past have left a heritage the weight and richness of which mean a decided responsibility for the present and future.

It will be noticed that the present issue is one of unusual slenderness, thirty-two pages. Depressions have a habit of impartiality which spares no one, not even the old and well established college fraternities. Financial caution, born of the times, the somewhat higher cost of the Detroit convention and prospective added cost of the Colorado convention, have decreed that THE SCROLL must do its bit in helping with fraternity economy. Hence, this issue and three others to follow during the year will omit the chapter letters. It is unfortunate that this curtailment must be but another year will surely see the end of the regrettable necessity for wielding the shears in such a fashion.

**Michigan Beta** Included in this issue is the account of the installation of the revived chapter at Michigan State. The ceremonies took place at Lansing, September 18-19. The favorable mail vote which was the necessary prerequisite of the installation took place last spring.

THE SCROLL and all Phi Delta Theta join in welcoming Michigan Beta back to the roll of active chapters after an absence of a third of a century. The chapter had a long and honorable career prior to the withdrawal of the

charter in 1898 and its revival, in view of the enhanced position of the institution in which it is located, is undoubtedly a wise move.

One of the heartening things about such a revival is the fact that the initiates of the old chapter are now no longer "fraternity orphans." Michigan Beta during its quarter of a century of earlier life initiated almost two hundred members including such prominent ones as Dr. Frank S. Kedzie, for several years president of Michigan State; Dr. William F. Durand, professor of mechanical engineering at Stanford University; Liberty Hyde Bailey, author, editor, and former president of the American Association for the Advancement of Science; and Ray Stannard Baker, writer, journalist, and biographer of Woodrow Wilson.

**A New Handbook** A most interesting and valuable addition to the literature of Phi Delta Theta is the new handbook issued by the General Headquarters of the fraternity at Oxford for the use of chapter advisers and Province Presidents. The book is the product of the pen of Executive Secretary Priest.

Perhaps the most novel feature of the handbook is the format, it being issued in loose leaf form in a small black leather binder. This possibility of expanding the scope and content of the handbook at later periods is in itself one of its valuable attributes. The first section of the handbook deals with the function of the chapter adviser, centering chiefly around extracts from a paper on that subject given at the Cleveland convention in 1924. The second section discusses the work of the Province President. Two appendices present the pledge merit plan used by Oklahoma Alpha and the letter sent by Indiana Delta to the parents of each pledge at the opening of college.

Both Secretary Priest and the fraternity are to be congratulated, the former on the ingenuity and ability shown in the preparation of the handbook, and the latter on the acquisition of this invaluable working tool in making Phi Delta Theta a better educational adjunct of the college as it aims to be.

# Installation of Michigan Beta

By SAM B. McCool  
*Colorado College, '25*

ON SEPTEMBER 19  $\Phi \Delta \Theta$  welcomed the return of Michigan Beta to the campus of Michigan State College as the 102nd of its chapters in the United States and Canada.

As members of the General Council paid tribute to the immortal six founders of  $\Phi \Delta \Theta$  in an installation ceremony in the basement of the partially completed Michigan Beta home, the leaves of this fraternity's history were turned back to that November 8 afternoon in 1873 when four young men of an earlier day signed the Bond. It also brought a sadder memory to others of that March day thirty-three years ago when Michigan Beta's charter was revoked.

When Arthur R. Priest, national executive secretary, completed the stately installation ceremony, Arthur Lyons, of Lansing, one of the original Michigan Beta group, solemnly turned to an understanding brother, shook his hand, and said, "It's done." Arthur Lyons knew the many years of patient struggle that intervened between the

year  $\Phi \Delta \Theta$  left the campus and the day it returned.

The installation ceremony at the new Michigan Beta home climaxed a two-day program that brought 65 men into  $\Phi \Delta \Theta$ . Twenty-six of this number are in the active chapter while 39 alumni of  $\Phi \Delta \Theta$  Society, the group which had so persistently petitioned the general fraternity for reinstatement, were also initiated.

The reinstatement program opened September 18 at the Hotel Olds when the young men of  $\Phi \Delta \Theta$  Society went through the opening act of the beautiful ritual. Initiation ceremonies were completed for 64 men the following morning. The last, Don D. Waters, of Flint, a  $\Phi \Delta \Theta$  alumnus, became a Phi Delt that night.

A vigorous appeal to fraternity loyalty was made at the banquet at the Hotel Olds by Dr. Liberty Hyde Bailey (*Michigan State*, '82), formerly of Cornell University and worldwide horticultural and agricultural authority. The banquet brought the



ACTIVE CHAPTER, MICHIGAN BETA, MICHIGAN STATE COLLEGE

Back row, left to right: Lawrence, McBain, Thatcher, Long, Barnard, Hammel, Lapelle, Stickle, Swanton, Nelson, Wagner, Schaeffer, Krentel. Front row: Fahrney, Hallock, Mix, Linder, Knox, Lawford, Ocker, Conover, Cross, Miller, Myers, and Rosenbrook.



INSTALLATION GROUP, MICHIGAN BETA, MICHIGAN STATE COLLEGE, SEPTEMBER 19, 1931

two-day program to a close, a program which had drawn nearly 150 members of  $\Phi \Delta \Theta$  from 23 chapters representing thirteen states of the Union.

"Put all your energy into this fraternity without neglecting your other duties," Dr. Bailey said. "Do not be

members of the new chapter to assume an attitude of cordiality to other groups on the campus.

Other speakers were: Secretary Priest, who explained that only seven negative votes were cast against the reinstatement of Michigan Beta in a nation-wide poll under the new chap-



NEW CHAPTER HOUSE OF MICHIGAN BETA, MICHIGAN STATE COLLEGE  
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afraid of the emotions of life and of yourselves."

The kind, genial old man of Michigan Beta spoke pleasantly of memories of an earlier day, declaring that his friendships in Michigan Beta had meant more to him than any other associations of his life. Dr. Bailey was initiated 54 years ago.

Frank J. R. Mitchell, of New York, former president of the fraternity, was toastmaster at the banquet. President Robert S. Shaw, of Michigan State College, a guest, urged mem-

ber deliberation plan; George Banta, Jr., Menasha, Wisconsin, Reporter of the General Council, who brought greetings from his father, the grand old man of  $\Phi \Delta \Theta$ ; J. R. McColl (Michigan Beta), a member of the state board of agriculture, governing board of Michigan State College; Charles A. Macauley, Detroit, former president of the fraternity; James E. Davidson (Michigan Gamma), Bay City, chairman of the national endowment movement; Prof. E. E. Ruby, Menasha, Wisconsin, member of the



INITIATING TEAMS OF MICHIGAN ALPHA AND ILLINOIS BETA  
(Including Secretaries Bradford and Barnes)

General Council; Col. Dorsey R. Rodney, commandant of the M.S.C. military corps and one of the initiates; and Frank W. Conover, president of the active chapter of Michigan Beta.

Members of chapters at the University of Michigan and the University of Chicago comprised the initiating teams. Representatives from Michigan Alpha were: Allen Clark, James Adkinson, Stuart Smith, John Heppes, William Hogenson, Harry McGovran, Allen Kessler, Robert Petrie, Fred Klein, Edward Wilson, Raymond Fiske, and Robert Marshall. Those from Illinois Beta were: Elliott Johnson, Homer Miller, Garland Routt, and Paul P. Rohms.

In addition to Brothers Priest, Banta, Davidson, Ruby, and Mitchell, other members of the installation group were Mark W. Bradford and Latney Barnes, both of Oxford, Ohio,

traveling secretaries for the fraternity.

A feature of the banquet was the presence of six Phis from the old Michigan Gamma Chapter at Hillsdale which was suspended in 1898, the same year that Michigan Beta's charter was revoked. This group, headed by Brother Davidson, felt a close sympathy with the Michigan State College chapter. A large number of Detroit Phis were present for the installation and banquet.

Michigan Beta was first established in 1873, a year after  $\Delta T \Delta$  founded its Iota Chapter at Michigan State College. The  $\Delta T$  chapter discontinued in 1894 leaving  $\Phi \Delta \Theta$  alone in the field of national fraternities on the campus for the next four years. Dr. Frank S. Kedzie, a member of the Michigan Beta class of 1877 and former president of the college, recalls that although Michigan Beta was es-



ALUMNI OF OLD MICHIGAN BETA PRESENT AT THE INSTALLATION  
(Dr. Liberty Bailey not in picture)



LANSING ALUMNI CLUB COMMITTEE AT THE MICHIGAN BETA INSTALLATION

tablished November 8, 1873, pins that members wore at that time bore the designation "Mich B, 1874" on the back, indicating the chapter was not very active until the later date.

Dr. Kedzie gives the credit for the original establishment of the chapter to two men, the late Frank J. Annis, of Fort Collins, Colorado, and the late Charles W. Sheldon, of South Bend, Indiana, revealing the fact that the inspiration for a chapter of  $\Phi \Delta \Theta$  here came from men who lived in other states. These two men and two others were the original charter members.

Seven venerable Phis, members of Michigan Beta in graduating classes before 1880, are still living today. They are: Dean F. Griswold, Northville, '75; John E. Taylor, Greenville, '76; Robert E. Caine, Battle Creek, '76; Dr. Frank S. Kedzie, '77; Lyman A. Lilly, Allegan, '77; Richard H.

Gulley, Urbana, Illinois, '78; and Clifton B. Charles, '79, Bangor, Michigan.

When  $\Phi \Delta \Theta$  first came to the campus of Michigan State there were 143 students on the campus and eight members of the faculty. In the early '70's the membership of Michigan Beta ranged between 12 and 15 each year. The chapter met first in a class room in Old College Hall and later in a private room in that building.

Near the close of the last century literary societies began to spring up over the campus. Meetings of  $\Phi \Delta \Theta$  were mostly literary in character but the curriculum at Michigan State College offered little at that time but technical training in agriculture. The General Council decided to withdraw the charter of Michigan Beta in view of the general popularity of literary groups and the nature of the college curriculum.



ALUMNI OF PHI DELTA SOCIETY INITIATED AT THE INSTALLATION  
They represented classes ranging from the withdrawal of the chapter to the present time.

The  $\Phi \Delta$  Society was immediately organized and since 1898 had patiently worked for the restoration of Michigan Beta. To brothers like Arthur Lyons, "the daddy of  $\Phi \Delta$  Society";



MEMBERS OF THE OLD MICHIGAN  
BETA CHAPTER IN 1875

*Bottom row, left to right:* R. F. Kedzie, C. A. Sturges, R. T. McNaughton, John E. Taylor, Charles W. Sheldon, Frank J. Annis, Ralph D. Sessions.

*Middle row:* Sitting by pillar, Dean G. Griswold; standing, Garry Dunn, William J. Sloss, Richard H. Gulley, Ira B. Gage, Albert B. Simonson; sitting, Charles W. Garfield.

*Top row:* Albert A. Crane, Charles F. Shilling, Charles S. Emery, Henry H. Mills, Frank S. Kedzie, Lyman A. Lilly, Charles Bloodgood, Harry E. Owen, Oliver Foote, Joel S. Pardee.

Luther Baker, Michigan Beta; Col. E. D. Rich, of Lansing; and more recently Capt. S. G. Blanton, of the college R.O.T.C. and a Virginia Gamma, goes most of the credit for reinstatement.

The history of Michigan State is that of a pioneer institution which today has branched out to include virtually all the arts and sciences and with a permanent income of more than \$2,000,000 a year.

The Michigan Agricultural College was founded under a legislative act of 1855 and the college was formally opened May 13, 1857, in what is now East Lansing, three miles east of

Lansing, capital of the state. The state board of agriculture, governing body of the institution, established a department of mechanical arts to come under the terms of the Land Grant College Act in 1862.

In 1896 the college became a co-educational institution when a course "for ladies" was established. The development led to the creation of the home economics division, one of the first in that section of the country. In 1909 came the establishment of the engineering and veterinary science divisions. In 1921 an applied science course was offered.

M.A.C. took its most forward modern step in 1924 when it established a liberal arts course. The state legislature the next year changed the name of the institution to the Michigan State College of Agriculture and Applied Science. Other courses have been added to the curriculum since this was accomplished.

In the field of athletics the college has made itself feared throughout the nation. With James H. Crowley, former Horseman at Notre Dame as coach, the football team last year won five victories, tied two games, and lost one. Its baseball record was 10 victories and 6 defeats. In basketball it had 15 wins and only 1 loss. Five dual track meets brought a clean victorious slate. The national intercollegiate cross-country champion is a Michigan State athlete.

There are 21 fraternities and men's societies on the campus with 12 of them local in their scope. Of eleven sororities, only two are locals.

#### ACTIVE CHAPTER INITIATES

Frank Wilmot Conover  
Horace Mannan Ocker  
Garfield Grannis Thatcher  
John Albert Barnard, Jr.  
Robert Earl Fahrney  
George Stuart Krentel  
Arthur Truesdale Lawrence  
Henry Lee Cross  
Horton Whitefield Stickle, Jr.  
Ray Edwin Mix  
Douglas Ellsworth Linder

Harry Lee Lawford  
 Garold Edwin McCaslin  
 Stuart Jack Swanton  
 Richard William Hallock  
 Franklin Albert Miller  
 James Herbert Rosenbrook  
 Jack Adam Wagner  
 John Rudolph Lapelle  
 Robert James McBain  
 Howard Kenneth Myers  
 Robert E. Nelson  
 Robert Donald Long  
 Elmer Frank Hamel  
 Edwin Ernest Schaefer  
 Everett Gordon Knot

ALUMNI INITIATES

Charles A. Stahl, Lansing  
 Plummer B. Snyder, Lansing  
 John F. Brisbin, Lansing  
 Walter B. Norton, Port Huron  
 Burnett E. Green, Alpena  
 Donald C. Lyons, Jackson  
 Harold A. Springer, Port Huron  
 Col. Dorsey R. Rodney, East Lansing  
 Clifford L. Snyder, Detroit  
 Claude R. Parker, East Lansing  
 Robert A. McInnis, Royal Oak

Hiller C. Schneider, Lansing  
 Homer M. Eaton, Detroit  
 Daniel W. Kent, Greencastle, Ind.  
 Clarence A. McGee, Saginaw  
 Henry E. Aldrich, Saginaw  
 Howard K. Bingham, Birmingham, Mich.  
 Thomas J. Warmington, Saginaw  
 George G. Robinson, Lansing  
 Gerald Peterson, East Lansing  
 John T. Maynard, Saginaw  
 Orlando C. Russell, Grand Rapids  
 Joseph J. Russell  
 Herbert E. Moore, Rochester, N.Y.  
 William C. Peck, Lansing  
 Ralph F. Boylan, Flint  
 Thomas J. Gould, Buffalo, N.Y.  
 Howard T. Jaehnig, Grand Rapids  
 William S. Cumming, Detroit  
 Arne Ibsen, Detroit  
 Charles C. Hood, Birmingham, Mich.  
 Elmer H. Gunnison, Detroit  
 Frederick L. Cameron, Lansing  
 Truman G. Younker, Greencastle, Ind.  
 Russell A. Morrison, Detroit  
 Eugene H. Moak, Port Huron  
 Ray R. Kittridge, Detroit  
 William W. DeLange, Detroit  
 Don D. Waters, Flint



MICHIGAN STATE COLLEGE  
VIEWS WHERE MICHIGAN  
BETA WAS REESTABLISHED



NEW CHAPTER HOUSE OF INDIANA EPSILON, HANOVER COLLEGE, JUST BEFORE COMPLETION

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# Indiana Epsilon Builds New Home

By CHARLES W. BUTLER  
*Hanover, '33*

A BEAUTIFUL poem, recently seized and destroyed by modern jazz, states that only God can make a tree. Let us sacrilegiously substitute M. E. Garber, proprietor of *The Courier*, of Madison, Indiana, for God and the result is a new chapter house for Indiana Epsilon.

Ever since the old house was built in the summer of 1924 members of the chapter and alumni have been lolling in beautiful visions about the "new house," which was always to be built the next summer. But for some unaccountable reason, it didn't come to pass. Intentions were, on the whole, excellent, but there were no results. The old house, as everyone who ever inhabited one of its cubby-holes is well aware, was far too small. In its day it was amply large, and met the needs of the chapter nicely, but its day had passed.

One plan called for an addition to the old house large enough to make the whole accommodate thirty-five men. Unexpected delays, however, blocked the plan, and the addition was never built, a thing for which the chapter is now quite happy. The chapter officers, however, evidently thinking that Indiana Epsilon was not destined to have an addition, set their minds on a new house, to be built on the new fraternity row, mapped out in the college's development program. The chapter, of course, heartily approved the plan, and headed by President Ralph Anderson, '31, chapter representative on the house commission, worked doggedly toward the realization of the dream.

Then came one of the most baffling problems of the whole thing—the disposal of the old house. No one seemed

to wish to purchase it. Then, when everything seemed most impossible, the college became interested in it, and offered to purchase it for an overflow men's dormitory. The matter was arranged at once, and the contract let. The excavation was started in May with a simple but impressive ground-breaking ceremony, at which Jasper W. LaGrange, Madison, one of the oldest living members of the chapter, removed the first spadeful of earth.

The building rose rapidly during the summer months and the middle of October will probably have seen the chapter comfortably housed in its new home.

In appearance the house is most impressive. It rises three stories in height and commands an excellent prospect. Across the new campus drive is the old campus, with its majestic trees and historic buildings. From the windows of the third floor one can look down into the gorge of Happy Valley, and beyond can be seen the Ohio River with its background of Kentucky hills. In harmony with the college buildings and the historical significance of Hanover and vicinity, the new home of Indiana Epsilon is built along Georgian lines. It is situated far back from the Lucina Ball Drive on a lot large enough that it does not seem crowded. It is of solid brick construction, with Bedford limestone used with excellent effect around the windows, on the gables, etc. At each end of the building are the massive double chimneys which were such a distinguishing feature of the Georgian period in architecture.

The house has twenty-three rooms altogether in the basement, first and second floors, while the third floor is

made up of a large dormitory and two special study rooms, made to accommodate four or five men each.

In the basement is a den with a fireplace, a billiard room, the chapter room, furnace room, and fuel room. The house will be heated by a steam-heating plant. One enters at the first

The guest room is a sizable bedroom with full bath. Above the kitchen and connected with it by a private stairway are the housemother's rooms. These rooms which are located in the east wing are separated from the study rooms by a heavy brick wall and connected with the second floor hall



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floor into a spacious hall, which contains staircases leading down into the basement and up to the second floor. At the end of the hall is the dining room, which extends across the rear of the house and has at the east end a large colonial fireplace. Off the hall to the right is the guest room and bath, while to the left is the living room. (Loafing and the kindred arts will be practiced in the den to save wear and tear on the living room.) Beyond the living room, which also has a fireplace, is the library, which is likewise equipped. The library is paneled in wide, knotty, pine boards and contains bookcases built in, which rise to the ceiling on the four walls.

by a door at the end. On the second floor there are an office, telephone room, six full-sized study rooms, and one special study, of the type located on the third floor. About 35 can comfortably be accommodated in the house. In addition to the study rooms on the second floor there is a large lavatory with tubs and showers. The third floor is built so that more study rooms can be made at any time by the erection of partitions.

At first the financing of the house seemed an almost impossible task. The total cost of the house plus furnishings is \$46,000. The good financial standing of the chapter, however, and its excellent credit rating made the

house possible. Indiana Epsilon was free of debt, and had several thousand dollars in its house fund. Then with the sale of the old house and the loan of \$20,000 from a Madison bank things began to look really promising.

The chapter inaugurated a system of "trade acceptances," much like those used in the financing of other new chapter houses recently. The acceptances, much like post-dated checks, can be filled out in any number, and for any amount. As they come due they are cashed at the Jonee's bank exactly as a check is cashed. It is not possible, of course, for the entire cost of the house to be paid in this way. Because of the fact that the money borrowed for the financing of the old house was paid back so promptly, in fact, two years before it was due, the financial standing of the chapter with the Madison banks is exceptionally good, and the loan was negotiated without a great deal of dif-

ficulty. The entire chapter is working on the trade acceptances, and it is expected that a sufficiently large number of them will be filled out to provide Indiana Epsilon with a substantial income for the next few years, which would have been, otherwise, much more difficult.

With the new house, so much more commodious and comfortable than the old one, Indiana Epsilon will be much better fitted to meet the needs of its members, its guests, and brothers who come to Hanover for visits or conventions. The Kappa Province New Initiates convention is to be held in Hanover next spring, and the chapter looks forward to it with no small amount of anticipation, happy that it can entertain its visitors so much better than of old. The members of Indiana Epsilon hope that any Phis who happen to be in the vicinity of Hanover will stop for a while at the new Phi Delt house.

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## Priest Honored by Sister Fraternity

A PLEASING and deserved recognition was given to Executive Secretary Arthur R. Priest last month by the  $\Phi$  K T Fraternity in its annual convention. A resolution adopted by the fraternity was as follows:

THE PHI KAPPA TAU FRATERNITY,  
GRAND CHAPTER IN CONVENTION  
ASSEMBLED:

WHEREAS, The Twenty-first Annual Convention of  $\Phi$  K T is greatly honored by the presence at its opening session of official representation from  $\Phi$   $\Delta$   $\Theta$ , and is

truly appreciative of the splendid spirit evidenced on this occasion and of the guiding counsel on numerous other occasions;

Therefore, *Be It Resolved*, That the  $\Phi$  K T Fraternity in Silver Jubilee Convention assembled, hereby expresses to  $\Phi$   $\Delta$   $\Theta$  and its distinguished representative, Mr. A. R. Priest, Secretary, the appreciation of the Fraternity for this courtesy and honor and for their contribution to this, our most notable convention.

(Signed) RICHARD J. YOUNG  
*Grand Secretary*



— Trans-Atlantic Flyers Testimonial Dinner  
To Dr. James H. Kimball —  
Hotel Roosevelt — April 9, 1931.

#### TESTIMONIAL DINNER GIVEN TO NOTED PHI

Because of his invaluable contribution to their successful Trans-Atlantic flights a number of prominent aviators entertained Dr. James H. Kimball, Lansing, 95, last spring. Dr. Kimball, a Meteorologist with the United States Weather Bureau made the forecasts of weather conditions for a number of the flyers who will be recognized at the table. Dr. Kimball is seated beside Colonel Lindbergh. Amelia Earhart and Chamberlain are farther to their left.

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## Alumni . . .

Recent reports that his physicians had ordered William Allen White, *Kansas*, '90, to take a six months' rest in order to avoid a breakdown inspired the *New York Evening Post* to comment editorially as follows on Brother White and the town he made famous: "Kansas is a state of mind which he has made attractive. Emporia has ever been a mirage except for what he described her as being. Almost any other community of about the same size would have served his purpose, for his tools are neighborliness and friendliness, decency and hopefulness. Given these qualities and a smallish community, the magic of his genius was bound to produce a sturdy and agreeable town. He has been able to glorify the small town because he likes people, understands them and knows life. He has been able to translate this liking and understanding into terms that belong to society everywhere in a manner that helps us all to see our faults and define our ideals. His own faults are his virtues. Suppose he does speak out too frequently without cautious consideration. What would he be like without his spontaneity? Suppose he occasionally lets his emotions lead him into miry paths. What would he be like without his generous heart, which yields so readily to fine impulses?"

One of the foremost educational positions in the state of Pennsylvania has been filled by the appointment by Governor Pinchot of Dr. James N. Rule, *Washington and Jefferson*, '98, as superintendent of the department of public instruction. In addition to his work at W. and J. Brother Rule took advanced work at the University of Wisconsin. He became director of science in the Pennsylvania state department of public instruction in 1921 and was made first deputy superin-

tendent in 1923. Prior to his connection with the department he had served in a number of teaching positions in Pennsylvania including six years as high school principal in Pittsburgh. From 1919 to 1921 he was director of the Junior American Red Cross. Brother Rule has many affiliations with educational associations and is the author of numerous magazine articles on educational topics.

*Time* in an issue last spring paid tribute to William L. Chenery, *Randolph-Macon*, '07, for the rejuvenation in *Collier's Magazine*, largely due to his work as editor during the past few years. *Collier's*, after a period of extraordinary success, fell upon troubled times about 1922 and in that year had tumbled to fifteenth place in general magazine advertising. Its revenues in two years had fallen off more than eighty per cent. Editor Chenery's innovations began shortly afterward when he was brought in by the magazine's owners to build it up again. Among the results have been an increase in circulation of more than 1,400,000, the gaining of fifth place in advertising revenue among all general magazines, of fourth place among weeklies in pages of advertising and second place in revenue.

Charley Berry, *Lafayette*, '25, generally conceded to be that college's outstanding athlete, and incidentally an All-American football player in 1924, received a deserved tribute from Mickey Cochrane recently when that player was interviewed by John Kiernan, writer of the famous "Sports of the Times" column in the *New York Times*. Kiernan asked the interviewee, "Who is the second-best catcher in the American League?" And Mickey answered: "Charley Berry of the Red Sox is the best catcher in our league."

He's improving right along and he's a big, strong fellow with a world of spirit. Ferrell of the Browns is a fine catcher and so is Dickey of the Yanks, but I like Berry." And, coming from Cochrane, it will be admitted generally that that means something.

A most responsible post in the railroad world has been given to Paul J. Neff, *Kansas*, '06, who has been entrusted with the work of reorganizing passenger service on the lines of the Missouri Pacific through the unification of traffic solicitation for the entire system. Brother Neff is now the assistant to the president of the Missouri Pacific and is vice-president and general manager of the Missouri Pacific Transportation Company. The work under Brother Neff is designed to attempt to put a stop to passenger traffic losses through co-ordination of all the road's carrying facilities. Brother Neff has been connected in various capacities with the railroad industry since 1907.

"America needs a changed individualism," said Dr. Henry L. Smith, *Indiana*, '98, in discussing educational problems last June at the annual meeting of the National Education Association at Los Angeles. "It needs a mental self-sustaining, self-supporting, creative type of individualism. Such an individualism should form a fundamental society unit within itself and could be capable of adjusting itself more adequately to the more complex units of the social structure." Brother Smith is the dean of the school of education of Indiana University and is the retiring president of the National Council of Education. He is one of the most widely known educators in the United States.

As one large corporation after another goes into the business of adding a "public relations officer," or whatever he may be variously called, to its staff, the increasing importance of such work is illustrated anew. One of the most recent of such appointments

is that of Paul W. Garrett, *Columbia*, '16, added to the executive staff of the General Motors Corporation. Brother Garrett went to General Motors from a very successful career as financial editor for the *New York Evening Post*; he had been with the *Post* since 1920. He has a number of other business connections in New York and succeeds in his new office the recently resigned Carl W. Ackerman.

William T. Patten, *Indiana*, '93, presented Indiana University on May 1 with securities valued at \$115,000 for the establishment of a foundation the income from which will be used to bring to the university men eminent in their respective fields for residence and lectures over considerable periods of time. The announcement of the gift was made by James W. Fesler, *Franklin-Indiana*, '87, president of the university's board of trustees. Brother Patten is a prominent real estate operator of Indianapolis, Indiana, and is a former county auditor of Marion county. He has been quite active in various positions of civic responsibility in the Hoosier capital.

James R. Leavell, *Westminster*, '07-*Randolph-Macon*, '05, is the subject of a personality sketch which is the chief feature article of the *American Magazine* for July. In the interview Brother Leavell, president of the Continental Illinois Bank and Trust Company, gives some refreshingly new and unexpected comments to the interviewer on how to run one's life in order to make a success of it. The summation was that the individual had to think such a problem out for himself. Brother Leavell was called upon by Governor Emmerson of Illinois during the summer for important work in connection with the untangling of Illinois' tax situation.

Two of the seventeen members appointed by United States Commissioner of Education Cooper to a newly created commission of financial consultants in the government's national

survey of school finance are Phis. They are Albert S. Cook, *Gettysburg*, '95, the state superintendent of schools of Maryland, and Norman R. Crozier, *Texas*, '99, the superintendent of schools of Dallas, Texas. The other fifteen members are also recognized experts on matters of school finance and administration. The survey began July 1, will continue four years, and will cost \$350,000. It is directed by a member of the faculty of Teachers College, Columbia University.

W. A. Collings, *DePauw*, '00, was elected September 10 to the presidency of the Indiana Bankers' Association by its council of administration. The election fills a vacancy caused by the resignation of the previous president of the association. Brother Collings, following his graduation from DePauw, taught school for four years and then took a course in law at Columbia University. He then practiced law at Crawfordsville, Indiana, until 1919 when he was elected cashier of the First National Bank at Crawfordsville, which position he still holds.

Added to the list of Phi Delt football coaches is the new one at Dickinson College, Joseph H. McCormick, *Colby*, '17. Brother McCormick has had a long and successful career in football, both as a player and as a coach. He played tackle at Yale, where he attended after leaving Colby, and was mentioned for tackle on the All-America team. For a number of years he was coach at Mercersburg Academy. In one year at Princeton University there were seven captains in various sports who had been captains under Brother McCormick at Mercersburg.

Robert E. Lewis, *Vermont*, '92, recently retired as general secretary of the Y.M.C.A. at Cleveland, Ohio, was not long permitted to lapse into inactivity. He sailed for China last month to become the personal adviser of the Chinese minister for foreign affairs,

Dr. C. T. Wang. The acquaintance of Minister Wang and Brother Lewis goes back a number of years to the time when the Chinese minister, then a young Ph.D. from Yale, returned to China and entered Y.M.C.A. work there under the supervision of Brother Lewis.

Among the Guggenheim fellowships announced in the spring of 1931 was one to Dr. Clark H. Slover, *Whitman*, '15, professor at the University of Texas, for study in Irish history and literature. The Guggenheim fellowships are among the best known in the country, being met from the income of a \$4,500,000 foundation established several years ago by former Senator and Mrs. Guggenheim in memory of their son. The fellowships average \$2,500 each annually and are used for research and creative work in this country and abroad.

"You cannot bargain with a Federal Court," Alphonse Capone—more familiarly, "Scarface Al"—was told last summer in Chicago. The person who hurled the dictum at the gangland chieftain was Judge James H. Wilkerson, *DePauw*, '89, before whom Capone was brought for sentence on liquor and tax evasion charges. It had been supposed that the court had agreed to give Capone a comparatively light sentence in return for a plea of guilty but Judge Wilkerson speedily disillusioned Capone and his counsel.

A spirited plea for a more equitable system of regulation of transportation facilities of the country was made recently by Pres. John T. Cochrane, *Alabama*, '95, of Alabama, Tennessee & Northern Railway, speaking in Mobile, Alabama. Brother Cochrane contended that while the railroads of the country are subjected to minute regulation many of the canals and all of the private trucking industry of the country are exempt from such regulation. This works a hardship upon the railways, he said.

Reviewers have commented quite favorably on the recently published book by Dr. Ralph W. Sockman, *Ohio Wesleyan*, '11, *Morals of Tomorrow*. Describing the purpose of his own book Brother Sockman, famous Methodist minister of New York City, has said, "Written in the thick of life, it aims to speak to those who are confronted with the concrete daily problems of our confused moral situation." The book is published by Harper and Brothers.

J. Russell Townsend, *Butler*, '31, has entered the graduate school of business administration at the University of Pennsylvania, where he will take a two-year graduate course in insurance. During his undergraduate days Brother Townsend was one of the most active students on the Butler campus. He was president of the student council, a member of Blue Key, honorary society, of T K A, debating fraternity, and of  $\Sigma \Delta X$ , journalistic fraternity.

Charles ("Chick") Evans, *Northwestern*, '13, is the hero of an article by Sol Metzger, "Doubling in Irons," in *Collier's Magazine* for August 11. The article describes various of Evans' golf qualities and incidents in his golf career. A little known fact about Brother Evans is that he maintains a scholarship at Northwestern for a caddy selected annually from the Chicago territory of golf clubs.

Merlin T. Calef, *Oregon State*, '11, was recently appointed by Gov. Harry G. Leslie of Indiana as a member of the Indiana State Board of Registration for Professional Engineers. Brother Calef for a number of years has been quite active in the effort to get better engineering legislation in Indiana. He served one term a number of years ago in the Indiana legislature. His residence and business are in South Bend.

The *New York Herald-Tribune* for August 30 carried a long feature arti-

cle by Frank S. Hackett, *Columbia*, '99, headmaster of the Riverdale Country School at Riverdale-on-Hudson on the subject of Modern Trends in Education. Brother Hackett discussed some of the recent developments and needs in the educational field and also the ways in which certain needs were being met.

Dr. Charles A. Prosser, *DePauw*, '97, of the Dunwoody Institute, Minneapolis, has been named by Secretary of Labor William N. Doak to serve as chairman of a committee of ten labor specialists to study technological unemployment in the United States. The committee will endeavor to discover what becomes of the industrial workers who are displaced by machines. No study of just this sort has heretofore been made.

Much favorable comment has been aroused recently in Missouri over the work of E. Sydney Stephens, *Missouri*, '03, chairman of the Associated Taxpayers' Committee of Missouri, for the work he did during the late session of the legislature of that state in connection with the bitterly fought income tax bill. Both Brother Stephens' father and brother have been active in civic affairs in Missouri.

Andrew D. Langham, *Southwestern*, '04, president of the Houston Insurance Exchange, was elected president of the Texas Association of Insurance Agents at the annual convention of that organization held at Houston in May. Brother Langham has for a number of years been engaged in the insurance business in Houston.

Among the more recently appointed U. S. federal judges is E. Marvin Underwood, *Vanderbilt*, '00, who was a number of months ago selected as the district judge for the northern district of Georgia. Brother Underwood formerly served as an assistant Attorney-General of the United States. His home is in Atlanta, Georgia.

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*W. J. Spillman, Missouri, '86*

W. J. Spillman, *Missouri*, '86, died in Washington, D.C., on July 11, 1931. He was born October 23, 1863. In 1881, having from farm work and school-teaching been able to save up twenty-three dollars, he accompanied a load of live-stock from Lawrence County, Missouri, to St. Louis, thus earning his transportation; and from St. Louis he went to Columbia and entered the university there, where he was graduated at the head of his class in 1886, with the degree of B.S. He taught for a year in Marshall, Missouri, and then went to the faculty of the State Normal School at Cape Girardeau.

In 1894 Professor Spillman was called to take the chair of agriculture in the Washington Agricultural College and School of Science newly established at Pullman, now known as Washington State College. A paper read before the meeting of the American Breeders' Association in 1901 in Washington, D.C., resulted in Professor Spillman being offered the position of Agrostologist in the United States Department of Agriculture, to which he came in 1902.

The broad opportunities offered by the Department of Agriculture led Professor Spillman's spirit of investigation out along numerous lines. One matter for which he was partly responsible was the fixation of the wartime price of American wheat at \$2.40 per bushel, based on the office's study of the cost of production. In 1918 Professor Spillman left the Department and became an associate editor of the *Farm Journal*. In 1921 he was asked to return to the Department, and from that time until his death he had the unique distinction of having an appointment with neither executive duties nor any specific assignment, to pursue any investigation which he saw

fit. His last efforts were devoted to a study of the mathematics of the problem of soil fertilization, and he regarded this as the most important work of his career.

Scarcely second to his interests in the Department of Agriculture there were two others: the Georgetown University School of Foreign Service, and the Round Table. The latter was a group of Washington economists who met periodically to discuss economic subjects. He was also a highly successful teacher of mathematics, and instructed a class of agricultural scientific workers in calculus in particular relation to the mathematics of agriculture. A book on calculus, based on this teaching, was completed in manuscript at the time of his death. Mrs. Spillman survives him. Beside the many scientific workers to whom he stood virtually in the relation of father to son, he leaves one son, who is a physician in New York.

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*Willis E. Ford, Colgate, '10*

Dr. Willis E. Ford, *Colgate*, '10, dean of the medical profession of Utica, New York, one of the founders of St. Luke's Hospital, and for nearly a half century a practitioner at Utica, New York, died January 29, 1931, following protracted illness.

Brother Ford was 81 years of age at the time of his death. He received his education in Genesee Valley Seminary and New York University, graduating from the latter with the degree of M.D. in the class of 1872. During 1873, Dr. Ford was instructor in anatomy at New York University and the year following served as interne in the Charity Hospital, New York City. The latter part of 1873, Dr. Ford became one of the physicians at the State Lunatic Asylum, now Utica State Hospital, with which institution

he was affiliated until 1878 when he resigned to take up private practice in Utica. While at the State Hospital, Dr. Ford established a reputation throughout the state as an alienist and physician and for years was recognized as an authority on the subject of mental diseases and treatment of same.

Dr. Ford was lecturer in electrotherapeutics at New York University and Buffalo Medical College for a number of years. He was a member of the American Gynecological Society, the American Climatological Society, the American Electro-Therapeutics Society, the Medical Society of the state of New York and the American Medical Association. He was made president of the American Climatological Society in 1892. Colgate University conferred the degree of A.M. upon Dr. Ford and he was also a trustee in that university.

Dr. Ford was a member of Utica Lodge, No. 47, F. & A. M., and was a member of the Fort Schuyler Club since its organization. He was a member of Park Baptist Church and was a trustee of that church.

For the past ten years, Brother Ford had been retired because of ill health. His wife, Mary Ledyard Seymour Ford, died in 1921.

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*Andrew Todd McKinney, Austin, '56*

Col. Andrew Todd McKinney, *Austin, '56*, of Huntsville, Texas, died at the home of his son in that city May 7 after being confined to his bed for about ten days. Brother McKinney, aged 93, was born in Randolph County, Illinois, March 18, 1838. He is survived by three sons and one daughter. He not only distinguished himself as a member of the Texas bar but was a member of the house of representatives of Texas and a leader in educational affairs. He was the oldest living graduate of Princeton University, the only living member of the Texas constitutional convention of 1875, and the only surviving member of the old

Texas Alpha Prime Chapter at Austin College.

Brother McKinney entered Princeton University in 1856, enrolling in the junior class. He transferred from Austin College, then located at Huntsville, of which his father, the Rev. Mr. Samuel McKinney, was president. Following his graduation he began reading law with a relative in Knoxville, Tennessee. He postponed his preparation for his profession with the break of hostilities between the North and the South and served in the Confederate army under General Robert E. Lee with the rank of captain, being disabled in 1863 for field service.

He began the practice of law at Huntsville in 1866. He served as a district attorney. From 1881 to 1885 he was a regent of the University of Texas, where he taught mathematics from 1883 to 1885. He began sixteen years of service in the state legislature in 1883 and at one time served on the district court bench. At another time he was president of the board of directors of the Sam Houston State Teachers College.

A special resolution of praise and congratulation had been adopted just a few weeks before his death by the county bar association of which he had been a member, commemorating the occasion of his ninety-third birthday. Funeral services were held at Huntsville May 8 with people in attendance from all parts of Texas. Brother McKinney was buried in the Huntsville cemetery close to the grave of General Sam Houston.

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*Walter W. Case, Allegheny, '84*

News of the death, July 9, of Walter W. ("Pat") Case, *Allegheny, '84*, Sault Ste. Marie, Michigan, will come as a shock to all those who made the trip to the Soo from Detroit a year ago last summer. For it was "Pat" Case who was the official host to the Phi Delt convention at the Soo. And

though the acquaintance for many was a new one they all came to love his genial personality. His death resulted from a paralytic stroke suffered the night before. Brother Case had been ill for several months from heart trouble but refused to leave his office at the Northwestern Leather Company of which he was secretary-treasurer. He had been a resident of Sault Ste. Marie for over thirty years and associated with the same company during that time. In his long residence in the northern Michigan city Brother Case had built up a reputation as one of the best liked men of the community and much of its development along various lines had been due to him. During the Detroit convention trip he was made a member of the Golden Legion in recognition of his more than half a century of association with  $\Phi \Delta \Theta$ . Burial took place at Woburn, Massachusetts, the former home of Mrs. Case, who survives him.

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*Henry Russell Platt, Williams, '87*

Massachusetts Alpha lost one of her charter members in the death of Henry Russell Platt, *Williams, '87*, at Evanston, Illinois, May 22, following a lingering illness. He was a leading Chicago attorney and a member of the law firm of Mayer, Meyer, Austrian, and Platt. Brother Platt had practiced law in Chicago for forty years and had acted as counsel for a number of pioneer Chicagoans and had represented many large corporations. He was born in Plattsburg, New York, and was a descendant of the pioneer American who had settled the town and for whom it was named. For more than twenty years Brother Platt was general counsel for and a director of the National Life Insurance Company of Vermont. His club memberships and professional affiliations were numerous. Brother Platt is survived by his widow, one daughter, and two sons, Henry Russell, Jr., *Williams, '19*, and Sherwood Kellogg, '25.



DR. CHAS. E. GOODELL  
*Franklin, '88*

*Charles E. Goodell, Franklin, '88*

Charles E. Goodell, *Franklin, '88*, died June 10, 1931, at Bloomington, Illinois, following injuries received in an automobile accident. Dr. Goodell was a resident of Chicago at the time of his death. From 1917 to June, 1926, Dr. Goodell was president of Franklin College.

Brother Goodell received his A.M. degree from Franklin College in 1892. He was on the faculty at Kansas State Agricultural College, Denison University, and Franklin College. Brother Goodell was a  $\Phi B K$ .

Brother Goodell was born on an Illinois farm in 1862. Most of his life was spent in connection with higher education. He was active in educational work in Chicago at the time of his death.

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*Julius T. Wright, Alabama, '91*

Dr. Julius T. Wright, *Alabama, '91*, eminent Mobile educator and president of the University Military School for Boys, and the Girls' Preparatory School, died March 18, 1931, at his home in Mobile.

Dr. Wright obtained his early education in the Green Springs School, after which he was graduated in 1888 from an academy at Livingston, Ala-

bama. He was graduated from the University of Alabama in 1891 where he was a member of Alabama Alpha. In 1893 he went to Mobile and very soon thereafter established the University Military School with which he had been connected from that time up to his death.

Dr. Wright is survived by his widow, one daughter, and two brothers, Dr. Ruffin A. Wright, *Alabama* '86, of Mobile, and Captain Henry Tutwiler Wright, United States Navy.

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*Samuel Coulter, Hanover, '80*

Dr. Samuel Coulter, *Hanover*, '80, professor of botany at Denver University, was found dead in the garage behind his home June 24, 1931. Dr. Coulter had been in ill health and evidently committed suicide with carbon monoxide gas from the exhaust of his automobile. Dr. Coulter was one of the best known Denver University faculty members. He was a native of Indiana and received his bachelor of arts degree from Hanover College in 1880. Later he received a master of arts degree from the same college and in 1904 was granted his doctor of philosophy degree by Washington University at St. Louis, Missouri. In addition to his widow, he is survived by a son, Harold B. Coulter, Denver.

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*Frank E. Hunter, Indiana, '79*

One of the most outstanding workers ever initiated into  $\Phi \Delta \Theta$  became a member of the Chapter Grand May 9 with the death of Frank E. Hunter,

*Indiana*, '79. The death occurred at El Paso, Texas. Brother Hunter had been a former county judge there. He was a member of a pioneer Monroe County (Indiana) family, his father as superintendent of the Bloomington schools having organized the grading of that school system. After his graduation from Indiana University Brother Hunter studied law at the Indiana Law School, Indianapolis, and then settled in El Paso. He is survived by the widow, one son, two sisters, and two brothers. Perhaps Brother Hunter's outstanding service to the fraternity was as co-editor of the second edition of the songbook in 1882 but for a number of years about that time he was active in other ways.

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*William L. Federman, Wabash, '13*

William L. Federman, *Wabash*, '13, prominent business, civic, and social leader of Seymour, Indiana, died at his home there June 10. Death was due to complications arising from high blood pressure and followed several weeks of severe illness. Burial took place at Brookville, Indiana, the former home of Brother Federman. Since his graduation from Wabash College Brother Federman had been engaged in the retail drug business, operating one of the leading stores in Seymour since 1917. He had built up a very extensive business in that place. He was a charter member of the Rotary Club of Seymour, and a member of the Masonic Lodge and other fraternal organizations. He is survived by his widow, a daughter, his mother, and two brothers.

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tucky  
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leans, La.
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toba  
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land  
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lege  
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town, Mass.  
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Mass.
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ton Rd., Amherst, Mass.  
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gan  
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tenaw St., Ann Arbor, Mich.  
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ron St., Ann Arbor, Mich.
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ing, Mich.  
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shall St., East Lansing, Mich.
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bia, Mo.
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Mo.
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sity  
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ington University, St. Louis, Mo.  
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Adviser: Prof. T. F. Hickerson, Chapel Hill.
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All clubs listed here have paid dues up to the Detroit Convention. Any club not listed may have its name appear by paying up back dues.

- AKRON, OHIO  
Verlin P. Jenkins, 1170 W. Exchange St.  
Thursday noon, City Club, Ohio Bldg.
- BALTIMORE, MD.  
E. R. Wootton, Union Trust Co.  
Friday, 1:00 P.M., Engineers' Club, 6 Fayette St.
- BEAUMONT, TEXAS  
Harvey Munro, Munro Dry Cleaning Co.,  
Beaumont, Texas.  
Tuesday evening, Mary Beard's Eat Shop,  
Rathskeller of Title Guaranty Bldg.
- BOISE, IDAHO  
Frederick A. Bartlett, c/o Idaho Statesman

- Third Wednesday, Elks' Club, 12:15 P.M.
- BOSTON, MASS.**  
Chester S. Brett, 421 Summer St.  
12:30 P.M., every Friday, University Club
- BUFFALO, N.Y.**  
E. A. McCreery, 174 Pearl St., Morgan Bldg.  
Friday noon, Balcony of Statler Restaurant,  
Ellicott Square Bldg.
- BURLINGTON, VT.**  
P. M. Bell, 247 Prospect Ave.  
First Thursday each month, 6:30 P.M.,  $\Phi$   $\Delta$   $\Theta$   
House
- CANTON, OHIO**  
Harrison B. Fisher, 328 Walnut St. N.E.
- CHICAGO, ILL.**  
D. A. Buckmaster, c/o Mead and Co., 69 W.  
Washington  
Friday, 12:15 P.M., Brevoort Hotel, 120 W.  
Madison St.
- CINCINNATI, OHIO**  
Dr. E. B. Heile, Vine and McMillan Sts.  
Monday noon, Cincinnati Club, 8th and Race
- CLEVELAND, OHIO**  
Robert A. Oswald, 519 Hippodrome Bldg.  
Friday noon, University Club.
- COLUMBUS, OHIO**  
Dan D. Fulmer, 815 Beggs Bldg., 21 E. State  
St.  
Last Friday each month, F. & R. Lazarus Co.  
Dining Room
- CORVALLIS, ORE.**  
John E. Kenney, Dept. of Phys. Ed., Oregon  
State College, Corvallis, Ore.  
Third Monday of each month, 12:00 M., Me-  
morial Union Bldg., at Oregon State Col-  
lege
- CRAWFORDSVILLE, IND.**  
W. A. Collins, First National Bank
- DALLAS, TEX.**  
W. B. Head, Jr., c/o Dallas Power and Light  
Co., Thomas Bldg.  
Friday 12:15 P.M., University Club
- DAYTON, OHIO**  
Richard Swartzel, 1315 Grand Ave., Dayton,  
Ohio  
First Friday each month, 12:15 P.M., Engi-  
neers' Club
- DENVER, COLO.**  
Wesley Hamilton, Jr., 322 Foster Bldg.  
Thursday, 12:15 P.M., Denver Dry Goods Tea  
Room
- DETROIT, MICH.**  
Warren T. Macaulay, 34th Floor, David Stott  
Bldg.  
Friday, 12:30 P.M., Book-Cadillac Hotel
- ELMIRA, N.Y.**  
Harvey J. Couch, 143 Church St., Odessa,  
N.Y.  
Meetings held regularly fifteenth of each  
month
- ENID, OKLA.**  
Les'ie J. Everitt, Longbell Lumber Co.
- ERIE, PA.**  
Dr. R. B. Slocum, 609 Commerce Bldg.  
First Friday of month, 12:15 P.M., University  
Club
- FORT WAYNE, IND.**  
Merlin S. Wilson, S.W. Corner Berry and  
Clinton Sts.  
Meet on occasion at Chamber of Commerce
- FRANKLIN, IND.**  
James D. Collins
- GALESBURG, ILL.**  
Frederick T. Webster, Holmes Bldg.  
Friday, 12:15 P.M., Galesburg Club
- GRAND FORKS, N.D.**  
Harold A. Boe  
First and Third Thursdays, 12:15 P.M., Ry-  
an Hotel
- GRAND RAPIDS, MICH.**  
Willis Leenhouts, Corner Fountain St. and  
Prospect Ave.  
First Friday of every month, University Club  
Rooms, Farland Hotel
- HAGERSTOWN, MD.**  
D. Ross Stickell, Hamilton Blvd.  
Second Tuesday of each month, 6:30 P.M.,  
Dagmar Hotel
- HARRISBURG, PA.**  
Frederick B. Huston, 2711 Reel St.  
First Wednesday each month, 12:15 P.M.,  
University Club, 9 N. Front St.
- HARVARD UNIVERSITY**  
H. Penfield Jones, Vanderbilt Hall, Boston,  
Mass.
- HONOLULU, HAWAII**  
John F. Stone, c/o Castle & Cook, Ltd.  
Second Tuesday each month, University Club
- INDIANAPOLIS, IND.**  
E. H. Taze, 819 Continental Bank Bldg.  
Friday noon, Washington Hotel
- JACKSONVILLE, FLA.**  
Tom Blalock, 1210 Oak St.
- JOHNSTOWN, PA.**  
A. N. Reynolds, 245 Blair St.  
March 15, Bachelor Club; Annual Picnic,  
Aug. 22
- KANSAS CITY, MO.**  
Searcy Ridge, Gateway Chemical Co., Inc.,  
921 W. 17th St.  
Tuesday noon, University Club
- KNOXVILLE, TENN.**  
Moss Yater, 302 W. Church St.
- KOKOMO, IND.**  
Leland H. Ridgway, 116 E. Taylor St.
- LANING, MICH.**  
Carroll L. Hopkins, 401 W. St. Joseph St.  
Wednesday, 12:15 P.M., Hotel Olds
- LOS ANGELES, CALIF.**  
George K. Shaffer, 1958 Glencoe Way  
Wednesday noon, University Club, 614 Hope  
St.
- LOUISVILLE, KY.**  
Andrew Broadus, Jr., 719 W. Chestnut St.  
Monday noon, Kentucky Hotel
- LYNCHBURG, VA.**  
Fred M. Davis, c/o Davis, Childs & Co.  
Third Wednesday each month, Jenny's Tea  
Room, 1:00 P.M.
- MANHATTAN, KAN.**  
C. W. Clover, 1635 Fairchild Ave.  
Place of meeting:  $\Phi$   $\Delta$   $\Theta$  House
- MASSACHUSETTS INSTITUTE OF TECHNOLOGY**  
Carroll W. Doten, 58 Garfield St., Cambridge,  
Mass.
- MIAMI, FLA.**  
H. C. Stansfield, Box 875  
Friday 12:30 P.M., Round Table Tea Room,  
267 E. Flagler St.
- MINNEAPOLIS, MINN.**  
H. C. Kneffer, Secretary, 900 Security Bldg.  
First and third Wednesdays each month,  
12:15 P.M., Minneapolis Athletic Club
- MONTREAL, QUEBEC**  
Donald A. Baillie, 1020 New Birks Bldg.,  
Philias Square, Montreal  
First Monday evening of each month, 3581  
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# Alumni Activity



*The idea that a college fraternity is an association of groups of young men in various colleges and universities of North America organized only for the purpose of enjoyment, culture, et cetera, during the undergraduate life of its members may have been prevalent in times past in various fraternities. In fact, it may be suspected that some fraternities have never considered their own organizations in any other light.*

*Not so Phi Delta Theta. Our first general convention held in 1851 adopted a constitution providing for "The Higher Order of Alumni." In writing to Founder Robert Morrison soon after this convention, Benjamin Harrison, who was secretary of the convention, referred to the alumni organization as "the real  $\Phi \Delta \Theta$ ."*

*In the eighty years that have elapsed since this beginning many alumni organizations have been instituted in various cities and towns of this continent, and much alumni activity has been in evidence, not only at conventions and other Phi gatherings but also in the less conspicuous manifestations of interest such as aiding chapters in securing desirable members, acquiring chapter houses, improving chapter standards, and so forth. In many cases, too, alumni have been very helpful to each other, especially to the younger brothers coming from college to settle in communities in which alumni clubs flourish.*

*But the most valuable product of alumni organization is FRIENDSHIP. From that flow the other benefits.*

*Let us multiply the number of our alumni clubs and, what is vastly more important, increase and stimulate their activity.*

*Yours in the Bond*

*Frank J. Mitchell*  
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*Alumni Commissioner,  
Past President of the  
General Council*

## Editorial . . .

### **Definition of Education**

There came to our attention recently a definition of education which we think is worth passing on to all members of the Fraternity. It was written by Thomas C. Blaisdell, *Allegheny*, '88, professor of English in Pennsylvania State Teachers' College at Slippery Rock, Pennsylvania, and formerly president of Alma College, Alma, Michigan. Here is Dr Blaisdell's definition:

"Education is gleaned from men and books and laboratories, from field and forest and whispering wind; but it is more:

"It is learning promptness and thoughtfulness, kindness and helpfulness, and every form of purity;

"It is the mastering of mind and spirit, appetite and passion, thought and word and glance;

"It is knowing that nothing but service brings worthy living, that selfishness means sin, that courage lies in being right.

"Education is the implanting of good habits, the acquirement of efficiency, the development of twenty-four carat character."

### **Concerning Expansion**

Next to the problem of scholarship that of expansion would probably be ranked in the race for a prize for threadbare editorial topics. A perusal of SCROLLS of forty or fifty years ago will show that discussions of the question flourished with the greatest vigor in that remote day.

The rechartering of Michigan Beta, recounted in the October issue, suggests a topic for possible discussion at the Colorado convention next summer, however. We merely raise the question and do not attempt an answer. Should dormant chapters receive special consideration in the constitutional provisions governing chartering?

An article on "Tombstones" in THE SCROLL for March, 1931, listed twenty-one inactive chapters. The statement therein included that "the list is not exempt from future shortening" did not envisage the early rechartering of Michigan Beta, but it was followed by the remark that there had been "a perennial and deserving agitation on behalf of a few institutions." Michigan State College was one of the ones which had received the most support. An attempt to revive the South Carolina chapter came near success at the Detroit convention in 1930.

Some four or five institutions in which we have had chapters have been persistently suggested for possible reconsideration. Should rechartering be handled by any special process? The situation might well be clarified at Estes Park.



J. H. WILKERSON, *DePauw*, '89  
United States District Judge

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# The Country's Eyes on Wilkerson

THE attention of the whole United States was riveted on Chicago and its Federal Building during October while the trial of "Al" Capone, gunman extraordinary, was being conducted. Of almost as much interest as the defendant was the trial judge, James H. Wilkerson, *DePauw*, '89, and the able manner in which he conducted the hearing. One writer in a nationally circulated weekly magazine described the case as a test of the country's "fourth line of defense," the systems of justice of the city, county, and state having all failed to cope with the organized machine which was headed by Capone.

Judge Wilkerson, who presides on the bench for the northern district of Illinois, sprang into national prominence in July when he refused to countenance a presumed agreement between prosecution and defense counsel to let Capone off with a light sentence in return for a plea of guilty.

This man who captains the "fourth line of defense" has had a long and interesting career in public judicial service. He was born December 11, 1869, at Savannah, Missouri. Twenty years later he took his bachelor's degree from DePauw University. He received an LL.B. three years after that. In 1890 and 1891 the young college graduate was principal of a high school at Hastings, Nebraska.

His alma mater recalled him, though, this time as an instructor, and he was connected with DePauw in this capacity from 1891 to 1893. He then retired from teaching to begin a law practice in Chicago which lasted for almost three decades. This was interspersed with numerous other services, special assignments, etc. He had one term of service, in 1902, in the Illinois

House of Representatives. Here he made a name for himself through his fight for the state civil service law. Fellow citizens in the country's second city also know him for the man who obtained an improved city charter for Chicago.

He was county attorney of Cook County (Chicago) in 1903-04 and from 1906 to 1911 he was special assistant to the Attorney General of the United States. Turning to the federal field again, he followed this work with a period of three years as United States district attorney for the northern district of Illinois, the territory over which he now presides as federal judge. From 1919 to 1921 Brother Wilkerson served as chairman of the Public Utilities Commission of Illinois. Then in 1922 came his appointment as United States district judge, the post which he still occupies.

Consequently, Judge Wilkerson has had ample opportunity to become acquainted with the devious ways of crookedness in Chicago. He knows that Chicago officials are themselves sometimes tarred. On one occasion a few years ago he sent the Cook County sheriff to jail for thirty days for his very lenient treatment of two federal prisoners, and to top the jail sentence imposed a fine of \$2,500.

Chicagoans have breathed with more of a feeling of relief since the case went to Judge Wilkerson's hands. They know his reputation for fearlessness and integrity. Before this issue of *THE SCROLL* appears sentence will in all probability have been passed on Chicago's arch-crook, and it will have been passed by a federal judge who had warned the defendant that "it is utterly impossible to bargain with the federal court."



GUY A. THOMPSON, *Missouri*, '95  
President of the American Bar Association

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# Phi Heads the Nation's Bar

By RUSSELL H. FITZGIBBON  
Hanover, '24

THE third Phi within two years called upon to head one of the great professional associations of the country!

That is the record made with the recent election of Guy Atwood Thompson, *Missouri*, '95, to the presidency of the American Bar Association. His recent colleagues in the trinity of association presidents were Dr. Evarts B. Greene, *Northwestern*, '89, president of the American Historical Association, and William McPherson, *Ohio State*, '87, president of the American Chemical Society. The same early fall convention which elevated Brother Thompson to the position of primacy in the Bar Association bestowed a gold medal upon Justice Holmes of the Supreme Court, picked additional officers, and selected Washington, D.C., as its next meeting place.

Brother Thompson's career in his chosen profession has been a long and distinguished one. As stepping stones to his present high honor were his earlier elections to the presidency of the St. Louis Bar Association in 1922-23 and to that of the Missouri Bar Association in 1923-24. From 1924 to 1928 he was Missouri's member of the General Council of the American Bar Association. He has served on several of its committees, and in 1928 was elected a member of the executive committee, an important post which he held until the recent Atlantic City convention.

Both as president of the city and state associations he displayed activity and originality. In the former office he caused to be given to the local bar a series of able lectures on administrative law, since published in book form. The state association's membership was more than doubled during his ad-

ministration. He later served as chairman of the survey committee of the state association. That his fellow-Missourians and fellow-attorneys think well of him is obvious. It is additionally attested by the dedication of the book, *The Missouri Crime Survey*, published in 1926 largely as the result of work inaugurated by Brother Thompson. The dedication reads: "*To Guy A. Thompson, able lawyer and public spirited citizen, whose vision, capacity, and energy made possible the work of the Missouri Association for Criminal Justice.*" The inspiring dedication was written by former Governor Herbert S. Hadley of Missouri and Prof. Raymond C. Moley of Columbia University.

The new president comes near to being a native American in almost the literal sense of that term. His paternal ancestry dates back beyond the Revolution and on his mother's side his forbears came to America in 1653. Several strains of his ancestry run back to England. He was married in 1903 to Miss Susan Alexander whose ancestors had founded Alexandria, Virginia. Mrs. Thompson died in February 1927. Brother Thompson has five children.

Brother Thompson received both his academic and legal education at the University of Missouri. He received the LL.B. degree, *magna cum laude*, in June 1898. During his senior year in the law school he was awarded a prize for his thesis on "The Right of Privacy as Recognized and Protected at Law and in Equity." A brother, Judge Frank A. Thompson, was also initiated by Missouri Alpha (class of 1904) and is now a law partner of Brother Thompson's. His brother was

formerly Judge of the St. Louis Court of Appeals.

President Thompson entered private practice in St. Louis following his graduation and has continued it, individually and as a member of various firms, since that time. His first association was with Givan Campbell, at that time one of the foremost lawyers of Missouri. His present law firm, Thompson, Mitchell, Thompson, and Young, was formed in 1929. The other members are also seasoned lawyers of outstanding ability. In the number of affiliated attorneys—thirty-three—the firm is the largest in Missouri and enjoys a very extensive general practice and an enviable reputation for ability, integrity, and service.

Although his practice has been large Brother Thompson has found time for much civic and professional service. He has made many addresses and has written numerous articles on legal topics for publication. In 1926 he delivered a memorable address on the subject of the Missouri Crime Survey before the American Bar Association

at Denver. Late in that year he addressed the Industrial Club of Chicago on the same subject and as a result that club raised \$100,000 to finance a similar survey in Illinois.

As might be expected Brother Thompson's professional and other affiliations are numerous and weighty. He is a charter member of the American Law Institute, a member of the American Judicature Society, the American Society of International Law, the Seldon Society of London, the Industrial Club of St. Louis, and other organizations. He belongs to the Presbyterian Church. In politics he is a Democrat.

Members of the American Bar Association have expressed confidence that a year of splendid accomplishment will be enjoyed under the leadership of Guy A. Thompson. Φ Δ Θ may join with them in that confidence with an added expression of pride that so distinguished a member of the Fraternity has received so deserved an elevation in his profession.

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## Seats of the Mighty

TO OUR esteemed contemporary, *The Phi Gamma Delta*, we are indebted for an interesting little item which we are sure Mr. Wilkinson will not mind our quoting:

It is a matter of wide knowledge among the Greeks that Herbert Hoover is not a fraternity man, but it is not so widely known that he once was pledged to Σ A E. This fact has been vouched for by one of the general officers of that splendid fraternity. The story goes that the man who is now President of the United States was invited to join the S. A. E.s at Stan-

ford and that he had so pledged. His intimates among the non-fraternity group at Palo Alto are reported to have chided him for deserting their ranks and the outcome was that he asked for his release which was granted. Had Hoover been initiated, he would have been the second Σ A E to sit in the White House, William McKinley having been a member of the Mt. Union chapter. Interestingly enough, the only object of jewelry that McKinley wore at his inauguration as President was his fraternity badge. The emblem is now one of the prized possessions of the headquarters museum in Evanston, Illinois.

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# Ohio Eta Realizes a Long Cherished Dream—A New Chapter House

By IVAN L. WALLACE  
*Case, '33, Reporter*

WITH the formal opening of the new chapter home late in the spring, Ohio Eta realized a long-hoped-for event, which made a jubilee occasion to be inscribed deeply in the pages of the chapter history. More than a hundred Phis and guests joined in a dinner and an inspection of the new home.

The principal guest and speaker of the evening was Dr. F. W. Shepardson, national president of B  $\Theta$   $\Pi$ , and president of the National Interfraternity Conference, who gave an address on his personal conception of the meaning of the Bond of  $\Phi$   $\Delta$   $\Theta$  based on ideals prevalent during the founding and growth of the Miami Triad. Other guests and speakers present were Dr. W. E. Wickenden, president of Case School of Applied Science; Eckstein Case, secretary-treasurer, C.S.A.S.; and Sidney S. Wilson, secretary-treasurer, Western Reserve University. Although the national officers of  $\Phi$   $\Delta$   $\Theta$  found it impossible to be in Cleveland during the celebration, their messages of congratulations were received by the assemblage.

The Phis present gave tribute to the men whose untiring efforts helped in making the new home a possibility, a feat especially significant in view of the fact that not one dollar of debt was incurred by the chapter. C. L. Denison, *Case, '06*, president of the  $\Phi$   $\Delta$   $\Theta$  Club Company of Cleveland; F. E. Hulett, *Case, '98*, charter member of Ohio Eta; and W. J. Watson, *Case, '98*, designer of the home, were the men honored.

The new home offers the utmost in design and comfort, and is without

doubt one of the finest fraternity houses on the Case campus. It is located two blocks from the campus on the east corner of the intersection of Cummington and Abington Roads. The home proper is an eighteen-room, three-story solid brick structure with a stone porch and spacious lawn area. The living room and dining room open on to the porch by means of French windows. A beautiful hallway that connects these two rooms on the first floor leads to a cloak room, telephone booth, and lavatory. A pantry and cook's living quarters adjoin a modern kitchen also located on this floor. Combination study and sleeping rooms are situated on the upper floors, there being six rooms and three baths on the second, and six rooms and one bath on the third floor. In the basement are found the chapter room with finished walls and ceilings and a large brick fireplace, an adjoining anteroom, a ping-pong room, lavatory, fruit cellar, and furnace room. Cream walls with white ceilings and natural finished woodwork, make up the color scheme throughout the first floor and in the second floor hallway, while the study rooms and third floor hallway are done in pale green with gray woodwork. The majority of furniture in the new home is new, the remainder being reconditioned pieces from the old house. Novel features are leather-finished, club davenport and chairs in the living room, steel desks and dressers in the study rooms, and steel tables in the dining room. A baby grand piano and combination radio and twenty record automatic phonograph sup-



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FRONT VIEW

ply the music in the living room. The chapter is deeply indebted to the mothers' club for its aid in selecting and purchasing the curtains, blankets, and various miscellaneous articles.

Ohio Eta is especially anxious for Phis to visit and inspect the new home, and extends to transients a cordial invitation to make it their headquarters while in Cleveland.

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## New York Jurist in Political Race

JUSTICE FRANK J. CREGG, of Syracuse, a member of New York Epsilon, is in the limelight this fall as a candidate to succeed himself on the Supreme Court bench, where he was placed early this year by Governor Franklin D. Roosevelt.

Brother Cregg, one of the distinguished sons of Syracuse University who have attained prominence in political life, ascended the bench with a long record of public service behind him. Beginning as alderman of his ward back in 1910 and 1911, he was, successively, Assistant United States Attorney in the Northern District of New York, Special Assistant Attorney-General, and Corporation Counsel of Syracuse.

He became widely known during the war and post-war periods for his work in the prosecution of profiteers and seditionists, being called to Washington by the Attorney-General to lay out a nation-wide campaign along the same lines he successfully originated in his home district.

During his student days at Syracuse, Brother Cregg was an outstanding athlete. He was one of that great triumvirate of giants—Ned Glass, "Dutch" Wyckoff, and Frank Cregg—that made the center of the Orange line impregnable on the football field in the era just preceding the twentieth century. Born on an Onondaga County

farm, he has spent all his life in the Syracuse district.



FRANK J. CREGG  
*Syracuse*

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# Traveling With the Traveling Secretaries

## *Points Eastward*

THE 140 Phis who took part in one or more of the ceremonies incident to the re-establishment of Michigan Beta on September 18 and 19 found themselves seeking superlatives to describe the success of the celebration. Having had opportunity to stay in Lansing to see the re-born chapter open the college year, I find myself likewise seeking superlatives to describe the prospects of  $\Phi \Delta \Theta$  at Michigan State. The Fraternity may be assured of the high caliber of the men who are taking up the responsibilities of maintaining the chapter which in its previous existence gave the Fraternity and the country many great names.

Perhaps the most striking feature of M.S.C. is the beauty of its campus, with the river winding among old trees and wide expanses of green. Among these same trees and lawns the buildings, old and new, are picturesquely situated. Outstanding is the huge armory, one of the very largest and best equipped in the country.

Michigan Alpha opens the year with an unusually strong leadership in its senior class and with general prospects for the best record the chapter has made in several years. The senior class has a remarkable record for low mortality; of the twelve men originally initiated in the delegation, eleven are back again this fall, expecting to take their degrees in June.

A visitor at the Ann Arbor chapter house notices hanging in the upper halls an almost complete set of chapter pictures. I observed group pictures as far back as the chapter of 1887. The historical and sentimental value of such pictures is great. Other chapters which have not observed the custom of preserving good chapter photographs should adopt the practice.

The officers have worked out a careful budget for the year's financial program and expect to realize on several economies.

The Case chapter in Cleveland is happy in its beautiful new home. The chapter's representation in athletics on the campus is unusually strong. Thirteen letter men at Case wear the Sword and Shield, and eleven Phis are members of the varsity football squad.

The chapter's chief ambition this year is to raise its scholarship, which, while not disgraceful, has been consistently too low. To this end it has adopted the preceptor system, with Watson E. Slabaugh, *Case*, '29, in charge. Brother Slabaugh, a member of T B II, after graduate study at Massachusetts Tech, has returned to a position on the Case faculty. He lives in the chapter house, and will be able to serve the chapter materially.

Ohio Eta's mortality rate is exceptionally low. Of all men initiated in the last three years, only three have dropped out short of graduation.

The University of Akron chapter began the college year with good prospects under the capable leadership of its president, Ed Wentzler. A complete and efficient internal organization augurs well for smooth handling of the chapter's affairs this year. A newly set-up personnel committee works in close co-operation with the scholarship committee and the dean of men in remedying cases of scholastic deficiency among members or pledges.

Ohio Epsilon's active mothers' club recently added to the chapter's paraphernalia a complete set of new robes. The chapter hall in the basement has been repainted and renovated; in the improved surroundings a distinct improvement in the dignity and dispatch of chapter meetings is noted.

The chapter office is equipped with a standard metal filing cabinet, which

is kept in careful order. Here are filed chapter correspondence, committee reports, chapter publications, current SCROLLS, etc.

At Allegheny College the chapter feels that its tribunal system for freshman discipline has been very successful. Briefly, under this plan charges against a freshman for misconduct or neglect of duty are brought before an open tribunal in a dignified way, and the penalty, if any, determined by the tribunal, is administered at the time before the entire group. The two-fold result of the system has been that the freshmen respect the authority of the chapter, and that trivial charges against freshmen fade out before the tribunal.

The finances for the year have been carefully budgeted in detail.

Pennsylvania Delta last year slipped from its place of leadership on the campus in scholarship, although it still ranked about the all-men's and all-fraternity average. The boys are working this year to regain their notch at the top. Horman Gilbert was elected last June to  $\Phi B K$  at the end of his junior year.

Among the many admirable characteristics of the University of Toronto chapter the one which strikes a visitor most forcibly is its hearty hospitality. There is a fine feeling of fellowship among the men and they possess in a high degree the fine art of making a visitor seem one of them.

The chapter started the year by pledging a group of carefully selected Phikeias. The greatest factor in building up Ontario Alpha's present prestige is the policy, consistent through the years, of choosing its new members with great care.

The chapter has a strong group of alumni resident in Toronto and a good many of them keep in active touch with the boys.

During the past two years the University of Toronto has carried out a very extensive construction program. The campus now presents many beautiful, new, stone buildings. The beauty

and utility of Hart House, the famous student union building, mark it still as one of the greatest of its kind.

The enrollment of the university has grown until it is now about 7,000, of which about 4,500 are men.

On the same site occupied by the McGill chapter's old house, pictured in the *Phikeia*, there is today a beautiful, new, brick building, the new home of Quebec Alpha. The new home stands as a monument to the chapter's great record and to the loyalty, energy, and generosity of the alumni who have financed the project. The architect is a Phi and the contractor is a Phi; it may be understood, then, that much more than usual care was exercised in planning and constructing. Great attention was given to details, and the result is an attractive exterior and an interior finished in excellent taste throughout. The chapter lounge is a gem.

The house was built at a cost of \$42,000, and it is conservatively estimated that it would have cost at least \$50,000 if built two years ago. It includes a recreation room (ping-pong, etc.), library, lounge, dining room, kitchen, servants' quarters, and excellent accommodations for seventeen men.

As usual, Quebec Alpha is strongly represented in positions of honor and responsibility in student affairs. The highest office on the campus, the presidency of the student council, is held by Brother Alex Edmison, and another Phi is his colleague on the council. Several of the boys are playing on the rugby teams and if you wish to speak with the manager of a sport at McGill you telephone the Phi house.

Nova Scotia Alpha, now celebrating its first birthday in  $\Phi \Delta \Theta$ , is proving a precocious infant. Here the visiting Phi finds a group of men who have developed a fine fellowship among themselves and are rapidly developing  $\Phi \Delta \Theta$  consciousness in spite of their position of comparative geographic isolation from neighboring chapters. As in the case of the other young Ca-

nadian chapters established by order of the Detroit convention, the group is made up of men of high caliber many of whom are making records of distinction in the university and in student affairs. Any Phi who may have the privilege of visiting the chapter will not soon forget the chapter's cordial hospitality.

The chapter occupies a rented house, well adapted to fraternity use, and well located. The kitchen is presided over by an excellent chef, and I imagine he did some wonderful things with the two deer brought in by a couple of the brothers who had been on a hunting trip over the week-end. It was my misfortune that I had to move on southward the next morning.

The Dalhousie chapter, situated in the historically fascinating commercially important, and beautiful city of Halifax, raises the standards of  $\Phi \Delta \Theta$  on the eastern-most frontier of the Fraternity, 200 miles farther east than her nearest sister chapter, Maine Alpha. We may be assured that in the northeastern corner of the continent the interests of  $\Phi \Delta \Theta$  are in able hands.

MARK W. BRADFORD

### *Westward Ho!*

IT SEEMS almost six months, rather than the six weeks it has really been, since I sat at the desk in Oxford and saw Brother Priest turn slightly in his chair, flash his cheerful smile, and once more give utterance to those fateful words, "Westward Ho." He meant, of course, that sometime during the school year I was to visit all the chapters of the fraternity west of the Mississippi with those in Illinois, Indiana, and Wisconsin thrown into the bargain—what a pleasant assignment for any man.

Soon I had gotten out my suitcases—faithful old veterans now—filled them to capacity with necessities requisite to continuous traveling, loaded them into the car, and with Mark and Brother Priest as companions, was off for Lansing and the re-establishment of old Michigan Beta. The nomadic

life had been resumed once more. Prosperity for the railroads and the busses seemed assured. The big push was on!

My second stop was at Illinois Beta, University of Chicago. Conditions at Chicago are changing rapidly. Many handsome new structures have been added to the already impressive Midway. With the completion of its new dormitories the university will henceforth require the freshmen to live there instead of allowing them to live in the fraternity houses. Next year the deferred rushing will be put into effect and the fraternities will henceforth rush sophomores. The strength of the fraternities will indeed be put to a test.

Across the city lies stately Northwestern. Quite outstanding is the fraternity row on the shore of Lake Michigan. The houses are all built along the same architectural lines and were constructed under the direction and with the financial aid of the university. With the waves breaking but a few paces from the doors of the houses the setting is very picturesque. The university furnishes the fraternities with names, scholastic records, and other valuable information about the incoming men. The university, while maintaining high standards, has been quite considerate of the fraternities. The chapter conducted a highly organized rushing campaign throughout the summer and was richly rewarded. A fine group of pledges helps the chapter to set about strengthening its internal organization. Everything indicated that the chapter is off to a successful year.

It was a pleasant trip up to Madison, the home of Wisconsin Alpha. One feels that the university's wide reputation as being one of the country's most attractive schools is justly founded as it looks down from its knoll on the State Capitol and the two lakes which almost surround the city. Mendota's shore is dotted with the piers of the many fraternities and sororities around which centers much activity during the spring and summer. New scholastic requirements and fi-

nancial conditions have cut the enrollment of the school by 600. The chapter's outstanding achievement last year was its rise in scholarship from forty-sixth to fifteenth place—a position more in keeping with its age and traditions.

Next came the three Iowa chapters: Iowa Wesleyan, the University of Iowa, and Iowa State College at Ames. Iowa Wesleyan, a small coeducational college of about 250 students, has long been troubled with financial problems. It now appears that some headway is being made toward solving these and that the fraternity situation there is improving. The chapter is quite active and is making good progress.

At the University at Iowa City Dean Reinow has been getting good results with his preceptor system which most of the fraternities have installed. Since the system has been placed in operation the scholastic average of the fraternity men has exceeded that of the unorganized men.

The enrollments of both the uni-

versity and Ames are slightly below their last year's marks as a result of several bank failures throughout the state.

The new dean of men at Ames, M. D. Helsler, is bringing the fraternities on that campus in closer touch with the college. More information is being put at their disposal and helpful assistance rendered. The chapter is well balanced and is quite active on the campus.

An all-night ride brought me to Minneapolis and the University of Minnesota, one of the largest schools in the north with a student body numbering more than 12,000. Represented here by the chapter which holds the Harvard Trophy we may have no doubt as to the prominence of its members on the Minnesota campus. Its scholastic record is just as good—never below sixth place in the last nine years. This and much more accomplished in spite of the problems of a city chapter.

LATNEY BARNES

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## Alumni . . .

Barrett M. Woodsmall, *Indiana*, '24, former president of Kappa Province, and well known to a host of Phis, was in a serious automobile accident early last summer when returning from a business trip to Louisville. He was brought to an Indianapolis hospital and later taken to the home of his father, H. H. Woodsmall, *Franklin*, '98, where he has been making good progress toward recovery.

Lorraine Rake, *Franklin*, '30, was married to Miss Helen Grimes of Charleston, South Carolina, at the home of the bride, May 30. Brother Rake while an undergraduate was

prominent in college athletics and has coached football in the South during the past year.

The National Reserve Officers' Association late in the spring chose as its national president Col. L. Kemper Williams, *University of the South*, '06. Brother Williams, a lumber manufacturer of New Orleans, has been among the most prominent members of the association.

James C. Leonard, *Kansas*, '10, is the newly elected president of the Texas Mortgage Bankers' Association. He is engaged in mortgage banking in Houston, Texas. The association re-

cently held its annual convention at Houston.

Robert B. Mitchell, *Williams*, '26, son of P. P. G. C. and Mrs. Frank J. R. Mitchell, was married August 17 to Miss Harriett Elisabeth Woodruff of Troy, New York. Brother Mitchell is now connected with the National Underwriters of New York City.

Jack W. Bain, *Southwestern*, '23, is the recipient of a \$1,500 university fellowship given by Columbia University for advanced study in the school of law. Brother Bain took his law degree from the University of Texas. He is a resident of San Antonio.

Dr. John H. Foster, *Southwestern*, '96, prominent physician of Houston, Texas, was elected president of the Texas State Medical Association at its annual meeting last spring. Brother Foster received his degree in medicine from the University of Texas.

James W. Moffitt, *Duke*, '29, is now employed as dean of men and assistant professor of history at the Oklahoma Baptist University at Shawnee. Brother Moffitt received an M.A. degree from Duke University in 1931.

Donald McLeod Diehl, *California at Los Angeles*, '29, was married to Miss Elizabeth Eldridge Heustis at Ventura, California, April 13, 1930. Mrs. Diehl is a member of K A @ at U.C.L.A.

Charles A. Andrews, *Amherst*, '95, has recently been elected treasurer of Amherst College, his alma mater in Massachusetts. Brother Andrews has two sons who are also members of the chapter, Sydney, '22, and John, '27.

John Ely, *Davidson*, '29, until recently a student at Columbia University, has accepted a position in the traffic department of the New York Telephone Company.

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## Chapter Grand . . .

*Fred Davis Aldrich, Brown*, '95

Few collegians or educators have acquired a greater degree of sincere regard from their fellows than Fred Davis Aldrich, *Brown*, '95. There was a rare reality in his popularity which accorded with his personality: there was nothing artificial or adventitious about it. This can be seen from the facts of his career.

Graduating with high standing from Worcester Academy in 1891, he came to Brown at an age slightly advanced above the average among freshmen. Thus his more mature experience and habits of study prepared him to make the most of his opportunities. In spite of his modest and unassuming atti-

tude everywhere, he advanced rapidly in the confidence of the faculty and student body. Mastering his studies with remarkable ease and rapidity, he had abundant time for extraordinary college activities in which he was sought for his ability and good judgment. During his undergraduate years he became president of his class; manager of the class baseball team; treasurer of the Sears Reading Room Association; treasurer and president of the Football Association; president of the Worcester Academy Club; president of the Press Club; business manager of the *Brunonian* (college weekly); besides winning the second president's premium in Greek, the George

Ide Chace scholarship, an oration at commencement, and memberships in the Cammarian Club (college achievement and popularity society), and in  $\Phi$  B K (in junior year). His activities in Rhode Island Alpha of  $\Phi$   $\Delta$   $\Theta$  and in the college Y.M.C.A. were so valued that his assistance was constantly sought in approach to new students because of his winsomeness and wisdom. As here, so also at Worcester Academy, he was greatly loved and admired; and it is not surprising that Worcester called him to her faculty forthwith, on his graduation from Brown.

At the time of his decease on October 4, 1931, following a partial illness and enforced rest of several months, he was a Master at the Academy, having served with great unselfishness and devotion for thirty-five years in teaching and executive capacities. During this period he collaborated with Irving L. Foster, of Pennsylvania State College, also of Rhode Island Alpha, '93, in the preparation and publication of textbooks for the study of French, which had a wide distribution and use.

Mr. and Mrs. Aldrich have a son in Brown at the present time, Lawson M. Aldrich, '33, who is one of the athletic celebrities of the college and is a member of  $\Phi$   $\Delta$   $\Theta$ , also.

Brother Fred Aldrich was one of those rare persons who, at first meeting, does not present all his credentials, but who, in a conversation of ten minutes, would continuously reveal his character and rich mind; his genuine charm would steal softly but definitely into your heart like the coming of dawn through your windows, with sweetness and light. Those who mourn his too-early going, and they are many in family, school, and other circles of friendship, are now transferring thought-tributes of love and esteem to those nearest to him, to whom this event has meant the most.

CLARENCE M. GALLUP, *Brown*, '96

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*George W. Roberts, Vermont, '87*

Dr. George W. Roberts, *Vermont*, '87, a leading New York surgeon, who had practiced there for forty years, died October 14 of heart disease, after an illness of several months. He is survived by his widow and one son. He was sixty-five years of age at the time of his death. He received the Ph.B. degree from Vermont and two years later the degree of M.D. from the New York Homeopathic Medical College. He took postgraduate work in several European universities and hospitals. For many years Brother Roberts had been a member of the staff of the Fifth Avenue Hospital and he was also a consulting surgeon to a hospital in Spring Lake, New Jersey, and to one in Passaic. He was a fellow of the American College of Surgeons and his medical and social affiliations were numerous. Burial took place at Sag Harbor, Long Island.

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*Herbert B. Fulmer, Gettysburg, '33*

Herbert B. Fulmer, *Gettysburg*, '33, died June 3 at a Gettysburg, Pennsylvania, hospital as a result of an automobile accident. In company with K. H. McMillan and J. W. Stoner, both of Pennsylvania Beta, he was on his way to Hanover to attend a social function at the time of his death. The other two were uninjured. Brother Fulmer was born in Johnstown, Pennsylvania, December 20, 1912. He had attended Pitt Junior College one year before entering Gettysburg. He was a member of his high school football and basketball teams and had played freshman football at Gettysburg. The chapter greatly mourns his untimely passing.

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*Frederick D. J. Kaessmann,  
Gettysburg, '87*

Frederick D. J. Kaessmann, *Gettysburg*, '87, died November 18, 1930, at Baltimore, Maryland. Brother Kaessmann was born in Kitchener, Canada,

July 11, 1866. He was the son of the Rev. C. F. A. Kaessmann, minister of the German Lutheran Church of that place. He was educated at Gettysburg College and Johns Hopkins University. For nine years he taught at the Polytechnic Institute of Baltimore and resigned to accept a position with the University of the South at Sewanee, Tennessee. Later he became interested in the oil business and for a time served as petroleum engineer in the U. S. Internal Revenue Bureau. He is survived by his wife, Aimee W. Kaessmann, and a daughter, Beta E. Kaessmann of Baltimore, Maryland.

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*Arthur Francis O'Malley,  
Dartmouth, '97*

Arthur Francis O'Malley, *Dartmouth, '97*, died March 20, 1931, at his home in Jamaica Plain, Massachusetts.

After winning his A.B. degree at Dartmouth in 1897, Brother O'Malley won his A.M. degree from Columbia in 1911.

At the time of his death, he was head of the commercial department of the High School of Commerce, Boston, Massachusetts.

He was married in 1902 to Miss Catherine E. Sargent of Brocton, Massachusetts, who survives him as do two sisters and a brother.

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*Elvyn A. Regester, Indiana, '23*

Elvyn A. Regester, *Indiana, '23*, was instantly killed in an automobile accident twelve miles south of Indianapolis on the night of March 5. At the time he was going to a convention at Indianapolis as a representative of the Hall Electric Company of Bloomington, Indiana, with which he was as-

sociated. Brother Regester was among the most popular young men of Bloomington. He attended Indiana University one year and later spent three years at the University of Florida. During the World War he spent eighteen months overseas as a machine gunner.

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*William S. Rankin, Georgia, '03*

William S. Rankin, *Georgia, '03*, popular and widely known business man of Savannah, Georgia, died at a hospital there May 24 following several days' critical illness from sinus trouble. Brother Rankin had been particularly active in Boy Scout work. He was also an active member and a past president of the Savannah Rotary Club. He had numerous associations with financial, civic, and social organizations of Savannah and was president of the Haines-Rankin Company, insurance brokers. Brother Rankin is survived by his widow, his father, a sister, two daughters, and a son.

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*Robert H. Callahan,  
Ohio Wesleyan, '84*

Reverend Robert H. Callahan, *Ohio Wesleyan, '84*, former minister of the M. E. Church at Jackson, Ohio, died of heart failure at Athens, Ohio, June 24, 1925, at the age of 62.

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*Earl Regnier, Monmouth, '83*

Earl Regnier, *Monmouth, '83*, died April, 1929, at Asheville, North Carolina, from cancer of the intestines. Brother Regnier was formerly treasurer and purchasing agent for the Asheville Normal and Associated Schools.

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## Chapter News in Brief . . .

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### Alabama Alpha, University of Alabama

#### *An active freshman class . . .*

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*Phikeias:* John Simmons, Jasper; John Dabbs, Quitman, Miss.; Fletcher Holcombe, Gadsden; John Cathey, Gadsden; Bob McKnight, Memphis, Tenn.; Herman Arnold, Birmingham; Byron Conklin, Birmingham; Hill Ferguson, Jr., Birmingham; Gordon Hauschildt, Hayward, Calif.; Harold Grace, New Orleans; Bob Kilgore, Jr., Jasper; Hugh Stuart, Montgomery; Joe Marshall, Marion; Lawrence Woodley, Camden; Houston Armstrong, Selma; Billy Laxson, Huntsville; Carroll Smith, Jackson, Miss.

*Chapter House Improvements:* The entire interior of the first floor has been repainted and the walls replastered. New furniture was put in throughout the living room, sun parlor, and solarium. New lamps and tables were put in the living room.

*Campus Activities:* Phikeias Kilgore, Simmons, and Conklin made Erosophic Literary Society; Phikeias Kilgore, Hauschildt, Simmons, Ferguson, Marshall, Conklin made the *Crimson-White* staff; Phikeias Kilgore, Simmons, Ferguson, Marshall, are on the Corolla; Kilgore, Hauschildt, made Blackfriars and Hauschildt was chosen for a part in "The Perfect Alibi"; Phikeias Kilgore, Ferguson, and Marshall made Glee Club; Phikeias Hauschildt, Ferguson, and Marshall made the *Rammer-Jammer* staff; Phikeias Kilgore, Conklin made the Y.M.C.A. cabinet; Phikeias Hauschildt is the freshman cheer leader; Howard Leach is assistant editor of the Corolla. In the recent class elections Bonneau Murray was elected president of the senior law class, Bert Simmons is president of the junior class of the school of engineering; Aubrey Boyles is president of the sophomore class of the school of arts and sciences; William Branch is secretary of the sophomore class of commerce; Aubrey Boyles and William Branch made the Druids Society.

*Chapter Visitors:* Ernest Fleming, Emory '23; James Kidd, '30; Tommy

Hutchins, '30; Edward Comer, '31; Milton Grace, '28.

*Alumni Personals:* Edward Comer, '31, is a student in the medical school of Vanderbilt University.

AUBREY M. BOYLES

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### Alabama Beta, Alabama Polytechnic Institute

#### *Seventeen pledges . . .*

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*Phikeias:* Harold Duncan, Inman, S.C.; Lucius Holloway, Montgomery; Henry Lanier, Langdale; Ed. Robinson, Birmingham; Howard Stewart, Jasper; Britt Veazey, Lanett; James Zachry and Alfred Zachry, West Point, Ga.; Mike Welsh, Atlanta, Ga.; William Swan, Rockmont, Ga.; Reuben Maxwell, and Thomas Thompson, Alexander City; William Cox, Albany, Ga.; Richard Watkins, Columbus, Ga.; Thomas Head, Troy; John McKay, Union Springs; Oliver Smythe.

*Chapter House Improvements:* In line with the chapter's recent landscaping program, a small ornamental pool is to be built at the side of the house. A set of bridge table and chairs has been placed in the den.

*Campus Activities:* Johnson, Talley and Phikeia Head have been showing up well in football practice. Phikeia Welsh is out for freshman football, and is expected to become one of Auburn's best freshman guards. A pin is to be awarded the freshman making the highest average above 85. The required grade for initiation has been raised, by the chapter, to 75, five points above that required by the Interfraternity Council. Phikeia Stewart is writing for the "Auburn Engineer."

*Social Activities:* The chapter will entertain with a house party at the mid-term dances this year, instead of at the Sophomore Hop. A dance, at which the pledges will entertain their freshmen friends, is to be given soon.

*Chapter Visitors:* J. L. Holloway, Alabama '93; N. C. Poer, Emory '02; John Vencentilli, Alabama '31; Fred Agricola, '18; Neil Nolan, '31. ARCH WINTER

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Alberta Alpha, University of Alberta

*Occupying a new home . . .*

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*New Officers:* Edward Foy, president; James Taylor, reporter; Duncan Marshall, warden; John Rule, secretary; Wilfred Hutton, treasurer; Allan McGill, chaplain; James Hunter, chorister; Jack McLurg, alumni secretary.

*Chapter House Improvements:* With the opening of the fall term Alberta Alpha became housed in a new fully modern home, six blocks from the University campus. Basement floor is fitted up with three large bedrooms, storeroom, wash-room and shower. Ground floor is complete with a commodious living room with fireplace, hallway, dining room, housekeeper's room, kitchen, and one bedroom. The top floor is fitted up with bedrooms to accommodate seven men and study room.

*Campus Activities:* Hunter is president of the House Committee. Foy was elected chairman of the social directorate. Balfour was appointed manager of Interfaculty Rugby. Hutton is again playing Senior Rugby. MacDonald and Phikeia Cameron are also turning out for rugby. Phikeias Kipp and Cameron are in charge of the golf tournament. MacPherson and Taylor were elected as representatives on the Medical Club.

*Chapter Visitors:* Worthy Hoover, '30.

*Alumni Personals:* Worthy Hoover, '30, is now teaching in Calgary. Bert McCallum is attending the University of Idaho. E. W. Douglas has transferred to McGill to continue his studies in medicine.

J. A. TAYLOR

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Arizona Alpha, University of Arizona

*Athletically inclined . . .*

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*Phikeias:* Horton Yaeger, James Jones, Kenneth Goodson, James Godwin, George Barrows, Ted Riggins, Pete Burger, Hal Miller, Fred Gabbard, Don Smith, Fred Barker, all of Phoenix; Ronald Broadwater, Wichita, Kan.; Nielson Brown, Springfield, Mass.; Dunlap Allison, San Bernardino, Calif.; Frank Russell, Marquette, Mich.; Jiggs Jacobs, Phoenix.

*Chapter House Improvements:* The study rooms have been refinished. A new rug was purchased for the front room and new lighting fixtures have been installed.

*Campus Activities:* Podesta, O'Dowd, Gillespie, Abbott, Filburn, are on the varsity football squad. Captain Moore has called the initial practice for varsity tennis. O'Dowd is active as junior class councilman. Phikeias Goodson and Barker are on the freshman football team and Phikeia Jacobs is on the varsity squad. Phikeia Brown is on the polo squad.

*Chapter Visitors:* Don Hummel, '30; Frank Beetson, '30; Bob Benham, '33, Cincinnati.

ROBERT A. MACON

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California Alpha, University of California

*Rhodes Scholar leaves for Oxford . . .*

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*Phikeias:* Ralph Holm, Santa Rosa; Gilbert Caulden, Berkeley; Robert Davis, Berkeley; George Dimler, Arnold Fleet, San Diego; Edward Schneider, Berkeley; Philip Chubb, Berkeley; Edgar Kneedler, Berkeley; Nathaniel Dodge, Piedmont; Minor Waters, Santa Rosa.

*Initiates:* September 13, 1931. Oliver D. Burr, Hayward; Maurice F. Baldwin, San Francisco; Lenert Henry, Pasadena; Richard Barry, San Francisco; William Suydam, Berkeley; Carl Mitchell, San Francisco; Nathaniel Hoskot, Boise, Idaho; Thomas W. Kelly, Jr., Chico; Langdon Feiberling, Oakland; Brantley Eubanks, San Francisco.

*Chapter House Improvements:* This year the Mothers' Club has been particularly active in improving the appearance of the house. They have redecorated the library by adding new drapes and furniture. The main hall has new drapes harmonizing with those in the library. The stairs in the hall have been varnished and all carpets cleaned and redipped.

*Campus Activities:* Prospects for  $\Phi \Delta \Theta$  in various campus activities look promising this semester. We are expecting big things from Maury Baldwin, Brant Eubanks, and Carl Mitchell in varsity football this year. The Phikeias who have turned out for freshman football this semester include Robert Davis, Ralph

Holm, Philip Chubb, and Minor Waters. Bruce Merrill is active as junior football manager and Harry Elfen is a sophomore football manager as well. In tennis we have a junior manager, Nat Hoskot. In track Phikeia Caulden is working out. Phikeias Dimler and Kneedler are doing managerial work on the *Daily Californian*. Kelly Anthony has gone out for junior yell leader and is on the *Pelican* staff.  $\Phi \Delta \Theta$  is one of the five leading fraternities on the campus in the college song contest that is being conducted this month among the various fraternities.

*Chapter Visitors:* Theron Howard, '28, Paul F. Cadman, '10, M. S. Woodhams, '88, Donald Diehl, '27, *University of California at Los Angeles*; Earl C. Anthony, '03, Roger Babson Friend, '28, Gordon Boyd, '30.

*Alumni Personals:* Joseph Hickingbotham, '31,  $\Phi B K$  and Rhodes Scholar, left for Oxford on September 12 to attend law college there for three years. Bill Ames, '31, and Bill Meade, '31, are already in England and are planning to visit with Joe Hickingbotham there before they return home.

P. J. WALKER, JR.

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California Beta, Stanford University

*Chapter house renovated . . .*

*New Officers:* President, Harold Allen; reporter, Francis Bates, Jr.; warden, Pete Desjardines; secretary, Donald Wilson; historian, Charles Platz; chorister, Frank Booth; chaplain, Wesley McInnis; house manager, Austin Clapp; alumni secretary, Marcus Godfrey.

*Phikeias:* Eugene Brown, Bob Case, Richard Gholson, Lawrence McGuire, Herbert Jenkins, William Shallenberger, William Stark, Hugh Powers, Eldridge Weaver. Affiliate from Colorado Alpha, Charles Platz.

*Chapter House Improvements:* Extensive improvements were made in the house this summer. Due to the efforts of Brother Jack McDowell and several of the brothers remaining at Stanford throughout the summer, all the interior woodwork of the house was painted. The walls of the study rooms were tinted. A new plumbing system was installed, which gave the house three good showers and several additional wash basins. A

new gas stove replaced the old inefficient coal stove that has been used by the chapter for a long period. Also, the heating units were repaired so that heat may now be had in the individual rooms as desired. The members of the chapter are anticipating the purchase of several new pieces of furniture to fit in with the other house improvements.

*Social Activities:* The chapter had open house on the Saturday of the Minnesota-Stanford football game. Sandwiches, salad and coffee were enjoyed by many returning alumni. The open house was handled most effectively by the reception committee. It was decided by the chapter members to have open house for several future football games to be played at Stanford.

FRANCIS BATES, JR.

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California Gamma, University of California at Los Angeles

*Leased a new house . . .*

*New Officers:* Carroll Whinnery, president; Vincent Dungan, reporter; Arthur Schaefer, secretary; Walter Barrager, historian; Robert Schulz, house manager.

*Phikeias:* Bill Doran, William Doeg, Dawson Adams, James Alger, Harris Donaldson, Watson Endicott, John Guarrant, Jerry Higgins, George Jepson, Merle Matter, Eugene Mattison, Harold Menjou, George Randall, George Salm, Charlton Schwartz, William Harrah, Jack Hayes.

*Chapter House Improvements:* The chapter has leased a new and larger house which affords more room for the twenty-three men now living in the house.

*Campus Activities:*  $\Phi \Delta \Theta$  is well represented on the varsity football team by Chuck Smith, halfback, Leonard Bergdahl, quarterback, Houghton Norfleet, tackle, Leslie Haight, end, Don Jacobson, tackle, and Lee Coates, center. Ernest Phillips was recently elected sophomore class president. Alan Reynolds has been chosen to play the lead in the University dramatics show. Lawrence Collins and Tom Cory are junior and sophomore football managers respectively. Phikeia Billy Doeg, playing tennis in the Middle West this summer won the Colorado men's singles tennis championship, and other junior titles in the East.

*Social Activities:* Preparations are being made by the chapter to hold the annual Hallow'e'en dance on October 24. Corn stalks and pumpkins will serve as decorations.

*Chapters Visitors:* Phikeia Vaughn, California '35, and Brothers Bud Godfrey, Stanford '33, and "Red" Rogers, Oregon '33, were guests of the chapter recently.

*Alumni Personals:* Donald Diehl, '28, was recently married to Miss Betty Heustis of K A Θ, '31.

VINCENT M. DUNGAN

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Colorado Alpha, University of Colorado

*Varied activity list . .*

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*Phikeias:* Robert Hurst, Arvada; Charles Keith, Denver; Donald Dungan, Boulder; Andrew Cooke, Waukegan, Ill.; John Naugle, Sterling; Alan Hays, Sterling; Arthur Hardy, Sidney, Neb.; John Durrett, Ardmore, Okla.; John Hilliard, Redlands, Calif.; George Botsford, Monte Vista; Elmer Power, Longmont; Charles Kreager, Crook; Forrest Claycomb, Bartlesville, Okla.

*Transfers:* George Kelly, Colorado Gamma, Ft. Collins; Winbourn McDonad, California Gamma, Denver.

*Campus Activities:* Phikeias Hilliard, Botsford, Naugle and Brother Sarkisian made the first Players Club tryout. Hilliard has a lead in the homecoming play. We have teams entered in the touchball and volleyball intramurals. Phikeia Kreager is out for cross-country and Phikeia Botsford is in training for the fall tennis tournament. Collins, last year's swimming captain is coaching swimming this year. L. Field is going strong as guard on varsity. He recently went to Portland with the squad for the Oregon State game. Coulter is out for varsity. Brown and Shippey are pledged to Φ Δ Φ, legal fraternity. Shippey is senior football manager this year. Sering has a good part in the Players' Club homecoming play. R. Morris is a member of the Honor System. Collins has been nominated for vice-president of the senior class. Hays is manager of the *Coloradoan*, yearbook. Collins is manager of the *Colorado Engineer*, and is delegate to the convention of the Engineering Magazine Association in Pittsburgh soon.

Bauserman is out for fall wrestling practice. Phikeia Keith is out for a berth on the swimming team. Phikeia Claycomb is on the *Colorado Engineer* staff. Barnett is assistant manager of this publication. Swenson is on the managerial staff of the *Coloradoan*. Hays, Phikeias Durrett and A. Hays are in the band.

*Social Activities:* The sorority pledge tea dances are in full swing. The chapter has been to a dance given by Tri Delta. Our fall pledge dance is to be held at the chapter house November 10.

*Chapter House Improvements:* We have refurbished the first floor living rooms and kitchen.

*Alumni Personals:* Many of our Denver alumni visited us during the recent rush week. The fall alumni letter is to be sent out soon. JOHN H. SHIPPEY

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Colorado Beta, Colorado College

*Twenty-four pledges . . .*

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*Phikeias:* Wandell Self, Limon; Donald Creager, Rocky Ford; Herbert Culver, Limon; Billy Blinn, La Junta; Francis Cuckow, La Junta; John Buxton, Kansas City, Mo.; Dudley Clark, Louviers; John Bicknell, Manzanola; George Derby, Bud Anderson, Frank Moeller, Denver; Damon Runyon, Scottsbluff, Neb.; Robert Harris, William Osborn, John Handke, Colorado Springs; Tom Hamm, Lewis Crosby, Oklahoma City; Oliver Nobles, Clarence Swan, Shelby Williams, Salt Lake City; Roy Wolfe, Ely, Nev.; James Waite, Champaign, Ill.; Fletcher Scott, Colorado Springs; Charles Bybee, Colorado Springs.

*Initiate:* Ray S. Hardy, Salt Lake City, September 26, 1931.

*Campus Activities:* Brothers deHolzer, Hartman, Deutsch, Mercer, Hardy, and Roark are on the football squad. Phikeias Self, Culver, Bicknell, Mueller, Swan, Nobles, Williams, Creager, are on the frosh football squad; Swan is frosh captain; James Waite is frosh manager. Grant is varsity manager; W. Haney is taking the lead in the first play given by Koshare Dramatic Club. D. Haney is Enthusiasm Chairman. Deutsch was elected to the student council. Grant was editor of the frosh handbook. Knodel, Reinking, W. Haney, McElvain, and January are members of the pep organi-

zation, Reinking is president of the group. Gray has been appointed as an assistant director of Koshare and is president of the group. Phikeia Bybee is the director of the college orchestra; he is a graduate of the Eastman School of Music. Campbell is a member of the band. Merritt is an officer of A K Ψ and Hardy and Reinking are members.

*Social Activities:* Φ Δ Θ entertained the Contemporary Club at a tea dance on September 24. They are to be the hosts of the Zetaethians on Friday, October 9. The pledge dance will be held on October 17.

*Chapter Visitors:* Miller, '24, Reinking, '27, Greiner, '25, R. Grant, *Colorado*, Williams, '18, Hamilton, '24, Hall, '26, Packham, '27, Rhodes, '28, Twilley, '25, Gatley, '24, Butterfield, '31, Brumfield, '22.  
HARVEY W. REINKING

Colorado Gamma, Colorado Agricultural College

*Good work by Mothers' Club . . .*

*Phikeias:* Boyd Buss, Norwood; Gar-nett Nichols, Canon City; Fred McGinn, Canon City; Bill Alldredge, Richard Baker, Earl Balis, Fort Collins; Dave Hickman, Cortez; Ralph Kesler, Limon; Floyd Mencimer, Brighton; Richard King, Monument; Josh Meyer, Gardner; Sherman Fuller, Brighton.

*Chapter House Improvements:* The floors were refinished during the summer and all the furniture was either repaired or replaced. The Mothers' Club has replenished and filled out our set of dishes.

*Campus Activities:* Fuller is member and president of V.M.A.; Tinsman is a member of the Student Council representing the band; Swisher, Fuller, Risdon, and Scribner are in the new pep organization, "Green Knights"; Hood and Laird are out for fall track; Grasse and Phikeia Balis are in the semifinals of intramural tennis; Skalla is on the varsity squad; Potts was elected to the Dramatic Club and has a small part in the first play; Russell has the lead in the play, "Broken Dishes"; Scribner is vice-president and stage manager of the Dramatic Club; Homer Sargent is out for basketball practice. Risdon has a commission as second lieutenant in the R.O.T.C.; Phikeia King has a commis-

sion as adjutant. Smith and Phikeia Slee are out for debating. Phikeias Kesler and Mencimer are playing first string on the freshman team; Phikeia Balis is president of Π K Δ.

*Social Activities:* A house dance was given October 2. Football was the theme in the decorations and programs. Plans are now being laid for Homecoming, October 24, and for the pledge dance, which will probably be held in November.

*Chapters Visitors:* Brother Johnson, Kansas, '04, was a frequent visitor during rush week. Jack McIntire, *Colorado*, '29, was here for a few days. Brother Williams, Province President, was here last week. Arthur Sheeley, '21, and Floyd Cross, '21, have both been dinner guests lately.

*Alumni Personals:* Hillis Benjamin, '28, is chemist in the Great Western Sugar Factory at Fort Morgan; Edward Foster, '28, is in California working as a salesman; Clarence Sundstrom, '30, is government inspector in Los Angeles; Troy Ault, '30, is chemist at Brighton.  
CLIFFORD SCRIBNER

Florida Alpha, University of Florida

*Saying it with neon . . .*

*Phikeias:* Steve Trice, Hal Starbuck, Bob Lau, Tampa; Wallace Brown, Everett Sellers, Charles Hicks, Bill Voight, Gordon Reed, Homer Horner, S. Petersburg; Welcome Shearer, Earl Harby, Gus Anthony, Bill Starke, Walter Floyd, Jacksonville; Jack Spruill, C. Addison Pound, Jr., John Allison, Gainesville; Jervy Gantt, Jr., St. Augustine; Raymond Parker, George Romph, Harold Fowler, Miami; Peter Harlee, Joe Fuqua, Palmetto; Fred Goggans, James Hatfield, Orlando; Donald Scott, Clearwater.

*Chapter House Improvements:* The chapter has moved into a much finer house, located near the center of the campus on Washington Street. It is capable of holding twenty-four men, two in a room. The three large front rooms open into each other, making a very spacious lounge, which has been entirely decorated by an interior decorator. The bedroom furniture has been renovated. The Tampa alumni donated a new neon sign to the chapter.

*Campus Activities:* Clay Simpson and Phikeia Gordon Reed are making the trip to Syracuse with the football team. Phikeias Hal Starbuck, Wallace Brown, Bill Starke, Fred Goggans, Welcome Shearer, Bob Lau are playing on the freshman squad. James Landon was recently initiated into O Δ K. Oscar Gower is manager of the freshman football team and Bill Charles is junior manager of the varsity. Jack Bostwick is out for the varsity tennis team. Landon is also a cheerleader. Calvert Pepper is president of the Theta Ribbon Society and Nelson Sawyer is secretary of the L'Apache Club. Phikeias Steve Trice and Earl Harby are working on the *Seminole Annual* staff. Phikeias Everett Sellers and Charles Hicks are assistant freshman football managers. Murray Harrison is a candidate for the polo team. John Bryson is treasurer of the "F" Club. Van Dorn Post and James Knott are members of the Florida Players. Post and Willard Howatt are members of the *Seminole* staff, on which Gardner Gillette is literary editor. Calvert Pepper is national flight commander of K T Δ, aeronautical fraternity.

*Social Activities:* An informal reception was held at the house the second week of school. Guests included the Phis and their wives and parents of pledges living in Gainesville. Another was held to greet Duncan U. Fletcher, *Vanderbilt*, '81, U. S. Senator from Florida for the past twenty-two years.

*Chapter Visitors:* For rushing: Ed. Vrieze, '27, Mike Houser, '30, Luke Dorsett, '32, Olin Watts, '25, Chester Ferguson, '30, Ralph Marsicano, '25, Stanley Norton, '27, John Alderman, '34, A. K. Powers, '33, Jerome Cordray, '27, W. M. Pepper, Jr., '27, Henslee Fuqua, '30, J. Will Dupree, *Colorado* '19. For rushing and for N.C. game, October 10: W. W. Trice, *Richmond* '93, Robert Burrit, '26, Aubrey Sawyer, '31, Birkett Jordan, '27, Kirvin Slade, '26, Bob Woodberry, '31, Shelton Brown, '31. For the game only: Tom Blalock, *Vanderbilt*, '27; W. M. McCrory, *Georgia*; J. P. Harlee, '30, Phikeia Peacock, Brothers Sullivan, Alan Wright, *North Carolina*; Claude Daley, '33, Aleck Daley, *North Carolina* '30. Others: Senator Duncan U. Fletcher, *Vanderbilt*, Brothers Williams and Jones, *Emory*.

TOM IRWIN

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Georgia Alpha, University of Georgia

1931 class valedictorian . . .

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*Phikeias:* Jasper Dorsey, Marietta; Clarke Duncan, Buena Vista; Harry Hopkins and Phil Fahrney, Atlanta; Lawrence Rambdo, Edwin Hamilton, and Robert Puckett, Blakely; Hammond Dean, Monroe; Ben Turner, Cordele; Ras Dickerson, McDonough; Byron Mitchell, Gainesville; John Q. West, Thomson; and Hardy Gregory, Vienna.

*Affiliate:* William Davis, Georgia Gamma.

*New Officers:* President, Ernest Smith; secretary, Ben Askew; reporter, Roy Bowen; warden, Charles Walker; treasurer, Alex Gaines; assistant treasurer, Kendrick Brown; historian, Joseph Vinson; alumni secretary, Robert Dunlap; chaplain, Eugene Killen; and chorister, Louis Brooke.

*Chapter House Improvements:* The chapter has purchased chairs for the porch, and a rug for the living room. The freshman dining room is to be renovated and a number of other improvements are to be made throughout the house.

*Campus Activities:* Hazlehurst is on the varsity football squad. Phikeias Hopkins and Fahrney are out for the freshman team. Bowen and Vinson are on the staff of the *Red and Black*, weekly newspaper. Gaines is a major in the University R.O.T.C., assistant business manager of the athletic association, and a member of the Y.M.C.A. cabinet. Phikeia Wood is president of the Thalian dramatic club. After the last report of the last school year Crittenden was elected valedictorian, and Smith was elected to Φ B K.

*Social Activities:* The social committee is planning for homecoming.

*Chapter Visitors:* W. A. Dozier, *Emory*, '07; Joe Clark, *Vanderbilt*, '16; Tommy Calloway, *Emory*, '32; Leonard Bowen, *Emory*, '33; Mell Wayne, '32; Roy Jones, '20; Frank Troutman, '31; and Morgan Thomas, '32.

ROY E. BOWEN

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## Georgia Beta, Emory University

*House campaign planned . . .*

*Phikeias:* Charles Clements, Jr., Buena Vista; George Niles, Charles Mills, III, Griffin; Charles Roberts, Macon; Francis Nunn, Perry; Jack Browning, Jack Wyche, Robert Barnes, Claud Jordan, John A. Griffen, Frank Davie, Randolph Timmerman, Atlanta; Clements Sutton, Washington.

*Chapter House Improvements:* After the house which Georgia Beta built, and occupied for nine years, burned last January a house was rented in which to finish out the year. Finding the house to be too small, another one which can accommodate more men, and is much more convenient, was rented during the summer at 1235 Emory Drive. A campaign is to be started for funds with which to build a house.

*Campus Activities:* As far as activities and campus honors are concerned, Georgia Beta is beginning its biggest year in this reporter's recollection. Bowden holds the most outstanding position on the campus in being editor of *The Wheel*, official weekly newspaper of the University. His other honors include: president of the student council, member of  $\Pi \Delta E$ , honorary journalistic fraternity,  $O \Delta K$ , and  $D V S$ . Williams was also elected to  $D V S$ , our fraternity being the only one on the campus to have two men elected to this senior honor society. Williams also holds positions as president of the Little Symphony Orchestra, president of Irumus social club, and president of  $\Pi \Delta E$ , journalistic fraternity. Hunter, who was last year president of  $A K \Psi$ , only honorary business administration fraternity on the campus, was at the close of last year elected to  $O \Delta K$ ; he is now president of the Glee Club. Besides Bowden as editor, *The Wheel* staff for 1931-32 includes Jones, Goddard, and Carithers. Jones is also vice-president of the student lecture association. Jac Coffman has been elected to  $\Phi \Sigma I$ , honorary romance language fraternity, and is student president of this organization. Of interest was the appointment of Jeff D. McCord, *Emory '16*, as athletic director.

*Social Activities:* A most enjoyable breakfast was given by the chapter after one of the dances which featured rush week. Georgia Delta chapter was guest.

HUGH A. CARITHERS, JR.

## Georgia Gamma, Mercer University

*Freshmen study parliamentary law . . .*

*Phikeias:* William Darby, Vidalia; Boyd Ellison, Vienna; Cooper Etheridge, Perry; Jack Hill, Cartersville; David Hazlehurst, Macon; John Sammons, Eatonton; David Wilson, Macon; Tom Nesbitt, Cordele.

*Affiliate:* Joseph Clisby, Macon, from Washington and Lee University.

*Campus Activities:* Richard Grinalds is president of the dramatic club, vice-president of junior class, and member of editorial board of the *Cluster*, student publication. Charles Herndon is vice-president of Panhellenic interfraternity council, and senior member of the student tribunal. Jimmy Etheridge is editor of the *Cluster*. Higdon makes *Cluster* staff. Miller Edwards is prosecuting attorney of the student tribunal. Phikeias Darby, Nesbitt, Hazlehurst, and Sammons made freshman football team. Phikeias Wilson and Etheridge entered in freshman tennis tourney.

*Chapter Visitors:* Hubert Darby, Clayton and Tom Calloway, Slick Williams and Boufflet Jones, *Emory*, Charles Walker, Weenie Killen, Joe Clark, Tom Christian, Darby Dudley, *Kansas*, Brother Nims, *Kansas*, T. D. Fletcher, Dick Jordan.

*Alumni Personals:* Tom Calloway and Charles Fincher are teaching in Eatonton high school, superintendent and principal of the school. Charles Walker gave the Phikeias a fine inspirational talk at the opening meeting. Wingfield Walker, Eatonton, has returned to school after teaching for two years. He is taking law. Archie Grinalds is chief announcer for radio station WRDW, Augusta, Georgia. Dick Jordan is now a big ginger bread man, having opened a "cookie" factory in Macon. Dr. Edwin McNeill Poteat, former president of Furman University, Greenville, South Carolina, has been given the chair of philosophy and ethics at Mercer. He comes to Macon from the Second Baptist church of Atlanta where he has been pastor for several years.

Under the supervision of Brother Wingfield Walker, Eatonton, founder of the Phikeia club at Georgia Gamma, the

eight Phikeias met following the first general meeting of the term and organized their group. Etheridge was named president, Wilson, secretary and treasurer, and Hazlehurst, vice-president. Brother Walker will continue to supervise the work of the Phikeias in their club meetings each week. The idea of the group is to develop an understanding of parliamentary law in the freshmen and bring them together in some organized way.

RICHARD GRINALDS

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Georgia Delta, Georgia School of Technology

*A house mother . . .*

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*Phikeias:* Frank Etheridge, Berrien Moore, Jr., George B. Ramsay, Jr., Billy Reese, Clarence Reese, and Charles R. Yates, all of Atlanta; Cy Kean, Charles Glass, of Miami, Fla.; John Ridley, Robt. M. Hammond, of LaGrange; John A. Houser, Fort Valley; John Tate, Marietta; Robert Allen, Decatur; Joe K. Jernigan, Troy, Ala.; Tom Little, Gainesville; Cliff Johnson, Columbus; Park Newton, Jackson; J. J. Russell, Binghamton, N.Y.; James Walker, Griffin; Joe Dunson, LaGrange; Gus Erwin, Florence, S.C.; S. M. McCarthy, Orlando, Fla.; Hathorne Eddy, New Orleans, La.

*Initiates:* R. L. Wilson, J. T. Garnett, R. J. Warner, John Owens.

*Chapter House Improvements:* The house has been renovated for the fall season. Several new lamps have been purchased and these add much to the attractiveness of the house. A new gas stove has been purchased and also a new set of dishes and silverware. We now have a house mother.

*Campus Activities:* Buck Flowers has been elected president of Anak, senior honorary society. Conniff is senior football manager and Owens is junior manager. We have seven men out for varsity football. Flowers, Milligan, and Davis are regular backfield men. Watson is head cheerleader. Cornell is business manager of the *Yellow Jacket*, college comic magazine. Oakes was elected captain of the golf team for this year. We have several men on the *Yellow Jacket* staff.

*Social Activities:* Our annual banquet at the close of rush season was held at

the Biltmore in honor of twenty-three new Phikeias. The following Sunday night the mothers' club entertained with a buffet supper at the chapter house in honor of the Phikeias, at which were present a number of the Atlanta sub-debs.

*Chapter Visitors:* Charles Barton, *Southern Methodist*, '26, W. O. Pittman, '17, Fletcher and Hegner, *Mercer*, '34, Ed Lee, *Virginia*, '30, Charlie Walker, *Georgia*, '32.

*Alumni Personals:* Brother Muse is now employed by National Theater Supply Co. of Dallas, Texas. Brother Tate is now with the McNeil Marble Co. Brother Knight is now with the Merrimac Mills, Huntsville, Ala. Brother Kimbrough is at West Point and Brother Edge is at Annapolis. Brother Sphar, our past chapter president, is at Harvard.

W. J. WATSON

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Idaho Alpha, University of Idaho

*Borah Foundation inaugurated . . .*

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*Phikeias:* Ed Metzgar and Howard Timken, Kellog; Charles Warner, Victor Warner, and Branch Walker, Boise; Bill Gerraughty, Dan Campbell, Don Harvey, Howard McInerney, and Marion Malmoe, Spokane, Wash.; John McManiman, Coeur d'Alene; Frank Peavey, Twin Falls; Merrill Green, Moscow; Bob Felton, Lewiston; Orville Westberg, Chicago; Frank Corothers, Rosalia, Wash.

*Initiates:* September 27, 1931: Fred Brailsford, Twin Falls; Bill Willis, Wallace; Ed Bjorklund, Coeur d'Alene; and Curtis Mann, Spokane, Wash.

*Chapter House Improvements:* External woodwork of the house has been repainted, and the rooms on the ground floor have been redecorated.

*Campus Activities:* Art Spaugy and Bill Brailsford are the two Phis on the Idaho varsity. Spaugy is entering his third year of varsity competition as center, while Brailsford is playing his first year on the squad as tackle. Phikeias Howard McInerney, Marion Malmoe, and Dan Campbell are out for the frosh squad. Gilbert St. Clair is one of the sophomore football managers. Paul Jones is serving his second year as editor of the *Argonaut*, university newspaper.

Others on the *Argonaut* staff are Paris Martin, special writer, Richard Stanton, sports editor, and Bill Willis, sports writer.

*Chapter Visitors:* Fred Jacobson, Charles T. Smith, and Leslie L. Haight, *California at Los Angeles*, were visitors at the house recently. They are travelling with the U.C.L.A. football squad.

*Alumni Personals:* John Middleton, '32, entered the Naval Academy at Annapolis in June after having successfully completed the examinations in February. He reports that he is enjoying the life as a student naval officer.

September 24-25 witnessed the inauguration of the William Edgar Borah Foundation for the Outlawry of War. The Foundation was established by the gift of \$50,000 for that purpose made in April, 1929 by Salmon O. Levinson of Chicago. As part of the inaugural ceremonies Senator Borah, Dr. Manley O. Hudson, Bemis Professor of International Law, Harvard University Law School, and Governor C. Ben Ross of Idaho gave addresses on international relations; Dr. Hudson continued his discussion of international problems in three subsequent addresses.

ROGER H. McCONNEL

Illinois Alpha, Northwestern University

*Managership monopoly . . .*

*Phikeias:* Robert Albritten, Evanston; Otis Bach, Ottawa; Robert Bart, Fort Wayne, Ind.; Herman Belz, Forest Park; Robert Bettcher, Chicago; Robert Brown, Arkansas City, Kan.; Paul Diener, Chicago; Charles Dugan, Des Moines, Iowa; Daniel Fling, Chicago; George Gessner, Dycert, Iowa; Martin Graham, Elmhurst; Harold Hanchett, Phoenix, Ariz.; Elmer Hoagland, Glencoe; Jack Hurd, Frankfort, Ind.; Phelps Johnston, Cheyenne, Wyo.; Donald Lang, Falls City, Neb.; Harry Leeper, Fort Wayne, Ind.; Davis Lott, Evanston; Ralph Nelson, River Forest; Charles Schied, Oak Park; George Siebel, Chicago; William Smith, Evanston; Lawrence Spilman, Ottumwa, Iowa; James Thomas, Evanston; John Watson, Elmhurst; Carol Wolfinger, Des Moines, Iowa; Dorr Wolf, Win-

netka; Franklin Yoder, Cheyenne, Wyo.; Paul Zemple, Lewistown; Kenneth Zuver, Adams, Neb.

*Initiates:* October 18; Paul J. Schutt, Sioux Center, Iowa; Kenneth Meenan, Oak Park.

*Campus Activities:* Russell, Fencil, Meenan, Olson, LaRoque, Youngberg, and O'Mara are on the varsity football squad. Cunningham is junior football manager, Phikeias Zuver, Leeper, Yoder, Wolf, and Lang are out for freshman football, and Phikeias Graham and Belz are freshman football managers. Rickards is out for basketball. Packard and Schutt have been elected to  $\text{B } \Gamma \Sigma$ , honorary commerce fraternity. Packard has been selected as chairman of the board of the WAA-MU show. McClain has been chosen as Lieut. Commander in the Naval R.O.T.C. Phikeias Smith and Albritten are candidates for freshman baseball managers. Massie is assistant advertising manager of the *Syllabus*, and Zimmerman is on the staff. Kurrle is a member of the Men's Union committee on student-faculty relations.

*Chapter Visitors:* Latny Barnes, field secretary, was at the chapter house from September 26 to September 28. F. J. R. Michell, '96, was a frequent visitor at the chapter house during his stay in Chicago. Mawson, Young, and Phikeia Land, *Nebraska*, were at the chapter house during their visit here for the Nebraska-N.U. game. Brand, '30, Rastetter, and McMahon, '31, were in town for the Notre Dame-N.U. game.

*Alumni Personals:* E. S. Albritton, '07, has been elected vice-president of the chapter house association and alumni adviser to the chapter. I. J. Cox, *Dartmouth*, '96, professor of history, has consented to serve as faculty adviser. Miller, '29, has been appointed assistant director of personnel at the University.

JOHN McCLAIN

Illinois Beta, University of Chicago

*High rank in scholarship . . .*

*New Officers:* President, James L. Porter; reporter, Carl A. Sheid; treasurer, David Campbell; warden, Warren Bellstrom; historian, Gerald Johnson; alumni secretary, Myron Larson; secretary, Edward Schaller; chaplain, How-

ard Marks; chorister, Frank Springer; house manager, Michael Ihnat.

*Phikeias*: Raymond Ickes, Winnetka; James Wilson, Cheyenne, Wyo.; Francis Cimeral, Chicago; Robert Eldred, Chicago; Oris Hastings, Cairo; Glen Breen, Chicago; Helmer Luckhardt, Chicago; John Pelzell, Wichita, Kan.; William Harper, Chicago; Edward Shumaker, Detroit, Mich.; Charles Henderson, Chicago.

*Initiates*: June 8, 1931. William Kuhns, Dayton, Ohio.

*Chapter House Improvements*: The chapter has been publishing the *Maroon Phi* for the last six months. It is designed to promote alumni interest and keep the alumni informed on chapter activities. We have installed a new fireplace in the living room, redecorated all the rooms and are remodeling a room in the basement for cook and house man.

*Campus Activities*: Bellstrom, Thomson, B. Johnson, and Aufdenspring are on the varsity football squad. Whitney and Bellstrom were elected to Iron Mask, junior honorary society and Aufdenspring and Springer to Scull and Crescent, sophomore honorary society. Schaller is on the business staff of the *Daily Maroon*, Whitney is treasurer of the Interfraternity Council, Gerald Johnson is on the varsity cross-country team. For the second straight year we have been awarded the Intramural Championship. Forbrich won first place all-around honors, while Lee, Scheid, and Campbell were among the first 15 high scorers in the university; we won several very fine trophies as a result of our victory. We ranked sixth in scholarship for the spring quarter a jump over any previous quarter. Springer and Messenger are trying out for narts in the Dramatic Club productions. White is in training for the varsity wrestling season.

*Chapter Visitors*: Ernest Quantrell, '05; Harold Ickes, '97; William Otis Wilson, '97; Floyd Harper, '06; Scott Allison, '27; and Latney Barnes, traveling secretary of  $\Phi \Delta \theta$ .

CARL A. SCHEID

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Illinois Delta-Zeta, Knox College

*Shy two for a football team . . .*

*Phikeias*: Dave Painter, Waukegan; Warren French, Morton Grove; Joe

Mann, Evanston; Bill Freese, Detroit, Mich.; Vay Logan, Dallas City; Les Foulke, Macomb; Ward Smith, Alexander Finley, Nevin Smiley, Joe Morgan, Dale Rowe, and Bernard Burford of Galesburg; Herb McClennahan, Lafayette.

*Campus Activities*: Captain Wilson, Vassen, Smith, Sloan, Moline, Jones, Zinscr, Foulke, and McClennahan make a sizeable representation on the football squad. Lewis is president of the student council for the ensuing year. Bogue is editor of the year book and president of the Knox Player's Club. Wilson is president and Smith is a voting member of the athletic Board of Control. Phikeia Morgan is sports editor of the school paper; Barron is associate editor of this periodical. The chapter won the Cooke Intramural trophy again last year. In order to get permanent possession of this trophy we need to win it one more time.

*Social Activities*: On Friday, October 2, a house party was held. Thirty couples attended.

J. P. SMITH

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Illinois Eta, University of Illinois

*Varied activity list . . .*

*Phikeias*: Jean Burkhart, Walter Alvis, Benton; William Rapp, Theodore Parmelee, Urbana; Hall Teeman, Park Ridge; Robert Kennicott, Des Plaines; John Lyons, Rockford; Culver Mills, Galesburg; Clinton Clarke, Jr., Anna; Harvey Acton, Danville; George Furst, Theodore Durfee, Peoria; Hall Layman, Du Quoin; William Heinz, Carlinville; Norman Jones, Jr., Carrollton; Henry Hofmann, Chicago; Melville Beardsley, Kansas City, Mo.; Lawrence Seamans, Joliet; Johnathan Booz, Winchester; Roger Taylor, Highland Park.

*Initiates*: June 11, 1931. Kenneth Louton, Des Plaines; Robert Hugley, Chicago; Richard Johnson, Muskegon, Mich.; Edward Boies, Sycamore; Russell Nelson, Peoria; Donald McDonald, Urbana; Kenneth May, Aurora.

*Chapter House Improvements*: New window drapes for the entire first floor were bought this summer. New dining-room chairs have been purchased, and a complete set of laundry equipment has been installed in the basement.

*Campus Activities*: The two Kamp

cousins, Elbert and Robert, were elected to Ma-Wan-Da, an honor society for senior men. Barber was elected at the same time to Schem, junior men's society. Murray made  $\Phi$  H  $\Sigma$ . The chapter is particularly proud of Gilbert Berry and David Cook, who are the leading backfield candidates on the varsity football team. "Gil" is starting his second year at halfback, while "Dave," the son of the famous Brother James F. Cook, '03, is beginning a most promising three years of intercollegiate competition. Foley is making a strong bid for the quarterback position. Ayres Ricker is active in fall tennis practice. Phikeias Seamans and Layman are on the freshman football squad, while Phikeia Kennicott is practicing track. Kirk and Phikeia Acton are on the business staff of the *Ilio*, and William Ricker is a news editor of the *Daily Ilio*.

*Chapter Visitors:* C. W. Campbell, '31; R. J. Conover, '31; G. Lane Eldred, '31; R. N. Jennings, '31; C. O. Clark, '03; James F. Cook, '03; C. B. Bates, ex-'34.

*Alumni Personals:* Merton Rapp, '32, has been pledged to  $\Phi$   $\Delta$   $\Phi$ , John Lansden, ex-'31, was married on September 23, 1931 to Miss Ann Kaufmann. F. L. Johnston, '31, is located in Rocky Ford, Colorado. Lane Eldred, '31, is working in a bank in Carrollton, Illinois. Robert Conover, '31, is working with his father in Jacksonville, Ill.

WILLIAM C. GIFFORD

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Indiana Alpha, Indiana University

Fourteen Phikeias . . .

*Phikeias:* Edward Parson, Kokomo; Lauren Case, Attica; Carl Kautner, Elwood; Robert Doerman, Elwood; Omar Shake, Logansport; Robert Newhouse, Peru; Earl Carey, Marion; Kenneth Shaffer, Corydon; Thomas Martin, Louisville, Ky.; John Burger, Goodland; Hubert Smeltzer, Indianapolis; Wendell Weesner, Mishawaka; Woodrow Weir, Scottsburg; and Robert Shaffer, Indianapolis.

*Chapter House Improvements:* The dining room floor has been painted. All of the rooms were papered and the halls and room floors revarnished during the summer vacation. The kitchen floor is covered with new linoleum.

*Campus Activities:* Williams and Crawford are out for varsity football. Phikeias Shake and Newhouse are gaining recognition in freshman football. Phikeia Weir is out for the cross country race.

*Social Activities:* Plans are being made for the annual fall dance in honor of the new pledges. Mrs. Ola Robertson has returned to the house as house-mother.

*Chapter Visitors:* Joe Swope, '15; John Schumaker, '21; Henry Keene, '21; William Dennison, '09.

*Alumni Personals:* William Karsel, '02, died in July, 1931, and Edward Hughes, '98, also passed away. Both were from Bloomington, Indiana, and were prominent in the progress of our chapter. The active chapter knew no better friends than these two brothers, and deeply regrets their entering the Chapter Grand.

ROBERT BISHOP

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Indiana Beta, Wabash College

House redecorated . . .

*Phikeias:* Stewart Hartfelder, Sullivan; John T. Hays, Sullivan; Robert Blackburn, Olney, Ill.; Walter Blackburn, Olney, Ill.; S. Gerow, Munising, Mich.; Charles Todd, Indianapolis; Frank Gleaves, Indianapolis; Joe Whitzel, Ithaca, N.Y.; Jack Jewett, LaPorte; Charles Robertson, Brownstown; Raymond Robbins, Brownstown; J. R. Robertson, Chicago, Ill.; Paul Whitney, Chicago, Ill.; Charles D. Kelso, Hagers-town, Md.; T. Z. Ball, Jr., Crawfordsville; John Freeman, Crawfordsville; George Meahl, Brownstown.

*Initiate:* October 1: George W. Coffel.

*Chapter House Improvements:* During the late summer many improvements were made. The floors were all cleaned and polished. The walls and floor of the bathroom were repainted. New wallpaper in part of the house. New clothes closets were installed in two rooms. New furniture was purchased for the guest room and front porch.

*Campus Activities:* Swails, Smith, and Wrona are out for varsity football. They are all letter men from last year. Smith and Wrona also won baseball letters last spring. Phikeias Robertson, Robbins, W. Blackburn, R. Blackburn, Whitney,

Hartfelter, and Gerow are out for freshman football. Phikeia Hays is out for the *Bachelor*. Paul Baron is business manager of the *Caveman*. Baron is also a member of  $\Pi \Delta \Sigma$ . Taron is assistant business manager of the yearbook. C. T. Hux, and C. J. Hux are members of T K A.

*Social Activities:* The annual pledge dance was held October 3, 1931.

*Chapter Visitors:* Charles Dryer, '28; Richard Robertson, '29; Don Moore, '28; C. K. Thompson, '31; R. T. Byers, '98; R. Ritchie, '24; Victor Raiser, '31; P. W. Campbell, '31; Hinkle C. Hays, '12; Walter Linn, '09; Ben C. Evans, '19; John P. Todd, *Indiana*, '04.

W. W. WHEELER

Indiana Gamma, Butler University

*Continuing an activities  
monopoly . .*

*Phikeias:* Hugh Lipsett, Peru; William McGraw, Tipton; Mark Brown, Lake Providence, Louisiana; Charles Dayton, Lehigh, Iowa; Wallace Raiser, Bud Biegler, Henry Jacobi, John Thompson, Dudley McElahney, Bob Stewart, Spurgeon Johnson, Jim Monro, Bob Dunham, Cornelius Helwig, Carroll Reynolds, Park Lewis, Leslie Ross, Joe Quigley, Albert Anderson, and Paul Green, all of Indianapolis.

*Initiates:* May 13, 1931. Ben Parrish and Bert Davis.

*Chapter House Improvements:* Largely through the work of Mrs. Coon, house-mother, the lawn has been beautified and a rock garden constructed in the rear of the house. A row of poplar trees along the back boundaries were set out by Hilton U. Brown, '80, Past President of the General Council. Both the house radios were overhauled and a card and recreation room was fitted out on the third floor. Bronze Greek letters were installed on the front porch entrance by the Mothers' Club of Indiana Gamma.

*Campus Activities:* Brandt was elected vice-president of Blue Key and Blackburn received the presidency of Sphinx, honorary junior fraternities. Hoffman and Bailey were pledged to Blue Key. Steve Hadley, Arnett, and McCreary were pledged by Sphinx. Hoffman was elected editor of the *Drift*, Butler yearbook, for 1932. Smith was re-elected as

senior member, with Boling as sophomore member of the student council. Hanna was elected president of Men's Union and appointed as assistant publicity director of the university. Arnett received the appointment by the athletic department as intramural manager of the school. Booz, Mécum, Sohl, Brandt, Conrad, Stewart, Dayton, Blackburn, and Boling are on the varsity football squad. Booz was elected captain of the team. The first six mentioned are in the regular starting lineup. Phikeias R. Stewart, Johnson, Brown, Green, Jacobi, and W. Raiser are on the freshman football team. Hoffman is the incoming president of Y.M.C.A. Green and Smith were among the six representative students chosen by the *Drift*. Gilliom was elected president of  $\Phi \text{ H } \Sigma$ , national freshman honorary scholastic fraternity. Phikeias Thompson and McGraw were selected as varsity yell leaders at an all-school tryout. Hanna served as city editor of the *Collegian* during the summer school session.

*Chapter Visitors:* Harlan Hadley, '31; Scott Ham, '25; Lou Reichel, '26; Luke Walton, '31.

*Alumni Personals:* Brother Harlan Hadley, '31, has accepted a position on the copy desk of the *Wall Street Journal*. Bob Butterworth, '30, is Michigan representative of L. G. Balfour & Co., at Ann Arbor. Russell Townsend, '31, has gone to the University of Pennsylvania for a two year course in insurance. Crawford Yeazel has located in Chicago with the Thos. B. Halpin Printing Co. Gran Geisert, '31, is with the accounting department of the Linco Oil Company in Indianapolis. Luke Walton, '31, was married to Adelaide Reeves, a member of K K  $\Gamma$  at Butler, on October 4, 1931. They have located in Iowa.

CHARLES E. SOHL

Indiana Delta, Franklin College

*Honorary degree for Elmer  
Davis . . .*

*Phikeias:* Norman Lloyd, Emmons Houglan, Harold Owens, Paul Cummings, and Donald Brewer, all of Franklin; Wilbur Kramer, Walter Fries, Kenneth Foster, and Herman Champlin, all of Indianapolis; Edward Pease, Edinburg; Gwyn Howland and John Ever-

road, Columbus; Gerald Asbell, Bedford; Richard Moser, Woodburn; Aubrey Cleveland, Elwood; James Hughes, New Albany; Durward Dill, Logansport; Dwight McCague, Bluffton; Frank Cohn, Seymour; Otto Games, Indianapolis.

*Campus Activities:* Robertson is student council president. Cox is on the student council executive board. Surface, Johnson, and Robertson are members of Blue Key; Surface is president. Robertson is president of  $\Theta A \Phi$ . Province is president of the senior class; he was chairman of 1931 junior prom. Cuddy is editor of the yearbook. Kenny is business manager. Last spring Houston won the tennis tournament; in addition he received the award for his work as intramural manager. Medsker succeeds him. J. Kenny was elected as a representative student. Britton had the lead in the senior class play. Dailey, Rowe, Maguire, Cline, and J. Kenny played intramural tennis. Surface, Cox, and Phikeias Everroad, Kline, Foster, Staples, Cleveland, Moser, Brewer, Hiland, Games, and Dill went out for football. Johnson is manager. Medsker and Phikeias Champlin, Fries, Howland, Pease and Asbell are on the staff of the school paper. Province is circulation manager. G. Kenny and Cuddy helped manage an all-school dance. Phikeias Earlywine, Brewer, McCague, and Pease are in the chapel choir. Robertson, Rowe, and Phikeia Cleveland have parts in the first  $\Theta A \Phi$  production.

*Chapter Visitors:* K. G. Foster, '03; William Johnson, '30; Donald Smith, '24; Hubert Thomason, '28; O. E. Warneke, ex-'25; Elmer Davis, '10; Lyman Hall, '10; Will Nelp, '17; Reider Oas, ex-'29; Lenard Trent, ex-'31; Hershell Skinner, '29; Howard Robinson, '21; Lorraine Rake, '30; Lawrence Reece, '31; Clem Thompson, *Wabash*, '31; Calvert Craig *Butler*, '31.

*Alumni Personals:* The marriages of Lorraine Rake, '30, with Miss Helen L. Grimes, Spartanburg, S.C.; Hershell Skinner, '29, with Miss Evelyn R. Cline, Columbus, Ind.; and James Green, ex-'32, with Miss Martha McFarren, Bluffton, have been announced. Lawrence Reece, '31, is manager of the Waldron Division of the E. G. Reece Canning Co. Donald Smith, '24, and Verne Smith, ex-'30, bought the Cambridge City Feed Mills. Elmer Davis, '10, received the Litt.D. degree at the Franklin College

commencement. Clarence Lloyd, ex-'31, is manager of the Seymour Capital Loan Co. Harry Dailey, ex-'33, is attending Indiana University.

J. FRANCIS MEDSKER

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Indiana Zeta, DePauw University

*Journalistically inclined . . .*

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*Phikeias:* Joseph Andrews, Huntington; Wilfred Johnson, Summitville; Robert Kuhner, Muncie; Jack Walther, Rushville; Bud Wellman, Danville, Ill.; Floyd Placzek, Cicero, Ill.; Carl Papenhansen, Hinsdale, Ill.; Clarence Smith, East Chicago; Edward Wilson, Rushville; Alan Meyer, River Forest, Ill.; Robert Baker, Evansville; William Hall, Evanston, Ill.; Richard LaGrange, Franklin; Marshall Brown, Indianapolis; George Harrison, Evanston, Ill.; Eugene Stocker, Vincennes; Meyer Jones, Hartford City; and Robert Haycock, Greentown.

*Initiates:* October 2, Rollin Hjorth, Chesterton, and Paul Longstreth, Indianapolis.

*Chapter House Improvements:* During the summer the chapter house was thoroughly gone over, all necessary improvements made, the furniture in the library was re-upholstered, and new locks put on some of the doors. New dishes have been purchased and are expected to arrive shortly.

*Campus Activities:* Lowther is out for football, and Phikeias Smith and Kuhner are on the freshman squad. Edwards is secretary-treasurer of K T K, interfraternity council, and Geiger is president of Oxford Club, an organization for students interested in the ministry. Millett is the new president of the Student's union which brings outstanding lectures to the campus every Sunday night. Pearson has a rôle in the first dramatic production of the year. Longstreth is on the staff of the *Yellow Crab*, humor publication. Clements is circulation manager of the *DePauw*, campus newspaper, on which Millett is feature editor, Brennan a member of the copy desk, Early, a reporter, and Phikeias Wellman and Placzek members of the circulation staff. Osborne and Phikeia Schroeder are also working on the circulation staff. Millett is on the varsity

debate team and Phikeias Wilson and Jones are on the freshman squad. Phikeia Hall is singing in the choir, and Phikeias Baker, Wilson, and Jones are in the University band.

*Chapter Visitors:* Angus Cameron, '30; Milford Miller, '30; Paul Carmak, '28; Ed Crowder, '31; William Springer, '31; Russell Talbot, '31; Clymer Jones, '31; R. Hawthorne, '04; H. L. Davis, '93; Neil Grider, '09. JOHN MILLETT

Indiana Theta, Purdue University

*High in activities . . .*

*Phikeias:* O. George, Oak Park, Ill.; P. Proctor, Piqua, Ohio; J. Rockwood, Indianapolis; J. Turner, Louisville, Ky.; E. Mairner, Bristol, Pa.; E. Ripy, Lawrenceburg, Ky.; J. Dalton, Fort Wayne; W. Nau, Cincinnati, Ohio; C. Heldt, Evansville; J. Brockman, Brookville; W. Thornbrough, Lafayette; W. Hamerstadt, Indianapolis.

*Chapter House Improvements.* A new electric ice box has been installed. The housemother, Mrs. Moore, has made new curtains for the dorms and study rooms.

*Campus Activities:* W. T. Harris was appointed chairman of the military ball committee. Knox and Leaming were pledged to Gimlet, activity honorary. Knox was appointed member of military ball committee. C. A. Lippincott was elected president of Skull and Crescent, sophomore honorary. Duncan was appointed senior adviser of Skull and Crescent. Harris received a citation for ranking second in R.O.T.C.

*Social Activities:* The dance committee is planning a dance for November 7. The Miami Triad dance committee is planning a dance in the near future. Harris headed reception committee for Illinois University guests. Everyone enjoyed his visit.

*Chapter Visitors:* F. W. Lewis, '31; F. M. Gilbert, '31; J. Connor, '17; C. Nessler, '24, F. Moorman, '23; V. L. Brink, '30. R. E. KTEL

Iowa Alpha, Iowa Wesleyan College

*"Control all college publications" . . .*

*Phikeias:* Joe Hall, Paul McCormick, Merlin Bayne and Merritt Smith,

Mt. Pleasant; Edwin Hoaglin, Hillsboro; Lambert Yant, Burlington; Richard Longnecker, Council Bluffs; John Rogers, Denver, Colorado; Mark Coyner, Muskatine; Darrell Williams, Tipton; Jack Gammon, Keokuk; Charles Moore, Bill Martin, Prairie City, Ill.; Austin Froom, Regina, Saskatchewan; Joe Gadwell, Pa.

*Chapter House Improvements:* Iowa Alpha installed at the beginning of the present school year several pieces of furniture including a new parlor set, new floor lamps, two rugs, three dressers, several new chairs and a complete set of crested dining hall equipment. A new set of smoking stands was added to the down stairs equipment and several improvements were made on the bath room.

*Campus Activities:* Hingstris is captain of the 1931 football team of which Hall, Cullers, Turner, Barry and Phikeia Joe Hall are members. Yant, McCormick, and Gammon are members of the squad.  $\Phi \Delta \Theta$  controls all college publications, Hall being editor of the yearbook, Lundgren of the weekly paper, and Schwarzenbach of the *Wesleyan Woofus*, humor magazine. Schwarzenbach also serves as business manager of the yearbook. In the band are: Willitts, Lindeen, and Phikeias Campbell, Dinsmore, Rogers, and Bayne.

*Social Activities:* An "open house" was held for all prospective pledges on September 15. A date was arranged for each guest and refreshments were served. After taking the girls home the rushees returned to the chapter house for a smoker during which three alumni of Iowa Alpha and President Hingst made short talks, helpful for freshmen. A picnic was also held about this time for all rushees at the Oakland Mills State Park. During the time Latney Barnes, traveling secretary of  $\Phi \Delta \Theta$ , was visiting with the chapter the organization held a picnic at the state park.

*Chapter Visitors:* Latney Barnes, traveling secretary, Bill Scott, '24; Duane Potts; Richard Lee, '31; A. C. Gerth, Iowa, '31; Bill Everingham, Iowa; Dale Caris, '31; Lester Uffelmann, '31.

*Alumni Personals:* Dale Caris, '31, is the new principal of Moravia high school at Moravia, Iowa.

JOHN B. LUNDGREN

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Iowa Beta, University of Iowa

*This on just about all the teams . . .*

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*Phikeias:* Dale Carrell and Jack Joyce, Keokuk; Louis Corcoran, Thomas Corcoran, Rock Rapids; George Ficke, Kenneth Shunk, Davenport; Arthur Johnson, Leon; Myles Jackson, Pasadena, Calif.; Robert Ingram, Albia; Max Gerber, Francis Schamel, Waterloo; Charles Latchem, Alan Peterson, and Louis Peterson, Sioux City; Frank Nye, Jr., Don Lewis, and Harry Richardson, Shenandoah; Frank Roberts, Ottumwa; Hunter Michaels, Chicago, Ill.; Robert Woodward, Dubuque; Robert Tillotson, Corydon.

*Initiates:* Robert Brooks, Tama; Jack McGuire, Des Moines; Warren Patterson, Marshalltown; Arthur DeWinter, Pella; Harry Shunk, Davenport.

*Chapter House Improvements:* During the summer the study rooms and halls were redecorated, dining room replastered and painted, and numerous minor improvements made around the house.

*Campus Activities:* McGuire was elected captain of the swimming team for the coming year. Phikeia Latchem is out for freshman swimming. Phikeias Schamel, Gerber, Johnson, T. Corcoran, and L. Corcoran are working on freshman football. Phikeia Shunk is the freshman cheer-leader. Willett and Phikeia Peterson are out for varsity basketball. Phikeia Jackson is out for varsity track. Shunk is on the fall baseball squad. Chesterman and Phikeia Nye are working on fall tennis. Richardson is on the varsity golf squad with Phikeia Lewis working on the freshman squad. Brooks is a member of the varsity debating team. Phikeia Michaels has a part in the first University play of the year. Phikeia Roberts is on the production staff of the University Players. Phikeias Ingram and Nye are on the *Frivol* staff. Cornog is holding his position of hammer-thrower on the varsity track team.

*Social Activities:* A party was held during rush-week for the new Phikeias, the Iowa Cavaliers furnishing the music.

*Chapter Visitors:* William Bremmer, B. V. Moore, Latney Barnes, Don Davidson, Craven Shuttleworth, Tom

Joyce, Emery Ruby, and Tido Hutchinson.  
FAY W. PAIN, JR.

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Iowa Gamma, Iowa State College

*Four campus presidencies . . .*

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*Phikeias:* Richard Macy, Adel; Russell Griffith, Ames; John Griffith, Ames; Richard Murphy, Des Moines; Laurel Bland, Sioux City; Charles Roy, Evanston, Ill.; William Sopher, Des Moines; William Cherrington, Leon; Robert Conrad, Chickasha, Okla.; Robert Davis, Des Moines; Kenneth Ames, Peoria, Ill.; Harlie Zimmerman, Peoria, Ill.; Don Sternberg, Des Moines; Morse Bradford, Sioux Falls, S.D.; Robert Hawley, Ames; Robert Harban, Oak Park, Ill.; Marlowe Williams, Des Moines; Ralph Gaines, Council Bluffs.

*Chapter House Improvements:* Halls and kitchen redecorated, new stove, new silverware and new lamps.

*Campus Activities:* Weld, president senior class; Hershe, president American Society Civil Engineers; Weld, president American Society Industrial Engineers; Stephenson, vice-president Industrial Science Council; Feroe, president Men's Social Council; Weld, chairman Cardinal Guild homecoming committee; Smith, Swoboda, and Stark, varsity football; Phikeias Ames, Harban, and Williams, prep football; Cross, William Drake, and Weld, varsity swimming; Phikeias Zimmerman and Murphy, freshman swimming; Phikeias Bland, Bradford, Conrad, Sopher, Macy, and Davis, freshman track; Sokol and Phikeias Gaines and Sternberg, Iowa State *Student* reporters; Phikeia Cherrington, Glee club.

*Social Activities:* Fall dance at chapter house October 31. Homecoming, Iowa State vs. Missouri, October 24.

*Chapter Visitors:* Walter Metcalf, '22; John B. Wingert, '30; B. W. Hopkins, '31; and David Ainsworth, '26; Latney Barnes, traveling secretary.

CONRAD STEPHENSON

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Kansas Alpha, University of Kansas

*A variety of activities . . .*

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*Phikeias:* Powell Aubrey, Kansas City, Mo.; John Breidenthal, Kansas City,

Kan; Manuel Edquist, Salina; Tom Griffith, Wichita; Stanley Haggart, Hollywood, Calif.; Albert Harding, Kansas City, Mo.; Mell Harper, Wichita; Brooks Harryman, Wichita; Eugene Haughey, Corcordia; Charles Hess, Kansas City, Mo.; Lee Judy, Kansas City, Kan.; Lloyd Lane, Paola; Jack Lostutter, Emporia; Tom McCoy, Hiawatha; James McCoy, Topeka; Wilson McCoy, Winfield; Fred Newman, Arkansas City; Marlin Poindexter, Topeka; Mike Seltzer, Brownwood, Tex.; Norman Siebert, Marion; John Weltmer, Great Bend; George Moore, Lawrence; Charles Rogers, Lawrence.

*Initiates:* October 11: James McCullagh, Galena; Paul Woodmansee, Kansas City, Mo.; and Ken Stevens, Hutchinson.

*Campus Activities:* Sifers, Sour Owl board, humor section of *Jayhawker*; Chambers and Rice, assistant editors of *Jayhawker*; White and Chambers, Ku Kus; Lee, entomology club; Weaver, varsity football; Harper, Poindexter, Judy, Moore, and W. McCoy, freshman football; Smith, band; Sleeper, chairman of service committee of Y.M.C.A.; Sangster, editor of *Kansas Engineer*; George Jones, associate editor of *Kansas Engineer*, and American Institute of Electrical Engineers; James McCoy, glee club; Taylor and Bartlett, varsity cross country; Goodrich and Lakin, lieutenants in R.O.T.C.

*Social Activities:* Party October 16 at Ecke's Hall, with June Layton playing.

*Chapter Visitors:* Duncan Kimble, '28; Herb Laing, '27; Paul Ward, '30; Robert Kroenert, '28; Bill Rice, '28; Bob Sohlburg, '26; Robert Benham, *Cincinnati*; Harvey Gunderson, *South Dakota*; Jada Brown, *Minnesota*.

*Alumni Personals:* T. C. Bishop is coach and physical director of St. John's School, Salina, Kansas. E. J. Grovier, Jr., was married to Mary Elizabeth Noyes at Hutchinson, Kansas, June 17. E. W. Poindexter was married to Miss Ariel Nichols of Topeka, Kansas, June 17. C. J. McCoy was married to Miss Bertha Wilson of Lawrence, Kansas, June 17. W. D. Kimble is in the office of the Attorney General, Roland Boynton. George Kroenert was married to Miss Elizabeth Boggs of Arkansas City, July 8. Kenneth G. Meuser is managing editor of the Olathe, Kansas, *Mirror*. H. F. Laing is with the City Bank of Kansas City, Missouri, in the bond de-

partment. Endsley Jones, who graduated last spring from the Harvard Business School, is now with the Southwestern Bell Telephone Company in Kansas City, Missouri. M. F. Jocelyn and H. C. Jeffery are in Pasadena, California, where they run the Sta-Crisp Potato Chip Company. W. E. Powell and Gertrude Schooley were married at Kansas City, Missouri, June 26. They reside at 1204 West 40th Street.

OLIVER G. CLAFLIN

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Kansas Gamma, Kansas State College

*Freshmen win scholarship cup . . .*

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*Phikeys:* Mosser, Larned; Hartman, Hoisington; Luder, Caldwell; Gillett, Peabody; Edward Souder, Minneapolis; Le Master, Perryton, Tex.; Neubauer, Kansas City; Hughes, Stockton; Wiksten, Topeka; Landon, Topeka; Wiruth, Alma; Leek, Great Bend; Taylor, Topeka; McCormick, Alameda, Calif.; Waddell, St. Joseph, Mo.; and Short, Concordia.

*Chapter House Improvements:* All the old floors in the house were removed this summer and replaced by new ones. A new radio was purchased by the chapter.

*Campus Activities:* The Kansas Gamma freshmen won the scholarship cup for the first semester last year with a "B" average. There were seven Phikeys in the freshman class and every one of them made his grades and was initiated. This year every one of these men is back in school. Horchem is the newly elected president of Beauvais, an honorary dancing fraternity. At the last meeting of the pep organization, II E II, Fleming was elected secretary and treasurer. Ehlich, captain of the Kansas State track team last year, is in school and has one more year of competition. He placed second at the national collegiate track meet last year at Chicago and is Bix Six champion and record holder in the high jump. Boyd is out for varsity basketball. Several of the Phikeys are engaged in freshman sports. The names and their activities: Mosser, basketball; Luder, basketball; Neubauer, basketball; Wiruth, basketball; Waddell, football; Landon, track; Taylor, track; Gillett, track; Hughes, tennis. Of these men, Landon and Taylor are eligible for varsity track. Landon won the tryouts

for the varsity cross country team and will be the number one man for the varsity this year.

*Social Activities:* The chapter has had the  $\Phi \Delta \Theta$  sisters and town mothers over for dinner in the last few weeks. The  $\Phi \Delta \Theta$  mothers were over October 4, and the sisters had dinner with us October 11. The Phikeias gave a party for the active chapter October 23.

*Chapter Visitors:* Delmas Price, '31, who is working for the United Telephone Company at Salina; McMill Boyd, '29, business manager of the Phillips County Review; George Davison, '28; Dallas Price, '29; Harold Lewis, '29, Tulsa. Okla. FRANCIS W. BOYD

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Kentucky Alpha-Delta, Centre College

*Another house occupied . . .*

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*Phikeias:* George Bohon, II, Harrodsburg; Hiram Daugherty, Covington; Frank L. Drake, Ft. Leavenworth, Kan.; Robert Logan Hundley, Danville; Wallace Kelly, Jr., Berkeley, Calif.; Earl W. Manning, Jr., Chattanooga, Tenn.; Charles J. Rice, Ashland; Henry W. Sanders, Louisville.

*Initiates:* Thurman Anderson, Bowling Green; Arthur G. Colburn, Jr., Cincinnati, Ohio; Andrew J. Hale, Jr., Pineville; John Sagar, London, England.

*Chapter House Improvements:* Kentucky Alpha-Delta has recently rented a new chapter house with which we are greatly pleased. The new house is quite spacious and is ideally located and planned for a fraternity house. Several new tables, lamps, rugs, and other pieces of furniture have been purchased for the new house and other furniture refinished. A complete set of new silverware, with the fraternity monogram, has been purchased.

*Campus Activities:* Faurest is president of the senior class. F. Morgan is associate editor of the yearbook and secretary-treasurer of the junior class. Colburn is manager of the Centre College Players. Anderson and Lancaster are doing nice work as center and tackle on the varsity football team. Phikeia Hundley is playing guard on the freshman football team. Phikeia Manning is playing in the Centre orchestra.

*Chapter Visitors:* Leslie Long, '29;

Gerald McMurtry, '29; Henry Faurest, '28; S. F. Daugherty, '03; "Red" Roberts, '23; Logan Patterson, '30; Louis Gill, '04. W. BURFORD DAVIS

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Kentucky Epsilon, University of Kentucky

*Much new University construction . . .*

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*Phikeias:* Phil Ardery, Robert Gaitskill, William Baldwin, John L. Davis, Amos Taylor, Ed Barnes, Bus Clayton, Earl Carron, Shelby Kincaid, Calvin Applegate, Waller Hunt, Earl Willis, Robert Luxon, James McDonald, Charles Durr, Brug Harting, Dan McCarol, Lucien Norman, Buddy Keller, Elmer Eversole, Lee Miles.

*Chapter House Improvements:* The front porch has been repainted and the lower floors revarnished.

*Campus Activities:* William Ardery was elected the director for the fall play to be given by Strollers. He will have charge of the appointments for assistant positions and will help select the cast which he is to direct. William Ardery was also elected editor-in-chief of the *Kernal*, the university newspaper. He had been editor during the summer session but was reelected for the fall and spring semesters. Several of the Phikeias are out for Su Ky, while others are out for Strollers, reporters on the *Kernal* staff, and debating. Massie was awarded a cup at the end of the spring semester for the highest standing in the pre-medical freshman class. Judd and Vance won cups in intramural golf. Judd and Gatewood won cups in horseshoe pitching. Jones, Gatewood, and Gross received cups in tennis. A million dollar annex, consisting of several buildings, has been added to the University of Kentucky. These buildings are the gymnasium annex, the new library, the teacher training school building, an astronomy observatory, and other buildings in construction.

WINSTON B. ARDERY

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Louisiana Alpha, Tulane University

*Chapter loses ten graduates . . .*

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*Phikeias:* William Dymond, Joseph Duval, Alcee Fortier, William Grace,

Beauford Jones, Charles Ives, Alfred Moran, O. J. Reiss, Robert Tessier, George Tessier, all of New Orleans; Robert Daray, Chicago, Ill.; Charles Dawson, River Falls, Wis.; Marquez Ehlinger, Bryan, Tex.; Allan Little, Gadsden, Ala.; Walter Meyer, Hondo, Tex.; and Joseph Rogers, Gadsden, Ala.

*Chapter House Improvements:* A complete new set of cues has been provided for our pool and billiard room enthusiasts; also many new Victrola records. The chapter house has been completely renovated during the summer.

*Campus Activities:* Football season is well under way and we are represented by Lowell Dawson, first string quarterback, Pete Cunningham, tackle, and Jim Hodgins, halfback, on the varsity squad; and Robert and George Tessier, linemen, and Allan Little, end, on the frosh squad. "Chuck" Dawson, brother of Lowell Dawson, is also out for the freshman squad. Hodgins starred in the game against "Ole Miss," September 26, by making two of Tulane's five touchdowns. Dawson and Cunningham also played stellar football. The following men were pledged to  $\Phi \Delta \Phi$  (law fraternity): Jack Schwab, Jesse Rainwater, Ogden Lafaye, John O'Connor, Caleb Weber, Randolph Feltus. Frank Stewart was initiated into  $\Phi \Phi$  (honorary fraternity). Feltus was pledged to  $\Theta N$ , an honorary journalistic fraternity. The following brothers were graduated with corresponding degrees on June 11: Edward Gessner, B.E.; Lowell Dawson, B.P.E.; Elmer McCance, B.B.A.; P. L. Thibaut, B.B.A.; Frank Smith, LL.B.; Charles Rucker, LL.B.; Robert Link, LL.B.; G. Z. Regan, LL.B.; John A. Glover, B.A.; and George Lilly, M.D.

*Social Activities:* A very enjoyable dance was given September 26. This dance ended the social activities of "Rush Week," and along with a large attendance of active men and alumni were many rushees and visiting Phis from the University of Mississippi.

*Chapter Visitors:* W. M. Hogan, *Auburn*, '30; Dr. Warren Hebert, '30; Louis Caron, '31; Michael Gibbons, '26; Herman Gelpi, '26; Robert Brand, *Wisconsin*, '31; Pete desJardines, *Stanford*, '32; Don Couch; Ralph Luttenton, *Ohio*; Weston Segura, *Mississippi*, '33; Pat Kotteral, *Mississippi*; Caleb Weber, *Seawane*, '33; W. M. Hogan, *Auburn*, '30.

JESSE G. RAINWATER, JR.

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Maine Alpha, Colby College

*One man is three presidents . . .*

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*Phikeys:* Kenneth P. Lane, West Newton, Mass.; Warren McDonald, Brattleboro, Vt.; Eldridge Ross, Melrose, Mass.; Donald F. Richardson, Methuen, Mass.; John J. Coyne, Lawrence, Mass.; Warden C. Amidon, Barnet, Vt.; Donald Larkin, Waterville; Robert Violette, Waterville; Leo Fencer, Brockton, Mass.; Harold Kimball, Waterville.

*Chapter House Improvements:* During the summer three rooms were repapered; the bathroom was repainted and a shower installed. A new sidewalk was laid from the house to the street. The butler's pantry was repapered and dish cupboards painted. Improvements in the kitchen include a marble top dough table, zinc shelves, and refinished refrigerating room.

*Campus Activities:* N. C. Perkins, R. Violette, M. Wilson, and P. Steigler are playing varsity football. Thompson Grant is manager of track. Malliaros is first assistant manager. Albert Acierno is head cheerleader with Bevin, Holden, and Lane as assistants. Malcomb Wilson is captain of hockey. Laurence Robinson is captain of track and member of student council. Norman Perkins is president of the senior class, president of the student council, and president of athletic council. Thompson Grant and Glen Lawrence are co-editors of the *Colby White Mule*. Louis Progalaski is assistant business manager of the *Echo*. Bevin, Carr, W. M. Gerry, Robinson, and Ross are on the track team. Francis Smith is again leader and director of the band. Amidon, Richardson, McDonald, and Kimball are on the freshman football team. Coyne and Larkin are working hard as assistant managers of football and track.

*Social Activities:* To date we have had two smokers for the purpose of pledging freshmen. Entertainment was furnished by the boys and a light lunch was served.

*Chapter Visitors:* B. C. Shaw, '30; Lucius Stebbins, '30; C. W. Weaver, '30; Carpenter, '10.

*Alumni Personals:* Bernard C. Shaw was married to Miss Margaret Hale, September 30. Lucius Stebbins married Miss Thelma Haskel, October 3.

GLEN B. LAWRENCE

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**Manitoba Alpha, University of Manitoba***An intercollegiate debater . . .*

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*Phikeias:* Richard Lane, Lloyd Sinclair, Eric Bergman, Norman Penney, Edward Broderick, Alan Greenfield, Wilbur Little, Ross Ransby, all of Winnipeg; James Irvine, Pine Falls; Rae Perrin, Keewatin, Ontario.

*Chapter House Improvements:* The living room has partly been refurnished and the front of the house has been repainted. New linen has also been purchased for the dining room.

*Campus Activities:* Gerald Proudfoot has been elected Senior Stick (president) of Science. Bill Benidickson has been selected as a representative of the university to debate at St. Thomas College, St. Paul. Roy Musgrove took the lowest score in the qualifying round of the arts golf tournament. Ron Birchard and Phikeia Hawkins also qualified. Litch is starring as end with the senior football squad; Lane is playing a very effective game in the line. Robinson, Musgrove, Phikeias Iverson and Penney are out with the junior team. In the interfaculty track meet held October 5, Mackay took second place in the one mile, and third place in the three mile. Stuart Musgrove took third place in the javelin throw. Phikeia Penney came second in the pole vault, third in the 110 yard hurdles, and second in the 220 yard hurdles.

*Chapter Visitors:* Jack MacIntyre, Michigan, '31; Fred MacFarlane, McGill.

*Alumni Personals:* E. E. Glasgow, '31, is now with Lightcap and Gower, stocks and bonds. Bob Emerson, '30, is now working with the Department of Northern Development of the Province of Ontario. Bill Hurst, '29, is assistant city engineer of the city of Winnipeg. D. I. MacLean, '29, was married, June 7, to Miss Catherine Frasier, Γ Φ B, of Winnipeg. J. A. MACDOUGALL

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**Maryland Alpha, University of Maryland***Dancing by radio . . .*

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*Phikeias:* John Gleichman, Cumberland; Gerald Munson, Riverdale; Denzel Davis, Baltimore; Parkes King, Ger-

mantown; J. W. Neidhardt, Baltimore; Arnold Smoot, Seaford, Del.

*Initiates:* June 6, 1931: Charles Rittenhouse, Baltimore; Robert Streett, Rocks; Ernest Wooden, Reisterstown; E. T. Kelbaugh, Baltimore; William Long, Jr., Westover; Orville Watkins, Hyattsville.

*Campus Activities:* Thomas Duley, Charles Rittenhouse, and Otto Matheke are playing varsity football. John Streett, III, is assistant manager of varsity cross country. William Kricker is an adjutant in the Reserve Officers Training Corps. Earl Edwards is drum major in the Reserve Officers Training Corps band.

Σ T Ω, local fraternity, has been granted a charter in Λ X A. By January, 1932, the University of Maryland will have completed a building schedule which consists of a new horticultural building, a new women's dormitory, two new field houses for both men and women students, and a new addition to the engineering building.

*Social Activities:* The informal radio dances held every Saturday night are enjoyed by all.

*Chapter Visitors:* Madison Lloyd, '30; Charles Ostertag, Syracuse; Douglas Waesche; Harry Hess, Jr., '31; Douglas Parkes; Richard Rasch, '28; Robert Beall, '31; Harold Robinson, '31; S. D. Miller; C. G. Brightman, '26; Howard Sumner, '26; Edward Hudson, '30; Howard Mays, '31; Edmund Brower, '31; Eugene Creed, Jr., '29; John Allen, '31; Robert Healy, '30; George O. Smith, Pennsylvania State College.

*Alumni Personals:* J. Donald Kieffer, '30, was recently transferred to the treasury department of the American Telephone and Telegraph Company. H. Ross Black, Jr., '29, is associated with the law firm of Brune, Parker, Carey, and Gans in Baltimore. Robert Healy, '30, George Matheke, '30, and Howard Mays, '31, are continuing their studies at the University of Maryland Medical School.

NORMAN E. PRINCE

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**Massachusetts Alpha, Williams College***Athletics and journalism*

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*Initiate:* October 7, 1931: Eli James Loranger, Jr., Larchmont, N.Y.

*Campus Activities:* Ebeling and Titus are on the varsity football squad. Allen

and Van Sant are on the soccer squad. Stoddard is manager of soccer. Budington is business manager of the *Record*, while De Mallie is advertising manager. Van Sant is a cheerleader.

*Chapter Visitors:* Bongartz, '28, and Middendorf, '28.

GRANT VAN SANT, JR.

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Massachusetts Beta, Amherst College

*\$100,000 faculty fund . . .*

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*Phikeias:* Judson E. Benjamin, Mamaroneck, N.Y.; John C. Bush, Glens Falls, N.Y.; Warren F. Draper, Jr., Cherrydale, Va.; Philip J. Forbes, Jr., Danbury, Conn.; John DeL. Leinbach, Philadelphia, Pa.; William Presson, Gloucester; John W. St. Clair, Indiana, Pa.; Harmon A. Vedder, Utica, N.Y.

*Chapter House Improvements:* During the summer a new porch roof was installed and the whole porch repainted.

*Campus Activities:* Wooster is an outstanding competitor in the football managerial competition. In soccer, Horton is one of the few letter men to return, while Singer and Jones are trying for berths on the team. Phikeias Benjamin and Leinbach are out for freshman soccer. Rose is on the cross country squad, and Phikeia Draper is in the freshman group. Since election to the *Student* board last spring, Tracy has been competing for the advertising managership of the paper. Ingersoll is manager of the debating team, and MacLeod and Jones are candidates for the debating council. The house is represented on the Masquers by Rose and H. S. Davis, chief electrician and assistant property man respectively. Bragg is on the choir and trying for the glee club. Ingersoll is secretary of the Liberal Club. The fraternity football team is rounding into shape, with the stars of last year's excellent team back, and promising material in the freshman delegation. On the Interfraternity Council,  $\Phi \Delta \Theta$  is represented by Bragg and Horton.

*Social Activities:* The newly pledged freshmen were guests of the house at the annual pledge banquet at the Hotel Northampton, October 11.

*Chapter Visitors:* William King, '09; Christ and Sanderson, '30.

*Alumni Personals:* The marriage of Susan Fletcher to Brother Shankwiler,

'28, took place this summer. Shankwiler is now working in the college library. Announcement has just been received of the marriage of Jessie Patton Biggs to Brother Warner, '28. Brother Christ, '30, is again working in the Mt. Holyoke Library, South Hadley, Mass. Among the eight new members of the faculty is Brother Alfred Havighurst, *Ohio Wesleyan*, '25, instructor in history. Six of the eight are to fill new positions on the staff, made possible by the recent Folger bequest, which provides an annual income of more than \$100,000. J. INGERSOLL

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Michigan Alpha, University of Michigan

*House improvements . . .*

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*Phikeia:* H. Person Beebe, Ann Arbor. *Chapter House Improvements:* Our porter, Walter Logan, has improved the appearance of the house considerably by varnishing the floors and woodwork and cleaning the walls.

*Campus Activities:* Cantrill and Wistert are out for football and are showing considerable promise in spite of very strong competition. Fred Klein, Wilson, and Bennett, the latter two being letter men from last year, are out for wrestling. Fiske is showing up well in the football managership competition. Cram is singing in the glee club. Phil Klein and McGavran are on the social committee of the Michigan Union. Harris is on the upper staff of the *Michiganensian* and is also working on the *Student Directory*. Stratemeier is accounts manager, and Clark is an assistant, on the business staff of the *Daily*.

*Chapter Visitors:* Kenneth Owens, *Vermont*, '31; William S. Haesfall, *Washington*, '31; Mark Bradford, traveling secretary, was a visitor the last week in September.

*Alumni Personals:* Bucky Sanders, former chapter adviser, and a member of the faculty of the university, has returned from a three years' leave of absence in Rome. WILLIAM H. HARRIS

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Michigan Beta, Michigan State College

*Michigan Beta's first letter . . .*

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*Phikeias:* F. Potter, E. Andrews, C. Dunford, J. Richards, L. Robinson, L.

Miller, F. Yaekey, C. McKibben, S. Lewis, W. Becker, R. Farley, D. Davis, W. Rorke, H. Cook, F. Butler, W. Kingin, C. Jubenville.

*Chapter House Improvements:* New \$75,000 house now under construction, to be completed November 1.

*College Activities:* New women's dormitory just completed at a cost of \$450,000. Ground to be broken within a month for another one. New chapter of Z T A installed October 15. Δ Σ Φ undertaking the building of a new house. Campus streets have been paved, and considerable landscape work has been done.

ARTHUR LAWRENCE

Minnesota Alpha, University of Minnesota

Corner on managerships . . .

*New Officers:* President, Clifford C. Sommer; treasurer, Glen A. Giere; secretary, George Doyle; warden, John Hovde; chaplain, William Hoelt; alumni secretary, Fred Taylor; reporter and historian, James W. Fesler, II.

*Chapter House Improvements:* During the summer the whole house was re-decorated inside and out.

*Campus Activities:* The chapter received sixth place in the fraternity scholarship ratings. Last May Φ Δ Θ won both the all-University track championship and the outdoor relay. Ward Blake is senior track manager; Chester Sitz is junior track manager. Fred Taylor and Ed McAfee are junior hockey manager and junior football manager respectively. William Hoelt is manager of the rifle team. Roy Oen performs as regular center on the varsity football team, while Gerald Griffin serves as a halfback. Both made the trip to Palo Alto for the Stanford game.

*Social Activities:* The first dance was held October 17 in the chapter house.

*Chapter Visitors:* Robert Meeks, Ohio State, and Karl Andresen, Dartmouth, are transfers at Minnesota this year. Latney Barnes, traveling secretary, visited the house the week-end of October 11.

JAMES W. FESLER, II

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Mississippi Alpha, University of Mississippi

Ole Miss quite active

*Phikeys:* William Allen, Iuka; Chester Curtis, Clarksdale; Dave Frasier, Greenwood; Wilburn Hooker, Lexington; Hugh Potts, Kosciusko; George K. Wade, Greenwood.

*Campus Activities:* Mississippi Alpha is getting off to a good start for the 1931-32 session. With Byrd Truty as president of the law school and Frank Everett president of the Y.M.C.A., Φ Δ Θ holds two of the four leading positions on the Ole Miss campus. After Faser resigned as editor of the *Mississippian* in order to take graduate work at the University of Pennsylvania, Mississippi Alpha was still well represented on the staff by Fred Glass as assistant editor and Robert Bourdeaux, Mims Wright, and T. C. Lockard as associate editors. In the scholastic fraternity, Φ H Σ, we have three of the four offices in Armstrong as vice-president, Lockard as treasurer, and Ray as secretary. F. Everett and L. A. Ross are members of the senior honorary society, M.O.A.K.S. Ross, Smythe, and Hayes are members of the varsity football squad. This is Ross' last year on the team and he is being watched in his position as fullback by the sports critics. Glass is representing Φ Δ Θ in the Cardinal Club. Yandell Frazier is sophomore manager of the basketball team. Lockard is a member of the orchestra, the Mississippians. Armstrong is an assistant in the zoology department.

*Social Activities:* Mississippi Alpha formally opened the 1931 Rush Week at Ole Miss with a tea dance at the Teahound for the rushees. The beautiful ballroom was artistically decorated in blue and white with the Φ Δ Θ pin hung at the opposite end of the hall from the Mississippians, who furnished the music for the occasion. The dance was a great success in every respect. On August 14 the alumni of Φ Δ Θ gave a dance in honor of Mississippi Alpha in the Armory at Jackson, Miss. Over 300 couples danced to the beautiful music of Wallace Cambell and his fourteen piece orchestra. The dance was heralded as the best held in Jackson during the entire summer season and was indeed another bright star in the record of Φ Δ Θ.

*Alumni Notes:* Last year grads: Hugh Clayton is practicing law in Memphis, while "Pap" Cottrel is practicing law in Gulfport. Both these men served as president of Mississippi Alpha. John Fair is doing graduate work at Northwestern. Percy DeLoach is connected with the Lamar Life Insurance Company of Jackson. John Windham is continuing his medical course at Jefferson. Henry Minor Faser is doing graduate work at the University of Pennsylvania. McDonald Horne, '30, is working on his Ph.D. at the University of North Carolina. Eddie Peacock, *Vanderbilt*, was a visitor during rush week. FRED M. GLASS

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Missouri Beta, Westminster College

*Eight years leader in scholarship . . .*

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*Phikeias:* Robert Carnes, Memphis, Tenn.; Robert Dick, University City; George Elliott, Keytesville; Frank Fuchs, Webster Groves; Charles Hayes, Keytesville; Albert Hemphill, Webster Groves; Joe B. Humphreys, Fulton; Archibald Hill, St. Louis; Lee Hunter, University City; George Langenberg, University City; Trigg Luce, Kansas City; William McCampbell, Goliad, Tex.; Lambert McClure, St. Louis; Edmund Melvin, Gulfport, Miss.; William Miller, Webster Groves; Hal Rice, Webster Groves; Robert Roth, St. Louis; Wallis Seidell, Kirkwood; Edward Tobey, Memphis, Tenn.; T. L. Wright, Doniphan.

*Initiate:* June 2, 1931: Lynn Williamson.

*Chapter House Improvements:* During the summer the chapter purchased new lounge room furniture, painted the outside woodwork, and the first and second floor walls.

*Campus Activities:* Fisher and Phikeia Wright are out for football. The chapter is again well represented on school publications. R. Acuff, S. Gordon, Mow, Sloss, Phikeias Dick, Fuchs, and Miller are reporting for the *Columns*, the student paper, and Ted Clayton is business manager of the *Blue Jay*, the annual publication. Diffenderfer is senior manager of minor sports, and Clayton of track. D. Gordon, S. Gordon, Mow, C. Reeves, and Vaughan are junior managers. Phikeias Langenberg, Luce, McClure, and Roth have been initiated into the Razz-

berries, the pep organization. Mow, Phikeias Dick, Langenberg, and Roth were admitted to Jabberwocky, the dramatic society. Phikeia Fuchs is a cheerleader. Last year the chapter won for the second consecutive year the intramural athletic trophy, the Panhellenic athletic cup, and for the eighth consecutive year was undefeated in scholarship, tying for first place. The chapter average for last semester was 86.6, the highest ever attained by a chapter on the campus.

*Social Activities:* The first dance of the year was held on September 26 at the chapter house.

*Chapter Visitors:* C. F. Lamkin, '99; W. Gilmore, '27; C. F. Lamkin, Jr., '29; W. A. Yantis, '30; H. Lamkin, '30; R. Edwards, '32; A. V. Owsley, '33; W. E. Owen, '31; H. Jones, '33; F. Kallmeyer, '31; Elmer C. Henderson, Jr., '31; Peyton Talbott, '31; Lynn Williamson, '34.

TERRELL VAUGHAN

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Missouri Gamma, Washington University

*Athletics and honoraries . . .*

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*Phikeias:* Jack Goggan, Clifton Powers, Walter Blank, Kenneth Gilbert, Robert Mooney, Charles Diebel, Alexander Miltonberger, Charles Depew, Donald McCord, Jack Bauer, Richard Brower, Larry McDougall, Kenneth Koerner, Milton Mill, Tracy Barnes, Bryant Rich, Earnest Curtis, Ralph Stokes, Edward Davis, Ray Picquet, Edward Hamson, Arthur McMurray.

*Initiates:* September 30, 1931: Arthur Bickle and Louis Peterson.

*Campus Activities:* Chapman is managing editor of *Dirge*, comic magazine. Rankin pledged Lock and Chain, sophomore honorary. Schoenthaler and Matthews have been appointed to the sophomore vigilance committee. Bickle and Rankin were initiated by Bears, pep organization. England has been initiated by Pralma, senior honorary. Ledbetter was elected to the athletic council. Johnson is a member of the *Dirge* staff. England is head cheerleader this year. Ledbetter has been elected president of the Quadrangle Club, musical comedy organization. England, Pratt, and Ledbetter have been reporting regularly for swimming, and are making a fine showing. Schoenthaler is playing regular end on the varsity football team. Phikeias Koer-

ner, McDougall, Curtis, and McMurray are out for freshman football. Phikeias Mill, Powers, Bauer, and Brower have reported for freshman swimming. Phikeias Blank, Mill, Powers, and Goggan have secured positions on the *Student Life* staff.

*Social Activities:* The chapter introduced the Phikeias at a dance given at the chapter house October 2. The music for the occasion was furnished by Brother Kall's band. The dance was chaperoned by our new housemother, Mrs. McQuery, and Professor and Mrs. Howes.

*Chapter Visitors:* Brother Boynton and wife paid the chapter a brief visit. Brother Boynton is president of Mu Province.  
JOE Y. LEDBETTER

Montana Alpha, University of Montana

*Twelve for football . . .*

*Phikeias:* Montague Smith, Howard Rutherford, George Baldwin, Great Falls; Lincoln Bohlander, Fred Moulton, Robert Lacklen, David Duncan, Thomas Wilkins, Hugo Wildschute, Billings; James Brown, Kenneth Rhude, Kenneth Parmalee, Butte; Edward Jeffrey, Dennis O'Rourke, Max Ennis, Russell Lindborg, Missoula; Philip Pollard, Red Lodge; Melvin Maury, Miles City; George Dickel, Garrison; Harold Duffy, Kalispell; Clarence Hawkins, Helena; Donald Guose, Owen Barnes, Anaconda; William Hileman, White Fish; Carl Bessey, Libby; Gene Manis, Hamilton.

*Campus Activities:* Bob White is out for fall track. Twelve men are out for varsity football: Breen, Cox, Babcock, Caven, Mackenzie, Peterson, Dahlberg, Boone, Crowley, Eckley, Goinke, and Reynolds. Eight of these men are regulars. Among the men out for frosh football are Duffy, Gayatovich, Barnes, Hileman, and Bohlander.

*Social Activities:* First fall fireside was held Friday night, October 9.

*Chapter Visitor:* Gordon Rognlien, '30.  
W. E. DEENEY

Nebraska Alpha, University of Nebraska

*Half score of Phikeias . . .*

*Phikeias:* Edward Axel, Fairbury; Thad Black, Lincoln; Arthur Byington,

Omaha; Joe Clark, Ravenna; William Horchem, Ransom, Kan.; Henry Marsden, Lincoln; Arthur Mullaly, Fremont; Robert Pray, Omaha; Robert Smith, Omaha; Edward Weeks, Beatrice.

*Initiates:* October 11, 1931: Dale Young, Doniphan; Miles Houck, Omaha; Henry Mathew, Loup City; and Ernest Dexter, Shelby.

*Campus Activities:* Comstock has been working since school started as business manager of the *Student Directory*. Mansfield and Phikeias Byington, Smith, and Pray passed the tryouts for Pershing Rifles, the basic honorary military organization. Phikeias Mullaly and Horchem have been attending freshman football practice and have been showing results.

*Social Activities:* A party was given at the chapter house on October 9 for the newly initiated class.

*Chapter Visitors:* Dave and Bus Horchem, Fleming, Nuffer, and Erich, from *Kansas Aggies*; Dixon, *South Dakota*.

R. H. LAU

New Hampshire Alpha, Dartmouth College

*Pledges from seven states . . .*

*Phikeias:* James L. Adams, Oak Park, Ill.; Thorwald J. Fraser, Boise, Idaho; Robert S. Gallagher, Brooklyn, N.Y.; William A. Haist, Brooklyn, N.Y.; Henry H. Hazen, Washington, D.C.; Merrill L. Heald, Oak Park, Ill.; John Laidlaw, Jr., LaGrange, Ill.; Robert F. Lindstedt, Macomb, Ill.; John E. McCoy, Bronxville, N.Y.; John S. Randall, Omaha, Neb.; Frederick L. Rath, Brooklyn, N.Y.; Jack B. Risberg, Michigan City, Ind.; James H. Skiles, Oak Park, Ill.; Robert F. Thompson, Burlington, Vt.; Robert L. Wildman, Chicago, Ill.; Arthur H. Willis, New York, N.Y.; William E. Wyne, Macomb, Ill.

*Chapter House Improvements:* The interior of the house has been completely redecorated.

*Campus Activities:* Phikeias Thompson and McCoy are on the *Dartmouth News* board; Phikeias Randall, Lindstedt, and Risberg are in the competition for athletic managerships. Phikeia Wyne is a member of the glee club. Roe is competing for a varsity tackle berth, on the football team.

*Chapter Visitors:* Groves and Stickney, '31, were recent visitors.

*Alumni Personals:* MacKechnie, Thomas, and McDonald are attending Harvard Law School. Groves is studying at M.I.T. Bill Smith is attending Harvard School of Business. The Σ X house, next door to us, was attacked by a fire of unknown origin on September 28, and burned almost to the ground. Sixteen fellows were living at the house, and several were forced to escape by dropping from their windows.

ROBERT E. COULSON

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New York Beta, Union University

*Good work by alumni . . .*

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*Phikeias:* Richard Davis, Albany; Glenn Milleren, Hoosick Falls; Robert Blatchley, Willesboro, Pa.; John Gain, Cohoes; Melville Hargrave, Fulton; John Moffett, Schenectady; Hadyn Richards, Schenectady; Clement Smith, Schenectady; Alden Walther, Montclair, N.J.; Walter Whelden, Greenwich.

*Chapter House Improvements:* The alumni are now having the house painted outside and in the kitchen. The two bathrooms are also being remodeled.

*Campus Activities:* Hedinger is a member of Terrace Council. Dill is president of the junior class. Barna is on the sophomore soiree committee. English is business manager of the *Garnet*. Codman is assistant manager of lacrosse. Parker and Phikeia Smith are out for varsity football. Phikeias Davis and Walther are on the freshman team. Higgins and Sax were seeded 3 and 8 respectively in the fall tennis tournament. Williams is the assistant business manager of the *Idol*. The house has entered teams in the interfraternity football, cross country, and track competition under the management of Tompkins. Barna is student assistant in the athletic department. Hedinger is treasurer of the senior class.

*Social Activities:* The chapter held its annual freshman reception dance on October 10. There were several alumni present as well as some visiting brothers from Amherst. The new plan of closing the reception to all except Phi Deltas met with great success.

*Chapter Visitors:* Hugh Wallace, *Vermont*; Don Wallace, ex-'32; C. J. Mur-

phy, '31; Dan Loomis, '25; Richard Cummings, '31; Neil Ryan, '30; Harry Pitts, '24; Don Chidester, *Knox*; Paul Davis, '27; William Tracy, '27; Webster Kaye, '29; Ira Werle, '30; William DeRouville, '30. The chapter also welcomed several other alumni at the freshman reception dance and during rushing season.

New York Beta joined Brother Fred Dill, '33, and other members of the family in their sorrow at the death of Phikeia John Dill, '35. Phikeia Dill was pledged last spring and New York Beta to a man confidently expected him to be as prominent in campus activities as his brother has been. He had been a leading scholar and athlete while in high school and his death this past August cut short a very promising college career.

FRANK S. HIGGINS

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New York Delta, Columbia University

*\$3,000,000 library . . .*

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*Phikeias:* William Klune, Tarrytown; William Marshall, New Rochelle; Montgomery Oscanyan, Begota, N.J.; James Madden, New York City; Forrest Lambeau, New York City.

*Initiate:* April 10, 1931: Allen Kamke, Bronxville.

*Chapter House Improvements:* The house is being kept clean and orderly through the services of our recently acquired housekeeper while the meals are of excellent quality due to expert cooking of his wife. New electric fixtures and curtains as well as new pieces of furniture brought in by the brothers have improved the house's appearance greatly.

*Campus Activities:* Due to the necessity of some of the brothers' working after school hours and to heavy programs our campus activities have been somewhat hindered. However, several activities have managed to make considerable progress in extracurricular activities. George Packard and Jack Slavin are on *Jester* staff, as are Bill Marshall and Edward Magennis with *Columbian*, the latter being *King's Crown* editor. Allen Smith is busy with track and glee club as is Allen Kamke. Ray Kumpitch is manager of fencing with William Makepeace as assistant manager. A lower classman will soon be delegated to compete in managerial competition for next year's assistant managership in order to

keep the sport in the house. Phikeia Monty Oscanyan is writing the humor column in *Spectator*, the university's daily paper. Hank Buerrman is again active with the band. Excavation work for Columbia's new three million dollar Harkness Library is nearing completion. It will be erected on South Field, the site of many class battles, traditional exercises, tugs-of-war, etc., of former years.

*Chapter Visitors:* During the summer session, when the house was kept open, many Phis visited us. Fred Case, Jr., *Case*, '31; P. J. Hostettler, *Case*, '31; Harry Ellms, *Dartmouth*, '15; Stewart Sachs, *Syracuse*, '15; F. P. Walters, *Maryland*, '32; Henry Stokes, *Mercer*, '30; Brummage, *Pittsburgh*, '30; and Theodore W. Turner, *Idaho*, '23.

*Alumni Personals:* Nichols, Bowles, Hadley, Ingrish, and Adkins, who graduated last June, have returned to the campus for postgraduate work.

LLEWELLYN C. WIMMER

New York Zeta, Colgate University

*Private athletic field . . .*

*Phikeias:* Alfred Alessi, Woodridge, N.J.; Richard Bley, Hamburg; James Breed, Wappinger's Falls; Richard Case, Kirkville; Jack Grubb, Poughkeepsie; Richard Risley, New York Mills; Jack Cahill, Utica; Frank W. Thompson, Kingston; Stephen J. Kuk, Amsterdam; George Weikel, Philadelphia, Pa., of the class of '35; Lennius Burrell, Syracuse, of the class of '33.

*Chapter House Improvements:* A complete set of chairs has been installed in the chapter room. The field, owned by the house and directly behind it, has been graded and is now available as a practice field for intramural sports. Holmes and his house committee have done an excellent job in repainting the lavatories. Dr. and Mrs. Allen have contributed a tapestry to the furnishings of the living room.

*Campus Activities:* Hank Kowal, captain of golf, is in the semifinals of the open golf tournament, and should easily duplicate his feat of two years ago of winning the tournament. During the summer Hank reached the semifinals of the New York State Open tournament, and lost the junior state championship by one stroke on the last hole of the finals. The

house touch football and soccer teams are at the head of their respective leagues. The varsity football team has been considerably handicapped since the injury of George Reynolds, first string halfback. George is expected to be back in condition for the New York University game. Evans has been promoted to first string quarterback and has been showing the potentialities of a triple-threat man. Flaitz and Brown are also on the varsity squad. Kuk, Alessi, and Thompson are out for freshman football. Dillingham was recently made manager of golf. Al Philp is a member of the press bureau and sports editor of the yearbook. Dick Case is scrubbing for the press bureau and the *Maroon*. Beers is a member of the *Maroon* board.

*Chapter Visitors:* Ed Miller, Ken Smith, Hugh Busher, and Chauncey Warren, all of the class of '30, and Dick Craemer, Bill Creighton, Reed Alvord, Donald Markham, and Charles Phillips, of the class of '31, visited the house the first week of college. The following brothers were present for the Lafayette game and homecoming day: Arthur S. Harper, '29; Edward Rowe, '19; Jerome Pratt, '15; R. P. Rosengren, '24; David Johnson, '17; John Dunn, '17; Herbert Feuchter, '26; Frederick Stanton, '26; Stanley Franks, '30; Mike Douglas, '22; Ed Miller, '30; Mike Hanna, '24; George Starbuck, '24; Gerald Fenner, '23; James Barbee, '26; Stanley Copeland, '29; Clarence Roberts, '33; Kenneth Glenn, '31; and Franklin Dillingham, '27.

THOMAS A. WEATHERLEY

North Carolina Alpha, Duke University

*All-American baseball pitcher . . .*

*New Officers:* President, Liston Pope; secretary, Kenneth Lang; treasurer, Alexander McLean; Chaplain, Harold Horack; Chorister, Robert Nelson; warden, Wendell Horne; historian, William Fairchild; reporter, George Ewell, Jr.

*Phikeias:* Horace Hendrickson, Warren Armstrong, Fort Bragg; Sam Bell, Charlotte; Harry W. Bottorf, Owensboro, Ky.; Pratt Cheek, Jr., Gainesville, Ga.; Robert Clark, Miami Beach, Fla.; Jack Coleman, Macon, Ga.; William Cortner, Greenwood, Miss.; William Parker Dodd, Swarthmore, Pa.; E. B.

Dunlap, Jr., Lawton, Okla.; Jack Dunlap, Lawton, Okla.; Dan Edwards, Durham; Richard Fackler, Harrisburg, Pa.; Robert Feagin, Macon, Ga.; Lyne Few, Durham; Richard C. Herbert, Harrisburg, Pa.; Russell C. Herbert, Hagerstown, Md.; Matt Howell, Goldsboro; Henry Lamar, Macon, Ga.; L. Slaughter Leake, Chicago, Ill.; David W. Martin, West Palm Beach, Fla.; William Moorhead, Goldville, S.C.; Stuart Smith, Newport, Pa.; Lawson Tate, Banner Elk; Arnold Wcbb, Yonkers, N.Y.

*Campus Activities:* Bobby Coombs was chosen as pitcher on *College Humor's* all-American baseball team this summer. He has been first string pitcher here during both his freshman and sophomore years. Crawford, Means, Rossiter, Weaver, and Phikeia Hendrickson are members of the varsity football squad this fall. Phikeias Bottorf, Coleman, E. C. Dunlap, and Jack Dunlap are on the frosh team. Horne, Weaver, and Coombs are out for the basketball team. Horne was first string forward last year while Weaver won his numeral with the first year men. Coombs is also back for his second year of varsity competition. Lawver, Patten, McLean, and Ewell are back again at early practice for the varsity swimming squad. Phikeias Fackler and Clark are working for the freshman swimming team. Lawver is again assistant tennis manager this fall, while Phikeias Lamar and Feagin are trying out for the team. Phikeias Cortner and Bell are out for wrestling and basketball. Ricks was elected vice-president of the Panhellenic Society for the coming year. Fowler, who is also a member of the Glee Club, is president of the Musical Club. McNairy, and Phikeias E. B. Dunlap, Cortner, and Fegin are also out for the Glee Club. Rossiter was elected vice-president of the sophomore class. Horne, Lang, and Phikeia White are members of the staff of the *Chanticleer*, the Duke University annual. Ewell is assistant sports editor of the *Chronicle*, the school paper, while Phikeias Russell Herbert, Richard Herbert, and Armstrong are trying out for the staff. Rossiter, Weaver, and Phikeia Hendrickson are members of Β Ω Ξ, honorary sophomore athletic fraternity; Weaver is president and Rossiter is vice-president. Coombs and Horne were elected to membership in the Varsity Club, honorary junior and senior athletic order. Phikeia

Armstrong is out for the Taurian Players, Duke dramatic society. In last spring's elections Horne was elected secretary-treasurer of the Men's Association after a spirited contest. Weaver is a member of the student council.

*Chapter Visitors:* George Ragsdale, *North Carolina*, '26; J. C. Smith, *Gettysburg*, '99; Major D. Armstrong, *Columbia*, '09; B. G. Leake, *Chicago*, '01; F. J. R. Mitchell, *Northwestern*, '96; Latney Barnes, traveling secretary; A. G. Stevens, Jr., *Mississippi*; J. Blakemore, *Mississippi*; J. Wilson, *Amherst*.

*Alumni Personals:* Don Robertshaw is now with the New York Athletics as a professional ball player. Charles Herbert is following his natural bent as a musician and is playing in New York vaudeville. E. McNairy is attending Wake Forest College. D. C. MacLaughlin is finishing up his medical work at Maryland. J. C. Hanes is back at Duke after a year in the Harvard Law School.

G. W. EWELL, JR.

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North Carolina Beta, University of North Carolina

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*Supervised business system . . .*

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*New Officers:* E. C. Daniel, president; John Barrow, secretary; Bill Griffin, treasurer; Bill Scoggin, reporter; Louis and Henry Sullivan, historians; Bill Allbrook, warden; Irving Tucker, chorister; John Acee, alumni secretary.

*Initiates:* May 19, W. R. Allbrook, Roanoke Rapids; Sept. 28, B. G. Thomas, Erwin; Oct. 1, Kirk Swann, Covington, Ga.

*Chapter House Improvements:* Under the supervision of Mrs. Lily McPhail, new housemother, considerable improvement was made in the appearance of the house before the beginning of rushing season, furniture being repaired, floors cleaned and waxed, the music room refurnished, and pictures hung. Several trees in the front yard have been treated by a competent tree surgeon to preserve their life and beauty.

*Campus Activities:* Φ Δ Θ has several campus officers this year, elected late last spring: John Acee, president of sophomore Y.M.C.A. cabinet; Bill Enloe, sophomore class executive committee-man; Jimmy Moore, treasurer of senior class; Haywood Moore (out of school

until Christmas), vice-president of junior class; Mosely Fonvielle, secretary-treasurer of Interfraternity Council. Julien Taylor is assistant manager of baseball and Bruton Peacock is sub-assistant manager. Enloe is a candidate for the managership of Carolina's national champions in tennis. Braddock is also a candidate for this position. John Peacock, sophomore quarter and understudy to Johnny Branch, Carolina's diminutive back, made a successful debut in college football against Wake Forest College last month by carrying the ball eighty-five yards from the kickoff within a few seconds after he had gone into varsity play for the first time. Bill Griffin is a promising candidate for the 135-pound position on the boxing squad. Louis Sullivan, sophomore, is a member of the cross-country team which opened its season against Florida, October 12; Sullivan placed fifth, leading the entire Florida team. Henry Sullivan, his twin brother, who ran the two-mile with him in freshman competition, is unable to compete in cross-country because of an operation during the past summer.

*Chapter Visitors:*  $\Lambda \Phi \Delta$  alumni gathering was held October 17 on the event of the University Homecoming Day and the Carolina-Georgia football game. A buffet luncheon was served to the alumni and visiting members of the Georgia Alpha chapter. Among the recent visitors to the chapter house were: George Ragsdale, Province President; Bill Wright; Dr. Wortham Wyatt; Hughes; Fuqua, Florida.

*Alumni Personals:* Phil Thomas, graduate in pharmacy, is traveling for the Upjohn Company in Pennsylvania, while Louis Scoggin has taken an interest in his father's drug store in Louisiana; Tommie Cleland is supervising a construction job for his father, a New York contractor; Allen Whitaker, a graduate of the University medical school, is at Temple University in Philadelphia getting his M.D. degree; Jimmie Williams of Hendersonville and Paul Story of Marion, president and vice-president of the law school last year, are practicing law in their respective home communities. The chapter is taking advantage of a Fraternity Supervision System which is being operated by Dudley Miller, Missouri, a graduate of Harvard School of Business. His work and that of Treasurer Griffin are expected

to put the chapter management on a sound business basis.

S. W. SCOGGIN

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North Carolina Gamma, Davidson College

*Chapter football . . .*

*Phikeias:* Gerald McKinnon and W. F. Green, DeFuniak Springs, Florida, of the junior class and the following freshmen: Ben Barnes, Asheville; John Holmes, Charlotte; D. M. Glasgow, Charlotte; R. S. Dupuy, Greensboro; P. D. Geurrant, Pasadena, Calif.; J. R. Taylor, Mobile, Ala.; J. A. C. Robinson, Talladega, Ala.; W. H. McPhail, Jacksonville, Fla.; R. W. Richardson, Sarasota, Fla.

*Initiates:* J. G. O'Keeffe, Bluefield, W. Va., September 10.

*Campus Activities:* O'Keeffe and Goodykoontz are subs on the varsity football squad while Grant is junior manager and Dupuy and Richardson are showing up well in freshman football. Brannon is captain of the varsity track team which is managed by Gignilliat. On the annual staff are Hawkins and Hancock as associate editors, Bog Glasgow as assistant business manager, and Phikeias Glasgow and Geurrant. Ed. Geurrant is holding down a position on the staff of the college paper. Bryce Robinson is captain of the R.O.T.C. band and director of the college orchestra of which Phikeia Robinson is a new member. McKnight is president of the Spanish Club. The chapter has started practicing campus football for the beginning of the annual inter-fraternity sports.

*Social Activities:* Quite a number of the fair sex were visitors of the chapter on September 19, when the first house-party of the year was held. This party was given especially for the freshmen who were being rushed at the time, although enjoyed thoroughly by the brothers as well. Plans are being made for homecoming at the present. The outstanding events of this annual party will be the return of many alumni, the game with Duke University, two dances given by the Panhellenic Council, and a "feed" to be given at the house.

*Chapter Visitors:* Lanier, '29; Roberts, '30; Goodykoontz, '31; Enochs, '33.

BILL MCKNIGHT

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North Dakota Alpha, University of North  
Dakota

*House renovated . . .*

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*Phikeias:* Spencer Brekke, Crookston, Minn.; Calvin Branton, Wilmar, Minn.; Bill Collins, Jack Fields, Charles Hansen, John Howard, Ed Olson, Bruce Severson, all of Grand Forks; Joe Gill, Greeley, Colo.; Alvin Knutson, Jim Gordon, both of East Grand Forks, Minn.; Frank Korstan, St. Paul, Minn.; Paul Koren, Watertown, S.D.; Larry Knauf, Moorhead, Minn.; John Kehoe, Cando; Frank Kiewel and Roy Lonson, Thief River, Minn.; Adlo Nordmarken, Rolla; Orrin Rife, Whapeton; Homer Stephens, Crookston, Minn.; Paul Wiebler, Devils Lake.

*Initiates:* Sept. 10, 1931: Seldon Converse, Richard Dablow, Albert Dawson, Bruce Johnson, Dwight Kundert, Ronald Miller, Kenneth Mullen, Donald Peterson, John Rudd, Fred Traynor; Oct. 4, 1931: George Blain, Bernard Smith.

*Chapter House Improvements:* A new stove was installed in the kitchen along with a new hot water tank. All the doors and windows were repaired during the summer. We had all the woodwork downstairs done over and the dining room redecorated; the floor was refinished.

*Campus Activities:* We have Gordon Dablow, guard; Richard Dablow, halfback; Lloyd Richmond, halfback; Gene Revell, quarterback; Art Bentz guard; Larry Knauf, halfback; Seldon Converse, halfback; Earl Purcell, end, all out for varsity football. Five of these men are regulars. Phikeias Kiewel, Lonson, Olson, Collins, Rife Kortsan and Wiebler are out for freshman football. Montith was elected president of the A.D.T. a literary society. Kundert was elected sergeant-at-arms of the same organization. Peterson, Miller and Phikeias Barrickman, Weibler, Gill and Olson are members of the University concert band. Phikeias Howard Fields, and Nordmarken are members of the *Student* staff. Nordmarken has the lead in a Playmaker (University Actors organization) play. D. Traynor was appointed on the homecoming committee as one of those in charge of floats.

*Social Activities:* Rush parties were

held in the house on the 12th and 14th of September. A joint party between  $\Sigma A E$  and  $\Phi \Delta \Theta$  was held in the Dacotha Hotel, October 10. A smoker was held in the house for the rushees Sept. 13.

*Alumni Personals:* Aloys Wartner, '29, Donald McKenzie, '29, and Art D. Robertson, '24, are all back in school this year. Wartner is enrolled in the Law School, McKenzie is finishing in the Commerce School, and Robertson is taking up graduate work in preparation for teaching and coaching. A Grand Forks Alumni Club has been formed. Green, '17, was elected President and Harold Boe, '25, was elected secretary-treasurer. All out of town alumni are invited to join.

DUANE TRAYNOR

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Ohio Alpha, Miami University

*Many relatives at initiation . . .*

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*Phikeias:* Herb Ames, Bryan; Duncan Kelly, Fitchburg, Mass.; Dan Prugh, Dayton; Don Sawmiller, Spencerville; Francis Failor, Spencerville; John Goebel, Cleveland; Edwin Morgan, Cleveland; Robert Hydeman, Piqua; Thomas Murphy, Niles; Joseph Burnett, Bellefontaine; George Kinder, Rockford; Donald Tufts, Sioux Falls, S.D.; William Shindler, Celina; Harry Haberer, Dayton; Melvin Harter, Dayton; Waite Bacon, Dayton; Hylig, Dayton; Weaver, Dayton.

*Initiates:* Sept. 26, 1931: Richard H. Meyer, Napoleon; Leonard F. Greene, Cleveland; Howard K. Hutchinson, Cincinnati; Richard J. Jennings, Dayton; James H. Beardsley, Findlay; Angus T. Shearer, Huntington, W.Va.; Reed C. Prugh, Dayton; Wallace M. Rhodes, Wooster; Guy L. Ireland, Cincinnati; Robert B. Welliver, Hamilton; William M. Hughey, Dayton; Lewis P. McCann, Dayton; Louis E. Frechtling, Hamilton; Nelson Jones, Fremont; James K. Cunningham, Newark; Frank G. Russell, Cleveland.

*Campus Activities:* Meyer, Jones, Hutchinson, and Russell are on the varsity football squad. Brothers associated with the *Miami Student*, the campus newspaper, are Weiland, editor; Runyon, advertising manager; Snyder, sports editor; Beardsley and Frechtling, copy

editors; Jennings, assistant advertising manager; and Welliver, sports writer. Fowler and Hughey are connected with the publication of the *Recensio*, the annual. Dick and Richard Barrett, Cheadle, McCann, and Hughey will report for the varsity basketball squad Nov. 1.

*Social Activities:* The pledge dance, under the chairmanship of Richard Lane, was held at the house Oct. 24. The banquet held in honor of the initiates was well attended with the following appearing upon the program: Richard E. Barrett, '32; Fred J. Milligan, *Ohio State*, '28; Nelson F. Sumner, '15; Arthur R. Priest, *DePaww*, '91; Walter E. Havighurst, *Ohio Wesleyan*, '23; and James H. Beardsley, '34. Herbert D. Pine '13, acted as toastmaster.

*Chapter Visitors:* Ed Gallaher, *Akron*, has returned to school after a two years' absence. Among those attending the initiation ceremonies were Merrill D. Prugh, '05, and Wallace E. Prugh, '13, father and uncle, respectively, of Reed C. Prugh; Allison Jennings, *Arizona*, '24, brother of Richard J. Jennings, and Marc Welliver, *Ohio State*, '05, father of Robert Welliver. Other chapter visitors were Richard Bardes, '26; Lynn Baker, '28; Frank Debolt and Robert Brown, '33; Ralph Luttonton, Robert Steman, and James Gordon, '31.

HARRY P. SNYDER

Ohio Beta, Ohio Wesleyan University

Scholarship plus . . .

*Phikeias:* David Austin, Wilmington; Haver Alspach, Marion; Gilbert Armstrong, Laurelville; Elton Barnett, Cleveland; Richie Davis, Kingston; John Eckler, Elyria; Earl Hoose, Peiping, China; Stanley Huit, Delta; William Lowther, New York City; Hayes Newby, Marion; George Sauer, Marietta; Richard Simmons, Cincinnati; Dana Stewart, Bremen; Robert Soper, Delaware; Robert Uhlrich, Columbus.

*Initiates:* Sept. 12, 1931: Edward Pape, Elyria; Edward Peters, Upper Sandusky.

*Chapter House Improvements:* Twenty-five new all-steel desks and ten all-steel chiffoniers have been installed in the house this fall. All other study-room furniture has been renovated. The university intramural department has taken over the volley-ball court in the

rear of the house and games are being played there regularly.

*Campus Activities:* Ohio Beta again placed first among the national fraternities on the campus in scholarship, for the eighth consecutive year. A large cup has been given us in recognition of our achievement. Those who made a B average or better are: Babbs, Cherrington, Cottingham, Coultrap, Dodge, Huit, Martin, Samuell, Stewart, Taylor, and Wilson. In football Ohio Beta is more strongly represented than in several years, with five men on the squad, and every one practically certain of a varsity letter by the end of the season. The men are: Belt, Bennett, Pape, Scott, and Vandervort. All five made the trip to Syracuse, Oct. 10. Journalism again takes the lead among the actives, with Samuell as editor-in-chief of *Le Bijou*, university year-book, and Taylor as editor-in-chief of the *Transcript*, semi-weekly newspaper. Huit, Polley, and Line are members of *Le Bijou* staff, while Coultrap is news editor, Maharry issue editor and Soper reporter for the *Transcript*. In debate Coultrap and Smith recently made a trip to Dayton, while Babbs, Dodge and Maharry are preparing for other contests later in the year. Nine men have made the men's glee club, of which Babbs is business manager. They are: Babbs, Dieterich, Samuel, Smith, and Phikeias Alpach, Huit, Hoose, Sauer, and Simmons. Four men have made the university band, and are: Polley, key-man, and Phikeias Armstrong, Austin and Barnett. Dodge was elected president of the junior class at a recent election. Smith had charge of the annual homecoming show. Phikeia Eckler has been selected as freshman cheerleader. Maharr was elected treasurer of the Press Club, while Coultrap is a member of the publicity committee.

*Chapter Visitors:* Dr. Karl Waugh, '00; James Havighurst, '30; Fred Hout, '31; Dwight Martin, '31; Dudley Hendrick, '31; George Taylor, '29; William Ackerman, ex-'30; Allen Whitney, '99; James Dolbey, ex-'32; Robert Jackson, ex-'33; David Griffiths, cx-'33.

*Alumni Personals:* Gilson Wright, '30, is now assistant director of publicity of the university. He was recently married to Amy Benton, '32. Hout, '31, has taken a position with a granite company in Pittsburgh, Pa.; Martin, '31, is a student in law school at Cincinnati; Hendrick,

'31, is with an insurance company at Dayton; David Stewart, '31, is teaching English in Peiping, China; Ernest Cherington, '31, is taking a master's degree at the university; David Sauer, '31, is teaching physical education at Marietta College, in addition to continuing his studies preparatory to medical college; Gordon Kraft, '31, is freshman line coach at the university.

WILLIAM A. MAHARRY

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Ohio Gamma, Ohio University

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Music and journalism . . .

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*Phikeias*: Alfred Kraft, Donald Burbick, William Daugherty, William Davis, Jack Gordon, John Green, Woodrow Huddle, Edward Jones, Kenneth Jones, Norman Lewis, Robert Masterton, Earl Mawhinney, William McNutt, Donald Ridgeway, Hubert Terrill, Gale Wallace.

*Chapter House Improvements*: House has been redecorated and we have a new leather suite.

*Campus Activities*: Phikeia Norman Lewis has been chosen as the editor of the year book. Robert Willoughby, Joe Esmont, and Dale Hawkins are all regulars on the football team. Phikeia Wallace is in the University choir. Phikeia Craft is in the University orchestra. Stone, Evans, and Reamer are on the *Green Goat* staff, campus humor publication. Kenyon is reporting for the *Green and White*, a semi-weekly publication. Phikeia Terrill is out for freshman football. Griffith is assistant freshman coach. Mahan, now taking post graduate work, has been awarded an assistantship in the psychology department.

*Social Activities*: The chapter held open house on Sunday evening October 11. Brother Lute Evans and wife were the chaperons. We are planning a house dance for the near future.

*Chapter Visitors*: Blackburn, Hanna, Mackleroy, Sohl, and Bishop of Indiana Gamma were visitors. Maynard Graft, Glen Ettinger, Tom Wood, Cy Young, and Harry Kelly all of this chapter were visitors.

*Alumni Personals*: Paul Rogers married Miss Frances Wilcott of Miami University. Roa Zenner was elected as chapter adviser.

STACY WOLFE

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Ohio Epsilon, University of Akron

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All sorts of activities . . .

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*Phikeias*: William Adams, Uniontown; Roy Burd, Akron; John Kidder, Akron; and Charles Ream, Akron.

*Chapter House Improvements*: The cellar has been thoroughly cleaned and painted.

*Campus Activities*: Arnette and Phikeias Mahan and Moyer in the backfield and Brothers Erwine and Campbell on the line contributed largely to the defeat of Kent State in the opening football game, October 10. Anthony, Roth, Thatcher, and Phikeias Bozick and Volz are on the squad. Witwer and Smith, '25, are assistant coaches. Zeis was pledged O Δ K at the freshman welcome dance, September 26. Witwer is vice-president, VanSickle, secretary, and Wentsler, treasurer of this organization. Witwer is also president of the Scabbard and Blade. Weber is president of the Commerce Club. VanSickle has the lead in the first University Theater production of the year, a French farce-comedy, "The Game of Love and Chance," by Marinaux. Miller and Phikeia Brenne-man have important parts in the same production. Rabe and Zeis, members of Akron University's championship 1930-31 debate squad are again out for the team as are Vallen and Phikeia Ream. Working on the *Buchtelite* editorial staff are Egan, Goehler and Phikeia Ream. Wolf and Phikeias Burd and Linder are on the business staff of that publication. Ghoeler was editor of the "A" Book, freshman hand book. Thomas, Thatcher, and Vanica have returned to school this semester.

*Social Activities*: The first of a series of dances was given at the Willowdale Country Club, October 10.

*Chapter Visitor*: Brother Bradford's visit was sincerely appreciated.

*Alumni Personals*: Deiterich, ex-'30, has recently been appointed publicity manager at the University; Hopkins, '29, has been appointed coach at a junior high school in Warren, Ohio.

THOMAS VANSICKLE

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Ohio Zeta, Ohio State University*Numerous gridiron men . . .*

*Phikeias:* William Eberhardt, Harold Granger, Morgan Jones, Frank Anderson, William Hamilton, Gene Thompson, John Prior, George Bonnell, Carl Deadman, Robert Ives, John Heller, Richard McClurg, James Stoltz, James Moore, Gilbert Ray, Harold Weissinger, George Jenison.

*Campus Activities:* Holcomb and Phikeia Cramer are showing excellent work on the varsity football team this fall, with Holcomb as captain and Cramer at quarter. Phikeias Granger, Thompson, Heller, Ray, and Weissinger are out for the freshman squad. Gorney was elected to the student senate. Summers, Weiser, Black, Gorney, Harper, Ervin, Loeber, Rogers, and Phikeia Blue were appointed members of the homecoming committee.

*Social Activities:* A dance was given at the house Oct. 10, and plans are now being made to have another one November 21. An alumni smoker is to be given November 4, by the chapter.

*Chapter Visitors:* Hughes, '17, and Hurm, '19, were here for the Cincinnati game.

*Alumni Personals:* Martin Elberfeld '30, opened a store in Chillicothe. Mathews, '26, is to be married October 17.

CHARLES E. ROGERS

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Ohio Eta, Case School of Applied Science*Eleven on the eleven . . .*

*Phikeias:* Gilbert A. Spear, Robert Bell, Vaughn McWhorter, George E. Miller, David Morrow, Gordon Schmelter, Francis D. Wilson, Cleveland; George B. Bodwell, Albert J. Marshall, George P. Rackle, Arvin F. Rutta, Paul G. Thom, Gordon Turpenny, Cleveland Heights; James K. Shafer, East Cleveland; Richard H. Schmid, Gerard J. Fischer, Akron; Melville F. Bragdon, Lakewood; Mervyn L. Brownsberger, Canon; Edward N. Duppstadt, Ligonier, Pa.; David A. Bell, Weeks, La.

*Initiates:* October 5, 1931, Harold Deitz Duppstadt, Ligonier, Pa.

*Chapter House Improvements:* A new

combination Brunswick automatic radio and victrola has been placed in the living room. Several new chairs and lamps have been purchased for the study rooms.

*Campus Activities:* Dill, Squire, and Walling were awarded letters for track at the end of the season. Bodwell, Simon, Cummings, and Clarke were also members of the squad. Of the brothers who were awarded letters, Squire and Walling were outstanding members of the team. Squire, one of the best sprinters in Case history, broke the school record in the century and equaled the 220 mark. Walling, high jumper and discus thrower, distinguished himself in the Big Six track meet when he broke the Ohio Conference discus record. Squire, Hannum, Eisinger, Corrigan, Cameron, Irvin, Hubbard, Byrns, Clark, Haynam, and Schweitzer are on the football squad. All except Corrigan and Schweitzer played in the opening game, Oct. 27. Harnum has been pledged to T B II, national scholastic fraternity. Hostettler, Crehore, and Phikeia Rackle are members of the band. Hostettler is a member of the news service staff. Duppstadt is a member of the *Case Tech* staff. Weppner, Dill, and Squire were awarded honor keys last May.

*Chapter Visitors:* Gerhan, '26, *Denison*, '06; West, '27; Gavlac, '23; McDowell, '28; Jones, '30; Spelman, '06; Baehr, '16; Hulett, '98; Weppner, '31; Dill, '31; Simon, '31; Persons, '31; Larkin, '31; Herzegh, '30; Arnold, '30; Bates, '25; Gates, *Ohio Wesleyan*, '15; Whitacre, '29; Day, '28; Eastman, '24; Volmar, '30; Fritz, '26. Brother Mark Bradford, traveling secretary, visited the chapter from Sept. 28 to Oct. 1.

IVAN T. WALLACE

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Ohio Theta, University of Cincinnati*Elections to many honoraries . . .*

*Phikeias:* Frazier Douglass, Howard Johnson, Houston Argabrite, Wm. Biehle, Charles Albert, Wm. O'Neal, Robert Kuck, Frank Hall, Frank Koppes, James Pownall, John Pfau, George Schaezel, Henry Walsh, Donald Hawke, Ralph Barton, Roger Pellens, Thomas Bell, Richard Uible, Merle Williams, John Glenn, Roly Crandall, Joe Hudson, Henry Hammerstrom, Alexander Wilson.

*Initiates:* July, 1931: Sherman Harner, Victor Calvin, Walter Stenken, Mulford Mentel, Kenneth Darlington; October, 1931: Carl Wells.

*Chapter House Improvements:* Eight new desks, several chairs, a new rug, and a new linoleum in the club room have been purchased by the chapter.

*Campus Activities:* Stark, Saler, and Nau, and Phikeias Williams and Asche are regulars on the varsity football squad. Mentel was elected sports editor of both University publications, and fraternity editor on the annual. Nau and Koch are members of student council. Calvin and Phikeia Crandall are sports writers on the *University News* and *Bearcat*. Nau is a member of  $\Sigma \Sigma$ , senior honorary fraternity. Phikeias Pfau, Walsh, Wilson, and Biehle are members of the freshman rifle team. Pownall was awarded his third letter on the varsity track team. Remlin has been pledged  $\Phi \Delta \Phi$ , legal fraternity. Mills and Saler have been pledged  $N \Sigma N$ , medical fraternity. Wagner has been pledged  $A K K$ , medical fraternity. Poetker is a member of the Applied Arts Tribunal. Pownall has been pledged to the phythological society for honor botany students.

*Social Activities:* The Mothers' Club entertained the mothers and fathers of the new Phikeias with a tea at the house October 11. A buffet supper and a dance were given at the house October 24 after the football game in conjunction with Homecoming Day festivities. The pledge dance, in honor of the new Phikeias, will take place November 14.

*Chapter Visitors:* Wm. Tyus and Joe Clark, *Georgia Tech.*; Walter Steubing, *Cornell*; Schrader, '09; Dwight Martin, *Ohio Wesleyan*; V. M. Schwarm, '27; Barney Leo, '29; W. M. Harrison, '29; and R. Rinehardt, '27.

*Alumni Personals:* Wallace, '31, B.S. in landscape architecture, after winning a scholarship to the Lake Forest Foundation for Architect and Landscape Architecture, was awarded the Ryerson fellowship, providing one year's travel and study abroad.  
JOE POETKER

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Oklahoma Alpha, University of Oklahoma

*Remodeled and redecorated . . .*

*New Officers:* President, George Leeman; reporter, Bill Hewitt; warden,

Clarke Polk; historian, George Shirk; chaplain, Bill Erwin; secretary, Lawrence Cullison; chorister, Bill Wiley; alumni secretary, Walter Morrisay; treasurer, Bill McCurdy; steward, Bill Buck; chapter adviser, Fayette Copeland.

*Phikeias:* Dan Alguire, B. B. Barefoot, Thomas Gore, Jr., Dudley Cook, Sidney Maxfield, William Wiley, Bill Bradshaw, Pat Tobin, Robert Hess, Aubrey Hess, Max Kelly, Bill Bransford, Doc Pendleton, Bud Browning, Milo Brisco, Judson Leeman.

*Initiates:* June 7, 1931: Jean Dyche, Charley Engleman, Don Wallace, Gibson Fullerton, Carleton Polk, Clarke Polk, Bill Bailey.

*Chapter House Improvements:* Second and third floors have been completely remodeled. New fixtures and furniture installed. Basement remodeled into a "bull room." Walls decorated with murals. New furniture installed. New crested china; new silverware.

*Campus Activities:* Ab Walker plays football on the varsity. Phikeias Doc Pendleton and Bud Browning play football with the freshmen. Warren Moore is captain of the cross country team. Hildt, champion hurdler, is back on the track team. Phikeia Bill Wiley is in the Glee Club. Charles Engleman and Jim Riley and Phikeias Tom Gore and Don Alguire are in the band. F. M. Frey is on the polo team. Phikeia Judson Leeman is secretary of Y.M.C.A. and is also serving with Jim Riley on Y.M.C.A. cabinet.

*Social Activities:* First buffet supper was held October 4. Smoker was held September 29. President of University, deans and their wives at dinner, October 8. First dance was held October 23 in honor of the Phikeias.

*Chapter Visitors:* Junius Dyche, Province president; John Shirk, Warren Moore.  
BILL HEWITT

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Ontario Alpha, University of Toronto

*Rugby, golf, and polo . . .*

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*Phikeias:* John Frederick Reid, Windsor, Ontario; Stanley Gray Farrar, Brantford, Ontario.

*Chapter House Improvements:* The chapter room floor has been sanded and refilled.

*Campus Activities:* Coles and Buchanan have entered the intercollegiate tennis tournament. Hodgetts, Gibson, and McGibbon are out with the Senior Ontario rugby football union team. Sprott is with the intermediate football team. Nash has recently returned from Boston where he represented Canada in the Leslie Cup Golf matches. Johnson is trying out for the intercollegiate golf team. Phikeia Edwards is with the junior football team. Seccombe, Edmison, and Willson are trying out for the intercollegiate water polo team. Anderson is captain and Nash is manager of the intercollegiate golf team.

*Social Activities:* A rushing tea dance was held at the house, Oct. 10, after the football game between Queens University and Toronto.

*Chapter Visitors:* Mark Bradford, traveling secretary from General Headquarters arrived Oct. 8, for a three day stay with the chapter.

*Alumni Personals:* K. D. Haywood, '23, was married to Miss Muriel Lander on September 27. F. A. FELL

Oregon Beta, Oregon State College

*Landscaping improvements . . .*

*Phikeias:* Guy Benson, John Edgar, Earl Olson, Ken Ackles, Gil Auld, Richard Michael, Dave Bronson, Charles Fyock, Willard White, all of Portland; Hall Gross, Merle Long, John Irvine, all of Corvallis; Randall Crawford, Oregon City; Francis Troedson, Ione; Fred Hill, Pendleton; Howard Forrest, Rainier; Richard Pattee, San Fernando, Calif.

*Chapter House Improvements:* A new lawn and additional shrubbery have been planted to add attractiveness to the recently built chapter house.

*Campus Activities:* Mark Grayson, three-year letterman in basketball and baseball, is president of the Varsity "O" association and also is helping "Slats" Gill, varsity basketball mentor, coach the freshman hoopers. Ernest Bauer is editor-in-chief of the *Student Directory*, night editor on the *Daily Barometer*, and member of the *Beaver* annual staff. Larry Warren, former editor-in-chief of the *Barometer*, is president of  $\Sigma \Delta X$ . Forrest Lindsay is varsity yell leader. Phikeia Long is a freshman football manager. Julius Wilson is one of the

*Barometer* business managers. Ken Hammer, Art Ramponi and Phikeias Vic Curtin and Ade Schwammel are members of the varsity grid squad. Phikeias Forrest and Fyock are candidates for the freshman football team. Dillard Burroughs is on the advertising staff of the *Barometer*. Burroughs and Phikeias Irvine and McCrea are on the *Directory* staff.

*Social Activities:* Oregon Beta's social season began with a Phikeia informal dance in the chapter house, October 24.

*Alumni Personals:* Les Gault and Susan DeMoss were married last month and are living in Corvallis. A reception after the ceremony was held in the chapter house. LARRY WARREN

Pennsylvania Alpha, Lafayette College

*Gift by alumnus . . .*

*Phikeias:* Frederick Nagle, Hollis, L.I.; James Renwick Hogg, Jr., Merion; William Corlett, Pittsburgh; Carl Meixell, Easton; Charles Stabley, Williamsport; William Rusk, Easton.

*Initiates:* Michael Henry Sheridan, Nanticoke, May 29.

*Chapter House Improvements:* New furniture for the living room and dining room has been purchased. J. R. Hogg, '78, presented the chapter with two beautiful rugs for the living room. New silverware was bought, and the lower walls were painted.

*Campus Activities:* Haas, Irwin, and Wermuth have been playing in the starting line-up of the varsity football team, and O'Neill has seen action in every game. Brown is student manager of the football team. Schenck, H. Boehringer, and Cobean are on the varsity soccer squad. Cooper and Bowman are on the staff of the *Lafayette*. The *Lyre* board has as its business manager, Mattison; advertising manager, Laub; circulation manager, K. Boehringer; and Wenzel, Jamieson, and Brown are on the staff. Phikeias Stabley, Rusk, Corlett, and Meixell are on the freshman football squad.

*Social Activities:* A tea was given by the chapter during rushing. It was held on a Sunday afternoon and was well attended by freshmen and the young ladies escorted by the brothers.

*Chapter Visitors:* Smith, '03; Laub,

'03; Lewis, *Knox*, '00; Blackfan, '26; Rhoades, '28; Rosser, '30; Rothenberg, '30; Mundy '31; Tellier, '31; Phelps, '31; Book, '31. GEORGE C. LAUB

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Pennsylvania Beta, Gettysburg College

*House improved . . .*

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*Phikeias*: William Baker, Waynesboro; Richard Douple, William Gill, Richard Hamm, Harrisburg; Robert Erickson, Brunswick, N.J.; Daniel McGinnis, Lancaster; Charles Miller, Hanover; Frederick Zech, Woodrow Zech, York; Robert Walker, Berlin; Clark Placks, New Cumberland; Charles Gavrick, Summerville, N.J.

*Initiates*: Winfield R. Fahs, June 7.

*Chapter House Improvements*: During the summer vacation the chapter house was completely renovated. The improvements included a new roof, a new porch, and painting inside and out. Some of the rooms in the house were papered.

*Campus Activities*: Hardy, Eby, McMillen, McCarty, Stoner, Kleinfelter, and Phikeias Howard and Lloyd are on the football team. Livingood is football manager while Fahs and Phikeia Zech are assistant managers. Hardy is also student member of the athletic council, member of student council, president of student tribunal, and instructor in economics department. Livingood is president of the Historical Association, Long is president of  $\Pi \Delta \Sigma$  (pre-legal fraternity), Kleinfelter is president of  $B \ B \ B$ , an honorary biological fraternity. Eby has been elected to  $K \ \Phi \ K$  and Schoolmans Club. Devon is business manager of Owl and Nitengale dramatic society, member of Father and Son Day committee, and has been elected secretary of Student Council. Whetstone and Phikeia Miller are assistant advertising managers of the *Gettysbergian*. Kapp plays in the band while Whetstone is a member of the Glee Club. Phikeia Howard is secretary of the student tribunal. Phikeia Zech is a freshman member of student council.

*Social Activities*: The annual fall Panhellenic dance was held in the gymnasium on October 9.

*Chapter Visitors*: J. C. Ernest, '31; D. M. Stoner, '31; W. Lease, '32; S. B. Meisenhelder, '04; M. J. Myers, '34; Dean Hoffman, *Dickinson*, '08; W. H. Gulick, '31. I. F. ZEIGLER

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Pennsylvania Gamma, Washington and Jefferson College

*Heavy intramural program . . .*

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*Phikeias*: John Selzer, Coraopolis; James Pomeroy, Media; Gaylord Hartman, Washington; Phillip Granna, Donora; Stanley Armitage, New Kensington; James McPherson, Sheraden; William Newcome, Punxsutawney; Albert Bright, Pittsburgh; Joseph McVickers, Russelton.

*Campus Activities*: Intramural sports have begun and  $\Phi \ \Delta \ \Theta$  has already shown superior form and ability by defeating  $\Phi \ \Pi \ \Phi$  and  $A \ T \ \Omega$  in the first two volleyball games of the season. A bowling league has been organized among the various fraternities on the campus and  $\Phi \ \Delta \ \Theta$  presents a formidable team composed of Thorne and Stuart and captained by Alexander Streater. Of greater interest is the fact that W. & J's greater football team was lead to victory against Carnegie Tech by Charles Rigney, acting captain for that game. Again a brother secures an official position on the *Red and Black*—Flaccus heads the editorial staff and is a feature writer.

*Social Activities*: On Mother's and Dad's Day the chapter entertained the parents of a number of the brothers. The first cotillion of the year was held October 16. McCormick was elected chairman of the committee for that particular dance.

*Chapter Visitors*: Clarence Mitchel, *Northwestern*, '96; Clyde Grubbs, '01; Raymond D. Evans; Paul A. Stuart, '05; Robert Bell; William Ralston, '29; Packard, '21; Rodger Patton.

*Alumni Personals*: Forrest "Jap" Douds, '30, former football star and member of the All-American football team in 1929, married Miss Katherine McLaughlin of McKees Rocks, Pa. They made their home in Pittsburgh during the summer months, later moving to Chicago where Douds is in training preparing for a season of professional football.

ROBERT K. STUART

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Pennsylvania Delta, Allegheny College

Senior valedictorian and  
salutatorian . . .

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*Phikeias:* Donald Bortz, Greensburg; John Carver, Beaver; John Corcoran, Dormont; Robert Crabbs, Painsville; Richard Dentler, Warren; Phillip Gelbach, Evans City; Thomas Hawkins, New Castle; John Helmstadter, McKeesport; Norman Olson, Madison, N.J.; George Plunkett, Evans City; Thomas Pringle, Jr., Pittsburgh; William Blower, Dormont.

*Initiates:* September 27: Adam F. Bortz, Greensburg; Robert L. Quinn, Du Bois.

*Chapter House Improvements:* In preparation for this new year, several improvements were installed in the house either shortly before or soon after the term commenced. The living room was redecorated, the alterations including new wall paper. The furniture in the smoking room was recovered, which rendered it much more serviceable. New furniture was also installed in the various rooms, and many minor improvements together with the aforementioned have increased both the appearance and comfort of the house.

*Campus Activities:* Several of the brothers are engaged in the extra-curricular activities this semester. Sturges Cary is news editor for the *Campus*; Stanford Corcoran is out for varsity debate; Gilbert, Elliott, and Corcoran are members of the student senate; Carlson and Elliott are in the Player's Guild; Elliott also belongs to the Allegheny band; Markel is the doctor for the football team; Pratt is out for football managership; Walker and Grant are trying out for the Allegheny Singers, to which aggregation Bortz and Harner already belong; Lewis is editor of the *Literary Magazine*; Corcoran is class editor of the *Kaldron*; Phikeia Pringle is on the varsity football squad; Rossell is a member of the quartet and soloist for the Allegheny Singers; Phikeias Olson, Helmstadter, Carver, and Hawkins are competing for *Campus* reporters; Phikeias Helmstadter and Bortz are freshman competitors for football manager; Phikeia Gelbach is assistant football trainer. Five scholastic honors were be-

stowed upon Pennsylvania Delta members. Gilbert received first honors in the senior class; Lewis received second. Corcoran and Cary received first honors in the junior class. Grant received second honors in the sophomore class. Harmon Herrick Gilbert was elected to  $\Phi$  B K. On October 9 Allegheny College inaugurated as president, Dr. William Pearson Tolley. Dr. Clarence Frisbee Ross, '91, his predecessor, was holding the office only temporarily, following the resignation of Dr. James J. Beebe.

*Chapter Visitors:* Many alumni visited the chapter the first week or so. Louis Wells, a trustee of this chapter, addressed one of the chapter meetings. October 9 saw the inauguration of the new college president, Dr. William Pearson Tolley, and the following day was celebrated as Homecoming, so a record attendance of alumni and visitors was produced.

*Alumni Personals:* John R. Grant, '29, has enrolled in Hahnemann Medical College in Philadelphia. William Phillips, '30, is employed in New York in the Metropolitan Life Insurance Company. Howard Phillips, '33, is continuing classwork at Cornell. PAUL GRANT

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Pennsylvania Epsilon, Dickinson College

Occupying a new house . . .

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*Phikeias:* William Gordon, Coatesville; W. Roger Cooper, Coatesville; Howard Crabtree, Drifton; Edward First, Harrisburg; Richard Shroat, Harrisburg.

*Chapter House Improvements:* The chapter moved into its new Colonial stone home, opposite the campus on West Street, at the beginning of school this fall. The former home at the corner of College and Loucher Streets was purchased by the College and has been converted into a psychology laboratory. With the completion of landscaping and grading, the house will be ready to be turned over to the chapter in formal ceremonies on November 6.

*Campus Activities:* Davis and Hobbs were elected to  $O \Delta K$  at the annual spring election, and at the organization meeting Davis was elected president. Bonin was elected to Skull and Key, junior honorary society, at the spring

election. Teti was elected to Ravens Claw, senior honorary society, at the spring election. Farr is on the varsity football squad. Davis, who is captain of the cross country team, and Shortlidge are working out in preparation for the opening of the cross country season.

*Chapter Visitors:* Charles Hoban, '29; Dean Hoffman, '01; Shuman Hart, 16; George Elliott, '31; Vincent Matter, '31; Robert Dawson, '31; John Morgenthaler, '21; J. Resler Shultz, '26; William Stephens, '16; Agnew Roorbach, '18; James Rule, *Washington and Jefferson*, '98; John Meisenhelder, *Gettysburg*, '97.

DAVIS R. HOBBS

Pennsylvania Zeta, University of Pennsylvania

*\$1,000,000 Curtis gift . . .*

*Initiates:* James Hurlburt, Jefferson, Ohio, October 13.

*Chapter House Improvements:* The dining room, living room, hall, meeting room, and kitchen floor were painted.

*Campus Activities:* Hickok, Russell, Deisroth, Knight, and Colby are out for the varsity 150 pound football team. Trerotola is out for center on the varsity gridiron aggregation. Deisroth was made assistant manager of lacrosse. The chapter will probably enter a team in the interfraternity football league.

*Social Activities:* The first dance of the first semester was held after the Wisconsin game, October 24.

*Chapter Visitors:* Granny Carrel, '29, dropped in to say hello after the Swarthmore game, October 3.

*Alumni Personals:* Ted Campbell, Jr., was married to Virginia Smith at Kansas City, Mo., October 3. Harvey Harman, former Pitt star, chosen head football coach. Department of Physical Education reorganized; raised to a plane with other departments with coaches rated as professors, instructors, etc. University received an outright gift of \$1,000,000 from Cyrus H. K. Curtis.

PHILIP W. GUNDELINGER, JR.

Pennsylvania Theta, Pennsylvania State College

*New furniture . . .*

*Phikeias:* Richard S. Moffitt, Bethlehem; John Dallas, Jr., North Wales;

William A. Courtenay, Chester; Donald B. Ross, Scranton; John G. Irons, Belle Vernon; Thomas H. Eakle, Jr., Philadelphia; Albert N. Shuster, Jr., Monessen; Geo. H. Hill, Jr., Reading; James W. Townsend, Langhorne; Walter H. Glasgow, Jr., Scottsdale; Frederick Anthony, Barnstable, Mass.

*Chapter House Improvements:* The chapter house was given an extensive cleaning throughout before the opening of the fall term. About three hundred dollars were spent on new furniture for the study rooms and bedrooms. An electric unit was added to the refrigerator.

JOHN T. RYAN, JR.

Pennsylvania Iota, University of Pittsburgh

*Watch those furnaces ! . . .*

*Phikeias:* Eugene Snitger, Beaver Falls; Paul Collins, Sioux City, Iowa.

*Initiates:* October 11: Richard Burt, Andrew Wright, Frank McLean, Wallace Johnston, Thomas McGill.

*Chapter House Improvements:* A new furnace was installed this summer to replace the one totally destroyed by an explosion last May. Several rooms were papered and the woodwork refinished.

*Campus Activities:* Goodfellow is president of interfraternity council. Heller, Yentch, Odell, and Phikeia Collins are on the football squad, Heller and Phikeia Collins playing varsity halfback and end respectively. Hogue is drum major of the band. Goodfellow is on the *Pitt Weekly* staff. Hanna is a member of the varsity swimming team. Holland, Morrison, Hatcher, C. Smith, and Lampe are members of the glee club. C. Smith is chairman of the Christmas festival.

*Social Activities:* A dance and informal welcome for the alumni is being planned for the evening of the Pitt-Army Homecoming game, November 14.

*Chapter Visitors:* Gilbert, *Allegheny*; Raymond D. Evans, *Allegheny*, Province President, Firman Hayman, '27.

*Alumni Personals:* Charles Eisaman has succeeded Wm. T. Neill as the chapter's alumni adviser.

ALFRED B. BRANON

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**Pennsylvania Kappa, Swarthmore College***Football and journalism . . .*

*Phikeias:* Gordon B. Bretschneider, Germantown; George P. Cuttino, Newnan, Ga.; Albert F. Halley, Rapid City, S.D.; Robert B. Lewis, New York City; Dino D. P. McCurdy, Philadelphia; Matthew D. Mason, Jr., Rutledge; James C. Miller, Du Bois; Raymond J. Woodbury, Ottumwa, Iowa.

*Campus Activities:* Brown, Leber, and Garrett are active on the football field. Brown and Leber started the game against Pennsylvania and played well throughout. Phikeias Lewis and Woodbury are working for the freshman squad. McCord started in the first soccer game of the season, and seems sure to continue in the first string during the rest of the season. Baker and Phikeia Miller are also doing good work on the soccer field, while Rushmore is working hard for the position of assistant manager. Kain and Powell are working on the staff of the *Halcyon*, the college yearbook, and with Sonneman, on the staff of the paper, the *Phoenix*. Besides these, Pennsylvania Kappa is well represented in the fall tennis tournament with Lutton seeded as number one and Potter as number seven.

*Social Activities:* The annual fall dance of the chapter will be held on November 7 and we hope will prove a great success again this year, with a large delegation of the alumni as well as of the active chapter.

*Chapter Visitors:* Snyder, '29; Carter, '30; Kintner, '31; Elsbree, '21; Owings, Blake, '19; and Slocum, '22.

WILLIAM H. KAIN

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**Rhode Island Alpha, Brown University***Many activities . . .*

*New Officers:* President, N. H. Morton; warden, J. G. Sawyer; secretary, D. L. DeNyse; treasurer, O. F. Walker; chaplain, L. G. Lagerloff; chorister, L. M. Aldrich; steward, J. M. Hughes; alumni secretary, D. F. Coffin.

*Phikeia:* Alfred T. Hill, Montclair, N.J.

*Initiates:* October 5: Robert S. Hall,

Wollaston, Mass.; Edward T. Pritchard, Loch Arbor, N.J.

*Campus Activities:* Harris, Sawyer, and Walker have been playing regularly on the varsity football squad. Coffin, Rodgers, Payne, Seligman, and Corlett are giving the regulars a good run for their positions. Sawyer is the Phi Delt member on the Cammarian Club. Aldrich and Read are the representatives on the Brown Key. Aldrich is playing a marvelous game of soccer. Walker is the only member of the house in the Sphinx Club. Seligman and Hoge are members of the vigilante committee. Chaney is working hard for the B.C.A. In the fall of '31  $\Phi \Delta \Theta$  started its intramural football season by winning the first game 43-7.

*Social Activities:* House dance scheduled for the Columbia week-end Nov. 13. Tea dance the following afternoon.

*Alumni Personals:* The chapter mourns the passing of Fred D. Aldrich, '95, who died October 3. While at Brown he was a member of the Cammarian Club and president of the junior class. Since then he has taught at Worcester Academy where he held the position of assistant head master. His son, L. M. Aldrich, is an undergraduate at the University and is also a Phi.

K. M. HOGE, JR.

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**South Dakota Alpha, University of South Dakota***Twenty-one in football . . .*

*Chapter Officers:* President, Robert Campbell; house manager, Lyle Espe; secretary, Kermit Norbeck; warden, Wilfred Bryant; chorister, Wilbur Townsend; chaplain, George Wakefield; reporter, David Hawkinson; chapter adviser, Wilfred Chaussee, Vermilion.

*Phikeias:* George March, LeRoy Everett, Berton Haag, Vermilion; James Tobin, Ralph Bircher, Harold Ludeman, Mitchell; Horac Atkins, Parkston; Robert Graham, White Lake; Robert Mayhouse, Sioux Falls; William Bruner, Frederick, Charles, and Cletus Clinker, Mobridge; George Dowell, DuQuoin, Ill.; Jack Miller, Lake Andes; Frank Geyerman, Hot Springs; Joseph Livak, Lead.

*Chapter House Improvements:* A new davenport, two Morris chairs, a new rug,

and several lamps have been added to the living room.

*Campus Activities:* The Phis are well represented on both the varsity and freshman football squads again this year. Atkins, Buck, Ostland, Tice, Clinker, Dixon, Leman, McLain, Campbell, Steuben, and Walker are making it tough on the varsity with Atkins acting as captain. Ten of the Phikeias are out for the freshman squad. Fletcher has been pledged to  $\Phi \Delta \Phi$  law fraternity. Graham has been elected manager of the glee club. Gunderson is assistant freshman football coach. Buck and Hawkinson have been pledged to  $\Pi \Sigma \Pi$ , honorary engineering fraternity. Townsend is a member of the cheering squad.

*Chapter Visitors:* Burton Root, '31; Martin Beckers, '31; Dr. G. T. Jordan, '05; William Dunkak, '27; D. A. Lyon, '23; Terry McCullen, '23; Jack Raish, '05; Purdy Bradford, '28; Glen Early, '33; W. H. Steele, *Montana*.

*Alumni Personals:* Joseph Qualm, '31, is a cadet in the U. S. Air Corps and has just been transferred to Randolph Field, Texas. Louis N. Crill, '29, was married in Huron this summer to Alice Anderson,  $\Pi \Phi \Phi$ . DAVID HAWKINSON

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Tennessee Alpha, Vanderbilt University

*All-round activities . . .*

*Phikeias:* Thomas Baker, Nashville; Andrew Benedict, Nashville; Frank Durand, Chattanooga; Norfleet Figures, Columbia; James Fortune, Nashville; Mallory Harwell, Ocoola, Ark.; Nathan Martin, Nashville; Ollie Minton, Nashville; Gerald Montgomery, Greenwood, Miss.; Karl Price, Middlesboro, Ky.; James Scoggins, Tupelo, Miss.; Nugent Shands, Jackson, Miss.; William Skelton, Anchorage, Ky.; Landan Smart, Nashville; Dempsey Weaver, Nashville; William Weaver, Nashville; Billy Wilson, Brentwood; Phil Williams, Nashville; John Wilson, Sturgis, Ky.

*Campus Activities:* Tennessee Alpha has been unusually well represented on the football field this fall having three varsity regulars in Foster, Fortune, and Close who have all turned in some excellent games. Backing them up are Johnston, Watkins, Watson, and Hughes who have all seen considerable service and who are sure to be important fac-

tors in Vanderbilt's team. Phikeias Fortune, Martin, Minton, Harwell, and Scoggins are all out for freshman football and are doing exceptionally well. In campus activities Tennessee Alpha is again well represented. Hardison is president of both the Y.M.C.A. and the Artus Club, Stringer is president of Brutus Fulmen, pre-legal club, Lee is heading the Blue Pencil Club, and Gibson is president of the local chapter of  $\Sigma \tau$ . All of the above organizations also have a large Phi membership. Bearden and King hold responsible positions on the student council and Kane is an officer in the freshman law class. With regard to publications Bearden is business manager of the *Hustler*, the school newspaper, Gibson is editor of the yearbook, the *Commodore*, and is on the publications board, while Frierson, Anderson, and Foster are all serving in managerial capacities on the three school publications. Kane, King, Lee, Foster, and Phikeia Price are at work on the *Commodore* while Lee, Phikeias Montgomery, John Wilson, Skelton, and Durand are serving on the reportorial staff of the *Hustler*. Gore and King are on the Y.M.C.A. Cabinet and Phikeia Skelton is out for the glee club.

RICHARD L. GIBSON

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Tennessee Beta, University of the South

*Additions to the library . . .*

*New Officers:* President, Morgan Soaper; reporter, Bob Hare; treasurer, Tom Henderson; chorister, Jim Anderson; historian, Douglas Vaughn; warden, Bob Hare; secretary, John Adair; chaplain, Douglas Adair.

*Phikeias:* Ragland Dobbins, Atlanta, Ga.; William Davies, Birmingham, Ala.; Julian Ragland, Nashville; Robert W. Daniel, Memphis; Dudley Fort, Nashville; Horatio Buntin, Nashville; Teddy Mack, Newport, Arkansas; Gerrin McLamore, Greenwood, Miss.; Sam Powell, Arkansas.

*Chapter House Improvements:* The first house built and owned by the fraternity has been moved off the lot so as to give the new house the gracefulness that is becoming it. The house has been thoroughly cleaned and woodwork painted. More book shelves have been given to the chapter library by Mrs.

Torian of Indianapolis. Dr. and Mrs. O. Torian supervised the moving of the old house.

*Campus Activities:* Soaper has been elected to Blue Key. D. Adair is art editor of the *Mountain Goat*, a humorous publication. Hare is athletic editor of the *Purple*, a weekly newspaper, and managing editor of the *Mountain Goat*. Lawrence is on the varsity football team; likewise Doug Vaughn. Anderson is assistant football manager. All the freshmen are out for one or more activities. Hare was one of two men sent to the Southern Intercollegiate tennis tournament by the university. Henderson is literary editor of the *Cap and Gown*, annual. Farzer is an assistant manager in football.

*Social Activities:* Mrs. Eggleston, our chapter Mother very graciously saw to it that plenty of food was to be had during rushing season. It was due to her efforts that more than one pleasant evening was spent by the new as well as the old men. Preparations are being made for the coming Saturday night dances given by the German Clubs. The chapter is planning on informal parties to be given during the festivities.

*Chapter Visitors:* Washington Frazer, '33; Picksley Cheek, '34; Bill Herbert, '34; Brax Provine, '33; John Ezzell, '31; Calliway Callicutt, '33; Doe Malernee, '32.

*Alumni Personals:* Charlie Barron, '31, is in business in Columbia, S.C. Johnny Ezzell is working for a shoe company in Nashville. Waldo Wilson is in business in Beaumont, Texas. Henry Robertson, '31, is in medical school at Charleston College, Charleston, S.C.

ROBERT P. HARE, III

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Texas Beta, University of Texas

*Improvements outside and in . . .*

*Phikeias:* Sam Boren, Dallas; Charles Little, Sam Saba; Everett McRee, Eagle Lake; Bob Wright, Wharton; Gene Worley, Shamrock; Griffith Lawhorn, Houston.

*Chapter House Improvements:* West Twenty-third Street was paved this summer, surrounding the house with pavement on three sides. Rugs, curtains, furniture, etc., completed the improvements.

*Campus Activities:* Furrh and Hall on the squad, and Worsham as assistant manager, represent  $\Phi \Delta \Theta$  in football, while Phikeia Boren plays on the tennis team. In the McLaurin Law Society are found Seay, Ackers, Jones, Tanner, Rembert, Head, and Boren with Seay occupying the position of director. In addition to this he serves as vice-president of the law school and president of  $\Phi \Delta \Phi$ . Worsham and Meador work on the *Cactus*, while the latter is engaged on the *Daily Texan* as well. E. Scurry was elected senior intramural manager, and Scott to the position of junior intramural manager.

*Chapter Visitors:* Jack Foxworth, '29; Gardner Duncan, '29; Dick Blaylock, '26; Phikeia Hal Duncan; Bill Ford, '28; Tommy Hughes, '28; John Stofor, '27; Rock Robertson, '26; Louis Page, '27; Bill Blaylock; Max Eversburg, '29.

*Alumni Personals:* Rowe is attending school at Massachusetts Tech after studying architecture in Europe this past summer. Proctor, '08, and Boyd changed to S.M.U., while Fairchild returned to Washington and Lee to continue his wonderful work in the band. Scurry of the senior law class of last year is recovering from a serious kidney operation. Boren married Miss Martha Moore,  $\Pi B \Phi$  from S.M.U. this past September, and the couple is now at home in Austin while the groom completes his law course.

IRION WORSHAM

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Texas Gamma, Southwestern University

*"Most beautiful fraternity house" . . .*

*Phikeias:* Roy Richardson, Georgetown; Marshall Bolton, Jacksonville; Whitlow Elzner, Bastrop; Felix Secret, Georgetown; Winston Proctor, Beaumont; James White, Beaumont; John M. Roulett, Georgetown.

*Initiate:* Barton Davis, '33, April 1931.

*Chapter House Improvements:* New shrubs have been put out, the house has been newly papered and the floors have been scraped and varnished. The house has been painted and generally reconditioned and we now boast the most beautiful fraternity house on the campus.

*Campus Activities:* Laird, Williams, Davis and Sterling are on the football

roster for 1931 and all show to splendid advantage. Phikeias Peterman, Proctor and White are band members while Phikeias Secrest and Proctor are playing on the freshman squad. Phikeia Elzner is business manager of the *Sou'Wester*, yearly annual and Stump is business manager of the *Southwestern Magazine*. Phikeia Gill DeWitt is chief yell leader for this year and Oatman is a member of the University honor council and Secrest is president of the students association and along with him are Davis and Stump as student assistants in chemistry. Davis entertained the chapter with a garden party and dance.

*Chapter Visitors:* L. C. Sharp, '31; Doran Oatman, '33; Ted DeVant, '31; Tom Fowler, '29; Wilburn Oatman, '93; J. E. Bell, '31.

*Alumni Personals:* Barney Guggal, '28, has recently been promoted for the third time this year and is now assistant manager of the San Angelo branch of the William Cameron Lumber Co. Sam Stone, '11, was recently married to Miss Bernice Huffstuttler, a teacher in the Georgetown schools. Brother Stone is at present tax assessor of Williamson County. WILBURN OATMAN, JR.

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Texas Delta, Southern Methodist University

*Good alumni club work . . .*

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*Phikeias:* Dale Austin, Layton Bailey, Jr., Dick Binns, Lennard Blanton, W. T. Buchanan, Jr., Billy Carroll, Lloyd Gregor, Ted Fitch, John Holman, Glenn C. Lairmore, William McCrary, Frank Neil, Horace Overby, Stone Robinson, Thomas Wassell.

*Initiates:* October 4: Alvin Corder, Harry Jones, Redus McElwrath, R. A. Neathery, R. M. Smith, Jack Woodall; October 11: Harold Anderson, Thomas Beckett, Charles Dent, Robert Hamilton, Harlan Longnecker.

*Chapter House Improvements:* Our Alumni Club painted our house, and put in a new concrete sidewalk from the driveway to the house, and a curb and sidewalk about the lawn just before school opened this fall.

*Campus Activities:* The chapter team started the interfraternity basketball schedule off with a bang by defeating the  $\Delta \Sigma \Phi$  team, 13-10. Persons and Jones and Phikeias Austin, Bailey, Belcher and Proctor are playing in the Mustang band.

Phikeia Truxton Shaw is showing up well in the backfield of the varsity football team, having appeared in every game to date. Phikeias Blanton, Lairmore, and Overbey are all on the powerful frosh squad.

*Alumni Personals:* W. B. Head, Jr., Colby Smith, and W. D. Swenson of the local Alumni Club aided chapter members in the initiation on October 4. Muse, *Georgia Tech*, '30, was a visitor at this initiation. HARLAN T. LONGNECKER

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Utah Alpha, University of Utah

*Host to alumni club . . .*

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*New Officers:* President, Richard Bennett; secretary, Monroe Wissmar; warden, Darwin Howard; chaplain, Bill Mordock; chorister, Espey Cannon; reporter, Julian Bergstrom.

*Phikeias:* Sloane Nibley, Glendale, Calif.; Dick Barker, Paul Chez, Cliff Fretwell, Ogden; Bob Bergin, Holladay; Frank Haymond, Magna; Larry James, Ted Van Cott, Max Brothers, Paul Badger, William Relf, Byron Nowell, Gray Parker, Horace Whitney, Chandler Rookledge, Bob Nibley, Emerson Sturdevant, Wood Worsley, Courtney Draper, Dick Martin, Bill Rogers, Salt Lake City.

*Initiates:* May 4: Arthur Cannon, Raymond Owen, Salt Lake City.

*Chapter House Improvements:* The chapter house has been completely cleaned and renovated. New front porch steps were put in and all floors either polished or painted. A large upstairs room has been made into an excellent study.

*Campus Activities:* Wissmar is football manager and Howard is a first string lineman on the squad. Coombs and Garnett are assistant athletic managers. Haymond was elected student body yellmaster.

*Social Activities:* Our alumni club now meets twice a month at regularly appointed luncheons. As many active brothers as can, attend these meetings in order to keep close to and bind the friendship of the alumni brothers.

*Alumni Personals:* Stanley Russon, '27, has been re-appointed as our chapter adviser for this year.

JULIAN BERGSTROM

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Vermont Alpha, University of Vermont

*Junior class presidency . . .*

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*Chapter House Improvements:* During the past summer the alumni provided screens and screen doors for the entire house.

*Campus Activities:* Wood has added to his list of honors president of the junior class and membership in Key and Serpent, the junior honorary society. Gilbert and Islen have been elected to Gold Key, the sophomore honorary society. C. Grant has been appointed advertising manager of the *Ariel*. Gilbert has been elected treasurer of the sophomore class and he is also scrubbing the *Cynic*. Grower has been elected to Scabbard and Blade (honorary military) and K M E (honorary engineering). Wood is playing first string end on the football team. Grant is leading the harriers daily over the cross country course.

*Chapter Visitors:* Vermont Alpha was host to several brothers from Union during the week-end of the Vermont-Union game.

*Alumni Personals:* Lindsay, Johnson, Kropfer, and Krough visited at the chapter house during their vacations.

HARRY M. LOUDON, JR.

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Virginia Beta, University of Virginia

*New law building and stadium . . .*

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*Phikeias:* Roland Merrell, Jeanette, Pa.; Morris Schuster, Jeanette, Pa.; A. J. Ross, Louisville, Ky.; Charles Prince, Cheraw, S.C.; William McGinness, Chattanooga, Tenn.; Montgomery Montague, Chattanooga, Tenn.; Edwin Korbell, Larchmont, N.Y.; J. S. Barrett, Pelham, N.Y.; Hunter Robbins, Greensburg, Ind.; J. J. Culbertson, Oklahoma City, Okla.

*Chapter House Improvements:* A few days before the university opened the hall and front rooms downstairs were painted. In addition to this the chapter bought a living room suite consisting of five chairs and a settee.

*Campus Activities:* Hooper has worked very hard to make the *Topics*, the university paper, get off to a good start. Bence seems to enjoy football and

is giving a decent account of himself. Morganroth has called a meeting of the glee club and is planning to have a good season. Montague and Barrett, two pledges, are out for freshman football. McGinness is adjuncting for *Corks and Curls*, the university yearbook. The Jordan brothers are out each afternoon "managing" the track team. A new law building is in the process of construction. It will cost about three hundred thousand dollars and is said to be the best of its type in the South. Virginia's new football stadium was dedicated when she played V.M.I. on October 15.

*Social Activities:* The annual banquet which is on the Saturday night before pledging was a great success this year; it played a great part in making this one of our most successful rushing seasons. The pledges will be initiated in about three weeks. At this time we will have our regular initiation dinner.

*Chapter Visitors:* Maitland Bustard, '24, acted as toastmaster at the banquet; George Carter, '30.

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Virginia Gamma, Randolph-Macon College

*Y.M.C.A. officers . . .*

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*Phikeias:* Donald Balthis, Washington, D.C.; John A. Mahood, Roanoke; Riley Miles, Bristol, Tenn.; J. Lawrence Williams, Colonial Beach.

*Affiliate:* William R. Strader.

*Campus Activities:* Mahoney is president of the Monogram Club and vice-president of the Y.M.C.A. Doyle heads several organizations, namely: "V" Club, International Relations Club, and Franklin Literary Society and is also state secretary of T K A and secretary-treasurer of the Cotillion Club. Balthis is secretary of the Y.M.C.A. Dickerson was elected as vice-president of the student body for this year and Morgan was elected as president of the student body and also as president of the senior class. Henson and Mahoney are members of E.L.E.V.E.N., Dickerson is a member of B.L.A.K.I., Harris and Morgan are members of Knight-Hawk, the three honorary ribbon societies on the campus. Mahoney, Wingfield, Williams, all lettermen, are out for football, and Doyle is out for manager.

*Alumni Personals:* E. A. Wyatt, IV,

who graduated as  $\Phi$  B K last year, held a position with the Richmond *News Leader* during the summer and has accepted the position of editorial writer of the Petersburg *Progress-Index*. Herman Williams, '31, is teaching and coaching at Randolph-Macon Academy. "Phess" Woodson, who graduated last year after having been state high point scorer in basketball for two years and a three-letter man for four years, is coaching and teaching at Ashland High School. G. C. Simpson and Stanford Webb are members of the faculty this year. John Horner has accepted a position with the Lynchburg *News*.

*Chapter Visitors:* Dr. Weisiger, '07; George Riddick, '18; Lawrence Brent, '22; Dr. Webb, '20, *North Carolina*, '25; O. P. Dobie, '28, *Virginia*, '31; B. B. Stevens, '29; Watt Clinginpeel, '27; S. H. Nunnally, '30; J. V. Horner, '30; G. C. Simpson, '30; Harris Woodson, '31; E. A. Wyatt, IV, '31.

T. ADDISON MORGAN

Virginia Zeta, Washington and Lee University

*Pledges from nine states . . .*

*Phikeias:* William Sphar, Winchester, Ky.; John Switzer, Harrisonburg; Robert Cleveland, Jacksonville, Fla.; William Carnahan, Freeport, Ill.; Claude Barrick, Frederick, Md.; William Garrett, Augusta, Ga.; Tom Smith, Tulsa, Okla.; Alexander Thompson, St. Louis, Mo.; A. D. Campbell, Lexington; Dick Born, Baldwin, Md.; Harry Rhett, Huntsville, Ala.

*Initiates:* June 8, 1931: William Pedigo, W. G. Luxon.

*Chapter House Improvements:* The chapter purchased a new radio at the beginning of the fall term. Damaged furniture was put into condition for the opening of school.

*Campus Activities:* Curtis has assumed his duties as manager of the student publication, *Ring-tum Phi*. Carl Bear is manager of track. Joe Bear was elected president of the junior class. Robert Walker was elected secretary-treasurer of the Cotillion Club. Joe Walker is assistant business manager of the Troubadours. Phikeia Sphar is trying out for the freshman wrestling team. Phikeias Rhett, Garrett, and Carnahan are out for the swimming team. Phikeia Campbell is

on the freshman football squad. Hardwick is out for sophomore manager of basketball. McCardell is on the business staff of the *Ring-tum Phi*.

*Chapter Visitors:* Fitzpatrick; Fleece, '31; Hardwick, '31; McCoy, *Duke*; Heuer, '33. L. E. HARDWICK

Washington Alpha, University of Washington

*Mothers' Club gift . . .*

*Phikeias:* Pat Cardon, Tom Nugent, Bud Douglas, Allan Bantz, John Twitchell, Dick Merrick, Harry Givan, Lloyd Fadden, Charles Deucy, Carl Oberleitner, Douglas Powers, Nelson Durham, Robert Wilcox, Wayne Nusbaum.

*Initiate:* June 13: Robert Fickle.

*Chapter House Improvements:* The members re-painted the floors of the house. The Mothers' Club furnished the living room with new rugs.

*Campus Activities:* August Buse, Bill Marsh, and Clarence Bledsoe are regulars on the varsity football team, while Fay Franklin and Ralph Smalling are on the first string. Allan Bantz is playing frosh football. Carl Walters is one of our junior managers in football this year.

BILL MONTGOMERY

Washington Gamma, Washington State College

*Citation by Ray Lyman Wilbur . . .*

*Phikeias:* Stan Wagner, Portland, Ore.; Bob Kugler, Seattle; Al Hartley, Olympia; Steven Saunders, Marysville; Dick Regan, Marysville; Bob Hascall, Seattle; John Reynolds, Naches; Elwin Braden, Spokane; Fred Morgan, Beverly Hills, Calif.; Bob Bush, Seattle; Homer Hutton, Long Beach, Calif.; Don Endslo, Spokane; Bill Butler, Chattanooga, Tenn.; Don Paxton, Spokane; Perry McKeehen, Tekoa; Bill McFee, Naches; Ray Bernie, Portland; Art Driver, Ellensburg; Lloyd Steen, Seattle; Mel Hackedorn, Pullman.

*Chapter House Improvements:* A new gas range has been installed in the chapter house kitchen during the summer. The kitchen is now cleaner and cooler than it was ever possible to be before with our wood and coal range.

*Campus Activities:* Leighton Bailey is

now men's member on the board of control, student governing body. Hays McCoy is varsity track manager and Phikeia Ritter is varsity tennis manager. Phikeia Knapp has a lead in the all-college play, "The Barker," to be presented October 30-31. Bill Murray is varsity intramural manager for the coming year. Phikeias Bill Butler and Frank Williard were recently cited by Ray Lyman Wilbur, secretary of interior, for their bravery in rescuing the body of Robert Binn, Oregon State athlete, who fell to his death while near the summit of Mt. Rainier. George Blakkold was recently appointed sports editor for the second time of the *Evergreen*, college tri-weekly. Philips, Torkelson, and Phikeias Hoag, Endslow, Braden, and Israel are members of the varsity band. Swift, Gordon, Matilla, and Boone have been awarded their grey "W" sweaters for track. Swift twice ran the century in 9.5 seconds during the first part of the season and then pulled his leg, keeping out of further competition. Gordon is a high jumper while Boone and Matilla are pole vaulters. Phikeia Coleman won his numeral in frosh baseball.

*Alumni Personals:* Ron Broom, '31, is now sports editor of the *Spokane Chronicle*.  
KENNETH WOODFORD

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West Virginia Alpha, University of  
West Virginia

*Lots of activities . . .*

*Phikeias:* Scott Sowers, Welch; Harold C. Richardson, Charleston; Flavia A. Brown, Jr., Summersville; Herbert W. Richardson; Karl A. Jemison, Middlebourne; Samuel A. Morteman, Wheeling; Howard W. Frantz, Confluence, Pa.; John W. Kemple, Wheeling; Robert Pollock, Ashland, Pa.; John Hardesty, Kingwood; Robert A. Lambie, Charleston; Walter H. Carr, War; John Homberg, Wheeling; Richard Fletcher, Alderson; Langdon C. Morris, Kayford; Frank E. Wells, New Martinsville.

*Initiates:* June 5: Felix A. Lilly, Charleston; Clarence J. Benson, Morgantown.

*Chapter House Improvements:* During the summer months the chapter house was entirely refurnished throughout its interior. New rugs, easy chairs, lighting fixtures, and study facilities were in-

stalled in the second and third floors. The card room was newly decorated and furnished together with the reception hall. The exterior of the house was repainted and new porch furniture added.

*Campus Activities:* George Harris Healey returned early to take charge of the freshman week program sponsored by Sphinx of which he is the president. John Sowers and Edison Rine are promising prospects for the varsity football squad, and Phikeias Jemison and Frantz for the freshman. Ralph Colburn is participating in track, Jackson, Fletcher, and Phikeia Smith in wrestling, and John Brick in boxing. Myers, Carr, and Groves are pledged to  $\Phi B \Pi$ , honorary medical fraternity. Summerfield is captain of Company C in the R.O.T.C. unit, while Healey and Walker occupy other positions in the same department.

*Social Activity:* A banquet in honor of the newly pledged men was held in the dining room of the chapter house.

OWEN A. GROVES

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Wisconsin Alpha, University of Wisconsin

*Sophomore class president . . .*

*New Officers:* Ferdinand Geiger, president; Charles Schoen, warden; John Doolittle, reporter; Meredith Jelsma, secretary; Mark Catlin, steward and treasurer; William Frawley, alumni secretary; Carl Moebius, historian; Patrick Daly, chaplain; Mark Catlin, chorister.

*Campus Activities:* Albert Martin, '32, has been made a member of Iron Cross, honorary senior organization, White Spades, honorary junior fraternity, and was named one of the Badger Aces, a group selected annually for campus prominence. Wisconsin Alpha triumphed over  $B \Theta \Pi$ , but failed to win in intramural softball competition. The Wisconsin Alpha golf and tennis teams progressed to the semifinals where they met defeat. Meredith Jelsma, '33, was initiated into Tumas, honorary sophomore fraternity. William Storms, '31, wrote a graduating thesis on administration of criminal justice in LaCrosse, and turned his material over to Hoover's Wickersham committee. The university is cooperating with the committee. University degrees were conferred upon the following members of Wisconsin Alpha: Edward Taylor, Fred Airis, Whitley Aus-

tin, Frederick Joachim, Homer Culver, William Storms, and Walter Stringfellow. John Doolittle has been elected sophomore class president.

*Alumni Personals:* Plans for celebration of the seventy-fifth anniversary of the founding of Wisconsin Alpha next spring were gotten underway at an alumni banquet held at the chapter house last May which was attended by Dr. D. S. MacArthur, '81, Dr. Arthur Sullivan, Walter Marling, Dr. Havighurst, Julian Harris, Dr. William Werrell, Professor Mauer, Randolph Conners, and others. An extensive program was planned for the diamond jubilee. Wisconsin Alpha will be 75 years old June 27, 1932. The celebration will, of necessity, be held

prior to that in May, 1932. Dr. Herbert B. Wright, '20, is practicing surgery at Cleveland, Ohio, and boasts aviation as his hobby, holding a commission as captain in the air service of the Ohio National Guard and a transport pilot's license. His address is 9400 Euclid Avenue. "Sheep" Alexander is a landscape architect at Cleveland, and may be reached at the University Club. Another prominent surgeon at Cleveland is Dr. James V. Seids, '17. Clifford Harvey is sales manager of the Bryant Heater Company at Cleveland. Isham Harrison Evans is managing his family's 30,000 acre cotton plantation which is in Mississippi.

WHITLEY AUSTIN-JOHN DOOLITTLE



ACTIVE CHAPTER WISCONSIN ALPHA, UNIVERSITY OF WISCONSIN

# Alumni Clubs . . .

## *Baltimore, Maryland*

Attempting to organize the spasmodic efforts of individual members of its organization in recommending prospective Phis to their local chapters, the Baltimore Alumni Club has added a new activity to its field of endeavor.

The club's president, in a letter issued early this summer, appealed to members on this point.

As a result the names of more than twenty men were received by the club. They included students entering seven different colleges in our vicinity. These men were recommended to the club, not simply as next-door neighbors, but as men whose character, ability, and prep school record has been investigated and approved. The names were sent to the local chapter of the school they are entering, with the information we have acquired concerning them.

The lack of a perfect 100 per cent response from club members is attributed to the newness of the plan and the fact that many still prefer sending the names of their prospects direct.

Because so many of our members were not in town during the summer months, the effort to continue the monthly dinners was a failure. But it was gratifying to see the number that found it possible to turn out for the Friday luncheons, so the work of the club continued. The first of the monthly dinners was at the Lord Baltimore Hotel on October 1.

Brother Swigert reports that he spent two weeks at Bar Harbor this summer. Not to be outdone, Brother McEntee visited Coney Island for the same period, it is said. Incidentally, Wootton toured the South during his vacation, visiting his chapter house at the University of Alabama. He was pleased with the progress noted there.

Black spent a week on the Chesapeake in a Star boat. He took Dana's *Two Years Before the Mast* along so as to be sure of his sails. Kieffer, who has been in New York during the last six months, returned here for two weeks this summer.

EUGENE CREED, JR.

## *Beaumont, Texas*

The organization meeting was held at the Edison Hotel at 12:15 p.m., July 7, 1931. The meeting was called to order by the chairman, and the letter from Arthur Priest was read, wishing us luck in our undertaking, after which the Charter was presented and passed around for inspection.

A ripple introduction of members followed and the chair opened nominations for president. Akers nominated Leach, upon which H. M. Hargrove, Sr., moved that nominations be closed.

Brother Leach took charge of the meeting. Ed Stedman, Jr., was elected vice-president, and Harvey Munro, secretary-treasurer.

The secretary was requested to write National Headquarters with reference to the meeting and the president adjourned the meeting.

Charter members are: Bob Akers, *Washburn*; J. W. Babb, *Southern Methodist*; Fitch Briggs, *North Dakota*; Vin Burke, *Westminster*; Chester Easley, *Texas*; W. D. Gordon, *Southwestern*; Bill Hargrove, *Texas*; Maxey Hargrove, *Texas*; H. M. Hargrove, Sr., *Texas*; Sam Hay, *Southwestern*; Tommy Hughes, *Texas*; Ralph Huit, *Southwestern*; Phil Justice, *Penn State*; Watt Langham, *Texas*; W. W. Leach, *Colorado*; Pete Mathews, *Southern Methodist*; Harold Moore, *Texas*; Harvey Munro, *Colorado*; Dick Plummer, *Colorado*; Frank Plummer, *Sewanee*; Harry Roden, *West Virginia*; William Seale, *Alabama*; Robert Shaddock, *Southwestern*; Ed Stedman, Jr., *Texas*; Pete Stuart, *Texas*; W. D. Swickheimer, *Southwestern*; Bill Weed, *Southwestern*; J. F. Weed, *Missouri*; Waldo Wilson, *Sewanee*; J. B. McGee, *Centre*; Traylor Sells, *Southwestern*; John Haislip, *Southwestern*.  
HARVEY MUNRO

## *Jacksonville, Florida*

The eighth annual banquet of the Jacksonville alumni was held the night of September 4 in the Carling Hotel, with Kirvin Slade, *Florida*, '27, acting as toastmaster. Over fifty were present, including thirteen prospects who entered

college this fall. The main address was made by Frank S. Wright, *Florida*, '26, of Gainesville, who is president of Epsilon Province. Brother Wright discussed the history of fraternities up to 1848, the history of  $\Phi \Delta \Theta$ , the present extent of the fraternity system and the achievements of Florida Alpha in an extremely interesting manner. Entertainment was furnished by a local team of radio entertainers.

Olin E. Watts, *Florida*, '25, was general chairman of the committee in charge. He was assisted by Brothers Slade and Nubrey Sawyer, *Florida*, '31, and a number of the active Phis in the city.

At a meeting of the association at the home of Dr. J. Lee Kirby-Smith, *Vanderbilt*, '04, in the spring, Mike Houser, *Florida*, '30, was elected president for this year, with Brother Slade as secretary-treasurer. They succeed Ed Vrieze, *Florida*, '28, and Tom Blalock, *Vanderbilt*, '29, respectively.

#### *Milwaukee, Wisconsin*

The Phi Delta Alumni Club of Milwaukee has started off with a bang. October 13 we held our first meeting and in spite of the rainy weather we had seventeen—more than we expected.

Our organization elected Edward Heberlein as president and Edward R. Droppers as secretary-treasurer. We meet every Friday noon at 12:15 at the Milwaukee Athletic Club. Our first luncheon was October 16 and we had a turnout of fifteen. We hope to build this number up to twenty-five or thirty before long.

EDWARD R. DROPPERS

#### *Portland, Oregon*

At the annual meeting of the Portland Alumni Club of the Fraternity, the following men were elected to office for the ensuing year: President, Earl P. Kemp, *Wisconsin*; vice-president, Walter E. Church, *Oregon*; secretary, Ralph W. Staley, *Oregon*; treasurer, Lloyd Carter, *Stanford*; sergeant-at-arms, John Baker, *Oregon State*.

The club continues to hold the weekly luncheons at the Multnomah Hotel, Friday, at twelve o'clock.

RALPH W. STALEY

#### *St. Petersburg, Florida*

The  $\Phi \Delta \Theta$  enthusiasm was forwarded by leaps and bounds in St. Petersburg this summer as a result of many social functions given by the St. Petersburg Alumni Club. Several meetings were held at various times to make plans for a successful  $\Phi \Delta \Theta$  informal dance which was given on September 4, in the ballroom of the Suwanee Hotel. The Tampa Alumni Club joined in with the Phis of St. Pete on this occasion.

Over four hundred people attended the affair, which included all Phis, rushees, and their invited guests, from Tampa, St. Pete, Clearwater, Bradenton, Manatee, Palmetto, Sarasota, and Lakeland.

The St. Petersburg Alumni Club is composed of the following Phis: Earl Askew, Paul B. Barnes, John Blocker, Jr., Geo. Cox, Archie Dunlap, Jack Dew, Walter Emmons, Mark Dodd, J. Harmon Green, Geo. Henniger, Francis Langley, Charles Norton, W. Glen Post, R. Geo. Penny, Hunter Smith, H. D. Solomon, Charles Starrett, Prof. J. L. Shearer, Geo. Trogdon, W. B. Williams, C. B. Wright.

PAUL BROWN

#### *Tampa, Florida*

The Tampa Alumni Club of  $\Phi \Delta \Theta$  closed a most active rushing season with a dance, given in conjunction with the St. Petersburg Alumni Club. This brilliant affair took place on the night of September 4 in the ballroom of the Suwanee Hotel at St. Petersburg. Approximately four hundred persons attended, including brothers and guests from all parts of this section of the state.

J. Will Dupree, *Colorado*, '19, opened the season with a bathing party and supper at his beautiful country estate. All prospective rushees were invited. Other functions included a swimming party and banquet at the Don Ce-Sar Hotel at Pass-A-Grille Beach, a smoker given by McClure and Trice, *Florida*, '32 and '33, and a yachting party aboard Dupree's yacht, the *Joan*. Many of the rushees were entertained individually at dinners at the homes of the various brothers, including several enjoyable affairs of this kind at the homes of Wade Harrison and Chester Ferguson (*Florida* '28 and '29).

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## Next Steps in Fraternity Evolution



To me the American college fraternity is an educational institution—nothing more, nothing less. To those of us who believe in fraternities, the chief problem has been to encourage genuine scholastic endeavor without sacrificing the joys and pleasures afforded by the close intimacies and associations of the chapter group. From time to time leading educators and others have severely criticized our college fraternities upon specific grounds, viz., clannishness, snobbery, horseplay,

lack of scholarship, improper conduct, etc.

Some twenty years ago a group of alumni, graduates of various colleges and universities and members of various fraternities, keenly aware of the inter-relationship between the college and fraternity, banded together for the purpose of removing so far as possible just grounds for criticism and making the fraternity a more effective instrument of training and culture. Thus was born the Interfraternity Conference representing more than sixty national fraternities, the record of whose annual meetings reveals how much it has done to restore and foster good will and mutual understanding not alone among fraternities but with the colleges as well.

What are "the next steps in fraternity evolution?" Unquestionably more strenuous efforts to translate to all chapters of our various fraternities through the medium of their local Interfraternity Councils the same spirit of helpfulness already established by the unselfish and devoted members of the Interfraternity Conference. In other words, to make locally effective what has already been built up among our national governing bodies. Thus and thus only can we feel assured that our national fraternities—including our own Phi Delta Theta—have become permanently interwoven as part and parcel of our system of higher learning.

*William P. Bayrs*

Treasurer of the General Council  
and former Chairman of the  
Interfraternity Conference

## Editorial . . .

### *A Freshman Looks at Fraternity*

It is during the most impressionable age in the life of a fraternity man, namely, the period of his pledgship, that fraternity comes to mean an influence for good, an inspiration for service and achievement, an interpreter of true brotherhood; or it comes to mean just a social club.

The chapter that recognizes the importance of the pledge period, and provides a proper program of Phikeia training, usually is the chapter that places the Sword and Shield upon the breasts of eager freshmen who enter the fraternity with enthusiasm, and a burning desire to strengthen the chapter in every possible way.

Florida Alpha places emphasis upon pledge training, and much of the whole-hearted comradeship, and fine group spirit which today pervades the chapter, can be attributed to proper handling of pledges. Recently during one of the weekly "fratology" half-hours for Phikeias, the pledges were asked to write briefly their views on three questions: (1) considerations which influenced their decision in pledging; (2) rushing tactics, and (3) suggested changes in "rush week."

New men in a fraternity quite properly should look to the older members for leadership in action and thought, but occasionally an about-face suggests new and valuable ideas. The paper which one of the pledges of Florida Alpha presented in response to the above questions typifies much that we older men might well absorb, and dwell upon, and for the inspection of all, it is herewith printed:

1. The only two major considerations which I observed in making my decision concerning pledging were: (a) My association *during school*: I found the members of the Phi Delta Theta Fraternity to suit my temperament and ideas of friendship better than any fraternity *as a whole*. I knew a number of the pledges, and knew of several more; I found them to be about as good a bunch of boys as I could wish to be with. (b) The standing of the Fraternity itself, both here and elsewhere: Phi Delta Theta appealed to me as a nationally known and appreciated organization. The local chapter was striking because of its quick rise here. However, the scholarship was *rather* depressing!

2. The only two rushing tactics which I appreciated were the complete and existing (that is right up until pledging) courtesy of the members of Phi Delta Theta which struck me as being more natural and less "put on" than any other; and the fact that I was *helped* to decide rather than *forced* or even *persuaded* to any great extent.

3. I have no suggestions to make about changing "rush week," as I

am an individual and not the whole group of pledges. In my case, however, I might say that: (a) I hardly think I'd be willing to go through that week again. (b) I became almost indignant at the obvious "shell" of exaggerated courtesy. (c) I was bored almost to distraction (especially near the end of the week) with hearing the same things repeated to me, over and over again, everywhere I went. (d) Though there was not much of it, I despised any man who, directly or indirectly, tried to lower any other fraternity, or its members, in my estimation.

Can we not remember, even more than ever before, that it is much better to *help* prospective pledges make their decision than to *over persuade*? A freshman worthy of a rush, merits every consideration. Someone will *help* him reach a decision, or *persuade* him to his decision. The former seems the preferable way.

F.S.W.

**Chapter  
Letters**

Chapter letters in the November SCROLL reached a total of ninety—more than half a dozen in excess of any number ever before printed in a single issue. The thought is an idle one, but we wonder if, perhaps, it isn't a record number of chapter letters for any fraternity journal. We're not offering any prizes, but the reflection is an interesting one.

The batting average was high—but subsequent issues can see it increased if the chapter reporters will but remember the deadline for copy. One hundred and two letters in an issue is perhaps a little too millennial to fall within the realms of possibility, but——

Maybe we can have a hundred in the January issue!

**Black  
Ball**

A black ball is not a dagger for a coward's use with which to even up an old score. It is not a brush with which to besmirch the character of one who may hold different views from yours. A black ball is a fraternity shield to protect not individuals, but the Order, from those who would injure it. It should never be cast with a prejudiced mind, or a selfish thought. Remember, it is a serious thing to constitute one's self jury and executioner in one single act unless the Order's interest demand it.—*The Masonic Quarterly* by way of the *Caduceus of Kappa Sigma*.



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# Karl Tinsley Waugh Elected President of Dickinson College

By DAVIS HOBBS, *Dickinson, Reporter*  
Supplemented by WILLIAM A. MAHARRY  
*Ohio Wesleyan, Reporter*

DR. KARL TINSLEY WAUGH, *Ohio Wesleyan, '00*, was elected president of Dickinson College at a meeting of the board of trustees on October 10.

President Waugh is at present head of the psychology department of Long Island University while on leave of absence from his position as dean of the college of arts and sciences of the University of Southern California.

He was born in Cawnpore, India, on November 30, 1879, the son of the Rev. J. W. Waugh, D.D., a missionary, educator, and treasurer of the Methodist Episcopal India Missions, and of Jennie M. Tinsley Waugh, the first missionary of the Northwestern branch of the Women's Foreign Missionary Society. He received his early education in India and is a gifted linguist. When his parents returned to this country he attended high school in Massachusetts and then entered Ohio Wesleyan.

Dr. Waugh received his A.B. degree from that school in 1900, and his doctor of philosophy degree from Harvard University in 1907. At Harvard he was Weld Fellow and assistant in philosophy to the noted Prof. William James. He also holds an honorary degree of doctor of laws from Ohio Wesleyan University.

At the University of Chicago he was associate professor of psychology from 1907 to 1909 and at Beloit College he was professor of psychology and philosophy from 1909 to 1918. He was dean and professor of psychology at Berea College, Kentucky, 1919 to 1923, and dean of the college of arts



DR. KARL T. WAUGH  
*Ohio Wesleyan, '00*  
President of Dickinson College

and sciences at the University of Southern California from 1923 to date. During the World War he served in the psychology section of the office of the Surgeon General of the Army in Washington and at various training camps with the rank of major.

Brother Waugh served for a time as the editor of the poetry section of the *Artland* magazine and he has been a frequent contributor to newspapers and various educational, philosophical,

and psychological research journals. Among his publications in the psychological field are the "Rôle of Vision in the Mental Life of Animals," and "Mental Tests of College Students."

In the June issue of the *Ohio Wesleyan Magazine*, alumni publication of the university, Dr. Waugh was one of three alumni chosen as "Who's Who Among Ohio Wesleyan Alumni." Incidentally, the other two were Phis, Dr. Homer C. Snook, '00, consulting engineer of the Bell Telephone Com-

pany, and Dr. Edward D. Jones, '92, author and economist, being selected as outstanding graduates from the university.

He is a Fellow of the American Association for the Advancement of Science, the American Psychological Association, the American Academy of Political and Social Science, the Kentucky Academy of Science, the Society of Physical Research, the Eugenics Research Association, and the Western Psychological Association. He is a member of the honorary fraternities of  $\Phi$  B K and  $\Sigma$   $\Xi$ . He belongs also to *Acacia* and  $\Phi$  K  $\Phi$ .

A volume could be written about the unique positions held by President Waugh, the extraordinarily interesting and valuable work he has done in many lines, the affectionate nicknames he has earned, etc.

From being "the youngest college professor in the United States" (at Claflin University, 1900, at the age of 21), he went through a gamut of experiences, climaxing one phase of his varied career by becoming chief psychological examiner of the United States Army during the World War. Much of his most interesting work was done in this latter capacity. His duties included the selection of psychologists from all parts of the United States to examine officers and men of the army. As chief examiner in 1918 at Camp Gordon he was in charge of the intelligence examinations of 60,000 men.

Another interesting period of work came as dean of Berea College, the famous Kentucky mountain institution. He succeeded in raising this school from a small, unaccredited institution to a standard, high-grade college. At the University of Southern California, where he went as dean in 1923, he served as general fraternity adviser. He also organized the orientation courses for the university, established the New Honors Plan, and prepared the curriculum for and directed the courses in motion picture education.



PRESIDENT EDMUND D. SOPER  
Ohio Wesleyan University

A new "high" in fraternity and inter-chapter co-operation and service is exemplified by Pennsylvania Epsilon and Ohio Beta. The former chapter several years ago sent one of its distinguished sons, Dr. Edmund D. Soper, *Dickinson*, '98, to serve as the president of Ohio Wesleyan University, Delaware, Ohio. Not to be outdone, Ohio Beta at Ohio Wesleyan has graciously reciprocated in furnishing Dickinson College, Carlisle, Pennsylvania, its new president in the person of Dr. Karl T. Waugh, *Ohio Wesleyan*, '00.

It is a practice which has much to commend it. We would suggest that particular pairs of chapters might get together on such matters and when vacancies occur in their respective colleges and universities see to it that reciprocal use is made of the alumni of the two chapters. And we commend the practice to Diogenesing boards of trustees, too. No doubt a president-hunting board could do little better than to consult the alumni secretary of some near-by Phi Delt chapter.

Both Drs. Soper and Waugh now have children attending Ohio Wesleyan University. Eleanor, daughter of President Waugh, entered last fall as a freshman, as did Phikeia Robert, son of President Soper. Herbert, '34, is also a Phi in the active chapter at Ohio Beta.

## A Long-Distance Residence Record

TWELVE years of continuous residence in a  $\Phi \Delta \Theta$  house—that is the record of John S. Graham, Jr., chapter adviser of Indiana Delta.

After leaving school and becoming inactive in the chapter, Brother Graham accepted a position with the Graham Manufacturing Company of Franklin, Indiana. Since he was to live in the city, it was convenient for him to continue residing at the house of the Franklin chapter. Thus his record was advanced to five years. At the end of that time, he was appointed chapter adviser, in which capacity he has continued to serve successfully for the past seven years. As chapter adviser it became still more advantageous, both to himself and to the chapter, to remain in the house. Thus was established, we believe, a record for continuous residence in a Phi Delt chapter house—twelve years in all.

"Service" might well be substituted for the word "residence" in the above paragraph. Brother Graham's interest and efforts in behalf of the chapter have done much to advance the standing and retain the high position already established by Indiana Delta among the fraternities on the Franklin College campus.

Increased emphasis on scholarship has made  $\Phi \Delta \Theta$  the leader in fraternity grade averages. Study conditions have taken a steady trend for the better since Graham has served as chapter adviser. At his suggestion, the third semester initiation plan was installed. Despite the fact that  $\Phi \Delta \Theta$  was the only organization in school adhering to this rule, the experiment has been a success.

Letters to the parents of the pledges concerning their sons' activities in the fraternity and school were instituted by Indiana Delta this fall. The idea



JOHN S. GRAHAM, JR.  
*Franklin, '23*  
Chapter Adviser, Indiana Delta

was Brother Graham's. The plan has since been approved by the General Council. In short, Brother Graham is vitally interested and active in all chapter affairs and enterprises. His service as chapter adviser has been of great value to Indiana Delta. Let us pause to hope that his record of service may add many more years to itself.

Besides being a member of  $\Phi \Delta \Theta$ , Brother Graham is a 32nd degree Mason, York Rite Lodge, a member of the Murat Temple, A.A.O.N.M.S., and a member of the Presbyterian Church. His former home was in Whiteland, Indiana.

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## Two Rhodes Candidates at Old Miami

By RALPH J. MCGINNIS  
*Miami*

GERALD CHEADLE, *Miami*, '31, and his brother, Vernon, *Miami*, '32, prominent in fraternity, athletic, and scholastic circles at Miami, have been recommended for Rhodes Scholarships by the Miami faculty. Gerald will make application from South Dakota, his home state, while Vernon will apply in Ohio.

Gerald Cheadle graduated last June with the degree B.S. in Education, with general honors. He missed  $\Phi$  B K by a fraction of a point and was an assistant in the botany laboratories. In 1929 and again in 1930 he was chosen an all-Ohio guard in basketball and set a new Miami polevault record in track. He was president of Ohio Alpha in his senior year. He is at present

coaching at Defiance (Ohio) High School.

Vernon Cheadle, now a senior at Miami, was elected to  $\Phi$  B K in his junior year, is a member of the senior honorary, Blue Key, and assistant in Miami laboratories. He is a star basketball player and holds the Buckeye Conference championship in both the shot and discus. As assistant to Dr. B. M. Davis, scholarship commissioner, Vernon has been very active in Fraternity affairs.

It is considered probable that both will be selected for the scholarships, which will be announced soon after the new year.

The Cheadle brothers live in Salem, South Dakota.



GERALD CHEADLE



VERNON CHEADLE

# Idaho "On the Boards"

By JOHN F. MONTGOMERY,  
*Lombard-Idaho, '29*

MAINTAINING the usual differences among members of the critical profession, New York papers in their dramatics sections report the opening at the Provincetown Theater in New York, October 26, of *No More Frontier*, a play by Talbot Jennings, *Idaho, '24*.

Included among the principal actors in the play was a classmate and fraternity brother of Jennings, Cameron King, *Idaho, '24*.

"As sweeping in theme as the United States with which it concerns itself" and a dramatic structure in which the author "has the field to himself," the play concerns the history of a family emigrating to northern Idaho from Indiana in the '70s. Critics said "the play thinks nothing of requiring three generations and fifty-six years to tell its cyclic story. And for the most part, they tell it very well. . . . It is eloquent material and Mr. Jennings, who obviously knows his Idaho, treats it with, at least compelling feeling. The unsung heroism of pioneer women, the



CAMERON KING

bitterness of war for sheep or cattle country, the tragedy of the invasion of homesteaders with their barbed wire, the havoc wrought by civic 'improvements' are set forth with simplicity and moving effectiveness."

Brother Jennings was born and raised in Idaho, the son of an English Episcopal clergyman. Incidents of his early life are worked into the text of the play. He attended the University of Idaho until the World War, when he left school and served in France with the field artillery. After the war he did some writing and journalistic work and then finished his B.A. work at Idaho. After obtaining an M.A. from Harvard he returned to Idaho's English faculty and then left for New Haven where he studied the drama under Prof. George Pierce Baker at Yale. His play was first produced there and later at Pasadena, California. While in school he was very active, being elected president of the associated student body in his final year.



TALBOT JENNINGS

Brother King since his graduation has played in stock and motion pictures. For the past two years he has operated his own theater at Fort Worth, Texas. He took a leading part

in dramatics during his undergraduate days and appeared in leading rôles from Shakespearean plays modernized by Brother Jennings for student productions.

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## Ohio Beta's Housemother

By WILLIAM A. MAHARRY  
*Ohio Wesleyan, '33*

DEAN of housemothers on the Ohio Wesleyan University campus!

That is the distinction that belongs to Miss Myrtie Armstrong, guide,



MISS MYRTIE ARMSTRONG

counselor, and friend of the members of Ohio Beta Chapter of  $\Phi \Delta \Theta$ . Now entering her fourteenth year of service to the Fraternity. Miss Armstrong has the honor of having held her post longer than any other chaperon of the sixteen national groups on Ohio Wesleyan's campus.

Although not the first to be housemother at Ohio Beta, Miss Armstrong has grown to typify all the traditions and customs of the Fraternity. Around her has been built the success of the many men who have enjoyed her presence. With her they have shared their college joys and sorrows, to her they have gone for advice and help, and for her they have tried to uphold the standards of  $\Phi \Delta \Theta$ . She personifies the spirit of the Fraternity.

A native Ohioan, Miss Armstrong came to Ohio Wesleyan in February of 1919. Prior to that time she had served, during the World War, as emergency secretary of the Red Cross at Nitro, West Virginia, coming there from Bellefontaine, Ohio. Since her arrival at Ohio Wesleyan she has not been absent from the house for longer than three weeks at a time during the school terms.

In addition to serving as chaperon for all social functions, Miss Armstrong supervises the planning and serving of meals, the general care of the house, and helps build up a home-like atmosphere throughout the chapter halls. Her duties also optionally include keeping "her boys" trim and neat by sewing on buttons, mending torn places, and supplying incidental equipment.

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# Traveling With the Traveling Secretaries

## *Out in the Vast Open Spaces*

PERHAPS the question most often asked a traveling secretary or a fraternity jewelry salesman is, "And where were you before you came here?" My recent recitations of places visited have included the three new western Canadian chapters located at the provincial universities of Manitoba, Alberta, and British Columbia. Invariably the next question put to me is, "And how are they getting along?" My answer could not be other than, "Great."

My visits at McGill and Toronto last year had left me with high regard for our Canadian chapters and the institutions in which they are located. I hoped, as I approached the new chapters, that they would be similar.

Since I was working from the East toward the West coast the first of the three chapters to be visited was the University of Manitoba at Winnipeg. This university, slightly larger than either of the others, has an enrollment of approximately 2,250 students. Here, as in the other schools, about three-fourths of the students are men. At the present time the university buildings are located near the center of the city. New ones, however, have been and are being built several miles outside the city so that by next year most of the activity will be transferred there. Ground has been laid aside on which the fraternities and sororities will build. Only three other fraternities have chapters at "Toba"; namely, Z Ψ, Deke, and Δ Y.

After leaving Winnipeg I traveled northwest across the vast wheatfields, flat as pancakes, to Edmonton and then on through the Canadian Rockies and past Mt. Robeson to Vancouver, home of British Columbia Alpha.

For the most part the Canadian schools are no different from our own

either in physical appearance or in courses of study. Undoubtedly the Fraternity acted wisely in establishing chapters in them. I think that no man can visit them without becoming convinced that the men are a high-class, earnest group. The average Canadian, I think, takes his education a bit more seriously than does the average American. He is, perhaps, slightly older and a bit more mature. Many of the men remain in the chapters six years or more while completing both their undergraduate and professional work. This adds greatly to the strength of the chapters. The fraternity idea is new to most of them but they grasp it readily. They take their fraternity responsibilities seriously and the foundations they are laying are a credit to any organization.

From Vancouver the trail led south into the great Pacific Northwest. It was a rare treat to be able to visit the chapters in Washington and Oregon—progressive chapters in a progressive country. Their hospitality, so characteristic of the West, is unsurpassable.

Perhaps the two outstanding attributes to this group of chapters are the spirit and enthusiasm of the chapters themselves and the constant interest and support of the alumni—one glance is enough to tell you that both are present in unlimited quantities. As in any group of five chapters, there are some difficulties but they are, for the most part, of minor proportions. Taken as a whole they are chapters in which sociability, scholarship, and activities are maintained at a sane balance—and they've been that way over a period of years. Who could ask for more?

LATNEY BARNES

*Way Down East . . .*

The brothers of Maine Alpha, along with all other students, alumni, and

friends of Colby College, are looking forward with enthusiasm to the establishment of the college on an entirely new campus within the next few years. For years, Colby, located in the center of Waterville, has been cramped in an expansion policy because the old campus is hemmed in on all sides either by the railroad, the river, or the city. The plans contemplate the erection by the college of the fraternity houses, which have been included in the architect's lay-out.

Much credit for the present strong condition of the Colby chapter properly goes to Dr. John G. Towne, *Colby*, '05, who as chapter adviser, is a familiar figure about the chapter house and is constantly on the lookout for the chapter's best interests. And you may be sure that Doc is on hand to apply the latest developments of medical and surgical science for speedy recovery when one of the chapter's numerous football men gets cracked up.

Many students of the women's department of the college live directly across the street from the chapter house, but the boys say they are able to concentrate on their math and Greek. Here is evidence of genuine intellectual ambition.

When the Great Brown Bear growled out his elation over a grid-iron victory, as he did many times this fall (and remember, nobody but a bear can growl out elation), four or five Phis of Rhode Island Alpha had made their contribution to make possible the victory that made possible the growl of elation. That is to say, that by the middle of the season four brothers were assured of letters and a fifth had a good chance to earn the award at Brown. Conservatively speaking, that is a good percentage when there are 19 other fraternities represented on the campus.

In Providence we find a man who renews our faith. That man is Al Mochau, *Brown*, '21, who was elected chapter adviser less than a year ago.

Among many other of his projects, he has been instrumental in the formation of a live organization among alumni of the chapter, which promises to be decidedly beneficial to the chapter as well as the alumni themselves.

A practice which other chapters might profitably emulate was initiated by Rhode Island Alpha last year. Chapters who haven't tried it will wonder why they had not thought of it before. It is, simply, a series of faculty smokers. These occasions have proved very successful as social functions and in addition have served as media for the cultivation of friendship and understanding between instructor and student.

Perhaps some of Dartmouth's loyal sons got too hot in preparation for the 33 to 33 tie with Yale. In any event, something got so hot in the  $\Sigma$  X house at Hanover that when delegates from the chapters of Alpha Province arrived for their convention on October 25, they found the house of our Dartmouth chapter's nearest neighbor gutted by flames. Some of the  $\Sigma$  Xs lost all their belongings, clothes, books, trunks, and all, in the blaze. Object lesson: be sure that not only your house and the furnishings but also personal property of occupants is insured.

New Hampshire Alpha proved a most generous and cordial host to the Alpha Province convention. And if you are looking for an example of Fraternity interest and loyalty, just take the case of William H. Greenleaf, president of the province. On a business and speaking trip through the South, Brother Greenleaf, finding that it would be inconvenient to the chapters to change the date of the convention, cut short his engagements in New Orleans by two days, took the fastest train to Boston (a 48-hour trip), and drove up to Hanover to preside at the sessions.

Dartmouth College, enrolling about 2,400 men, boasts an exquisite setting in the White Mountains. The Con-

ncticut River, which separates New Hampshire and Vermont, is close at hand and furnishes excellent surface for skating, although the boys do most of their ice work on a small lake within the campus. The chapter draws its membership chiefly from the Middle West, a good many coming even from the Far West. One result is that alumni tend to scatter far from the chapter home, and it is consequently difficult for the chapter to maintain alumni contact. Alumni of the chapter should recognize this difficulty and meet the boys half way in their effort to keep in touch.

Vermont Alpha is justly famous for its beautiful home. Designed by Clarence Dunbar, *Cornell*, '18, and built of Vermont marble it is regarded as a work of art by architects throughout the country. My visit chanced to coincide with the final spurt of the rushing season, which wound up with a lively banquet at Waterbury Inn, in the heart of the Green Mountains. The next day, when the smoke of battle had cleared away, Vermont Alpha found herself with a group of 13 promising Phikeias, and proceeded to give them the pledge banquet, an annual event.

The University of Vermont, beautifully located in Burlington, on the shores of Lake Champlain, enrolls about 750 men and 500 women. Here, as at Hanover, are ample opportunities for those interested in winter sports, and who is not? Several buildings have recently been added to the campus, notably a strikingly beautiful chapel. Whatever else may distinguish Vermont Alpha, its hospitality is an outstanding characteristic. The chapter is fortunate to have as chapter adviser Dr. George Sabin, *Vermont*, '96, former president of Alpha North Province and former member of the General Council.

The enrollment of Amherst College is limited to 650 men, and of this carefully selected student body about

70 per cent are members of the 13 fraternities represented on the campus. Amherst is justly proud of her many illustrious alumni, and it may be that the present chapter is preparing to add to the distinguished list, for of the seven members of the senior delegation, three were elected to  $\Phi$  B K in their junior year: Charles Bragg, Arthur Tripp, and Jerry Ingersoll. And another member of the delegation, Don Keith, is practically assured of election this year. Well, statistics show that, allowing them 15 years to arrive, 20 per cent of all  $\Phi$  B Ks are listed in *Who's Who in America*. You never can tell.

Amherst is but a few miles from Northampton. One of the advantages of such location, an advantage which may not be mentioned in the college catalogue, is that Smith and Mt. Holyoke are within less than ten miles of the campus. None the less, the boys make Phi Bete!

I think nowhere in the Fraternity is the third act of the initiation conducted with more dignity and impressiveness. The officers memorize their parts perfectly, dress is formal, and the ceremony immediately precedes the initiation banquet, which is always attended by a number of alumni and representatives from neighboring chapters.

If colleges can be put into classifications, Williams and Amherst fall into the same category. Both are old, small institutions, concentrating their resources and energies to the field of liberal arts and sciences. Both are rich in tradition, and many sons of Williams, like those of Amherst, have attained eminence in many fields. Just now our Williams chapter is particularly proud of its illustrious alumnus, Honorable Joseph Ely, Governor of Massachusetts. Brother Ely has always maintained an active interest in the chapter, serving now as president of the board of the alumni house corporation.

Class spirit at Williams is strong, and is used effectively in chapter ad-

ministration. The senior delegation, for instance, often meets to consider policies and specific problems. Chapter meetings are dignified and impressive, with members as well as officers robed. Grant Van Sant was elected to  $\Phi$  B K at the end of his junior year. The chapter has been particularly suc-

cessful in preserving the interest and loyalty of its alumni body.

Part of the credit for the strength of Massachusetts Alpha belongs to Prof. Karl E. Weston, *Williams*, '96, whose work with the chapter is very effective.

MARK W. BRADFORD



UNITED STATES SENATOR DUNCAN U. FLETCHER, *Vanderbilt*, '77, visits Florida Alpha at Gainesville following address to the University of Florida student body October 15. At Senator Fletcher's right is Frank S. Wright, *Florida*, '26, president of Epsilon Province, and at his right is Calvert Pepper, president of Florida Alpha. A small group of the chapter is shown in the picture. The beautiful Neon electric sign, bearing the  $\Phi$   $\Delta$   $\Theta$  Greek letters, and presented by alumni in Tampa, Florida, is also shown.

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# Echoes of Old Indiana Days

(EDITORIAL NOTE: From time to time THE SCROLL will include short articles dealing with historical episodes in  $\Phi \Delta \Theta$ . There are many interesting incidents of the early days which we feel are worth recounting as they may not be familiar to younger generations of Phis.)

THE alumnus issue of the *Indiana Daily Student* recently published letters written by an early member of  $B \Theta \Pi$  at Indiana University to other members of his fraternity. The letters were printed in the *Student's* column, "Down College Avenue," which is written by Karl W. Fischer, himself a member of the Indiana chapter of  $B \Theta \Pi$ . Because of their references to Indiana Alpha of  $\Phi \Delta \Theta$  they will probably be interesting to members of the Fraternity.

The attitude displayed in the letters was typical of interfraternity relations of the early days. Stealing the constitutions of rival groups or listening in on ritual exemplifications was the favorite outdoor sport. "Outdoor," because it was usually necessary for meetings to be held in some dark recess in the woods in order to insure the necessary secrecy.

Mr. Fischer's article is as follows:

"Agnes McCulloch Hanna's interesting article about Samuel Wylie Dodds, '61, and Richard Denis Wylie, ex-'61, two boyhood friends in Bloomington, and of their experiences in the war between the states, which appeared in the Alumnus Issue October 26, mentions three letters Dodds wrote as a student that are still extant. Campus politics are reflected in his communications which were sent to other chapters of his fraternity,  $B \Theta \Pi$ .

"To a member of the Ohio University chapter at Athens, Ohio, he wrote under date of April 13, 1858:

"Our chapter is prospering very well, notwithstanding she meets with tremendous opposition both from the barbarians and the society of the Phi Delta

Theta, but opposition is just what we like and it gives us delight to cope with the barbarians and semi-barbarians (Phis), whether in our literary societies or in the recitation room, and the more we are successful the more we are opposed and hated by some.

"The headquarters of the Phi Delta Theta seems to be here at least as far as numbers is concerned. Their chapter consists of about twenty-five or thirty members, made up into one conglomerated lump of all sorts of characters.

Nearly all of them carry concealed weapons, as far as I am able to learn. Truth and honesty will prevail though a multitude be against them. It is true they triumphed at the election of the senior class this year but they accomplished it by trickery and deceit unparalleled in the annals of any college. While our candidate was acknowledged by all to be the best and the most meritorious student, not only of his class but in college, their candidate whom they elected was a scientific student and of very ordinary talents. . . ."

"The opposition to Phi Delta Theta, then the only other chapter at Bloomington (and the first established in Indiana) is continued in another letter S. Wylie Dodds (as he signed himself) wrote to the same person a month later, May 10, 1858.

"Yours of the 18th of April was received a little over two weeks ago and to come up to the good example you have been so kind to set me, I feel it is my pleasure as well as duty to answer you. But all I have to regret is that you did not tell me more, particularly about your chapter's condition.

"We had one of the most glorious triumphs lately imaginable and that too over a chapter of Phis of more than twice our number. It was at a meeting

of the students to consider concerning the slander and reports which lately have been going the rounds of the papers of this and adjoining states about our President Daily. . . .

"The Phis had the upper hand from the beginning of the meeting, had appointed their own president, secretary and committee to draft resolutions and when the committee presented its report the Betas objected to it as being too voluminous and not expressing the feelings of the students, and therefore moved a substitute of their own. . . . But our boys in the end carried their point and came off triumphant. This is the first time we have come into open

conflict with the whole body of Phis and before the whole body of students and therefore consider our victory as something of great importance. . . ."

Mr. Fischer was kind enough to add in a footnote that "Dodds seems more anxious to get over his chapter victory than to take part in the affairs of Dr. Daily." We wonder what letters members of the "one conglomerated lump of all sorts of characters," or in other words, Indiana Alpha of  $\Phi \Delta \Theta$ , might have written to their friends and Fraternity brothers in other colleges.

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## Twenty-Third Annual Session of the Interfraternity Conference

By GEORGE BANTA, JR.

THE Twenty-third Annual Session of the Interfraternity Conference was held at the Pennsylvania Hotel in New York, November 27-28.  $\Phi \Delta \Theta$  was represented by Executive Secretary Arthur R. Priest, Judge Wm. R. Bayes, George Banta, Jr., and John B. Ballou.

The sessions were of unusual interest and were featured by an address by Dr. Henry Suzzallo,  $Z \Psi$ , secretary of the Carnegie Foundation for the Advancement of Teaching. He will be remembered as a former president of the University of Washington.

"There will be more changes in the American college in the next fifteen years than there were in the last 150," Dr. Suzzallo said. He predicted that these changes would include an increasing development of a university system on the one hand and junior colleges that are really a part of the secondary school system on the other. The changes, he said, had already begun in the last decade.

If the fraternities are to continue to exist, he said, they will either have to go down to the secondary school level,

doing things in a more immature way, or go up to the university level. They cannot go up "unless they have a very much higher selection on the basis of intellectual interest."

The conference went on record as being opposed to the junior college as a home for the fraternity system and decided to continue the information service which has been operated for the past year.

Secretary Priest presided over the annual meeting of the College Fraternity Secretaries' Association of which he is chairman. At the annual dinner of the College Fraternity Editors' Association, one of the principal addresses was given by Wm. E. Chenery, *Randolph-Macon, '07*, the editor of *Collier's Weekly*. Brother Chenery charmed his listeners by his delightfully interesting story of how *Collier's Weekly* has been built to its present position.

Alvan E. Duerr,  $\Delta T \Delta$ , was re-elected chairman of the Conference and Cecil J. Wilkinson,  $\Phi \Gamma \Delta$ , was made secretary.

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## Alumni . . .

Warm Springs, Georgia, largely unnoticed until Governor Franklin D. Roosevelt heard a story of how a young victim of infantile paralysis had improved through bathing in its waters, now seems assured of development as the site of one of the world's outstanding institutions for orthopedic treatment. This dream moves a step further toward realization as a result of the recent appointment of Dr. Michael Hoke, *North Carolina*, '93-*Virginia*, '95, famous Atlanta orthopedic authority, as surgeon-in-chief of the Warm Springs Foundation. Through this development Georgia is expected to become one of the great medical centers of the country.

It is felt, for one thing, that a man of Dr. Hoke's attainments would not have accepted the offer unless assured of sufficient support to create an institution of the first magnitude. In retiring from private practice he will sever all former connections and devote his entire time to Warm Springs. Dr. Hoke, who achieved international prominence through his work with the Scottish Rite hospitals for crippled children, started his new duties December 1. One Atlantan characterized Dr. Hoke as "the most famous orthopedic authority in this section of the country, and probably not surpassed in the United States. The work that he has been able to do for crippled children is almost a miracle and there is nobody who has ever done more charitable work than he has."

The Underwood family of Atlanta, two members of which are highly prominent This, came into the public eye recently when mother, father, and son were all the recipients of signal honors for public service or accomplishment.

In March, E. Marvin Underwood, the father, *Vanderbilt*, '00, and an

erstwhile attorney-at-law, was sworn in as judge of the federal court at Atlanta, having been nominated by President Hoover and confirmed by the senate after a long list of potential candidates had been scrutinized and rejected.

Later in the same month Newton Underwood, the son, *Emory*, '28, was awarded one of the coveted scholarships at Brown University—the Arnold B. Chase fellowship for physics. The fellowship is tenable during the year 1931-32. Newton Underwood was graduated *cum laude* from Emory and is in his third year of graduate work at Brown.

During the same month that her husband and son were receiving the honors of nation and university, Mrs. Underwood was elected chairman of the board of directors of the Southern Council on Women and Children in Industry, an outstanding recognition of many years of social work among the industrial population of the South.

"With one spring Mr. Henry becomes the leading historian of the Confederate States of America." Thus is described Robert S. Henry, *Vanderbilt*, '10, as the author of a new history of the Civil War just off the press of the Bobbs-Merrill Co. The critic is T. H. Alexander, writing in the *Nashville Tennessean*.

Mr. Alexander goes on to say that Brother Henry was "the best cheerleader Vanderbilt ever had, the best secretary a governor ever had, the best newspaper man of his day, and lately the best assistant a railroad president ever had."

In reviewing *The Story of the Confederacy*, the critic observes that, "This is no top water book that Mr. Henry has bestowed on the South," and concludes with the statement that "It will be successful as an outstand-

ing piece of history writing, but more than that it is more than likely to take a place after its first flush as a best seller, as a textbook to be pored over in the schoolroom by unborn generations of Southern boys and girls."

Homer C. Parker, *Mercer*, '08, former adjutant general of Georgia, swept to an overwhelming victory in the Democratic primary of the first congressional district of Georgia in August to nominate a successor to the late Representative Charles G. Edwards. Nomination in a Democratic primary in Georgia is equivalent to election.

Brother Parker's virtual election to the United States Congress climaxes a brilliant career as soldier and office holder. He was born in 1885, graduated from Mercer in 1908 and the Army War College in 1928. He has served as a solicitor of the city court of Statesboro and two terms as mayor of the same city, his home town. The President of the United States three times commissioned him adjutant general of Georgia and he was twice appointed to that post by the governor.

Brother Parker was a candidate for comptroller general of Georgia in the last election but lost when a tie with the incumbent by state law which gave the decision to the latter.

In a recent election conducted by the Morgan McDermott Post of the American Legion at Tucson, Arizona, Daniel J. Lyons, *Lafayette*, '25, was elevated to the commander's post. The Tucson Post, which will be headed by this Phi during the ensuing term, has attracted considerable national attention during the past year, being one of fifteen posts in the entire nation having a total membership in excess of the thousand mark.

Brother Lyons came to Arizona about three years ago, and has been connected with the city engineer's office in Tucson. During that time he has been a very active worker with the Legion.

During his college days, Brother Lyons was an outstanding member of Pennsylvania Alpha. He was prominent in Fraternity work, as well as on the campus. He was a member of Lafayette's great football teams at the time Brother Berry, All-American end, was at his peak.

LAWSON V. SMITH, *Arizona*, '28

William M. Anderson, Jr., D.D., *Vanderbilt*, '10, was appointed to the presidency of Columbia Theological Seminary, at Decatur, Georgia, in May. At the time of his appointment Brother Anderson was pastor of the First Presbyterian Church of Dallas, Texas.

Brother Anderson was born at Rock Hill, South Carolina, on September 29, 1889. He was graduated from Vanderbilt University in 1910, and later received degrees from Austin College, at Sherman, Texas. He was ordained a minister in 1914, his first pastorate being at East Dallas Presbyterian Church.

Since then he has served in the pulpits of the First Church of Dallas, and was organizer of Evangelical Theological College, of that city, and as president of the Presbyterian Clinic of that city. He also is trustee of the Austin College and Evangelical College.

Chances that the next Democratic nominee for governor in the "show me" state will be a Phi increased when State Senator Russell L. Dearmont, *Missouri*, '14, of Cape Girardeau, Missouri, recently announced his candidacy for the Democratic nomination in that state. Another probable candidate is State Senator Francis M. Wilson, *Centre*, '87. The latter has the support of the powerful Kansas City political interests. Senator Dearmont's supporters are counting on strong rural aid in his race for the nomination. He first came to prominent state notice in Missouri when three years ago in the state senate he led the fight for a reduction

in the forty-two per cent interest rate then permitted on loans not exceeding \$300. In the recent session of the legislature he led the campaign for the more effective support of the state's educational institutions.

L. W. Unger, *Indiana*, '31, is proving highly satisfactory as a member of the coaching staff of Davidson College where he assumed his duties as assistant coach of the freshman football team this fall. He will coach freshman wrestling and will be assigned to various additional coaching duties in the spring.

Brother Unger made an outstanding athletic record at Indiana. He played tackle on the varsity football team, first base on the baseball team, and was a Conference wrestling champ. He is a graduate of the Indiana coaching school.

Before attending Indiana Brother

Unger attended Mississippi A. & M. and was likewise a star athlete at that institution.

Dr. Arthur G. Fort, *Emory*, '99, was installed as president of the Medical Association of Georgia as the final act of the annual meeting in May. Brother Fort, one of the leaders of the medical profession in Georgia, succeeds Dr. G. Y. Moore, of Cuthbert. The meeting was held in the Biltmore Hotel in Atlanta.

Files Crenshaw, Jr., *Vanderbilt*, '24, a golfer from the state which bred Bobby Jones, for the third straight time won the Montgomery County (Georgia), invitation tournament. He won one up at the eighteenth green from Julius Hughes, of Atlanta. Brother Crenshaw lives in Montgomery.

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## Sister of Walter Palmer Dies

Mrs. LILLIAN PALMER BLACKBURN, sister of Walter Benjamin Palmer, *Emory*, '77-*Vanderbilt*, '80, died at the home of cousins, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Baker, at Macon, Georgia, October 13. She had for a number of years operated a tea room in Atlanta but was forced because of ill health to retire from active work some three years ago. Funeral services were held at Dalton, Georgia, October 15.

Mrs. Blackburn is survived by a son, Palmer Blackburn, *Emory*, '13-*Virginia*, '15, and three brothers, two of whom are Phis, Frank S. Palmer,

*Emory*, '99-*Vanderbilt*, '01, and Lewis M. Palmer, *Vanderbilt*, '95.

Mrs. Palmer took a keen interest in  $\Phi \Delta \Theta$ , largely because of the long and prominent connection of her brother Walter with the Fraternity. Brother Palmer was a Past Historian and President of the General Council, author of the *History of Phi Delta Theta*, of the third edition of the manual of the Fraternity, formerly an editor of THE SCROLL, and in many other ways one of the most active of Fraternity workers.

## Chapter Grand . . . .

### *Charles A. Greathouse, Indiana, '95*

A notable figure in education, business, and the Democratic national party, Charles Ashford Greathouse, *Indiana, '95*, entered into the undiscovered country at St. Vincent's Hospital in Indianapolis on November 5, 1931. Of the immediate family he



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leaves the widow, a daughter, and a son to whom the Fraternity extends a warm sympathy. He was president and treasurer of one of the larger printing houses of Indianapolis at the time of his death and was greatly esteemed in business circles of his home state. For the last ten years he served as national Democratic committeeman for Indiana and played a prominent part in the national conventions of his party in nominating John W. Davis and Alfred E. Smith. Previous to entering national politics, Brother Greathouse served three terms as Indiana state superintendent of public instruction. He left his mark in educational advancement in his native state and was recognized nationally when called by President Wilson

to serve on the federal board for vocational education. After the World War he was called again to serve the federal government by appointment to the veterans' rehabilitation board.

Although Brother Greathouse served three terms as state superintendent of public instruction in Indiana his real introduction to political life did not come until the expiration of that service. Indeed, he aroused state-wide comment during his administration of that office by refusing to serve as head of any teachers' organization in Indiana for purposes of obtaining contributions for the Wilson and Marshall presidential and vice-presidential campaign. In 1917 he became Democratic state chairman. Brother Greathouse entered the national political arena in 1922 when he became national committeeman from Indiana. This was followed soon after by his election as secretary of the national committee and he was re-elected in 1924 and 1928. He was active in promoting the candidacies of two Indiana favorite sons, Samuel M. Ralston in 1924 and Evans Woollen in 1928.

A man of great personal charm, Charles A. Greathouse made friends readily and held them steadfastly. Perhaps few men in Indiana had a wider personal acquaintance than did he. He entered upon every activity with great intelligence and energy and with a warm friendliness that rallied others about him. Success came to him in his zeal to make life happier for others and his was a well-rounded life of fruitful accomplishment.

FRED R. WITHERSPOON

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### *John Victor Stewart, Toronto, '24*

The death of Vic Stewart on August 18, 1931, has bereft Ontario

Alpha of one more of its younger and beloved alumni. In his capacity of district forester, heading a search party for a lost plane in his district, Vic and three others, met instant death when their own plane crashed on the waters of Rainy Lake, Ontario.

Born at Chicoutimi, Québec, on February 15, 1898, Brother Stewart received his early education in Toronto. After serving overseas with the 67th Battery C.F.A., he returned to the city and prior to entering the uni-



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versity, engaged in chemical research. He then entered the faculty of forestry from where he graduated in 1924. He won a reputation in basketball and football for fast clean play, and was outstanding on the half line of the intermediate rugby champions of '21 and later on the senior O.R.F.U. teams of '22 and '23.

The brothers of his active chapter recall with feeling the memory of his friendship as a Phi. Both in council and without, his steady influence was the mark of sterling worth and honorable character. He graced as few have, the office of warden which he held in Ontario Alpha.

In the Ontario forestry branch, following graduation, Vic continued a successful career begun in under-

graduate days. To this, the number of his friendships and the rapid rise in position, bear adequate testimony. It was like him that while he need not have gone on the fatal trip, a sense of fair responsibility bade him relieve another, and so he passed, giving himself.

He was married in 1929 to Miss Isabelle Moffat of Weston, Ontario, and just a few hours before his death, a son, John Victor was born to them. Within a week, his father, overcome by the loss of a dear son, also passed. To those surviving, his widow, son, mother, sisters, and brothers, we give our heartfelt sympathy and the hope that they may find consolation in the memory of a true and generous life.

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*Charles Graham Crooks, Central  
(Kentucky), '84*

Dr. Charles G. Crooks, *Central* (Kentucky), '84, Dean Emeritus of Centre College, died at a local hospital September 28 following a period of three years of declining health, although his immediate illness, of pneumonia, had been of only a week's duration. Extracts from an appreciation written by a colleague on the Centre faculty follow:

"Dr. Crooks was one of that devoted group of teachers who had given most of their lives to the service of Centre College. He was elected dean of Centre College in 1924. He had been chairman of the faculty since 1921. He was born in Scott County, Kentucky, and is the only native of the state to serve as dean. He attended Central University, graduating in 1884 with the degree of A.B. In 1890 he received the degree of A.M. and in 1917 Washington and Lee University conferred upon him the degree of Doctor of Laws. In 1901 Central University was combined with Centre and Professor Crooks became professor of mathematics at the united institutions, a position he held until 1928. In the summer of 1928, because of impaired

physical health, he retired from active faculty work. He continued to reside in Danville and gave much of his time to revising and bringing to date of the alumni history and directory.

"No man could have given of himself more to an institution than did he to these two institutions. He was a thorough and inspiring teacher. The boys who were under his instruction loved and respected him most devotedly. In his administrative work he brought conscientious labor and efficient direction."

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*Charles Ferdinand Allardt,  
California, '88*

Charles F. Allardt, *California*, '88, died at his home in San Francisco November 1. Brother Allardt, an engineer and inventor, had won national recognition for many mechanical successes. The postmaster of San Francisco, William Nat Friend, *California*, '96, a former minister, officiated at the funeral services.

Brother Allardt was born in California and had been connected with the C. C. Moore Engineering Company in San Francisco for more than three decades. At one time he designed a new type of automatic printing press which won a gold medal at the Panama Pacific International Exposition in 1915. His father, a civil engineer in San Francisco, made the first survey of the San Francisco County tidelands and the first map of Alameda County. Brother Allardt is survived by his mother, one daughter, and a sister.

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*Fred Roger Owens, Franklin, '96*

Fred R. Owens, *Franklin*, '96, prominent Franklin, Indiana, attorney, died October 23 at his home following an illness of pneumonia. He was born in Monticello, Indiana. Following his

graduation from Franklin College he received the LL.B. degree from the Indiana Law School at Indianapolis. Brother Owens was a charter member of the Franklin Rotary Club, and was a member of the county Bar Association and of the Methodist Church. He took an active part in political affairs and at the state election last year was a Republican candidate for judge of the eighth judicial circuit. The widow and two sons survive.

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*Alexander Farrar Watkins,  
Vanderbilt, '82*

Dr. Alexander Farrar Watkins, *Vanderbilt*, '82, former president of Millsaps College, Jackson, Mississippi, died July 26, 1929, from a complication of ailments. Forty-one years of Brother Watkins' life were given to establishing, guiding, and formulating policies for Millsaps College, and he distinguished himself in all his relations with this institution.

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*Ernest M. Smith, Emory, '93*

Ernest M. Smith, *Emory*, '93, a former Georgia state senator and representative and a prominent attorney of McDonough, Georgia, died at his home there April 12. He had followed his profession at McDonough for more than thirty years and had served as mayor of the town for fifteen years. He is survived by his widow, a son, a daughter, three brothers, and a sister.

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*John Brannum Haden, Sewanee, '87-  
Pennsylvania, '91*

Dr. John B. Haden, *Sewanee*, '87-*Pennsylvania*, '91, of Galveston, Texas, died July 19, 1931, in the U. S. Veterans' Hospital, North Little Rock, at

the age of 60. He was formerly clinical professor of ophthalmology at the University of Texas school of medicine and was a veteran of the Spanish-American and World Wars.

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*William Arthur Waldhaus,*  
*Chicago, '14*

W. Arthur Waldhaus, *Chicago, '14*, and his brother, Al A. Waldhaus, were instantly killed at Millwood, Colorado, September 14, when the automobile in which they were driving collided with a Santa Fe train. They apparently had not seen the approaching train. He had been employed for eighteen years as a salesman for a Holly, Colorado, company.

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*Douglas Haggard, Sewanee, '97*

Dr. Douglas Haggard, *Sewanee, '97*, died at Augusta Georgia, March 15. He was the son of the late Dr. W. D. Haggard, a prominent Nashville physician, and is survived by his widow and a brother. He had served in France as a captain in the Army Medical Corps during the War. Burial took place at McCormick, South Carolina.

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*Charles B. Newcomber, Nebraska, '89*

Charles B. Newcomber, *Nebraska, '89*, a former instructor in Romance languages, died at his home in Des Moines, May 30. He was sixty-eight years of age. He had taught in colleges and universities in several states but had retired eight years ago. He is survived by two sisters. Burial was at Falls City, Nebraska.

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*John W. Trimmer, Swarthmore, '18*

According to reports received by Pennsylvania Kappa the death of John

W. Trimmer, *Swarthmore, '18*, occurred August 14, 1931, at the Garfield Hospital, Washington, D.C. At the time of his death he was residing at Silver Spring, Maryland, and was connected with the federal Department of Commerce.

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*George H. Ashworth, Lombard, '97*

George H. Ashworth, *Lombard, '97*, Pastor of the Universalist Church, Lansing, Michigan, died November 13, 1926 at Lansing, Michigan. Burial was in the River Cliff Cemetery, Mt. Gil-ead, Ohio.

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*T. Lamar Ross, Vanderbilt, '23*

T. Lamar Ross, *Vanderbilt, '23*, was killed at Akron, Ohio, June 17, in a fall from the nineteenth floor of a new skyscraper in that city. Brother Ross had studied both at Vanderbilt and the University of Tennessee.

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*Moulton DeForest, Wisconsin, '59*

Moulton DeForest, *Wisconsin, '59*, died at Wetmore, Kansas, December 3, 1919. This death, previously unrecorded, was that of the last surviving charter member of Wisconsin Alpha.

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*Charles Henry Rodgers,*  
*Monmouth, '86*

Charles Henry Rodgers, *Monmouth, '86*, former cashier in the Monmouth Trust and Savings Bank, Monmouth, Illinois, died September 20, 1925, from heart trouble.

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*Thomas D. Christian,*  
*Randolph-Macon, '17*

Thomas D. Christian, *Randolph-Macon, '17*, physician of Greensboro,

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North Carolina, died there in January, 1929.

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*Nathan Allen Whitaker, DePauw, '81*

Judge Nathan Allen Whitaker, *DePauw*, '81, died December 15, 1925, at Martinsville, Indiana, from a stroke of paralysis.

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PROF. FRED DAVIS ALDRICH

*Brown, '95*

Died October 4, 1931

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*Charles William Clotworthy, Hanover, '95*

Charles William Clotworthy, *Hanover*, '95, died August 12, 1928, at Newark, New Jersey, from cirrhosis of the liver.

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*Carl Samuel Willis, Minnesota, '03*

Carl Samuel Willis, *Minnesota*, '03,

died September 19, 1931 at Bellingham, Washington.

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*Walter Fauntleroy Taylor, Virginia, '89*

Walter Fauntleroy Taylor, *Virginia*, '89, lawyer of New York City, died June 11, 1926.

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*George Washington Christie, DePauw, '88*

George Washington Christie, *DePauw*, '88, died at Danville, Indiana, January 25, 1928.

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*Thomas William Green, Hanover, '78*

Thomas William Green, *Hanover*, '78, died at Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania, July 15, 1929, of heart failure.

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*James William Lowber, Butler, '71*

James William Lowber, *Butler*, '71, died December 5, 1930, at Austin, Texas.

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*Charlton Green Smith, Alabama, '88*

Charlton Green Smith, *Alabama*, '88, agriculturist of Brierfield, Alabama, died July 18, 1928.

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*James William Fleet, Richmond, '79*

Judge James William Fleet, *Richmond*, '79, died at Richmond, Virginia, November 9, 1927.

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## Alumni Clubs

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In the directory below, the name and address of the secretary of each club follows the name of the city. On the line below is the time and place of the weekly luncheon.

All clubs listed here have paid dues up to the Detroit Convention. Any club not listed may have its name appear by paying up back dues.

### AKRON, OHIO

Verlin P. Jenkins, 1170 W. Exchange St.  
Thursday noon, City Club, Ohio Bldg.

### BALTIMORE, MD.

E. R. Wootton, Union Trust Co.  
Friday, 1:00 P.M., Engineers' Club, 6 Fayette St.

- BEAUMONT, TEXAS  
Harvey Munro, Munro Dry Cleaning Co.,  
Beaumont, Texas.
- BOISE, IDAHO  
M. A. Thometz, 1915 Harrison Blvd.  
Third Wednesday, Elks' Club, 12:15 P.M.
- BOSTON, MASS.  
Chester S. Brett, 421 Summer St.  
12:30 P.M., every Friday, University Club
- BUFFALO, N.Y.  
E. A. McCreery, 174 Pearl St., Morgan Bldg.  
Friday noon, Balcony of Statler Restaurant,  
Ellicott Square Bldg.
- BURLINGTON, VT.  
P. M. Bell, 247 Prospect Ave.  
First Thursday each month, 6:30 P.M.,  $\Phi$   $\Delta$   $\Theta$   
House
- CANTON, OHIO  
Harrison B. Fisher, 328 Walnut St. N.E.
- CHICAGO, ILL.  
D. A. Buckmaster, c/o Mead and Co., 69 W.  
Washington  
Friday, 12:15 P.M., Brevoort Hotel, 120 W.  
Madison St.
- CINCINNATI, OHIO  
Dr. E. B. Heile, Vine and McMillan Sts.  
Monday noon, Cincinnati Club, 8th and Race
- CLEVELAND, OHIO  
Robert A. Oswald, 519 Hippodrome Bldg.  
Friday noon, University Club.
- COLUMBUS, OHIO  
Dan D. Fulmer, 815 Beggs Bldg., 21 E. State  
St.  
Last Friday each month, F. & R. Lazarus Co.  
Dining Room
- CORVALLIS, ORE.  
John E. Kenney, Dept. of Phys. Ed., Oregon  
State College, Corvallis, Ore.  
Third Monday of each month, 12:00 M., Me-  
morial Union Bldg., at Oregon State Col-  
lege
- CRAWFORDSVILLE, IND.  
W. A. Collins, First National Bank
- DALLAS, TEX.  
W. B. Head, Jr., c/o Dallas Power and Light  
Co., Thomas Bldg.  
Friday 12:15 P.M., University Club
- DAYTON, OHIO  
Richard Swartzel, 1315 Grand Ave., Dayton,  
Ohio  
First Friday each month, 12:15 P.M., Engi-  
neers' Club
- DENVER, COLO.  
Wesley Hamilton, Jr., 322 Foster Bldg.  
Thursday, 12:15 P.M., Denver Dry Goods Tea  
Room
- DETROIT, MICH.  
Warren T. Macaulay, 34th Floor, David Stott  
Bldg.  
Friday, 12:30 P.M., Aztec Tower, 32nd Floor,  
Union Trust Bldg.
- ELMIRA, N.Y.  
Harvey J. Couch, 143 Church St., Odessa,  
N.Y.  
Meetings held regularly fifteenth of each  
month
- ENID, OKLA.  
Leslie J. Everitt, Longbell Lumber Co.
- ERIE, PA.  
Dr. R. B. Slocum, 609 Commerce Bldg.  
First Friday of month, 12:15 P.M., University  
Club
- FORT WAYNE, IND.  
Merlin S. Wilson, S.W. Corner Berry and  
Clinton Sts.  
Meet on occasion at Chamber of Commerce
- FRANKLIN, IND.  
James D. Collins
- GALESBURG, ILL.  
Frederick T. Webster, Holmes Bldg.  
Friday, 12:15 P.M., Galesburg Club
- GRAND FORKS, N.D.  
Harold A. Boe  
First and Third Thursdays, 12:15 P.M., Ry-  
an Hotel
- GRAND RAPIDS, MICH.  
Willis Leenhouts, Corner Fountain St. and  
Prospect Ave.  
First Friday of every month, University Club  
Rooms, Pantland Hotel
- HAGERSTOWN, MD.  
D. Ross Stickell, Hamilton Blvd.  
Second Tuesday of each month, 6:30 P.M.,  
Dagmar Hotel
- HARRISBURG, PA.  
Frederick B. Huston, 2711 Reel St.  
First Wednesday each month, 12:15 P.M.,  
University Club, 9 N. Front St.
- HARVARD UNIVERSITY  
H. Penfield Jones, Vanderbilt Hall, Boston,  
Mass.
- HONOLULU, HAWAII  
John F. Stone, c/o Castle & Cook, Ltd.  
Second Wednesday each month, Commercial  
Club
- INDIANAPOLIS, IND.  
E. H. Taze, 819 Continental Bank Bldg.  
Friday noon, Washington Hotel
- JACKSONVILLE, FLA.  
Tom Blalock, 1210 Oak St.
- JOHNSTOWN, PA.  
A. N. Reynolds, 245 Blair St.  
March 15, Bachelor Club; Annual Picnic,  
Aug. 22
- KANSAS CITY, MO.  
Searcy Ridge, Gateway Chemical Co., Inc.,  
921 W. 17th St.  
Tuesday noon, University Club
- KNOXVILLE, TENN.  
Moss Yater, 302 W. Church St.
- KOKOMO, IND.  
Leland H. Ridgway, 116 E. Taylor St.
- LANSING, MICH.  
Carroll L. Hopkins, 401 W. St. Joseph St.  
Wednesday, 12:15 P.M., Hotel Olds
- LOS ANGELES, CALIF.  
George K. Shaffer, 1958 Glencoe Way  
Wednesday noon, University Club, 614 Hope  
St.
- LOUISVILLE, KY.  
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Monday noon, Kentucky Hotel
- LYNCHBURG, VA.  
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Third Wednesday each month, Jenny's Tea  
Room, 1:00 P.M.
- MANHATTAN, KAN.  
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Place of meeting:  $\Phi$   $\Delta$   $\Theta$  House
- MASSACHUSETTS INSTITUTE OF TECHNOLOGY  
Carroll W. Doten, 58 Garfield St., Cambridge,  
Mass.
- MIAMI, FLA.  
H. C. Stansfield, Box 875  
Friday 12:30 P.M., Round Table Tea Room,  
267 E. Flagler St.
- MILWAUKEE, WIS.  
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Friday noon at 12:15, Milwaukee Athletic  
Club
- MINNEAPOLIS, MINN.  
H. C. Kneffer, Secretary, 900 Security Bldg.  
First and third Wednesdays each month,  
12:15 P.M., Minneapolis Athletic Club
- MONTREAL, QUEBEC  
Donald A. Baillie, 1020 New Birks Bldg.,  
Philips Square, Montreal  
First Monday evening of each month, 3581  
University St.

- MOUNT PLEASANT, IOWA**  
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Second Wednesday evening each month, at Brazelton Hotel
- NASHVILLE, TENN.**  
Laird Smith, Fourth & First Nat'l Bank Bldg.  
Friday, 12:15, Andrew Jackson Hotel
- NEW ORLEANS, LA.**  
Douglas K. Porteous, 552 Walnut St.
- NEW YORK, N.Y.**  
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Friday, 12:30 P.M., Army and Navy Club, 30 W. 44th St.
- NORTHERN NEW JERSEY**  
Herbert W. Castor, 108 Centennial Ave., Cranford, N.J.  
Place of meeting, Winfield Scott Hotel, Elizabeth, N.J.
- OAKLAND, CALIF.**  
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Tuesday, 12:15, Oakland Athens Club
- OKLAHOMA CITY, OKLA.**  
O. W. Shumate, 302 Insurance Bldg.
- OMAHA, NEB.**  
H. K. Woodland, 504 S. Eighteenth St.  
Thursday, 12:15, University Club
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- PHILADELPHIA, PA.**  
William B. Steele, 124 N. 15th St.  
Wednesday, 12:15 P.M., University Club, 16th and Locust Sts.
- PHOENIX, ARIZ.**  
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- PITTSBURGH, PA.**  
R. W. Lindsay, 612 Wood St., Post Bldg.  
Friday, 12:15 P.M., McCreery's
- PORTLAND, ORE.**  
Ralph Staley, 1309 American Bank Bldg.  
Friday, 12:00, Multanomah Hotel
- POUGHKEEPSIE, N.Y.**  
Samuel A. Moore, Secretary, 231 Main St.  
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- PROVIDENCE, R.I.**  
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First and third Tuesdays, The Rathskeller
- ST. JOSEPH, MO.**  
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Thursday noon, Book and Bowl, 214 N. Sixth St.
- ST. LOUIS, MO.**  
Jackson Adams, 208 N. Broadway  
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Thursday noon, San Francisco Commercial Club
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Thomas McLaughlin, 182 Seventh Ave., North Troy, N.Y.
- SEATTLE, WASH.**  
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Friday noon, Washington Athletic Club
- SHREVEPORT, LA.**  
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- SOUTHERN, PA.**  
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- SPOKANE, WASH.**  
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- SYRACUSE, N.Y.**  
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- TORONTO, ONT.**  
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## In the Paths Where Robert Morrison Walked



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*On every campus men come and go, but few there are who leave a lasting record. Countless feet may wear a path, but after the years have passed, how few forms live in memory—in word or deed, imperishable.*

*Now and then, it is true, on the campus journey to a far-off Damascus, some great soul, aglow with love for his fellows, will catch a vision, and will not be disobedient thereto.*

*Such an one was Robert Morrison.*

*Coming to live in old North Hall at Miami in 1847, he soon bound to himself in companionship, the kindred spirit of John McMillan Wilson. Then on a memorable evening in 1848 he added Drake and Lindley, Rogers and Rodgers, to the fellowship, and spoke to them of the unselfish love of one man for another, of devotion to Truth for its own sake, of the search after it in every department of study. On that evening he spoke out of the fullness of a devoted life, seeking to give to his fellows a glimpse of his vision.*

*And, behold the Bond! immortal document, the inspiration for a great and continuing Brotherhood!*

*Yes, Robert Morrison passed this way and left a legacy imperishable.*

*Today, Brothers from every chapter look in spirit to the beautiful campus of old Miami, eager to walk in Morrison's footsteps, to be true to the vision which he beheld, and to bear witness to none other things than he taught.*

*Arthur R. Priest*  
Executive Secretary

## Editorial . . .

### *President Chase on Fraternities*

In the December issue *THE SCROLL* presented a certain viewpoint—that of a freshman—on fraternities in general and Phi Delta Theta in particular. When a great educator looks at fraternities that also is worthy of passing on to others who are interested. Some months ago President Harry Woodburn Chase of the University of Illinois, himself a fraternity member, addressed the Interfraternity Council of that University on pressing fraternity questions. In this and the February issue we feel we can do no better than to present to members of Phi Delta Theta extracts from his keen analysis of fraternity problems.

I want to say that I believe in fraternities. I think they have been and are of great value in our institutions. It would be possible for me tonight, therefore, simply to eulogize the fraternity system. But this is a gathering of serious and interested men, of men who are concerned about problems of the fraternity and fraternity life. I have chosen, therefore, rather to talk to you about some facts in the fraternity situation which we must all reckon with if the fraternities are not to lose ground. . . .

Faculties, trustees, and the public generally, have had varied attitudes toward fraternities. There was a time, a generation or more ago, when they were frowned on in a good many places, and when a good deal of active hostility to them existed. . . . In spite of occasional newspaper headlines, very few people now-a-days believe seriously that fraternity houses are hot-beds of immorality, or that membership in them is only for the rich. But there is, I must say, once again a rapidly rising tide of criticism against the fraternity system. . . . All in all, the fraternity system is rapidly finding itself face to face with a new situation, with which in the next few years it will have to reckon. Let me indicate to you very briefly what some of the factors in this situation seem to me to be.

First, there has been the mistake of over-building in a period of prosperity. This is not so much the fault of the fraternities as it has been a part of the spirit of the times in a period of rapid expansion all over America. . . . It has in many cases not been a good thing for the very spirit which the fraternity is supposed to foster. The fraternity is fundamentally a group of college students congenial in tastes and character, living together happily because they have something in common with each other. . . .

Now one of the serious consequences of large and elaborate buildings has been too often the necessity of subordinating other interests to the necessity of maintaining without a deficit a sort of private hotel, equipped with all modern conveniences, under the circumstances which sometimes make the size of a man's pocketbook more important than his congeniality. I think the maintenance of these large houses and large chapters is one of the serious problems now confronting the fraternities. . . .

Again, let us look for a moment at the cost element in the situation. Some of you are already, I am sure, beginning to feel the effects of a changed economic situation in the country as a whole. The fact is that the fraternities, like the rest of America, are facing hard times financially and the thing to do is to try to be as intelligent about it as possible. I think we ought to recognize the fact that if general depression is long continued alumni are by no means going to be as responsive to fraternity appeals as they have been during these last ten years. Furthermore, and very seriously, there will be more fathers who, while they are willing to make the sacrifices necessary to send their sons to college, will not be able or willing to pay expensive fraternity dues.

Then, as all of you know, there is an increasing interest in dormitory life for men all over the country. There are a good many people who prefer dormitory life to life in fraternity houses and with this fact the fraternities are having to reckon more and more. . . . Fees ought to be kept as low as possible. Wherever there is any carelessness or extravagance it ought to be safeguarded against.

There are a good many other things which are being said freely in criticism of the fraternity system as it has developed. There is, for example, the criticism that it exerts a tremendous pressure on its members in the direction of a uniform pattern of acting and thinking and point of view. In other words, the question is being persistently raised now-a-days whether it is not more difficult to develop individuality and personality inside a fraternity than outside. College campuses as a whole are conventional enough at best. We all know how any sort of fad or standard tends to spread over a whole campus. But there is an even greater pressure toward conformity in the fraternity system than there is outside. . . .

Further, there is the criticism . . . that any particular interest in intellectual things is not good form in most fraternities. There have been very few attempts, so far as I know, to build up collections of books, for example, that really make for cultivation. There has been, of course, a largely artificial interest in scholastic standings. I am not speaking of this. I am asking the question, rather, whether the influences of the average fraternity house are for or against the development of a richer intellectual life. That is, whether they are for or against the very thing for which the university is striving. . . .

. . . I wish now to consider the freshman and pledge rules of the fraternity and sorority system. They are, of course, an outcome of tradition, but that does not mean that they ought not to be examined carefully to see whether the tradition is right or wrong. Now, as a matter of fact, what I should like to point out to you is that the attitudes embodied in these rules and regulations are things which have been tried out and abandoned years ago everywhere except in the fraternities and sororities. Colleges and universities used to have regulations about people being in their rooms at certain hours. They were abandoned because they did not work. There used to be prevalent, up until twenty-five or thirty years ago, in colleges all over the country, the idea that freshmen were an inferior species to be treated by upperclassmen in a way usually known as hazing. Now it is a curious thing that hazing has disappeared from colleges and universities practically altogether except in the fraternities. It disappeared because men came to feel that it was wrong and its effects were bad. . . .

*(To be concluded in the February issue)*

# Phi Delta Theta in Football, 1931

By MURRAY S. SMITH  
Knox, '25

## FIRST TEAM

End: Fencl, *Northwestern*  
Tackle: Howard, *Utah*  
Guard: Haas, *Lafayette*  
Center: Rigney, *Washington & Jefferson*  
Guard: Corbus, *Stanford*  
Tackle: Smith, *Ames*  
End: Collins, *Pittsburgh*  
Quarter: Dawson, *Tulane*  
Half: Heller, *Pittsburgh*  
Half: Cramer, *Ohio State*  
Fullback: Olsen, *Northwestern*  
Fullback: Russell, *Northwestern*

## SECOND TEAM

End: Sawyer, *Brown*  
Tackle: Wistert, *Michigan*  
Guard: Esmont, *Ohio*  
Center: Hammer, *Oregon State*  
Guard: Filburn, *Arizona*  
Tackle: Foster, *Vanderbilt*  
End: Wermuth, *Lafayette*  
Quarter: Berry, *Illinois*  
Half: Hecker, *Purdue*  
Half: Richmond, *North Dakota*  
Fullback: Allen, *Stanford*

## THIRD TEAM

End: Catlin, *Wisconsin*  
Tackle: Petterson, *Montana*  
Guard: Dablow, *North Dakota*  
Center: Spaugcy, *Idaho*  
Guard: Cantrill, *Michigan*  
Tackle: Hawkins, *Ohio*  
End: Adkins, *South Dakota*  
Quarter: Bergdahl, *U.C.L.A.*  
Half: Meenan, *Northwestern*  
Half: Holcomb, *Ohio State*  
Fullback: Surface, *Franklin*

## FOURTH TEAM

End: Wrona, *Wabash*  
Tackle: Rohrbaugh, *Virginia*  
Guard: Sohl, *Butler*  
Center: Oen, *Minnesota*  
Guard: Walker, *Brown*  
Tackle: Parrish, *Kentucky*  
End: Furrh, *Texas*  
Quarter: Walker, *Oklahoma*  
Half: Cameron, *Case*  
Half: Fortune, *Vanderbilt*  
Fullback: Buse, *Washington*

IN SUMMARIZING the representation of  $\Phi \Delta \Theta$  in football during the 1931 season, several conclusions become apparent. First—there is an abundance of splendid backfield men; second—all-conference and all-star selections are plentiful; third—we are assured excellent football representation for the future (seven of our first team are underclassmen); fourth—typical of our fraternity, our football stars hail from every section of the United States and they represented us on both teams in the Canadian National Championship game.

Although every effort has been made to prevent it, possibly many stars have been overlooked due to negligence of the chapter re-

porters. Where such cases exist we apologize.

Several unusual decisions were necessary in selecting the All-Phi teams this year. We have placed two men from the same chapter at fullback on the first team—Russell and Olsen of Northwestern University. There can be no doubt as to the strength of N.U. this year and most of the power in the Warner system attack originates at the fullback position. Injured in the Nebraska game, Brother "Reb" Russell did not again have a chance to prove that he is the greatest plunger of all time until he kept his team in the title race with a single-handed victory over Indiana. The next week at Iowa, "Reb" starred but was



MURRAY S. SMITH  
Knox, '25

## Famous Phi Fathers and Sons in Football



**DAVID COOK, Illinois, '34, halfback**  
**JAMES COOK, Illinois, '03, end**

The season of 1931 was featured by the playing of two sons of old Phi football stars. Dave Cook was on the team of his father's alma mater while Mark Catlin, Jr., played a brilliant game at end for Wisconsin. Jimmie Cook will be remembered as a star end at Illinois while Mark Catlin, Sr., was an All American at Chicago.



**MARK CATLIN, JR., Wisconsin, '32, end**  
**MARK CATLIN, SR., Chicago, '05, end and fullback**

## Four Fighting Wildcats



REB RUSSELL, *Northwestern*,  
Fullback



OLIVER OLSON, *Northwestern*,  
Fullback



DICK FENCL, *Northwestern*,  
End 890



KENNETH MEENAN, *Northwestern*,  
Halfback 891



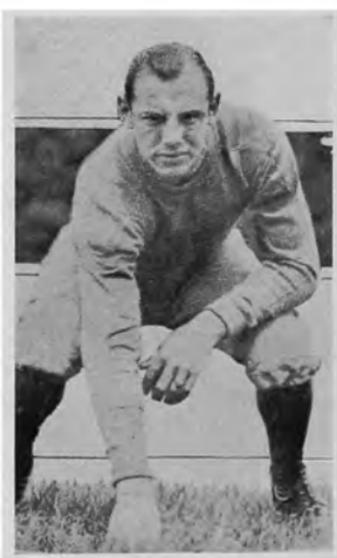
ALLEN, *Stanford*, Fullback  
892



RICHMOND, *North Dakota*, Halfback  
893



SPAUGY, *Idaho*, Center  
894



HELLER, *Pittsburgh*, Halfback



BLEDSE, *Washington*, Halfback

896



BRAILSFORD, *Idaho*, Tackle

897



ROHRBOUGH, *Virginia*, Tackle

898



WRONA, *Wabash*, End

899



CORBUS, *Stanford*, Right Guard



SMITH, *Ames*, Tackle

901



DAWSON, *Tulane*, Quarterback

902



CRAMER, *Ohio State*, Halfback



HOWARD, *Utah*, Center or Tackle



FRANKLIN, *Washington*, Halfback

905



RIGNEY, *W. & J.*, Center

706



BERRY, *Illinois*, Halfback

injured again and kept out of the Purdue charity game. "Ollie" Olsen, sophomore fullback, was groomed to replace Russell and became the season's most sensational punter. I have watched him keep teams on the defensive all year with kicks placed out of bounds on the one, two, and five yard lines. He has made several All-Big-Ten team selections this year and has two more years. We feel that inasmuch as these two chapter brothers held the fullback job every minute of the season, there can be no objection to their sharing the all-star rôle. On actual season's play Olsen should get the job, but—call it sentiment if you wish—to me Russell still remains the greatest line plunger of all time. Olsen was second high scorer of the Big Ten Conference, averaged 41 yards on his kicks all season, and passed well.

The other exceptional fullbacks were Allen, of Stanford; Fortune, of Vanderbilt; Surface, of Franklin; Buse, of Washington; and Ross, of Mississippi.

The halfback positions were contested very closely and it was most difficult to choose between such stars as Heller, of Pittsburgh; Cramer, of Ohio State; Hecker, of Purdue; and

Berry, of Illinois. Although he played at the quarterback position all year, Carl Cramer, of Ohio State, is moved to halfback to make room for "Red" Dawson, quarterback on the undefeated Tulane eleven. Carl Cramer, unanimous All-Western back and recipient of many All-American choices, is placed at halfback on our first team. He was the most spectacular man in the Middlewest, starring in every game as a ball carrier, passer, and kicker. Cramer was the spark plug of the Ohio State team—always using rare judgment in selecting plays. On our mythical team he could relieve Dawson of the signal calling job at any time. Cramer averaged 40 yards on kicks and was tied with Rentner of N.U. for third high scorer in Big Ten.

Warren Heller, who scored 84 points to lead the strong Pittsburgh team in scoring this season, is awarded the other halfback position in a close contest with Hecker, of Purdue, and Berry, of Illinois. Perhaps Heller's greatest game was against Nebraska when he scored four touchdowns and swamped them almost single handed. Warren was the most consistent passer on the team and did all the quick kicking. He was selected on



MEMBERS OF OHIO ETA ON CASE VARSITY TEAM  
*Bottom row, left to right: Irnin, Hannum, Byrns, Squire, Cameron.*  
*Top row: Clark, Schweitzer, Hubbard, Haynan, Eisinger.*



## GETTYSBURG GRIDSTERS

*Back row, left to right: McCarty, Captain-Elect Stoner, Hardy, Howard.  
Front row: Walker, McMillen, Eby, Kleinfelter.*

many All-Eastern teams. Against the Army Heller averaged 6 yards per trial at carrying the ball. Fred Hecker, sophomore back at Purdue, whose greatest game was played against N.U., was the main cog in the great Purdue offensive. Against N.U. he intercepted a pass, reversed the field 65 yards until forced by Brother Fencil to try a lateral pass. This run decided the Big Ten Championship. "Gil" Berry, captain-elect of Illinois, was a triple threat artist whose gameness on a poor team was a pleasure to behold. On a strong team he would be an All-American. It is most difficult to relegate Berry to the second team after being on the first team last season.

Other outstanding halfbacks were Richmond, of the championship North Dakota team; Captain Holcomb, of Ohio State; Meenan, of Northwestern; Cameron, of Case; Booz, of Butler; Flowers, of Georgia Tech; Irwin,

of Lafayette; Vasen, of Knox; Cook, of Illinois; and Reynolds, of Colgate.

"Red" Dawson is honored at the quarterback position because of his leadership of the undefeated Tulane team. He was a deadly tackler at the safety position and always chose the smartest play at the right time. "Red" was unanimous choice on the All-Southern team and made several All-American choices. Walker, of Oklahoma; Wilson, of Idaho; Smith, of Wabash; Marsh, of Washington; Bergdahl, of U.C.L.A.; Peacock, of North Carolina; Close, of Vanderbilt; and Champlin, of Minnesota, were other exceptional quarterbacks.

The wing positions are well taken care of this year with "Dick" Fencil, of Northwestern; Collins, of Pittsburgh; Sawyer, of Brown; and Wermuth, of Lafayette, battling it out. "Dick" Fencil, of Northwestern, and Paul Collins, of Pittsburgh, nose out

the other two. Fencil is one of the scrappiest ends I have ever seen. He never gives up, as was evidenced in the Purdue game when he raced across the field and caught Hecker from behind to prevent a score. Dick always took out the interference, sent the runner inside and usually got his man—a great end on a great team. This same description is true of Paul Collins, of Pitt, and in addition, he did all of his team's kicking. Collins and Fencil are both exceptional pass receivers. Sawyer is one of the greatest ends in Brown's history as is Wermuth, one of Lafayette's all-time stars. Catlin, of Wisconsin; Adkins, of South Dakota; Wrona, of Wabash; Furrh, of Texas; Haight, of U.C.L.A.; and Wilson, of Knox, are other splendid ends.

For our tackle positions, we call on the strong Ames aggregation and the undefeated Utah team. Bob Smith, three year veteran of the Ames, Iowa, team, stands well over six feet, weighs 195 pounds, and is very fast on his

feet. Smith's selection is a climax to a consistent career of steady, reliable play. Howard is a sophomore sensation on the championship Utah team. He forced out an All-Conference tackle for a regular position on this splendid team. Howard stands 6 feet 2 inches and weighs more than 200 pounds. He is a deadly tackler, and always gets his man. Wistert, of Michigan; Hawkins, of Ohio U.; Kelley, of W. and J.; Rohrbough, of Virginia; Petterson, of Montana; Lancaster, of Centre; Parrish, of Kentucky; Norfleet and Jacobson, of U.C.L.A.; and Butler are other better-than-usual tackles.

Corbus, of Stanford, leads the Phi Delt guards this season. He was the toast of the coast in guard play. Brother Corbus was unanimous All-Pacific Coast selection and is an example of what hard work will accomplish. He was not considered heavy enough by "Pop" Warner at the start of the season, but later became All-American in caliber. Corbus



IRWIN

HAAS

WERMUTH

O'NEILL

PHIS ON THE SQUAD AT LAFAYETTE

is a guard who gets down under punts with the ends, runs interference for the ball carrier, and outcharges his opponents. He is the equal of any guard in the United States. Haas, of Lafayette, a stellar performer on the strong Lafayette team, is placed opposite Corbus. He, too, is a fast, courageous player who makes up for lack of weight by his great speed and courage. Always down under punts, he was seldom outplayed by an opponent. Other splendid guards were Foster, of Vanderbilt; Cantrill, of Michigan; Es-mont, of Ohio University; Walker, of Brown; Filburn, of Arizona; Dablow, of North Dakota; Sohl, of Butler.

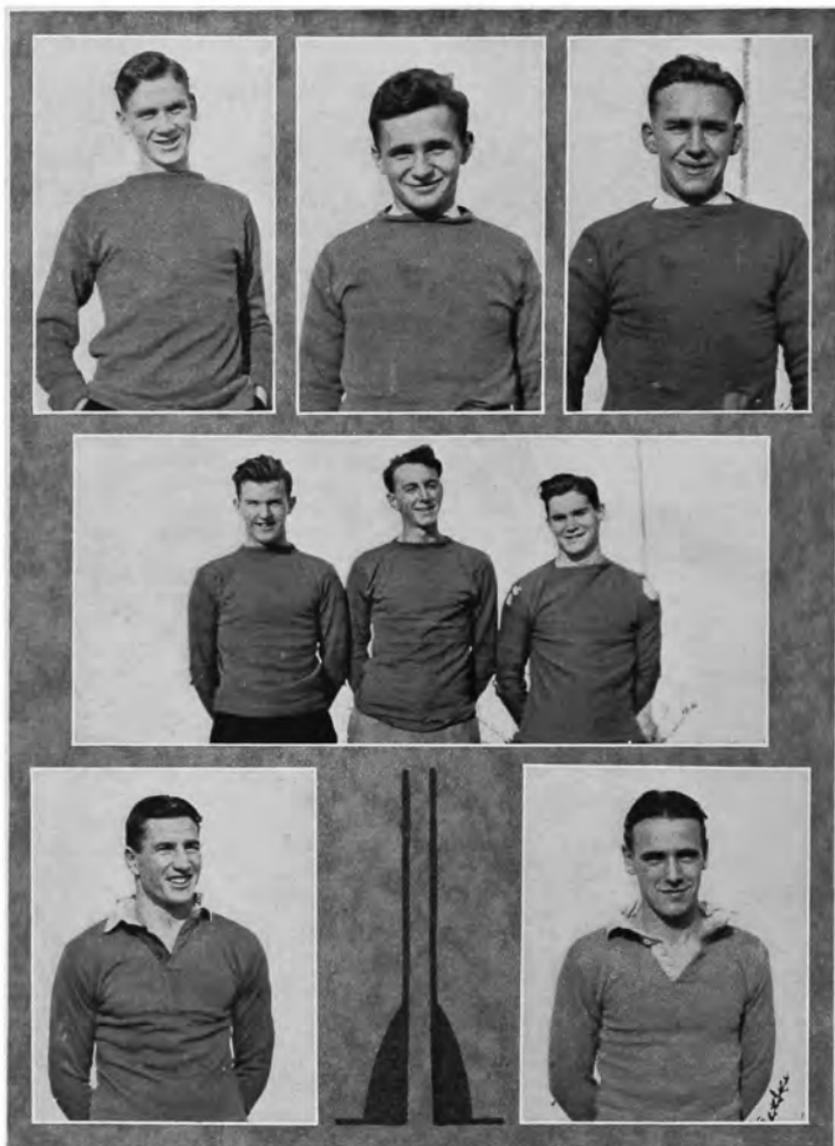
Rigney, captain of the strong Wash-ington and Jefferson team, is selected as our first team center because of his consistent play and inspiring leader-ship during the past season. Rigney is equally effective in a six or seven man line. He is exceptional at diag-

nosing plays and is always at the right spot to stop them. Pass defense is one of his strong qualities. Hammer, of Oregon State, could not be awarded the center position again this year be-cause their chapter reporter did not send in material on his play. Captain Spaugey, of Idaho, is one of the out-standing centers on the Pacific Coast; Oen, of Minnesota, although lacking in weight, was outstanding in the Big Ten Conference; O'Dowd, of Ari-zona; Baldwin, of California; and Byrens, of Case, are centers who de-serve mention.

Our Canadian chapters were well represented in Rugby and a special story on another page of this SCROLL tells of their accomplishments.

A unique and interesting feature of the season's play was the selection of Hovde, great Minnesota star and now Rhodes Scholar at Oxford, on the All-England rugby team at Oxford.





**BRITISH COLUMBIA'S CONTRIBUTION TO 1931 FOOTBALL**

*Top row, left to right:* Steele, end, Varsity; Morrow, halfback, Varsity; Moore, flying wing, Varsity, Western Canada Champions.

*Center:* Anderson, Vrooman, Stewart, Intermediates, Canadian Rugby.

*Bottom row:* Pearson, McKechnie Cup, Varsity, English Rugby; Owen, Miller Cup, Varsity, English Rugby.

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# British Columbia Alpha Helps Capture Western Canadian Championship

By J. BEATTIE MACLEAN  
*Reporter*

CANADIAN interests in football, or rugby as it is called "north of 49," is divided to include Canadian rugby, which most resembles American football, and English rugby. Again, in British Columbia the interest in English rugby is divided between two major provincial divisions, McKechnie Cup and Miller Cup series, with varsity teams entered in both.

In Canadian rugby,  $\Phi \Delta \Theta$  has had the major percentage representation this year at British Columbia with Brother Housser playing end on the freshman team, Brothers Anderson, Vrooman, and Don Stewart on intermediate, and Brothers Steele, Morrow, and Moore on the varsity.

British Columbia suffered a blow to its football reputation this year when Harold Cliffe, the six-feet-four-inch captain of the varsity for 1931-32 was unable to return to college as a result of an accident. And then more bad luck when Brother Steele sustained a broken jaw and Brother Vrooman, a spinal curvature! But still  $\Phi \Delta \Theta$  at British Columbia holds its

own, as was most evidenced when Manitoba came to Vancouver in November to contest the Western Canadian Championship. Steele (end), Morrow (halfback), and Moore (end or flying wing), represented the fraternity with places on the team. British Columbia defeated Manitoba in a hardfought game, 4-3. British Columbia Phis state that Manitoba has the most sportsmanlike men they have yet played against—among them Brother Leitch and Phikeia Lane.

Morrow has been outstanding in his plays throughout the season, having made three deciding touchdowns, one by running back a kick; another, a six-yard run from a buck; and another an end run of 15 yards. Steele and Moore have been outstanding on the varsity for their tackling.

Al Pike has been a very able assistant manager for the team.

In the two Province series of English rugby, Brother Owen has made a place on the varsity Miller Cup team, and Brother Pearson on the varsity MacKechnie Cup team.





**CANADA PLAYS THE GAME DIFFERENTLY BUT SEE HOW  
MANY PHIS PLAY IT AT ALBERTA**

*Top row, left to right: MacDonald, flying wing; Kennedy, center; Hutton, end.  
Center: Marshall, manager.  
Bottom row: Hunter, end; McLennan, halfback; Cameron, tackle.*

# Undergraduates of Achievement . . .

## Two Virginia Tri-Phis

Probably one of the most signal and outstanding honors that an active  $\Phi \Delta \Theta$  can have is that of being a "Tri-Phi." In order to achieve this especial recognition he has to be a member of the  $\Phi \Delta \Phi$  legal fraternity and in addition be elected to  $\Phi \beta \kappa$ , the honorary scholastic society. Obviously, the requisites for membership in these two organizations are distinct and pronounced and if a person, who has previously shown that he has deserving qualities by his initiation into  $\Phi \Delta \Theta$ , becomes a member of the other Phi groups there is no doubt that he is meritorious and has attained something worth while.

Virginia Beta was fortunate in having two Tri-Phis last year. These men participated in the various activities of the University and one of them, Brother Hutchings ("Hutch") Over-



HUTCHINGS OVERBEY

bey, was one of the most outstanding men on the campus last year. He received a Bachelor of Arts degree here and then entered the law school. A list of his many activities may help to give an idea of his prominence. He was elected to  $\Phi \beta \kappa$  last year; he was a member of  $\Lambda \Pi$ , an academic fraternity and  $\Phi \Delta \Phi$ ; a member of *Eli Banana*, an honorary society; a member

of "13" and *Imp* societies; he was president of the *P.K. Dance Society*; a member of the "V" Club, and the *Raven Society*; manager of track; a member of the Student Senate; on the *G.A.A.* board, the athletic committee; treasurer of the *Interfraternity Council*; and on the *Dean's list*. In the chap-



A. F. BURGESS

ter itself, he held several offices, having been house manager for a year and president of the chapter during the second half of last year. In addition to all this he was an instructor in the law school.

Brother Alfred Burgess received A.B. degree, *cum laude*, at *Davidson College* before coming to Virginia. He became a member of  $\Phi \beta \kappa$  last year; was a member of  $\Phi \Delta \Phi$ ; *Order of the Coif*; associate editor of the *Virginia Law Review*; and on the *Dean's List*. He also held several fraternity offices, having been historian and secretary during his three years as a member. Brother Burgess is now an attorney-at-law in *Greenville, South Carolina*.

Brothers Overbey and Burgess possessed the admirable qualities which are necessary in those who become Tri-Phis. This title accords to them the respect and esteem of all.

GEORGE H. ELLIS, JR.



ACTIVE CHAPTER, PENNSYLVANIA EPSILON  
Living Room in Dickinson Chapter House

New Home of Pennsylvania Epsilon at Dickinson College

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# New Dickinson Chapter House

By DAVIS HOBBS  
*Reporter*

IN 1900, Pennsylvania Epsilon moved into the first fraternity house at Dickinson College that was built to be used as such. Now, thirty-one years later, on the fiftieth anniversary of its founding, Pennsylvania Epsilon moves again into a new home; the second fraternity house at Dickinson to be constructed especially for that purpose.

It was several years ago that the little house on the southwest corner of the campus gradually became inadequate as the chapter expanded, and talk about a new house began. There were years of rumors and disappointments, but of quiet and persistent effort on the part of the alumni in order that sound financing and careful planning might precede the actual construction; and the result certainly justifies their judgment.

Ground was broken in May 1931, the laying of the cornerstone occurred with appropriate ceremonies during commencement week in June, and in September the house had been rushed to completion. It was only left to add the furnishings and do the landscaping to complete the job.

Brother Bill Stephens, '25, took the grounds under his control, and evergreens and grass sprang up almost overnight.

The architecture of the house is southern colonial and the construction, of native limestone, is in harmony with the principal buildings of the college.

The location on West Street, facing the campus, is most advantageous, both in handiness to college classrooms and in the opportunity for observing feminine pulchritude as ex-

emplified by the co-eds, strolling past on their way to classes.

There are two entrances opening into the reception hall in the right wing of the house. One is by walk from the front and the other off the drive from the side of the house.

Back of the reception hall is a special cloakroom and restroom for use at social functions. In the rear of this is the guest room and bath, while to the left, the reception hall opens into the living room. This is a spacious room occupying the entire center section. In this room are three colonial doors opening on the porch in front, and in the rear is a large limestone fireplace and mantel.

Both the living room and the reception hall are furnished with Windsor furniture.

In the left wing of the house, separated from the living room by French doors, is the dining room which occupies the front part of this section. Immediately in the rear of the dining room is a pantry, the kitchen, and a storeroom.

In the basement, which is reached by stairs at the rear of the reception hall, are the lounge, the meeting room, a trunk room, and furnace room. The furnace room is not in use as the house is supplied with steam heat from the college plant, but it will always be in reserve.

The lounge is furnished with leather furniture, a victrola, and a radio. The meeting room is equipped with benches.

Immediately on the right of the front entrance is the main stairway to the second floor. This stairway passes

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## Alumni . . .

Announcement was recently made of the promotion of Raymond D. Starbuck, *Cornell*, '01, to a position of wide importance in the field of rail-roading.

The *Cornell Alumni News* printed the following story on the first page of its issue of November 26, 1931:



RAYMOND D. STARBUCK, *Cornell*, '01

### ALUMNUS HONORED

The Career of Raymond D. Starbuck  
in Railroad Engineering has  
Brought Him Far

Raymond D. Starbuck, '01, vice-president of operations for the New York Central Railroad, has recently been put in charge of operations of all lines in the New York Central system. His position will now become even more comprehensive and will be advanced in importance because of the retirement of Mr. Crowley, who first resigned from the New York Central Railroad proper, and whose retirement followed shortly from the Big Four, Michigan Central, Boston, and Albany, and the approximately 100 other units in the New York Central System.

Like Mr. Crowley, Starbuck is an operating man. He began his railroad career as an assistant engineer of the

Michigan Central Railroad, a few years after his graduation from Cornell, and was made in turn, division engineer and assistant chief engineer. In 1912-13 he was appointed special engineer to the assistant vice-president of the New York Central Lines and advanced regularly as manager and director of various branches of the system to the vice-presidency, which he has held since 1924.

Starbuck has the distinction of having been twice captain of the varsity football team while at Cornell and appointed later as coach. He was named All-American fullback in 1900. He is a member of  $\Phi \Delta \theta$  and Alpha Samach.

Dr. Clinton Wunder, *Cincinnati*, '14, has become affiliated with the Institute of Religious Science in Los Angeles. He will share its leadership with Dean Ernest Holmes, its founder, and will take part in its regular Sunday services. Brother Wunder has had a distinguished career as a minister, writer, executive, and organizer. He will become editor of the Institute's magazine, the *Science of Mind*. For two years previously, Dr. Wunder has been associated with the Academy of Motion Picture Arts and Sciences as executive head. For the past fifteen years he has lectured in all parts of the United States on the social and educational aspects of motion pictures. For ten years Brother Wunder was head of the great Baptist Temple in Rochester, New York, one of the largest churches of the country. In that pastorate he gained a nation-wide reputation as a liberal thinker and philosopher.

Since his sentencing of "Al" Capone, an action which brought him to the attention of the country in a spectacular manner, Judge James H. Wilkerson, *DePauw*, '89, has been very prominently mentioned as a candidate for the Republican gubernatorial nom-

ination in Illinois. The press reports him as loath to leave the Federal bench, and it is more or less authoritatively said that he is in line for an early advancement to the Circuit Court of Appeals, where he would join a chapter brother, Judge Will M. Sparks, *DePauw*, '96, but he has been urged by Republican leaders in Illinois to give up his present service on the bench in order to head the state ticket in the 1932 general elections. Judge Wilkerson recently lunched with President Hoover in Washington and it is reported that Hoover joined the chorus of requests that he announce himself for the gubernatorial nomination.

George C. Stewart, *Union*, '90, was appointed county judge of Montgomery County, New York, by Governor Franklin D. Roosevelt on September 23, to succeed the late George C. Butler until the general election determines who will fill the judgeship for the remaining five years of the unex-

pired term. Brother Stewart has practiced law in the city of Amsterdam, New York, for thirty-nine years and at one time served as deputy attorney general.

The true spirit of the Bond was exemplified recently when Stanford Phi organized to help a brother in distress. Hearing of the desperate illness of Henry McCormick, *Stanford*, '28, John McHose called Al Parkis, one of McCormick's classmates, who immediately got on the job and raised \$100 in two days. Later a \$500 loan was raised to tide Brother McCormick over this period of adversity.

The usual chorus of favorable comments is greeting the new edition of *The Linebook*, best seller compiled annually from the "Line 'O Type or Two" by Richard Henry Little, *Illinois Wesleyan*, '95. The "Line" is one of the country's most popular and famous "colyums," run daily in the *Chicago Tribune* by Colyumist Little.

## New Dickinson Chapter House

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under a large palladium stained glass window. This window is hung with monk's cloth drapes which are faced with pongee. The drapes for all other windows are of similar material but upstairs different colored monk's cloth is used to add individuality to the rooms.

On the second and third floors are twelve rooms accommodating two men each. Both the second and third floors are equipped with large lavatories and showers, and linen closets.

On the third floor, in addition to the individual rooms, is a dormitory equipped to accommodate any overflow.

Telephones have been installed on all three floors.

The individual rooms are furnished with two beds, a double desk, and a chest of drawers, all finished in maple.

In the left wing of the house is a brick-enclosed fire stairway running from the basement to the third floor.

The old house was sold to the college and went into use last fall as a psychology building.

The total cost of building and furnishing the new house was nearly fifty thousand dollars.

With the formal dedication exercises on November 6-8, a new chapter in the history of  $\Phi \Delta \Theta$  at Dickinson was written, a chapter which is eloquent in praise of the loyalty and spirit of sacrifice of the alumni of Pennsylvania Epsilon.

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## Chapter News in Brief . . .

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Alabama Beta, Alabama Polytechnic Institute  
*Pledge dance . . .*

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*Initiates:* November 2: Thomas Head, Troy; John McKay, Union Springs; Reuben Maxwell, Alexander City.

*Campus Activities:* Johnson and Talley made letters in football, Johnson at center and Talley at fullback. Phikeia Welch made a numeral in freshman football, playing guard. Dawson was elected to H K N, honorary electrical engineering fraternity.

*Social Activities:* The chapter entertained at a dance Friday evening, December 11, in honor of the pledges. The house was decorated in the holiday spirit, and music was furnished by the Auburn Revelers. This was the most successful dance the chapter has had, and plans are being made to give another soon.

*Chapter Visitors:* Ed S. Lewis, province president, spent the day with us November 6, stopping over on his way to Atlanta.

ARCH WINTER

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Alberta Alpha, University of Alberta  
*Managers in all sports . . .*

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*Phikeias:* A. Ballachey, G. Sprague, A. Brownie, H. Sherwood, J. Morrison, A. Beavers, T. Teviotdale.

*Initiates:* October 14: Frank Kennedy, Calgary; John Cameron, Calgary; Ernest Ayre, Moose Jaw; Armon Irwin, Moose Jaw.

*Campus Activities:* Again Phi Delta Theta comes to the fore with the managers of the three major sports on the campus. Kennedy is manager of senior basketball, Cameron is manager of senior hockey, and Marshall manager of football. McGill is president of basketball. Phikeia Kinnear is a regular forward on the varsity senior hockey team. Irwin is playing intermediate varsity basketball.

*Chapter Visitors:* Worthy Hoover, '30, Dick Litch and Phikeia Lane, *Manitoba*, were with Manitoba football team and paid us a visit. Don Hatch, *Manitoba*.

*Alumni Personals:* Lee Cameron is back in the city.

A. F. IRWIN

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Arizona Alpha, University of Arizona  
*Dining the Dads . . .*

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*Campus Activities:* Raffety and Moore have been initiated into Chain Gang, junior honor society. O'Dowd, Podesta, Gillespie, and Phikeias Filburn and Abbott have earned letters in varsity football. Varsity basketball practice has started with Raffety, this year's captain, directing the drill until the football season ends. Thomason and Phikeias Filburn, Abbott, and Broadwater have received varsity calls. Moore, state singles tennis champion, reached the semi-finals in the Southwestern tournament recently held at Phoenix. The pledge basketball team reached the finals in intramural basketball, losing to the Pi Kaps for the championship. A strong team has been entered in the house basketball tourney. The chapter placed high in the fall track meet. Phikeia Kelly, manager of the Glee Club, has scheduled a state tour. Angeny was recently pledged to Scabbard and Blade.

*Social Activities:* The Phoenix Alumni Club and members and pledges of Arizona Alpha who live in Phoenix will sponsor a Christmas dance in the capital city December 26. The alumni have pledged their support of the event. The fall formal of the chapter was held December 5. This was a dinner-dance affair and featured the year's social program. Homecoming was celebrated October 24 with twenty alumni returning for the festivities. Mothers' and Dads' Day was observed November 7. The chapter was honored by the presence of many parents at a dinner given in their honor.

ROBERT A. MACON

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**British Columbia Alpha, University of  
British Columbia**

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*Big vacation schedule . . .*

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*New Officers:* President, George Wheaton; secretary, Sheldon Rothwell; treasurer, Jack Steele; house manager, Henry Shaw; Reporter, Beattie MacLean; warden, Dickson Moore; Chaplain, Lew Clarke.

*Phikeias:* H. McGivern, New Westminster; R. Maclean, Kamloops; R. McLeod, Nelson; J. Stewart, Prince Rupert; H. Willis, Powell River.

*Initiates:* November 11: Frederick Bogardus, William Cornwall, George Houser, Jr., Albert Pike, Donald Stewart.

*Chapter House Improvements:* This year British Columbia Alpha has taken over the management of its own house independently, and so far quite successfully. The house was furnished almost entirely by donations from the alumni, the fathers and mothers. The mothers helped considerably in the decorating, and by turning a Mothers' Club into a Pantry Shower at the beginning of the year, substantially stocked the larder. British Columbia Alpha has plans in hand to move into a larger house for the second term, due to the number of out-of-town men coming into the chapter.

*Campus Activities:* Morrow, Steele, and Moore have played on the varsity Canadian rugby, now the western Canadian champions, by virtue of defeating Manitoba. Houser has made a place on the freshman team, and Anderson, D. Stewart, and Vrooman on the Intermediate. Pearson and Owen have been on the varsity teams in English rugby. Pike is assistant manager for the Canadian rugby team. Thomson is president of the Arts Men's Undergraduate Society and a member of the students' council. Owen is the popular little prexy of the sophomores. Wheaton is president of the Law Club. R. Maclean is vice-president of the Mathematics Club. Pike is secretary of the Science Men's Undergraduate Society. McLarty and B. MacLean are members of the Letters Club.

*Social Activities:* The Alumni Club entertained the actives and a group of rushees at its October luncheon. A joint birthday banquet was held on October 31st at the Jericho Golf and Country Club, British Columbia Alpha's first birthday! The following is a plan of

holiday activities and freshman rushing: Dec. 18, smoker at Morrow's; Dec. 19-21, camping party, Rothwell's summer home, Crescent Beach; Dec. 29, informal dance, Bogardus's; Jan. 4, alumni banquet; Jan. 9, winter sports, Grouse Mountain Chalet; Jan. 15, formal dance, Rothwell's; Jan. 17, visit to Washington Alpha; Jan. 18, smoker.

*Chapter Visitors:* Charles E. Gaches, Province President, visited the chapter and spoke at the Birthday Banquet, Oct. 31. Latney Barnes spent a week-end at the house during his western trip. His help has been most inspiring. We hope to see him soon again. Harold Cliffe spent Nov. 21-22 at the house.

*Alumni Personals:* Langford Godfrey has been appointed junior supervisor of the government experimental station at Windermere, B.C., and C. C. Strachan at the Summerland experimental station. H. Cliffe has been made a member of the Comox Logging Company at Comox, B.C. Wilfrid Plommer, '28, was married to Leila Stewart in August. They reside in Prince Rupert, B.C., where Plommer is a high school teacher. Born to Brother and Mrs. George Miller, '27, a son; and to Brother and Mrs. Bentley Edwards, '29, a daughter.

A O II established a chapter on this campus in October.

J. BEATTIE MACLEAN

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**California Alpha, University of California**

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*Dancing a la jungle . . .*

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*New Officers:* President, Arthur H. Markwart, Jr.; secretary, George Crist; Reporter, P. J. Walker, Jr.; Chaplain, Dana Ward; chorister, George Horton; historian, Harry Elfen; warden, Lenert Henry.

*Phikeias:* Henry Markwart, Piedmont; Bud Feiberling, Oakland; Bud McVey, Oakland; William Collier, Oakland.

*Chapter House Improvements:* The chapter has purchased a fine new flag and has had the flag pole painted, which adds considerably to the appearance of the house.

*Campus Activities:* Bill Abbott and Bud Neuhaus were initiated into Skull and Keys, men's honor society on the campus on October 12. Lackey was taken into Winged Helmet, junior honor society, and Earl Garretson was initiated into

Beta-Beta, honor society. Maury Baldwin earned his block C in football this semester. Nat Haskot was elected captain in Pershing Rifles, honorary military society. Four fellows from the house comprised the regimental color unit of the University of California R.O.T.C., namely, Kelly Anthony and George Horton as color bearers and Len Henry and Bill Abbott as color guards. Garretson is captain of Honor Company D and was in charge of Scabbard and Blade fall formal. On the reception committee we were represented by Lenert Henry and on the rally committee by Kelly Anthony for football this semester. George Crist was recently made junior intramural sports manager.

*Social Activities:* A jungle dance was held at the house on November 14 instead of the usual barn dance. The place was cleverly decorated to look like a jungle, and a negro band played. There were negro entertainers as well. Everybody came in appropriate costumes. An informal radio dance was held during the Thanksgiving holidays. The annual duck dinner before the California-Stanford game was held on Wednesday, November 18. A large number of alumni returned for the affair.

*Chapter Visitors:* Jack Mockintyre, Michigan, '31; Harry Ravizza, '25; Edward Ravizza, '26; Milton Burns, Stanford, '31; Hoover Slager, Oregon, '31; Don Garribaldi, Stanford, '27; George Boyd, ex-'33; Gus Bowen, '23; Jack Eagle, Stanford, '32; Shelby Hodapp, '23; Harmon Bell, '28; A. B. Craw, '22; Taylor McDougall, '31; Frank Otis, '73, who is the second oldest living alumnus of the University of California.

*Alumni Personals:* Everett I. Brown, Jr., '31, is attending Boalt Hall of Law at the University of California. Jack Bradley, '30 and Phil Waay, '30, are both in their second year of law also at California. Kent Curtis, '29, and Robert B. Friend, '39, are both working on the *New York American* with William R. Hearst, Jr., ex-'29.

P. J. WALKER, JR.

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California Gamma, University of California at  
Los Angeles

*Good work, mothers! . . .*

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*Initiates:* October 11: Harold Menjou, William Doeg, George Jepson.

*Chapter House Improvements:* The Mothers' Club has been very active this year in supplying the linens for the house. New blankets and new bedspreads were gifts from the Phi Delt mothers.

*Campus Activities:* Phillips as president of the sophomore class successfully staged one of the best sophomore dances ever held at U.C.L.A. Hank Miller, transfer from Montana Alpha, is one of the most promising forwards on the basketball squad. Reynolds played the lead in the recent university stage production, "Berkeley Square."

*Social Activities:* The chapter held its annual Halloween dance on October 24. Dan Adamson was in charge of a very successful affair at which many alumni were present.

VINCENT M. DUNGAN

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Colorado Alpha, University of Colorado  
*All sorts of managers . . .*

*Phikeias:* Howard Rich, Reno, Nev.; William Hubbard, Glenwood Springs.

*Campus Activities:* Phikeia Bottsford won the intramural open tennis tournament and Phikeias Hays and Power were in the semifinals of the fall golf tournament. Buck recently was a delegate to the H K N convention at Cornell University. Buck was also initiated this quarter into T B II, honorary engineering fraternity, and Barnett is pledged to Σ T, engineering fraternity. Phikeia Durrett is playing in the band and two symphony orchestras. Fields and Shippey (manager) recently made the trip to Tucson, Ariz., with the football squad. Fields is sure of making a letter. Hays is very busy managing the annual and the band; Swenson is assistant manager of the annual; Collins is manager of the engineering publication and Barnett is his assistant. Byrne is to be senior manager of baseball this year. Russell Morris is one of the two fraternity men in the university who are honor students. Phikeia Kreager is out for winter track. Phikeia Naugle had a part in this quarters Little Theater plays. Shippey and Phikeia Dungan made the fall quarter tryouts for the operetta. Phikeia Naugle is pledged to Adelphi, honorary debating society. Phikeia Lane is a member of the Glee Club and the band. Ritter was initiated into Π E II, pep organization, this quarter. Murphy is also a member of this

organization. Phikeia Hardy is on the annual staff. Sayre and Collins are on the interfraternity council.

*Social Activities:* The fall formal, held at the chapter house November 10, was a great success. The chapter entertained recently at a buffet supper and we have had several tea dances during the quarter. The Phikeias entertained the chapter at a Christmas party.

*Chapter Visitors:* Steifel, '21; Rodney Bardwell, Jr., '25; Ed Williams, Province President, *Colorado College*; Wismar, *Utah*; Coxe White, '25; Loren Griffen, '25; Herb Stoll, '28.

JOHN H. SHIPPEY

Florida Alpha, University of Florida

*Ninety-two years to go . . .*

*Initiate:* Edward Brobson, Tampa.

*Chapter House Improvements:* The chapter recently purchased a new Philco eight-tube radio. The floors in the front rooms have been refinished and are in excellent shape. Several incidental pieces of furniture have been added to the lounge.

*Campus Activities:* The annual  $\Phi \Delta \theta - \Sigma N$  football game was played on December 12. It ended in a scoreless tie, but a moral victory for  $\Phi \Delta \theta$  as the  $\Sigma N$  aggregation was doped to win. This completed the seventh game of the 99-year contract. Following the game a dance was given by both fraternities and a midnight supper was enjoyed by the members and their dates at the  $\Sigma N$  house. Gardner Gillette was elected president of the junior class and Phikeia Wallace Brown president of the freshman class. Murray Harrison and Lee McCubbin chosen for the polo squad. Clay Simpson made the trip to California with the football team. Oscar Gower has been elected manager of the freshman football team. Calvert Pepper, James Knott, and Culver Smith are charter members of the Colonels, a law school society. Nelson Sawyer has been pledged to the Pirates and Pepper was pledged to L'apache the two outstanding social organizations of the campus. Phikeia Kicks is on the *Alligator* staff. Horner is out for basketball manager. Parker is out for boxing manager. Landon has been elected varsity swimming manager and also received membership into  $\Sigma \Delta \Psi$ , athletic fraternity. Phikeia Shearer has been chosen

captain of the freshman football team. Bostwick was elected to membership in  $A E \Delta$ , pre-medical fraternity. Gillette has been pledged to Blue Key, honor society. Phikeias Stark, Starbuck, Brown, and Shearer were awarded freshman numerals in football. Irwin has received membership in  $\Phi \Sigma$ , honorary biological fraternity. Shearer was elected captain of the freshman football at the end of the season. Phikeias Shearer, Floyd and Gantt are on the freshman basketball squad. Phikeias Voight and Pound made the freshman mid-semester honor roll, Voight standing third high in the class of eight hundred. The chapter team won the interfraternity basketball title by defeating S.A.E., 14-13, in the finals.

*Chapter Visitors:* Aubrey Sawyer, '31; Sam Byrd, '28; Shelton Brown, '31; Kirven Slade, 26; W. McCrory, *Georgia*; Bob Woodbery, '31; Pete Norton, '18.

*Alumni Personals:* Frank S. Wright, '27, made the trip to California with the varsity football team for the encounter with U.C.L.A. He acted in the capacity of publicity director and alumni representative for the university.

TOM IRWIN

Georgia Beta, Emory University

*Debating and journalism . . .*

*Initiates:* October 6: Frank F. Davie, Atlanta; Clement E. Sutton, Washington.

*Chapter House Improvements:* Meals are now being served in the house, and a house mother, who comes to the house daily, has been secured to plan them. Jac Coffman is serving as steward.

*Campus Activities:* Williams was initiated into  $O \Delta K$  December 4. Bowden is serving as president of the freshman law class. Phikeias Barnes and Davie are on the freshman debating squad, the former participating in his first intercollegiate debate on December 12. Williams is beauty editor of the *Campus*, year book of the University. Phikeia Nunn and Carithers are singing with the Glee Club. Jac Coffman had a leading rôle in the annual fall production of the Emory Players, presented December 11. Phikeias Niles, Clemons, Roberts, Barnes, and Timmerman are on the freshman staff of the *Wheel*, weekly official organ of the University. Phikeia Nunn is work-

ing with the student lecture association. Goddard is assistant tennis manager. Phikeia Mills is on the staff of the *Phoenix*, literary publication. Phikeia Clemons was elected a member of the freshman student council in a recent election.

*Social Activities:* Our annual Halloween house dance was given October 31. Georgia Delta chapter was invited.

*Chapter Visitors:* Stephens, O'Keefe, Hancock, Grant, and Giniallette, *Davidson*, were guests of the chapter recently, as was Roy Bowen, *Georgia*, and John West of Macon, Ga.

HUGH CARITHERS, JR.

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Idaho Alpha, University of Idaho

*Annapolis plebe leader . . .*

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*Campus Activities:* Arthur Spaugy was elected honorary captain of the 1931 football squad at the close of the season. Idaho has no permanent captain during the season, the coach appointing a captain for each game. Brother Spaugy also was pledged to Blue Key. Paris Martin, participant in two Oxford debates, is again on one of Idaho's forensic teams. Debating the question "Resolved, That reduction of wages during the present depression has retarded the progress of recovery," Idaho won against Washington State College and one of the two debates against Whitman College. Paul Jones, editor of the *Argonaut*, campus newspaper, attended the Pacific Coast Intercollegiate Press Association meeting on the University of Oregon campus, November 12-14. Jay Christians, Horton Herman, and Ernest Nelson are out for varsity basketball. Christians is entering his second year of varsity competition. Phikeia Victor Warner is on the freshman basketball squad.

*Chapter Visitors:* Latney Barnes, travelling secretary, visited the chapter the week-end of November 13-14. Other chapter visitors: Preston W. Search, convention poet at the 1930 General Convention; E. S. Ware, '31; C. R. Stark, Jr., *Brown*; John B. Hamilton, '27; Floyd W. Lansdon, '27; W. G. Cadigan, '32; John B. McDonald, '32.

*Alumni Personals:* Scholastic reports from the U. S. Naval Academy show that John Middleton, '32, leads the plebe class.

ROGER H. McCONNEL

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Illinois Alpha, Northwestern University

*Senior president . . .*

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*Phikeias:* Charles Dietz, Alton.

*Campus Activities:* Reb Russell has been elected president of the senior class. Russell, Fencil, Meenan, Olson, O'Mara, LaRoque, and Youngberg won their letters at football. Phikeias Lang, Leeper, Wolf, and Zuver won numerals at football. Meenan and Richards are out for basketball. Phikeias Spilman and Dugan received their numerals for cross-country track. Phikeia Lott is a candidate for freshman basketball manager.

*Social Activities:* The chapter held a tea in the chapter house on Sunday, November 1. On Friday, December 4, the pledges gave a dance in the chapter house in honor of the active chapter. Plans are now being made for the annual "Dizzy Drag" to be held at the house on Friday, December 18, and the Christmas Banquet, to be held on December 17.

*Alumni Personals:* Darrel Ware, '29, has returned to Evanston and has written a musical comedy which will be used for the annual WAA-MU show in the spring. Joe Miller, '29, has just produced "Scrap Book," and all-University Revue, and will be director of the musical comedy in the spring.

JOHN McCLAIN

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Illinois Beta, University of Chicago

*Piccolo to bassoon . . .*

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*Initiates:* November 16: William Comeford and Charles Henderson, Chicago.

*Chapter House Improvements:* We have purchased a spaniel dog to grace the house.

*Campus Activities:* Comeford is making a strong bid for a forward position on the basketball squad. Fish is an assistant coach of freshman basketball. Thomas is associate editor of the School of Commerce and Administration publication the *Balance Sheet*. Howard Marks is on the varsity swimming squad. Gerald Johnson was awarded an old English "C" for his work on the varsity cross-country team. Bellstrom and Thomson were awarded old English "Cs" as ends on the football squad. Howard Clarke is playing the bassoon and Phikeia Luck-

hardt the piccolo in the University symphony orchestra. Phikeia Ickes is the mainstay of the University polo squad, scoring six goals for Chicago in a recent game with the University of Illinois squad. Phikeias Eldred and Harper are on the freshman basketball squad. Phikeias Pelzel and Wilson are on the business staff of the *Daily Maroon*. Phikeia Hastings is on the technical staff of the Dramatic Club and Shumaker is an assistant on the intramural staff.

*Social Activities:* November 28 the chapter held its fourth dance of the quarter but the first evening affair. One of the largest crowds ever to attend one of our dances was at hand, representatives from every fraternity on campus and a number of alumni. It was one of the outstanding dances on the campus for some time.

*Alumni Personals:* On December 10 the chapter held an alumni dinner at the house in honor of Edward R. Tiedebohl, '11, who is in charge of the Illinois Beta house fund. He was presented with a Phi Delt plaque with an inscription, as a token of our appreciation of his excellent work. CARL A. SCHEID

Illinois Delta-Zeta, Knox College

*Page Mr. Volstead!!! . . .*

*Campus Activities:* Captain Wilson, Smith, Sloan, Vasen, Moline, and Zinser were awarded varsity letters in football. Vasen, playing his first year on the varsity eleven, distinguished himself as high point man of the team. Wilson was awarded a position on the mythical all-conference eleven. Wilson won further distinction when he was presented with the Hunter Trophy which is the most coveted award a Knox man may receive. In the recent class election he was voted the presidency of the senior class, Lewis was elected treasurer of the same class and Painter received the vice presidency of the sophomore class. Rowe and Painter were voted into Players' Club. Bogue and Painter have had leads in dramatic productions this fall. The chapter is represented on the basketball squad by Dewey and Wilson.

*Social Activities:* A very successful bowery party was held at the house on Saturday, December 5. A she Delt initiation added variety to the entertainment.

The parlor was transformed into a bar room for the evening. An eight piece orchestra furnished the music to which forty couples danced. J. P. SMITH

Illinois Eta, University of Illinois

*Athletes and a Phi Bete . . .*

*Phikeias:* Barton Cummings, Rockford; Richard Yant, Omaha, Nebraska.

*Campus Activities:* Berry and Cook were awarded letters for varsity football. Berry was elected captain for 1932. Phikeias Seamons and Cummings received freshman varsity numerals and Phikeia Layman received junior freshman varsity numerals. The two Kamp cousins are playing varsity basketball—"Babe" is this year's captain. Merton Rapp was elected to Φ B K. Scripps was initiated into Band of X, commerce fraternity. Barber was initiated into Θ T, engineering fraternity. Foley participated in a charity entertainment.

*Social Activities:* The active chapter entertained the alumni at Homecoming and the Dads on Dads' Day. Both functions were well attended.

*Chapter Visitors:* R. A. Fox, '28; B. G. Leake, Province President; M. J. Trees, '07; F. H. McKelvey, '07.

*Alumni Personals:* Robert A. Fox, '28, has returned from Athens, Greece, where he has spent the past three years as bursar of the American College. He is now located in Davenport, Iowa. J. F. Joslyn, ex-'33, is in business at Sycamore. Robert Fulton, ex-'31, has been transferred to the New York branch of the Anaconda Copper Company.

WILLIAM CARLETON GIFFORD

Indiana Gamma, Butler University

*Three successive football captains*

*Phikeias:* Paul Galloway, Macomb, Illinois.

*Initiates:* December 9: Charles E. Johnson.

*Chapter House Improvements:* Indiana Gamma was the recipient of a beautiful trophy case as a Christmas gift. This acceptable donation came from the Mothers' Club and not only fills a long felt want but adds greatly to the appearance of the living room.

*Campus Activities:* At the annual football banquet sponsored by Blue Key, five brothers and two Phikeias received varsity letters. They were Captain Booz, Sohl, Mecum, Brandt, J. Stewart, and Phikeias Conrad and Dayton. Booz also received a blanket presented by Σ Δ X to the most outstanding member of the squad. Sohl was elected captain of the 1932 team, making the third consecutive year a Phi has received this honor. Six Phikeias received freshman football numerals. They were R. Stewart, W. Raiser, S. Johnson, Green, Galloway, and Brown. Bob Stewart also received the captaincy. Six brothers are on the varsity basketball team: Bailey, Davis, Parrish, Stewart, Gilliom and Boling. Hanna was chosen manager of the 1932 Follies, annual school musical production. Love, Mowbray, Perry, and Phikeia Dayton have been selected as members of the production staff. Hanna was pledged to Blue Key, national honorary. Kemper was pledged by Sphinx Club. The intramural football team at the house defeated Δ T Δ in a three game series. Smith was elected senior president, Bailey, junior treasurer, and Phikeia R. Stewart, freshman treasurer.

*Social Activities:* The Phikeias entertained the active chapter with a house dance held on October 16. It was one of the best given since the chapter moved into the new house. The annual Christmas formal dinner-dance will be held at the chapter house December 19. The annual open house was held on Sunday afternoon, October 18. About five hundred persons attended. The Thanksgiving banquet for the chapter and alumni was held on the evening of November 23.

*Chapter Visitors:* Hilton U. Brown, '79; F. R. Kautz, '86; Cullen Thomas, '12; George Stewart, '13; Al Tucker, '15; Walter Shirley, '24; Harold Hungegate, '23; Wally Middlesworth, '24; Rollins Davis, '25; Scott Ham, '25; Dean Brosman, '26; Cliff Courtney, '27; Turp Davis, '28; Merle McCloud, '30; Frank Parrish, '31.

CHARLES SOHL

wine, Hershell Wheeler, Herbert Voland, Robert Hiland, Warren Brouger, Francis Kline, and Henry Everroad.

*Campus Activities:* Captain Surface, Kline, and Phikeias Cleveland and Brewer received sweaters in football. Surface received a gold football for having played four years. Cox and Phikeias Everroad and Games received minor awards. Johnson received a manager's sweater. Phikeia Moser was yell leader during the football season. Province, Rowe, and Medsker are members of the interfraternity council. Wheeler, Earlywine, and Phikeia Owens are on the staff of the school yearbook. Phikeia Owens has also gone out for the staff of the school paper. Phikeia Cleveland was elected freshman class president. Indiana Delta won the homecoming decorations prize for the fifth straight year. The playground baseball team finished second and the horseshoe team finished third in their respective leagues. Province, Bartholomew, and Medsker are members of the chemistry club; Bartholomew is secretary-treasurer. Province, Cuddy, and Cox were elected to membership in Blue Key. Earlywine and Phikeias Moser, Brewer, McCague, Asbell, Dill, Foster, Fries, and Pease were active in the first Wigs and Cues play. Phikeias Moser, Foster, and Asbell are in the school orchestra.

*Social Activities:* The Thanksgiving dance was held at the chapter house Nov. 25. The Christmas dance was held in Indianapolis, Dec. 18.

*Chapter Visitors:* William Handley, '29; Harry Dailey, *Indiana* '33; Herbert Staub, *Indiana* '34; Bayne Freeman, '30; Roy Williams, ex-'29; Gregory Cox, '29; Ducey Cypherd, ex-'33; Harvey Allison, ex-'22; James Green, ex-'32; Paul Maggard, ex-'31; Warren Yount, '12; Cortex Ditmars, ex-'11; Noble Lyons, '27; Hugh Ballard, '29; Lawrence Reece, '31; William Johnson, '30; Al Turmail, *Indiana* '32; Roy Anadell, ex-'32; James Williams, ex-'33.

*Alumni Personals:* Henry Owens, '24, is head of the foreign language department at the University of Missouri. Forrest Tomlinson, '30, is taking pre-med work at the University of Washington. Edwin Deppe, '27, is an interne in the Miami Valley Hospital at Dayton, Ohio. Fred Owens, '96, died October 23, 1931. Leonard Trent, ex-'31, is attending Northwestern University.

J. FRANCIS MEDSKER

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Indiana Delta, Franklin College

*What the well-dressed house will wear . . .*

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*Initiates:* Oct. 17: Roy Crum, Charles Deppe, William Staples, Ralph Early-

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**Indiana Epsilon, Hanover College****Dedication of new house . . .**

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*Phikeias:* June Miller, Madison; George Perry, Madison; Vincent Guenther, Jeffersonville; Brainard Platt, Jr., Louisville, Ky.; Dan Marra, Jeffersonville; Charles Montgomery, Kentland; James Corkey, Logansport; Robert Johnson, Logansport; Earl Thureson, Berwyn, Ill.; Garland Guernsey, Jeffersonville; Paul Bulleit, Corydon; Frances Johnson, Union City; Wesley Peltzer, Oak Park, Ill.; William Dalgarn, Columbus, Ohio; William Makowskey, Sellersburg; Karl Harrell, LaGro; John W. Harvey, Zionsville; Paul Swan, LaPorte; Cleo Baker, Rising Sun.

*Initiates:* Dillon Herzer, Garrett; David Spann, Madison; Francis Francke, Henryville; Tom Jackson, North Madison.

*Chapter House Improvements:* Indiana Epsilon is now comfortably situated in her new Georgian chapter house. The house is completely furnished with new furnishings throughout.

*Campus Activities:* Indiana Epsilon has six organization presidencies this year. Dan Lewis is president of Dramatic Club, Varsity H Club, and Student Council; Charles Butler is president of A Φ Γ, national honorary journalistic fraternity, and of the junior class; George Middleton is head of the Glee Club, and Phikeia Miller of the freshman class. Minor offices are also held in a number of organizations. During the football season the chapter was well represented with ten men on the varsity squad. There are still twelve men out for basketball, with only one cut remaining.

*Social Activities:* On December 4 Indiana Epsilon held her house dedication dance, and on the following day the house was thrown open to the public and a short but impressive service held in the afternoon. Many alumni and guests were present for the dance and open house. CHARLES W. BUTLER

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**Indiana Zeta, DePauw University****Varied activity list . . .**

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*Chapter House Improvements:* The weather strips throughout the house

have been repaired in preparation for the winter weather which seems about to descend upon Greencastle. New shrubbery has recently been placed in the front lawn to fill out certain parts of the landscape scheme. The tennis court has been fixed up for the winter, the furniture in the house has been reconditioned, and the bathroom fixtures in the house have all been repaired.

*Campus Activities:* Beeson is working out regularly with the Tiger varsity basketball squad, and Phikeias Smith, Walthor, LaGrange, and Johnson have reported for the freshman squad. Osborne has been initiated into Brooklyn club, honorary bowling fraternity, of which Moorman and Brennan are already members. Brennan has been pledged to Σ Δ X, professional journalistic fraternity, of which Millett is a member. Geiger is the captain of the Gospel team which conducts services in various churches in this part of the state and which is a part of the Oxford fellowship; an organization for prospective ministers. Millett has been chosen acting editor-in-chief of the *DePauw*, campus newspaper. Pearson has been selected as one of the assistant business managers of the *Mirage*, DePauw annual. He has also been pledged to the German club. The intramural swimming team finished second, and prospects are even better for the present chapter basketball team now practicing. Millett was one of the speakers in the debate broadcast over WGN on January 3, with Kent college of law. Phikeia Meyer has been elected vice-president of the Chicago club.

*Social Activities:* The chapter held its fall dance in the chapter house on Oct. 31. Bud Dant and his orchestra from Indiana U. played. Plans are now being made for the second annual Miami Triad on this campus early in February in conjunction with the Betas and Sig Chis.

*Chapter Visitors:* Arthur R. Priest, '91; M. E. Carlisle, '19; L. R. Cartwright, '00; Chester Jewett, '08; Charles Jewett, '09; C. E. Lawrence, '10; X. H. Edwards, '04; Paul Stratton, '28; Sam Jones, '28; Harry Scott, '28; William Springer, '31; Don Dykeman, '31; Joseph Ferree, '31; Harold Kenna, '31; Clymer Jones, '31; Bill Dahl, '31.

JOHN MILLETT

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Iowa Beta, University of Iowa

*All-American swimmer . . .*

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*Phikeias:* Henry D. Romanow, Boston, Mass.; Marvin Kuhn, Charles City.

*Campus Activities:* Evans was recently named on the official All-American swimming team, his specialty being the breast-stroke event. McGuire, as captain of the swimming team, is showing up well in the 100 yard free-style. In basketball the team consisting of Phikeias Johnson, T. Corcoran, Schamel, Gerber, Nye, and L. Corcoran are leading the interfraternity pledge league, having defeated by large scores their first five opponents. Cornog and Phikeia Jackson are showing up well in indoor track. Chesterman and Phikeia Nye are working at indoor tennis, the former having played in all the varsity matches this fall. Brooks is working on the varsity debate team. Phikeia Michaels had parts in "Once in a Lifetime" and "Othello," University plays. Phikeia Ingram is on the *Friivol* and *Daily Iowan* staffs. Phikeia Nye is a member of the University freshman class committee.

*Social Activities:* A Christmas party was held at the chapter house Dec. 12, Jack Graves and his orchestra furnishing the music. The Miami Triad party, the first to be held on this campus, will be held the 16th of January.

FAY W. PAIN, JR.

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Iowa Gamma, Iowa State College

*Biggest Homecoming banquet . . .*

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*New Officers:* Wm. Copeland, treasurer, to replace L. G. Hatfield who will be unable to return to school. Howard Sokol, assistant Steward, and Jean Shoemaker, assistant treasurer.

*Initiates:* Robert C. Murphy and Charles H. Tustison.

*Chapter House Improvements:* Don Stouffer donated a rug for the chapter room.

*Campus Activities:* The actives won their league in Intramural speedball but lost in the semifinals. Jerry Ferre won the all-college handball championship.  $\Phi \Delta \Theta$  won third in the annual pentathlon. The freshmen won the speedball championship cup and track championship. Robert Smith, Des Moines, and

Franz Swoboda, Omaha, Neb., were awarded major letters in football. Carl Stark won a minor letter. Kenneth Ames was awarded a numeral for prep football. Wm. Russell is junior manager of the varsity basketball team. Marlowe Williams is out for freshman basketball. Laurel Blund is a prep basketball manager.  $\Phi \Delta \Theta$  is well represented on the varsity swimming team by Capt. William Weld, William Drake, John Cross, and Franz Swoboda. Phikeias Harlie Zimmerman and Richard Murphy are out for prep swimming. William Weld is chairman of the personnel central committee for Veishea of 1932.

*Alumni Personals:* Iowa Gamma had the largest and most successful Homecoming last Oct. 26 for many years. About forty Phis reported at the house sometime during the day. The chapter had a banquet at the house Saturday night for the alumni and many were present. The banquet will be an annual affair. The alumni present were: Don Pray, Bob Cass, C. L. Gord, T. B. Russell, John Lovett, Dale Talbert, Jim Ellis, S. S. Bragdon, Don Stouffer, Job Vorse, Skin Laird, Carl Crowley, John Miller, Ruben J. Miller, Bob Burton, Clair Wilson, A. B. Caine, L. C. McDonald, Clark Holbrook, Ted Russell, Herb Woodland, Bob Luck, Hal Cowan, Emery "Connie" Conrad, Henry Bradshaw, Bob Boag, Wayne Lacock, Corbin Redman, Barney Allen, Arnold Lovett, Orma Smith, P. N. Lindgren, Bud Hopkins, and Chuck Cownie. Stanley S. Bragdon was elected president of the House Holding Association. The active chapter presented A. B. Caine with an alumni charm in appreciation of his work for the chapter.

*Chapter Visitors:* Monty Allen, '24; Carlyle Richards, Iowa; Merrick, Oregon.

*Social Activities:* Formal dinner-dance January 23, Hotel Sheldon-Munn.

CONRAD STEPHENSON

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Kansas Alpha, University of Kansas

*House addition planned . . .*

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*Chapter House Improvements:* The architect has finished the working plans of the addition, which will probably be built next summer at a cost of \$30,000.

*Campus Activities:* Bill Johnson, Ken Johnson, Hudson McGuire, Stewart

Chambers, varsity basketball; Ned Brandon, Christmas seal committee; Fritz Lakin, John Sleeper, and Henry White, Mortar and Ball; Mell Harper and John Weltmer, freshman basketball; Powell Aubrey, freshman intramural manager; Lloyd Lane and Powell Aubrey, *Jayhawker* staff; Manuel Edquist freshman cheerleader; Dick Woodmansee, interfraternity council of presidents; John Hassig and Dick Woodmansee, general county club committee; Wilson McCoy, Maurice Rice, and Henry White, county club chairmen.

*Social Activities:* Christmas party at the chapter house Friday, December 18, with Hub Else and his band furnishing the music. The Mess, annual dinner dance, is set for March 4 at the Union building.

*Chapter Visitors:* C. B. Hereford, *Westminster*; Thornton Cooke, '96; Ted Cooke, '06; W. L. Kepner, '06; R. K. Johnston, '08; F. A. McCoy, '05; M. L. Breidenthal, '09; H. B. Walker, '11; R. C. Gafford, '30; J. W. O'Bryon, '88; P. J. Stephens, '28; Roland Boynton, '16; E. L. Brooks, '03; L. L. Northrup, '15.

*Alumni Personals:* George Rody is to be head basketball coach at Tulane University, New Orleans. Palmer J. Stephens is president of the Southern Engineering Company, 219 N.W. Fourth Street, Oklahoma City, Oklahoma. J. Clifton Ramsey and Miss Helen Feller of Leavenworth, Kansas, were married Sunday, October 18. Quentin M. Davis died November 11 from injuries received in an automobile accident. A daughter was born to Mr. and Mrs. Ivan Roberts, November 23, at Cameron, Missouri. R. C. Marshall is with the Denver Fire Clay Company, P.O. Box 1107, Denver, Colorado. F. V. Russell of Seattle, Washington, was married to Frances Clare Furey of Wenatchee, Washington, December 2. R. C. Gafford, who has been with the Eastman Kodak Company at Rochester, New York, has moved to Pasadena, California.

OLIVER Q. CLAFLIN

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Kansas Beta, Washburn College

*Electrically equipped . . .*

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*Phiikeias:* Forest Bearg, John Callahan, Edward Chapman, John Eggen, Dwight Haney, Charles Joss, John McCullough, Hugh McKenna, Keith Quail,

Leslie Rollins, Robert Tietze, Howard Ware, Albert Wilson.

*Initiates:* November 8, 1931: Robert Grove, Arthur J. Carruth, III.

*Chapter House Improvements:* A new frigidaire and an electric gridulator have been installed in the kitchen of the chapter house. The Mothers' Club had the furniture in the smoking room repaired.

*Campus Activities:* Osborne has been elected president of the chapel choir and is also a member of the quartet. Adams, Coble, and Bowman are members of the college glee club. Coates is pianist for the college orchestra. Flick and Wilson lettered in football, both playing tackle. Phiikeias Tietze and Eggen are out for basketball. Adams, Cofer, Fleming, and McArthur and Phiikeia Wilson are out for swimming. Sellards has qualified for Press Club and McArthur has retained his membership. Adams and McArthur are members of Spanish Club.

*Chapter Visitors:* Latney Barnes, traveling secretary, visited Kansas Beta and gave the chapter valuable criticisms.

*Alumni Personals:* Faulkner, '28, has been appointed County Engineer of Greenwood county.

SHELDON MCARTHUR

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Kentucky Alpha-Delta, Centre College

*Freshman debater .*

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*Phiikeias:* Martin Sweets, Louisville.

*Initiates:* December 1: Charles E. Lancaster, Jr.

*Chapter House Improvements:* A new stove and other needed appliances have been purchased for the kitchen. The lower floor has been redecorated and handsome draperies have been purchased for the windows.

*Campus Activities:* Forrest Morgan and Henry Taylor played prominent rôles in "Dulcy," a recent production of the Centre College Players. Anderson and Lancaster did nice work on the varsity football team this past season. Phiikeia Manning is on the Centre debating team. Phiikeia Kelly is out for freshman basketball. Davis has been elected to X B  $\Phi$ , national scientific fraternity.

*Social Activities:* The chapter will give its annual formal on January 15.

*Chapter Visitors:* Henry Faurest, '28; Gerald McMurtry, '29; Les Long, '29; Harry Alexander, '28; Logan Patterson, '30; Arch Rollins, '30; Jimmie Wilson, '31.

*Alumni Personals:* The Rev. Mr. Harry Alexander, pastor of the First Presbyterian Church at Carlyle, Ky., spoke in chapel on December 14.

W. BURFORD DAVIS

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Kentucky Epsilon, University of Kentucky

*President of seniors . . .*

*Initiates:* October 25: Miles Davis, Ed Carvel, and John Redmon.

*Campus Activities:* Edwin Humphries was elected president of the senior class. Jack Robey was appointed associate editor of the *Kentuckian*, the University annual. Schuler and Davis were runners up in the intramural two-ball foursomes. The team entered in the intramural cross-country received a cup for second place. Phikeia Hunt has been doing well on the freshman football team. Phikeia Phil Ardery is leading the pledges in campus activities. He has made the debating team; is a Stroller eligible, and is a reporter on the *Kernel* staff.

*Chapter Visitors:* Fred Gross, '31; Cabbel Owens, '31; Joe Chenault, '31; Wheat Hughes. WINSTON B. ARDERY

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Manitoba Alpha, University of Manitoba

*First birthday party . . .*

*Phikeias:* Howard Bickford, Benito; Claude Partridge, Carnduff, Saskatchewan; Robert McCulloch, Souris.

*Initiates:* Oct. 13: J. S. McDiarmid, J. H. Wiley, W. Iverson, E. W. Hawkins, and J. E. Thompson.

*Chapter House Improvements:* The chapter has purchased a grand piano by Bluttner of Leipzig, Germany. New chairs have been provided for the study rooms, and chinaware has been replenished by the proceeds of the fall informal.

*Campus Activities:* The Manitoba rugby squad was runner-up for the Western Canada Intercollegiate title having won all games till the last one when it was defeated by the University of British Columbia, 4-3. Lane and Litch starred on the Western tour of the squad. Phikeia Irvine is on the reporting staff of the *Manitoban*, the student newspaper. Ted Hawkins starred on the United Colleges soccer team which won the interfaculty championship. Finsness

on the engineers' team and MacPherson on the medical team, also distinguished themselves.

*Social Activities:* An informal pledge party was held in the house on October 24. The fall informal was held in the house on November 14. The house was decorated for the occasion as a Persian rug market. North Dakota Alpha and Ontario Alpha were represented by members at the party. A banquet was held in the Tudor banquet hall of the Fort Garry Hotel in honor of the initiates and commemorating the first anniversary of the installation of Manitoba Alpha.

*Chapter Visitors:* R. A. Irwin, Toronto, '31; Lynn G. Grimson, Bill Harris, and Dwight Kundert, North Dakota. Latney Barnes, Traveling Secretary, visited the chapter October 14 to 17. R. A. Emerson, Manitoba '30.

S. A. MACDOUGALL

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Maryland Alpha, University of Maryland

*Another first birthday . . .*

*Phikeias:* John Fisher, Washington, D.C.; Paul Bauer, William Karow, John Stafford, Jean Ferguson, and F. F. Freeland, Baltimore; Jack Horner, William Gentner, Jr., Pierce Michael, Robert Thomas, William Lowe, and Samuel Brooks, Washington, D.C.; Arthur Laney, Jr., Cumberland; William Bozman, Oriole; W. L. Thompson, Rehobeth; E. E. Nichols, Jr., Pikesville; R. A. Bryant, Takoma Park; H. D. Knotts, Jr., Chestertown; W. D. Welsh, Hyattsville.

*Initiates:* October 31: John W. Neidhardt and Denzel E. Davis, Baltimore; John D. Gleichman, Cumberland; Parke L. King, Germantown; Arnold W. Smoot, Galestown; Samuel M. Mills, Hebron; Harvey F. Connick, Washington, D.C.

*Chapter House Improvements:* The halls on the second and third floors have been painted and a new hot water heater has been installed.

*Campus Activities:* William Kriker is president of O Δ K, president of A Z, vice-president of Π Δ E, and treasurer of the Footlight Club, Arnold Smoot has been pledged T B II and is secretary of the Engineering Society. John W. Streett is vice-president of the Engineering Society. Charles Rittenhouse is treasurer of the sophomore class. Richard

Baldwin is associate editor of the *Diamondback*. Tom Duley has just completed a successful season as tackle on the varsity football squad. Earl Edwards is scrubbing for manager of basketball. Harry Carroll is scrubbing for business manager of the *Reveille*, and Orville Watkins is scrubbing for editor of the *Diamondback*. James Stevenson is president of the Livestock Club.

*Social Activities:* A banquet was held November 11 at the chapter house to celebrate the first anniversary of the founding of Maryland Alpha. A house party and dance was held during homecoming week-end; many alumni attended and it proved to be quite a success. A unique feature was the annual fall  $\Phi \Delta \Theta$  fox hunt. Stevenson, master of the hounds, organized a party and set out on the chase. Everyone entered into the spirit of the occasion. On November 19 we had the pleasure of entertaining Major and Mrs. Gillem and Miss Adele Stamp, Dean of Women.

*Chapter Visitors:* Arthur R. Priest, Executive Secretary of  $\Phi \Delta \Theta$ , Milo Summers, *Lombard*; Charles Ostertag, *Syracuse*; James Zimmerman, *Wabash*; William Burruss, *Missouri*; Harold McEntee, *Cincinnati*; Harold Lyon, *Wabash*; J. D. Kieffer, '30; Ritche Taylor, '26; Madison Lloyd, '30; Harry Hess, Jr., '31; Richard Rasch, '28; Robert Beall, '31; Edward Hudson, '30; Eugene Creed, Jr., '29; Howard Mays, '31; Edmund Brower, '31; Douglas Parkes; Douglas Waesche; George Matheke, '30; Wilbur Jones, '31; E. Ruppert, Jr., '20; Ernest Haines, '30.

*Alumni Personals:* Madison Lloyd, '30, is a salesman for the Govans Motor Company in Baltimore. Harry Hess, Jr., is associated with the Standard Oil Company in Baltimore.

NORMAN E. PRINCE

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Massachusetts Alpha, Williams College

*Many activities . . .*

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*Phikeias:* Theron Batchelder, Jack W. Clarke, Alan T. Johnson, John C. Lasher, Franklin C. Loranger, Henry W. Peterson, Gregory Perkins, Robert M. Potter, Lawrence D. Rockwell, Stacey Simpson, Gordon Shepard, Kimball Stevenson, Whitney S. Stoddard, Robert E. Wise.

*Chapter House Improvements:* Water pitchers re-silvered, also the salt and pepper service. Front steps re-set and re-cemented.

*Campus Activities:* Stoddard was manager of soccer. Ebeling was awarded a letter for varsity football, Van Sant for varsity soccer. Phikeia Potter was awarded numerals for freshman football. Gagliardi won the fall college open golf championship. Monier, Gagliardi, and Sincere are out for varsity basketball, while Titus, Gaulee, and DeMallie are out for varsity wrestling, and Reeves and Van Sant are playing varsity hockey. Mason is manager of swimming. Stoddard, Mason, Winner, Vaill, Stobbs, and Phikeias Stoddard and Wise are on the college Glee Club. Middendorf and Stubbs are out for the competition for varsity basketball manager. Allen is out for the competition for varsity hockey manager. Tarbor and Ebeling are out for the Forum competition. Phikeias Peterson, Wise, and Clarke are in the competition for business manager of the *Williams Record*. Van Sant, president of *Williams* chapter of  $\Delta \Sigma \Pi$ , opened the 1931-32 debating season by participating in a debate against the faculty. Van Sant as president of the Classical Society opened the first meeting of the year. Cameron is an active member of this organization. Ebeling is an active participant in the Little Theater bills.

*Chapter Visitors:* Hugh Southgate, '31; John Gibson, '31; Robert Crane, '31; Seldon Hadley, ex-'32; Richard Pace, ex-'32; Wyllys Newcomb, '31; Richard Ely, '30; Preston Watters, '29; Herbert Eaton, '28.

G. VAN SANT

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Michigan Alpha, University of Michigan  
*Prom chairmanship . . .*

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*Phikeia:* Thomas D. Coleman, Egbertsville, N.Y.

*Campus Activities:* Wistert, tackle, and Cantrill, guard, were awarded gold footballs as letter men on the football team which tied for the Western Conference championship. Petrie and Strate-meier were initiated into Sphinx, honorary junior class society. Petrie is playing regular forward on the basketball team, and is also on the athletic committee of the junior class. Fiske has been appointed assistant football manager.

McGavran is chairman of the sophomore Prom committee. Phil Klein is out for basketball manager.

*Chapter Visitors:* Lewis A. Hayner, '33; Howard E. Kennedy, '26.

*Alumni Personals:* Elmore S. Pettyjohn, '18, professor of gas analysis in the engineering school, has been installed as our new chapter adviser. Brother Pettyjohn has taken a great deal of active interest in the affairs of the chapter during the last few years and it is felt that he is well suited to fill the difficult position of adviser because of his close contacts with the men in the chapter and the respect they hold for him.

WILLIAM H. HARRIS

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Michigan Beta, Michigan State College

*House finished and furnished . . .*

*Phikeias:* George Porter, Dick Porter, Richmond Williams, Jack Booth, Willis Hirt, George Underwood, Robert Ayres, John Stringer, Charles Whitney, B. Rudy, Donald Krusel.

*Chapter House Improvements:* The new house is completed and the furniture is on its way.

*Campus Activities:* Frank Conover was elected vice-president of the Student Council, and appointed athletic representative of the student body. Horton Stickle was elected treasurer of Blue Key. Ray Mix, one of our leading journalists, is sports writer for the *State News*. Phikeias Robinson, McKibben, and Farley were awarded numerals for freshman football. McCaslin and Barnard are performing very well on the varsity basketball squad. Conover and McCaslin were recently initiated into the Varsity Club. Nelson appointed circulation manager of the *State News*. Linder is chairman of the music committee for the J-Hop. Fahrney is appointed representative to the Interfraternity Council. Long, who broke numerous swimming records as a freshman, is now starring on the varsity.

*Social Activities:* We have had two informal open houses, and are planning our formal housewarming soon.

*Alumni Personals:* James H. Kimball, Michigan State, '95, has been visiting a sister in Lansing for the past month.

Michigan State College has recently obtained a Class A rating, and has been

admitted to the American Association of Colleges and Universities.

ARTHUR LAWRENCE

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Minnesota Alpha, University of Minnesota

*Miami Triad functions . . .*

*Phikeias:* Charles Reif, Minneapolis; George Champlin, Cresco, Iowa.

*Initiates:* November 29: Maurice F. Pontius, Harold S. Carlsen.

*Campus Activities:* Rochard Morean was elected president of the senior class in the College of Science, Literature, and the Arts, and is one of two candidates for the all-senior presidency. William Morse was assistant chairman of the University Homecoming committee. Roy Oen, Gerald Griffin, and Phikeia George Champlin are all receiving letters for their work in football this fall. Cliff Somer, Vergil ("Heavy") Licht, and Glenn Bethel are out for basketball and have been playing on the first team. George Otterness, *Minnesota*, '30, is acting as assistant coach of the basketball team. Robert Stuebing, cadet major in the R.O.T.C., and president of the local chapter of Scabbard and Blade, was sixth in line in the grand march at the military ball, December 4.

*Social Activities:* The Miami Triad smoker was held on the evening of November 23. Guests were members of B Θ II and Σ X. Friday, November 26, the annual Miami Triad dance took place at the Interlachen Country Club. Nels Stalheim, social chairman, represented the chapter on the arrangements committee for both functions. Under the auspices of the rushing committee a smoker was held November 30. Many Twin City alumni attended.

*Chapter Visitors:* Bill Benedickson, *Manitoba*, visited the chapter while in the Twin Cities to debate St. Thomas College. Larry Warren, *Oregon State*, was a guest at the house while attending the national convention of Σ Δ X, journalistic fraternity. James W. Fesler, *Franklin-Indiana*, '87, visited the chapter during the convention of the national association of regents of state universities.

*Alumni Personals:* Perry Dean of Minneapolis, *Minnesota*, '16, has been appointed chapter adviser by B. V. Moore, Province President. Winfred

Brockmeyer, *Minnesota*, '31, captain of the varsity football team last year, and a player in the east-west game at San Francisco, was married Thanksgiving Day to Helen Date of Mankato. They will live at Fergus Falls where Brockmeyer coaches the Fergus Falls high school football team.

JAMES W. FESLER, II

Mississippi Alpha, University of Mississippi

*Highest in scholarship . . .*

*Officers:* Frank Everett, president; Byrd Truly, warden; Fred M. Glass, reporter; George Ray, treasurer; T. C. Lockard, secretary; Yandell Frasier, chorister; Robert Bourdeaux, historian; George Everett, chaplain.

*Phikeia:* Douglas Nash, Jackson, Miss.

*Campus Activities:* Mississippi Alpha achieved the highest honor in the way of scholarship that is obtainable on the "Ole Miss" campus when it was announced by the faculty committee on fraternities that  $\Phi \Delta \Theta$  had the highest scholastic record of the sixteen national fraternities on the campus for the past year. Although we have always been near the top this is the first time that the local chapter has carried away first honors. Mississippi Alpha greatly appreciated the letter of commendation from national headquarters. Continuing its long string of campus activities, Mississippi Alpha has added quite a few more since the publication of the last issue of THE SCROLL. Frank Everett pledged  $\Phi \Delta \Phi$ , legal fraternity. Fred Glass was initiated into T K A, national forensic fraternity, and Hugh Potts was initiated into  $\Delta \Sigma \Phi$ , national commercial fraternity. Byrd Truly was elected to Blue Key. When the final selections for the Glee Club were announced just before the Christmas holidays the names of George Everett, Douglas Nash, and Dave Frasier appeared on the list. Ford, Glass, Bourdeaux, Smythe, and Truly are out for the varsity debating team. Evon Ford is serving as librarian at the Law School. Mississippi Alpha was well represented on both the varsity and freshman squads during the past season. L. A. Ross continued his fine play on the varsity squad and led the team to a decisive victory over Mississippi A. and M. on Thanksgiving. This was his third season as

quarterback and he will be greatly missed when the candidates report next fall. Dick Hayes, playing his first season as a contender for a varsity berth, saw a great deal of service and is a strong contender for a tackle position next year. Chester Curtis proved the outstanding star of the freshman squad. His flashy, broken field running and his fine defensive work made him the mainstay of the frosh backfield. He starred in the game with the Louisiana frosh when he scored the winning touchdown, and in the game with the Mississippi Aggie frosh when he scored every point in the 13-12 victory of the local frosh squad. Wilburn Hooker capably served as freshman football manager and as a result of his fine showing was promoted to sophomore manager for next year. Frank Everett was chosen as chairman of the interfraternity dance committee.

*Social Activities:* Mississippi Alpha entertained at the Tea Hound, "Ole Miss" social mecca, during the early part of December in honor of its new pledges and alumni on the faculty. Among those present were Chancellor J. N. Powers, Judge Stone Deavors, dean of the School of Law, and "Chuck" Smaling, *Stanford*, '30, coach.

*Chapter Visitors:* Quite a number of alumni were on the campus for the "Ole Miss"-A. and M. game Thanksgiving. Among those present were Hugh Clayton, Millard Bailey, and William Bailey, chapter adviser, all of Memphis, Tenn.; John Fair, Louisville, Ky.; Percy DeLoach, Greenwood; J. S. Foose, Tchula; and Robert Somerville, Cleveland.

FRED M. GLASS

Missouri Alpha, University of Missouri

*Many honoraries represented . . .*

*Campus Activities:* Phikeia Will L. Nelson has been named to junior five of  $\Phi \beta \kappa$ . Tom Wallace has been initiated to  $\Phi \eta \Sigma$ , freshman honorary scholastic fraternity. Howard Flentge was awarded a minor football letter. Phikeias Chorn, Reed, and Murray were awarded freshman football numerals. Harold Kline was elected president of the College of Arts and Sciences, largest division of the university. Harrison has been appointed major in the R.O.T.C. and M. Little named ranking captain. Phi-

keia Fellows was recently initiated into Scabbard and Blade. Enloe has a major part in the annual journalism show. Beachy and Phikeia Payne have been initiated into A K Ψ. Phikeias Million, Parks, and Burnett have been accepted by the Pershing Rifles, crack drill unit of the R.O.T.C. Allee has been made first sergeant of the same company, and was recently made a member of Stripes and Diamonds, sergeants' organization, as were Ed Jenkins and Phikeia Foster. Norton was elected to K T A. Suddath was pledged to Δ Φ Δ. Bill Burton has been pledged to Φ B II Phikeia Winter was initiated into Σ Δ X. Little was awarded the university medal for efficiency in camp last summer. Reading was selected to fill one of the sophomore seats on the Student Senate.

*Social Activities:* Missouri Alpha gave three dances last fall. The first, honoring the pledges, was October 4. The second was in honor of the alumni at Homecoming, November 13. The third was a Christmas party given the evening of December 4. The chapter also entertained the Phi Delt mothers with a reception and formal dinner on the week-end of November 7. This is an annual affair and is one of the highlights of the Columbia social season.

*Chapter Visitors:* Many alumni of Missouri Alpha have visited the chapter house during the past two months. Among them are Russell Dearthmont, Byron Spencer, Bud Barada, Paul Kraus, "Bottles" Burris, Wes MacAfee, Bud Shepherd, Charles Carson, and others too numerous to mention.

W. H. HARRISON

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Missouri Beta, Westminster College

*Entertaining Oxomians . . .*

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*Initiates:* December 12: William T. Miller, Jr., Webster Groves.

*Campus Activities:* R. Acuff, captain of last year's team, and Phikeia Wright are out for basketball. The chapter ranks first in intramural athletics, with a second in indoor baseball and a first in volleyball; and at the present time a first in swimming. Vaughan ranked second in debate tryouts, and Reeves, Mow, Todd, and Phikeias Dick and Miller placed on the squad. S. Gordon won the college Peace Oratorical Contest, and

also had the title lead in the college dramatic club's play, "Mr. Lazarus."

*Social Activities:* The chapter entertained Dads and Grads on November 7 at a buffet luncheon given at the chapter house, preceding the Homecoming football game. The chapter gave a bowery dance at the chapter house November 14. The Oxford debate team were guests at dinner November 20.

*Chapter Visitors:* J. L. Sloss, '89; E. McClintick, '97; F. N. Gordon, '98; C. F. Lamkin, '99; Charles Reddy, '10; R. L. Andree, '15; Jack Frost, '25; Harvey Salmon, '26; G. B. Sweazey, '27; Bradford Haley, '28; C. F. Lamkin, Jr., '29; Henry Lamkin, '30; Peyton Talbott, '31; Alvin Howell, '31; Sydney Maughs, '31; Hart Robnett, '31; Ray Holman, '31; Richard Edwards, '31; Robert Berentz, '30; Arvid Owsly, '33; Stanley Stuart, '33; and R. B. Thompson, '33.

*Alumni Personals:* Charles Lamkin, Jr., '29, and Harry Jones, '33, are attending Washington University where they are active in debate. James McCoy, '32, is swimming instructor at the K.C.A.C. Peyton Talbott, '31, is in Los Angeles trying for a place in the Los Angeles Athletic Club.

TERRELL VAUGHAN

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Missouri Gamma, Washington University

*Officers and officers . . .*

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*Phikeia:* Richard Knight, Savannah, Ga.

*Campus Activities:* Schoenthaler was awarded a letter in varsity football. Rankin was elected president of Lock and Chain, sophomore honorary. Pratt and Ledbetter were initiated into Thur-tene, junior honorary. Bickle and Schoenthaler are on the varsity basketball squad. Phikeias Miltonberger, Piquet, Blank, Curtis, and Dewep are on the freshman basketball squad. Phikeias McDougall, Keorner, and Curtis were awarded freshman football numerals. England was elected sergeant-at-arms of the senior class. Carlyle was elected vice-president of the senior law class, Jones president of the junior law class, and Chapman a member of the Law Council. Ledbetter is a member of the Athletic Council. Lamkin and Jones represented Washington University in a debate with the visiting Oxford Univer-

sity team. The chapter is still holding first place in intramural activities. Ledbetter and Phikeia Knight have leading parts in the annual Quadrangle Club musical production. Stoffer has been appointed stage manager and Curtis property man for this show.

*Social Activities:* The chapter entertained with a homecoming dance on November 13, for which occasion the house was attractively decorated as an old English inn. The annual Christmas party was held December 17 at the chapter house.

*Chapter Visitors:* Latney Barnes, traveling secretary, paid a short visit to the chapter.  
JOE Y. LEDBETTER

Montana Alpha, University of Montana

*Debating with Turkey . . .*

*Initiates:* Fred Compton, Helena; Loren Soenke, Pipestone, Minn.

*Chapter House Improvements:* Mothers' Club presented chapter with a large tapestry for the living room.

*Campus Activities:* Patterson is one of the four Montana men trying out for the Rhodes scholarship, having completed a major in foreign languages and at present attending the School of Law. Montana Alpha received this honor in 1930, when "Kelly" Skeels was given the scholarship. Bell was appointed as one of the library assistants for 1931-32. "Billy" Burke was elected manager of the A.S.U.M., and is also yell king for the year. Compton has been appointed as one of the assistant editors of the 1932 year book, and is also serving as sports editor of the *Kaimin*. Sonstelié was a member of the debate team which recently met a team sent here from Turkey. For the second consecutive year, Curt Barnes is the author of the prize winning manuscript for *Hi-Jinx*, a production put on yearly by the University Students. Barnes has also been author of the prize winning Varsity Vodvil acts which Montana Alpha has won for the past four successive years. Fitzgerald, Phikeias Hawkins, Barnes, Jeffrey, and Baldwin are members of the university band, and Phikeias Rutherford and Dickel are in the men's glee club. Among this year's Bearpaws, sophomore honorary organization, are Erickson, Fox, and Bell, and honorary members Babcock,

Caven, and Reynolds. Erickson was elected left paw. Phikeias Duncan, Moulton, and Manis took part in the major production in dramatics, Manis and Moulton playing leading rôles. Curtis was initiated into  $\Sigma \Delta X$ , and Holstrum into  $\Phi A$ . Of the 22 varsity letters awarded in football for the season, Montana Alpha received eight. These men are: Cox, fullback; Peterson, tackle; Boone, quarter; Breen, center; Dahlberg, end; Reynolds, guard, Crow-



CURTIS BARNES  
Montana

ley, quarter; Caven, half. Peterson and Caven were given all-state positions on the Associated Press football eleven. Captain Lockwood, Caven, Dahlberg, Bill Erickson, Fitzgerald, Thompson, and Reynolds, are among the men out for varsity basketball. Phikeias Sayatovich and J. Brown are out for the frosh squad.

*Social Activities:* A Mothers' Club tea was given at the chapter house December 5, at which all the local mothers attended, and discussed plans for future activities. A fireside was given by the chapter December 4.

*Chapter Visitors:* Gordon Ronglien, '29; Roger Deeney, ex-'24; "Blacky" '19; Bill Strong, '21; Francis Davenport, Cornell; Kenneth Davenport, Cornell; A. H. Veeder, Wibaux, Mont.; Lloyd Williamson, Tacoma, Wash.; Mac Johnson, '30; Latney Barnes, Traveling Secretary.

*Alumni Personals:* Bill Strong, '22, a successful landscape gardener in New York and Long Island, passed through

Missoula recently on a tour of the U.S. and Europe. Edward F. Orr, ex-'28, was married September 26, in California. John F. Patterson, '20, is president of the Montana Alumni Association. Frederick Veeder, '31, is attending the School of Social Science Administration at the University of Chicago, and is also working with the Joint Service Bureau there. Allan Burke, '30, is attending the university studying for a master's degree in history.

W. E. DEENEY

Nebraska Alpha, University of Nebraska

*Campus officers . . .*

*Campus Activities:* Phikeia Weekes and Brother Houck were recently initiated into the Dramatic Club. Vogt is president of the Dramatic Club and Baker is sergeant-at-arms. Baker and Mathew have been going out for the swimming team and they have good chances for success. Lau was chairman of the decoration committee for the military ball, and Jack was chairman of the publicity committee. The interfraternity basketball team has been having fair success, winning three out of five games played this season.

*Social Activities:* A fall party was held November 20 at the Cornhusker Hotel. Invitations were sent to members of the other fraternities on the campus. The alumni were entertained at the house for a smoker, November 18. There was a good turnout of the Lincoln alumni. The Lincoln mothers were entertained at the house for dinner on December 9. The regular Christmas party is being planned for December 19.

*Chapter Visitors:* Latney Barnes, Traveling Secretary, was with us for three days. Bill Neumarker, *Colorado College*, is staying with us while he is working here in Lincoln.

R. H. LAU

New York Beta, Union University

*Unemployment service . . .*

*Campus Activities:* New York Beta has started the interfraternity competition for this year by winning both the fall track meet and the touch football trophies. The track meet was won by ½

point from the Psi U's while the touch football team had an undefeated season, winning in the finals, 21-16. Dill, Brooks, and Higgins are playing on the varsity basketball team; Dill is this year's captain. Smith, Parker, Barna, and Griffith are also on the varsity squad. Phikeias Gain, Davis, and Moffett are on the freshman team. Dill and Higgins are on the junior prom committee. Flince is in one of the leading rôles of the Mountebanks production as well as being a candidate for manager of the *Garnet*, the junior year book, and for manager of basketball. Corwin is assistant manager of freshman basketball. W. Griffith is out for manager of track. English was elected to  $\Pi \Delta E$ , national journalistic fraternity.

*Social Activities:* The house held its annual fall dance after the last home football game with Rochester. Mrs. Garis, wife of the Dean of Students, and members of the Ladies' Auxiliary were instrumental in the success of both the tea dance and formal at night and the brothers are very grateful for their aid. The mothers also held a card party at the house which was very well attended. The receipts from these parties are used by the mothers as they see fit in serving the needs of the house.

*Chapter Visitors:* The football season has seen the usual large number of alumni in attendance at the games and renewing old acquaintances at the house. The unemployed alumni of the class of 1931 are also very much in evidence.

FRANK S. HIGGINS

New York Delta, Columbia University

*Fencing managers . . .*

*Phikeias:* Patrick Loughlin, New York City; Robert Young, Ohio.

*Initiates:* November 7: Montgomery B. Oscanyan, Begota, N.J.; William H. Marshall, New Rochelle.

*Campus Activities:* Our campus activities of December are almost the same as those of the two previous months. Phikeias Young and Loughlin have been active this fall, the former as drummer of the band while the latter was a member of the freshman football team. Edward Magennis and George Packard represent us in the literary fields and Monty Oscanyan continues his humor column in *Spectator*. The com-

ing fencing season will see Kumpitch and Makepeace active as manager and assistant manager respectively. Wimmer is out for swimming again.

*Social Activities:* The chapter held two dances this fall, one on the 28th of November and the other on the 11th of December; the second took place in the grill room of the Hotel Governor Clinton. Also several informal parties were given for rushing purposes. A New Year's Eve party is being planned which should be the highlight of our social activities this year. George Bowles, last year's president, pleasantly surprised the chapter by getting married.

*Chapter Visitors:* Frank J. R. Mitchell visited us and presented to the house several decks of playing cards. Traveling Secretary Mark Bradford visited and told us of the national Fraternity in other parts of the United States.

LEWELLYN C. WIMMER

New York Epsilon, Syracuse University

*Eighteen pledges . . .*

*Phikeias:* Fred Gardineer, Albany; Eugene Anthony, Moravia; Henry Mowery, Wapwallopin, Pa.; Roger Waugh, Rochester; James Brownell, Pulaski; Stanley Smitten, Lynbrook; James Munro, Camillus; Walter Cary, Syracuse; William Lundigan, Syracuse; Wyatt Lighton, Syracuse; Gilbert Voorhees, Corona; Victor Vogelbacker, Clark Summit, Pa.; Charles Devlin, Lynbrook; Karl Brauer, Syracuse; George MacDonald Bell, Johnson City; Oliver Erhardt, Syracuse; Harold Goodling, Lockport; Douglas Housenick, Bloomsburg, Pa.

*Chapter House Improvements:* The boys washed the outside of the house when they returned to school in the fall. The mothers' auxiliary purchased three bridge lamps and one table lamp out of the proceeds of last year's card parties. The upper halls have been painted a light color. The dining room has been re-decorated. All the outside porches have also been treated to a new coat of paint.

*Campus Activities:* Phikeias L. Munro and Housenick are scrubbing for assistant managerships of cross-country and basketball respectively. Phikeia Mowery is a member of the frosh football squad. Phikeia J. Munro is freshman cheer

leader. Phikeia Harvath was prevented from holding down a regular line job on the varsity by an untimely injury in practice. Elmore is production manager of Tambourine and Bones. Blain is treasurer of T. and B.; also senior executive committee. Mckaig and Butterworth are active in Corpse and Coffin, honorary junior society.

*Social Activities:* The pledge dance the first social occasion of the current year, was held at the house the evening of November 24. The alumni banquet in the form of a smoker was held on the date of the Colgate game, November 14. A pledge banquet was held early in the season.

*Chapter Visitors:* J. H. Kirkpatrick, *Penn State*; Bill Emerson, '15; John B. Hewitt, *Penn State*; Robert Taylor, *Ohio Wesleyan*, '31; Phikeia Lynch, *Ohio Wesleyan*; Brother Smith and wife of Kansas City, class of '01; O. A. Feltow, '29, Philadelphia, Pa.

*Alumni Personals:* The Syracuse alumni club holds luncheon every Monday with a good turnout of city alumni.

J. RAYMOND BUTTERWORTH

New York Zeta, Colgate University

*Alumni association gift . . .*

*Phikeias:* Richard S. Buell, '34, Ithaca; Clifford H. Arthur, Jr., Hempstead; John N. Johns, East Orange, N.J.; William C. Stritzinger, Norristown, Pa.

*Chapter House Improvements:* A new set of furniture for the living room has been obtained through the alumni association of the chapter. This includes a divan and six easy chairs. The appearance of the hallway has also been greatly improved by the addition of several chairs and a table to its furnishings.

*Campus Activities:* Reynolds and Evans again received letters for varsity football at the Varsity "C" Banquet, while Phikeia Kuk was rewarded with his class numerals for freshman football, Acropolis with a letter in basketball, Reynolds and Lacey with track letters, Kowal with a golf letter, Ashley and Ravel with lacrosse letters, Hamblen with a fencing letter, and Reynolds with a letter for wrestling. Tredwell was rewarded with a ring as manager of freshman cross-country. Numerals were given to Flaitze for basketball, Stritzinger for lacrosse, Foster for scrubbing

baseball, and Beers for scrubbing track. Meyers is an assistant manager of varsity basketball. Holmes is a member of the executive committee and of the glee club. Merkt is out for varsity swimming. Philp and Lacey are on the Panhellenic Council. Beers is on the editorial staff of the *Maroon*. Vaughan is on the business staff of both the *Maroon* and the *Salmagundi* and is manager of winter intramural sports. Case is scrubbing both these publications, and is a member of the freshman glee club. J. Breed is scrubbing track and is also on the freshman glee club. Thompson, Cahill, and Kuk are on the freshman basketball squad. Weikel is on the freshman glee club. Vaughan and Buell are on the sophomore vigilance committee and the latter is also vice-president of the sophomore class. Both the upper and lower class basketball teams have been undefeated to date in the intramural competition. The house representatives in intramural swimming, handball, squash, indoor track, and hockey have also done well in the few games or matches held so far this season.

*Chapter Visitors:* Reed Alvord, '31; Elliot Berger, ex-'32; Ed Socha, '24; Ed Goode, '26; and Robert Kern, '31.

THOMAS A. WEATHERLEY

North Carolina Alpha, Duke University

\$2,000,000 chapel . . .

*Initiates:* October 19: Robert Brist. November 29: James Fowler.

*Chapter House Improvements:* The chapter room has been rearranged and changed by the house committee. New pictures, including those of past chapters at this university, and a set of new chandeliers have been purchased. The house has been attractively decorated for the open houses held after games this year and is now ready for Christmas with a tree and other decorations.

*Campus Activities:* North Carolina Alpha had four sophomores on this year's football team. Weaver, Crawford, Means, and Hendrickson were regulars on the squad, Crawford being placed on the all-state team at end. Phikeias Coleman, E. B. Dunlap, and J. Dunlap played on the freshman football team which captured the state title this year for the third time. Patten, McLean, Lawyer, and Ewell are to swim in the first

meet of the year. Fackler seems to be slated for one of the diving positions on the frosh swimming squad. Coombs was initiated into Toombs, honorary junior and senior athletic order. B  $\Omega$   $\Sigma$ , honorary sophomore athletic fraternity, awards four keys to prominent members of the sophomore class. Weaver won the key for leadership and Hendrickson won one for the outstanding man in athletics. Both of these men are also members of the order. Horne and Weaver should make the varsity basketball squad this year, while Phikeias Bell and Leake are out for the freshman team. Herbert is one of the freshman managers. The interfraternity basketball team lost by one point to  $\Sigma$  A E. Stith, Martin, Ewell, Edwards, Howell, Cochran, J. Dunlap, and Davis are fighting on the interfraternity boxing team. Bortorf, Edwards, Crawford, and others are entered in the interfraternity wrestling tournament. Edwards should make the freshman wrestling team this term. Jim Fowler, Mike Herbert, Courtney, and E. B. Dunlap are on the Glee Club trip 'touring' the state. Under the leadership of President Pope, the chapter has undergone a complete internal organization and is getting along splendidly. At the weekly freshman meetings we have been entertained by several prominent speakers, including Deans Herring and Russell and several others. These speeches are to be continued as often as practical. Due to the freshman coaching system and study halls the freshman scholarship average has risen since the beginning of the year.

*Social Activities:* The chapter has held open house after all home games this year. The cabin party which was to have been held this month has been postponed due to the great number of social activities before the holidays.

*Chapter Visitors:* Robert E. Haas; Joseph M. Clark, *Vanderbilt*, '16; Major Armstrong, *Columbia*; Hoover Taft, '30.

Three new fraternities have been installed at Duke this year.  $\Sigma$  A E,  $\Sigma$  N, and  $\Delta$  T  $\Delta$  have all had their formal installation this fall.

The new two million dollar chapel on the new campus is nearing completion and will be used for commencement this spring. This nearly completes the unit of buildings planned for the new university and will be the largest one of the group. It is in the Gothic architecture

which predominates on the men's campus and is the center of the campus.

GEORGE EWELL, JR.

North Carolina Gamma, Davidson College

Four student assistants . . .

*Chapter House Improvements:* The chapter has placed an order for a new electric pin to hang in the chapter room and to be used at Panhellenic dances.

*Campus Activities:* Bryce Robinson and his "Sunnyland Seranaders" are playing for quite a number of dances, with J. A. C. Robinson at his regular place in the "sax" section. Phikeia J. A. C. Robinson is also a member of the college glee club. Brannon was recently elected to membership in O Δ K, national honorary leadership fraternity, and Stevenson to Σ T. Stevenson, as editor of the chapter publication, *The Javelin*, has just put out a very commendable issue. McGehee and Lafferty have answered the call for the varsity basketball squad. At present, the chapter has four student assistants: Stevenson, economics; Guerrant, Bible; Hawkins, history; and McKnight, Spanish. Phikeia Dupuy made his freshman numerals in football, playing at the fullback position. McKnight was elected president of the local chapter of Σ Δ Π, national honorary Spanish fraternity recently installed at the school.

*Social Activities:* The chapter spent a most enjoyable week-end during October when the annual homecoming party was held. All are now looking forward to the mid-winter dances to be held in January. These dances are sponsored by the Panhellenic Council and music is to be furnished by Tal Henry.

*Chapter Visitors:* L. C. Roberts, '30; Parker, '26; H. W. White, '30; Goodson, '31; Norton, '32.

WILLIAM A. MCKNIGHT

North Dakota Alpha, University of  
North Dakota

Rating with the sororities . . .

*Phikeia:* Cal Branton, Wilmar, Minn.

*Chapter House Improvements:* The hell-room, Ruidert's and Dablow's rooms have all been calcimined by their respective members. The house is furnishing

the calcimine and the boys are doing the handiwork. We hope to have all the bedrooms done over by spring.

*Campus Activities:* Gordon Dablow was elected captain of the 1932 football team. G. Dablow, R. Dablow, Richmond, Revell, and Phikeia Knauf all received varsity letters in football. G. Dablow, R. Dablow, Mullen, and Smith are out for varsity basketball. Phikeias Stephen, Rife, Knutson, Olson, and Weibler are out for frosh basketball and all show great promise. Nordmarken, F. Traynor, Grimson, and Peterson all had parts in the recent Playmaker production "R.U.R." Peterson and Phikeia Barrickman were elected to K K Ψ, national honorary band fraternity. D. Traynor was elected to membership in Blue Key. Phikeia Fields was appointed as one of three freshmen to act on a committee in charge of elections in the freshman class. George Blain is up for sophomore class presidency. Argue is again out for his position on the rifle team. The house basketball team is fast rounding into shape under the capable management of Mullen. Eynon was elected secretary and treasurer of the Mystic Order of Oil Can, an honorary engineering fraternity. Richmond, Purcell, and Phikeia Knauf were elected as members of this order. Revell received the Ruud Scholarship prize which is offered to the athlete who is most representative in athletics and who has a high scholastic standing at the end of his sophomore year. Wartner was elected president of the freshman law class. Φ Δ Θ won the house decorations during Homecoming for the first time in its history. F. Traynor was elected as one of the cheerleaders.

*Social Activities:* The annual Halloween barn dance was held in the chapter house on October 30. The Thanksgiving party was also held in the house. It was a program dance. The Christmas party was held December 18, just before the holidays. The chapter was entertained at open houses by the Π Β Φ, Κ Α Θ, Δ Γ, and Δ Ζ chapters. The New Casanova ballroom had Phi Delt Night December 2. The annual Phi Delt Homecoming banquet was held in the Dacotha Hotel after the Homecoming game.

*Chapter Visitors:* There were innumerable Phis back for Homecoming and as it is impossible to mention them all, I want to apologize for not mentioning them and thank them for calling. Some of them were: Vic Corbett,

Minot; Dunk McKenzie, Dickenson; Ed Showers, Kenmare; Hillborn, Valley City; Thompson, Cavalier; Bernie Schmit, Billings, Mont.; Tom Johnson, John Stee, John Sad, Harrison Thexton, Dr. Glaspel, Bob Anderson, Bob Serungard, Charlie McLaughlin, and Fred and Mac Traynor, Latney Barnes, Traveling Secretary, visited us for two days.

DUANE TRAYNOR

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Nova Scotia Alpha, Dalhousie University  
*Student Council Representatives*

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*Initiates:* November 20: Donald R. McLeod, A. R. Murray, A. L. Geddes, D. E. McKenzie.

*Campus Activities:* Hewat is freshman representative on the Students' Council. Stewart and Hewat represented the chapter on the football team which MacKenzie so ably managed. Phikeia Mahon is business manager of the *Gazette* and commerce representative on the Students' Council. Stewart is vice-president of D.A.A.C. and track manager. John Budd is hockey manager. Larway is adjutant of Dalhousie contingent of R.O.T.C. Vic Aland is capably managing Glee Club.

*Social Activities:* The chapter held a rushing party on October 22.

*Chapter Visitor:* Mark W. Bradford, *Whitman*, '28.

*Alumni Personals:* R. S. Morton, B.A., '29, LL.B., '31, is doing postgraduate work in journalism at the University of London, England. S. W. Archibald, Comm., '31, is with the circulation department of *Halifax Herald and Mail*. A. C. Bell, M.Sc., '31, is doing Ph.D. work at McGill.

A local fraternity, Z K Φ, was installed as a chapter of Δ Σ II, international commerce, on May 2, 1931.

Carleton W. Stanley, M.A., succeeded Dr. A. S. MacKenzie as president of the university, 1931.

W. ROBERT INMAN

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Ohio Alpha, Miami University  
*Many football visitors . . .*

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*Officers:* President, Vernon Cheadle; reporter, Harry P. Snyder; secretary,

James Beardsley; treasurer, Robert Hayes; historian, George Bauman; chaplain, Wallace Rhodes; warden, Robert Runyon; alumni secretary, Reed Prugh; chorister, Robert Wilson.

*Campus Activities:* Meyer received his football letter after winning a regular position at fullback. Jones, Russell, and Hutchinson were on the squad. Dick Barrett, Bob Barrett, Cheadle, and McCann are on the varsity basketball squad. The Barrett brothers and Cheadle are lettermen while McCann has won a regular position. Fowler managed the baseball team to the championship of the fall intramural league. Cunningham has been named one of the junior football managers for next year. Phikeia Tufts is out for freshman basketball manager. Welliver is a member of the sophomore sweater committee. Beardsley is a member of the sophomore hop committee. Burns and Wilson and Phikeias Failor, Sawmiller, and Harter are members of the University Glee Club.

*Social Activities:* The fall formal, held at the chapter house December 5, climaxed the social activities for Ohio Alpha for the fall season. A pledge dance was given early in October and a "hard-times" party was held late in November. Most of the guests to these functions were from the University and Western College. The formal committee was composed of Lane, Fowler, and Runyon.

*Chapter Visitors:* Alumni back during football season included C. Ebert, E. Ebert, Simmons, Dewey, Hoffman, Smith, Steman, Weil, Baker, Bards, Oswald, Ewbanks, Murphy, Duncan, Luedeke, Biggs, Wadsworth, Keller, Dr. Prugh, Dr. Smith, Everett, Demand, McKee, Keys, Kinder, Ralph Woods, Tibby Woods, Buckingham Jones, Wittkamper, Hartel, and Brady.

HARRY P. SNYDER

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Ohio Beta, Ohio Wesleyan University  
*Two Phi Betes . . .*

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*Phikeia:* Fred Hutchison, Marietta.

*Campus Activities:* Coultrap and Taylor were elected to Φ B K at the annual fall elections. Dodge and Babbs will represent the University in the national and intercollegiate oratorical contests, having been selected from a field of over twenty-five aspirants. Dodge has

the lead in "Lady Windermere's Fan," University dramatic production, in which Dieterich has an outstanding rôle. Smith directed a one-act play given by members of the dramatic department before a Dayton audience. Belt, Bennett, and Scott were awarded letters in football; Scott was named on several all-Ohio teams, as was Bennett. The three, along with Pape and Vandervort, constituted one-fifth of the squad that made the trip to Brown University, November 7. Line was one of five successful tryouts for the business staff of *LeBijou*, campus year-book, while Polley is one of the successful aspirants for the editorial staff. Phikeias Alspach, Hoose, and Lowther were selected reporters on the *Transcript*, semi-weekly newspaper. Several men were chosen to accompany the glee club on its annual Christmas trip, and include: Babbs, Dieterich, Samuell, Smith, Phikeias Sauer and Simmonds. Phikeia Newby was elected president of Freshman Players, neophyte dramatic organization, of which Alspach, Austin, and Sauer were chosen members. Babbs, Huit, and Wilson were elected to the International Relations Club, political science honorary. In freshman debate are Alspach, Eckler, and Newby.

*Social Activities:* The fall informal dance of the chapter was held at the house on November 21, with Morris Grenadiers furnishing the music. A smoker was given for  $\Phi K \Psi$  fraternity. Many alumni and dads returned for homecoming and Dads' Day in November.

*Chapter Visitors:* P. E. Bliss, '06; Frank Stanton, '30; David Sauer, '31; Robert Lynch, '30.

*Alumni Personals:* Frank Stanton, '30, is completing his master's degree at Ohio State University. P. E. Bliss, '06, is president of the Warner-Swasey company that recently installed the new mirror in Perkins observatory, the third largest lens in the country.

WILLIAM A. MAHARRY

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Ohio Gamma, Ohio University

*Police chief, too? . . .*

*Initiates:* October 18: Earl Mawhinney, Hubert Terrill, and William Daugherty.

*Chapter House Improvements:* New silverware and dishes were presented to

the chapter by the Women's Auxiliary.

*Campus Activities:* Sharp is making a strong bid for a regular position on the varsity basketball team. Preston was pledged  $K K \Psi$ , honorary band fraternity. Daugherty has been appointed assistant sport editor of the *Athenae*, the university annual. Risher has been appointed to the business staff of the *Green and White*, the university newspaper, and the *Green Goat*, humorous publication. Phis won cup given by Playshop for selling the most season tickets to Playshop productions for the year.

*Social Activities:* A serenade was given the night of Homecoming in which many of the alumni took part. The pledges gave the active chapter a house dance Saturday, November 14.

*Chapter Visitors:* John Henderson, Bill Rochester, Maynard Graft, Clifford Glacer, Paul Rogers, Gilbert Beckley, John McCracken, John Lutz, Willard Ashworth, Charles Woodworth, Rufus Hopkins, Buck Kelly.

*Alumni Personals:* Brother Wood was re-elected mayor of Athens. Brother Hopkins was re-elected the president of the council. Brother Rutherford was elected as clerk of the township with the biggest majority ever received by any candidate in Athens County.

STACY WOLFE

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Ohio Epsilon, University of Akron

*Active in debating . . .*

*Phikeia:* John Stoffer, Canton.

*Campus Activities:* The affirmative debate team, with Zeis and Rabe as members, has debated four times; two were non-decision, and two were lost. Rabe won the local peace oratorical contest at Akron on November 12 and will represent the school in the state contest. Breneman directed a one-act playlet, "The Ghost Story," in which Egan took part. This play was given before the convention of the Ohio Association of College Registrars at the Mayflower Hotel on November 20 and will be given several additional times. Vallen scored a decided hit in Ricky Barry's "You and I," the second production of the University Theater on November 23 and 24. Phikeia Ream was in charge of ticket sales and directed a financially successful campaign. Phikeia Kidder aided in this success. Goehler and Egan will be

initiated into A  $\Phi$   $\Gamma$ , national honorary journalistic fraternity, on December 8. Rushing under the capable leadership of Anthony and Thomas is progressing successfully. Prospective pledges are our guests at lunch on every Monday, Wednesday, and Friday. Phikeia Volz was in charge of the sophomore events in the freshman-sophomore rush and won his wrestling bout in that contest; in the freshman-sophomore football game Anthony and Mahan and Phikeias Bozick, Burd, and Volz played. In the opening class basketball games, Monday, December 7, the junior aggregation was primarily composed of Phis. Thomas was chosen captain, and Vanica, Dectjen, Thatcher, and Woodward played commendably. Manhan's scoring ability and stellar floor work was instrumental in the defeat of the seniors by the sophomores. Weber's play was outstanding among the seniors and Fulton aided the good cause. Anthony was out with the sophomores and Phikeia Kidder was our lone representative on the victorious freshman squad.

*Social Activities:* A second alumni dance sponsored by Dietrich, ex-'31, was given Thanksgiving night at the Hotel Mayflower with Denny Thompson's orchestra furnishing the music. A bridge will be held Saturday evening, December 12 at the house with Wolfe in charge.

*Alumni Personals:* Connaughy, ex-'33, has taken a position with the A and B Freight Company of Akron. Strickler, ex-'33, visited the chapter for too short a time before returning to the Springfield Tuberculosis Sanatorium, Friday, November 27. Dierech, *Ohio Wesleyan*, visited the chapter during Thanksgiving vacation and Galleher, *Miami*, attended the Thanksgiving dance.

THOMAS VANSICKLE

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Ohio Eta, Case School of Applied Science

*Great sports record . . .*

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*Chapter House Improvements:* Through co-operation of the alumni and actives with a landscape gardener, the lawn has been graded and shrubs planted, thus completing the finishing touch to our new home.

*Campus Activities:* Byrns, Cameron, Squire, Irwin, Clark, Hubbard, and Haynam received football letters, and in ad-

dition Byrns, Cameron, and Squire received gold footballs in recognition of length of service on the team. Eisinger, Hannum, and Schweitzer were members of the squad. Byrns, Cameron, Hubbard, and Haynam are members of the basketball squad. Bradner is sophomore manager of the basketball team. Bryns, Cameron, Irwin, Squire, Hostettler, Clark, Hubbard, Spelman, and White were elected to  $\Theta$  T, national professional engineering fraternity. Hannum was initiated into T B II. Moore, Bradner, Barrett and Haynam were elected to A  $\Phi$ , sophomore honorary fraternity. White is manager of the Glee Club; other members of the glee club are: Eisinger, Hubbard, Clark, Spelman, Baker, Squire, Cummings, Moore, and Phikeia Marshall. Hostettler and Barrett are members of the Case orchestra. Phikeias Schmidt, Bodwell, Bragdon, Brownsberger, Thom, Marshall, and Shafer were on the freshman football squad and Phikeia Fischer is freshman football manager. Schweitzer, Williams, and Hannum are out for the swimming team. Walling and Irwin, and Phikeias Bragdon, Wilson, Rackle, and Marshall are out for wrestling. Clark and Hubbard were elected to Skull and Bones, junior honorary fraternity.

*Social Activities:* The annual pledge dance was held October 3. The Mothers' Auxiliary held a tea party at the house November 6, entertaining the mothers of the freshmen. Due to the efforts of White, our social chairman, the Hard Times party was again a great success, held at the Willowick Shore Club.

*Chapter Visitor:* Frease, '25.

*Alumni Personals:* Fred Salzman, '26, is the father of a baby boy. The alumni held a dance at the Cleveland Club on December 29.

IVAN WALLACE

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Ohio Theta, University of Cincinnati

*Big building boom . . .*

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*Phikeia:* Hardy Pahner, Cincinnati.

*Chapter House Improvements:* Pictures of Phis on the 1931 football squad were hung in the club room. New curtains and lamp shades were purchased. An honorary scholarship plaque was purchased on which will be engraved each year the name of the Phikeia who excels in scholastic attainment.

*Campus Activities:* Stark and Phikeia Asche are on the varsity basketball squad. Phikeia Williams is a member of the varsity swimming team. Pownall was chairman of the committee for freshman reception. Nau was elected president of the senior class. Stanbro was pledged Atelier, honorary architectural fraternity. Phikeias Jones, Hudson, and Rousch are members of the University Glee Club. Phikeia Pownall is on the freshman basketball team. The pledges engaged their better halves, the actives, in a friendly gridiron contest, December 5. The pledges triumphed, 6-0.

*Social Activities:* Ohio Theta was host to Ohio Alpha at a buffet supper and dance at the house after the annual Cincinnati-Miami football game. The Mothers' Club entertained the chapter and their guests with a tea at the house, December 13. The Phikeias of Ohio Beta held a stag party at Ryland, Ky., December 5.

*Chapter Visitors:* R. Tyus, Georgia. Many Phis of Ohio Alpha visited Ohio Theta for Thanksgiving Day festivities.

*Alumni Personals:* Ward Berry, '33, was married to Elizabeth Drisler, November 18. C. Coppock, '34, was a guest at the Cincinnati-Miami dance. Several million dollars have been spent in building on the University of Cincinnati campus. New structures, in the last three years include, a \$1,500,000 library, a storage building, Wilson Memorial Auditorium, two science buildings, a new Teacher's College, and a new Y.M.C.A. building on the campus.

JOE POETKER

## Ohio Iota, Denison University

*First in scholarship . . .*

*Phikeias:* Arthur Brintnall, Madison; John Broemmelsiek, Clayton, Mo.; Dave Butterfield, Zanesville; Joe Carey, Dayton; Tom French, Salem; Ray Isenhardt, Dayton; Richard James, Newark; Richard Kimball, Madison; Robert Leitch, Cleveland; Robert Marvin, Cleveland; Roger McClasky, Waukegan, Ill.; Wade McKee, Cleveland; John Schatzinger, Lakewood; Charles Stull, Granville; Tracy Thrumston, Chicago Heights, Ill.; George Watkins, Zanesville; Harold Wiley, Granville; George Rogers, New Lexington.

*Initiates:* October 2: Richard Hoffhines, Columbus; Rodger Sullivan, Mt. Vernon; and Judson Crandell, Battle Creek, Mich.; December 12: Spencer Ricketts, Alexandria.

*Chapter House Improvements:* A circular drive around the back of the chapter house, with a permanent parking space, was completed during the fall. A cement terrace and steps were also constructed, and completion of the landscaping plans will be carried out in the spring. Another improvement was the placing of a new composition tile flooring in the upstairs hall.

*Campus Activities:* Three members represented  $\Phi \Delta \Theta$  on the football field, Robert Edwards, Earl Rupe, who was elected honorary captain for the season, and Bob McConnell, who gained honorable mention in the All-Buckeye conference team. Ohio Iota captured the intramural speedball championship for the year. The chapter rated scholastically among the first of the fraternities on the campus at mid-semester. The initial dramatic performance of the year starred Fred Sweet and James Uebelhart in the lead rôles. Paul Garwood is editor-in-chief of the college year book, and has been elected to membership in Blue Key. President Mortimer Dean and Judson Crandell made the varsity debate squad. Hazen Armstrong was elected president of  $\Phi \Delta \Theta$ , national historical fraternity.

*Social Activities:* The chapter entertained the alumni at the Centennial Homecoming of Denison in October, and the Dads of the brothers at the annual Dads' Day week-end in November. Numerous informal victrola dances have been held at the house during the fall, as well as the fall dance and the pledge formal. The chapter held a very successful Christmas party in the form of a formal dinner dance on December 11.

S. JUDSON CRANDELL

## Ontario Alpha, University of Toronto

*Badminton champion . . .*

*Phikeia:* Ronald Kent.  
*Initiates:* November 2: Harold Hayden, Ned Sinclair, Gray Farrar, John Reid, Cliff Lennox.

*Campus Activities:* Anderson, Nash, and Johnson were on the varsity golf team which won the intercollegiate title;

Nash was runner-up for the individual championship and lost by only one stroke. Willson has reached the semifinals in the Toronto and District Badminton Open. Tisdale and Sinclair won their respective weights in boxing in the recent interfaculty assault. Sinclair is athletic representative of first year in S.P.S. Reid is on the varsity basketball team. Hodgetts is a member of the Victoria College debating team. Coles is coaching the Victoria College baseball team. McGibbon is manager of Victoria College Music Club and treasurer of the Victoria College Union. Fell is president of the University of Toronto B. W. & F. Club, vice-president of the Intercollegiate B.W. & F. Club and representative of third year in mining engineering.

*Social Activities:* Two very successful rushing smokers were held in the house on November 23 and December 9. Annual alumni dinner and smoker was held at the house November 30. The fine turnout of the alumni was very gratifying to the active chapter. Annual fathers' night was held on November 16.

*Alumni Personals:* W. M. Vickers, '24, was married to Miss Hope Ludwig on November 7. W. C. Kirkland, '30, was married to Miss Helen Gifford on June 6. J. F. Green, '30, was married to Miss Catherine Greene on July 4. The announcement was made on December 2 of the engagement of Dr. R. A. Cleg-horn, '28, and Sheena Margaret Mar-nock. Bob is in his third year at the University of Aberdeen and is engaged in research at Marischeal College. R. B. Rochester, '27, is doing postgraduate work in psychology at Toronto. Irwin and Williamson were given a farewell dinner at the house. They are leaving shortly on an extended tour through Europe.

F. A. FELL

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Oregon Alpha, University of Oregon

*Homecoming successful.*

*Phikeias:* Thomas Jones, Portland; Edward Boles, Portland.

*Campus Activities:* Ole Calkins, captain, Kermit Stevens, La Grande Hough-ton, Ferdinand Fletcher, and Rockwell Rogers are out for varsity basketball while Joseph Walsh, Hartley Kneeland, Wesley Clausen, and Malcolm Bauer are

on the Frosh squad. Jack Mulder is out for Frosh swimming. Harry McCall became co-titleholder of the heavyweight boxing title of the University. Edward Wells and Edward Schweiker are yell leaders. In football Edward Moeller made his third letter this fall while Gardner Frye made his Frosh numerals. Robert Van Nice was admitted to  $\Sigma \Delta \Psi$ , for his athletic feats. Richard Goebel was initiated into  $\Delta \Delta \Sigma$  and Rockwell Rogers to  $\Theta \Xi \Kappa$  and Kenneth Carlson was pledged to Pan-Henia, honorary. Ferdinand Fletcher was chairman of the valley committee and also chairman of the junior-senior informal. Raymond Force and Robert Hall served on the rally committee. Jack Vaughn and Edward Schweiker served on the Homecoming committee. Roger Bailey is business manager of the *Oregana* and of *Old Oregon*.

*Social Activities:* The house had an exchange dinner with Sigma Hall, and entertained  $\Delta \Gamma$  and  $\Kappa \Kappa \Gamma$  at coffees.

*Alumni Personals:* On the week-end of November 14, the chapter enjoyed the most successful homecoming in its history. The alumni were back *en masse*.

ED MARTINDALE

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Oregon Beta, Oregon State College

*Intramural leaders . . .*

*Phikeia:* Russell Tegnell, Portland.

*New Officers:* President, Art Ramponi; reporter, Ernest Bauer; treasurer and manager, Julius Wilson; warden, Norton Forsyth; secretary, Eldon Winkley; chaplain, Vern Gardner; historian, Bud Smith; alumni secretary, Dillard Burroughs.

*Campus Activities:* Ramponi, Ken Hammer, and Phikeias Vic Curtin and Ade Schwammel won varsity football sweaters. All saw action in every game this season. Hammer played his last year. Phikeias Fyock and Forrest earned football numerals. Practice for varsity basketball has begun and Joe Mack is on the squad. Phikeia Hill is a candidate for the freshman basketball team. Wilson was initiated into  $B \Delta \Psi$  and  $A \Kappa \Psi$ . Phikeia Crawford is on the *Beaver* circulation staff. The chapter is leading in points for the intramural trophy.

*Chapter Visitors:* An exceptional number of alumni were here for the annual

Homecoming after the Oregon State and University football game played in Eugene. They are too numerous to mention. Latney Barnes, traveling secretary, visited the chapter recently.

ERNEST BAUER

Pennsylvania Alpha, Lafayette College

*Dads in a huddle . . .*

*Phikeias:* Frederick E. Pulse, Jr., Cleveland, Ohio; Daniel J. Kennedy, Philadelphia.

*Initiate:* October 22; Frederick Nagle, Hollis, L.I., N.Y.

*Chapter House Improvements:* A new asphalt walk leading up to the front porch has been recently constructed, and in the rear of the house a concrete walk leading from the back steps to the lane and a cement curb along the edge of the lawn have been erected.

*Campus Activities:* Wermuth, Haas, and Irwin received their letters as members of the varsity football team, and Brown as its student manager. O'Neill also saw much action during the year. H. Boehringer and Schenck won their letters in varsity soccer, and Laub was elected student manager for the coming year. Phikeias Stabley, Kennedy, Meixell, Corlett, and Rusk all were awarded their numerals in freshman football. H. Boehringer was elected to the staff of the *Lyre*, and Phikeia Hogg is competing for it; Hogg is also out for track manager. The house won the campus football championship by defeating Z Ψ by the score of 12-0. Wermuth is playing varsity basketball, and Glenn and Sheridan are trying out for positions. Phikeia Stabley is on the freshman basketball team. Mattison, Bowman, and Brown are on the swimming team. Hemmings, McAbee, and Laub are members of the Brainerd Cabinet, Hemmings being its treasurer. Cobean is spending his afternoons instructing the students in boxing. Nagle was captain of freshman track last year; he holds freshman records for the 440-yard dash at Rutgers and Lehigh, and the New York City high school record in the same event. O'Neill is president of the junior class, and Haas is vice-president of the sophomores. In the honorary societies, Wermuth is our representative in the Knights of the Round Table, junior-senior society;

Wermuth and O'Neill are in the Maroon Key Club, junior society; Nagle, Bowman, and Haas are members of Calumet, sophomore society; and Hemmings is a member of K Φ K. Phikeia Pulse is out for freshman swimming.

*Social Activities:* The annual pledge dance was held on Saturday, November 7, thus introducing our seven Phikeias into the social side of Fraternity life. The affair was well attended by young ladies in the company of the brothers, and together with excellent music and refreshments, the event was most successful. On the evening of Dads' Day, October 24, the chapter entertained the Dads, many of whom are brothers. The evening will always be remembered by the fact that the Dads, after getting in a huddle, came forward and presented the chapter with a handsome sum of money.

*Chapter Visitors:* Hogg, '78; Baker, '82; Laub, '03; Phelps, '31; Book, '31; Rosser, ex-'30; Cooper, '05; Smith, '03; Smith, '25; Sherwood, '30; Hobart, '29; Rothenberg, '30; Line, '18; Sieber, '27; Millman, '26; Moore, '14; Trout, '03; Smith, '13; Moore, '22; Millman, '30; Dyer, '18; Schenck, *Syracuse*, '96; Ruppersburg, '29.

GEORGE C. LAUB

Pennsylvania Beta, Gettysburg College

*New furnishings . . .*

*Chapter House Improvements:* The boarding club has purchased a new suite of furniture for the living room and a new radio. A new lamp has also been purchased for the living room. The chapter bought a rug for the house.

*Campus Activities:* Hardy, Eby, Stoner, Kleinfelder, McCarty, and Phikeia Howard were awarded football "G's." Livingood was awarded a managerial "G." Stoner was elected captain for next year and Fahs was elected junior manager. An interfraternity bridge league has been formed on the campus and Φ Δ Θ has been one of the leaders since its organization.

*Social Activities:* The Christmas formal dance was held in the chapter house on December 11, and the annual pledge dance was held the following night, also in the chapter house.

*Chapter Visitors:* Mark Bradford, Traveling Secretary of Φ Δ Θ, visited the chapter from December 11 to 13. R. A.

Worley, *Lafayette*, '22; C. H. Cramer, '30; E. J. McMillen, '30; J. C. Ernest, '31; O. S. Bayley, ex-'31; W. H. Gulick, '31; W. B. Ernest, '16; J. E. Meisenholder; S. B. Meisenholder; Don Huston, *Nebraska*, '24. I. F. ZEIGLER

Pennsylvania Gamma, Washington and Jefferson College

*No party—it's the depression . . .*

*New Officers:* President, Paul V. Webb; reporter, Robert K. Stuart; warden, R. Taylor McCormick; secretary, Campbell R. King; historian, Edward C. Rogers; chorister, Reynold V. Ullom; chaplain, Clarence R. Thorne; treasurer, Clarence R. Thorne; house manager, Elmer W. Flaccus, Jr.; steward, Carl M. Heeter; alumni secretary, John W. Mathers; chapter adviser, Harold A. Taylor.

*Campus Activities:* In intramural sports  $\Phi \Delta \Theta$  ranks third, having achieved that position through the remarkable volleyball team we had this season, together with the exceptional play of Ned Rogers at handball who has won seven games out of the nine he has played. The chapter gained a few points by entering six men in the wrestling team but was unfortunate in the outcome of the matches, taking only two of six matches participated in. The bowling team stands in third place and has a good chance of finishing in second place. *Phikeias* McVicker and Selzer are out for the freshman basketball team and both men are considered by the coaches to be capable men with berths on the freshman squad this year and prospective men for varsity play next year. Political fires are beginning to flame on the campus and the next SCROLL will carry the outcome of the elections which take place soon.

*Social Activities:* The first formal of the year will take place December 18, but the chapter will not follow its procedure of last year when it gave a house party. It was decided to hold over until spring, inasmuch as several of the brothers were caught in bank failures and are unable to stand the extra strain on their pocketbooks.

*Chapter Visitors:* Hen, *Pittsburgh*; Stuart, '05; Ronald Naser, '28.

ROBERT K. STUART

Pennsylvania Epsilon, Dickinson College

*New uses for a chapter house . . .*

*Phikeia:* Kirk Ellsworth, Carlisle.

*Campus Activities:* Fowler is a member of the varsity basketball squad which opened the season with two games in New York on the week-end of December 12. The opening production of the Dickinson Players featured McNaughton as the leading man in the play, "The Millionaire." The soccer team, which closed a successful season against Franklin and Marshall, was considerably strengthened by the work of Teti on the line. The chapter is cooperating with other fraternities on the campus in an effort to make Christmas mean something to the boys and girls of the Shiremanstown Orphan's Home by giving a number of individual gifts to each one.

*Social Activities:* The chapter celebrated the formal opening of the new house by a three day program on November 6-8. Included in the ceremonies were the formal dedication and the alumni banquet on the first day; a homecoming dance on the second night; and a reception for the faculty on the afternoon of the third day. The house is in much demand and has been loaned on three occasions so far this year; once to the Skull and Key, junior honorary society, for a dance; once for a combined meeting of the college Christian associations; and recently to the year book staff in order that the beauties whose pictures will appear in the section on feminine pulchritude might be photographed as they posed on the colonial stairway.

*Chapter Visitors:* Thomas Rue, '86; Robert Dawson, '31; Samuel Heffner, '31; Charles Wesley Burns, '96; William Gordon, '03; Ralph Bashore, '17; Paul Beaver, '19; John Morgenthaler, '21; James McCready, '17; William Stevens, '16; Shuman Hart, '16; Wendell Morgenthaler, '24; Harry Matter, '95; Vincent Matter, '31; Carl Gehring, '07; Freed Martin, '12; Agnew Roorbach, '18; Theodore Bowes, '27; George Elliott, '31; Ressler Shultz, '26; Park Loose, '27; Calvin Shultz, '31; Perry Cleaver, '29; Charles Hoban, '29; James Reynolds, '29; Jennings Beam, '29.

DAVIS HOBBS

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**Pennsylvania Zeta, University of Pennsylvania**  
*New house furnishings . . .*

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*Chapter House Improvements:* Three new pieces of furniture were bought for the basement living room. New carpet runners have been laid on the stairs up to the second floor. All of the first floor living room furniture is being recovered.

*Campus Activities:* Trescher was elected to the editorial board of *The Pennsylvanian*. Seipt and DuChanois did well in their competitions for assistant managers of football and soccer respectively. Trerotola had a successful season on the varsity football team. Hurlburt has entered the competition for assistant manager of basketball. Hickok was captain and center on the undefeated varsity 150-lb. football team. O'Neill and Glading just completed a season as head cheerleader and songleader respectively.

*Social Activities:* The chapter held two successful dances on Thanksgiving Day, November 26. There was a tea dance immediately after the Cornell football game and a formal evening dance later.

*Chapter Visitors:* Granville Carrel, '29; McLean Whitcomb, '29; J. Kenneth Zahn, '21; Robert M. Gotham, '16; R. Brise Wells, '30; Taylor B. Glading, '29; H. S. F. Bates, '29; William O. Jackson, '30; Marshall W. Spotts, ex-'32; Donald H. MacLean, '30; Traveling Secretary Mark Bradford.

*Alumni Personals:* William D. Swift, '30, is now a student in the Philadelphia Textile School and he eats in the chapter house often. Lee Offutt, '31; has secured a position with R. H. Macy & Co. in New York.

PHILIP W. GUNDELINGER, JR.

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**Pennsylvania Theta, Pennsylvania State College**  
*Many activities . . .*

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*Phikeia:* Everet W. Johnson, Emporium.

*Chapter House Improvements:* A college steam line is being placed across the campus and there is a possibility that the house will soon obtain college heat.

*Campus Activities:* Conn won his major letter in football this fall. Both he and Cole distinguished themselves on the

varsity. Huester is first assistant manager of boxing and Blue Key. Duvall is first assistant in golf. Ryan was appointed sophomore hop chairman recently. Phikeia Johnson was a regular on the freshman football team and was selected as captain for its first game. Phikeia Townsend is out for the lacrosse team, Phikeia Courtney for track, Ross for wrestling, Hill for soccer, Dallas for rifle team, Shuster, Glasgow, Hill, and Eakle for basketball. Phikeia Dallas is a candidate for football manager. Phikeias Townsend and Anthony are both members of the freshman debating team. Phikeias Ross, Townsend, and Moffitt are members of the freshman R.O.T.C. band and Moffitt is a member of the college orchestra. Phikeias Courtney and Dallas were elected to Pershing Rifles after much competitive drill. Rice was elected to  $\Pi \Delta E$ , journalism, and  $\Phi \Gamma T$ , honorary chemical fraternity. Dunn was elected to H K N, honorary electrical engineering. Sterrett and Ryan are out for managerships of wrestling and basketball respectively. Ryan is editor of *Mineral Industries*, a new publication in the Mineral Industries School. Cole has excellent chances of being varsity heavyweight wrestler this year.

*Social Activities:* The fall house party held November 6, 7, and 8 was very successful. Eddie Howard's orchestra from Boston, Mass., provided the music. The pledges were honored by a dance held October 23. A formal dinner dance was held as a Christmas celebration December 18.

*Chapter Visitors:* Alumni Day, October 30-31; F. O. Leitzell, '07; Clyde Culp, '06; B. H. Todd, '28; Howard Cashdollar, '31; E. E. Hewitt, Sr. and Jr.; M. W. Tuck; R. P. Simmons; J. H. Stewart, Jr.; H. H. Barr; H. A. Weaver; H. E. Hastings; J. C. French; John C. Cosgrove; A. M. Holmes; John Dallas; H. L. Stuart; W. W. Nichols, '28; Bill Neff; Ed. Eggers; R. P. Burns; W. DeWitt Leinbach; Steele Clark, '11.

JOHN T. RYAN, JR.

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**Pennsylvania Iota, University of Pittsburgh**  
*Interfraternity Conference delegate*

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*Phikeias:* Clinton Elliott, Pittsburgh; Edwin Fautz, Altoona; Harry Garner;

Pittsburgh; Donald Graham, Wilmerding; John Heck, Wilkensburg; Robert Hoel, Evanston, Ill.; Donald Ingold, Canton, Ohio; L. R. Murdock, Evanston, Ill.; Frank McCabe, Pittsburgh; Roy McClayton, Canton; James Nicholas, Clairton; Wm. Patterson, Bellevue; Harvey Rooker, Tarentum; Wm. Schauer, Pittsburgh; Joseph Smith, Kingston, Pennsylvania; David Terbush, Tarentum; E. W. Thompson, Philadelphia; Fred Warren, Canton.

*Chapter House Improvements:* Several additions have been made to the house furnishings and the lighting and plumbing fixtures were also added.

*Campus Activities:* Goodfellow was tapped  $\Theta \Delta \kappa$  and initiated into Scabbard and Blade. Wright was a member of the sophomore hop committee. Clarence Smith was chairman of the Yuletide festival. Henn is on the Interfraternity ball committee. Phikeias Nicholas is on the *Pitt Weekly* staff. Phikeia Ingold is varsity swimming manager. Phikeia Warren is a member of the freshman swimming team. Phikeias Hoel, Thompson, Murdock, and Rooker were members of the freshman football squad. Heller was placed on the all-Pennsylvania team at halfback and both he and Phikeia Collins at end have received much mention on the numerous mythical All-American teams. Goodfellow was elected delegate to represent the University at the Interfraternity Conference which was held in New York City November 27 and 28. Phikeias Terbush and Graham are members of the Glee Club.

*Alumni Personals:* O. D. Gensemer, '30, was married to Elizabeth Z. Clark,  $\Delta \Delta \Delta$ , Pitt, on October 11.

ALFRED B. BRANON

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Pennsylvania Kappa, Swarthmore College

*Football and soccer . . .*

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*Phikeias:* B. Paul Heritage, '33; Watson Snyder, Jr., '35.

*Initiates:* Gordon B. Bretschneider, '35; George P. Cuttino, '35; Albert F. Halley, '34; B. Paul Heritage, '33; Robert B. Lewis; Dino D. P. McCurdy, '35; James C. Miller, '34.

*Campus Activities:* Brown, Leber, and Heritage were awarded football letters, and McCord, Miller, and Walton soccer letters. Lewis and Garrett and Phikeias

Mason and Woodbury also did good work on the gridiron, as did Davenport, Mahon, Bretschneider, and McCurdy on the soccer field. Baker finished the season's work as football manager. Rushmore was elected to Kwink, the undergraduate honor society for managers, in recognition of his good work while trying out for assistant soccer manager. Casey was elected assistant cheerleader, while McCord and Wilson were elected to  $\Theta \Omega$ , national honorary musical fraternity. Wilson and Lutton are trying out for Rhodes Scholarships from Delaware and Pennsylvania respectively.

*Alumni Personals:* The appointment of Jess Halsted, '18; as secretary of the Chicago Stock Exchange was announced on October 18 by Paul H. Davis, president of the organization.

WILLIAM H. KAIN

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Quebec Alpha, McGill University

*Represented on many teams . . .*

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*Phikeias:* G. Chipman; K. Crawford. *Initiates:* October 26: E. Wilson, Montreal; K. McLure, Montreal; H. McHugh, Montreal; T. Morse, Bathurst, N.B.; V. Newton, Sherbrooke; B. Montgomery, New Richmond, Que.; F. Cowie, Montreal; D. Smith, Hawkesbury.

*Campus Activities:* Edmison is president of the Students' Council, Craig is Commerce representative to the Students' Council, Newton and McGillvray played senior football, Stovel, Montgomery, played intermediate football, V. Newton played on the championship junior football team, McMorran, Montgomery, Grey, Sprinkle, Fulcher, McLean, Craig, played interfaculty football, Broome managed junior football, McFarland managed intermediate football, Paterson and Fulcher managed senior football, McHugh, McGillvray, and Newton are playing senior hockey, McGillvray is co-captain of the team, Paterson is manager of the team, Morse and Broome are playing junior hockey, Hutchins won two intercollegiate track titles, Crutchlow was assistant manager of track, Cross is playing senior water polo, Stovel is manager of the water polo team and assistant manager of the swimming team, B. Montgomery played on the championship English rugby team, Mc-

Morran and Cross are playing senior city league basketball, Tedford is a member of the wrestling squad, Crutchlow is manager of the boxing team, Edmison was on the debating team that toured to Porto Rico, Craig is president of Commerce, '32, McHugh is president of Medicine, '36, and was elected to the Osler Society, Hutchins is president of Law, '34, Black is secretary of Arts, '32, *Daily* exchange editor, is a member of the chess team, Rowat is vice-president of Arts, '32, *Daily* night editor, is a member of the chess team, McLure is secretary-treasurer of Arts, '34, won the first year scholarship for physics and mathematics, Paterson is president of the Interfraternity Council, Mason was chairman of the junior Prom committee, is vice-president of Engineering, '33, also vice-president of the Mechanical club, Crutchlow, Mason, and Cross were elected to the Scarlet Key Society, Hutchison won the Governor General's medal for accountancy.

*Social Activities:* A successful rushing dance was held during the early part of October. After the McGill-Varsity football game an official house opening was held. Several charter members of Quebec Alpha were present among the group of alumni who were gathered to witness the formal presentation of the new chapter house. The tea dance after the Queen's-McGill football game was very well received, several other fraternities having representatives present.

*Chapter Visitor:* Mark Bradford from General Headquarters.

GIBSON E. CRAIG

Rhode Island Alpha, Brown University

*Winter sports activity . . .*

*Phikeias:* J. C. Hanson, 2nd., Belmont, Mass.; T. C. Hazzard, Monongahela, Penn.; E. E. Jackson, Brooklyn, N.Y.; W. S. Lines, West Hartford, Conn.; J. H. Jameson, Jr., Toledo, O.; H. K. Low, Yonkers, N.Y.; C. W. Letsen, Yonkers, N.Y.; E. A. Mollet, Massillon, O.

*Chapter House Improvements:* The woodwork of the entire downstairs was painted, and new curtains were placed on all the windows of the first floor.

*Campus Activities:* Swimming: Aldrich is diving again this year and ought to win many first places. Coffin is out for breast stroke and is doing a fine job of

it. Waters is out for wrestling and will be a regular man in the 145-lb. class. Corlett and Harris are out for basketball and will make the team. Hall is out for hockey, playing at the center position. Phikeia Jameson is out for freshman basketball. Sawyer, Walker, and Harris will receive major letters in football. Sawyer was mentioned on the All-East team and received honorable mention on several All-American teams.

*Social Activities:* On November 13, preceding the Columbia game, there was a dance followed by a tea dance after the game.

*Chapter Visitors:* R. J. Walsh, '31; J. Barnett, '31; H. I. Smith, '30; R. L. Went, '30; J. Drew, '29.

K. M. HOGE, JR.

South Dakota Alpha, University of  
South Dakota

*Silver anniversary . . .*

*Phikeia:* Charles Johnson, Sioux City, Iowa.

*Initiates:* November 8: Charles Clinker, Mobridge; George Danforth, Sioux Falls.

*Campus Activities:* Basketball is well under way now and the following men are out for varsity: Buck, Espe, Walker, Adkins, Maloney, Dixon, and Tice. Five Phikeias are on the freshman squad. We won the first game of the intramural basketball tournament and it looks as if we'll win the cup for the third year, thus keeping the trophy permanently. Townsend made Strollers Dramatic Society, Hegness has been elected to the student senate. Moore, Tice, and Townsend have been pledged to  $\Delta \Sigma \Pi$ , business fraternity.

*Social Activities:* We celebrated the twenty-fifth anniversary of the chapter during homecoming and had a very successful celebration. Many of the charter members returned and spoke at the banquet held in the chapter house. Our fall informal was held November 7 in the new Union Building.

*Chapter Visitors:* Latney Barnes, traveling secretary; Robert Dean, '26; Harold Norbeck, '30; Francis Barton, '28; J. W. Raish, '07; Martin Thompson, '01; G. A. Lloyd, '12; G. T. Jordan, '05; C. B. Biernatzki, '11; L. N. Crill, '28; L. Hare, '11.

*Alumni Personals:* Charles Morrill is

now attending Northwestern University and is connected with the athletic department at Loyola U.

DAVID HAWKINSON

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Texas Beta, University of Texas

*Y.M.C.A. leaders . . .*

*Initiates:* December 6: Sam Boren, Dallas; Eugene Worley, Shamrock; Charles Little, San Saba; Robert Wright, Wharton; Everett McRee, Eagle Lake; Griffith Lawhon, Houston.

*Campus Activities:* At the close of the football year Furrh, regular varsity end of the past season, received his letter and commendation for his fine work. Pollok, Tanner, and Worsham worked on the annual Y.M.C.A. campaign fund drive with Pollok serving as team captain, while the rest of the chapter gave splendid financial assistance.

*Social Activities:* At the annual law banquet of December 7,  $\Phi \Delta \Theta$  was ably represented by Seay, Boren, Alvis, Head, Pace, Acers, Jones, Tanner, Lawhon, and Rembert with Acers and Tanner having the special honor of guarding the door. Meador continues to be our representative at the German, with Storey as alternate.

*Chapter Visitors:* John Fielding, '30; Louis Page, '27; Wilson Fox, '31; Billford, '28; Phikeia Hal Duncan; Gardner Duncan, '29; Rock Robertson, '26.

*Alumni Personals:* Wilbourne Gibbs, '31, married Miss Peggy Jones of Houston in that city on Thanksgiving Day. John Pace has started a law practice in Dallas after having received his law degree last year, and Wilson Fox has done likewise. Bill Scurry, time honored member of the law class of '31, has recovered from his operation and is convalescing at his home.

IRION WORSHAM

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Texas Delta, Southern Methodist University

*New Mothers' Club at work . . .*

*Phikeia:* Ed. S. Wesson, Jr., Dallas.

*Chapter House Improvements:* The newly formed  $\Phi \Delta \Theta$  Mothers' Club has been very active in making numerous improvements about the chapter house, including a large new gas log for the

fireplace, pictures, and tapestries for the walls, curtains and drapes, new linoleum where needed, and reupholstering of overstuffed furniture.

*Campus Activities:* Several of the boys are entered in the handball tournament.

*Social Activities:* The Mothers' Club gave a tea in the chapter house on Sunday, December 6, which was well attended. A Thanksgiving dinner for the members of the chapter and their dates was given at the chapter house on Sunday, November 22. Rush parties in the form of smokers were given on Saturday, November 21, and on Saturday, December 5. At the latter the brothers and their guests listened to radio reports of the football game between S.M.U. and St. Mary's at San Francisco, which St. Mary's won, 7-2.

HARLAN T. LONGNECKER

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Vermont Alpha, University of Vermont

*Sixteen Phikeias . . .*

*Phikeias:* Lester J. Boyce, Alburg; Lawrence A. Bristol, Bristol; M. Hamilton Carlson, Brookline, Mass.; Justin Chase, Bolton; Frank Toby Churchill, Burlington; Cecil E. Fiske, Charlestown, N.H.; Elisha R. Goodsell, Burlington; Crosby V. Hale, Boston, Mass.; Marshall B. Hall, Newton, Mass.; Prentiss M. Howe, Pleasantville, N.Y.; George M. Sabin, Burlington; Carleton P. Soule, Fairfield; George W. Starbuck, Springfield, Mass.; George L. Stratton, Reading, Mass.; J. Frank Syme, Cambridge, Mass.; Franklin K. Wright, Charlestown, N.H.

*Social Activities:* A very enjoyable pledge dance was held Saturday evening, November 7. A tea dance was held at the house on Saturday, November 14 in honor of alumni returning for the college annual Homecoming week and the Middlebury football game.

*Campus Activities:* J. E. Wood elected captain of hockey.

*Alumni Personals:* Mark Bradford, travelling secretary, was a chapter guest during the week of October 24 and spoke to our new men at the pledge banquet, October 29.

HARRY M. LOUDON, JR.

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**Virginia Beta, University of Virginia***New journalistic venture . . .*

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*Initiates:* October 31: James Barrett; Pelham, N.Y.; Harvey Ford; Columbus, Ohio; William McGinness, Chattanooga, Tenn.; Montgomery Montague, Chattanooga, Tenn.; Charles Prince, Cheraw, S.C.; W. H. Robbins, Jr., Greensburg, Indiana; A. J. Ross, Louisville, Ky.; Roland Merrell, Jr. Jeanette, Penn.; John Culbertson, III, Oklahoma City, Okla.; Edward Korbel, Larchmont, N.Y.

*Campus Activities:* Marvin Sutherland, president of the chapter, was elected president of the Trigon engineering fraternity, and was chosen a member of the P.K. dance society. Otis Dobie was elected to Tilka and Imp societies, two prominent honorary organizations. Symmers has been made advertising manager of *College Topics*, the University newspaper. Two goats, Culbertson and Prince, are promising candidates for the freshman boxing and swimming teams respectively. Ross, a freshman, has identified himself with *Corks and Curls*, the University yearbook. Bill McGinness is earning a regular berth on the freshman basketball team and in addition is adjuncting for the yearbook.

*Social Activities:* On October 31, after an intensive two weeks of rushing, the chapter was very proud to welcome into Φ Δ Θ its initiates. The annual banquet was an unusual success. One of the most progressive steps taken by the chapter was that of publishing a monthly paper called the *Virginia Phi*; the first edition was that of November. Morgenroth assumed responsibility of being editor and achieved great success by his first number. There was an extensive canvass among the alumni by means of letters and much information was obtained.

GEORGE H. ELLIS, JR.

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**Virginia Gamma, Randolph-Macon College***Virginia championship . . .*

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*Phikeia:* Charles Sheldon Green, Horenell, N.Y.

*Chapter House Improvements:* Wyatt '31, recently gave the chapter a very choice assortment of shrubbery and had the front and side lawns fixed. The front

porch has been repainted and repaired.

*Campus Activities:* Mahoney, as captain led the "Yellow Jackets" to a successful close, by capturing the Virginia Conference championship. W. D. Williams, the other tackle on the team, and Doyle as manager also won their letters this year. Henson and Doyle are out for basketball. Phikeias Mahood, Miles, and Balthis are out for the freshman squad. Mahoney has been elected president of the Athletic Council. Edwards, Williams, and Wingfield are new members of B.L.A.K.I. Henson is a charter member and president of the new club of the campus, the Latin Club.

*Chapter Visitors:* Maitland Bustard, '18-Virginia, '21; Budge Kent, '22; Coke Stuart, '23; B. B. Stevens, '25; Watt Clinginpeel, '27; E. L. Bain, '30; G. C. Simpson, '30; S. H. Nunnally; Harris Woodson, '31; E. A. Wyatt, '31; S. S. Carter, '33. T. ADDISON MORGAN

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**Washington Alpha, University of Washington***Athletically active . . .*

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*Campus Activities:* Clarence Bledsoe, Bill Marsh, and August Buse made their varsity football letters, while Allan Bantz and John Douglass received numerals for their work on the frosh team. Phikeias Oberleitner, Ducey, and Merrick are turning out for frosh crew while Marshall Dutton and Bill Demille are out for varsity. Jack Anshutz, and Ned Nelson are on the varsity basketball squad. Harry Givan and John Twitchell are on the frosh squad. We are proud to announce that Eddie Benz, Elwell Case, and Paul Kirker were pledged to Oval Club, upperclassmen's honorary.

*Chapter Visitors:* Capt. Harold Priest, '17; Stan Muskeystone, '20; Steve Anderson, '30; Paul Jessup, '30; Smith Troy, '28; Herb Fovargue, '30; Starr Calvert, '24. BILL MONTGOMERY

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**Washington Beta, Whitman College***Thirteen basketball candidates . . .*

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*Phikeias:* John Barry, Merrill Davis, Byron Denny, Robert Eubanks, Jack Huntington, John Ifft, Myron Lacey, Lawrence Minnick, George Paul, and Allen Reynolds of Walla Walla; Don

Monahan, Floyd Markham, Maurice Miller, of Milton-Freewater, Ore.; Kenneth Clark, Boise, Idaho; Russel Nelson, LaGrande, Ore.; Carol Heath, Coeur d'Alene, Idaho; John Dimeling, Spokane.

*Initiates:* October 14: Walt Shields, Cecil Carpenter, and Louis Rebillard.

*Chapter House Improvements:* The roof was reshingled and the kitchen was enlarged over the summer. Three tables, two lamps, and some pictures were bought for the living-room.

*Campus Activities:* Applegate and Anderson received letters in football. Applegate being captain of the team. Robb, Applegate, Hove, Robbins, Jones, Carpenter, Fred Shields, Walt Shields, and Phikeias Markham, Hocter, Olson, Miller, and Monahan, are turning out for varsity basketball. Hove is entering his second year as captain of the team. Our window received first honorable mention in the contest for Homecoming, and a stunt, a court room comedy put on by the chapter won first place in the College Revue. The house boasts four basketball teams and expects to make a fine showing in the intramural league.

*Social Activities:* Two informals have been given this year, one at the Grand Hotel and the other at the Elks Ballroom.

*Chapter Visitors:* Harper Joy, Sam Whittemore, Ned Barnes, Mercer Yeager, and Bob Steward were visitors at the house during Homecoming.

HARVEY MACLIN

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Wisconsin Alpha, University of Wisconsin

*East-West football candidate . . .*

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*Phikeias:* Robert Ball, Rhinelander; Richard Bridgman, Stanley; Paul Gilkerson, Milwaukee; Phillip Heise, Winona, Minn.; John Hitchcock, Milwaukee; William Hoopes, Marysville, Ohio; Robert Kaska, Chicago, Ill.; William Matson, Milwaukee; Francis Moran, Chicago, Ill.; William Sickles, Milwaukee; Olaf Stampen, Hollywood, Ill.; Tom

Werner, Eau Claire; Wilson Weisel, Milwaukee; Richard Wilbur, Waukesha.

*Initiate:* October 24: John E. Terras, Evanston, Ill.

*Chapter House Improvements:* The chapter house has been fully equipped with new steel desks and rugs. The floors will be varnished during the holidays.

*Campus Activities:* Charles Olson and Stanley Welsh received numeral sweaters for their work on last year's freshman crew. Mark Catlin, Jr. was recently awarded his second major letter in football; he was selected by Coach Thistlewaite as one of three candidates for the team to play in the East-West game. Meredith Jelsma has been appointed to the office of assistant Prom chairman. Phikeias Weisel and Hitchcock won a second and a first respectively in the interfraternity track meet. Phikeias Stampen, Gilkerson, and Hoopes were members of the freshman football squad. William Frawley received an appointment to the senior advisory board, and also took active part in the student loan fund drive.  $\Phi \Delta \Theta$  was victorious in its first basketball game, 20-4. Both regular and touch football teams progressed to the semi-finals in interfraternity competition. The bowling team has lost both its tilts. Pat Daly is now serving on the Union Board. John Doolittle has been appointed to the Union house committee.

*Social Activities:* The annual Christmas formal was held at the chapter house on December 11, 1931. Dr. and Mrs. William Werrel chaperoned.

*Chapter Visitors:* Fred Airis, Walter Stringfellow, John Terhorst, Chester Hitchcock, Carl Hilbert, and Charles Crew returned for the Christmas party. Dr. Mac Arthur, '81, La Crosse, Wisconsin Alpha's oldest alumnus was a visitor homecoming week end.

*Alumni Personals:* Edward J. Taylor, '31, is working on the construction of Chicago's new post office. Homer Culver, '31, is sailing abroad a Norwegian liner for Honkong; he may be reached at the residence of the Norwegian consul in Hongkong. JOHN DOOLITTLE



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All clubs listed here have paid dues up to the Detroit Convention. Any club not listed may have its name appear by paying up back dues.

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Verlin P. Jenkins, 1170 W. Exchange St.  
Thursday noon, City Club, Ohio Bldg.

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- BEAUMONT, TEXAS**  
Harvey Munro, Munro Dry Cleaning Co., Beaumont, Texas.
- BOTSE, IDAHO**  
M. A. Thometz, 1915 Harrison Blvd.  
Third Wednesday, Elks' Club, 12:15 P.M.
- BOSTON, MASS.**  
Chester S. Brett, 421 Summer St.  
12:30 P.M., every Friday, University Club
- BUFFALO, N.Y.**  
E. A. McCreery, 174 Pearl St., Morgan Bldg.  
Friday noon, Balcony of Statler Restaurant, Ellicott Square Bldg.
- BURLINGTON, VT.**  
P. M. Bell, 247 Prospect Ave.  
First Thursday each month, 6:30 P.M.,  $\Phi$   $\Delta$   $\Theta$  House
- CANTON, OHIO**  
Robert M. Wallace, 949 Beiner Pl. N.E., Massillon, Ohio
- CHICAGO, ILL.**  
D. A. Buckmaster, c/o Mead and Co., 69 W. Washington  
Friday, 12:15 P.M., Brevoort Hotel, 120 W. Madison St.
- CINCINNATI, OHIO**  
Dr. E. B. Heile, Vine and McMillan Sts.  
Monday noon, Cincinnati Club, 8th and Race
- CLEVELAND, OHIO**  
Robert A. Oswald, 519 Hippodrome Bldg.  
Friday noon, University Club.
- COLUMBUS, OHIO**  
Dan D. Fulmer, 815 Beggs Bldg., 21 E. State St.  
Last Friday each month, F. & R. Lazarus Co. Dining Room
- CRAWFORDSVILLE, IND.**  
W. A. Collins, First National Bank
- DALLAS, TEX.**  
W. B. Head, Jr., c/o Dallas Power and Light Co., Thomas Bldg.  
Friday 12:15 P.M., University Club
- DAYTON, OHIO**  
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First Friday each month, 12:15 P.M., Engineers' Club
- DENVER, COLO.**  
Wesley Hamilton, Jr., 322 Foster Bldg.  
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- DETROIT, MICH.**  
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Friday, 12:30 P.M., Aztec Tower, 32nd Floor, Union Trust Bldg.
- ELMIRA, N.Y.**  
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- ENID, OKLA.**  
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- ERIE, PA.**  
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First Friday of month, 12:15 P.M., University Club
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Meet on occasion at Chamber of Commerce
- FRANKLIN, IND.**  
James D. Collins
- GALESBURG, ILL.**  
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Friday, 12:15 P.M., Galesburg Club
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- GRAND RAPIDS, MICH.**  
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- HAGERSTOWN, MD.**  
D. Ross Stickell, Hamilton Blvd.  
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- HARRISBURG, PA.**  
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Friday noon, Washington Hotel
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*Educational authorities are telling us that the fraternity system is faced by a period of severe adjustment. They point to the changes taking place in colleges and universities and to the revival of interest in the scholastic and serious side of student life.*

*It would be folly not to heed the advice of these men, most of them friends of the Greek-letter organizations. To meet the situation our program must be stepped up so that it places more stress upon personal development and the training of the mind. This does not mean that the spirit of fellowship need suffer but it does mean that the chapter house must be less of a hangout; a breeder of worthlessness where valuable hours are wasted in inconsequential gossip and dallying.*

*THE SCROLL as a representative fraternity magazine has a definite part to play in this program. The reminding of our undergraduates and alumni that they have a definite duty to perform is largely the function of the publication. Many of our great Fraternity leaders made their influence felt through the printed pages of our books and periodicals.*

*So many men come into the Fraternity and take out all they can during their undergraduate days. They are glad to have the prestige that goes with belonging to Phi Delta Theta; they are willing to get all the help they can from their chapter mates scholastically, politically, and socially, and they are glad to use their affiliation to secure employment and to further their personal interests. Then when the Fraternity calls upon them to help by retaining their interest and aiding the boys who come after them they are too busy with their own affairs to "fuss with that school boy play."*

*THE SCROLL must help to retain the interest and support of these men and disabuse their minds of the idea that Phi Delta Theta is for undergraduates only. No organization in modern life has a greater opportunity for service than the college fraternity. It must be made to measure up to its possibilities.*

*Jos. Banta J.*

Reporter of the General Council and  
Retiring Editor of THE SCROLL

### Editorial . . .

**President Chase on Fraternities** Last month THE SCROLL presented extracts from an address made several months ago to the University of Illinois Interfraternity Council. These extracts are concluded in this issue. It is unfortunate that space limitations forbid reprinting the whole address given by President Chase.

Last fall we gave to all members of the entering freshman class certain tests which are given in a great many universities and colleges today all over the country. . . . Naturally they cannot predict exactly what is going to happen to any individual but they do show something of what ought to be expected in a large group. Now on these tests fraternity freshmen made a higher score than the freshmen not in fraternities. . . .

. . . The Office of the Dean of Men took a random selection, including about half the fraternity men and half the nonfraternity men at the end of the first semester. This sample is large enough to mean something. The grades of the independent group averaged 2.9, while those of the fraternity group averaged 2.8. While this difference is not tremendous, it indicates simply this fact, that a group of men starting out in the fall with a higher scholastic expectancy made a less substantial record. . . .

. . . You cannot escape the conclusion that it is your own fault that they did less well. In the first place, you kept them constantly harassed and distracted from their work by doing all sorts of unnecessary and tedious work and by doing services at any time at the command of individuals. In the second place, you shut them up in their rooms at night, which is an interference with freedom productive of resentment against study. . . . I believe that any chapter which paid the room and board of a senior or graduate student on condition that he was to give a certain number of hours a day to freshmen who came to him for help about their work would find that a very paying proposition. . . . Your present plan of stimulating scholarship is simply not working out.

Furthermore, with regard to the whole treatment of freshmen I feel that there are even more important issues than scholarship at stake. The fraternity attitude toward freshmen, when we call it simply and plainly by its right name, is a hazing attitude. . . . Nobody ever developed a man out of anybody by treating him as a child. I must say that, in my judgment, one of the serious failures of the fraternities is that they do not recognize the fact that their attitude toward freshmen should be precisely that of older brothers toward younger brothers in whom they are interested and not that of masters toward servants. . . .

Now may I speak briefly for a moment about this business of corporal punishment for freshmen. Corporal punishment for people of anything like the age of college students is, in my judgment, both inexcusable and degrading. It is degrading both to inflict and to receive. It has disappeared, with very few

exceptions, from the criminal codes of most civilized nations. . . . If the fraternity system wants to save itself against one of the most vigorous of the criticisms that is made against it, it must re-examine its attitude toward this whole matter.

What I am arguing for is nothing less than an entire re-definition of the fraternity's attitude toward freshmen. It is a bad thing to take these pledges and deprive them, in the first place, of the sense of freedom, a deprivation which results in the fact that they do not develop a sense of responsibility as they should. . . . If you want to get co-operation and responsibility out of your sophomores the way to start is by revising your attitude toward freshmen. . . . You simply cannot grow men without freedom and without that sense of inward responsibility that develops through freedom. . . . Learn to treat your freshmen as free human beings. They need guidance and stimulation from you. They do not need regulation and subjection.

**Founders' Day** As is announced in the article in this issue by Alumni Commissioner Frank J. R. Mitchell, P.P.G.C., the topic chosen for discussion at meetings of Alumni Clubs on Founders' Day throughout Phi Delta Theta's broad dominion is "What can Alumni Clubs and individual alumni do for the advancement of Phi Delta Theta?"

The anniversary of Robert Morrison's birth falls this year on Tuesday. It will be the choice of each club whether the precise date or one very close to it is observed. The custom has grown through the years of making this occasion the greatest in the annual calendar of the Fraternity. It is to be hoped that the April SCROLL, which, as Brother Mitchell states, will be especially devoted to the alumni, may contain full accounts of these meetings.

What can alumni, collectively and individually, do for the furtherance of the Fraternity? The question is a provocative one. If the clubs will but turn their serious attention to the consideration of this topic it may well be that March 15, 1932 will see constructive suggestions made which will redound to the immense benefit of the Fraternity. Alumni, will you meet the challenge?

"Think on these things!"

**Rhodes Scholarship** Once again the Fraternity sees elected from among its sons a Rhodes Scholar. This enviable award, tenable for three years at Oxford University in England, this time goes to Don K. Price, *Vanderbilt*, '31. As is recounted on another page of this issue of THE SCROLL, Brother Price has made a noteworthy record at Vanderbilt. He is fully worthy of this new distinction which has come to him and his choice reflects honor upon the Fraternity. We all join in congratulating both him and Tennessee Alpha, a chapter which has contributed many distinguished sons to Phi Delta Theta.

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# How I Wrote the "Buckeye Battle Cry"

By FRANK CRUMIT  
Ohio, '12

THERE is very little to tell about the "Buckeye Battle Cry." My brother-in-law is George "Red" Trautman [Ohio State, '14; formerly president of Zeta province] a Phi from Ohio State and one of their big athletes. He was Assistant Athletic Director there until 1928. J. W. Wilce, head football coach, and L. W. St. John, Director of Athletics, and he were very close friends so the three got after me in 1919 to give them a song.

I was in vaudeville at the time and I sweated and strained and when I finished I thought it was terrible. It was written as a "uke" piece which is far removed from a piano composition. I thought the lyrics were fair, also the tune, but after the Phis [Ohio Zeta] won that yearly Ohio State song-fest and the school adopted it, my sister said it sounded marvelous played by the band.

I never heard it until I dropped in to Ann Arbor between engagements in 1928 to see the Michigan-Ohio State game. Then several thousand students and alumni were singing it, led by half a dozen cheer leaders and accompanied by the band, just before the kickoff. For no reason at all a couple of dinky tears squeezed out. Where they came from I'll never tell, and I felt like a fool, but my sister said she knew I'd be affected that way. Silly, isn't it?

However, they made me an honorary member of the Varsity O Association and have treated me royally ever since.

Mrs. Crumit [née Julia Sanderson] and I started broadcasting two years ago last October for the Blackstone Cigar people. We took on Bond Bread a year ago last January and are all signed up for this year.

We enjoy broadcasting very much; it is a different program each time



FRANK CRUMIT  
The author of the "Buckeye Battle Cry"

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which keeps monotony away. Also we realize we are reaching so many more people that the stage could never touch.

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THERE ARE a number of points about the famous Ohio State song and himself which Brother Crumit might have added but modestly didn't. For instance, that Grantland Rice, *Vanderbilt*, '01, the nation's leading sports writer, recently praised the "Buckeye Battle Cry" as one of the most stirring gridiron pieces in the country. Or that he and Julia Sanderson, his wife, are considered by impartial critics as one of the best radio attractions in the United States. Or that he had been asked to compose an Alma Mater song for Ohio State University.

Ohio State isn't the only one of the nation's universities which has profited by Brother Crumit's genius. He and Brother Rice collaborated to write "Come on Commodores" for Vanderbilt University from which the latter was graduated thirty years ago.

## The Buckeye Battle Cry.

### CHORUS.

Drive! drive on down the field, Men of the scarlet and gray:...

Don't let them thru that line, We have to win this game to-day, Come on, Ohio!

Smash thru to vic-to-ry,... We cheer you as we go;..... Our

hon-or de-fend So we'll fight to the end For O - hi - o.....

Miss Sanderson went on the stage at the age of thirteen. Two years later she was on Broadway, understudying stars. She dates her real start from the *Sunshine Girl* in which she was featured by Charles Frohman. One scintillating memory is that of the opening night in Washington when President Taft gave her an armful of flowers. Other successes in which she appeared include *The Girl from Utah*, *Rambler Rose*, *The Canary*, and in 1922, *Tangerine*.

While playing in *Tangerine* she met Brother Crumit and they went on the road together, playing in *No, No, Nanette*, *Queen High*, and *Oh Kay*. They were married a number of years ago.

Several years ago they decided to retire and settle near Springfield, Massachusetts, in a big country house which they called—rather unprophetically—"Dunrovin." They came out of retirement to try radio in a spirit of fun—and since that time have sung almost constantly over the air.

The Blackstone programs are broadcast over WEAJ and the Red chain, Tuesday nights, 8:00 to 8:30, E.S.T. and Thursday nights over WJZ and the Blue network at 9:00 to 9:30 E.S.T. The Bond Bread programs come Friday mornings, 10:15 to 10:45, E.S.T., over WABC and the Columbia system. Brother Crumit and Miss Sanderson are probably the only artists working over both big chains.



FRANK CRUMIT, *Ohio*, '12, and JULIA SANDERSON  
(Mrs. Crumit)

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# Founders' Day

By FRANK J. R. MITCHELL  
*Northwestern, '96, Alumni Commissioner*

THAT  $\Phi \Delta \Theta$  was not to be merely an undergraduate organization but an institution to hold the allegiance of its members throughout life was the intention of the Founders and patriarchs of the Fraternity, and through all these 83 years has been the policy of  $\Phi \Delta \Theta$ .

While there were informal groups of alumni at earlier dates, our first chartered alumni club dates from 1876 when George Banta, Sr., organized the  $\Phi \Delta \Theta$  Alumni Chapter at Franklin, Indiana. For many years alumni organizations were called chapters but have been known as clubs for the past thirty or forty years.

The years following this beginning saw the establishment of many alumni chapters, and a large number of them have enjoyed long and prosperous careers.

Much as has been done in past years in alumni organization and activity it is but little compared to the vast possibilities in that direction.

Instead of the 100 or so alumni clubs which we now have we should have 500 active organizations cooperating with our active chapters and giving their own members the pleasure which  $\Phi \Delta \Theta$  derive from knowing one another.

More than forty years ago "Alumni Day" was established by constitutional amendment and was designated as the third Wednesday in February. The day was first observed February 19, 1890, when two topics were announced for discussion at these celebrations: (1) Chapter houses—considerations as to ways and means for their general establishment and maintenance; (2) Alumni organizations—how they can be made of most interest and value to the individual members and to the general Fraternity. After more than

forty years these two subjects are still among the most important in the life of the Fraternity.

Many years ago two annual alumni days were established, one on October 15, to be known as Alumni Day, and the other on March 15, designated as Founders' Day, March 15 being the birthday of Robert Morrison, one of the six Founders of  $\Phi \Delta \Theta$ .

This year we hope that every alumni club and every active chapter will observe Founders' Day. In many cases it will be well for active chapters and alumni clubs located in the same city to celebrate together.

It sometimes happens that March 15 is not a convenient date in some localities. It is not necessary that Founders' Day be celebrated on the exact date; any date as near as convenient to March 15 is satisfactory.

This year the subject chosen for Founders' Day discussion is "What Can Alumni Clubs and Individual Alumni Do for the Advancement of  $\Phi \Delta \Theta$ ?"

The discussion need not be limited to this subject but any topic the discussion of which will benefit the Fraternity may also be considered.

It is not too early to begin to prepare right now for Founders' Day. In this connection I make the following suggestions to each of the alumni clubs.

(1) Get your members together sometime in February at a smoker or other informal meeting and from that gathering take a "running start" for your Founders' Day celebration. Be sure your officers and committees will do the work expected of them and especially that your president or general chairman will see to the proper functioning of those entrusted with preparations.



GEORGE BANTA, SR., *Franklin-Indiana, '76*  
Founder of Phi Delta Theta's First Alumni Club

(2) Make your Founders' Day an event of such great interest that no Phi will willingly miss it.

(3) If you have not recently published a club directory, I hope you will make preparations to do so as soon as possible. As a beginning, each Phi attending a Founders' Day celebration should fill out a card giving such information about himself as you will want to use in your directory. Clubs with small membership may prefer to publish their directories in multigraph form. Each one of your members, each general officer, each alumni club and active chapter should receive a copy of each directory.

(4) At the Founders' Day celebration care should be taken to select for

the coming year officers who will take their work seriously. This is going to be a very important year in alumni work and your officers should be Phis who will cooperate enthusiastically in the work. There are such men in all alumni clubs and they are not hard to find.

(5) Finally, each should send to THE SCROLL immediately following the Founders' Day celebration a full account of the event. I have asked the editor of THE SCROLL to hold back the April number as long as possible for the Founders' Day reports. The April issue is to be a special alumni number and we hope that each club will do its full duty in making this the banner year in Founders' Day observance

and that each club will send its report to THE SCROLL *as early as possible*. We request also that *all* alumni activities be reported to THE SCROLL. Publicity is an important factor in alumni work and much benefit is de-

rived from a knowledge of what all our clubs are doing.

If we but exert ourselves just a little more, we can have a continent-wide observance of Founders' Day and a big year of alumni activity in 1932.

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## Beebe Memorial Library

THE accompanying picture shows the new Marcus P. Beebe Memorial Library at Ipswich, South Dakota. H. E. Beebe, *South Dakota*, '07, had charge of the plans, the erection, and the landscaping of the library, which is a memorial to his father. Brother Beebe is a vice-president of the Bank of Ipswich. He is also treasurer of the Yellowstone Highway Association, a

group with headquarters at Ipswich, which is popularizing the "Yellowstone Highway," which is characterized as "a good road from Plymouth Rock to Puget Sound." A brother of H. E. Beebe, M. Plin Beebe, *South Dakota*, '05, is president of the Bank of Ipswich. Brother Beebe has invited Phis using the Yellowstone Highway to stop over and inspect the Library.



# The Editorship of The Scroll

By ARTHUR R. PRIEST  
*DePaulu, '91, Executive Secretary*

THE SCROLL of  $\Phi \Delta \Theta$  has always been fortunate in the character of the men whose services have been available as editors. Many distinguished sons of the Fraternity have filled the position. The position has always demanded originality and tone. THE SCROLL of  $\Phi \Delta \Theta$  has never been tempted by the sensational, but has always sought for true dignity of expression.

In 1923, when the business affairs of the Fraternity were necessarily re-organized, and a new editor was required because of the resignation from that post of Thomas A. Davis, *Wabash, '96*, the Fraternity was not in a position to pay anyone to carry on the work. In this crisis, George Banta, Jr., *Wabash, '14*, was appealed to and generously responded by accepting the position without remuneration. For two years, he carried on under this arrangement. By the end of that period, the finances of the organization were in such shape that he could be given an honorarium similar to that carried by the position prior to 1923.

Before 1923, however, THE SCROLL had been issued only five times each year, and the news contained in the journal was frequently quite out of date. When Brother Banta assumed control, his first act was to change from five issues to eight, and since that time, the journal has appeared every college month from October to May, inclusive.

This increase in number of issues made the work of the editor much more exacting, but it rendered the news of the journal more up to date. Through the past six years, Brother Banta has carried on as editor under a very great handicap because of the limited income available for THE SCROLL. He has constantly desired to give the Fraternity a larger journal with more news features and particu-

larly with more illustrations, but the budget has not permitted such development. Brother Banta has made the best of an unfortunate situation and has given the Fraternity a journal sec-



RUSSELL H. FITZGIBBON  
*Hanover, '24 925*

ond to none, all things considered. Among other Fraternity editors, his work has been pointed to with sincere commendation and he has set a worthy standard of newsmanship coupled with a proper degree of conservatism.

Through all these years, Brother Banta has also had another handicap which has made his sacrifice for the Fraternity doubly significant. His own business connected with the George Banta Publishing Company has been so exacting that he has pleaded with the members of the General Council several times to be relieved as editor. On every such occasion, the members of the General Council have been able to persuade him to continue until such time as they felt that a worthy successor had been developed. Of course, his connection with the publishing company has made it possible for him to give the Fraternity many

"breaks" in the way of service. The Banta Publishing Company has ever been a great source of backing to  $\Phi \Delta \Theta$ . Conceived by Brother George Banta, Senior, *Franklin-Indiana*, '76, many years ago, this company is today the outstanding organization of its type in the publishing field, and  $\Phi \Delta \Theta$  has gained prestige because one of her illustrious sons, and her first President of the General Council has been the founder and first president of the Company. This prestige has been continued under the able direction of George Banta, Jr., as successor to his much loved father. We of  $\Phi \Delta \Theta$  owe much to the Bantas and to their organization.

Last summer, Brother Banta insisted that he should be relieved as editor. Reluctantly the other members of the General Council accepted his resignation with the understanding that he would not require the announcement to be made until the middle of the year 1931-32. On Brother Banta's recommendation, and with the full approval of the other members of the General Council, Russell H. Fitzgibbon, *Hanover*, '24, assistant editor, was asked to assume the editorship. Fortunately for the Fraternity, he could accept the invitation. The four issues of THE SCROLL already published during this college year have been put out under his direction.

Russell Fitzgibbon is typical of all that is best in  $\Phi \Delta \Theta$ . Genuine, reserved, dignified, but not cold, he has ever put the best he has at the service of the Fraternity. Born in Columbus, Indiana, June 29, 1902, of an educational family, he has always manifested first interest in the schools and what they stand for. His father was superintendent of the schools at Columbus until 1918 when he became superintendent at Muncie, Indiana, where he continued until his death in 1926.

Brother Fitzgibbon was prepared for college in the schools of Columbus and Muncie and was graduated from Hanover College with the A.B. degree in 1924. He pursued graduate work at

Chicago and Indiana, taking his A.M. degree from the latter institution in 1928. He is now a research assistant in the University of Wisconsin in the department of political science. Since 1924, he has been a member of the faculty of Hanover College, from which institution he is now absent on leave.

He was initiated into  $\Phi \Delta \Theta$  December 4, 1919, and held all the regular chapter offices except that of chorister—he claims he cannot sing at all. He has attended the last five General Conventions, Kansas City, Cleveland, Montreal, Nashville, and Detroit. He has missed but few province conventions or gatherings of the initiates within Kappa Province nor has he ever failed to respond to a call for any kind of worth-while service. The present splendid chapter house of Indiana Epsilon is but one of the many accomplishments carried through partly with his help. It may be said in confidence that the chapter this fall wrote to Headquarters that the bunch felt very much like orphans now that Russell is no longer on the Hanover campus. He has trained them well, however, and they are carrying on.

He is a member of the York and Scottish Rite Masonic bodies, a member of the American Political Science Association, the Indiana Historical Society,  $\Pi \Gamma M$  (honorary social science fraternity), and national president of  $A \Phi \Gamma$  (honorary journalistic fraternity). In 1929 he was married to Miss Irene Cory of Gary, Indiana, who is an alumna of Hanover College, 1927. Mrs. Fitzgibbon is a member of  $A \Delta \Pi$ . She is in full sympathy with all of Brother Fitzgibbon's plans to serve  $\Phi \Delta \Theta$ .

The new editor is fitted in every way to carry on the splendid traditions of the long line of successful editors of THE SCROLL. We lose George Banta with great regret, but the edge is taken off of our grief by reason of the joy we feel in welcoming Russell Fitzgibbon as the new editor.

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# Tennessee Rhodes Scholar

By RICHARD L. GIBSON  
*Vanderbilt Reporter*

As a very fitting culmination to a highly successful university career, Don K. Price, Jr., *Vanderbilt*, '31, was chosen as one of the 1931 Rhodes Scholars from the southern district. In both the preliminary examination in Memphis, Tennessee, and the final try-out in Atlanta, Georgia, Price ranked unusually high.

During his four years at Vanderbilt Price was very active, both in the Fraternity and on the campus. While in school he edited the *Vanderbilt Hustler*, the campus newspaper, and served on the staff of the year book, the *Commodore*. He was one of the most active members of the Calumet chapter of Σ Y and served as president of the Blue Pencil Club, undergraduate literary organization. Price's scholastic ability was outstanding as well evidenced by his election to the Vanderbilt chapter of Φ B K and the fact that he was one of leading contenders for the Founders' Medal given each year to the highest ranking scholar in the university. Price's scholastic record and his work as chairman of the University Publications Board were perhaps his two most outstanding pieces of work as an undergraduate.

Since his graduation in June, 1931, Price has held the position of assistant sports editor on the *Evening Tennessean*, one of the leading Nashville newspapers, and has also done



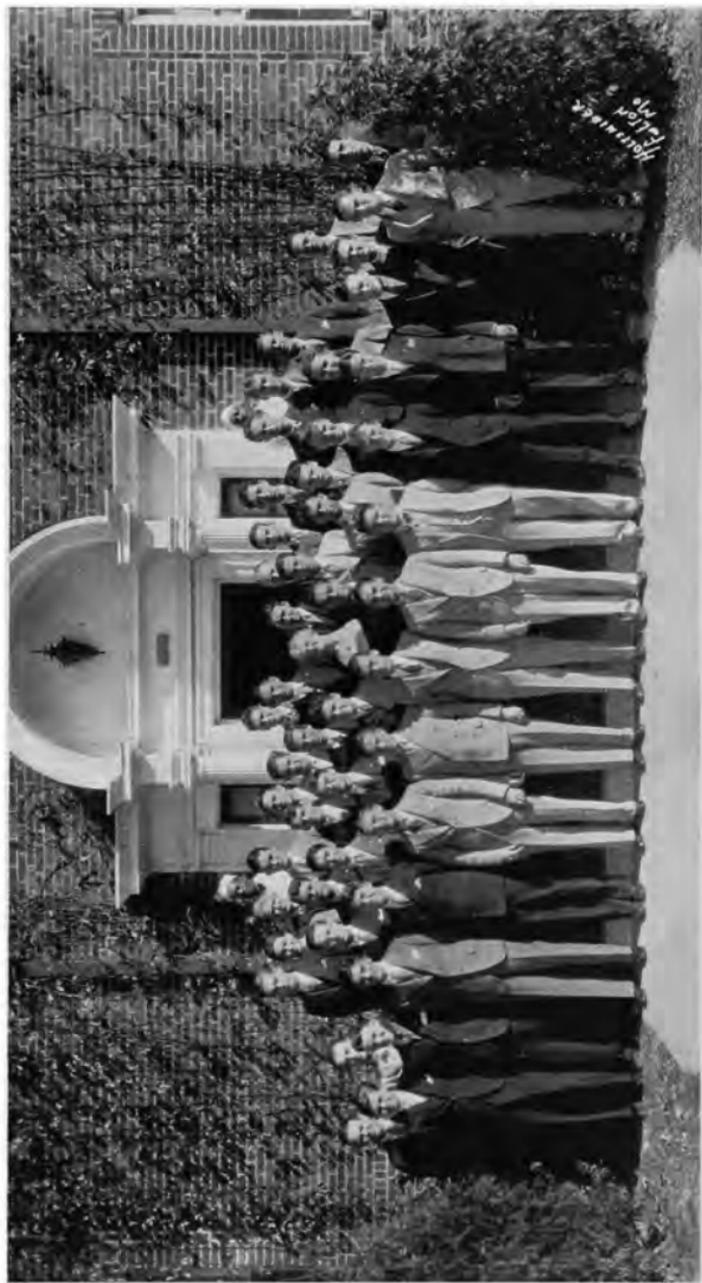
DON K. PRICE, JR.  
*Vanderbilt*, '31

quite a bit of work in the alumni office of Vanderbilt.

Price is intending to enter either Baliol or King's College at Oxford and due to his high standard of achievement in the past, it seems quite assured that he will continue his already enviable record.

It is interesting that Tennessee's first Rhodes Scholar, chosen almost three decades ago, is also a Phi. He is John J. Tigert, *Vanderbilt*, '04, Past President of the General Council, former United States Commissioner of Education and now president of the University of Florida. Vanderbilt is proud of both the first and latest of these exponents of high scholarship.





MISSOURI BETA, WESTMINSTER COLLEGE

*First row, left to right:* Hill, Humphreys, Mow, Sless, Todd, Phillips, Luce, Miller, Singleton, D. Gordon, Hunter, S. Gordon, Fuchs.  
*Second row:* Elliot, Whaley, Reed, Hayes, Dick, Galloway, Vaughan, Coutlas, Setcill, Barnes, Yantis, Rowland.  
*Third row:* Tolby, Langenberg, Durham, Mrs. Young, Baker, Finks.  
*Fourth row:* Duffenderfer, McVinn, B. Acuff, Rice, Crews, Roth, J. Acuff, McCampbell, Wright, Hemphill, Reeves, Carnes, McClure, Thompson, Fisher, Clayton.

# Missouri Beta Scholarship

By RUSSELL H. FITZGIBBON  
*Hanover, '24*

*Not because this plan of establishing a scholarship for nonfraternity men is the thought of my chapter, but because I believe it admirably expresses the finest traditions of  $\Phi \Delta \Theta$ 's democracy, I hope many of our chapters may adopt some similar plan.—ELMER C. HENDERSON, Westminster, '93, Past President of the General Council.*

THESE "Beta" chapters have a way of doing things!

First it was Massachusetts Beta at Amherst which a few years ago underwrote a college archeological expedition to the Far West.

Then came Ohio Beta at Ohio Wesleyan, the chapter which last year adopted "Oscar," the renamed son of a poor Delaware family and made him the pet, the pride, and the "pledge" of the chapter. It was an act which was probably as widely quoted in the world of fraternity magazines as any news item of the year.

Now Missouri Beta at Westminster follows suit in showing the stuff that fraternities are made of.

Last fall the chapter pledged to the college the sum of one hundred dollars annually, the equivalent of a reasonable return on an invested endowment of \$2,000, to be used as a scholarship for a resident of the dormitory, a nonfraternity student. Not some freshman chosen from the chapter, or some upperclass Phi who was headed toward scholarship honors, but a worthy Westminster student who belonged to no fraternity! Is it any wonder that one of the Past Presidents of the General Council said recently that he feels "that the establishment of this scholarship for nonfraternity men is one of the finest gestures ever made by any fraternity?"

The recipient of the scholarship is chosen each year by the president of the college, Dr. M. E. Melvin, in cooperation with the Dormitory Council. A requirement is that he be a resi-



DAVID DIFFENDERFER  
*Missouri Beta*  
Chapter President

dent of Reunion Hall, a college dormitory.

The chapter has founded the scholarship in memory of the Rev. Robert Morrison, *Miami, '49*, chief of the Immortal Six founders, and a man remembered as fondly and gratefully by Westminster College as by  $\Phi \Delta \Theta$ . For it was Father Morrison, more than any other one man, who removed from Westminster the financial burden which threatened its existence in the early years of the college. He was instrumental in bringing a chapter of the Fraternity to Westminster, attended a number of the Fraternity's conventions, and all in all was an out-

standing figure in the first half century of  $\Phi \Delta \Theta$ 's life aside from his work at Miami in 1848-49. Father Morrison is buried in the Hillcrest Cemetery at Fulton, home of Missouri Beta.

During the semi-centennial celebration of Missouri Beta at Westminster not long since a memorial tablet was unveiled in Swope Chapel by the chapter in memory of the Fraternity's founder and leader. The chapter has at other times commemorated the services of the Rev. Mr. Morrison in other ways. The scholarship is designed to perpetuate in an active way his memory.

Another unique feature is to be found in the annual cash award of twenty-five dollars given by Fulton alumni on the recommendation of chapter seniors to the best chapter freshman of the year, selected on the basis of scholarship, activities, general demeanor, characteristics of a gentleman, conduct as a freshman, etc. The first award was given unanimously last year to Brother Sloss of

St. Louis. The chapter is fortunate in having as residents of Fulton two Past Presidents of the General Council, Charles F. Lamkin and Elmer C. Henderson.

A pleasing acknowledgment of the cash scholarship was received by the chapter last fall in the form of a letter from President Melvin of the college to David Diffenderfer, chapter president. Part of the letter read as follows:

"Just as I was leaving the office recently the  $\Phi \Delta \Theta$  Scholarship of \$100 came, and I did not have an opportunity to thank the fraternity for this help to the college.

"I want to take this opportunity to express my appreciation. This was a very generous and gracious act on the part of the chapter. I assigned the income from this to Marion O. Smith, a member of the sophomore class."

There are seventeen other "Beta" chapters. Will they form a "conspiracy of altruism" to keep up the good work so nobly begun by Amherst, Ohio Wesleyan, and Westminster?

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# Traveling With the Traveling Secretaries

## *The Empire State*

UNION COLLEGE, true to her fame as the "Mother of Fraternities," to this day maintains a kindly and helpful attitude toward her children, and you will find today on the historic campus in Schenectady a fine group of chapters, some of them with over a hundred years of tradition behind them. A Phi or a Sigma Chi or a Beta finds Union unusually interesting, because as the home of the Union Triad she exerted indirectly an influence on Miami—the home of another famous Triad—which became the western Mother of Fraternities.

The administration at Union has set aside two days on the college calendar in February during which all the fraternities conduct their initiations. During this time no conflicting engagements, such as athletic trips, are allowed to be scheduled.

The engineers, particularly of the electrical inclination, are fortunate in having the main plants of the General Electric Company located in Schenectady, where they are open to Union students for organized observation and study.

New York Beta has long had a reputation throughout the Fraternity as a most hospitable chapter, and as a recent visitor I can testify that the reputation is well founded. For additional evidence, I could cite the profuse comments of a visitor, not a Union man and not a fraternity man, who happened to call at the house during my visit. He could not finish commending the courtesy and cordiality of the boys. Apparently the pledges are trained in this art from the beginning.

In many ways Colgate University is an ideal fraternity field. Here is an institution, well equipped, which selects its enrollment of 1,000 men

carefully. It is located twenty miles from a town of any size, and supports thirteen good fraternities. College spirit, in its best form, is vigorous at Colgate.

New York Zeta has taken advantage of the opportunities of its environment. Though relatively young, the chapter has built for itself in the course of little over a decade an enviable reputation and prestige which is well merited. The financial set-up of the chapter and the house corporation has been recognized for some time by General Headquarters as a model organization, and due to the active interest and service of alumni, notably John Dunn, that set-up has proved unusually successful. The chapter is also deeply indebted to the active and kindly interest of several Phis on the faculty.

The chapter is very well represented in athletics and other student activities, and it is not difficult for a visitor to discover to what extent this representation exists, because an excellent chapter chart is kept up to date and is posted in the second floor hall. Some activities not listed there, however, play important rôles in the lives of Colgate Phis. One of the brothers, for instance, probably regrets having interested me in the beautiful university golf course, for after shooting what was for me a good score for seven holes, I found the course was tricky as well as beautiful, and proceeded to lose four balls off the next tee.

Colgate may be hard to get to by train or bus, but it is well worth the trouble on the part of any Phi. The boys will really take care of you and show you a good time.

Syracuse University enrolls about 5,500 students, among whom the men have about a three to two numerical advantage over the women. Syracuse

is noted for at least two things: the fact that the railroad runs down a main street of the city, and Syracuse University. The first distinction is based on novelty, the second on quality.

It was my good fortune to visit the Syracuse chapter at the time of the annual meeting of the alumni association at the chapter house. A large body of alumni attended from many parts of New York State, and the spirit and interest of the group is excellent. Whenever I see an exhibition of organized alumni in action I am the more deeply convinced of the importance of cultivating and maintaining alumni interest, and of the necessity, if that is to be done, for leaders among the alumni body to assume initiative as well as for action on the part of the active chapter. Effective co-operation between the two groups can accomplish anything.

If you think an active mothers' club isn't a real asset, just ask a Syracuse Phi. On the evening of the alumni meeting, the mothers' club had complete charge of serving a delightful buffet supper, and that meant assurance not only of good food, but of an attractive house and excellent service.

The chapter swept the campus in pledging last fall, and not content with doing half a job well, has provided for a systematic and worthwhile program for pledge training. The chapter adviser, Louie Lighton, has taken over a direct charge of the freshmen, and if I am not fooled we may look for big things from the 1935 delegation at New York Epsilon.

If any one were asked to name the most beautiful campuses of America, He could not fail to include Cornell. On the hills over "Cayuga's Waters" the stately buildings stand, surrounded by endless varieties of trees and well kept lawns, and through the campus runs the deep, rock-ribbed chasms, full of water falls, which make the university justly famous the world over for its scenic beauty.

In keeping with its beautiful sur-

roundings, our chapter house is recognized as one of the most beautiful fraternity homes in the country. Designed by a Cornell Phi, Clarence Dunbar, the man who was architect for the Vermont home, the house evokes such admiration on the part of a visitor that it serves as a subject of conversation for him for many a day and many an occasion thereafter. The dining room and chapter room are particularly noteworthy, although a complete list of ingenious features would be too long to have a place here.

Of the 5,800 students at Cornell, about 4,500 are men, so it is not particularly surprising to find 65 men's fraternities at the university.

The total enrollment of Columbia University runs well up into five figures, as nearly everyone knows. But not everyone knows that the enrollment of Columbia college is less than 2,000 men, a large number of whom are commuters. It is from the student body of this college that the 27 fraternities largely draw their memberships. As a result of these facts, most, if not all, of the chapters that maintain houses at Columbia have room to accommodate alumni members. Alumni of many chapters of the Fraternity have availed themselves of this opportunity to live at the chapter house on coming to New York to work or to continue their studies.

New York Delta owns and occupies a good home on 113th just off Broadway. It is conveniently located within a block of the university and about the same distance from the subway.

Located on Manhattan, the chapter naturally must face problems which are unique in the Fraternity. Questions of residence, finance, and social life in the heart of New York City are quite different and for the most part more difficult than the same questions, if they arise at all, in institutions located in small towns. The boys are facing these questions courageously, and are being greatly assisted by a group of loyal and energetic alumni.

MARK W. BRADFORD

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## Alumni . . .

Rollin C. Bortle, *Pennsylvania*, '05, has for the past two months been assisting Mr. Harvey D. Gibson, president of the Manufacturer's Trust Company and chairman of the Emergency Unemployment Relief Committee in New York City. As chairman of the Madison Square Garden Rally, he had the interesting task of assembling 26 glee clubs with a total of 1,200 voices under the direction of Marshall Bartholomew, director of music at Yale, and eight bands of 545 pieces under the direction of Lieutenant Philip Enger of West Point. The rally brought out about 12,000 people and was broadcast for an hour and a half over WJZ and associated stations.

It was the starting point from which ex-Governor Alfred E. Smith sent 17,000 canvassers in a block-to-block canvass of the entire city of New York. Since the completion of the rally he has recruited 125 bond men in the Wall Street district canvass, under the leadership of outstanding men in the financial section. As a former president of the Bond Club it was a pleasure for him to be associated again with many representatives of the big financial houses of the city. Brother Bortle is now connected with Watson and White, members of the New York Stock Exchange, at 149 Broadway. He is a former member of the board of trustees of the Palmer Endowment Fund.

Dwight F. Davis, *Washington* (St. Louis), '99, Governor-General of the Philippine Islands and Secretary of War under President Coolidge, resigned early in January from his post in our Far Eastern possession. The resignation, which was due to the ill health of Mrs. Davis and which had been rumored for some time, was accepted by President Hoover with an expression of regret and deep appreciation for Governor-General Davis' services at Manila. Mrs. Davis is now

in Paris and Brother Davis will join her there. He was prominently mentioned at the time of his resignation in connection with other posts of public service, notably the appointment as ambassador to the Court of St. James, and as a candidate for the United States Senate from Missouri, but at the time of going to press none of these reports had materialized. Brother Davis is famous in the world of sports as the donor of the renowned Davis Cup, international tennis trophy. He was himself formerly a champion tennis player.

Announcement was made recently of a secret wedding December 1 of unusual interest in the number of  $\Phi \Delta \Theta$  connections represented. It was that of Roger B. Friend, *California*, '28, to Miss Jean Kathleen Curtis, of Berkeley, California, the ceremony taking place at the Little Church Around the Corner, in New York City. The groom is the son of William Nat Friend, *California*, '96, postmaster of Oakland, and the bride is the daughter of Colonel Lawrence A. Curtis, *Wisconsin*, '94, U. S. Army, retired. Kent Curtis, *California*, '29, is a brother of Mrs. Friend. It was to Colonel Curtis, Mrs. Friend's father, that General Frederick Funston, *Kansas*, '90, then a lower ranking officer in the army, surrendered the Filipino leader Aguinaldo after Funston's daring capture of him and his staff some thirty years ago in the Philippine insurrection. Brother and Mrs. Friend are residing in New York City where Brother Friend is affiliated with the staff of a New York newspaper.

Dr. Charles O. Appleman, *Dickinson*, '03, dean of the graduate school and professor of plant physiology and bio-chemistry at the University of Maryland, has received the high honor of the Barnes Life Membership in the American Society of Plant Physiologi-

gists. He is only the fourth man in the history of the society to be so honored. At intervals the members of the society vote to select a member who is worthy of the award. The selection is based upon long and continued contributions to the science of plant physiology.

The award was established by the society in memory of Dr. C. R. Barnes, who was the first outstanding plant physiologist in America. Brother Appleman, thus honored for his work in this field of science, is the Phi who, more than any other, was responsible for the chartering of Maryland Alpha in 1930.

Among the changes in major league baseball in the 1932 season will be one in which  $\Phi \Delta \Theta$  will be particularly interested. The Chicago White Sox have traded Outfielder Carl Reynolds, *Southwestern*, '26, and Infielder Johnny Kerr to the Washington Senators for Pitchers Irving Hadley and Sam Jones and Second Baseman Minter Hayes. Reynolds, considered one of the greatest outfielding finds in years by the White Sox, batted .359 in 1930 to tie with Babe Ruth of the Yankees but last season he was out of action for a time and his average fell to .290.

Among those mentioned as successor to Judge James H. Wilkerson, *DePauw*, '89, when the latter was nominated about the middle of January by President Hoover to fill a vacancy on the bench of the United States Circuit Court of Appeals at Chicago was Judge Walter P. Steffan, *Chicago*, '09, of the Cook County Court. Judge Steffan has been one of the outstanding jurists of Chicago and has also gained wide fame as the commuting coach of the Carnegie Tech team, from which position he recently resigned.

L. G. Cannon, *DePauw*, '27, engineer in the commercial power department of the Commonwealth Edison Company, Chicago, has been named

winner of first award in a national competition for papers on the subject "The Commercial and Merchandising Phases of the Electric Light and Power Industry." Brother Cannon was quite active in chapter and university activities as an undergraduate.

George S. Ward, *Illinois*, '10, acted as master of ceremonies at the eleventh annual "round-up" of the alumni of Big Ten universities at the Shoreham Hotel in Washington at the close of the football season. Among the patrons were many of the most prominent government officials and their wives. Of the 421 present Ohio State had the largest delegation, 81.

M. B. Givens, *Chicago*, '21, is now engaged as an economist with the Social Science Research Council in New York City. He is author of numerous articles on labor and other phases of economics. Brother Givens received his Ph.D. degree from Wisconsin in 1929.

Two young alumni of Davidson are continuing scholastic work in professional schools. They are C. H. Goodykoontz, '31, now attending medical school at the University of Maryland, and William A. Rembert, '31, studying law at the University of Texas.

David L. Trax, Jr., *Cornell*, '16, engineer for the Gypsy Oil Company, Tulsa, Oklahoma, was recently elected chairman of the midcontinent section of the American Petroleum Institute's division of production. He was formerly its technical adviser.

Colonel T. L. Kirkpatrick, *Colorado College*, '11, of Charlotte, North Carolina, has been reelected president of the United States Good Roads Association for 1932.

Among recently published books by members of the Fraternity is *The Traveling Tingles* by Hershel Williams.

## Chapter Grand . . .

### *Frank Otis, California, '73*

Succumbing to peritonitis following an operation a few days before, Frank Otis, *California, '73*, former mayor of Alameda, California, and a member of the first class to graduate from the University of California, died January 7 at an Alameda sanitarium. For more than sixty years Brother Otis had been actively associated with student and alumni affairs of the state university and for nearly as long had maintained an active connection with civic affairs of Alameda and San Francisco.

From 1919 to 1929 Brother Otis was a member of the Alameda city council and during most of that time served as mayor of the city. In 1909 he was elected a member of the state legislature and while in that capacity he was the co-author of the Walker-Otis bill which ended horse race gambling in California. In 1899 he was elected a member of the Alameda board of education and served in that post for eight years.

Brother Otis in September of 1869 was the eleventh student to enroll in the first class of the University of California. He was not a charter member of California Alpha, however, although he is carried in first position on its roll. He was graduated Number 1 in scholarship, receiving the first university medal given annually to "the most distinguished graduate." He was active in both athletic and student affairs as a member of the university and also held membership in  $\Phi$  B K and Golden Bear. After his graduation he was elected president of the alumni association of the university. He had numerous fraternal and civic affiliations in Alameda and San Francisco. Funeral services were held January 9 after the body had lain in state in the rotunda of the Alameda city hall. Among the honorary pallbearers was Chief Justice William H. Waste, *California, '91*, of the California Supreme Court.

President Sproul of the University of California in commenting upon his death said: "The passing of Frank Otis destroys another link in the chain which binds the university to its beginnings. He was a member of that first class of 1873 which set the standard for all the classes to come. Personally, he exemplified in high degree the qualities of loyalty and service to home, to city, and to the larger community that a state has a right to expect of the graduates of its university. We have been proud of Frank Otis living; we mourn him dead."

Brother Otis is survived by his widow and two sons, Judge Edwin M. Otis, *California, '03*, and Stephen F. Otis, *California, '08*, attorney of Sacramento. A grandson, now deceased, was a member of Oregon Alpha. Brother Otis maintained an undiminished interest in  $\Phi$   $\Delta$   $\Theta$  and was a constant attendant at chapter dinners, reunions, and initiations.

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### *Albert Leonard, Ohio, '88*

Superintendent Albert Leonard, *Ohio, '88*, just recently resigned from the supervision of the public schools of New Rochelle, New York, died at his home in that city December 5, following an illness of two months. He would have been 73 years old on December 21. For twenty-five years he had headed the New Rochelle school system until his resignation November 21. He is survived by his widow, one daughter, and one son.

Brother Leonard had devoted forty-three years to educational work. He had occupied positions in New York state except for the period 1900-02 when he was president of the normal schools of Michigan and for the five years following when he was in the educational department of Houghton, Mifflin and Company. Brother Leonard held four degrees, A.B., M.A., Litt.D., and Ed.D., from Ohio University. The

first was received in 1888 and the last forty years he has been editor of the *Journal of Pedagogy*. He was a member of the advisory council of the Simplified Spelling Board and a former president of the New York State Teachers' Association. He also held membership in  $\Phi$  B K.

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*Thomas Channing Moore, University of the South, '88*

Thomas C. Moore, *Sewanee*, '88, political leader in Westchester County, New York, and former state assemblyman, died at his home in Bronxville, November 18. He had served as an active and progressive member of the state assembly from 1920 to 1926 and was re-elected for one term in 1929. In 1926 he was the sponsor for a referendum bill for a new charter for Westchester county and in 1929 he introduced a bill curbing child marriages, which was later adopted. His hobby was the protection of wild flowers and in 1925 he succeeded in having enacted a bill protecting trailing arbutus in New York.

Brother Moore had served as a member of the board of trustees and as a regent of the University of the South. He had always maintained a close interest in his alma mater. For thirty years he had been associated with the International Business Machines Corporation and in later years had acted as New York manager for that corporation. For many years he had been vestryman in Christ Church, Bronxville, and held membership in many fraternal and civic organizations. He is survived by his widow, two sons, and a daughter.

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*Guy A. Myers, Emory, '02*

Guy A. Myers, *Emory*, '02, well-known attorney and business executive

of the South, died October 12, in Atlanta, after a short illness.

Brother Myers was one of the best known business executives of Georgia. He was general sales manager of the Southern Bell Telephone and Telegraph Company and had been active in civic and social affairs in Atlanta and Charlotte, North Carolina, since his graduation from the law school of Emory University in 1902.

Soon after his graduation he was admitted to the bar but discontinued the practice of law in 1905 when he became connected with the Bell Telephone Company. He was transferred to Charlotte in 1914 where he took an active part in civic affairs, having been vice-president of the Chamber of Commerce and a member of the Rotary Club there.

His promotion in the company was rapid and he was appointed general sales manager in 1926 with offices in Atlanta.

Brother Myers was 49 years old. He is survived by his wife, a son and a daughter.

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*Clarence S. Hart, Union, '93*

Clarence S. Hart, *Union*, '93, executive officer and registrar in the Schenectady Bureau of Health, died at his home in Schenectady, New York, on September 15 after an illness of more than a year. He was born in that city May 21, 1869, the son of Louis P. and Julian Van Buren Hart. He prepared at the Union Classical Institute and later studied civil engineering at Union College. For a number of years he served as an accountant with the General Electric Company and the American Locomotive Company until 1908 when he associated with the Schenectady Health Bureau and continued in his work until his death. He is survived by his wife, Anna P. Morris, formerly of Johnstown, New York.

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*In Coelo Quies Est*

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# Alumni Clubs . . .

## *New York City Colgate Phis*

DEAR BROTHER BANTA:

I am sorry for my delay in writing you regarding the informal dinner meeting of the N.Y.C. Colgate Phis about which I spoke to you at the time of the Interfraternity Conference.

The affair, held Monday evening, December 7, was most successful and I am sure if you are able to find space in THE SCROLL a line or two will be enjoyed as well as advantageous to us.

Not since 1927 had this group of, at present, approximately 80 members attempted to gather. It was gratifying, therefore, to assemble over twenty men, representing no less than ten different "delegations."

Dinner was served in the Café dining room of Hotel Pennsylvania and prior to and following the dinner, the group assembled in a guest-floor parlor suite of the type used for the recent meetings of the General Council.

Late in the evening someone called order and suggestions were made as to the type of function and the date for our next affair. No definite decision was reached but W. B. Hess and myself were appointed as the committee to make inquiries regarding the possibilities of the  $\Phi \Delta \Theta$  New York Alumni Club's plans to celebrate Founders' Day and to draw up a program for either a joint meeting with the parent group or an informal dinner of our own to be held March 15.

Yours in the Bond,

NEIL S. ALLEN

## *San Diego, California*

A meeting was held at the San Diego Athletic Club, December 31, 1931, by the San Diego members of  $\Phi \Delta \Theta$  in honor of visiting Phis from various chapters on the Pacific Coast, who were spending the holidays in San Diego. Brother Hotchkiss, *Washburn*, presided.

Brother Hotchkiss spoke regarding the reorganization of a San Diego alumni club of  $\Phi \Delta \Theta$  and pointed out the good that could be accomplished through the meetings, and the assistance that could be given active chapters.

Percy J. Paxton was called upon to give an account of the former alumni club of San Diego which went out of active existence about three years ago.

Brother Paxton was very enthusiastic about the reorganization of an alumni club for San Diego.

The visiting members from active chapters were called upon for informal talks and much information was gained on the activities of  $\Phi \Delta \Theta$  in various chapters on the Pacific Coast.

The members in attendance at this meeting were as follows: Stephen Fletcher, *Oregon*; C. T. Chandler, Jr., *Stanford*; Geo. H. White, *Washburn*; J. J. O'Haver, *Stanford*; Harry J. Edwards, *Stanford*; George D. Roberts, *Stanford*; S. Robert Frazee, *Stanford*; Wade Ambrose, *Oregon*; Percy J. Paxton, *Washburn*; Charles P. Platz, *Stanford*; Al C. Edwards, *Oregon*; Wig Fletcher, *Oregon*; Hal G. Hotchkiss, *Washburn*; Ferd Fletcher, *Oregon*; Don Wilson, *Stanford*; Hugh D. Cook, *Georgia Tech*; John D. Donohue, *Oregon*.

## *Sullivan, Indiana*

The alumni of  $\Phi \Delta \Theta$  of Sullivan, Indiana, petitioned for an alumni club charter three years ago. The charter was granted and the club has been active during this time.

The latest meeting of the club was held on New Year's Eve at the Black Bat Tea Room in Sullivan. Thirty-two members and guests of the club were present. It was a banquet meeting. After enjoying a very splendid meal a short business session was held and the following officers were elected for 1932: president, Joe P. Stratton, *Indiana*; vice-president, Clem Hux, *Wabash*; secretary-treasurer, H. C. Gilmore, *Franklin*.

Following the business session Hinkle C. Hays, *Wabash*, '12, was called upon by the president and he responded with words which were very appropriate to the occasion.

This club has been very active in interesting a fine group of young men in  $\Phi \Delta \Theta$ . As a result several chapters have pledged and initiated twelve or fifteen real men from Sullivan in the past three years.

HARRY C. GILMORE

## *Wichita Kansas*

Although the Wichita alumni club is not listed, it is developing plenty of power.

The Christmas party on December 30

was a huge success. Twenty-seven rushees who will attend U.C.L.A., Stanford, Texas, K.S.A.C., and Kansas were there besides about 200 Phis and their friends.

We point with pride to our four new pledges, Mell Harper, Brooks Harryman, Tom Griffith from K.U., and John Pelzel from Chicago. These men are all excellent students and activity men.

I wish, personally to commend Kansas Alpha on the excellent way they treat their or rather any alumni when they are visited. If all our chapters would do likewise it would build up an alumni enthusiasm that would surpass our fondest hopes.

PAT O'LEARY

#### *Baltimore, Maryland*

Dean Hoffman, president of Gamma Province, was the principal speaker at the club's dinner held October 1. In a peppy talk, full of spice and wit, he emphasized the advantages of fellowship which our Fraternity creates. Because of a new plan recently instituted whereby a different member presides at each meeting, Brother Slack was toastmaster. He proved a real success.

The November meeting of the club, held on the fifth, was devoted to an election of officers for the new year. The

following were elected: Brothers Zimmerman, *Randolph-Macon*, '07, president; McEntee, *Kentucky*, '19, vice-president; Harrington, *West Virginia*, '29, treasurer; Lloyd, *Maryland*, '30, secretary; Creed, *Maryland*, '29, reporter. Brother Wootton then outlined the duties of the various offices. Brother Weinberg ably filled the chair as toastmaster. Swigert, retiring treasurer, thrilled the gathering with a report which showed a balance in the black.

The December dinner was the first held under the new administration. Brother Troxell, *Washburn*, '20, now with the economics department of the city hall, delivered an interesting and instructive talk on the present unemployment situation.

On January 7 the club heard an enjoyable speech from a fellow Greek, one Hammond, an announcer at a local broadcasting station. He reviewed radio development from the studio angle and dealt with the formation of the many new words the use of the radio has created. Mark Bradford, traveling secretary, who was visiting the active chapter at Maryland, attended our meeting. He told us of Fraternity conditions, both national and local, and of his work as traveling secretary. Three undergraduates from Maryland also were present.

EUGENE CREED, JR.

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THE SCROLL,  
Menasha, Wisconsin.

GENTLEMEN:

In reference to the very greatly appreciated paragraph in THE SCROLL of December 1931 about a tournament last summer, I feel that it would be unfair of me to accept in silence an error which is most complimentary to me.

Georgia being to golfers what Mecca means to Mohammedans, your flattering statement that I am "from the same state that bred Bobby Jones," and won a Montgomery County, Georgia, tournament is, I must confess, in error; the tournament being the Montgomery, Alabama, Invitation (as you have doubtless already been informed by enraged brothers resident in that Georgia county). And a glance at my so-called golf game would be ample evidence that I have never even breathed the same kind of air as does Mr. Jones.

Yours in the Bond

FILES CRENSHAW, JR.

We feel humble. We wish we could blame this on a press association, but not having the clipping we must let the blame fall where it may. But we are sure our four Georgia chapters and even Σ A E's Bobby Jones will not take offense.

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### AKRON, OHIO

Verlin P. Jenkins, 1170 W. Exchange St.  
Thursday noon, City Club, Ohio Bldg.

### ATLANTA, GA.

Francis Gilbert, 414 Hurt Bldg.  
12:30 P.M. Friday, The Daffodil, 81 Pryor St.  
N.E.

- BALTIMORE, MD.  
E. R. Wootton, Union Trust Co.  
Friday, 1:00 P.M., Engineers' Club, 6 Fayette St.
- BEAUMONT, TEXAS  
Harvey Munro, Munro Dry Cleaning Co.,  
Beaumont, Texas.
- BOISE, IDAHO  
M. A. Thometz, 1915 Harrison Blvd.  
Third Wednesday, Elks' Club, 12:15 P.M.
- BOSTON, MASS.  
Chester S. Brett, 421 Summer St.  
12:30 P.M., every Friday, University Club
- BUFFALO, N.Y.  
E. A. McCreery, 174 Pearl St., Morgan Bldg.  
Friday noon, Balcony of Statler Restaurant,  
Ellicott Square Bldg.
- BURLINGTON, VT.  
P. M. Bell, 247 Prospect Ave.  
First Thursday each month, 6:30 P.M.,  $\Phi$   $\Delta$   $\Theta$   
House
- CANTON, OHIO  
Robert M. Wallace, 949 Beiner Pl. N.E.,  
Massillon, Ohio
- CHICAGO, ILL.  
D. A. Buckmaster, c/o Mead and Co., 69 W.  
Washington  
Friday, 12:15 P.M., Brevoort Hotel, 120 W.  
Madison St.
- CINCINNATI, OHIO  
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Monday noon, Cincinnati Club, 8th and Race
- CLEVELAND, OHIO  
Robert A. Oswald, 519 Hippodrome Bldg.  
Friday noon, University Club.
- COLUMBUS, OHIO  
Dan D. Fulmer, 815 Beggs Bldg., 21 E. State  
St.  
Last Friday each month, F. & R. Lazarus Co.  
Dining Room
- CRAWFORDSVILLE, IND.  
W. A. Collins, First National Bank
- DALLAS, TEX.  
W. B. Head, Jr., c/o Dallas Power and Light  
Co., Thomas Bldg.  
Friday 12:15 P.M., University Club
- DAYTON, OHIO  
Richard Swartzel, 1315 Grand Ave., Dayton,  
Ohio  
First Friday each month, 12:15 P.M., Engi-  
neers' Club
- DENVER, COLO.  
Wesley Hamilton, Jr., 322 Foster Bldg.  
Thursday, 12:15 P.M., Denver Dry Goods Tea  
Room
- DETROIT, MICH.  
Warren T. Macaulay, 34th Floor, David Stott  
Bldg.  
Friday, 12:30 P.M., Aztec Tower, 32nd Floor,  
Union Trust Bldg.
- ELMIRA, N.Y.  
Harvey J. Couch, 143 Church St., Odessa,  
N.Y.  
Meetings held regularly fifteenth of each  
month
- ENID, OKLA.  
Leslie J. Everitt, Longbell Lumber Co.
- ERIE, PA.  
Dr. R. B. Slocum, 609 Commerce Bldg.  
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Club
- FORT WAYNE, IND.  
Merlin S. Wilson, S.W. Corner Berry and  
Clinton Sts.  
Meet on occasion at Chamber of Commerce
- FRANKLIN, IND.  
James D. Collins
- GALESBURG, ILL.  
Frederick T. Webster, Holmes Bldg.  
Friday, 12:15 P.M., Galesburg Club
- GRAND FORKS, N.D.  
Harold A. Roe  
First and Third Thursdays, 12:15 P.M., Ry-  
an Hotel
- GRAND RAPIDS, MICH.  
Willis Leenhouts, Corner Fountain St. and  
Prospect Ave.  
First Friday of every month, University Club  
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## The Miami Triad



*Phi Delta Theta was born nine years after Beta Theta Pi was founded. Within six years Sigma Chi followed, not sixteen years after the first born of the Miami Triad. If, after the fashion of genealogists, these births in the Miami family whose home was located in Oxford, Butler County, Ohio, were to be listed, they would appear as follows:*

*Beta, born 8 August 1839*

*Phi, born 26 December 1848*

*Sigma, born 28 June 1855*

*In June 1855, it may have seemed a long time back to August 1839. Even six years back to December 1848 was a good while.*

*When the dates are studied now, after seventy-seven years of Sigma Chi's life, the period covered by them seems much shorter. It was by no means uncommon in American family life for an entire generation—usually estimated at thirty years—to intervene between the births of the oldest and youngest children of the same parentage. The family analogy seems appropriate in thinking of the Miami Triad; for the three fraternities were born of the same nourishing mother. They first saw the light in the same environment; grew up in the same surroundings; breathed the same air.*

*"Pater" Knox, of Beta Theta Pi, in his hours of happy recollection of college days, recalled his interest in ancient secret societies as he read of them and, particularly, in "the actions of men who bound themselves together by vows which were never broken, and who pursued the great objects of their association with an energy that never tired, with a zeal which knew not self, and with a devotedness that never counted gold." Founders Morrison and Wilson of Phi Delta Theta dreamed out a Bond—what a great word that is!—telling of the tie that was to bind members of their fraternity forever—a Bond to be forever inviolate and unalterable. Founder Jordan of Sigma Chi, in reminiscent mood, declared that no one ever was admitted to that fraternity "who was not believed to be a man of good character, of fair ability, of ambitious purposes and of congenial disposition." The several groups of founders were all after the same thing. Individual character was the thing to be cultivated. The fraternity, through the application of the principle of mutual assistance, was a part of the machinery of such cultivation. Lasting friendships were certain to develop in the process.*

*They had the same ideals—those boys at Miami long ago. The first chapters of the fraternity histories show that conclusively. Perhaps that is why the Triad chapters have such good times when they meet at smoker, banquet, or dance. Down deep in the soul of each member is the knowledge of common origin, common idealism, common purpose.*

*Francis W. Sheppard*

*President of Beta Theta Pi*

## Editorial . . .

**Conformity** Not long ago the son of a prominent Phi was turned down by a western chapter. The father is a leading member of the bar and has given his time and money freely to the chapter which has profited greatly from his professional experience. It was largely through his efforts that the present home of the chapter was built. The son is a graduate of the U. S. Naval Academy. He resigned after graduation and returned to his home state to complete a professional education.

He was rejected on the ground that, "He will be on the campus only two years at the most and in that time we cannot make a Phi of him." Incidentally, he was immediately pledged to a rival fraternity. It is to be understood that his being the son of a Phi is not to be considered as a sufficient reason for admittance, but only an additional reason for consideration.

The policy of not considering juniors and seniors is not rare in Phi Delta Theta, or for that matter, in any fraternity. Very often, especially in the larger universities, a good man is overlooked in the first rushing. Brilliant and flashy appearing students and those who have been recommended by brothers, or those who happen to be personal friends of members of the active chapter, make up the great majority of the first contingent of pledges. The unknown, the worth-while boy who quietly goes about the business of getting an education, often the student who is the most substantial and who makes the highest average of success in life, is overlooked.

His worth is not discovered until he enters his junior or senior year, but the navigation of the needle's eye is easy compared to his chances of getting into a fraternity.

There are many Phi Delta Theta chapters which refuse to consider a junior or senior, mainly on the ground that one or two years is too short a time to make a Phi of a pledge.

The absurdity of this policy is self evident. This policy, the theory of which is that it takes four years to make a Phi Delt, shows a sad lack of knowledge of the purposes and ideals of the Fraternity and is constantly being contradicted in practice.

The Fraternity is not in pursuit of a type. It is in pursuit of an ideal; it is not remolding character, it is directing it. How futile would be the Fraternity if its only purpose were to cut all members to one pattern, to lop off the head of him who pushes it above the average, to make a chapter appear like the uniformly dressed members of a chorus, all singing the same song.

There are no vague meanings in the Bond. The ideals and purposes of the Fraternity are clearly set forth in language a freshman can understand. No where does it state that the personality of any one brother shall be warped to conform to a "Phi Delt type." The development of the personality owned by the pledge when he takes the button does not mean that he shall become one of a type, to be distinguishable as a Phi Delt as far as he can be seen across a campus.

It takes but five minutes to impress upon a neophyte that the ideal of Phi Delta Theta is sound learning.

Here we have a graduate of the U. S. Naval Academy, a mature, well-trained, well-disciplined, well-educated "soldier and gentleman." With all due respect for the ability of any chapter of Phi Delta Theta to inculcate fine ideals, the Naval Academy sent this young ensign to the campus of this western college ready made, with a better training in manhood than many a chapter takes time to give. Doubtless, there are many Phis, after four years in college, who have less to show in the way of character and manhood than this young officer.

If one or two years of Phi Delta Theta is not sufficient to instruct members in the fine ideals of the Fraternity, then this western chapter should be very sure that none of its members leaves college before graduation. The numbers of Phis who drop out of college after their freshman and sophomore years are as the sands of the sea. How does any chapter which turns down a tried and proven junior or senior justify its stand in the face of this phenomenon?

There is no doubt that a chapter takes less chance with a senior or junior who has made his way on the campus, proved that he is a good student, and a gentleman, than with the freshman unexposed to college life, his character and capabilities yet unknown, and his fitness for fraternity and college life yet to be determined.

We would strongly urge that more thought be given to cases similar to the above; that Phi Deltas, both active and alumni, eliminate the idea that a Phi Delt is a distinct species of *homo sapiens* rather than an ideal of conduct; and above all, bury those absurd superstitions which govern the pledging and gaging of members.

R. J. M.

**Founders' Day** During these March days scores of alumni clubs and chapters over the United States and Canada are celebrating the one hundred and tenth anniversary of the birth of Robert Morrison, chief of the Immortal Six Founders of Phi Delta Theta. The topic assigned for discussion this year is "What can alumni clubs and individual alumni do for the advancement of Phi Delta Theta?" It has earlier been announced that the April issue of THE SCROLL will be principally devoted to news of the alumni, and in that issue we hope to have the fullest account we have ever given of alumni club activity.

It is coming to be more and more emphasized in the fraternity world that the chiefest aim of fraternity chapters is the proper supporting of the educational institutions to which they are attached and to which they

owe their existence. In other words, the fraternity chapter must be an adjunct in the educational process in one or more of various possible ways.

We hope that in another year alumni may turn their attention more formally to this problem. Just what form such a topic should take for alumni club discussion we do not presume to say, but whether they realize it or not, alumni of Phi Delta Theta owe a debt to their colleges through their Fraternity. If they can turn their concentrated, serious, collective attention to that problem of scholarship they will be helping to discharge that debt in a splendidly constructive way.

**Secretary Priest** THE SCROLL does not make a practice of attempting to emphasize articles in its pages by editorial comment on them, preferring to let the articles speak for themselves. We cannot refrain, however, from brief mention of the excellently written article in this issue by Ralph J. McGinnis, *Miami*, '19, in which the wonderful work and thoroughly sound views of Executive Secretary Priest are illuminatingly and sympathetically treated.

Too frequently we are inclined to take for granted those with whom we are intimately associated, whether in every-day life or in the work of the Fraternity. Brother McGinnis has in this story of Secretary Priest done a service to the Fraternity in recalling for us, if we need reminding, the uniquely valuable way in which Phi Delta Theta's Executive Secretary combines idealistic leadership and practical administrative capacity. It has seemed to us that in recent years the Fraternity has been marked by a happy tendency to choose officers, from the General Council on down, who have given a thorough-going, intelligent devotion to the best interests of Phi Delta Theta. Brother Priest is by no means the least of these.

**Correction** We are glad to correct a misstatement in the story in the February issue of THE SCROLL dealing with the scholarship offered this year by the Westminster chapter. It was therein stated that Ohio Beta had last year adopted "Oscar," the son of a poor family of the community. Oscar was adopted by Ohio Iota at Denison University, Granville, Ohio. So worthy an action by Ohio Iota should, of course, receive all the credit due it.



# Phi Delta Theta in Congress

By L. C. SPEERS  
*Washington and Lee, '99*

FOURTEEN sons of  $\Phi \Delta \Theta$ , representing thirteen states, are members of the Seventy-second Congress, a Congress which, measured in terms of the gravity of the problems awaiting its solution, is admittedly one of the most important elected since the foundation



D. U. FLETCHER  
*Vanderbilt, '80*  
Florida 931

of the Government. Only one other Congress has had before it questions of such vital concern to the nation since the days of Lincoln and the Congress of the World War.

Of the 96 members of the Senate four are members of  $\Phi \Delta \Theta$ , while in the House of Representatives the number is ten. The questions that interest every member of the Fraternity are, of course, who are the fourteen, what of them, their standing in Congress, the chapters to which they belong, the colleges or universities to which they owe allegiance.

Here they are:

Fletcher, Duncan U., *Vanderbilt, '80*. Senator from Florida. Only two men in the Senate have served longer than the distinguished veteran from Florida. Reed Smoot of Utah, who came to the Senate in 1903, is one, William E. Borah, whose service be-

gan in 1907, is the other. Senator Fletcher's service dates from 1909. No man on either side of the political aisle is more respected. He is the ranking Democrat on the great Committee on Banking and Currency, also on the almost as important Committee on Commerce, and the same high position is his on the Committee on Military Affairs. There is no member of  $\Phi \Delta \Theta$  more loyal than this seventy-one year old Phi who came to the Fraternity with the Vanderbilt class of 1880 and that was fifty-one years ago.

Thomas, Elmer, *DePauw, '00*. Senator from Oklahoma. Elected to the Senate in 1926, after two terms in the House of Representatives. Admittedly one of the ablest of the first-term Senators. Like Fletcher, a man whose rise to fame has not lessened his affection for the Fraternity of which he was a member at old De-



ELMER THOMAS  
*DePauw, '00* 932  
Oklahoma

Pauw. The standing of the Senator from Oklahoma is evidenced by the fact that few Senators are members of so many great committees. He is on the all-important Committee on Agriculture, he is also a member of the Committee on Appropriations, of

the powerful Committee on Finance, and of the Committee on Indian Affairs; the latter is a committee of major importance to his state having as it does one of the largest Indian populations of any state in the Union.

Connally, Thomas Terry, *Texas*, '00. Senator from Texas. Came to the Senate as Junior Senator from Texas in 1929 after twelve years in the House of Representatives. Private in the War with Spain, captain in the World War. Generally admitted to be the handsomest man in either house of Congress. Able, witty, affable. There are nine Democrats on the Committee on Finance and  $\Phi \Delta \Theta$  has two of them, for like Thomas, Connally is also on that great committee. Also he is on the Committee on Foreign Relations before which come so many great questions of paramount importance to the nation, and the Committee on Privileges and Elections.

Robinson, Arthur R., *Chicago*, '13. Senator from Indiana. In his second term. A major of infantry in the World War. He is  $\Phi \Delta \Theta$ 's second member of the Committee on Foreign



A. R. ROBINSON  
*Chicago*, '13  
Indiana

Relations, third ranking Republican member of the Committee on Judiciary, chairman of the Committee on Pensions, and third in rank of the majority members of the Committee on Territories and Insular Affairs.

These are the  $\Phi \Delta \Theta$  quartet in the Senate. What of the House of Representatives?

Oliver, William B., *Alabama*, '87. Elected to the House of Representatives from the Sixth District of Alabama seventeen years ago and has been by always increasing majorities returned to every subsequent Congress. One of the leaders on the Democratic side. Was dean of the Law Department of the University of Alabama when in 1913 he resigned to enter Congress. A power in the all important Committee on Appropriations.

Bankhead, William B., *Alabama*,



TOM T. CONNALLY  
*Texas*, '00 939  
Texas

'93. Son of the late United States Senator Bankhead. Came to Washington as the representative from the Tenth Alabama District in 1913 and was sworn in the same day as his fellow Phi from Alabama on March 4, 1914. One of the most effective speakers in the House. Incidentally it might be mentioned that he is the father of the famous star of the stage and screen, Miss Tallulah Bankhead. His Committee is that on Rules.

Hadley, Lindley H., *Illinois Wesleyan*, '84. One of the Republican veterans in the House of Representatives, and a ranking member of the Committee on Ways and Means. A farmer boy of Indiana who, after a brief struggle as a lawyer in Illinois, followed Greeley's advice and went West, almost to the Pacific, and hung his shingle in Billingham. Eighteen years ago his neighbors sent him to the House of Representatives and he has

been in Washington ever since. His service on Ways and Means dates back to 1921.

French, Burton L., *Idaho*, '01. Has represented the First District of Idaho for twenty-five years in the House of Representatives being, when elected, one of the youngest men ever to achieve the honor. He was just one year over the Constitutional limit of twenty-five. Like Oliver, Representative French is one of the senior members on the Committee on Appropriations, the committee "Uncle Joe" Cannon once declared the most powerful in any legislative organization on earth.

Kurtz, J. Banks, *Dickinson*, '93. For nine years the Representative from the Twenty-first, or Altoona, District of Pennsylvania. Headed the National Defense organization in his home county during the World War, was twice the District Attorney for the Altoona district. Member of the Committee on Judiciary which has jurisdiction in the always troublesome field of prohibition enforcement.

Collins, Rosser A., *Mississippi*, '01. He is  $\Phi \Delta \Theta$ 's third member of the Committee on Appropriations. Twice attorney general of Mississippi and for the past eleven years the Representative of the Fifth District of Mississippi in the House of Representatives.

Johnson, Royal C., *South Dakota*, '06. Leader of the American Legion forces in the House of Representatives and as such ranking Republican member of the Committee on World War Veterans' Legislation. Was only twenty-nine years old when elected

Attorney General of South Dakota in 1911. Was elected to the House of Representatives from the Second District of South Dakota seventeen years ago. When America entered the World War he left Congress to enter the regular army as a private. Won his lieutenantcy for bravery in action. Wears the Distinguished Service Cross of the United States and the Croix de Guerre of France.

Parker, Homer Cling, *Mercer*, '07. Here is another World War veteran and the baby of the  $\Phi \Delta \Theta$  delegation in Congress as he is a late comer, elected in September 1931 to fill the vacancy in the First Georgia District caused by the death of the late Charles G. Edwards. A former Adjutant General of Georgia and now a Brigadier of its National Guard organization. Rose to the rank of major in the World War. Is on the Veterans' Committee, along with Johnson.

Burtness, Olger B., *North Dakota*, '06. For eleven years Representative from the First District of North Dakota. Member of the Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce, one of the major committee organizations in the House of Representatives.

Vinson, Frederick M., *Centre*, '09. From the Ninth District of Kentucky, famous as the district represented by Henry Clay. Another World War veteran. He is returning to Congress after an absence of three years and his committee is still to be fixed.

Thus ends the story of  $\Phi \Delta \Theta$ 's delegation in the Seventy-second Congress. It is not believed any other fraternity can boast a finer showing. The record speaks for itself.



COLORADO BOUND

# Oxonians All

By RUSSELL H. FITZGIBBON  
*Hanover, '24*

LAST MONTH THE SCROLL announced the selection of Don K. Price, *Vanderbilt*, '31, as one of the 32 Rhodes Scholars chosen by the committees of selection for 1932. Brother Price is the twenty-ninth living Phi, so available records indicate, thus to receive the purple of scholastic attainment, the coveted honor of a three-year scholarship at Oxford University in England.

That great empire builder, Cecil John Rhodes, when he died in 1902, left the bulk of his fortune to promote an idea as magnificent as had been his dreams of British dominion over the broad area of Africa.

"It must all be red," the romantic biographer makes Rhodes say as he contemplated the map of Africa and saw in his mind's eye the cartographer's crimson of British rule spreading in ever widening patches over the Dark Continent. The "Cape-to-Cairo Railway" was to be the backbone of that dream. His dreams were not entirely realized—few dreams are—but during his life of less than fifty years Britain's imperial acquisitions were measured in millions of square miles.

Rhodes' restless imagination and imperious will wished to make his millions serve in death as well as in life and so by his will he created the great educational endowment which bears his name. He could see no better use for his vast fortune than to perfect the bonds of friendship among nations by an interchange of scholarships.

It is impossible to estimate the exact effect of so imponderable a thing as three years of foreign study and travel experienced by some hundreds of the best graduates of American colleges and universities. The plan has



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now been in operation almost three decades and these "American Oxonians" are now coming to occupy positions in the very forefront of all fields of American life.

Phi Delta Theta has been honored by the selection of 29 of her members as Rhodes Scholars. The average is almost exactly one a year. In the past decade the average has been half again as high, but no other year's classes have contributed so many to the ranks as those of 1904, the first year of the selection, when five wearers of the Sword and Shield were picked for scholarships. The classes of 1931 were represented by three Phi Rhodes Scholars.

Tennessee Alpha, that sterling Southern chapter, wins first place for its number of Scholars, three. First of these was none other than John J. Tigert, Past President of the General Council, former United States Commissioner of Education, and now president of the University of Florida. Latest of the three is Don K. Price, this year's choice. Chapters represented by two Scholars each are Vermont, University of the South, Brown,

Washington (St. Louis), California, and Swarthmore. Fourteen other chapters have contributed one each.

Appended is a list of these men showing as completely as possible, in order, the Scholar's name, American college, class, Oxford college, state



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from which chosen, year for which chosen, occupation, and address.

Arthur D. Bond, *Missouri*, '25; Christ Church; Missouri, 1925; Perryville, Missouri.

Boardman M. Bosworth, *Vermont*, '19; Trinity; Vermont, 1919; attorney, New York, New York.

Carlton G. Bowden, *University of the South*, '14; New College; Missouri, 1914; Northrup, King and Company, Boise, Idaho.

Gordon K. Chalmers, *Brown*, '25; Wadham; Rhode Island, 1926; Harvard Graduate School, Cambridge, Massachusetts.

Charles W. David, *Northwestern*, '09; Hertford; Illinois, 1908; professor, Bryn Mawr, Pennsylvania.

Elmer Davis, *Franklin*, '10; Queen's; Indiana, 1910; writer, New York, New York.

Samuel E. Eliot, *Washington* (St. Louis), '05; Hertford; Missouri, 1905; social worker, Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania.

James A. Farmer, *Montana*, '22; Pembroke; Montana, 1921; New York, New York.

Fredric R. Gamble, *Knox*, '18; St. John's; Illinois, 1920; business, New York, New York.

Henry M. Gass, *University of the South*, '04; New College; Tennessee, 1907; professor, Columbia, Missouri.

Robert L. Guthrie, *Brown*, '22; Worcester; Texas, 1924; Republic Bank Bldg., Dallas, Texas.

Thomas J. Hamilton, Jr., *Georgia*, '28; Christ Church; Georgia, 1928; Augusta, Georgia.

Joseph C. Hickingbotham, *California*, '31; California, 1931; student, Oxford, England.

Robert Z. Hickman, *Illinois*, '29; Lincoln; Illinois, 1929; student, Oxford, England.

Frank E. Holman, *Utah*, '08; Exeter; Utah, 1908; attorney, Seattle, Washington.

Fred L. Hovde, *Minnesota*, '29; Bracnose; North Dakota, 1929; student, Oxford, England.

Will T. Jones, *Swarthmore*, '31; Mississippi, 1931; student, Oxford, England.

James H. Kirkpatrick, *Alabama*, '04; Queen's; Alabama, 1904; attorney, New York, New York.

Thomas P. Lockwood, *Washington* (St. Louis), '12; Exeter; Missouri, 1913; attorney, New York, New York.

William M. Lockwood, *Vermont*, '27; Wadham; Vermont, 1928; Burlington, Vermont.



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Jack L. Merrill, *California*, '24; Christ Church; California, 1924; business, New York, New York.

Arthur B. Meservey, *Dartmouth*, '06; New College; New Hampshire, 1908; professor, Hanover, New Hampshire.

Frank M. Mohler, *Washburn*, '04; St. John's; Kansas, 1905; professor, Springfield, Massachusetts.

Brewster B. Morgan, *Kansas*, '26; St. Edmund Hall; *Kansas*, 1927; theater, New York, New York.

William Poole, *Swarthmore*, '30; Brasenose; Delaware, 1930; student, Oxford, England.

Don K. Price, Jr., *Vanderbilt*, '31; Tennessee, 1932; newspaper work, Nashville, Tennessee.

John J. Tigert, *Vanderbilt*, '04; Pembroke; Tennessee, 1904; president, University of Florida, Gainesville, Florida.

William S. Vaughan, *Vanderbilt*, '23;

Christ Church; Tennessee, 1925; business, Rochester, New York.

Paul M. Young, *South Dakota*, '04; Oriel; South Dakota, 1904; attorney, Mitchell, South Dakota.

The above list represents only living members of the Fraternity who hold or have held Rhodes Scholarships. If there are any additional, now dead, THE SCROLL will appreciate learning of the fact that due credit may be given.

## Mildred Lillian Palmer

MEN of  $\Phi \Delta \Theta$ , active and alumni, are delighted to learn that Miss Mildred Palmer will receive her A.B. degree from Smith College at the graduation exercises next June.

Since the death of Walter B. Palmer, noted historian of the Fraternity, every Phi has felt an unusual interest in Mildred, who was then not quite ten years old.

Born in Washington, D.C., June 14, 1910, she moved with her parents to New York in the fall of 1916. There, she attended a private school until the death of her father in 1920.

Mrs. Palmer and Mildred soon moved to St. Petersburg, Florida, where Mrs. Palmer became a prime factor in the business and civic life of the city, while Mildred continued her education in the Aiken Open Air School and in the Public School until she had completed the junior year of high school.

By that time, as Smith College had been chosen as her future alma mater, it was necessary for her to enter a different fitting school. Accordingly, she went to the Mary A. Burnham School, Northampton, Massachusetts.

She entered Smith in the fall of 1928 and has had the honor of winning scholarships for her entire course. Her junior year was spent in France with a group of forty-eight Smith girls.

Until November 1, 1930, they stud-



MISS MILDRED PALMER,  
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ied at the University of Grenoble, living with French families. Then the group went to Paris to study at the Sorbonne until July 1, 1931.

During the vacations, Mildred was able to make trips to London, to Italy, and even to Sicily. In September 1931, she returned to Smith and will graduate in June 1932, after which time she hopes to teach French.

A glance at the accompanying photograph will show a most attractive young woman, tall and well poised. She has inherited from both mother and father good health, a good mind and a pleasing disposition. She is properly ambitious and should become a successful teacher.



A VIEW ON THE TRAIL RIDGE ROAD WITH THE SNOWY RANGE OF MOUNTAINS IN THE BACKGROUND

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LOOKING INTO THE FALL RIVER VALLEY AND TOWARDS ESTES PARK FROM THE NEW TRAIL RIDGE ROAD

# The Trail Ridge Road

ONE of the main entertainment features of the forty-first Biennial Convention of  $\Phi \Delta \Theta$ , which is to convene in Estes-Rocky Mountain National Park on August 29 will be a sightseeing trip over the wonderful Trail Ridge Road.

This road will be open to the public for the first time in July 1932, and the Phi Delt party will be one of the first large parties to traverse this great scenic highway. This super-attraction of the Estes-Rocky Mountain National Park is just being completed at a cost of over \$3,000,000 to the National Park Service. H. M. Albright, superintendent of national parks, has stated that Trail Ridge will soon be regarded as a "national sensation," and that it is destined to be the greatest scenic road in America.

The Trail Ridge traverses a wild and beautiful country; over solid granite mountains to the very crest of the great Continental Divide, through forests of large trees, beside dashing mountain streams and waterfalls, and the roadside everywhere lined with beautiful flowers. Frequently wild game may be seen. The road for a distance of twelve miles is at an altitude of over 12,000 feet above the level of the sea, making it the highest continuous highway in the world, for Trail Ridge continues on over the west side of the Continental Divide to beautiful Grand Lake, the source of the Colorado River, and thence to Granby where it joins the Victory Highway.

From its summit it portrays to the observer one of the greatest panoramic pictures in all of America. Nowhere else in Rocky Mountain National Park is the timberline struggle between trees and winds more gro-

tesquely exemplified than on the Trail Ridge Road. Here the spruce lies flat on the ground like vines, which give place to low birches, these in turn to



BEGINNING OF FALL RIVER PASS ROAD  
AND LOOKING DOWN THE FALL  
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small piney growths, to tough struggling grass, hardy mosses, and tiny alpine flowers. There is a charm and fascination about the mountains at timber line and above that cannot be told in words. The Phis of COLORFUL COLORADO would like to have the Phis of the Lowlands, and the Swamplands and the undulating plains come up to the Highlands and see the grandeur of the Trail Ridge Road for themselves.

*"Longs Peak or Bust."*



ARTHUR R. PRIEST, *DePauw*, '91

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# Arthur Priest

By RALPH J. MCGINNIS  
*Miami, '19*

THE story of Arthur Priest's life is familiar to every one interested in the Fraternity—too familiar to repeat here. When he received his first appointment as an active officer of the Fraternity, that of Traveling Secretary in 1921, THE SCROLL printed a detailed story of his career, which is on record and available. In this story we shall not interest ourselves so much in the events of his life as in the part he has played in the development of  $\Phi \Delta \Theta$  since 1921. Successful in several educational and administrative posts before he became Traveling Secretary, he raised the latter position to a new dignity among fraternities and in his subsequent years as Executive Secretary has molded the Fraternity into an efficient and dynamic organization.

Edward E. Ruby, in his story on Arthur Priest, in the February 1922, SCROLL, called him "Friend of Men." That he is. As in the days when he was dean at the University of Washington, when young men with their problems filed into his office all day long, he still finds time to listen to the troubles and problems of Phi not only in one university, but in 102 universities and colleges. His work, however, in these later years, has not been so much with the individual as with the Fraternity as a whole. He is concerned now with  $\Phi \Delta \Theta$  as a national and international institution, an enduring institution which builds for the future.

With this in mind, and knowing that he has not faced the future without long and serious thought, we visited him one day last winter in his office in Oxford and talked to him about  $\Phi \Delta \Theta$ , its future, and its relations to education and to its alumni.

## THE PLACE OF THE FRATERNITY IN EDUCATION

While Arthur Priest realizes that  $\Phi \Delta \Theta$  can never improve the principles upon which it was founded, and which have carried it to greatness, he has believed in keeping pace with modern conditions. The new conception of a fraternity as an adjunct to education rather than as a social organization grafted on a college, is incorporated in his idea of the place of a fraternity in education.

"In the evolution of higher education in the American college, the fraternities have become involved in campus administration. They must face the problem of scholarship for their members and see to it that the atmosphere of the chapter house is favorable to study, or they must step aside and allow the college to come into the house and supervise study, as it is supervised in the dormitories. They are involved in problems of finance, and must see to it that chapter houses are managed so as not to be an undue financial burden on those living therein, or they must step aside and allow the colleges to take over the chapter houses, or erect systems of dormitories, in which the living charge may be so low as to wreck financially the fraternity houses. They are involved in problems of general morale, for they must see that the atmosphere of the house is such that freshmen or sophomores coming into the place will not be turned out at the end of a college course, deep dyed with cynicism, and with a moral quirk from which they can never recover.

"The fraternity is a means to an end, and must always work in harmony with the college for the true ends of education."



GENERAL HEADQUARTERS, OXFORD, OHIO

#### THE FUTURE OF THE FRATERNITY

Several years ago, fraternities came under fire not only from state governments and the public, but from educational heads. Many fraternity administrators were forced to an about-face. Fortunately,  $\Phi \Delta \Theta$  had long been pointed toward the goal of co-operation with education rather than as a separate social life on a college campus. Arthur Priest sees clearly the future of the fraternity and the necessary steps it must take to survive.

The fraternity must become a constructive force in our scheme of education, if it would survive. It must not only have ideals of friendship, sound learning, and rectitude, but it must express these ideals in character, in a finer type of manhood, and in a scholarly attitude toward education. It must slough off high school practices such as hell week if it is to command respect and develop in harmony with the expanding ideals of education.

The future fraternity will insure right atmosphere in the chapter home through the presence of a refined housemother. It will insure right scholarship through the presence of a preceptor. It will in-

sure carefully supervised finance through the organization of a group of elder brothers in connection with every chapter home.

Each chapter will realize that it is an integral part of a general organization, and that any action permitted in its own home reflects on every other home, and on the general organization. More and more there will be developed a national consciousness, and a national pride.

#### WHAT CAN THE ALUMNUS DO FOR THE FRATERNITY AND HIS INSTITUTION

"Once a Phi, always a Phi," means that one must carry on after graduation. Colleges and universities have their alumni departments to preserve contacts with graduates as they seek to keep them interested in the colleges' welfare and development. Arthur Priest has a definite conception of what an alumnus should do for his fraternity and for his *alma mater*.

In  $\Phi \Delta \Theta$  we have had the period of founding, the period of growth, the period of stabilizing and filling in the unoccupied places, and it has come now to its period of leadership. If Phi Deltas are

to be leaders there is work for everyone, alumnus or active chapter man. There is no graduation in  $\Phi \Delta \Theta$ —once a Phi, always a Phi. The vows were not taken for four years or for ten years but for life, and each one has promised on his honor as a man to help every brother in every honorable way.

A careful survey of the best avenues of service shows that the fraternity has work a-plenty in its original field, that of the campus. Kiwanis, Rotary, the Lions, and such clubs look after civic welfare. Chambers of commerce, boards of trade, and commercial clubs take care of business affairs.

Our growing educational institutions, however, are wrestling with some knotty problems: how to secure adequate income; how to keep the campuses dedicated to learning, rather than to have them become high grade amusement parks; how to bridge the chasm between the university administration on the one hand, and the individual student on the other. These institutions have a right to look to the Phi Delt alumnus for assistance. Phi Delt was picked men when they were on the campus, chosen and commissioned by their chapters. Does the *alma mater* need greater income if she is to keep abreast of educational research and progress? Does she need more and better men for her faculty? What is the Phi Delt alumnus doing to help her?

What is the balance on the campus between classroom activities and extra-classroom activities? Is scholarship a prominent factor on the college campus or is  $\Phi \Delta \Theta$  a joke? Does it mean more to play a thrilling game at halfback, or to lead a cotillion with much skill and grace than it does to be a brilliant mathematician, a successful engineer, or a well informed political economist? When the alumnus goes back to his old chapter house, where does he throw his influence? Does he help to create any intellectual enthusiasm in his house? The fraternities, because they are organized centers, can make student opinion on any campus. Fraternities should help through their alumni to develop intellectual gristle and mental dexterity, as well as muscular gristle and pedal dexterity.

What is the alumnus doing to help bridge the chasm between the college administration and the green but inquiring freshman or the sophisticated and blasé

sophomore? Freshman mortality is distressingly high. What is the fraternity alumnus doing to help solve this problem? Here is your challenge and your opportunity. Your chapter is made up of every man who has ever signed the Bond at your institution. Are you a conscious contributing member of the group, or are you an ex-Phi Delt? Wake up! Instead of lamenting that you have nothing to do as an alumni club but come together and twiddle your thumbs, telling an occasional risqué story and possibly shaking dice to see who will pay for the luncheon, wake up and get in touch with the administration of the nearest institution where we have a chapter. See what you can do to help it. You will find work a-plenty, work that will challenge the best that is in you. The spirit of  $\Phi \Delta \Theta$  is the spirit of helpfulness and service.

#### THE IDEAL PHI DELT

Who could better paint a picture of the ideal Phi Delt than Arthur Priest? He has often been called the ideal, himself. At Christmas, in 1929, he sent to all chapters, and to many individual Phis, a card of greeting which contained, we believe, the finest description of an ideal Phi Delt that we have ever read. The card was headed, "Keeping Faith."

#### KEEPING FAITH

On the day after Christmas, in 1848, the Founders wrote into the Bond of  $\Phi \Delta \Theta$  the spirit of the season—the spirit of friendliness, of guardianship, or helpfulness, and of hopefulness.

May that spirit rule me as an active chapter man. May it guard me from thoughtless mistakes in classroom or on the campus, and keep me quick on the side of right. May it make me one with the Founders.

May that spirit be ever regnant in me as an alumnus. May it guide me in all my contacts with my undergraduate brothers when I am their guest. May it make me wisely helpful as an elder brother and sympathetic counselor, keeping faith with the Founders.

May that spirit give me the confidence and trust of friends and business associates and distinguish me as a man of honor, even as it distinguished the Founders.

May it exemplify in me the teachings of the Bond.

#### FROM 1921 TO THE PRESENT

Since 1921, when Arthur Priest was appointed Traveling Secretary, the Fraternity has had a phenomenal development. Not only has the number of chapters been increased, but the organization within the Fraternity has been made more efficient. This smooth-running machine which affords instant check upon every active member of the Fraternity is largely the work of Arthur Priest. Previous to his appointment as Traveling Secretary, he was largely instrumental in introducing  $\Phi \Delta \Theta$  into the Northwest, and it is because of the principles that he established at that time in these northwest chapters, that they have become leaders.

This office of Traveling Secretary was created by the Convention of 1920 (at Atlanta) and filled by Arthur Priest's election at Thanksgiving of 1921. At that time there were 88 active chapters. Between Thanksgiving of 1921 and Christmas of 1922, he visited all of these chapters, and also visited on behalf of the Fraternity about twenty other colleges and universities, inspecting petitioning groups and surveying the institutions.

In 1923, when the conditions in the Fraternity compelled a reorganization, he was given the work as Executive Secretary, and combined this with the work of Traveling Secretary. For two years, he had no assistance except that of some young women in the office.

In 1924, at the Cleveland Convention, he advocated the plan of doing away with annual dues, and making a single payment of life dues at the time of initiation. This was a new idea in fraternity circles, and  $\Phi \Delta \Theta$  was the first to adopt the plan.

On the adoption of this plan by  $\Phi \Delta \Theta$ , the Walter B. Palmer Endowment Foundation was put on a permanent basis, and for the first time shared in the payment made by every initiate. At the time of his election

in 1921, the Palmer Endowment was planned to supply a modest income for the widow and daughter of Walter B. Palmer, and contemplated the raising of \$25,000, only \$5000 of which was to be used to clear the debt on the Miami Memorial Chapter House. Thus the endowment itself would have comprised only \$20,000. Soon after his appointment as Traveling Secretary he conferred with George B. Kierulff, then Secretary of the General Council, and later had a conference with Charles A. Macauley, Endowment Commissioner. As a result of these two conferences, it was planned to appeal to the alumni to raise a larger endowment with an idea of making loans to chapters, to assist in chapter house financing, and to make possible loans to individual students, seeking an education. The Kansas City Convention and the Cleveland Convention elaborated these plans, carried out the suggestions, and set up the Palmer Endowment as it is now constituted. The \$5000 in the Fund in 1921 has now grown to about \$140,000.

During these ten years, he has been a frequent speaker at interfraternity gatherings, and was the first chairman of the National College Fraternity Secretaries' Association, an organization comprising the secretaries of all the leading college fraternities. He is now a member of the executive committee of that organization.

During this period the  $\Phi \Delta \Theta$  Fraternity has established or revived fifteen chapters. One chapter has been lost through a combination of Illinois Delta and Illinois Zeta, so that the total now stands at 102. About 20 alumni clubs have been organized during this period.

The time of holding the General Convention has been changed from the Christmas vacation to the summer vacation.

A catalogue has been issued, including 32,000 names. A Freshman Manual, *The Phikeia*, and a Handbook for Chapter Advisers and Province Presidents, have been prepared and printed.

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## Undergraduates of Achievement . . .

### *Missouri Alpha Had Two Rhodes Candidates*

MISSOURI ALPHA received a signal honor when authorities at the University of Missouri selected William Henry Harrison and Harold Bennett Kline as two of the five students to

of winning membership next year. He is a Columbia, Missouri, boy.

Brother Harrison is chapter reporter. He has achieved considerable fame as editor of the *Missouri Student*,



WILLIAM H. HARRISON  
*Missouri, '32*



HAROLD B. KLINE  
*Missouri, '32*

represent the University in the Rhodes Scholarship competition at St. Louis on December 5, 1931. Both men are prominent seniors on the Missouri campus.

Brother Kline is president of Missouri Alpha this year and has proved to be a very capable leader. He is also president of the Arts and Science School at the university and is a member of Tri Chi, national junior-senior honorary organization. He missed  $\Phi B K$  honors by the fraction of a point but stands an excellent chance

weekly publication at the university. He is also major of the artillery in the university corps. Numbered among his other activities are membership in Q.E.B.H., national senior honorary fraternity, Blue Key, and Scabbard and Blade. He lives in Cape Girardeau, Missouri.

None of the University of Missouri candidates won a scholarship but it is noteworthy that  $\Phi \Delta \Theta$  was represented by two men, both of whom made very creditable showings.

FRANK FAXON, *Missouri, '33*

## Chapter Grand . . .

*Arthur Adelbert Stearns, Buchtel, '79*

Arthur Adelbert Stearns, *Buchtel* (Akron), '79, died at Cleveland, Ohio, January 24. Born July 18, 1858, on a farm which his grandfather had settled and which is still in the possession of the family, Brother Stearns was one of the pioneers of northern Ohio.

After taking his degree from Buchtel, he entered the Harvard Law School in which institution he was given a degree in 1892. During the year of 1892 he was elected Treasurer of the General Council of  $\Phi \Delta \Theta$ , which office he held for four years and filled with signal honor.

Although his own chapter was dormant for many years, Brother Stearns never lost his interest in the Fraternity and was at all times one of the active members of the Cleveland Alumni Club. He was present in the Convention when his chapter was re-established and took part in the installation ceremony and the banquet which followed.

Throughout his life he was active in civic affairs. He was chairman of the public utilities committee of the Chamber of Commerce in Cleveland and in 1913 became a member of the library board of Cleveland. In 1918 he was elected vice-president of the board and in 1928 became president, which position he held until his death.

During the building of the new \$4,500,000 public library, he was chairman of the building committee. That the city of Cleveland mourns his passing and appreciates his work is indicated by the many tributes paid him by public officials and by the press of the city.

The *Cleveland Plain Dealer* for January 26, 1932, contained the following editorial:

By his useful and generous life Arthur A. Stearns earned the enduring monument which will perpetuate his name. For the Public Library is very truly the

monument of Mr. Stearns. He built it himself, but not for himself, and because he gave so much of his time and vitality to this labor for his fellow citizens the Library is, in the best sense, his monument.

The death of Mr. Stearns is a great loss to Cleveland. He was a retiring and unostentatious doer of good deeds. He was one of the foremost of the city's lawyers, a maintainer of old and honorable traditions, but also a student ever abreast of the times, a writer and an authority in specialized fields as well as an attorney with a large and important practice.

In addition to these activities Mr. Stearns in 1913 accepted membership in the Library board and became its president in 1928. For nearly two decades he gave unstinted service, and while the present monumental structure was in course of erection he served as chairman of the building committee and actually devoted half of each day to overseeing and directing the work. Few citizens of Cleveland have, for the public good, given so largely of themselves.

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*Joseph Grubb Alexander, Lafayette, '06*

Joseph G. Alexander, *Lafayette*, '06, writer and adapter of motion picture stories, died suddenly at his home in Hollywood, California, January 10.

Circumstances surrounding his death resulted in a coroner's inquest, which was followed with a finding that death resulted from natural causes. Brother Alexander had been suffering from a bad cold for some time, and it was stated that his death might have been averted had medical attention been provided at a proper time.

Funeral services were conducted in Los Angeles on January 14.

Brother Alexander, who was born in Scranton, Pennsylvania, December 25, 1887, and who was educated as a civil engineer at Lafayette College, spent only a year or two in the engi-

neering profession, and then turned to the stage and vaudeville.

He became a prolific writer of successful vaudeville sketches, stage acts, and songs. In a stage career of ten years he became a producer, and some of his productions were: *It's All a Gamble*, *Wedlock*, and *Loot*.

Entering motion pictures, he worked as author and scenarist for the Fox, Warner, Universal, and other companies, being scenario editor for the Universal Film Corporation for some years.

Among his original screen stories were: *The Thunderbolt*, *The Lone Wolf Returns*, and more than 100 others. Other scripts and adaptations from his hand included: *The Man Who Laughs*, *Freedom of the Press*, *General Crack* for John Barrymore, *Murder Will Out*, *Faithful*, and *A Notorious Affair*.

He was a member of the Masons and Hollywood Athletic Club. He is survived by his aged mother, Mrs. J. G. Alexander, 70 years of age, who was prostrated in the Alexander home at the time of his death; and his widow, Mrs. Elinor Ernst Alexander, who was in a rest resort at the time of her husband's death. The motion picture colony mourned Alexander as a celebrated movie author, and a well liked co-worker, and attended the burial services in numbers.

GEORGE K. SHAFFER

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#### *Theodore H. Ristine, Wabash, '65*

Theodore H. Ristine, *Wabash*, '65, a member of one of Crawfordsville, Indiana's, pioneer families, and himself probably the oldest native born inhabitant of the city, died at his home there December 4. His death followed an illness of eight months. He was the last surviving member of the class of '65 at Wabash College. As a youth of 19 Brother Ristine saw service in the Northern army during the Civil War, that period interrupting his college course. After finishing his college

work he began the practice of law and was engaged in this for many years at Crawfordsville. He served for four years as a member of the Indiana state senate, and in that position was largely responsible for the law exempting property of educational institutions from taxation. He was also instrumental in promoting the construction of free gravel roads in Indiana.

Brother Ristine took a life-long interest in Wabash College and served for forty-nine years as a member of its board of trustees. For a period of twenty years most of his time was given to the college in the capacity of treasurer. He was one of eight donors to the construction fund for the beautiful Georgian chapel recently built on the Wabash campus. Brother Ristine was an active member of the Presbyterian church and of the Republican party. His other civic and fraternal connections in Crawfordsville were numerous. He is survived by a daughter, two sons, five grandchildren, and one great-grandchild.

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#### *Tomlinson Fort, Emory, '90*

Tomlinson Fort, *Emory*, '90, judge of the Supreme Court of New Mexico and widely known as a jurist throughout the southwest, died recently at his home in Roswell, New Mexico. He formerly practiced law in Hawkinsville, Georgia, moving to New Mexico eighteen years ago.

Brother Fort was the first graduate of the law school established at old Emory College, in Oxford, Georgia, receiving his degree there in 1890, when Judge Capers Dixon was head of the new school. He taught four years after his graduation, leaving there to enter private practice in 1894.

Afterward he was secretary, first to Judge Fish and later to Judge Evans, both of the Georgia Supreme Court. Returning to private practice again, he became associated with Warren Grice, in Hawkinsville.

In 1911, Brother Fort accepted the post of superintendent of schools of Stewart County, Georgia. A year later, however, he was forced to move to New Mexico for his health. There he soon won an enviable reputation for his able pleading before the bar of the state and gubernatorial appointment placed him on the New Mexico Supreme Court four years ago.

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*William Butler Barr, Hanover, '75*

William B. Barr, *Hanover, '75*, died May 28 at Evanston, Illinois. For many years he was general passenger and traffic manager of the Chicago Terminal Railroad. Following that service he became managing editor of



WILLIAM B. BARR  
*Hanover, '75*

the *Traffic World* in Washington, D.C., after which he established his own "Trade and Transportation Bureau," also in Washington. This he operated until the time of his last illness. Brother Barr was one of eight Phi given certificates of membership in the Golden Legion of  $\Phi \Delta \Theta$  in March, 1930, at the celebration of the Washington Alumni Club.

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*Robert Reed Penn, Texas, '10*

Death claimed one of the most prominent figures in the Texas oil industry December 19 when Robert R. Penn, *Texas, '10*, Dallas oil man and sportsman, succumbed twenty minutes after he was accidentally shot with his own gun. At the time he was preparing to go on a hunting trip and in shifting the gears of his automobile the shotgun was in some way discharged. The charge entered his stomach and he died before medical aid could reach the small town of Bledsoe where the accident occurred. He is survived by his widow, his mother, one son, one daughter, four brothers, and three sisters.

Brother Penn had pioneered in developing some of the newer Texas oil fields and was considered one of the outstanding of the younger oil men of that state. He had had some experience in newspaper work but soon deserted that field for the oil industry for which he had prepared in the university by work in geology. He had been a leader in advocating orderly development of the mid-continent fields. Brother Penn had just concluded a year as vice-president of the American Petroleum Institute.

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*Phikeia Donald J. Scott, Florida, '35*

Exactly one month after becoming a pledge of Florida Alpha, Donald J. Scott, son of Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Scott of Clearwater, Florida, died in a Lake City hospital as a result of an automobile accident in which two of his classmates were injured. His parents and a few members of the chapter were present at the end. Donald, an only son, was eighteen years old and had a promising future. Few freshmen become as well acquainted on a campus and as genuinely well liked in one month as he did. He was always smiling, conscientious, clean living, and hard working. In the short time he was affiliated with Florida Alpha he had become one of its most enthusiastic workers, and one of its most popu-

lar pledges, both with the actives and the Phikeias.

The accident occurred October 19, 1931, and Donald was buried in Clearwater. Acting as pallbearers were six members of the active chapter, Calvert Pepper, Culver Smith, Lee McCubbin, James Landon, Bill Trice, and Gardner Gillette. The  $\Phi \Delta \Theta$  funeral service was read at the grave.

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*Clarence Province, Franklin, '91-Indiana, '92*

Dr. Clarence Province, one of the best known physicians in central Indiana, died at his home in Franklin, Indiana, on January 22, of a heart attack. He was sixty years old. The funeral was held from his home on Monday, January 25. The burial was in Franklin.

Dr. Province was born in Union Township, Franklin County. After his graduation from Indiana University he attended the Jefferson Medical College, Philadelphia. Before attending Indiana University he was a student in Franklin College. He was an athlete both in Franklin College and Indiana University, being a captain of a championship baseball team and a member of both track teams.

After receiving his medical degree he returned to Franklin and entered the practice of medicine with his father.

Dr. Province was a member of the Franklin Rotary Club, the Masons, and the Franklin Christian Church. Survivors are his brother, a sister, a nephew, and three nieces. He was unmarried.

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*Quentin Marshall Davis, Kansas, '31*

Quentin M. Davis, *Kansas, '31*, died November 11, at a Topeka, Kansas, hospital as a result of an automobile accident. The accident, in which the fatal injuries were incurred, happened while Brother Davis was on his way

to Lawrence to pay a visit to his chapter. Quentin Davis was born in McPherson, Kansas, August 24, 1909. He spent the first years of his life on a farm near Marquette, Kansas. He attended the McPherson High School, where he was honored by the position of captain of the basketball team his senior year. He was graduated from the same school in the spring of 1927. In September, 1927, Brother Davis entered Kansas and completed four years of college work. He was well known on the hill and very active in intramural athletics. Kansas Alpha greatly mourns his untimely passing.

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*William J. Scott, Dartmouth, '28*

Funeral services were held January 4 at Pawhuska, Oklahoma, for Lieutenant William J. Scott, *Dartmouth, '28*, who was fatally injured in an airplane accident December 17 at the Galt Glider airport, Oahu, Hawaiian Islands. Brother Scott's sailplane was wrecked as it was being launched at a height of 500 feet. He died about one hour after the accident. Brother Scott had been educated in the Pawhuska schools, Culver Military Academy, and Dartmouth College. He was trained in aviation at Tulsa, Oklahoma, and San Antonio, Texas. He is survived by his parents, one sister, a grandmother, and three aunts. Many beautiful floral tributes were in evidence at the funeral services.

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*Edgar R. Bastress, Pennsylvania, '13*

Edgar R. Bastress, *Pennsylvania, '13*, one of the prominent industrial leaders of central Pennsylvania, died at his home in Mount Carmel, Pennsylvania, December 5, as a result of injuries suffered when thrown from a horse he was riding. Funeral services were held December 8. After finishing his course at the University of Pennsylvania Brother Bastress practiced law for a short time, following which

he turned to an early interest, real estate and building. He was a member of the Lutheran Church and belonged to several civic and fraternal organizations in his home town. He is survived by his widow, two daughters, his stepmother, and a brother.

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*Isaac M. Raymond, Jr., Nebraska, '04*

Isaac M. Raymond, Jr., *Nebraska, '04*, well known business man and member of a prominent Lincoln, Nebraska, family, died at a hospital in that city December 14 following a three-day illness from a blood infection. He was vice-president of a wholesale grocery company in Lincoln. His business and fraternal interests there were numerous. Brother Raymond was born in Lincoln and had received his education in the schools of that city. He was prominent in athletics both in high school and the university. He is survived by his widow, one daughter, one son, his mother, a sister, and two brothers.

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*Charles Poellnitz Gunter, Alabama, '85*

Charles P. Gunter, *Alabama, '85*, a widely known Montgomery, Alabama, business man, died February 9 at the home of his brother, Mayor William A. Gunter, in Montgomery. Death was the result of an acute heart attack suffered three days previously. Brother Gunter had spent his entire life at Montgomery. Following graduation at the state university he took a post-graduate course at the University of Virginia. Since 1898 he had been engaged in the real estate and insurance business. His family was one of the old, established families of Alabama. He is survived by three sisters and two brothers.

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*William M. White, Wabash, '03*

Funeral services for William M. White, *Wabash, '03*, took place at

Crawfordsville, Indiana, December 30, following his death four days earlier at Washington, D.C. Brother White had been a resident of Washington for ten years and had served as alien property custodian there. He had been prominently identified with the Republican party both in Indiana and national affairs and had served a number of years in county offices as well as two terms as state senator before his removal from Crawfordsville. He was a member of the Methodist church and of the Masonic lodge.

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*Charles A. Ritchie, Jr., Swarthmore, '23-Syracuse, '23*

Charles A. Ritchie, Jr., *Swarthmore, '23-Syracuse, '23*, died in Wilmington, Delaware, at the home of his parents, January 14, after an illness of six months. Brother Ritchie was interested in dramatic work, having played stock in Cleveland, Baltimore, Syracuse, and Rochester, and the legitimate stage in New York, Chicago, and Philadelphia. During the last three years, he took leading national rôles in plays sponsored by *Collier's*. During the World War he served in the Hospital Corps of the Navy.

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*Richard Weis Gholson, Leland Stanford, '34*

Succumbing to injuries received in an automobile accident near Balboa, California, February 12, "Dick" Gholson passed away in a Santa Ana hospital the following morning. Although Brother Gholson had been with the chapter but a short time, his inimitable manner had made for him many friends. He was a member of Scalpers, sophomore honor society, and the sophomore cotillion committee. Brother Gholson was very active in the chapter, and his winning smile and unforgettable humor are losses that will be felt throughout the years.

*Charles G. Williams, Washington and Jefferson, '90*

The Rev. Charles G. Williams, *W. and J.*, '90, died at a hospital in Denver, Colorado, February 5, following a stroke of apoplexy the previous day. Brother Williams went to Denver in 1903 to fill a Presbyterian pastorate and had made his home there since that time. For the past decade he had been engaged as city manager of the Pacific Mutual Life Insurance Company. He is survived by two sons, a brother, and two sisters.

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*Chilton Riley, Missouri, '78*

Chilton Riley, *Missouri*, '78, died at a sanitarium at Duncan, Oklahoma, December 11, following a long illness. He had migrated to the then Indian Territory many years before it was admitted as a state and had been engaged in the practice of law at Duncan since 1904. Until his retirement from active practice about 1920 he had been active in politics. He is survived by a sister, two nephews, and two nieces.

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*Frederick Light Kriebel, Dickinson, '98*

Frederick L. Kriebel died at his home in Winnetka, Illinois, October 21 following an operation for appendicitis. Following his graduation from Dickinson College he served in the army during the Spanish-American War. He had been an investment broker for a number of years but had suffered much misfortune in recent years. He is survived by his widow, three daughters, and two sons.

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*Albert H. Welles, Lafayette, '89*

Albert H. Welles, *Lafayette*, '89, died in Easton, Pennsylvania, November 9, 1931. Winning his B.S. degree from Lafayette in '89 he was awarded the M.S. degree in 1892 and the honorary degree of Doctor of Science in 1916. He was a member of Φ B K and for many years was principal of the Central High School, Scranton, Pennsylvania.

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*Andrew J. White, Vanderbilt, '20*

Andrew J. White, *Vanderbilt*, '20, after taking the life of a defective brother, ended his own life, on May 17, near Murfreesboro, Tennessee. Brooding over ill health had unbalanced Brother White who believed he suffered an incurable affliction. Since his graduation he had been connected with his father in the cotton buying business.

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*Lorin E. Lutz, Washington and Jefferson, '24*

Lorin E. Lutz, *Washington and Jefferson*, '24, died June 23, 1931, following an operation for appendicitis from which pneumonia and peritonitis resulted. Brother Lutz was a resident of Fort Wayne, Indiana.

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*James C. Carver, Iowa State, '22*

Dr. James C. Carver, *Iowa State*, '22, died at his home in Hammond, Indiana, May 22, 1930, as a result of blood poisoning supposedly contracted from his work as a surgeon in that city. He was regarded very highly among the medical profession there.

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# Chapter News in Brief . . .

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Alabama Alpha, University of Alabama

*Many honoraries represented . . .*

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*New Officers:* Bonneau Murray was elected president of the chapter for the ensuing term.

*Phikeias:* Carroll Kilpatrick, Montgomery, Alabama; Douglas Parks.

*Initiates:* Robert McKnight, Memphis, Tennessee.

*Affiliates:* Render Thomas, *Washington and Lee*; Archibald Grubb, *Alabama Poly.*

*Campus Activities:* Phikeias Joe Marshall, Hill Ferguson, and Bob Kilgore made the Glee Club's two most important tours of the season. Charles Johnstone made  $\Phi B K$  and Blue Key, two of the most outstanding honors on the campus. Edward Branch and Torrey Gomila made the varsity boxing team. Phikeia Joe Marshall is now assistant advertising manager of the *Crimson White*, the university newspaper. Bert Simmons, Robert Teague, Aubrey Boyles, and Sam Murphy were elected to membership in the Quadrangle Society. Phikeia Hauschildt has attained prominence in Blackfriars because of his dramatic ability as displayed in several leading rôles. Phikeias Joe Marshall and Hill Ferguson are freshman baseball managers. Edward Branch is vice-president of the Student Government Association. Render Thomas and Charles Johnstone have pledged  $\Phi \Delta \Phi$ . Phikeia Bob Kilgore was elected to the Samuel Johnson Literary Society. Phikeia Joe Marshall made the Excelsior Literary Society. Bert Simmons was elected to  $\Theta T$ , honorary engineering fraternity, and to  $\Gamma \Sigma E$ , honorary chemical fraternity. Bert Simmons, Alfred Walker, and James Strudwick were elected to Skulls, social interfraternity. Thomas Kidd, Albert Craig, and Aubrey Boyles made the Arch Club. Sam Murphy made Key Ice. Bonneau Murray was elected to  $\Delta$ , social fraternity.

*Social Activities:* On December 18, Alabama Alpha entertained at its annual Christmas dance, which took the form of a "kid party." The house was attractively decorated to portray the Christmas spirit,

and the guests wore kid costumes. The music was furnished by an orchestra from Birmingham. Refreshments were served at intermission. During the month of January, the chapter entertained the Tuscaloosa alumni at an informal dinner party. The purpose of this dinner was to foster a spirit of closer cooperation between the alumni and the active members.

*Chapter Visitors:* Judge W. I. Grubb, Birmingham.

*Alumni Personals:* The chapter lost by graduation Joe Simmons, Jasper, and James Drury Flowers, Dothan. During the past term, Simmons held the position of president of the chapter, and Flowers was secretary.

AUBREY M. BOYLES

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Alabama Beta, Alabama Polytechnic Institute

*Landscaping work progresses . . .*

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*Phikeias:* Justin S. Morrill, Mobile; Dewitt Mason, Marion.

*Chapter House Improvements:* A great many pieces of shrubbery and several trees have been set out, carrying the general landscaping program a step further. Work on the tennis court at the side of the house has been progressing rapidly, so that it will be completed soon. A new altar has been placed in the chapter hall.

*Campus Activities:* Talley, Head, Johnson, and Phikeia Welch are out for spring football training. The chapter reached the semifinals in the interfraternity basketball tournament. Interfraternity tennis and baseball tournaments are being planned for the spring. Baskervill and Phikeia Morrill are on the intercollegiate debating team.

*Social Activities:* The chapter entertained with a house party during the mid-term dances, and with a buffet supper following the Junior Prom on January 23. Plans are being made for the annual spring dance, to be given with  $\Sigma N$  at the Opelika Country Club.

*Chapter Visitors:* Robert Hobdy, '30; J. C. Webb, '31; Jerry Feagin, '31; S. W. Noble, '31.

*Alumni Personals:* J. Sherwood Jones,

Jr., '31, was married to Miss Clifford Wilkinson, of Hogansville, Georgia, on December 23.  
ARCH WINTER

Alberta Alpha, University of Alberta

*Deferred rushing in progress . . .*

*New Officers:* President, Edward Fox (2nd term); secretary, Alan Henry; treasurer and house manager, James Taylor; reporter, Armon Irwin; warden, James Hunter; chaplain, Gordon MacKay.

*Initiates:* January 11: Alex Ballachey, High River; Albert Beavers, Calgary; Donald Freeze, Edmonton; John Morrison, Lacombe; James Teviotdale, Jr., Pasadena, California.

*Campus and Social Activities:* We are in the midst of our rushing at this time owing to the fact that a University regulation here prevents bidding of freshmen before March 1. Several bridge and smoker parties have been held at the house and rushees are appearing at practically every meal. Rushing on our campus this year is proving highly competitive. The annual Founders' Day banquet is to be held in the MacDonald Hotel on March 5. Ayre and Hunter are in charge of arrangements. Ayre is also treasurer of the sophomore class. A very amusing hockey game was played by house members at the varsity rink January 21. The first floor team played the second floor team. The score was 6-5 for the first floor. Kennedy, manager of basketball, Cameron, manager on hockey, have both returned from their annual tours with the varsity teams. Phikeia Kinnear is one of the top scorers in the Alberta Amateur Hockey Association.

*Chapter Visitors:* Worthy Hoover, '30.

*Alumni Personals:* Lee Cameron on his re-entering the university has again become an active member.

A. F. IRWIN

Arizona Alpha, University of Arizona

*Active-alumni co-operation . . .*

*Phikeias:* Jack Anderson, Galesburg, Ill.; Grant Tevis, Tucson; Clint Lytle, McPherson, Kan.; William Helborn, San Bernardino, Calif.

*Campus Activities:* Raffety, Abbott, Filbrun, Broadwater, and Thomason are on the basketball squad. Rafferty is captain; Abbott and Filbrun are regulars. O'Dowd, Gillespie, Filbrun, and Abbott were awarded monograms in football, Phikeia Goodson received a freshman numeral. Gillespie, house president for the second semester, was recently elected vice-president of the interfraternity council. O'Dowd will represent the chapter at the Omicron province convention in San Francisco. Phikeias Brown and Russell are stars on the freshman polo team. They are slated to fill regular positions on next season's varsity.

*Social Activities:* Twenty members of the chapter attended the Christmas dance given in Phoenix by the Phoenix alumni club. Almost 100 alumni from chapters throughout the country were present. An informal dance was given at the chapter house, January 9. An exchange dinner with K K Γ is planned February 7.

ROBERT A. MACON

British Columbia Alpha, University of  
British Columbia

*Budget cut threatened . . .*

*Phikeias:* Fraser Crocker, S. Crysedale, Robert Mather, Murray Mather, Vancouver; Hallis Gilley, Rann Matthison, Thomas Trapp, New Westminster; Carman Ridland, Cloverdale.

*Initiates:* January 24: Hugh McGiven, James Stewart, Harry Willis.

*Chapter House Improvements:* This semester the chapter has moved to a comfortable and large house on the campus. Special permission was granted by the government and Φ Δ Θ has the distinction of being the first house on the campus.

*Campus Activities:* Campus organizations are centering their attention on ways and means to avert the Government's making a drastic cut in the university budget for 1932-33. Jack Thompson is actively interested and will direct the duties of members in carrying petitions, canvassing, etc. Crysedale and R. Mather are playing Canadian Rugby this semester; Crysedale is also a member of the sophomore class executive, as literary representative; Murray Mather is on the varsity crew; McLead is playing hockey on the varsity team; Ridland

represents the chapter on the basketball team.

*Social Activities:* The chapter was at home in its new house on Sunday, January 10 to the alumni mothers and fathers, rushers and their parents, and representatives of the university and its organizations. About 200 people visited the house. The rushing parties were most successful, and since bidding, the Phi-keias were given a dance at the house, January 30, by the actives. The chapter has adopted a very successful pledging ceremony.

*Chapter Visitor:* Jack McBrady, Chicago.

*Alumni Personals:* Lyle Streight (A  $\Sigma$   $\Delta$  alumnus) who won the 1851 Scholarship to Birmingham University, England, two years ago, has received his Ph.D. there in chemistry. Lyle will be initiated into  $\Phi$   $\Gamma$   $\Delta$  upon his return. His brother, Jack, '31, a charter member, is now studying law, prior to his going to Osgoode Hall, Toronto, next fall. Ken Moffatt is convalescing at Vernon after a serious operation in Victoria.

J. BEATTIE MACLEAN

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California Alpha, University of California

*Initiation held . . .*

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*New Officers:* President, Earl A. Garrettson, Jr.

*Phi-keias:* Clement Cole, Huntington Park.

*Initiates:* January 31: Gilbert D. Calden, Berkeley; Merritt N. Vaughn, Jr., Oakland; Arnold C. Fleet, San Diego; Nathaniel S. Dodge, Piedmont; Philip D. Chubb, Berkeley; George F. Dimmler, Berkeley; Robert C. Barker, Northern Rhodesia, Africa; Stanley V. Walton, Jr., Berkeley; Robert McW. Davis, Berkeley.

*Campus Activities:* Earl Garrettson and Howard Lackey are on varsity crew; both men have a good chance to make their letters this season. Several of the freshmen are out for crew as well: Bud Feiberling, Ralph Holm, Philip Chubb, Bob Davis. Bud Neuhaus represents  $\Phi$   $\Gamma$   $\Delta$  in track as does Bill Wood, George Dimmler, and Gil Calden. Managers in track are Bud Carlisle, junior manager, and Bud Elfen. Ben Henry is out for sophomore baseball manager. George Crist is intramural baseball manager.

Carl Mitchell made his circle "C" in swimming and is on the water polo team for the university this spring. Nat Hoskot is junior manager in tennis. Phi-keia Cole is out for boxing. Ed Schneider is on the staff of the university engineering publication.

*Social Activities:* The annual initiation ceremony was held during the week of January 24, the informal starting on Friday noon and lasting until Sunday morning. The formal initiation was held that night at five o'clock after which the welcome dinner took place. Many older members were at the banquet. On February 11.  $\Phi$   $\Gamma$   $\Delta$  held an exchange dinner with  $\Phi$   $\Gamma$   $\Delta$  which will be the first of a series of such dinners that we will enjoy during the term. February 6, the Under-Class held a dinner dance at the Claremont Hotel.

*Chapter Visitors:* Judge William H. Waste, '91; Robert Friend, ex-'28; George De Golia, '11; Franklin B. Boyle, '20; Victor H. Doyle, '15; Walter Bunker, Oregon, '28; Maurice S. Woodhams, '88.

*Alumni Personals:* Gregor C. Merrill, '29, has just received his appointment as vice-consul to Bucharest, Roumania.

P. J. WALKER, JR.

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California Beta, Stanford University

*Alumni incorporate . . .*

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*New Officers:* President, Donald Wilson; secretary, Lawrence McGuire; warden, William Corbus; reporter, Francis Bates, Jr.; chaplain, Phillips Murray; historian, Charles Platz; alumni secretary, Marcus Godfrey; chorister, Eugene Brown; house manager, Austin Clapp.

*Initiates:* January 19: Prentiss Burtis, William Mackenzie.

*Campus Activities:* Herbert Jenkins was retained on the basketball squad and has shown up quite well in the games in which he has played. William Saufley is out for baseball, William Schallenberger is trying out for swimming manager, and "Jimmy" Posgate is on the gymnastic team. Several of the football veterans of last year are out for winter football practice, including William Bates, William Corbus, and "Dusty" Allen. De Groat, is pole-vaulting.

*Chapter House Improvements:* The

alumni of California Beta have formed an association known as the California Beta House Corporation. Through their efforts we hope to have a completely remodeled house built next summer. Plans have been carefully drawn and means of financing the project have been discussed and taken care of in part.

*Social Activities:* The chapter held a dinner for faculty members of  $\Phi \Delta \Theta$ . The following night, the chapter gave a dinner for the alumni of California Beta, which was also well attended.

FRANCIS BATES, JR.

California Gamma, University of California at Los Angeles

*Initiating for Akron . . .*

*New Officers:* President, Jack Keith; vice-president and reporter, James Miller; secretary, David Reams; house manager, Herman Schaefer; warden, Leslie Haight; chaplain, Lawrence Collins; chorister, William Horn.

*Phikeias:* Vincent Donatelli, Santa Monica; Herman Nelson, Glendale; Payne Thayer, Pasadena.

*Initiates:* A special initiation was held for Mr. Oscar Schreiber, who is one of the last remaining members of the old petitioning group at the University of Akron, to become a Phi.

*Campus Activities:* Adamson and Jacobsen were initiated into Scabbard and Blade. Bunn and Cory are out for swimming and water polo and Phikeia Schwartz is on the Frosh swim-team. Doeg is on the varsity tennis team and is going to be one of the main stays; the tennis team is rated the strongest on the Coast. Philips is president of the sophomore class and is in charge of their dance to be given at the Vista Del Arroyo. Horn is chairman of arrangements for sophomore honorary society dance. Schaeffer, Norfleet, and Bergdahl are on the varsity ice-hockey team. Stoffen is expected to reclaim his fencing titles this year. Hank Miller is out for varsity basketball. Dorn is on the rifle team. In varsity track  $\Phi \Delta \Theta$  is well represented with Jepson, half-miler, Jim Miller, hurdler, Lockett, sprinter, and Horn, javelin. Bill Lockett is varsity track captain.

*Social Activities:* The pledges are planning a dance for the chapter. It will be held at one of the country clubs.

*Chapter Visitors:* "Nip" McHose, province president; Don West, California; Bill Crawford, Montana; Pendarvis, '29, Heydenrich, ex-'29; Kenison, '29.

*Alumni Personals:* Hank Winons, '29, is with the Dean of Men's office at the University of Minnesota and at the same time holds a fellowship there. Danny Wickland, '30, has received an appointment in the Army air service and will report to Randolph Field, Texas, in the near future. Carroll Whinnery graduated at mid-term and is doing research work in history at the famous Huntington Library in Pasadena. Alan Reynolds, also a recent graduate, is playing in stock with the Pasadena Community Players.

JAMES B. MILLER

Colorado Alpha, University of Colorado

*Active in athletics . . .*

*Phikeias:* Kern L. Cochrum, St. Louis, Mo.; Robert Cummings, Pueblo.

*Initiates:* Jack Naugle, Sterling; Robert Hurst, Arvada; Charles Keith, Denver.

*Campus Activities:* Sturges and W. Morris have leads in this quarter's Players Club production. Naugle was recently initiated into Scimitar, sophomore honorary. Sturges is a member of Sumalia, junior honorary. The chapter has four men in the intramural boxing tournament, Ketchum, Sarkisian, Naugle, and Phikeia Cummings; Lane and Bauserman are in the intramural wrestling tournament. Barnett is pledged to  $\Lambda \times \Sigma$ , honorary chemical fraternity. Brown, MacDonald, and Shippey were initiated into  $\Phi \Delta \Phi$ , Collins recently bettered the conference record in the 220-yard breast stroke by six seconds. Phikeia Kreager is doing well in winter track. Our intramural basketball team is runner-up in our division. Phikeia Hays is playing in the operetta orchestra and Shippey is in the chorus.

*Social Activities:* Fifteen couples attended a very enjoyable dinner at the chapter house given before the junior prom. To reduce expenses the chapter has dispensed with our annual winter formal.

*Chapter Visitors:* Pope Coughlin, Washington and Lee, '30; Don Carlberg, '29; Fred Johnson, Illinois, '30.

*Alumni Personals:* Don E. Trindle, '31, is practicing law in Texas this year.  
JOHN H. SHIPPEY

Colorado Beta, Colorado College

*Holding weekly dinners . . .*

*Phikeias:* Walter Newcomber, Kansas City, Missouri.

*Chapter House Improvements:* The Mothers' Club is presenting the house with new drapes for the first floor windows and also giving us some new rugs.

*Campus Activities:* Martin and Ryerson are on the varsity basketball team; Martin is captain. Jasper is on the "B" team as are Phikeias Harris and Clark. Mercer, Haney, and Phikeia Crosby have parts and Gray is stage manager of the Koshare production to be given this month. Deutsch was the college representative to the N.S.F.A. in Toledo, Ohio. January is associate editor of the *Nugget*, college yearbook. Scott is junior farce manager. Young, Short, and Hardy have been pledged to A K Ψ. De Holczer, Roark, Deutsch, and Phikeias Craeger, Bicknell are out for spring football, Martin reporting after basketball. Phikeias Anderson, Derby, Waite, and Wolfe are on the wrestling squad. Captain B. Haney, Short, DeHolczer, and Phikeia Wolfe are already conditioning for the coming track season; all are let-terms.

*Social Activities:* Regular fraternity tables are not established at Colorado College but this semester we are having Monday night dinners before meetings and it has done quite a bit to bring the brothers together closer than in the case where we are not allowed to eat regularly.

*Chapter Visitors:* Verne Gatley, *Colorado Aggies*; Edward Williams, Xi province president; Henry Reinking, ex-'28; William Heumarker, ex-'33; Bill Twilly, '26; Perry Griener, '24.

DAVID W. SCOTT

Florida Alpha, University of Florida

*Landscaping . . .*

*New Officers:* Thomas Irwin, president; Paul Brown, reporter; William Trice, Jr., secretary; William Charles,

treasurer; Maurice Hollins, warden; Lee McCubbin, house manager; Calvin Rogers, chaplain; Gardner Gillette, alumni secretary; Culver Smith, historian; James Knott, chorister.

*Phikeias:* Charles Gifford, St. Petersburg.

*Chapter House Improvements:* The appearance of the chapter house has been greatly improved by the addition of palms and other shrubbery to the lawn. The floors in the front rooms have been refinished and are in excellent shape.

*Campus Activities:* The chapter is now in first place in intramurals, having finished second in boxing and third in wrestling. Phikeia Hal Starbuck won the heavyweight championship in boxing and Phikeia Walter Floyd won the welterweight championship. Phikeia Wallace Brown won the middleweight championship in wrestling. Phikeias Earl Harby, Bill Voigt, and Addison Pound are working on the *Seminole* staff. Bill Charles has been elected manager of the varsity football team for 1932. Fred Rayburn is out for manager of the varsity basketball team. Phikeias Welcome Shearer, Jervey Gantt, and Harold Fowler are on the freshman basketball team. Roberts, Bostwick, and Brown are working out in preparation for the coming baseball season. Simpson and Phikeias Brown, Starbuck, Reid, Shearer Starke and Lau, are out for spring training in football.

*Social Activities:* The chapter is making elaborate plans for the annual house parties to be given early in April. Calvert Pepper is chairman of the committee which is rapidly completing plans for this occasion.

*Chapter Visitors:* Bob Woodbury, '31; James Howze, '31; Aubrey Sawyer, '31; W. W. Trice, *Richmond* '93; James Boyd, '25.

PAUL M. BROWN

Georgia Alpha, University of Georgia

*Many activities . . .*

*New Officers:* E. M. Smith, president; B. H. Askew, secretary; Roy E. Bowen, reporter; Wilbur Blackman, warden; J. W. Vinson, historian; Byron Mitchel, chorister; and C. H. Richardson, chaplain.

*Initiates:* January 14: Jasper N. Dorsey, Marietta; Byron Mitchell, Gainesville; Phil H. Fahrney, Atlanta; Hammond Dean, Monroe; Charles H. Richardson, Jr., Macon; Crozier Wood, Winder; Henry A. Hopkins, Atlanta; J. Q. West, Jr., Thomson; J. R. Puckett, Blakely; Elvin B. Hamilton, Blakely; Ben M. Turner, Cordele.

*Chapter House Improvements:* Both bathrooms have been renovated. In one showers were installed and the floor tiled. Two more rooms have been equipped in order that more brothers can live in the house. A gas heater was purchased for one of the rooms, and a dresser for the other.

*Campus Activities:* Weems and Brown are members of the Gridiron Club, senior honorary society. Wooten and Wood are playing varsity polo. Morgan Thomas is pledged to  $\Sigma \Delta K$ , legal fraternity. Askew was elected to  $\Phi K \Phi$ . Richardson is on the rifle team, and is at present leading the entire team in total score. Fahrney and Proctor are members of the glee club. Dunlap and Killen are out for the golf team, and Walker and Dean are candidates for track team. Richardson and Hopkins made freshman football numerals and Phikeia Solomon is freshman football manager; while Gaines was assistant varsity manager. Fahrney is on the freshman Y.M.C.A. cabinet. Hazlehurst and Weems are the Panhellenic representatives. Blackman, Hamilton, and Phikeia Rambo are out for the swimming team. Weems and Dorsey are trying for the boxing team while Dunlap is out for the manager-ship of that team. Gaines is a member of the Blue Key Council and a major in the R.O.T.C. unit. Wood and Hazlehurst are captains, and Wooten is a lieutenant. Blackman was the Georgia Alpha delegate to the Epsilon Province convention held at Emory.

*Chapter Visitors:* Frank S. Wright, Florida; Phikeia John Allison, Florida; Dick Dodd, '29; Leonard Bowen, Emory; John T. Dorsey, '98; Tom Rogers, Georgia Tech; R. P. Stevens, '95; Arthur D. Brown, '25.

*Alumni Personals:* "Sandy" Sanford, former captain of the University of Georgia basketball team, is playing basketball for the Hollywood Athletic Club. Tom Crittenden, '31, is now a certified public accountant, having passed the state examination shortly after his graduation.

A. E. BOWEN

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 Idaho Alpha, University of Idaho
 

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## Varsity debating . . .

*New Officers:* President, Paris Martin; reporter, William Willis; secretary, William Robb; chaplain, Basil Miles; historian, Gilbert St. Clair; alumni secretary, Charles Walker.

*Phikeias:* Howard Ginn, Walla Walla, Washington.

*Campus Activities:* Paris Martin was a member of the University two-man debating team which won the decision from the University of Pittsburg here January 27. Harold Boyd tried for and was accepted as a member of the Vandaleers, a mixed chorus of 17 voices.

*Social Activities:* Two dances featured the month of January for members and pledges. January 9 an informal winter dance was given to take the place of the annual spring dance. January 30 an afternoon dance was given following the completion of the semester final examinations.

WILLIAM WILLIS

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 Illinois Beta, University of Chicago
 

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## Mothers' Club gifts . . .

*New Officers:* President, Frank Thomson; warden, Robert Aufdenspring; secretary, Garland Routt, chaplain, William Kuhns; house manager, Richard White.

*Phikeia:* Harold Daninhauer, Chicago.

*Initiates:* January 17: William Harper, Chicago; James Wilson, Cheyenne, Wyoming; John Pelzel, Wichita, Kansas; Edward Shoemaker, Detroit, Michigan; Hilmar Luckhardt, Robert Eldred, Francis Cimral, Chicago; Oris Hastings, Cairo. February 8: Glen Breen, Chicago.

*Chapter House Improvements:* The mothers' club presented the chapter with three new bridge lamps as a Christmas gift. They also hung clean curtains in all the rooms.

*Campus Activities:* Whitney, Eldred, Breen, and Marks composed the relay team which won the intramural swimming relay event. Gerald Johnson is the best miler on the varsity track squad. White is wrestling in the 145-pound division on the varsity squad. Hastings had a part in the Dramatic Club annual Playfest. The chapter's intramural basketball team in the "A" class has lost

but one game, while the "B" squad led by Cimral is undefeated and looks like the best squad in this division. Schaller is doing excellent work as sophomore business manager of the *Daily Maroon*. Kuhns took scholarship honors for the last quarter, maintaining a straight "A" grade.

*Social Activities:* The chapter held its third annual Phi Delt "Silly Strut" January 23, at the house. It was a limehouse party, costume affair, with the house decorated in Chinese fashion. Springer, Routt, and Messinger made all arrangements. Practically every fraternity was represented and a number of alumni were present.

*Chapter Visitors:* Minnesota Alpha Phis on the basketball squad, Licht, Bethel, Somer, Wright, and assistant coach Otterness.

*Alumni Personals:* On the first Friday evening of every month we have an alumni smoker which has been attended by a number of our alumni. Ernest Quantrell, '05, of New York, a trustee of the University, was the principal speaker of the evening at the recent annual dinner of the University faculty and governing bodies. CARL A. SCHEID

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Illinois Eta, University of Illinois

*Five Phikeia scholars . . .*

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*Chapter Officers:* Ayres Ricker, president; George Penwell, warden; Clarence Thompson, secretary; James Kirk; chorister; Stauffer Espenschied, chaplain; Harris Kemp, historian; William Ricker, reporter.

*Phikeia:* Robert Dadant, Hamilton.

*Chapter House Improvements:* A new RCA combination radio, phonograph, and recording machine was purchased at Christmas by the chapter, and has been installed in the living room.

*Campus Activities:* Five Phikeias are eligible for initiation into  $\Phi H \Sigma$ , freshman honorary scholastic fraternity, having made the required 4.5 scholastic average during the semester just completed. They are Beardsley, Acton, Dadant, Layman, and Durfee. Captain Gilbert Berry and D. F. Cook, sophomore letterman in football, have reported for spring practice which began February 8. In addition to these veterans, Phikeias Seamans, Cummings, and Layman are also work-

ing out with the varsity squad in the spring drills. Cook is a candidate for the track team in hurdles and shot put as well as a football man. Captain "Babe" Kamp and his cousin Bob are both regulars on the varsity basketball team, although an injured hand has hampered Babe since an early practice game against Butler.

*Social Activities:* Plans are being prepared for the Miami Triad formal dance to be held early in March.

*Alumni Personals:* O. K. Johnston, '26, is employed as salesman for the Columbia Alkali Corporation with offices in the Empire State building, New York City. "Zack" Hickman, '29, will return to the United States this summer after completing his studies which he has been pursuing on a Rhodes Scholarship since graduation. Robert W. Shirley, '28, is a sound technician at the Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer studios at Culver City, California.

John A. Lansden, '31, is a member of a new mining company at LaMesa, California. WILLIAM RICKER

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Indiana Alpha, Indiana University

*Junior presidency . . .*

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*Phikeias:* Steve Divich, Gary; Philip Kiefer, Petersburg; Robert Ludwig, Elkhart; Kiefer Ober, Indianapolis.

*Chapter House Improvements:* The front room has been completely furnished with new furniture and the old furnishings distributed to other parts of the house.

*Campus Activities:* Williams won his letter in football, Crawford won his letter on the "B" team. Staub and Phikeias Shake and Newhouse got numerals. Weir is one of the outstanding members of the varsity basketball squad. McDaniels was elected junior president and to Sphinx Club, honorary junior-senior organization. John P. Crawford, is editor of the *Arbutus*, the Indiana yearbook.

*Chapter Visitors:* Joe Swope, '15; James Pierce, '21; John Shumaker, '21; Henry Keene, '21; Richard Frantz, '32; Lee Ridgeway, province president.

*Alumni Personals:* Paul F. Rake, '31, has returned to I.U. to get his M.A. degree. ROBERT BISHOP

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## Indiana Beta, Wabash College

*Debating twins . . .*

*New Officers:* President, Paul G. Baron (re-elected); reporter, Stuart D. Smith; secretary, Meril Taron; warden, Howard Sigmond; chaplain, Merrit A. Swails; chorister, Brooks Taylor (re-elected).

*Chapter House Improvements:* A much needed winter house-cleaning has greatly helped the looks of the interior of the house. A new chandelier has been installed in the front hall.

*Campus Activities:* The final grade reports for the first semester have been submitted to the Panhellenic Council, and although no data has as yet been received, we are confident of a high standing. Clem J. and Clyde T. Hux are members of the varsity debate squad. Stuart D. Smith is holding down a regular berth on the varsity basketball team. Willis has been elected sophomore basketball manager. Phekeias Robins, Freeman, and Meahl are out for the freshman basketball team. Waldo Wheeler represented Indiana Beta in the "Golden Gloves" Boxing tournament. Burkhart and Wrona, regulars on last year's baseball team, have reported for spring practice. Swails, although a newcomer, is planning on joining them. P. G. Baron and Jack Davis are working on the next month's edition of the *Caveman*. Taron is assisting in the work on the yearbook.

*Social Activities:* Plans are being made for the annual Miami Triad dance, which will probably be held the first week in March. A general "get together" meeting of alumni will be held in the near future.

*Chapter Visitors:* H. C. Hayes, '12; Don C. Moore, '28; Swinkmire, *Ohio*, '31; John P. Todd, *Indiana*, '04.

STUART D. SMITH

## Indiana Gamma, Butler University

*Varied activities . . .*

*Phekeias:* Harry Lister, James Carr, Indianapolis; Russell Erret, Cincinnati, Ohio; Richard Walls, Knightstown.

*Chapter House Improvements:* The roof and outer walls were repaired against the rainy season, and the cur-

tain fixtures were renewed throughout the house.

*Campus Activities:* Nelson, national junior high jump champion, and Conrad, Johnson, Storz, and Bailey are out for track. Phekeias Johnson, Lister, Carr, Raiser, and Brown are on the frosh basketball squad, and Phekeias Stewart and Carr are out for freshman track. Storz and Raiser are on the swimming squad. Among new officers of the A Δ Σ (advertising) fraternity are Storz, president, Horst, vice-president, and Craig, secretary. Horst is on the senior class day committee. Mowbray, Gilliom, and Boling are members of Utes, sophomore honorary. Love was elected to Φ H Σ, freshman scholastic honorary. Bailey and Hanna are members of the junior prom committee. Smith as senior president, represented the student body at the inauguration of Dr. Athearn, new president of the university. Brandt is vice-president of Blue Key. Hoffman is vice-president of T K A. Hanna is city editor of the *Collegian*. Two teams representing Φ Δ Θ in the intramural basketball league have gone through half the season with only one defeat apiece. Bailey and Hardy are holding down executive positions under Hoffman, *Drift* editor.

*Social Activities:* A term-end party was held at the Show Boat night club, in honor of Mecum and McElroy, who finished school last semester.

*Chapter Visitors:* Marshall Brown, *DePauw*; Arthur Meese, *Hanover*; L. A. Hayner, Edward Vinofsol, *Michigan*.

THURMAN G. RIDGE

## Indiana Delta, Franklin College

*Christmas "Poor Kids" party . . .*

*New Officers:* President, William Province; chaplain, Lunsford Cox; warden, Howard Robertson; chorister, Charles Deppe; rush captain, Francis Kline; secretary, Roy Crum.

*Phekeias:* Marion Robison, Lebanon; Clifford Gerard, Crawfordsville.

*Campus Activities:* The chapter was runner-up in intramural debate. Phekeias Asbell, Cleveland, and McCague competed. We were second in intramural volleyball. Johnson made the all-star team. Cox received honorable mention. Robertson, Medsker, Wheeler, and Phi-

keia Cleveland were the other regulars. The chapter is second in points toward the all-around intramural trophy. If we continue to lead the basketball league, we will gain first place in points. Surface, Staples, Kline, and Phikeias Brewer and Owens are on the varsity basketball team; Surface is captain. Surface, Staples, and Phikeias Brewer and Owens are regulars. Phikeias Moser, Asbell, and Hughes are on the reserve squad; Johnson is manager. Surface, Johnson, Staples, F. Kline, R. Cline, and Phikeia Cleveland are members of the "F" Men's Club; Surface is vice-president. Johnson, Surface, and Medsker are members of the History Club. Province is vice-president of the interfraternity council. Medsker is on the student council executive board for the second semester. Deppe, Earlywine, and Phikeias Brewer and Dill are members of the glee club.

*Social Activities:* The annual "Poor Kids" party was held at the chapter house December 17. This year's spring drive will be held at Heflin's Camp April 1.

*Chapter Visitors:* Lorraine Rake, '30; O. E. Warneke, ex-'25; Clem Thompson, *Wabash*, '31; Hugh Ballard, '29; Fred Robbins, ex-'31; Lawrence Reese, '31; Robert Tranter, '30; William Johnson, '30; Kenneth Foster, '03; Walker Maguire, '31; Noble Lyons, '27; Harry Dailey, *Indiana*, '33; Leroy Cooke, '15; John Edmondson, ex-'32; Elba Branigan, Jr., '30; James Collins, '27; Andrew Houston, '31; Harry Bryson, *Wabash*, '34.

*Alumni Personals:* Verne Smith, ex-'30, and Genevieve Gamble, Chicago, have announced their marriage. John Edmondson, ex-'32, has announced his marriage to Ruth Cummings, Franklin, Indiana. Ralph McQuiston, '28, is an interne at the City Hospital, Indianapolis. Ray Kannamacher, ex-'29, is attending Appalachian College.

J. FRANCIS MEDSKER

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Indiana Epsilon, Hanover College

*Building up a library . . .*

*New Officers:* President, Dan Lewis; treasurer, Dale Guyer; reporter, James T. Snyder; house manager, Dillon Dorell; steward, Charles Butler; secretary, Robert Cooper; historian, Francis

Francke; alumni secretary, Joe Maziekas; warden, Alan Cooperider; chorister, James Hofer; chaplain, Tom Jackson.

*Phikeias:* Robert Schuler, Henryville; Albert Warner, Madison.

*Chapter House Improvements:* More furnishings, consisting of drapes, rugs, tables, and a number of small articles have been purchased for the new home of Indiana Epsilon. The library, which is rapidly growing, has been increased by several new books along the lines of travel, science, biography, and fiction.

*Campus Activities:* Indiana Epsilon now is represented on the varsity basketball squad by seven men, Fuller, Schuler, and Jackson being the new men out this semester. The chapter now stands second in the intramural basketball race, with three games left to play. In *The Millionaire*, a play which was presented by the local Dramatic Club not long ago, Dan Lewis and George Middleton had the lead and supporting rôles, respectively. The first call for baseball has been issued, and several promising candidates from the house have reported. Middleton, president of the Glee Club, is arranging a two weeks' tour for that organization in April.

*Social Activities:* January 27 the chapter gave an informal dance to celebrate the new semester. The annual Phi Delta boat dance will be either May 6 or 7, to carry out the old custom of having that function on the week-end of the Kentucky Derby. A good deal of difficulty has been encountered thus far in obtaining a boat for the occasion as most of the river steamers do not begin excursions that early.

*Chapter Visitors:* Brainard Platt, '94, Louisville, Ky.; Joe Swope, *Indiana*; Will Rogers, *Indiana*, '03.

*Alumni Personals:* Frederick Buck, ex-'30, is now employed in the W. H. Rogers Drug Store at Madison.

JAMES T. SNYDER

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Indiana Zeta, DePauw University

*Miami Triad dance . . .*

*Chapter House Improvements:* The furniture in the house has been repaired, the fixtures have been gone over, and general repairs have been made where necessary.

*Campus Activities:* Edwards has been chosen to Blue Key, honorary organization for seniors to which six of the outstanding men on the campus belong. Brennan has been initiated into  $\Sigma \Delta X$ . Millett has been made editor-in-chief of the *DePaww*, campus newspaper, of which he was formerly acting editor. Pearson has been chosen for a part in *The Criminal Code*, next production of Duzer Du, dramatic fraternity of which he is a member. Hjorth is working on the reportorial staff of the *DePaww* and six of the freshmen are working on the circulation staff. Clements was chairman of the Triad committee. Phikeia Baker is out for freshman basketball and freshman swimming. Phikeia Harrison won second place in the rifle match for all beginning military students. Spring sports are just around the corner and it seems as if Phi Deltas will be well represented in all lines.

*Social Activities:* The second annual Triad dance in conjunction with the local chapters of  $B \Theta \Pi$  and  $\Sigma X$  was held in the university gym on February 27. Slatz Randall and his nationally known orchestra played. This dance was one of the highlights of the social season on the campus.

*Chapter Visitors:* Leland H. Ridgway, *Wabash*, province president; Neil Grider, '03; Chester Lawrence, '10; Harry Bailey, '31.

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Indiana Theta, Purdue University

*Many activities . . .*

*Phikeias:* R. B. Nagel, Philadelphia, Pa.; J. K. Gibson, Miami Beach, Fla.; E. Elliott, La Fayette; C. Callison, La Fayette; E. Heneby, Greenfield.

*Initiates:* J. I. Miles.

*Chapter House Improvements:* The chapter was recipient of two very attractive lamps presented by the freshmen. A new electric refrigerator has been installed.

*Campus Activities:* Harris was reappointed cadet colonel (second commanding officer of brigade). Lowery, Harmon, and Campbell are members of the varsity basketball squad. Hecker and Sleeper have shown unusual promise for this year's varsity wrestling team. Bond and Hobbs show quite a bit of promise for intramural tumbling. Kelly and Ryan

are members of the Glee Club. Sleeper and Brunner were members of this year's water polo and swimming teams until minor sports were abandoned by the university. Brunner was appointed chief student engineer of WBAA (university broadcasting station). Knoy was initiated into  $\Pi T \Sigma$  (mechanical engineering honorary) and Gimlet club. Harris, Lippincott, Hughes, Duncan, and Kiel have been active in the preliminaries of the intramural bridge contest. "Distinguished students" included Enders, Harris, Knoy, Mace, Noble, and Lippincott.

*Chapter Visitors:* F. D. Little, '29; J. Dils, '31; E. N. Sleight, '30.

R. E. KIEL

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Iowa Alpha, Iowa Wesleyan College

*Exchange dinner system . . .*

*Chapter House Improvements:* Iowa Alpha has carried on an extensive house improvement campaign. A lounging room has been installed on the second floor in which the boys may play cards. Several new study tables have been purchased for the upstairs and new blankets for the dormitory.

*Campus Activities:* Wesleyan's basketball outlook for the present season is encouraging and is strengthened by the presence of Barry, Phikeias Hall, Williams, and Gammon on the squad. Gammon, a freshman, has been playing an outstanding game in the position of varsity guard. Buckley was recently elected vice-president of Blue Key, national honorary fraternity. Iowa Alpha members have been prominent in the musical organizations of the school. In the Wesleyan band are included Lindeen, Bennett, Willits, Livix, Phikeias Rogers, Dinsmore, and Smith. The Wesleyan glee club also includes Lindeen, Phikeias Yant, Hall, Campbell, Bayne, and Hoaglin.

*Social Activities:* Iowa Alpha has been instrumental in inaugurating the system of representatives from each fraternity dining at one of the other houses once a month. This increases the cooperation between the three groups and builds up a better feeling. Willits, director and manager of "Jay Tee and His Iowans," popular dance orchestra, now has included in his group Bennett, Willits,

Schwarzenbach, Phikeias Dinsmore and Rogers.

*Chapter Visitors:* Tench Gammon, Iowa; Phikeia John Joyce, Iowa; Bruce Rohde, '29; Elmer Gottschalg; Fred Ekstrand; Virgil Campbell; Hugh Rukgaber, '30.

*Alumni Personals:* Farron Turner, '29, formerly connected with Wesleyan in the office of publicity manager, is carrying on studies at Northwestern University. Wilbur Bennett announced his engagement to Miss Elin Willits, II B  $\Phi$ , recently.

Iowa Wesleyan has recently received a \$25,000 gift from an alumnus in New York.  
JOHN B. LUNDGREN

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Iowa Beta, University of Iowa

*Olympic swimming candidate . . .*

*New Officers:* president, Don Withington; reporter, Don Rock; warden, George Huber; historian, Fred Graeber; alumni secretary, Lewis Robbins; treasurer, Caryl Garberson; chaplain, Walter Willett.

*Phikeia:* Eugene Graves, Osceola.

*Chapter House Improvements:* The shower room has been completely re-tiled. New carpets have been put down in the hallways.

*Campus Activities:* McGuire, captain of the swimming team, recently established three new midwest A.A.U. records in the 100-yard and the 220-yard free style events, and he will probably be one of the promising candidates for the 1932 Olympic games. Phikeias Schammel, Nye, Kuhn, and Graves are showing up well on the freshman basketball team. Cornog and Phikeias L. Corcoran, T. Corcoran, Jackson, and Schammel are out for indoor track. Frantz is a member of the university chorus. Phikeia Carrol is in the university orchestra. Butler and Phikeia Schammel are representing the chapter in the interfraternity bridge tournament. Graeber is scheduled to fight in the finals of the all-university boxing tournament.

*Social Activities:* A Miami Triad party was held in the Iowa Union on January 16. Music was furnished by Bernie Lowe's orchestra of Des Moines.

*Chapter Visitors:* Art Alex, Tom Joyce, Paul Dustman, Hod Gordon, Jack Gammon, Emery Ruby.

*Alumni Personals:* After a successful season of professional football, Willis Glasgow is back in the law school at Iowa.  
DONALD W. ROCK

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Iowa Gamma, Iowa State College

*Intramural leaders . . .*

*Phikeias:* Herbert Howell, Frederick, S.D.; John Kennick, Adel.

*Initiates:* February 14: Ben Elbert, Des Moines; Ralph Gaines, Council Bluffs; Russell Griffith, Ames; Robert Hawley, Ames; Delmar Morris, Mankato, Minn.; Richard Macy, Adel.

*Campus Activities:* This holding important positions on committees for Veishea, Iowa State exposition, are Howard Sokol, student editor; R. Baird Rider, employment; William Weld, personnel; and John Cross, engineers' open house. Weld is student representative on the traffic regulation committee.  $\Phi \Delta \Theta$  won the intramural swimming meet for the third time in succession, putting us ahead in points for the intramural championship cup. The freshmen won the prep track meet giving them four championships out of five sports so far this year.

*Chapter Visitors:* Dana Johnson, Des Moines; "Pinky" Johnson, Urbana, Ohio.  
CONRAD STEPHENSON

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Kansas Alpha, University of Kansas

*Attorney General up for re-election . . .*

*Chapter House Improvements:* Landscaping of the north half of the yard has at last been completed.

*Campus Activities:* John Sleeper and Henry White are members of Mortar and Ball.

*Social Activities:* "The Mess," annual dinner dance, is set for March 4.

*Chapter Visitors:* E. O. Rhodes, '14; John Foster, '29; R. E. Boynton, '16. The chapter enjoyed the three-day visit of Latney Barnes, traveling secretary, before the holidays.

*Alumni Personals:* Arthur Lawrence and Lois Lines were married at Lyndon, Kan., December 24; they reside at Holton, Kan. William G. Bolman was married to Martha Kiene at Topeka, Janu-

ary 9. J. L. Turner, Jr., was married to Chrystal Cooper at Coffeyville, December 26; they will reside in Kansas City, Mo., where Turner is connected with the United States Engineer's office. J. W. Hubbard was married to Lois Frilla Romig of Topeka at Davenport, Iowa, December 11. Hubbard is manager of Sears Roebuck. George E. Gard has been elected president of the Wyandotte County Bar Association for 1932. He is assistant county attorney. Roland E. Boynton, attorney general of Kansas, is a candidate for re-election. Clarence McGuire has left the Harris Trust Company of Chicago and is now with Hoover Bros., Inc., school supplies, Kansas City, Mo.

OLIVER Q. CLAFLE

Kansas Beta, Washburn College

Numerous chapter gifts . . .

*Phikeias:* Jack Gray, Topeka; Bert Dumars, Topeka.

*Chapter House Improvements:* The Mothers' Club gave the chapter two new bridge tables, two new door mats, and had two shoe scrapers placed along the front walk. C. D. Hart, assistant general claim agent for the Santa Fe Railroad, donated a wall rug for our dining room and Dr. C. E. Joss furnished the rods for hanging the rug.

*Campus Activities:* Marion Frick was named on the Law School honor roll for last semester. Robert Osborne has been chosen for the lead in *Children of the Moon*, the next college play to be given. Osborne and Silvers have pledged Δ Θ Π, legal fraternity. Lester Jordan, who attended Northwestern last semester, has enrolled in the University of Arizona. Don Makins, who attended Notre Dame last semester, and Eldridge Shriver, both of Topeka, have re-entered Washburn. Flick was recently elected president of the junior bar of the Law School.

*Social Activities:* One of our most successful parties of the year was an informal dance held at the chapter house January 31, with Henry Buckner's orchestra furnishing the music. This was an ideal time for a party, as the finals were ended and rush week was only a day away. The following evening a dinner party was given at the house for alumni, active members, pledges, and

rushees. The main speaker of the evening was Roland Boynton, attorney-general of Kansas. Other interesting talks were given by Dr. A. B. Jeffrey, Judge James McClure, and Jack Jarrel, all prominent Topeka Phis. Because of the success of this rush dinner the chapter will repeat it each year during rush week.

*Chapter Visitors:* Lloyd Grothusen, '29; Lloyd Rice, '29; Dexter Glunz, '30; Bus Ellis, '31; Chesney Floyd, '31; Richard Floyd, '31; Wiley Cranston, '31; Paul Petit, '31; William Hoffstot, '31; Delmas Haney, '31.

*Alumni Personals:* David Gale Moss, '31, was married to Rosemary Turner; they plan to make their home in Stockton, Kan., where Gale will practice law. Richard Floyd, '31, is practicing law in Ness City, Kan.; and Delmas Haney, '31, is practicing in Hays, Kan. Brother and Mrs. Jim Mitchell announce the birth of a daughter; Brother and Mrs. Art Brewster announce the birth of a son. William Dumars, '31, passed the Kansas bar examination, and Wendell Garlinghouse, '31, passed the Missouri bar. Garlinghouse plans to practice in Kansas City, Mo.

CLEM H. SILVERS

Kansas Gamma, Kansas Agricultural College

Track and debating . . .

*Phikeias:* Jim Nichols, Superior, Neb.

*Social Activities:* A formal party will be held March 19 at the Wareham ballroom.

*Chapter Activities:* Ehrlich, captain of the track team last year, has one more year of competition and is training now for the Bix Six indoor track season which opens at the University of Missouri February 27. Ehrlich is the present holder of the Bix Six high jump record and finished second in the high jump at the national collegiate track meet held in Chicago last June. Boyd, a sophomore, has won a regular berth on the Kansas State basketball team. Phikeia Landon, high scorer on the Kansas State cross-country team last fall, will run the mile and two mile on the indoor track team. Our intramural basketball team won six straight games before losing to the Betas in the final game for the intramural championship. Ewing is on the college debate team. Phillips, who has been out of school for two years, returned this

semester. Jones was a member of the Kansas State livestock judging team.

F. W. BOYD

Kentucky Epsilon, University of Kentucky

*High freshman scholarship . . .*

*New Officers:* Joseph Ferguson, Huntington, W. Va., president; William Kenney, Paris, Ky., warden; Douglas Parrish, Paris, Ky., secretary; and Emmett Whipple, Little Rock, Ark., reporter.

*Phikeias:* Reese Kimbrough, Lexington.

*Campus Activities:* Phikeias Phil Ardery and John L. Davis made the highest scholastic standings of any of the pledges of this chapter. Ardery, a member of the *Kernal* staff and of Strollers, campus theatrical organization, made a standing of 3, and Davis a standing of 2.7.

*Social Activities:* Kentucky Epsilon entertained alumni and pledges with a dance at the Lafayette Hotel on January 1. About 40 guests were present.

EMMETT D. WHIPPLE

Louisiana Alpha, Tulane University

*Supplementing Mardi Gras . . .*

*Phikeias:* Ferril Thomas, Pine Bluff, Arkansas; Robert Nocton, Lake Charles.

*Chapter House Improvements:* Our heating plant was repaired a short time ago and is now in splendid condition. The freshmen purchased an excellent radio for the house as a Christmas present.

*Campus Activities:* Basketball and track are drawing their share of the athletes now. Phikeias Robert Tessier, George Tessier, Bob Daray, Ferril Thomas, and Allan Little are all trying for the freshman squad. At the same time they are getting in shape for the annual interfraternity track meet.

*Social Activities:* A big dance was given February 9, the night before Mardi Gras, and many visiting Phis from other chapters were present.

*Chapter Visitors:* William Hogan, *Georgia Tech*, '26; Milton Grace, *Alabama*, '28; Herman Gilpi, '29; Hugh Evans, '29; Michael Gibbons, '28.

*Alumni Personals:* Fred Lamprecht,

'26, who was national intercollegiate golf champion in 1925-26, was host professional during the True Temper Golf Tournament held at Metairie Golf Club, New Orleans, February 10-13. He also played in the tournament and won his share of the prizes.

JESSE G. RAINWATER, JR.

Manitoba Alpha, University of Manitoba

*Alumnus at Lake Placid . . .*

*Initiates:* February 2: D. C. MacDougall, R. F. Struthers, R. E. Lane, W. H. Little, N. H. Penney, E. C. Broderick, A. V. Boyd, Winnipeg; W. G. Reid, Fort Francis, Ont.; J. E. Irvine, Pine Falls; R. G. McCulloch, Souris; C. M. Partridge, Carnduff, Sask.; H. R. Bickford, Benito.

*Campus Activities:* Manitoba Alpha has been active in interfaculty hockey; Reid, Roy Musgrove, and Penney are playing for United Colleges; Stewart, Musgrove, and Benson in medicine; and Finsness for engineers. MacPherson and Musgrove are playing interfaculty basketball for medicine. Phis have also been very active in interfaculty curling, Keith, Hutton, and Meighen playing for law, MacPherson for medicine, MacDairmid for arts, and Bickford for science. Birchard is business manager of the university glee club, Gordon is manager of ticket sales, and Benedickson head of the discipline committee. J. S. MacDairmid, playing in the annual Manitoba Bonspiel, has reached the finals in the "Free Press" competition and the fours of the MacDonald Trophy competition.

*Social Activities:* Following the initiation on February 4, a banquet was held in the Windsor Room of the Royal Alexander Hotel. Following this the annual formal dance was held in the Gold Room with midnight supper in the Tea Lounge.

*Chapter Visitors:* B. V. Moore, province president.

*Alumni Personals:* Stan Wagner, '29, has been representing  $\Phi \Delta \Theta$  on the Canadian Olympic hockey team at Lake Placid, New York. J. A. MACDOUGALL

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## Maryland Alpha, University of Maryland

*Joint Founders' Day program . . .*

*Phikeias:* John Fisher, Jack Horner, Robert Thomas, William Gentner, Jr., William Lowe, Samuel Brooks, Ralph Rogers, Washington, D.C.; Paul Bauer, William Karow, John Stafford, Jean Ferguson, F. F. Freeland, Baltimore; Arthur Laney, Jr., Cumberland; William Bozman, Oriole; W. L. Thompson, Rehoboth E. Nichols, Jr., Pikesville; R. Bryant, Takoma Park.

*Chapter House Improvements:* A new motor has been installed on the electric refrigerator and the gas range is being remodeled.

*Campus Activities:* James Decker is back and is again serving as art editor of the *Reveille*. Ernest Wooden is assistant circulation manager of the *Diamondback*. Norman Prince is vice-president of the Hort Club and is scrubbing for business manager of the *Old Line*. Harry Carroll is out for varsity boxing. Arnold Smoot has been initiated into T B II, honorary engineering fraternity. Ralph Mullendore has been initiated into A X Z, professional chemical fraternity. Phikeia Bryant is playing freshman basketball.

*Social Activities:* Plans are now being formulated for a house party during Junior Prom week-end. A basketball team has been organized to compete in the interfraternity league. The interfraternity banquet was held on February 8. Plans are being made for a joint celebration of Founders' Day with the Baltimore and Washington Alumni Clubs.

*Chapter Visitors:* Mark Bradford, traveling secretary; Frank J. R. Mitchell, *Northwestern*, '96; Milo Summers, *Lombard*; Adolph Steinfeldt, *Knox*.

*Alumni Personals:* Harold Robinson is employed in the laboratories of the Maryland State Health Department.

NORMAN E. PRINCE

## Massachusetts Beta, Amherst College

*Phi Beta Kappa secretary . . .*

*Chapter House Improvements:* The chapter meeting room has been made over, and a new cement floor installed,

through the generosity of J. N. Wooster, '06.

*Campus Activities:* The house is represented by five men in the forthcoming production of *Richard III* by the Masquers. In the cast are Benjamin, Clark, and Worcester, while Rose and H. S. Davis are electrician and property manager, respectively. Tracy continues in his competition for advertising manager of the *Student*, which will close in April, and Alderman is competing for a place on the board. McCleod and Reinke are on the track squad, Jones on the swimming squad, and Bush on the freshman basketball team. Ingersoll continues his activities as manager of debating and secretary of the Liberal Club. Bragg is secretary of  $\Phi B K$ . Keith, Horton, Reinke, and Richmann have recently received bids to Cotillion Club, of which Bragg and Tripp are already members.  $\Phi \Delta \Theta$  is represented on the Interfraternity Council by Bragg and Horton.

*Social Activities:* Plans are being formulated for the annual spring dance, to be held some time in March or April.

*Chapter Visitors:* Phillips, *Allegheny*, '29; Wells, '17; Hill, '30.

JERRY INGERSOLL

## Michigan Beta, Michigan State College

*Fifteen initiates . . .*

*Phikeias:* Robert Stonecliffe, St. Joseph.

*Initiates:* January 23: Richard Porter, George Porter, Petoskey; Dean Davis, Port Huron; Charles Whitney, Elyria, Ohio; Theodore Etter, Birmingham; Robert Farley, Albion; George Underwood, Royal Oak; Lyle Robinson Manistee; William Rorke, Saginaw; Charles Jubinville, Pontiac; Frederick Weakey, Grand Rapids; Forest Butler, East Tawas; Clifford McKibbin, Charles Dunford, East Lansing; Don Berles, Grand Rapids.

*Campus Activities:* Horton Stickle and Douglas Linder have received bids for Scabbard and Blade. The chapter won second place in the interfraternity indoor baseball game.

*Social Activities:* The chapter gave an informal reception for local alumni January 20 at the new house, and the following Saturday, January 23, a formal house-warming was held, the presidents

of other societies being guests. The following afternoon, January 24, an informal open house for the faculty and members of other societies was held.

*Chapter Visitors:* Mrs. George Banta, Jr., Grand President of K A Θ, was a guest for dinner January 24. We were greatly honored and enjoyed very much having Mrs. Banta as our guest.

ARTHUR LAWRENCE

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Mississippi Alpha, University of Mississippi

*Helping celebrate "Law Day" . . .*

*New Officers:* Evon Ford, president; Fred M. Glass, reporter; Jack Atkinson, warden; George Ray, treasurer; T. C. Lockhard, secretary; Yandell Frasier, chorister; Robert Bordeaux, historian; George Everette, chaplain.

*Campus Activities:* The annual celebration of the School of Law was held February 22 in the form of "Law Day," and playing prominent rôles in the activities of the day were three "Ole Miss" Phis. Chief among these was W. W. Venable, *Mississippi*, '99, of Clarksdale, who is the president of the Mississippi State Bar Association and is a former member of Congress from his district. Judge Venable made the main address of the day to a large crowd of Mississippi barristers who were on the campus for the occasion. Other Phis taking leading parts in the program were Judge Stone Deavors, *Mississippi*, '91, the dean of the Law School, and official representative of the University faculty during the day, and Byrd Truly, '32, who is a member of the senior law class and is president of the School of Law. Plans are being made for initiation. Phikeia Curtis added another honor to the long list of extracurricular activities held by the chapter when he was elected to the presidency of the freshman class at its annual election. Curtis is also starring on the freshman basketball squad and at the present time is leading the scoring of the undefeated frosh cagemen. The Frasier brothers are taking care of the managerial part of the basketball squad with Yandell Frasier serving as sophomore manager and Phikeia Dave Frasier filling the freshman manager's position. Glass and Smythe are members of the intercollegiate debating team. Hayes and Thomas are going out for varsity track

and are both showing up well in pre-season training. The entire chapter was glad to have C. M. Allen, '32, return to school at the beginning of the second semester.

*Chapter Visitors:* Judge W. W. Venable, '99, Clarksdale; Calloway Callicut, '31, Clarksdale; Charlie Berry, '31, Memphis, Tenn.; David "Pap" Cottrell, '31, Gulfport; Millard Bailey, '31, Memphis, Tenn.  
FRED M. GLASS

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Missouri Alpha, University of Missouri

*Initiation held . . .*

*New Officers:* Felix J. Senevey, president; R. M. Johnston, Jr., reporter; Frank M. Faxon, secretary; Elliot E. Farmer, treasurer; Mathias M. Little, warden; Tom Wallace, historian; Robert Hoover, chaplain; Elliot E. Farmer, chorister; Charles D. Henry, freshman captain; Robert S. Beachy, house manager.

*Phikeias:* Edward Brown, Trinidad, Colo.; Jack Barnes, Booneville; Wheeler Farrish, St. Joseph.

*Initiation:* February 21: Bill Chorn, Rhodes Estill, Frank Fellows, Bill Flee-man, Miles E. Foster, Jr., Guy C. Million, Pat Murray, Will L. Nelson, Jr., Henry Ward Owen, Jack Ready, John Reid, Jimmy Smith, Lyman Winter.

*Social Activities:* Two dances were held recently. The first was an informal party at the chapter house, given by the freshmen for the active chapter February 26. The second party is to be a Miami Triad dance, given by this chapter and those of Β Θ ΙΙ and Σ Χ at the Columbia Country Club on March 18.

*Chapter Visitors:* Latney Barnes, traveling secretary; Franc A. Barada, '30; Gordon Price, '31; Russell Ellis, ex-'33; Reed Knight, '28; Carl Richardson, '26; Paul Kraus, '31; William Simrall, '16; "Bottles" Burris, '99; Brothers Sifers, Shepherd, and Hassig, *Kansas*; Deacon, *Nebraska*; Stone, *Colorado College*.

R. M. JOHNSTON, JR.

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Missouri Beta, Westminster College

*First in scholarship . . .*

*New Officers:* J. C. Acuff, president; Robert Mow, treasurer; Randolph Dur-

ham, secretary; Jack Rowland, warden; Donald Yantis, chorister; Sam Coultas, chaplain.

*Chapter House Improvements:* The chapter has purchased a new set of dining room furniture, including round tables, chairs, and linen cabinets.

*Campus Activities:* Phikeia Roth won the annual Dobyms oratorical contest. The chapter continued its scholarship record by leading the fraternities on the campus, with an average of 85.6. Crews, Thompson, Yantis, and Phikeia Fuchs are out for track. Durham, Gordon, Reeves, and Yantis are likely candidates for the varsity swimming team. Diffenderfer has started active work as manager of minor sports. The basketball team inaugurated their new suits with a victory in the first intramural basketball game, and are favored to win both this sport and intramural handball. Phikeia Roth is managing and producing a one-act play for the dramatic club.

*Social Activities:* A dance was held at the chapter house January 30, celebrating the completion of final exams.

*Chapter Visitors:* Latney Barnes, traveling secretary; C. F. Lamkin, '99; C. F. Lamkin, Jr., '29; Jack Acuff, '28; Frank Kallmeyer, '31; Richard Edwards, '32; Hart Robnett, '32; R. B. Thompson, '33.

TERRELL VAUGHAN

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Missouri Gamma, Washington University

*Varsity debaters . . .*

*New Officers:* President, Arthur C. Gaines; reporter, C. M. Babington; warden, Robert Burton; secretary, H. Chapman; historian, F. P. Carson; chorister, John Carlyle; chaplain, Somers Matthews; treasurer, Jack Stoffer.

*Initiates:* February 14: Jack Baur, Charles Diebel, Ernest Curtis, Jack Goggin, Edwin Hamson, Richard Knight, Kenneth Koerner, Don McCord, Laurence McDougall, Milton Mill, Alex Miltenberger, Robert Mooney, Bryant Rich, Walter Blank, Kenneth Gilbert, Charles DePew, Ralph Stokes.

*Campus Activities:* The chapter occupies second place in intramurals. H. Jones and H. Chapman represented Washington in the recent Washington-Missouri debate. Pratt and Ledbetter were elected to Thurtene, junior honorary society. Johnson was elected business

manager of the *Dirge*. Carson is track manager, with Simpson as his assistant. Schoenthaler, Koerner, and McDougall are out for spring football practice. Benson was elected vice-president of the freshman dental class, and pledged  $\Xi \Psi \Phi$ , professional dental fraternity. Johnson has been assigned a rôle in *Look Who's Here*, annual musi-comedy production of the university. Baur and Mills have shown up quite well in a recent freshman swimming meet, taking second and third respectively.

*Social Activities:* Plans are being made for the annual formal dinner dance, to be held early in March. Spring rushing is getting under way with a party on February 22.

*Chapter Visitors:* Ben O. Kirkpatrick, Glade Kirkpatrick, Jack McDonald, Edgar Decker, and Theodore Merrill.

*Alumni Personals:* E. Glion Curtis, Jr. is planning to take diplomatic training in Washington, D.C.

CHARLES M. BABINGTON, JR.

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Montana Alpha, University of Montana

*Active actors . . .*

*Phikeias:* Floyd Burg, John Sullivan, Butte.

*Campus Activities:* Bill Brown played a principal role in *Death Takes a Holiday*, Montana Masquers major production for the winter quarter. Phikeia Dave Duncan was cast in the *Hairy Ape*. Lee Kennedy is on the varsity swimming team and Phikeia Phil Pollard was chosen as a yell duke. There are six men on the varsity basketball squad and three managers: Glenn Lockwood, captain, Al Dahlberg, Dave Fitzgerald, Bill Erickson, Pat Caven, Phil Patterson, varsity manager; Lehman Fox, freshman manager and Lee Kennedy, assistant manager. Men on the freshman basketball team are: Phikeias Jimmy Brown, Bill Hilemen, John Sullivan, Max Ennis, Bob Lacklen, Melvin Maury, and George Sayatovitch. Men playing on the  $\Phi \Delta \Theta$  bowling team are: Jack Currie, Dave Fitzgerald, Bob Davis and Phikeias Allan McKenzie and John Sullivan.

*Social Activities:* The annual "Nut House" costume party was held January 29. The Mothers' Club held a sewing bee on that date also after which tea was served. Three firesides were held during the quarter.

*Chapter Visitors:* George Hillman, ex-'32, Livingston. Brother Hillman is now connected with the Phoenix Public Utilities Company. Pat Sugrue, '27, Anacosta. F. W. COMPTON

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New Hampshire Alpha, Dartmouth College

*Journalists and journalists . . .*

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*Chapter House Improvements:* The second and third floors of the house have been entirely redecorated. The house improvement committee has purchased new rugs for the stairs and reception room and several pieces of furniture for the living room.

*Campus Activities:* Heidler and Davidson are out for the winter sports team, Heidler for speed skating and Davidson for ski jumping. Heidler was recently elected sports editor of the *Daily Dartmouth*. This gives  $\Phi \Delta \Theta$  four men on the *Dartmouth* board. Norton and Wyne are in the glee club.

*Social Activities:* The twenty-second annual winter carnival was held February 5-6. Twenty-five girls came up as guests of the house. As is customary the brothers moved out and the girls stayed at the house over the week-end. We were very fortunate in obtaining the Barbary Coast Orchestra of Dartmouth for our dances. On the front lawn a large beer mug was cleverly sculptured out of ice and snow by Risberg. Although Carnival was cut down to two days and the Carnival ball omitted to keep down the expense, the general opinion is that it was one of the best parties we have had in a long time.

*Chapter Visitors:* Joe Stickney, '31; Samuel Groves, '31; John MacKechnie, '31; and Harry Dunning, '30, were up for Carnival. THORWALD J. FRASER

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New York Alpha, Cornell University

*Sixteen pledges . . .*

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*Phikeias:* T. C. Borland, Oil City, Pa.; W. H. Bourne, Larchmont; J. C. Dillon, Cortland; W. D. Dugan, Hamburg; J. E. Fleming, Titusville, Pa.; B. L. Gallagher, Troy; E. W. Gilman, San Jacinto, Calif.; F. L. Gilmore, Mexico City; G. R. Kennaday, Woodbridge, N.J.; P. A. McNamara, Ithaca; F. G.

Miller, Turners Falls, Mass.; T. A. Ncr-linger, New York City; A. C. Rodgers, Norwood, Mass.; J. Sullivan, Jr., Wyoming, Ohio; H. A. Rogers, Tulsa, Okla.; J. D. Tate, Wilkes-Barre, Pa.

*Chapter House Improvements:* Linoleum has been laid on the second and third floor halls. The walls of the lobby have been painted, and a new rug for the great hall has been purchased.

*Campus Activities:* Sailer, Draney, and Perthou were elected to Rod and Bob, honorary civil engineering society. Draney was elected to Red Key, and Burns to Aleph Samach, junior honoraries. Smart and Sailer are members of the Officers' Club in advanced R.O.T.C. Phikeia Dugan is on the freshman basketball team. Draney won his letter in hockey last year and is now practicing with the varsity. Burns won his track letter last year and is training for the indoor season with Luxford and Phikeias T. Borland, Rogers, and McNamara. Walsh was on the competition for football managership. Phikeia Sullivan is competing for the *Sun* board. Phikeia Gilmore is on the *Widow* competition. McKane is a member of Sphinx Head, honorary senior class society. Rabe and Phikeia Kennaday are in the dramatic club. McCoy has been designing the stage settings for the university plays. Smart was elected to Al-Djebbar, honorary chemistry society. Redington was elected to  $\Phi \kappa \Phi$ , scholastic honorary.

*Social Activities:* We are making plans for the junior week house party which comes between semesters. Emerson Gill's orchestra will furnish the music. He will be assisted by Doc Peyton's orchestra at the junior prom. The Thursday night dance will be with the  $\Sigma \Lambda E$  and  $\Theta \Delta X$  at the  $\Theta \Delta X$  house. The cabaret dance will be held at the chapter house on Friday night and a closed dance on Saturday night will be at the chapter house.

DAVID V. BURNS

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New York Delta, Columbia University

*New house furnishings . . .*

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*New Officer:* Makepeace, reporter.

*Phikeias:* Robert Young, William Clune, Patrick Laughlin.

*Chapter House Improvements:* The equipment of the chapter house has been

greatly augmented by the addition of several pieces of furniture brought in by brothers living in the house. Easy chairs and floor lamps are the main acquisitions.

*Campus Activities:* New York Delta is represented on the campus by the same activities as last month. Kumpitch is managing the varsity fencing team and Makepeace is handling the freshman outfit. Smith is out for the competition for the next year's freshman managership and this activity is well under control. Wimmer has been shining with the varsity swimming team and has done some fine work in the past meets. His performances in the hundred yard free style and as number three on the relay team have aided greatly in Columbia scores. Magennis is the King's Crown editor on the *Columbian* and Oscanyon is active in debating and contributes to the *Spectator's* humor column. The Columbia Junior Prom is being held on the 19 and will be attended by several of the brothers.

*Chapter Visitors:* Turner and Cannon from Idaho and Nelson and Henward from Butler and Syracuse respectively. Brother Henward is president of the Beta province.

WILLIAM W. MAKEPEACE

New York Epsilon, Syracuse University

*Rah, rah, Tri Delts! . . .*

*Initiates:* December 15: George Toomey, '33, Saratoga; Chester Roberts, '34, Bristol, Conn.

*Campus Activities:* Blain is on the senior executive committee, and also in charge of securing the music for the senior ball. McKaig is back on the old crew job, where he held forth as the varsity cox last year. Egan is a regular on the varsity basketball team. The ping-pong team which is composed of Bickerstaff, Papworth, Roberts, and Schultze has proven to be a stellar combination.

*Social Activities:* An informal dance was held February 6. The Tri Delts are entertaining the brothers at a gang date on the evening of February 15. The Mothers' Club is about to get the season's activities under way with a bridge in the near future.

*Chapter Visitors:* Charles E. Williams, Union, '33; Phikeia Walter Wheldon,

Union, '35; Harris Hedinger, Union, '32; Glen Bobst, Union, '32; Phikeia Richard Davis, Union, '35.

J. RAYMOND BUTTERWORTH

New York Zeta, Colgate University

*Dining the faculty . . .*

*New Officers:* Robert B. Breed, president; Henry H. Tredwell, warden; Joseph F. Smith, secretary; Robert McHardy Johnson, chaplain.

*Chapter House Improvements:* A new vacuum cleaner has helped greatly to improve the general appearance of the house. The ping-pong table which is now being built will enable the enthusiasts of bantam tennis to join those of bridge, golf, chess, and tennis in tournaments to determine the house champions in these games.

*Campus Activities:* Jerry Holmes was recently elected chairman of junior prom. Acropolis is high scorer on the varsity basketball team, while Hank Kowal is also a member of the squad. Merkt is swimming the relay and the fifty-yard dash on the swimming team. The frosh basketball team is well represented by the house, with Phikeias Kuk, Grubb, Risley, and Cahill as first string men. Unfortunately, Phikeia Thompson, who was a likely candidate for the fifth position on the quintet, was forced to give up basketball because of a bad ankle. Sivell is still leading the field for the individual championship in intramural activities and the chapter stands near the head among the fraternity groups. Phikeia Buell is scrubbing hockey. Joseph F. Smith and Albert Lawrence have become members of the Political Science Club. Vaughan and Holmes are on the varsity glee club and Phikeia Johns is on the freshman glee club. Lacey, who is again captain of track, ran with the relay team in the Melrose Games last week in which they defeated Dartmouth and Yale for their third consecutive victory at this annual meet. Beers is trying out for song leader.

*Social Activities:* Arrangements are being made for a one-night party during Winter Carnival, the week-end of February 13. The entertainment committee, following a suggestion by Professor Buchanan, the chapter adviser, has set aside one night a week on which to en-

tertain members of the faculty and their wives at dinner.

*Chapter Visitors:* Brother Markel, *Allegheeny*. THOMAS A. WEATHERLEY

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North Carolina Alpha, Duke University

*House renovated . . .*

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*New Officers:* Liston Pope, president; Elbert Wallace, secretary; Harold Horack, warden; Kenneth Lang, assistant treasurer; Lawrence Patten, chaplain.

*Phikeia:* John J. Devlin, Langhorne, Pa.

*Chapter House Improvements:* Several improvements have been made in the arrangement of the chapter room. The furniture has been renovated and a new rug to cover the entire floor is to be purchased.

*Campus Activities:* As the basketball season reaches its climax,  $\Phi \Delta \Theta$  has four regulars on the squad, Horne, Weaver, Coombs, and Phikeia Hendrickson. Leake and Bell are on the freshman squad. Lawver, Patten, Ewell, and Phikeia Fackler took part in the last swimming meet against Virginia. McLean is also a varsity diver. North Carolina Alpha came out in second place in the interfraternity boxing tournament, Davis and Martin going to the finals. A team is entered in the intramural football tourney; the chapter was first last year. Spring football practice started recently with Means, and Phikeias Hendrickson, Coleman, J. Dunlap, E. B. Dunlap, Rossiter, and Crawford trying out. Hendrickson, Means, Rossiter, Crawford, and Weaver were lettermen last year.

*Social Activities:* On February 7 an informal tea was held at the chapter house for alumni, parents, and friends. These are to be a regular feature and it is hoped that all town alumni and alumni in the university will come to these. An alumni banquet is to be held in conjunction with the spring initiation on March 12.

*Chapter Visitors:* Mark W. Bradford, traveling secretary; George Ragsdale, province president; Glenn McNairy, '31; Fred. A. Black, *Westminster*, '03; Louis C. Roberts, *Davidson*; B. H. Fuqua, *Florida*; J. P. Coie, *Washington*; M. L. Black, Jr., '26.

*Alumni Personals:* Ted Mann, '31, is

assistant publicity manager for the university. George Holmes has entered the Duke medical school. M. L. Black, Jr., '26, a charter member of the chapter when it was reinstated in 1926, is teaching accounting at Duke. A new and expanded system of intramural athletics has been installed at Duke with the reorganization of the athletic department and the chapter has entered wholeheartedly into these competitions. So far an excellent showing has been made.

GEORGE W. EWELL, JR.

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North Carolina Beta, University of  
North Carolina

*New pledge system . . .*

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*New Officers:* E. M. Fonvielle, president; Jack Torian, secretary; Bill Enloe, warden; Bob Burnett, historian; Davis Cranford, chaplain; Kirk Swam, treasurer and house manager. Tad McLaughlin was elected to represent the chapter at the National Convention.

*Phikeias:* Derick Hartshorn, Goldsboro; Bitter Suttle, Shelby; Bobby Williams, Clearwater, Fla.; Ruel Hunt, Brevard; Bob Hall, High Point; Sammy Bushnell, Waynesville; Steve Forest, Eflana; Earle Wolslagel, N.Y.; John Hershey, Schenectady, N.Y.; Bob Bolton, Hendersonville; Jimmy Moore, Wilmington; Odel Cranford, Asheboro; Curtis Cloud, Hamlet; Walter Braddock, Daytona Beach, Fla.

*Initiates:* January 16: R. T. Burnette, Tryon; S. D. Cranford, Asheboro; W. E. Davis, High Point; W. A. Enloe, Lafayette, Ga.; R. W. Gobel, High Point; L. L. Hutchison, Charlotte; L. B. Mann, Charlotte; J. C. Sales, Fletcher.

*Chapter House Improvements:* During the Christmas holidays the floors of the entire house were cleaned and waxed. The woodwork was also cleaned. The walls in several parts of the house were painted during the holidays. The house was very beautifully decorated for the Christmas season, thanks to our house-mother, Mrs. McPhail. A hand-painted coat-of-arms was presented to the chapter by Brother Barrow. Phikeia Wolslagel presented to the chapter, a Scroll which he made.

*Campus Activities:* The Phi Delt basketball quintet got off to a fast start in

the intramural tournament by winning their first five contests by decisive scores. The date for the Winter Festival dances has been set for the week-end of February 26-27. For several years this set of dances has been one of the outstanding social events on the campus, being sponsored by five outstanding fraternities on the campus, including  $\Phi \Delta \Theta$ . Ted Black's band has been secured for the occasion.

*Chapter Visitors:* Mark Bradford, traveling secretary; Lang and Fairchild, *Duke*; Wilkins, *Davidson*.

The chapter has inaugurated a new system of Phikeia management this year. R. B. Parker, Rome, Ga., a graduate student in the university, is the head of the system. Allsbrook is assisting him. A study hall is being held at least twice a week for the entire Phikeia group. The organization has proven to be very effective in smoothing out the work of the new men. S. W. SCOGGIN

North Carolina Gamma, Davidson College

*Many athletes . . .*

*Chapter House Improvements:* The chapter has just secured a new electric pin to be used at panhellenic entertainments and to hand in the chapter room.

*Campus Activities:* Goodykoontz and O'Keefe hold regular positions in the spring practice of varsity football. Brannon, McGehee, Covington, and Phikeias Glasgow and Dupuy have started spring track work. Lafferty is now a regular forward on the varsity basketball team while the chapter has won its first game in the interfraternity basketball tournament by defeating  $\Sigma \Phi E$  in a close and exciting contest. Glasgow is junior manager of varsity basketball.

*Social Activities:* The fraternity entertained a number of its lady friends during the recent panhellenic dances. Music was furnished for three dances by Tal Henry and his band and the dances were held in the Charlotte Armory. The chapter was well represented in the figure by Hancock and Robinson. The next social function will be the annual Junior-Speaking of three dances with music by Edward's Collegians.

*Chapter Visitors:* H. W. White, '30; R. B. Parker, '26; Ted Newland; J. A. Brown, '30.

*Alumni Personals:* J. P. McKnight, '30, with the Associate Press and stationed in Havana, Cuba, did an excellent piece of work in getting out the story of the recent earthquake at Santiago de Cuba. Alvin Rowe, '26, in the consular service of this country, is now located in Bogatá, Colombia. BILL MCKNIGHT

North Dakota Alpha, University of  
North Dakota

*Should get movie passes now . . .*

*Phikeias:* Gay Drangstad, Minot.

*Chapter House Improvements:* During the holidays the Mothers' Club bought us a new set of window seat cushions.

*Campus Activities:* G. Dablow, Mullen, and Smith are playing regular on the varsity basketball team and Secord is beginning to get a chance at the other regular forward position. Phikeia Stephens is playing on the freshman squad. The house basketball team is still undefeated and won its latest game from the Betas by a score of 31-18. L. Grimmon had a part in the Playmaker production, *Holiday*. Eynon was appointed head of the lighting committee of the junior-senior prom. D. Traynor was elected sergeant-at-arms of Blue Key. Phikeia Barrickman is playing solo trumpet in the varsity orchestra. Peterson, F. Traynor, D. Traynor, L. Grimmon, and Phikeia Gill have been cast in the next Playmaker play. Phikeias Fields and Howard were promoted to special writers on the *Student*.

*Social Activities:* The annual Christmas party was held in the house just before the holidays. The house was decorated in the spirit of the occasion, with a Christmas tree and red and green decorations and all the ladies received toys. The between-semester party was held in the house, January 31. Bill Lee's orchestra played for both parties. Again we rated an open house, this time with the  $A \Phi s$ .

*Chapter Visitors:* Wesley Barry, the motion picture star, his wife, and manager were dinner guests at the house recently. Buck, Espe, and Walker from South Dakota Alpha visited recently.

*Alumni Personals:* Lloyd Myster, '31, is back in school this semester. Cyril Carr, '33, is also back.

DUANE TRAYNOR

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Ohio Alpha, Miami University

*Seniors leading in scholarship . . .*

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*Phikeias:* Ellis Veatch, Mt. Vernon; Don Mason, Wapakoneta; Robert Kaiser, Elyria.

*Initiates:* February 9: Herbert K. Ames, Bryan.

*Campus Activities:* Phikeias Burnett, Kaiser, Bacon, and Harter are playing freshman basketball. The Barrett brothers, Dick and Bob, are playing forwards on the varsity while Cheadle is performing regularly at guard. McCann and Meyer are other members of the squad. Spring sports will find Cheadle, Meyer, Jones, Ames, Russell, and Green on the track team and the Barrett brothers and Shearer on the baseball squad. Jennings is a member of the mid-year play cast while Frechtling is on the technical staff. Weinland is president of Blue Key. The scholarship average for the first semester was 2.49. The seniors led with better than a "B" average. The freshmen were second and the sophomores and juniors followed in order.

*Social Activities:* A house party was held early in March. Plans for the Miami Triad and the spring formal call for these social features to be held in April and May, respectively.

*Alumni Personals:* Welliver, Wilson, MacGregor, and Bauman left school at the close of the first semester. Mahaffey, '34, returned to school. McNeil, '30, Cincinnati, was a recent visitor.

HARRY P. SNYDER

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Ohio Beta, Ohio Wesleyan University

*Debating and dramatics . . .*

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*New Officers:* Elden Smith, president; William A. Maharry, reporter; George Armstrong, historian; Donald Scott, treasurer; Frank Dodge, warden; Edward Peters, secretary; Edward Pape, chaplain; Carlton Babbs, chorister; Laurence Robbins, alumni secretary; William Maharry, house manager.

*Campus Activities:* Coultrap and Smith represented the university in the annual triangular debate with Wooster and Western Reserve University. Smith is stage manager of *The Criminal Code*, university dramatic production, of which

Dodge is a member of a crew. Babbs and Dieterich have parts in *Ioanthe*, light opera, to be given by the university musical organizations. Dodge has been elected into  $\Theta \Delta \Phi$ , national honorary dramatic fraternity, while Maharry was named a member of  $\Pi \Delta \epsilon$ , national honorary journalism fraternity. Coultrap was named temporary manager of the university debate team that made the trip to the East in February.

*Social Activities:* A formal winter dance was held at the house on January 16, with several alumni attending. An informal tea dance was given between semesters, February 1.

*Chapter Visitors:* Fred Kraft, '27; John Clymer, '30; Frank Stanton, '30; Dell Savage, '30; Hugh Gray, '28; Dudley Hendrick, '31; David Sauer, '31; Fred Wood, ex-'33.

*Alumni Personals:* Frank Stanton, '30, was married to Ruth Stevenson, Dayton, on December 31; they are living in Clintonville, Ohio. Cliff Proctor, '28, was married to Marian George, Cleveland, on January 29. They will reside in Cleveland.

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Ohio Gamma, Ohio University

*Le dernier cri in pets . . .*

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*Chapter House Improvements:* The most unique improvement this year was the acquisition of a pet alligator, which was brought from Florida by several brothers who visited there during the Christmas holidays. The alligator seems contented in his new home, that was built by the Phikeias.

*Campus Activities:* With the basketball season at its height,  $\Phi \Delta \Theta$  is receiving its share of glory—our intramural team is undefeated this season. The Tekes,  $\Sigma \Delta P$ , and  $\Theta X$  have been disposed of in easy succession. Sharp, though only in his sophomore year, is on the varsity basketball team, and is showing promise of becoming an outstanding player in his junior and senior years.

*Social Activities:* Our Christmas formal was held just before the holidays in the Berry Hotel; the music was furnished by "Ace" Bergode and his fourteen Virginians. Russ Bolin's orchestra played during dinner. Brother Wood, mayor of Athens, and Mrs. Wood, and

head coach Peden and Mrs. Peden were guests.

*Chapter Visitors:* Robert Gardner, playing here with Morey Brennan's orchestra, visited the chapter. Bill Williams was here over a week-end. Lowry, Centre, '26, was also here.

STACY WOLFE

Ohio Epsilon, University of Akron

*Eighteen pledges . . .*

*New Officers:* Thomas VanSickle, president; Charles Goehler, reporter; Earl Roth, warden; Donald Walker, secretary; Glen Matti, chaplain; Arthur Miller, chorister.

*Affiliate:* William Carpenter, Virginia.

*Phikeias:* Andrich, Cline, Davis, Donnenwirth, Harper, Hoff, Hutchinson, Keating, Kennedy, McClelland, Martin, Paxton, Russell, Sipes, Terry, Thomas, Simmons, VanSickle.

*Chapter House Improvements:* New rugs have been laid in both the large and small living rooms, and a new living room suite and table have been purchased. The dining room has been papered and painted.

*Campus Activities:* Edward Klipstein, Charles Bryant, Charles Hazlett, and Arnold Middleton have returned to school. Vanica became eligible for basketball with the new semester, thereby bringing, with Goehler, Ohio Epsilon's membership on the basketball squad to six. The intramural team beat Σ B N 25-18 on January 23. Erwine is on the wrestling team and Phikeias Burd and Stoffer are out for the same squad. Rabe has been elected to represent Akron at the national debate held at Tulsa, Oklahoma, March 28. This debate is sponsored by Π K Δ, national honorary debate society of which Rabe is a member. Carpenter has a lead in the next University Theatre production, Wilde's *The Importance of Being Earnest*, to be given February 26-27. Walker and Phikeia Paxton have leads in the coming French play. Goehler was pledged to K Δ Π, national teachers' honorary. The chapter team met the Case chapter team at basketball and defeated it 25-16 at Cleveland.

CHARLES GOEHLER

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Ohio Eta, Case School of Applied Science

*Athletically active . . .*

*New Officers:* President, J. W. Bodwell; reporter, K. R. Spelman; treasurer, I. L. Wallace; warden, H. H. Haynam; recording secretary, J. J. Barrett; corresponding secretary, G. J. Crehore, Jr.; chorister, N. E. White; chaplain, C. E. Tripp; historian, R. E. Cummings; preceptor, W. E. Slabaugh, '29.

*Campus Activities:* Hynam, Hubbard, Byrns, and Cameron, captain, played important parts in placing Case high in the Ohio Conference basketball race with a record, at present, of seven wins and one defeat. Phikeias Shafer, Brownberger, Thom, and Bodwell are members of the frosh squad. Baker and Bradner are active as basketball managers. Moore is manager of the wrestling squad of which Walling and Irwin are members. Ohio Eta won the swimming cup in the recent interfraternity competition. The team was composed of a number of Phikeias under the direction of Brother Schweitzer. The interfraternity basketball team has gone undefeated so far and has a fine chance of taking first honors for the season. The *Differential*, annual publication of the school, has four men from Φ Δ Θ on the staff: Cummings, assistant business manager; Spelman, corresponding editor; Clark, photographer; and Hubbard, member of the editorial staff. Clark is official photographer for professors on the campus who are experimenting along engineering lines and wish some pictorial record of their accomplishments. Clark was elected secretary of Skull and Bones, junior honorary fraternity.

*Chapter Visitors:* L. C. Denison, '06; R. W. Agler, *Ohio Wesleyan*, '18; D. E. Leonard, *Akron*, '18; F. Herzegh, '30; M. A. Weppner, '31; W. W. Dill, '31; R. W. Simon, '31; A. D. H. Marshall, '29.

*Alumni Personals:* L. A. Wells of the Wells Construction Co. of Cleveland has been elected president of Sigma Province to succeed L. C. Gates.

K. R. SPELMAN

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Ohio Iota, Denison University

*Athletics, dramatics, and journalism . . .*

*Campus Activities:* Ohio Iota has three representatives among the varsity basketball players this season. Art Darrow and Bob McConnell are playing forward positions, while "Sammy" Rupe, Denison three-letter man, holds a steady berth at guard. Rupe at the present time is third high point man in the Buckeye Conference. The second play presented this year by Masquer's had four Phi Deltas, Fred Sweet, James Uebelhart, Mortimer Dean, and Hazen Armstrong, in the lead rôles. Bailey was electrician for the production, and Phiikeia James had charge of the ticket sales. James has also been appointed to the business staff of the *Denisonian*. The chapter began the intramural basketball season by winning the first game in the "A" league.

*Social Activities:* The chapter announced with a sweetheart serenade the engagement of Henry Lehrer, '33, of Sandusky, to Elizabeth Webb, X Ω, of Pleasant Ridge, Mich.

*Chapter Visitors:* L. A. Wells, new president of Sigma Province, and Brother Gates, past president, were visitors of the chapter.

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Oklahoma Alpha, Oklahoma University

*Y.M.C.A. leaders . . .*

*New Officers:* President, Walter Stark; historian, George Shirk; assistant treasurer, Charles Engleman; chorister, Thomas John Kennedy; freshman captain, Don Stinchecum; rush captain, Willis Stark; treasurer, Bill McCurdy; secretary, Judson Leeman; chaplain, Judson Leeman; warden, Herb Champlin; reporter, Bill Hewitt; alumni secretary, Walter Morrison.

*Initiates:* October 26: Judson Leeman, Bill Bransford.

*Campus Activities:* Polk was initiated into Δ B X, honorary architectural engineering fraternity. Shirk made Bombardiers. Engleman and Herb Champlin were initiated into Scabbard and Blade. Phiikeia Alguire is on the *Whirlwind* staff. Phiikeia Barefoot is a member of the Senate. Phiikeia Browning is a mem-

ber of the freshman basketball team. Moore is captain of the cross-country team and was elected to "Peet." Hildt is a member of the track team. Frey, Caffey, and Wallace are members of Derby Club. Bob Champlin was elected to Tri Chi. Phiikeia Wiley is a member of glee club. The chapter basketball team, which was last year's champions, has only two more games to win and they will be champions again this year. Riley was in charge of the Hi-Y convention and was in charge of discussion groups in fraternities. Leeman is on the National Y.M.C.A. cabinet. Engleman is on the *Sooner* and *Oklahoma Daily* staffs. Leeman was also a Rhodes Scholar candidate and got to the finals.

*Social Activities:* There was a dance February 4 at Twin Hills Country Club in Oklahoma City.

*Chapter Visitors:* Latney Barnes, traveling secretary; John Shirk, Warren Moore, Bus Haskins, Bill Harris, Otis Flint, Leonard Savage.

*Alumni Personals:* John Bond has returned to school. BILL HEWITT

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Ontario Alpha, University of Toronto

*Alumni Club election . . .*

*Phiikeias:* Bill Sutton, Walter Secombe, Jack Brunk.

*Campus Activities:* Edmond won the interfaculty backstroke event and should make a place on the varsity swimming team. Tisdale won his weight in boxing in the senior assault and is now on the varsity team. Sinclair represented the university at the Harvard-U. of T. boxing meet at Harvard on February 13. Reid continues to do good work on the varsity basketball team.

*Social Activities:* The annual formal dance was held at the King Edward Hotel on February 5. The annual banquet was held the following evening and we were fortunate in having the province president, DeBanks M. Henward, attend this function. Representatives from Cornell and McGill were also present.

*Chapter Visitors:* DeBanks Henward during his visit here spent several hours with the chapter officers and made some very constructive suggestions regarding the house. Borland and Reddington from Cornell and Craig from McGill spent the week-end at the house. Kirkland, '30, Rieder, '31, and Green, '30, also

spent the week-end of February 6 at the house.

*Alumni Personals:* The newly elected officers of the Toronto Alumni Club are: president, W. Cox, '13; treasurer, K. Haywood, '23; secretary, J. Murchison, '30. Other members; L. Blackwell, '24, and O. D. Vaughan, '17. F. A. FELL

Oregon Alpha, University of Oregon  
35,000-mile debating trip . . .

*New Officers:* President, Ferdinand Fletcher; vice-president, Philip Hammond; secretary, Malcolm Bauer; warden, Edward Martindale; reporter, Roger Bailey; chorister, Phil Mulder; historian, Wade Ambrose; chaplain, Leo Lauren.

*Phikeias:* Claus Versteeg.  
*Initiates:* January 17: Malcolm Baur, Roger, Bailey, Donald Olsen, Jack Mulder, Fred Nowland, Romaul DePittard, Harold Meyers.

*Chapter House Improvements:* The Mothers' Club of Portland gave the local chapter linen covers for the chiffoniers in the rooms. A memorial clock was given by the father of Ed Otis, '32, deceased. A new rug was recently purchased for the music room.

*Campus Activities:* Winsor Calkins is captain of the varsity basketball team and Rockwell Rogers is also a member of the team. Ed Bolds is on the National Student Federation Association committee. Roger Bailey was on the committee which made arrangements to welcome the members returning from a Pacific Basin debate tour. Rockwell Rogers has been pledged to Φ E K, national physical education honorary for men. Ferdinand Fletcher was also on the Pacific Basin debate tour committee. Robert Miller, member of the Pacific Basin debate team, is back in the university this term after traveling a total of 35,000 miles.

*Social Activities:* The chapter entertained Α Φ at dinner. They were guests of Δ Γ, Α Ο ΙΙ, and Γ Φ Β for dinners. The winter informal dance was held February 26.

*Chapter Visitors:* John Walker has gone to his home in Moline, Kansas. Kenneth Ford, '33, stopped at the house on his way through Eugene from San Francisco, California.

*Alumni Personals:* Oregon Alpha

alumni in Eugene are very active. Each alumnus visits the house one evening a month. Once a month one of the alumni leads the members in an informal discussion.  
ROGER BAILEY

Oregon Beta, Oregon State College  
Initiation for twelve . . .

*Initiates:* Gordon Donley, Willard White, Russell Tegnell, Richard Michael, Dave Bronson, and John Edgar, Portland; Francis Troedson, Ione; Harold Hill, Eugene; Howard Forrest, Rainier; Randall Crawford, Oregon City; Robert Powers, Woodburn; John Fenstermacher, Piedmont, California.

*Campus Activities:* Mack is a regular on the varsity basketball team and Phikeia Fred Hill is on the freshman squad. Milne and Harold Hill are assistant basketball managers. Hammer was elected to play on the all-western team in the Shrine East-West football game in San Francisco. Forrest and Phikeias Schwammel, Curtin, and Fyock are out for spring football practice. Lindsay is a member of the varsity swimming squad. Burroughs is chairman of a committee for the sophomore cotillion.

*Social Activities:* The chapter entertained with an informal dance February 12.

*Chapter Visitors:* Orville Reeves, '14; Sterling Smith, '26, and George Dutton, '19.  
ERNEST BAUER

Pennsylvania Alpha, Lafayette College  
Athletics and journalism . . .

*New Officers:* President, Edward A. McAbee; warden, Robert Irwin; chaplain, Frank Wenzell; chorister, John Thompson; historian, Melvin Haas.

*Chapter House Improvements:* Many of the upstairs rooms have been painted by the brothers. The plastering on the walls has been reinforced in some places.

*Campus Activities:* Wermuth is starting at center on the varsity basketball team, while Phikeia Stably plays a forward position on the yearling squad. Sheridan and Nagle have regular places on the varsity indoor track team. Mattison, Brown, and Bowman are regulars on the swimming team; Bowman broke

the college pool record in the 440-yard dash. Brown and Auer are our representatives on the Interfraternity Council, and Brown is the treasurer of the organization. Cooper is on the staff of the *Lafayette*, semi-weekly campus newspaper. Laub is a member of the Junior Prom committee.

*Chapter Visitors:* Mark Bradford, traveling secretary, *Whitman*, '28.

GEORGE C. LAUB

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Pennsylvania Beta, Gettysburg College

*Furnishings renovated . . .*

*New Officers:* President, Ed Hardy; reporter, D. W. Long; treasurer, Prescott Kapp; warden, Charles Eby; chaplain, J. H. Kleinfelter; historian, J. H. Whetstone; secretary, James Livingood; alumni secretary, John Livingood.

*Initiates:* January 27: Archibald K. Jean, Harrisburg,

*Chapter House Improvements:* The furniture occupying the music room has been completely repaired. A new lamp has been purchased for the music room.

*Campus Activities:* Eby, McMillan, Walker, and Phikeia Howard are playing varsity basketball while Phikeias Gill, McGinnis, F. Zech, Hamme, and Garverick are playing on the freshman team. Whetstone has been elected advertising manager of the *Gettysburgian* and Phikeia Hamme was elected assistant business manager of the same publication. Livingood and Stoner have been elected to the Pen and Sword. Kleinfelter and Livingood have been elected to K  $\Phi$  K.  $\Phi$   $\Delta$   $\Theta$  leads in the interfraternity basketball league. Stoner and McCarty are winning consistently for the wrestling team. Phikeia Howard is chairman of the frosh-soph hop committee.

*Social Activities:* On February 6 a Valentine dance was held at the house. The dance was well attended.

*Chapter Visitors:* W. H. Gulick, '31; E. Hower, '31; D. E. Good, '31; W. B. Ernest, '16; J. E. Meisenhelder; S. B. Meisenhelder; George Eichelberger, *Penn State*.

*Alumni Personals:* Ernest Hower, '31, is teaching and coaching in the high school at Berwick, Pa. David E. Good has taken over the management of his father's hotel in Eprata, Pa.

D. W. LONG

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Pennsylvania Gamma, Washington and Jefferson College

*Class officers chosen . . .*

*Initiates:* February 13: John G. Selzer, Coraopolis; Charles C. Hartman, Washington; James McC. Pomeroy, Media; Philip C. Grana, Dormont; James F. McPherson, Pittsburgh; Joseph R. McVicker, Tarentum; Albert S. Bright, Washington, D.C.; William J. Newcome, Punxsatawney.

*Campus Activities:* The chapter placed three men in the class elections recently held. Charles Rigney, co-captain of the football team, and member of the all-Phi team, was chosen president of the senior class. Flaccus was elected historian of the senior class. McVicker was chosen secretary of the freshman class. Intramural sports offer basketball, wrestling, boxing, and swimming for this semester. We have prospects of a more successful season in basketball due to the fact that we pledged several freshmen who are outstanding in that capacity. We are lacking in weight as far as wrestling is concerned and are putting a little more emphasis on our boxers.

*Chapter Visitors:* A. C. Fox, *Miami*; Holland Weir, '25; O. C. Packard, '21; H. A. Taylor, '10; R. O. Naser, '25; C. T. Frazier, '29.

*Alumni Personals:* John W. Mathers, '33 was married December 12, 1931.

ROBERT K. STUART

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Pennsylvania Epsilon, Dickinson College

*International relations studied . . .*

*New Officers:* President, John Teti; recording secretary, Harris Green; reporter, Cyril Hetsko; treasurer, Orlo Elliott; warden, Wallace Brown; chorister, David McNaughton; alumni secretary, Herschel Shortlidge; chaplain, Willis Porch; historian, Howard Brown.

*Initiates:* February 10: Roger Cooper, Howard Crabtree, Edward First, William Gordon, Thomas Lazarus, Kirk Ellsworth, and Paul Swope.

*Campus Activities:* The chapter squad is making good progress in the interfraternity basketball league, with Teti, Smith, and Kipp bearing the brunt of the burden. A number of the brothers

have become members of the new International Relations club founded at Dickinson by the Carnegie Foundation. Hetsko has been elected editor-in-chief of the *Dickinsonian*, campus weekly publication.

*Social Activities:* An informal victrola dance was held at the chapter house on February 20. The annual Miami Triad dance was held in conjunction with Β Θ ΙΙ and Ε Χ at the American Legion hall on March 5. "Doc" Payton and his orchestra of New York City supplied the music. The chapter is making plans for the Founders' Day dance to be held in April.

CYRIL F. HETSKO

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Pennsylvania Zeta, University of  
Pennsylvania

*Many sports represented . . .*

*New Officers:* President, Sam W. Bodman; steward, John Russell.

*Chapter House Improvements:* New curtains were obtained for the living room and downstairs hall.

*Campus Activities:* O'Neil, Glading, Tuton, and Frame are all active in the forthcoming production of the Mask and Wig Club. Trescher, Sheehan, and Knight are out for crew. Trerotola and Hurlburt are out for varsity baseball; the former is a catcher while the latter is a left-handed pitcher. Woodward ended a satisfactory season as swimming manager when he graduated February 20. As treasurer of the Architects' Ball, James Foley was one of those responsible for the success of this spectacular affair. The chapter basketball team had a good season, being undefeated in four games when this was written. James played on the varsity water polo team. Smyth, Griffith, and Gundelfinger are going out for the varsity golf team. Deisroth looks forward to a successful season as assistant manager of lacrosse.

*Social Activities:* Two more spring dances and a Miami Triad affair are in prospect at this time.

*Chapter Visitors:* F. J. R. Mitchell, *Northwestern*, '96; John Zellhoefer, *South Dakota*, ex-'31; R. Brise Wells, '29; W. D. Swift, '29; J. Lee Offutt, '31; T. B. Glading, '28; H. Shortlidge, *Dickinson*, Leo Kelly, '25; E. Burke Wilford, '22.

*Alumni Personals:* Richard Wells,

'29, has been transferred to Minneapolis by the insurance company which employs him. PHILIP W. GUNDELFINGER JR.

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Pennsylvania Eta, Lehigh University

*Bowery ball . . .*

*Initiates:* February 12: John M. Jester, Jr., '34; William E. Mollenauer, '34; MacKenzie R. MacLean, '34; Arthur C. Sleight, '34.

*Social Activities:* The chapter entertained at a "Bowery ball" the last weekend before the Christmas holidays. Approximately a hundred couples attended and the novelty and informality of the affair were quite memorable.

*Chapter Visitors:* Robert E. Haas, President of the General Council; Brother and Mrs. John Unkles; Red Crewe; Frank Mitchell; and Phil and Bill Davis.

*Alumni Personals:* Felix Shay is now on the way back from South America where he has been working since graduation.

RALPH R. SNYDER, JR.

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Pennsylvania Theta, Pennsylvania State College

*Additions to the library . . .*

*New Officers:* President, S. H. McGoun; warden, J. S. Jacobs; secretary, H. H. Rogers; chaplain, C. H. Cole; chorister, R. W. Sterrett.

*Chapter House Improvements:* Two sets of books were recently added to the chapter library.

*Campus Activities:* Conn is playing varsity basketball while Cole wrestled in the heavyweight class against Chicago. Duvall was recently elected to Δ Ε ΙΙ, honorary commerce and finance fraternity. The house basketball team, having won all its games so far, is in the semifinals of the intramural tournament. Phikeias Courtney, Townsend, and Shuster are candidates for the freshman track team. Phikeia Townsend finished second in the 220 dash in the all-college meet recently. Jacobs was elected to the junior staff of *La Vie*, the senior annual.

*Chapter Visitors:* A. C. Oehrle, '22; A. B. R. Stillwagon, '27; J. Cooper



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*Top row:* Moffitt, '35; Dallas, '35; Courtenay, '35; Townsend, '35; Hill, '35; Eakle, '35; Glasgow, '35; Irons, '35; Shuster, '35; Ross, '35; Johnson, '35; Ernst, '34.  
*Third row:* Anthony, '35; Minor, '33; Huester, '33; Hoch, '33; Prof. Lewis; Prof. Rogers; Hewitt, '34; Barr, '34; Cole, '34; Ryan, '34; Sterritt, '34; Kirkpatrick, J. G., '34.  
*Second row:* Duvall, '33; Hatch, '32; Gehr, '32; Prof. Cresswell; Dean Steidle; Prof. Bonine; Dunn, '32; Conn, '33; Jacobs, '33; Peirson, '33; Love, '32.  
*Seated:* Rice, '32; Ehrig, '32; Fraser, '32; Stephenson, '32; Potts, '32; Herbert, '32; McNeary, '32; McGoun, '32; Kirkpatrick, J. H., '32; Walker, '32; Saybolt, '32; Wolford, '32.

French, '31; H. L. Stuart, '20; Mark W. Bradford, traveling secretary.

JOHN T. RYAN, JR.

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Pennsylvania Kappa, Swarthmore College

*A singing chapter . . .*

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Pennsylvania Iota, University of Pittsburgh  
*Varsity and freshman sports . . .*

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*Campus Activities:* Graf and Lampe were appointed to the military ball committee, and Goodfellow and Henn have been working on the interfraternity ball committee. Phikeia Thompson has been turning in very creditable performances in the heavyweight division of the frosh boxing team. Phikeia Collins is playing varsity basketball. Hanna is swimming with the varsity, and Phikeia Warren with the freshman team. The basketball team is anticipating the opening of the interfraternity league season in the near future.

*Social Activities:* The Phikeias gave a dance for the active chapter January 22.

*Chapter Visitors:* McMillan, Allegheny.

*Alumni Personals:* The marriage of James M. Underwood, '30, and Miss Ann Saxman, Latrobe, Pa. was announced soon after Christmas.

*New Officers:* President, Edwin Lutton; secretary, Bertram McCord; warden, Jack Powell; historian, Edwin DeLaney; chaplain, George Cuttino; and chorister, Paul Heritage.

*Initiates:* February 10: Watson Snyder, Jr.

*Campus Activities:* Casey is doing fine work while trying out for assistant basketball manager, while Mason is showing up well on the junior varsity team. Meckling is leading the  $\Phi \Delta \Theta$  team in the interfraternity basketball league to a respectable position, which at the present time consists in being tied for second place. Pennsylvania Kappa is well represented on the Glee Club, Wilson, McCord, Lutton, Baker, Meckling, Strayer, Delaney, Miller, Mahon, Hallay, and Cuttino holding permanent positions. Kain is junior editor of the *Halcyon*, and chairman of the *Phoenix* advisory board. Cuttino is trying out for the *Manuscript*. Walton, Kain, and Powell are on the debating team.

*Social Activities:* The annual alumni banquet will be held on April 9 at the Adelpia Hotel. Claude Smith will act as toastmaster. There will be several promi-

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ment speakers, and we hope for a good alumni turnout. Delaney is chairman of the committee.

*Chapter Visitors:* Kintner '31, and Lapham '31. **WILLIAM H. KAIN**

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Quebec Alpha, McGill University

*Olympic hockey representatives . . .*

*Initiates:* A. Johnson, Montreal; K. Crawford, Lennoxville.

*Chapter House Improvements:* A new table lamp was presented by Brother Newton. Patterson presented a table lamp for the office and also a door knocker.

*Campus Activities:* The house team has met with much success in the interfraternity hockey league, defeating both  $\Phi$  K  $\Phi$  and  $\Sigma$  X, in two starts. Four brothers were on the McGill hockey team which defeated both the Canadian and American Olympic teams at Lake Placid; these brothers were Newton, McGillivray, McTeer, and McHugh; Patterson went as manager. Cross is publicity manager of the Player's Club. McFarland and Stovel were elected to the Scarlet Key Society. Fulcher was chairman of the Commercial Society banquet. Johnson was chairman of the Arts '35 dinner.

*Social Activities:* The date for the annual dance has been set for March 4 and the date for the annual banquet, March 5. Both of these functions will be held for the first time in the chapter house.

*Chapter Visitors:* S. Hungerford, '31; R. Neville, '30; Hodder Stovel, Sr., '03.

*Alumni Personals:* Brother Edmison presented cigars to the house at the last meeting. **GIBSON E. CRAIG**

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South Dakota Alpha, University of South Dakota

*Organizing an alumni club . . .*

*New Officers:* Giles Maloney, president; George Wakefield, secretary.

*Phikeias:* Bernard Prinsen, Moberidge.

*Chapter House Improvements:* An automatic stoker has been installed in the furnace in an effort to bring down the coal bill.

*Campus Activities:* Buck, Walker, Adkins, Espe, and Tice are making it

tough on the varsity basketball squad. Phikeias Bircher, Ludeman, and Adkins are playing first string on the freshman squad. At a recent meeting of the football lettermen Walker was elected honorary football captain for 1931.

*Social Activities:* President B. V. Moore of Lambda Province and about 15 of the brothers journeyed to Sioux Falls where they gave a dinner for the alumni of that city in an effort to start an alumni club there. Indications point toward a successful and lively organization.

*Chapter Visitors:* B. V. Moore, Francis Barton, Chalmers Polley, Berton Root, Martin Thompson, Jay D. Manning. **DAVID HAWKINSON**

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Tennessee Alpha, Vanderbilt University

*Sixteen new Phis . . .*

*Initiates:* January 17: Thomas Baker, Nashville; Andrew Benedict, Nashville; Norfleet Figures, Columbia; Mallory Harwell, Oceola, Ark.; Nathan Martin, Nashville; Gerald Montgomery, Greenwood, Miss.; Karl Price, Middlesboro, Ky.; James Scoggins, Tupelo, Miss.; Nugent Shands, Jackson, Miss.; William Skelton, Anchorage, Ky.; Landon Smartt, Nashville; Dempsey Weaver, Nashville; William Weaver, Nashville; Philip Williams, Nashville; John Wilson, Sturgis, Ky.; William Wilson, Brentwood.

*Chapter House Improvements:* The entire house has been cleaned and renovated and some work done on the heating system. The trophies have been rearranged and the chapter library has been augmented with a new set of reference books.

*Campus Activities:* Julian Foster and Clarence King have played regularly on the varsity basketball team, Foster having gained the additional honor of being the high scorer of the Southern Conference to date. William Weaver and James Scoggins have likewise played regularly on the freshman basketball team with Frank Durand, Price, and Dempsey Weaver also seeing service. The first two mentioned have been awarded their numerals. King, Lee, Kane, and Foster have been at work on the *Commodore* staff while Lee, Gore, and John Wilson have all been employed regularly on the staff of the *Hustler*.

Watkins and Close are out for spring football and Johnston, Tigert, Owen, and Pegram are starting practice for spring track. The chapter as a whole has been quite busy at its various activities, the most outstanding having been the chapter basketball team which has played several games in the city in preparation for the coming interfraternity basketball tournament.

*Social Activities:* On January 23 the chapter entertained the local chapter of  $\Sigma A E$  with a dance at the chapter house due to the losing of the annual football game between the Phis and the  $\Sigma A E$ s. Du Page's orchestra played and the members of both chapters enjoyed the dance a great deal.

RICHARD L. GIBSON

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Texas Beta, University of Texas

*Ready for deferred rush . . .*

*Campus Activities:* Spring football practice has begun, calling out Furrh and Hall, while McGee is serving as assistant manager of the baseball squad. Seay and Head continue their work on the *Texas Law Review* and Meador his efforts as feature editor of the *Cactus*.

*Social Activities:* Examinations finished, attention is now turning toward rush-week in preparation for the season to be held the end of February according to the rules of the University.

*Chapter Visitors:* John Pace, '31; Wick Comegys, '30; Raymond Hanks, '31; Fred Proctor, '07; Phikeia Hal Duncan; Alfred Rose, '30; John Fielding, '30.

*Alumni Personals:* Brother Mays has announced his engagement at the University of Nebraska. Fairchild has been forced to discontinue his music at Washington and Lee University because of a slight injury. Campbell and Acers have withdrawn from school.

IRON WORSHAM

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Texas Gamma, Southwestern University

*Building a rock garden . . .*

*Phikeias:* Emerald Kinney, Brekenridge.

*Initiates:* October 18: Albert B. Martin, Weslaco; Gill H. DeWitt, Houston.

*Chapter House Improvements:* The lot immediately back of the house, which is the property of Texas Gamma, is gradually taking form and becoming a beautiful rock garden which will be used in the future for social functions out of doors. By popular subscription the boys managed to get enough money together to have a fine ping-pong table built and placed in one of the rooms.

*Campus Activities:* Sterling and Laird and Phikeia Dave Williams were awarded letters for their splendid work this past fall on the varsity eleven. DeWitt also received his letter as chief yell leader. Huitt is on the debate squad this year and more recently starred in one of the Mask and Wig Club plays.  $\Phi \Delta \Theta$  was well represented on the distinction list in scholarship for the fall term; included are Warren Davis, Will Mann Richardson and his brother, Phikeia Roy Richardson, Stump, and Huitt. All of these had averages of 90 or above.

*Social Activities:* The success of the annual Christmas party is largely due Wilburn Oatman, who took complete charge of affairs at the house while Richardson looked after the refreshments. These two brothers made a splendid job of putting on one of the most successful parties on the campus. A beautiful Christmas tree and decorations gave the living room a real touch of Santa Claus, while in the course of the evening, refreshments were served and presents off the tree were given all of the brothers and their dates.

*Chapter Visitors:* Doran Oatman, Llano; Tom Fowler, Georgetown; Manning Clements, Houston.

*Alumni Personals:* Carl Reynolds, '26, who has been playing right field for the Chicago White Sox, has recently been traded to the Washington Senators, in an effort to strengthen the Senators. Reynolds, who year before last tied Babe Ruth in batting average is making his home at present in Glenflora, Texas.

GILL H. DEWITT

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Texas Delta, Southern Methodist University

*Entertaining the sisters . . .*

*Chapter House Improvements:* The ever active Mothers' Club continued its activities and during the Christmas holidays had the floors refinished. They have

also made many other improvements during the past month.

*Campus Activities:* Some time back the chapter held a "Little Sisters" luncheon. All the Phi Delt "little sisters" on the campus were present. The  $\Phi \Delta \Theta$  interfraternity football team ended the season as runner-up in its league. It suffered but one defeat, which was at the hands of the league champion team.

*Chapter Visitors:* Assistant Secretary Barnes was a recent chapter visitor. At the same time J. W. Dyche, our province president, spent two or three days with us.  
HARLAN T. LONGNECKER

Utah Alpha, University of Utah

*Active Mothers' Club . . .*

*Phikeias:* William Leary, Michael Cannon, William McCaskell, Salt Lake City.

*Chapter House Improvements:* The Mothers' Club gave us table covers for the living and dining room tables and a bridge floor lamp and a table lamp to match. A new gas range has been installed in the kitchen.

*Campus Activities:* Owen is working on the junior Prom Committee, is on the debating team, the *Utonian* staff, and is an ace member of the championship swimming team. Phikeias Barker and Sturdevant are holding high positions on the business staff of the *Humbug* while Worsley is exchange editor and Phikeia Nibley is an assistant editor of the same magazine. Mordock, holder of the state 220-yard hurdle record, is this year's track team captain and is training daily along with Howard, weight man. Coombs, Wissmar, and Garnett are basketball managers. Phikeia McCaskell is captain of the polo team.

*Social Activities:* The annual Fathers' and Sons' Banquet was held on the last Saturday of January. There were many fathers in attendance and everyone enjoyed the get-together at the chapter house.

*Chapter Visitors:* Edward Williams, Xi Province president, was with us for three days in January. A special meeting was held in his honor.

*Alumni Personals:* Paul Cecil, '28, is the father of a baby girl, born two months ago. He is married to the former Margaret Thomas of Salt Lake City.

JULIAN BERGSTROM

Virginia Zeta, Washington and Lee University

*Fine gifts by Fitzpatrick . . .*

*Initiates:* February 14: Harry Rhett, Claude Barrick, Alexander Thompson, Thomas Smith, William Carnahan, William Sphar, John Switzer, William Garrett, Alexander Campbell, Edwin Belser.

*Chapter House Improvements:* New carpets on the stairs and a set of the new Encyclopedia Britannica were donated to the house by Brother Fitzpatrick. Three reading lamps were added to the living room furnishings.

*Campus Activities:* J. Bear was initiated into the '13 club, honorary junior, and J. Walker and Cheatam into Pan and Hardwick into White Friar, honorary sophomore clubs. Zachary is on the varsity swimming team, Rhett and Garrett are on the freshman team. Farmer is on the boxing team. Pedigo is on the staff of the *Ring-tum Phi*. Senseny was initiated into  $\Sigma \Delta X$ , and  $\Sigma T$ , honorary literary. Barrick is in the Glee Club. Cheatam is out for sophomore manager of boxing. Brent advanced to the quarter-finals in the intramural horseshoe tournament. A. Campbell is out for freshman wrestling.

*Social Activities:* J. Bear, as President of the junior class, led the Prom figure. The chapter gave a house dance during the "Fancy Dress" set of dances.

*Chapter Visitors:* Bradford E. Haley, '31; Addison T. Whitt, '31; Herbert F. Fitzpatrick, '92; Mark W. Bradford, traveling secretary.

*Alumni Personals:* Brother Fitzpatrick, '92, was elected to the board of trustees of Washington and Lee.

BUCKNER WOODFORD, JR.

Washington Alpha, University of Washington

*Athletic activities . . .*

*Phikeia:* William Rourke.

*Initiates:* January 16: Lloyd Faddon, Harry Givan, Charles Duecy, Robert Wilcox, Richard Merricks, Thomas Nugent, Nelson Durham, Douglas Powers, Pat Cardin, Wayne Nusbaum.

*Campus Activities:* Ned Nelson is finishing a brilliant third year as one of the regulars on Washington's basketball

team. Carl Walters was recently appointed senior football manager for the 1932 season. Pat Cardin is a manager under him. Karl Oberleitner, Dick Merrick, and Charles Ducey are all doing well on the frosh crew. Marshall Dutton and Bill DeMille are varsity candidates. Willard Skeel, and Bob Fickle are sophomore and frosh track managers. Bill Montgomery was recently elected vice-president of the Associated Students.

*Social Activities:* Washington Alpha held its annual "Bowery Brawl" at the chapter house, February 6. This is an annual winter informal and is one of the highlights of our social season.

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Washington Beta, Whitman College

*Scholarship improved . . .*

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*Chapter House Improvements:* The mothers' club furnished the house with a new rug for the stairs and some drapes for the stair windows.

*Campus Activities:* The house intramural basketball team is leading the league, being the only team that has lost only one game. Hove is leading the Whitman team through another successful season as captain of the basketball team. The house scholarship shows a great improvement over preceding years.

*Social Activities:* Preparations are being made for a Miami Triad dance to be held this spring. A serenade was given in honor of the marriage of Jim Richmond to Grace Stirling of Walla Walla.

*Chapter Visitors:* Klise stayed overnight at the house recently. Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Hove were guests at Sunday dinner between semesters.

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Washington Gamma, Washington State College

*College broadcaster . . .*

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*Phikeias:* Leo Thomas, Seattle; Chesler Green, Chelan.

*Campus Activities:* Huntley Gordon is playing his second season of basketball with great success. Last year Gordon tied the scoring record of the conference. William Murray was initiated into the Scabbard and Blade and also into the Crimson Circle, a senior men's honorary. Phikeias Driver and McPhee are on the frosh basketball squad. Halsey is

singing over the college broadcasting station, KWSC. Hayes McCoy is varsity track manager. Stuart and Woodford are junior managers in baseball and basketball respectively. Rowe, Keen, Scott, and Staser are sophomore managers in the major sports. Phikeias Saunders and Regan are freshman managers in football and basketball. Swift, Boone, and Matilla who were letter winners in track last season are now beginning their second year of varsity competition. Swift ran the century in 9:5 last year.

*Social Activities:* The winter semi-formal was held on January 9.

*Chapter Visitors:* Ron Broom, '31; Brownlee Rasmussen, '31; Ralph Henning, '33.

*Alumni Personals:* William Tonkin, '31, is coaching football at Sunnyside where he won the district championship this past season. . . CHARLES ROWE

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West Virginia Alpha, West Virginia University

*Chemistry medal awarded . . .*

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*Campus Activities:* In varsity wrestling, Fletcher is the regular 125-pound participant and has been elected captain of the squad in varsity boxing; Heatherman heads a field of good 115-pound fighters. The  $\Phi \Delta \Theta$  basketball team has worked its way into the finals of the interfraternity meet. Robert C. Poole, '32, who has maintained his position on the University honor roll, has received the Whitehall Medal in chemistry. He is now a student assistant in the chemistry department.

*Social Activities:* Dr. John R. Turner, president of the University, Dean Porter T. Hardman of the College of Law and Brother Guy Kump, *Randolph-Macon*, attended and spoke at the chapter homecoming banquet.

*Chapter Visitors:* E. G. Smith, president of the West Virginia University Board of Governors. Guy Kump, *Randolph-Macon*; Brother Kump is the Democratic nominee for governor of West Virginia.

*Alumni Personals:* Elmer May and George Healy, who received their degrees in February have returned to their homes. James Love has returned for work on his master's degree and is employed by a local paper.

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Verlin P. Jenkins, 1170 W. Exchange St.  
Thursday noon, City Club, Ohio Bldg.

### ATLANTA, GA.

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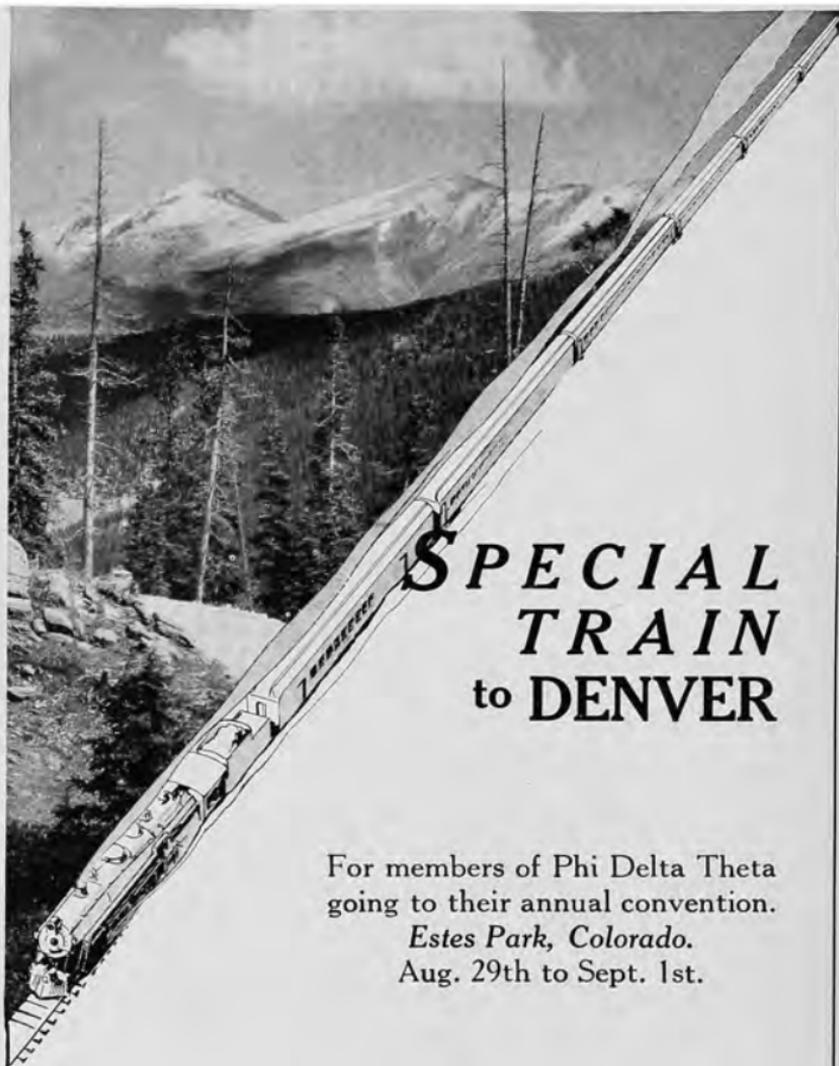
- BALTIMORE, MD.**  
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- BEAUMONT, TEXAS**  
Harvey Munro, Munro Dry Cleaning Co., Beaumont, Texas.
- BOISE, IDAHO**  
M. A. Thometz, 1915 Harrison Blvd.  
Third Wednesday, Elks' Club, 12:15 P.M.
- BOSTON, MASS.**  
Chester S. Brett, 421 Summer St.  
12:30 P.M., every Friday, University Club
- BUFFALO, N.Y.**  
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Friday noon, Balcony of Statler Restaurant, Ellicott Square Bldg.
- BURLINGTON, VT.**  
P. M. Bell, 247 Prospect Ave.  
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- CANTON, OHIO**  
Robert M. Wallace, 949 Beiner Pl. N.E., Massillon, Ohio
- CHICAGO, ILL.**  
D. A. Buckmaster, c/o Mead and Co., 69 W. Washington  
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- CINCINNATI, OHIO**  
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Monday noon, Cincinnati Club, 8th and Race
- CLEVELAND, OHIO**  
Robert A. Oswald, 519 Hippodrome Bldg.  
Friday noon, University Club.
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First Friday each month, 12:15 P.M., Engineers' Club
- DENVER, COLO.**  
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- DETROIT, MICH.**  
Warren T. Macauley, 34th Floor, David Stott Bldg.  
Friday, 12:30 P.M., Aztec Tower, 32nd Floor, Union Trust Bldg.
- ELMIRA, N.Y.**  
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- ERIE, PA.**  
Dr. R. B. Slocum, 609 Commerce Bldg.  
First Friday of month, 12:15 P.M., University Club
- FORT WAYNE, IND.**  
Merlin S. Wilson, S.W. Corner Berry and Clinton Sts.  
Meet on occasion at Chamber of Commerce
- FRANKLIN, IND.**  
James D. Collins
- GALESBURG, ILL.**  
Frederick T. Webster, Holmes Bldg.  
Friday, 12:15 P.M., Galesburg Club
- GRAND FORKS, N.D.**  
Harold A. Boe  
First and Third Thursdays, 12:15 P.M., Ryan Hotel
- GRAND RAPIDS, MICH.**  
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First Friday of every month, University Club Rooms, Pantland Hotel
- HAGERSTOWN, MD.**  
D. Ross Stickell, Hamilton Blvd.  
Second Tuesday of each month, 6:30 P.M., Dagmar Hotel
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H. Penfield Jones, Vanderbilt Hall, Boston, Mass.
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Second Wednesday each month, Commercial Club
- INDIANAPOLIS, IND.**  
E. H. Taze, 819 Continental Bank Bldg.  
Friday noon, Washington Hotel
- JACKSONVILLE, FLA.**  
Tom Blalock, 1210 Oak St.
- JOHNSTOWN, PA.**  
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March 15, Bachelor Club; Annual Picnic, Aug. 22
- KANSAS CITY, MO.**  
Searcy Ridge, Gateway Chemical Co., Inc., 921 W. 17th St.  
Tuesday noon, University Club
- KNOXVILLE, TENN.**  
Moss Yater, 302 W. Church St.
- KOKOMO, IND.**  
Leland H. Ridgway, 116 E. Taylor St.
- LANSING, MICH.**  
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- LOS ANGELES, CALIF.**  
George K. Shaffer, 1958 Glencoe Way  
Wednesday noon, University Club, 614 Hope St.
- LOUISVILLE, KY.**  
Andrew Broaduss, Jr., 719 W. Chestnut St.  
Monday noon, Kentucky Hotel
- LYNCHBURG, VA.**  
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- MANHATTAN, KAN.**  
C. W. Clover, 1635 Fairchild Ave.  
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- MIAMI, FLA.**  
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- MILWAUKEE, WIS.**  
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Friday noon at 12:15, Milwaukee Athletic Club
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First and third Wednesdays each month, 12:15 P.M., The Adam Room, Donaldson's Tea Room, 4th floor.
- MONTREAL, QUEBEC**  
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First Monday evening of each month, 3581 University St.

- MOUNT PLEASANT, IOWA**  
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Second Wednesday evening each month, at Brazelton Hotel
- NASHVILLE, TENN.**  
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Friday, 12:15, Andrew Jackson Hotel
- NEW ORLEANS, LA.**  
Douglas K. Porteous, 552 Walnut St.
- NEW YORK, N.Y.**  
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- OKLAHOMA CITY, OKLA.**  
O. W. Shumate, 302 Insurance Bldg.
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Wednesday, 12:15 P.M., University Club, 16th and Locust Sts.
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- PITTSBURGH, PA.**  
R. W. Lindsay, 612 Wood St., Post Bldg.  
Friday, 12:15 P.M., McCreery's
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Friday, 12:00, Multanomah Hotel
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- ST. JOSEPH, MO.**  
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- ST. LOUIS, MO.**  
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- SPOKANE, WASH.**  
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# Sixty Years in Phi Delta Theta



G. B.

*Three-score years in Phi Delta Theta! The realization of how great a force it has been in my life comes to me with the concrete consideration of that one feature of my affiliation with my Fraternity as it has never done before. What has it done to me? What has it done for me? The soul of me in the sixty years?*

*To premise briefly, I was not an inheritance of Phi Delta Theta to speak in the language of the day; I myself had inherited her. That was through my father who so often spoke of the "Phis" as the Fraternity was known then. I was saturated with the spirit of the Fraternity and in my childish mind I became assured that some day I, too, would be a Phi.*

*Shortly after my twelfth birthday I entered the preparatory department of Franklin College. Being a "prep" in those days was not what it is today, for I began then my course in Greek, and entered my second year of Latin and algebra.*

*I was naturally of a solitary disposition. As a matter of course, I made some friends, but I never sought them. I relate this because a few years later there was wrought a great change and my whole outlook on life was altered. One May day two of the few friends I had made cornered me in a room in the old North Dorm and laid before me that mysterious pledge to secrecy which every newly elected candidate must needs sign before he could even be told that he had been chosen. I recall that when I had been told of the fact of my election I merely replied, "Why, of course I want to be a Phi."*

*What did it do for me? Everything, it seems to me. I date my entrance into life with my fellow man from the night I was initiated. I at once conceived a profound devotion to my Fraternity and with it there grew constantly a wider and deeper understanding of my fellowmen. I conceived a liking for them, learned to study them and appreciate them. I learned charity; learned to look for the good in them. What I learned from Phi Delta Theta I took with me into my life after graduation. And I have continued to love my Fraternity through all these sixty years.*

*Geo. Banta*

First President of the General Council

## Editorial . . .

*Alumni* During last month Founders' Day was celebrated throughout all Phi Delta Theta's domain. This issue of THE SCROLL has been purposely delayed in order that as many alumni clubs as possible might be represented by accounts of their observance of this, the chief day in the calendar of the Fraternity with the possible exception of December 26.

As Phi Delta Theta rounds out the fourth quarter-century of her life the position and opportunity of the alumni in the organization become better understood. For the first few years, or even decades, the ultimate rôle of alumni was an undecided matter: some held that full control of the destiny and direction of the Fraternity should be in their hands, others felt that the Fraternity should be exclusively a matter of undergraduate concern.

During many years past, though, we have come to realize that vows taken at the altar are not entered into for but four years, that the effect or obligations of fraternity cannot be sloughed off after leaving college as an animal might its last year's skin. For such vows are "of perpetual, binding obligation." Now, naturally, no one with a proper sense of relative values would maintain that this implies that the alumnus throughout, say, six decades of post-college life must maintain the same kind and degree of interest, enthusiasm, and activity in his fraternity that he displayed as an undergraduate. To do so would, of course, be impossible because of numerous factors, and even to attempt to do so would justify a degree of ridicule for the fraternity system from which it would very probably succumb.

But—"Once a Phi, always a Phi." It is pertinent to inquire, then, what may be meant by this often-repeated and perhaps too casually accepted phrase. In our humble judgment it means that once those vows have been taken and the individual subjected during his college years to the influence of his chapter and the organization of which it is a part, he will, even through a long and busy life, have been affected to some extent by the discipline of chapter "give and take," that he will have been enlarged by the many cultural contacts possible only in the chapter, that he will have absorbed and will unconsciously live some of the lessons taught at the altar and in the few years immediately thereafter. Being so affected he will, unconsciously or consciously, give his chapter and his fraternity an appreciated place in his heart and will, as circumstances permit, maintain his interest and activity.

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# What Phi Delta Theta Has Meant to Me

A Symposium by Former Officers, Prominent Alumni,  
Present Officers, and Others

(EDITORIAL NOTE: Frank J. R. Mitchell, *Northwestern*, '96, himself a Past President of the General Council, has performed another distinct service to the Fraternity in making possible the following symposium of views on the value of the Fraternity, reminiscences, etc. His request for such an expression of views, sent out to many prominent Phis, has been most generously answered, and below is printed a considerable number of the splendid tributes received by him. We feel that such a collection is as unique as it is valuable; it is doubtful if ever before have as many beautiful tributes from members of  $\Phi \Delta \Theta$  been printed as a single collection. Brothers from all parts of the country are here represented. Their fine emotional reaction to the stimulus of a Founders' Day is a challenge to stir every Phi, young or old, to the depths of his heart. All honor to these worthy sons of the Fraternity!)

FIFTY YEARS and more have passed, and yet the college days seem good and the Fraternity is an outstanding part in the memory of them. All these associations in the Bond tie the years together, stimulate affection, and hold us above the dregs of cynicism.

L. H. BAILEY, *Michigan State*, '82

[Prominent author and editor; formerly president of the American Association for the Advancement of Science.]

[Telegram]

Warm good wishes to fellow members of  $\Phi \Delta \Theta$ .

RAY STANNARD BAKER  
*Michigan State*, '89

[Author of note; authorized biographer of Woodrow Wilson.]

Among the choicest joys of my life are the occasional greetings of the Old Guard of  $\Phi \Delta \Theta$ , whose memories go back some half a century. All of us will read with keen delight the sentiments of our Brothers in the Bond to appear in the special alumni number.

To each of them I send my cordial greetings and rejoice with them and the younger brothers who have held aloft the banner of argent and azure to glorify the sword and shield.

My three Phi sons join in these sentiments.

FRED S. BALL, *Ohio State*, '88

[Formerly Treasurer of the General Council.]

Fifty-one years have elapsed since my initiation into our Fraternity. It is gratifying to have stand out so clearly the recollection of inspiration, helpfulness, and personal pleasure my associations in  $\Phi \Delta \Theta$  gave me as a college man. With changing conditions, multiplied organizations, and machine-made entertainments and diversions instead of a smaller field of usefulness, there are before us as a fraternity greater opportunities to serve than ever before. The seriousness and tenacity of our purpose to be of this service, both in college and later life, will add to the satisfactions we have in  $\Phi \Delta \Theta$  membership.

JOHN EDWIN BROWN  
*Ohio Wesleyan*, '84

[Formerly President of the General Council; distinguished physician.]

Two thoughts come to mind this Founders' Day period. First:  $\Phi \Delta \Theta$  alumni may wisely hark back to the original purposes of the Fraternity. They will hope that chapters in these days of the established strength of the organization will not be unmindful that one of the objects of the Founders was to inculcate a love of learning. Translated into active student life, this would mean support for the widespread current demand in the Fraternity that scholarship be jealously regarded. Learning gives wisdom and power. We have had great statesmen, soldiers, and scholars. It is in the

hands of active members of the Fraternity to see that this distinguished line is continued.

Second: This generation has seen the economic folly of extravagance. Fraternity chapters should heed this lesson and curb tendencies to social excesses out of keeping with student life.

HILTON U. BROWN, *Butler*, '80

[Second President of the General Council; managing editor of the *Indianapolis News*.]

I feel that a majority of us are too prone to sidestep the wonderful opportunities that are offered to get together with alumni members of our fraternities on such occasions as the Founders' Day exercises, and at the various fraternity clubs throughout the cities of the United States. We will go to other organizations but defer attending these fraternity meetings. The opportunity to meet with your old friends from the various colleges is wonderful, and should be taken advantage of, and I cannot too strongly urge upon the members to carry out this thought.

F. R. COATES, *Lehigh*, '90

[Charter member of Pennsylvania Eta; active in New York financial circles.]

Ever since my initiation back in 1908 there has always been and always will be, a very soft spot in my heart for  $\Phi \Delta \Theta$ . I have been fortunate in being able to travel this broad land of ours and have seen chapters from coast to coast and from Canada to the Gulf. Each and every one has more than measured up to expectations and it was a real thrill to see them.

Good luck and good health to all Phis everywhere.

FRANK CRUMIT, *Ohio*, '12

[Prominent radio and musical comedy star.]

Some of us whose experience with the active chapter goes back to the days when the Fraternity was a social

organization and not much else are equally amazed and gratified by the work which the national headquarters, assisted by the chapter advisers, seems to be doing in making it a part of the educational system. The English college system appears to be growing in favor in American universities but I still believe that the development of the fraternity as a residential and to some extent an educational unit is healthier than the imposition of an artificial growth from outside.

ELMER DAVIS, *Franklin*, '10

[Eminent novelist and short story writer; formerly a Rhodes Scholar.]

My heartiest greetings are extended to the great brotherhood of  $\Phi \Delta \Theta$  upon Founders' Day.

There must be kept before members of  $\Phi \Delta \Theta$  throughout all the years following their separation from local chapters the ideal that was impressed upon each Phikeia when he entered some one of our chapter houses, that these principles may be translated into the affairs of this poor world of ours that through them there may be greater respect for constituted authority in government and that ideal citizenship through which alone can develop in high degree the individual units of society.

BURTON L. FRENCH, *Idaho*, '01

[Congressman from the First Idaho District; member of the House Committee on Appropriations.]

Entering Vanderbilt University in September, 1879, I soon became a member of  $\Phi \Delta \Theta$ . At once I became a militant member, pursuing every opportunity to build up and strengthen the Brotherhood. Meeting agreeable and often very lovable brothers was fine, but the inspiration that I received was my greatest reward.

I seize this opportunity to send warmest brotherly greetings to  $\Phi \Delta \Theta$ s all over the world; with the sincerest wishes for their good fortune, and the ardent wish that the active chapters

will grow in strength, but more than all, that they shall merit growth and continued prosperity.

S. PRICE GILBERT, *Vanderbilt*, '83

[Formerly Treasurer of the General Council; Justice of the Supreme Court of Georgia.]

I have long felt that  $\Phi \Delta \Theta$  comes nearer being the "Fountain of Eternal Youth," which Ponce de Leon sought, than anything else I know. With me, who am a Phi from "'way back," having been a delegate to the National Convention of 1880, the contacts with the young and old membership of my own and other chapters have been among the most delightful experiences of life, and have served as a constant renewal of youth.

CLARENCE L. GOODWIN  
*Butler-Indiana*, '83

[Member of the Board of Directors of Butler University; lumber and coal operator, Greensburg, Pennsylvania.]

Those who are joined in a bond for high purposes not only are serving their fellow men at a time when courage and confidence are all-important, but they, themselves, derive from the association a heartening invigoration of spirit.

For that, and for the pleasures of friendship—the remembrance of happy days together in the bond of youth and in a pledged loyalty that endures—I am more grateful each year for the associations and privileges of  $\Phi \Delta \Theta$ .

WILL H. HAYS, *Wabash*, '00

[Formerly President of the General Council; formerly Postmaster General; president of the Motion Picture Producers and Distributors of America.]

The slogan "For the Glory of Phi Delta Theta" should inspire us all, not only to secure an increase in membership, but also to establish the idea that  $\Phi \Delta \Theta$  men achieve success; that the Fraternity is the best and strongest in the United States and Canada.

Here's to the Sword and Shield,

tempered with the Bond. Let us all continue to strive for the achievement of good, and *For the Glory of Phi Delta Theta*.

ISAAC R. HITT, *Northwestern*, '88

[Formerly Treasurer of the General Council; Judge of the Police Court of the District of Columbia.]

The alumni renaissance under the stimulation of Brother Frank Mitchell overshadows in possibilities every other movement that has marked the history of our Fraternity. The greatest handicap that any Greek-letter fraternity can suffer is to regard its alumni as "out of the game." It is as much a misfortune for the alumni as it is for the undergraduates and the fraternity as such. Unless a fraternity—our Fraternity—gets its alumni back in the play and keeps them there, it must not only be content with greatly limited results but eventually may have to struggle to preserve itself.

DEAN HOFFMAN, *Dickinson*, '02

[President of Gamma Province; editor of the *Harrisburg* (Pennsylvania) *Patriot*.]

February 28 was a notable date in the history of California Alpha, when a group of alumni served as officers of the chapter in initiating Edmond C. O'Neill, '79, elected a Phikeia February 21, 1877, but whose initiation was postponed when the chapter became inactive; and Edgar Mason Kneeder, '35—the oldest and the youngest.

I offer a suggestion which should be credited to William O. Morgan, *California*, '89; i.e.—In all localities where it is not possible to form alumni chapters, a  $\Phi \Delta \Theta$  Consul should be appointed to look after the interests of the Fraternity and its alumni in that place. His appointment should be by the General Council with the recommendation of the province president.

GEORGE D. KIERULFF  
*California*, '96

[Formerly Secretary of the General Council.]

Membership in  $\Phi \Delta \Theta$  has been one of the high privileges of my life. I am a member of Pennsylvania Alpha. I have lived my mature life in the Pacific Northwest and have been active in alumni work. I have had contacts with members of many chapters. In the great majority of cases I have found them red-blooded men, staunch in friendship, genuine, honorable, and dependable.

WALLACE McCAMANT, *Lafayette*, '88  
[Formerly Justice of the Supreme Court of Oregon; formerly President General of the Sons of the American Revolution.]

As an active member of Rhode Island Alpha, I attended the Philadelphia Convention in 1896. My next Convention was in 1902 at New York. Two events at the latter changed the entire course of my life. Most important, I met "The Girl," who has made of my house a home. Second, I was elected a member of the General Council.

With such initiation into the greater sphere of activities of  $\Phi \Delta \Theta$ , my interest could not wane and to this day, I am as interested in the welfare of our Fraternity as any man who ever signed the Bond.

ARTHUR MILTON McCRILLIS  
*Brown*, '97

[Formerly Historian of the General Council.]

In 1894, the year of my initiation, there were fourteen members in the Ohio Alpha Chapter of the Fraternity, and the next year, only three of them returned, so that, while I can appreciate that the official headquarters and the individual chapters may be suffering under the present depression, it should not have any serious significance in the progress of the Fraternity, particularly under its wise management, as personified in the General Council and its experienced Secretary, Arthur R. Priest.

I would say to all Phis everywhere, "Let not your heart be troubled."

C. A. MACAULEY, *Miami*, '98  
[Formerly President of the General Council; State Agent for Michigan of the John Hancock Mutual Life Insurance Company.]

Among the many delightful memories of the period (1889-1902) when I was a member of the General Council, editor of THE SCROLL, and a regular attendant at conventions, there is none I cherish more than my association with two of the founders, Robert Morrison and John Wolfe Lindley, when they came to the important gatherings of the Fraternity. Acquaintance with these two survivors of the immortal six explained to me fully the spirit and the success of our great brotherhood. They were rare souls, far-seeing, serene—witnesses of tremendous political, social, and economic changes, but ever unchanged themselves.

HUGH TH. MILLER, *Butler*, '88  
[Formerly Secretary, President, and Reporter of the General Council; formerly Lieutenant-Governor of Indiana.]

Out of the welter of world conditions has come a great good, namely, a clearer perception that the greatest necessity for mankind is a more real application of the principle of brotherhood. We may differ as to how the principle is to be applied, but that we must go forward on that principle is more clear hour by hour. At this statement the cynic will smile and the scoffer will point the finger of scorn, but thinking men realize its truth.

The Alumni Club and all active Phis of Colorado invite and urge all of you to attend the 41st Biennial Convention to be held in the mountains of Colorado, so that you may join with us in saying with the Psalmist—"I will lift up mine eyes unto the hills, from whence cometh my help."

DANIEL A. MILLETT  
*Washington*, '01

[Charter member of Washington Alpha; prominent Denver business man.]

As we grow older we value our friendships more and more, and while we make new ones they never quite take the place in our affections of those whom we have known since our youthful days. Many of my dearest friends are those whom I met first as brothers in  $\Phi \Delta \Theta$ .

Consequently my advice to all the brothers, and particularly to the younger members, is to cultivate the friendship of their fellow members, by taking an active part in the work of the chapters and the alumni clubs, and attending as many conventions as possible. In this way they will have the privilege of meeting and knowing intimately the splendid body of men comprising our Fraternity throughout the country.

J. CLARK MOORE, JR.  
*Pennsylvania, '93*

[Formerly President of the General Council; member of the governing board of the New York Stock Exchange.]

[Telegram]

We contemplate a Fraternity of unblemished history and undiminished progress in strength and usefulness. Owing much to her and honored by her beyond my deserts, I can testify to her success in the cultivation of character, culture, and congeniality. Phi membership for forty-six years, chapter and province presidencies, and three General Conventions qualify me to do so. Hail to those who came after my time and have kept the faith, and to the boys, the active members of today, who are carrying on, perhaps better than we did, the traditions that for eighty-four years have kept us steadfast.

W. O. MORGAN, *California, '87*

[Formerly a province president.]

I was made a Phi in October 1878. Butler College was then to me more of a great expectation than of a reality. As a lad of 16 years, away from home for the first time, what I needed

was to fall under the spell of friendships that would guide my feet in right paths and mold my plastic mind and heart aright.

I found just such friendships in Indiana Gamma of  $\Phi \Delta \Theta$ . I was grateful even then, and have thanked God for them daily for more than half a century.

MARTIN A. MORRISON, *Butler, '83*

[Formerly a member of Congress from Indiana; formerly a member of the Civil Service Commission; now Assistant Chief Counsel to the Federal Trade Commission.]

In more than ten years of visitation work, I have yet to find a poor chapter of the Fraternity when the alumni of the chapter have been intimate in their support and constant in attention given to the needs of the chapter.

On the other hand, in every case where our chapters have had trouble in scholarship, finance, or general morale, investigation has shown that the alumni have dropped away from the chapter before this trouble manifested itself.

I am glad to report that on my latest trip I found conditions tremendously improved over the conditions of ten years ago this spring, when I made my first trip as Secretary through this same district. This improvement holds not only for the chapters, but for the attitude of the alumni.

The General Council has certainly taken a wise action in naming Brother Mitchell Alumni Commissioner.

ARTHUR R. PRIEST, *DePaw, '91*

[Executive Secretary; formerly Dean of Men at the University of Washington.]

Founders' Day serves ever to remind the membership, both active and alumni, of the tremendous benefits and advantages in college life conferred on those who are fortunate enough to gain access to the Fraternity.

The organization will soon be one hundred years old and the passing years but emphasize the love we bear it.

The Fraternity is a continuing influence for good in the life of any man. Please be assured of my deep and abiding interest in its welfare.

ARTHUR R. ROBINSON, *Chicago, '13*  
[United States Senator from Indiana.]

The further one recedes from his graduation the clearer perspective he gets of his college activities. In my own case, the fellowship of  $\Phi \Delta \Theta$  stands out with enduring value. Not only the comradeship of the chapter house but the training in living together have been valuable contributions to my own life. It was my privilege to know in my boyhood one of the Founders of our Fraternity, Father Lindley. I am heartened to know that there are men of his type today carrying on the leadership of  $\Phi \Delta \Theta$ .

RALPH W. SOCKMAN  
*Ohio Wesleyan, '11*

[Pastor of the Madison Avenue Methodist Episcopal Church, New York City; noted speaker.]

My message to  $\Phi \Delta \Theta$  is boost your own Fraternity. Learn its history. Bear in mind the achievements of its great sons. Aid in all ways possible the bringing into it of the best of the college men in every institution in which we have a chapter. In rushing tell the truth, emphasize the facts, recall the achievements of Phis in every walk of life. Don't stop to laud your rivals. Let them speak for themselves. If a prospect has the brains he will understand and understanding join.

L. C. SPEERS  
*Washington and Lee, '99*

[Washington correspondent of the *New York Times*.]

Some Phis in college may look on their Fraternity connection as an episode only and to be dropped as their work in the world follows their college life. Now it can, of course, be just that, an episode. But that is for each to decide. My testimony is that

a little investment of effort and attention will pay wonderful dividends.

This discovery was a gradual one on my part. Being for four years one of the first batch of province presidents, 1880 to 1884; my business keeping me traveling for six years; contacts with three of our earliest members, Robert Morrison, Benjamin Harrison, and David Swing; besides closer relations with such workers as C. O. Perry, Walter B. Palmer, George Banta, and Hilton U. Brown; I learned to value my friendships made through the Fraternity. Then after many years I realized that such attachments are enduring. Perhaps they rank next after family.

When the fiftieth anniversary of my initiation approached, my chapter invited me to Galesburg, and the three-day celebration that followed astonished me. Then the Golden Legion was established, and I have seen the sentimental importance the youngest Phis attach to the ceremony of presenting the Legion's certificate. Now, of course, we old fellows like the fuss they make over us. But it is certain that the youngsters also have their eyes opened to the permanent value of  $\Phi \Delta \Theta$  bonds. And they are not surprised now when many of us testify that our Fraternity has meant more to us in the last ten years than in our first ten.

MILO C. SUMMERS  
*Lombard, '81*

[Formerly province president; honorary president Washington Alumni Club.]

I trust this message will meet the eyes of a host of my old friends who were active in the Fraternity affairs when I was years ago. I also hope through the medium of this exchange of greetings to locate some of the men of whom I have lost track entirely. I will contribute this reminiscence:

When I was on the General Council, many years ago, we had a special meeting in Chicago on a certain Thanksgiving Day.

That evening we decided to dine at the Moorish Café in the old Great Northern Hotel, now gone. When we sat down and picked up the bill of fare we found a charge of \$2.50 each, *table d'hôte*. In those days this was a terrific price. We balked and prepared to leave the place. I suggested that we call the head-waiter, which we did and asked if they were serving *a la carte*, and on his assurance that they were we ordered everything they had for Thanksgiving dinner from soup to nuts, and the total bill was \$1.15 each. The finances of the Fraternity were administered in the same spirit in those days.

R. H. SWITZLER, *Missouri*, '97

[Formerly Historian and Reporter of the General Council.]

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I was very happy to get your [Brother Mitchell's] letter of recent date and your personal notation thereon. I remember most pleasantly our association in past conventions, and hope that our paths may cross again in the future.

E. MARVIN UNDERWOOD  
*Vanderbilt*, '00

[United States District Judge for the Northern District of Georgia.]

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Our country's present need is for a type of leadership which will put loyalty to country and good will to others above personal gain.

Will a few Phis volunteer to become a part of such a leadership?

The Bond of  $\Phi \Delta \Theta$  furnishes a rule of faith and practice which can help re-establish man's confidence in man, without which no government can live.

HUBERT HERRICK WARD  
*Ohio State*, '90

[Formerly Treasurer and President of the General Council.]

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Greetings to all other Brother Phis from the far-off Pacific Coast. I con-

tact my old active chapter (California Alpha) just about enough to know that we have there a splendid set of young men who, I believe, are striving to uphold the traditions of the Fraternity.

Now and then I learn of the "doings" of the active chapters at Stanford University and the University of California at Los Angeles, and am satisfied that the men there are imbued with the same high ideals. As I go about the state in connection with my official duties, I frequently meet with the "old fellows," which naturally leads to reminiscences and gossip about the Fraternity, which serve to keep alive and renew our interest in what is doing.

We have just reason to be proud of the active chapters.

WILLIAM H. WASTE  
*California*, '91

[Chief Justice of the Supreme Court of California.]

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I am glad to know that you are to get out a special alumni number of THE SCROLL for April. I have been reading THE SCROLL now longer than I have been reading any other publication. I began in 1886 and I have missed mighty few numbers. I have seen a generation of loyal Phis pass across its pages, come in as chapter initiates, rise in their profession, touch fame, and decline and pass over to the Grand Chapter. I know of no other publication that gives one so intelligent a view of American academic life as THE SCROLL. I am proud of the work our men are doing in the world as I learn it in the pages of THE SCROLL. A man leaving college has no better contact with the undergraduate life than in reading THE SCROLL. I wish you all manner of success in your alumni number.

WILLIAM ALLEN WHITE  
*Kansas*, '90

[Eminent author and newspaper man; editor and owner of the *Emporia* (Kansas) *Gazette*.]

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# Founders' Day . . . 1932 Model

Probably the most extensively celebrated Founders' Day in the history of the Fraternity occurred on March 15, the one hundred tenth anniversary of the birth of Father Robert Morrison, or on other days conveniently close to March 15 as suited the needs of the various clubs.

Many of the club celebrations are reported on the pages immediately following. Other commemorations occurred although reports were not received in time for inclusion in this issue. Members of the General Council have expressed themselves as feeling that the wide observance of the anniversary this year is indicative of a renewed awakening of interest and enthusiasm on the part of alumni in all sections of the country. Much work toward such an end has been done by Frank J. R. Mitchell, *Northwestern*, '96, P.P.G.C., newly appointed Alumni Commissioner. Brother Mitchell gave a most inspiring address at the banquet of the Philadelphia Alumni Club, excerpts from which are quoted elsewhere in this issue.

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## *Special meeting for Golden Legionnaires*

### BALTIMORE, MARYLAND

The club's meeting on March 4 will never be surpassed. Brother Townsend secured as our speaker, Lieutenant-Commander Leonard L. Linsley, U.S.N. Introducing a new feature to our meeting, Commander Linsley gave an illustrated talk touching on the highlights of various naval affairs and men.

The Commander then spent the next hour or more answering questions that came to him fast and furiously from first one corner of the room and then the other. He made only one mistake. That was in the early part of the evening when he said, "I am not a finished speaker."

On March 12 many of our members went to Washington to attend the Founders' Day banquet held in conjunction with the Washington Alumni Club.

The Golden Legion Phi meeting of the Baltimore Club at the Emerson Hotel on February 5 will be long remembered by those Phis fortunate enough to be in at-

tendance. Approximately 30 brothers, including all Baltimore Golden Legion Phis, were present.

Those presented with Golden Legion Certificates, signifying 50 years' membership in Phi Delta Theta, were: Wilbur Fiske Smith, *Richmond*, '76; Lorraine Sherman Hulbert, *Wisconsin*, '83; William Guy Townsend, *Randolph-Macon*, '83. Each responded with a few remarks which ranged from accounts of early undergraduate escapades to more recent ones at elite night clubs.

Other Golden Legion Phis who spoke were: Minor Gibson Porter, *Dickinson*, '84, and Milo C. Summers, *Lombard*, '81, of the Washington Alumni Club. They welcomed the new members to their select group.

Frank J. R. Mitchell, Alumni Commissioner of  $\Phi \Delta \Theta$ , who had come down from New York as our guest speaker, then paid a fitting tribute to our Golden Legionnaires.

This report fails to do justice to the meeting. It was an occasion to warm the heart of every loyal Phi.

EUGENE CREED, JR.

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## *Good representation at banquet*

### BEAUMONT, TEXAS

There were 28 Phis present at our Founders' Day meeting, which was held in the form of a banquet at the Hotel Beaumont. R. W. Akers, *Washburn*, spoke on "Founders' Day," and Chester Easley, *Texas*, made a humorous talk and reminisced on his fraternity days.

Ed Stedman, Jr., *Texas*, was elected president; Phil Justice, *Lehigh*, vice president; and Bill Weed, *Southwestern*, secretary-treasurer. Phil Justice, Waldo Wilson, and Harold Moore were appointed on a committee to arrange for our next meeting in September which will be held as a rush party for prospective Phis.

HARVEY MUNRO

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## *Introducing "Boise Alpha"*

### BOISE, IDAHO

Conclusion of a successful and gratifying year was celebrated by Boise Alumni Club at a Founders' Day banquet March

19, held in the Spanish and Submarine Rooms of the Hotel Boise.

Most of the 40 urban members of the club were present, and a dozen from Nampa, Caldwell, Melba, and Shoshone.

An address on the day's alumni theme—useful and helpful club activity—was delivered by Eugene F. Ware, *Idaho*, '29. Recollections of the Founders and the Fraternity history were outlined by Wanek Stein, *Idaho*, '33, whose father, Howard Stein, *Idaho*, '08, was toastmaster. Fred A. Pittenger, *Iowa*, '99, gave a chatty 30-minute talk on travels in South America, China, and the Basque provinces of Spain—for he is Boise's famous globe-trotting surgeon.

The club's special pride on the occasion was the presence of its two Golden Legion members, President William J. Boone, *Wooster*, '84, and Dr. J. A. Barton, *Washington and Jefferson*, '81, of the College of Idaho, Caldwell. At the 1931 Founders' Day banquet they were presented their Golden Legion certificates.

A. F. (Dooley) Riddle, *Kansas*, '08, was elected president for the current year; Preston L. Grover, *Utah*, '24, was chosen vice-president; and M. A. Thometz, *Idaho*, '22, was re-elected secretary.

Though the Boise club's present charter dates only from May 8, 1929, it has had an unbroken existence and regular meetings for more than 20 years. It derives much pleasure from an adopted child known as "Boise Alpha." This child is made up of five men, four of whom are members of other national fraternities not represented in Idaho, and one of whom was pledged by  $\Phi \Delta \Theta$  many years ago but never initiated.

EUGENE F. WARE

*Bass and Tenor choristers*

CINCINNATI, OHIO

The Founders' Day banquet was held this year at the Cincinnati Club on March 12 and was attended by approximately 50 alumni and four actives. Good fellowship reigned throughout the evening and all the brothers joined together to celebrate the occasion.

At the conclusion of the dinner the brothers were entertained by an accomplished feminine accordionist who played a number of popular pieces. Phi Delt songs were then sung accompanied by the

accordionist and Brother Wulfekoetter at the piano.

Ed Marshall acted as toastmaster for the evening and called on a number of Phi Delt orators who reminded all of the Founders of our Fraternity, our pledges, and our duties to further its cause. These speakers were: Campbell Johnston, Clif Cordes, Stewart McGill, Walter Schoenle, Porter Lowry, and Bert Long.

The President of the Ohio Theta active chapter, F. D. Stanbro, told of the activities of the Phis and pledges still in school and brought out the fact that the alumni could greatly aid their efforts by close co-operation with many of their plans.

At the conclusion of the banquet the annual election of officers was held, with the following results: President, O. C. Schlemmer; vice-president, Robert Van Fossen; secretary-treasurer, R. W. Augert; reporter, W. D. Averill; choristers, Campbell Johnston and G. A. Stifel.

Brother Schlemmer, as new president, then gave an outline of what he hoped to accomplish during the coming year, and closed the meeting with a Phi Delt song. Many of the brothers completed the evening's entertainment with rounds and rounds of bridge.

W. D. AVERILL

*Many chapters represented*

DENVER, COLORADO

The fortieth annual Founders' Day banquet of the Denver Alumni Club was celebrated March 19 at the Shirley Savoy Hotel with over 85 Phis present.

This was one of the largest and most enthusiastic Phi Delt functions ever held in Denver. The program committee had arranged for very snappy entertainment which was greatly enjoyed by everyone present.

Ed Williams, chairman of Convention Committee, spoke on the plans for the 41st Biennial Convention at Estes Park, August 29-September 1. He also spoke on the progress of  $\Phi \Delta \Theta$  in Colorado.

The scholarship cup of the Denver Alumni Club was formally awarded to Colorado Beta for its splendid showing in scholarship and campus activities for the year 1930-1931.

The Denver Alumni Club honored herself and  $\Phi \Delta \Theta$  in general by electing Daniel A. Millett, *Washington*, '01, as

president of the club for the coming year. Everyone who attended the convention banquet at the Detroit Convention will remember the scholarly address made by Brother Millett.

Other officers elected for the coming year are: G. E. Broyles, *Colorado College*, vice-president; A. C. Stiefel, *Colorado*, secretary; W. W. Hamilton, Jr., *Colorado College*, treasurer.

EDWARD WILLIAMS

#### Address by Bishop Brown

HARRISBURG, PENNSYLVANIA

The annual Founders' Day banquet of the  $\Phi \Delta \Theta$  Alumni Club of Harrisburg was held at the Harrisburger Hotel in that city on March 15. Although the attendance did not come up to the numbers that attended the affairs of the past few years, we are all of the opinion that the half hundred brothers that did attend, certainly made up in enthusiasm what they lacked in numbers.

J. C. Funk, *Dickinson*, '09, acted as toastmaster and, as usual, performed nobly. The invocation was offered by Rev. E. Martin Grove, *Gettysburg*, '29, at present pastor of Bethlehem Lutheran Church, Harrisburg. The principal speaker of the evening was Rt. Rev. Wyatt H. Brown, *Sewanee*, '02, Bishop of the Harrisburg Diocese of the Episcopal Church.

Bishop Brown in his address emphasized the necessity of spiritual development in education; friendships, their true meaning; and a stirring tribute was paid to our Founders for their far-sightedness in the inclusion of God in the Fraternity's program. The members present received the message in a most enthusiastic manner and we members of the Harrisburg Club only wish that every member of our Fraternity might have heard Bishop Brown.

Other speakers were: Rev. J. Resler Shultz, *Dickinson*, '26; Dr. Karl Tinsley Waugh, *Ohio Wesleyan*, '00, president of Dickinson College; Dr. Henry W. Douglas, *Lafayette*; D. M. Cresswell, *Penn State*; and Dean Hoffman, *Dickinson*, '02, president Gamma Province.

Edward Hardy, *Gettysburg*, and Richard Montgomery, *Dickinson*, gave splendid reports on their respective chapters. These reports indicated that at both schools the undergraduate bodies are aiming to have well-rounded chapters by

encouraging and maintaining active members in all lines of extracurricular activities.

The Harrisburg Alumni Club scholarship cup, awarded annually to the active chapter at either Gettysburg, Dickinson, or Pennsylvania State College, standing highest on their respective campuses among national fraternities, will be awarded at a later date due to the fact that marks for the past semester were not available for all the schools.

Officers of the club elected for the coming years were: president, Frederick B. Huston, *Penn State*; vice-president, A. O. Roorbach, *Dickinson*; secretary-treasurer, Rev. J. Resler Shultz, *Dickinson*; reporter, John L. Morgenthaler, *Dickinson*, 1107 N. Front Street, Harrisburg.

FREDERICK B. HUSTON

#### Youngsters of fifty years

HOUSTON, TEXAS

On the evening of March 15 about forty "young" Phi met with Brother Nick Carter, at his Lamar Hotel, to celebrate Founders' Day and to revive the Houston Alumni Club.

"Youngster" James Leavell, *Mississippi*, '94, served as toastmaster, his dry wit and ready sallies keeping the other obstreperous "youngsters" strictly in line and in high good humor. The old Phi enthusiasm was stimulated by Brother Reinking at the piano with Brother Clements leading in familiar Phi songs.

Informal but very interesting talks were made by Brothers Carter (president Texas Hotel Keepers' Association), Baker, Sharp, Foster, Kirkland, Van De Mark, McMeans, Tyler, Moroney, Knox, Telfer, Clarke, Steele, Davis, Swanson, and others.

From "youngster" Knox, *Centre*, '80, to "youngster" Steele, *Idaho*, '33 (now attending Rice Institute), every Brother voiced his renewed allegiance to the Bond and his pride and privilege in being a Phi.

James G. Leavell, *Mississippi*, '94, was elected president and Harry B. Orem, *Southwestern*, '23, secretary-treasurer, of the rejuvenated Houston Alumni Club. Periodic luncheons were determined upon, dates and place to be set later.

Brother Carter's bountiful banquet, the Fraternity decorations, white carnations,

and the general good fellowship all contributed to a most enjoyable evening.

L. P. DAVIS

*New Officers elected*

KOKOMO, INDIANA

The Kokomo Alumni Club of  $\Phi \Delta \Theta$  observed Founders' Day with a banquet at the Courtland Hotel March 16. A good attendance was recorded and the interest shown by the members of our club is very encouraging.

We had as our guest, Clarence Sweeny, *Cornell*, '08, of Indianapolis, whose ability as a story teller and humorist is well known in Indiana Phi Delt circles.

It was with regret that the club accepted the resignation of our president, Lee Ridgway, *Wabash*, '22, who has moved to Indianapolis. Brother Ridgway is tireless in his efforts for the success of  $\Phi \Delta \Theta$  and our loss of his services and enthusiasm is keenly felt.

The club elected Charles Rose, *Vanderbilt*, '22, to the office of president and Norman Durham, *Wabash*, '26, as vice president. Plans were completed for spring activities and the interests of the Fraternity in this community are assured of proper attention and interest.

ERNEST W. HUNT

*More power to such treasurers*

LOS ANGELES, CALIFORNIA

Annual elections of the Hollywood Alumni Club were held at the University Club following the luncheon and business meeting on January 6. Following the declination of Frank Maxwell, *Wabash*, '16, to permit his name to stand for reelection as president, the following officers were elected, in each case unanimously: president, C. R. Marshall, *Minnesota*, '29; vice-president, B. R. Ware, *Utah*, '20; secretary, Knowlton ("Luke") Fernald, *Amherst*, '22; treasurer, Albert Purkiss, *Stanford*, '29.

Henry Noel Deutsch, *Cornell*, '27, outgoing treasurer, amazed the brothers and received a unanimous vote of commendation, which wasn't all in the spirit of fun, when he read a financial report showing that the alumni club treasury had been increased nearly 100 per cent in his incumbency, even during such a despondent year as 1931. True, cash on hand

in January, 1930 was only \$90.47, but Brother Deutsch left the treasury with cash on hand of \$175.39 and all bills paid, to start 1932, which was considered an achievement in view of the club's holding seven or eight banquets and parties during the year.

A letter from F. J. R. Mitchell, Alumni Commissioner, asking the help of the Los Angeles Alumni Club in founding alumni organizations in nearby communities of southern California, was commented on by Frank Maxwell and Jim Lawshe, *Michigan*, '10, and received hearty support from both speakers and other members. "Buck" Williams and Fred Young, both residing in Pasadena and members of the Los Angeles Club, were appointed to handle the preliminary steps of organizing a social alumni club in Pasadena, to hold weekly meetings there, but to be affiliated with the Los Angeles club in business matters.

GEORGE K. SHAFFER

*Poker? Tsk! tsk!*

MILWAUKEE, WISCONSIN

On March 18 the  $\Phi \Delta \Theta$  Alumni Club held its Founders' Day banquet at the Medford Hotel. It was the first one to be held since 1925 and the brothers certainly made up for lost time.

There were twelve chapters represented—from Vermont and New Hampshire to Arizona and Utah—so you see we were a rather cosmopolitan group.

After a hearty dinner some good old Phi Delt songs revived pleasant memories and jokes and anecdotes by Brothers Hobbah, Paddock, Boyd, Hewitt, and Hardy kept us convulsed with laughter.

Bridge and poker provided the entertainment for the rest of the evening. An occasional "Fire Up" was due to a little ditty rendered by Brothers Hardy and Pollock.

EDWARD R. DRAPPERS

*Climax of big year*

PHILADELPHIA, PENNSYLVANIA

The Founders' Day banquet of the Philadelphia Alumni Club was held on March 15 at the University Club. We had with us a number of the actives from Pennsylvania Zeta and also some from Pennsylvania Kappa.

Frank J. R. Mitchell of New York,

the Alumni Commissioner, was our guest of honor and his talk on alumni activities was most instructive and interesting.

The officers and directors elected for the coming year were: president, A. Burks Summers, *Pennsylvania*, '22; vice-president, Melville T. Huber, *Gettysburg*, '01; secretary, Wm. B. Steele, *Penn State*, '20; assistant secretary, Levis C. Babcock, Jr., *Lehigh*, '14; treasurer, Dr. H. H. Parcher, Jr., *Pennsylvania*, '21; editor and reporter, George T. Street, Jr., *Denison*, '18; assistant editor and reporter, Leon H. Hutton, *Purdue*, '29.

Directors: Edward N. McMillan, *Dartmouth*, '01; E. Burke Wilford, *Pennsylvania*, '22; Robert C. Powell, *Amherst*, '06; Howard M. Van Gelder, *Brown*, '97; Robert W. Baily, *Wisconsin*, '07; Judge Hiram H. Keller, *Gettysburg*, '01.

Claude M. Marriott had prepared sketches of the lives of several members who have passed on to the Chapter Grand during the past year. Porter Garfield Jones, *Purdue*, '04, Thomas Gucker, Jr., *Pennsylvania*, '01, and especially Marshall Fleming Parrish, *Ohio*, '76, one of our most faithful Phis and a Golden Legion member. He was one of the incorporators of the Fraternity and a former editor of THE SCROLL.

The past year has set a standard in luncheons which will be hard to match. Our guests of honor have included: Brother W. L. Fisher of the Commercial Museum; Harry Sorenson, district manager of the Department of Commerce; Will Huff, executive secretary of the Philadelphia Forum just after his return from a trip to Russia; Brother Herbert Johnson, famous cartoonist of the *Saturday Evening Post*; General Smedley D. Butler; Brother F. R. Gamble, executive secretary of the A.A.A. of A; George Akerson, former secretary to President Hoover. WM. B. STEELE

*Wuxtry! Petition for Polish National Alliance*

#### PITTSBURGH, PENNSYLVANIA

The annual Founders' Day banquet of the Pittsburgh Alumni Club was held March 12 in the beautiful Urban Room of the William Penn Hotel with 110 Phis present, including the active chapters at W. and J. and Pittsburgh and representatives of the Allegheny and West Virginia chapters.

A. D. P. Miller, *Allegheny*, '08, acted as toastmaster with Raymond D. Evans, *Allegheny*, '14, president of Upsilon Province, the principal speaker of the evening. Short talks were made by Samuel H. McKee, *Monmouth*, '72; James D. White, *W. and J.*, '82; F. O. Leitzell, *Penn State*, '07; L. W. McIntyre, *Pittsburgh*, '12; Paul Stuart, *W. and J.*, '05; Robert W. Lindsay, *W. and J.*, '02; William T. Treadway, *W. and J.*, '86; J. Audley Pierce, *Lafayette*, '99; R. W. Darragh, *Allegheny*, '93; and J. C. Markel, *Gettysburg*, '99.

From an entertainment standpoint the feature of the evening was an eloquent plea by Luke Barnett, famous Pittsburgh imitator, for a chapter for the Polish National Alliance School at Cambridge Springs, Pennsylvania, presented in a manner well calculated to arouse the indignation of those present until his true identity was made known.

The trophy awarded annually by the Pittsburgh Alumni Club to the chapter of Upsilon Province with the highest scholastic rating was won by Pennsylvania Delta for the second consecutive year.

During the evening silent tribute was paid the memory of our late Brother William H. Pratt, *Allegheny*, '96, prominent Pittsburgh attorney and father of four Phis.

Following the banquet those present were guests of Brother Jimmy Morrison, *Cornell*, '30, at a dance at the hotel.

Officers elected for the ensuing year are: president, William G. Gude, Jr., *Purdue*, '25, who was chairman of this year's banquet; reporter, Harbaugh Miller, *Pittsburgh*, '22; secretary-treasurer, Robert W. Lindsay, *W. and J.*, '02; and executive committee, Joseph A. Langfitt, Jr., *W. and J.*, '11, retiring president, Harold A. Taylor, *W. and J.*, '10, Charles S. Miller, *Pittsburgh*, '16, and A. D. P. Miller, *Allegheny*, '08, all past presidents.

HARBAUGH MILLER

#### *Old charter resurrected*

ST. LOUIS, MISSOURI

The Saint Louis Alumni Club held its annual Founders' Day banquet, March 18, at the Melbourne Hotel. About 85 Phis were in attendance including a goodly representation from the Missouri Gamma Chapter at Washington University.

The brothers were entertained by short extemporaneous speeches and a troupe of singers and dancers.

During the course of the evening the original charter granted to the Missouri Beta (St. Louis) Alumni Chapter in 1887, which was recently found after being lost for many years, was presented to the Missouri Gamma Chapter to be hung in the chapter house for safe keeping. Excerpts were read from the statement of George Banta, Jr., in the February SCROLL regarding the duties of the alumni of  $\Phi \Delta \Theta$ .

The club officers elected for the ensuing year are: president, Benedict Ferrar, *Washington*, '08; vice-president, Felix Coste, *Washington*, '15; treasurer, T. B. Eichler, *Illinois*, '26; secretary, J. F. Adams, *Washington*, '28.

JACKSON F. ADAMS

*Discussion of topic*

SAN DIEGO, CALIFORNIA

Members of the San Diego Alumni Club met at the University Club on March 14, at 6:30 for a Founders' Day banquet.

Charles T. Chandler, Jr., president, presided. The following committee was appointed to keep in touch with the high school and State College for prospects going away to college who would be good material for  $\Phi \Delta \Theta$ : Hal G. Hotchkiss, chairman; George D. Roberts and Willis Fletcher.

A general discussion was held upon the Founders' Day subject, "What Can Alumni Clubs and Individual Alumni Do for the Advancement of  $\Phi \Delta \Theta$ ."

Frank J. R. Mitchell's message on Founders' Day was read by Brother Lannon.

W. H. Frisbee gave an account of attending a  $\Phi \Delta \Theta$  convention a great many years ago at which time he met J. W. Lindley one of the Founders of the Fraternity.

It was voted that meetings be held on third Tuesday of each month at 6:30 at the San Diego University Club, the meetings to be dinner meetings.

PERCY J. PAXTON

*Joint banquet with chapter*

SCHENECTADY, NEW YORK

The  $\Phi \Delta \Theta$  Alumni Club of Schenectady, celebrated Founders' Day on March

12, in conjunction with the annual freshman banquet of the active chapter of New York Beta.

Brothers Witner, Pitt, and Loomis of the alumni club delivered appropriate talks touching on the lives of the Founders of our Fraternity, and these talks together with speeches made by members of the active chapter and visiting delegates, added much to the enjoyment of this occasion.

THOMAS McLAUGHLIN

*Address on Sino-Japanese situation*

SEATTLE, WASHINGTON

The Seattle, Washington, Alumni Club held its Founders' Day banquet in the Black and White Room of the New Edmond Meany Hotel in Seattle on the evening of March 11, 1932. There were about 125 present.

The features of the evening were the speeches made by prominent brothers who spoke not particularly of Fraternity affairs but of the highlights in their own particular businesses. Perhaps the outstanding speech was one made by Dean Charles Martin, who is a recognized authority on the Sino-Japanese situation. The speech alone was sufficient to make the evening well worth while.

The officers for the next year were elected as follows: president, Herb Haugland, 1710 Hoge Building; vice president, Mort Frayn, 2518 Western Avenue; secretary-treasurer, Steve Anderson, 1430 Vance Building.

H. W. HAUGLAND

*New club launched*

SIoux FALLS, SOUTH DAKOTA

The Sioux Falls Alumni Club of  $\Phi \Delta \Theta$  received its charter on March 17. This charter was presented by Municipal Judge Paul Carroll, *South Dakota*, who was acting for the province president. The presentation was made at a banquet held in the Carpenter Hotel which was attended by thirty-two alumni and active members of the Fraternity. Brother Carroll spoke on the aims and ideals of the Fraternity, and stressed what the Sioux Falls Alumni Club could do for the advancement of  $\Phi \Delta \Theta$  and the assistance it could give the active chapter at the University of South Dakota.

Among those called on for brief talks

by Brother Blaine Simons, *South Dakota*, '16, president of the alumni club, were Lyle Espe of South Dakota Alpha, who told of the activities of the active chapter, and the following alumni: Rex Shields, Salem, states attorney of McCook County; James Parliman, B. W. Phillips, Dr. Jeff Cottam, and T. L. Ramsey, all of Sioux Falls.

The members of the Sioux Falls Alumni Club expressed their appreciation for the work and efforts of B. V. Moore, province president, in fostering the organization of this alumni club and those throughout this territory. It was agreed that Brother Moore is entitled to the highest praise and closest co-operation in his untiring advancement of  $\Phi \Delta \Theta$  in this province.

The officers elected were: Blaine Simons, president; Louis N. Crill, secretary and treasurer; Clifford T. Pay, reporter.

Meetings will be held each month at the call of the president.

CLIFFORD T. PAY

*Atlantic to Pacific represented*

SPOKANE, WASHINGTON

Founders' Day was observed by the Spokane Alumni Club with a banquet held March 15 in the Donkey Room of the Hotel Coeur d'Alene. This room is almost historic in itself, being the scene of many former Phi Delt gatherings. Thirty-five brothers attended, representing chapters as far east as Rhode Island and as far south as Arizona. Leland B. Upton presided during the short business meeting. Officers elected for the coming year were: Sam Whittemore, president, and Richard Leigh, secretary-treasurer. Both brothers are from Washington Beta, which chapter, by the way, had the largest representation. H. C. G. Fry, president of Tau Province, was unable to be at the meeting, but sent a report of the chapters in his province which was read with great interest.

Bob Green, *Washington State*, led the singing of familiar Phi Delt songs. His banjo still has the same power and melody as at former banquets. After a short musical program, cards and conversation held the interest of the brothers. This year's banquet saw a radical change from the usual form of such affairs, in that no formal speaking or set program was followed. The purpose was to create

more fellowship, and to permit the brothers to become better acquainted.

Plans for the coming year include an organized delegation to the Convention at Estes Park, headed by Brother Fry. More interest in the regular Friday luncheons held at the University Club was urged by Brother "Shag" Lockwood, in order to contact and organize the new Phis locating in Spokane.

Addresses of the new officers are: Sam Whittemore, W. 425 Riverside Ave.; Richard Leigh, W. 713 Sprague Ave.

RICHARD LEIGH

*Club revived*

TOLEDO, OHIO

Just a week before March 15 seven of us Phis in Toledo met at a luncheon to make plans for a Founders' Day banquet. We sent cards to all Phis in Toledo telling them of the banquet to be held at the University Club. The response was excellent and we had 27 Phis present. Everyone had a fine time and we elected the following officers for the coming year: president, Fred A. Hunt, *Colby*, '13; secretary-treasurer, Dr. Clarence S. Musgrave, *Ohio State*, '27.

There are almost 100 Phis here in Toledo, although there has been no active organization since 1926. Hence, we have something to work on and are hoping for big things as far as keeping our Phi Delt here together, meeting regularly, and accomplishing things for  $\Phi \Delta \Theta$  are concerned.

CLARENCE S. MUSGRAVE

*Alumni and actives banquet together*

TOPEKA, KANSAS

The Topeka Alumni Club met with the Washburn College active chapter March 14 to celebrate Founders' Day, with nearly 100 members of the Fraternity on hand.

Lauren Barnett was chosen as president of the Topeka alumni, to succeed Walt Laundon, and George W. Snyder, Jr., was named first vice-president. Phil Gray was chosen second vice-president, Merrill Rutter was again returned to the office of secretary, and Jack W. Jarrell was named reporter.

Robert Stone, David Neiswanger, and Ernest E. Bearg. the latter director of athletics at Washburn, were the speakers

from the alumni club and Charles Bradshaw represented the active chapter.

JACK W. JARRELL

*Justice McReynolds honored*

WASHINGTON, D.C.

This club's forty-fourth consecutive Founders' Day dinner was at the Carlton Hotel, March 12. The attendance was 73, of which number 14 were active Phis from Maryland Alpha, our protégé chapter ten miles away. Thanks are due several for their assistance in making it a success, but Everett Flood, our hard-working secretary-treasurer, must be mentioned as the reliable wheelhorse.

President Howard C. Kilpatrick conducted matters. Music was furnished by an orchestra until the speaking. After the second course we had the usual ceremony of self introduction, each man rising and giving his name, college, chapter, and year. This is probably done elsewhere, but here at Washington its interest is unusual, as the membership so widely represents the Fraternity and the country. Perhaps 40 colleges and half the States were named, and to hear in rapid succession Arizona, Pennsylvania, Idaho, Georgia, Kentucky, Maryland, etc., made one feel as if in some national convention.

Among the speakers were Senator Arthur R. Robinson of Indiana; Representatives Burton L. French of Idaho, Olger B. Burtness of North Dakota, and Homer C. Parker of Georgia; Judge William E. Lee of the Interstate Commerce Commission; Dr. John Lee Coulter of the Tariff Commission; and Hon. Martin A. Morrison, former Representative in Congress and later president of the Civil Service Commission. Many others were present who deserve mention: Col. C. deF. Chandler, U.S.A.; Hon. John A. Elmore, Commissioner of the Court of Claims; Isaac Pearson, *Centre*, '76, the oldest Phi present.

Then came the presentation of a certificate of membership in the Golden Legion to the "fondest brother we are

of," to borrow the style of Octavus Roy Cohen—James C. McReynolds, of the Supreme Court of the United States. Judge Foster introduced Milo C. Summers, *Lombard*, '81, and turned the chair over to him for the purpose. A part of his address follows:

"... I am recalling especially the occasion of two years ago. It was about three years ago that the powers that be in our Fraternity established a roll of honor in the case of those whose membership was of fifty years or more. They called it the Golden Legion. I applied for and received my certificate by mail from headquarters. Then our secretary, Brother Kilpatrick, studied the list of our Washington Phis, and found seven more eligible. We obtained their certificates, and agreed to have them presented with some ceremony at the Founders' Day dinner two years ago.

"Brother McReynolds kindly officiated, and most of you remember his appropriate words in the ceremony. By the way, I was so thrilled myself at the affair that I had put my own certificate with the others, to have it handed me by our distinguished brother.

"Now, in the course of time, he has himself become eligible. I have here this beautiful little document, signed by the President of the General Council and by the Executive Secretary, showing his initiation into the  $\Phi \Delta \Theta$  Fraternity by Tennessee Alpha; and as I so proudly received my certificate from him, I now gladly hand this to our eminent and much loved Brother James Clark McReynolds."

Brother McReynolds spoke feelingly in acceptance.

These officers were chosen for 1932-33: president, Clyde E. Culp; vice-president, W. Barto; secretary-treasurer, Everett Flood. A new office was created in recognition of the devotion shown and various services performed since the founding of the club in 1888 by Milo C. Summers. He was named Honorary President. By this compliment he was much affected.

HOWARD C. KILPATRICK

# Frank J. R. Mitchell Addresses Founders' Day Banquet of Philadelphia Alumni Club



FRANK J. R.  
MITCHELL

WE ARE met tonight on the birthday of Robert Morrison, one of the six founders of  $\Phi \Delta \Theta$ , to pay our respects to those men who, at Miami University more than 83 years ago, laid the foundations upon which succeeding generations have built the noble

structure which we proudly call  $\Phi \Delta \Theta$ . We are here also to renew our allegiance to our great brotherhood and to "enjoy life by the help and society of others," even as our open motto declares "Eis aner oudeis aner."

During the 83 years some 35,000 college men have signed the unalterable Bond of  $\Phi \Delta \Theta$ . Some of these men have achieved world-wide fame in the varied fields of politics, education, literature, the learned professions, sports, etc. A greater number have become prominent in local fields and I venture to say that almost all of them have lived up to the principles of the Bond and have proved themselves worthy to be called Brother by all those who have accepted the pledges of membership in our Fraternity.

This is not accidental. Rather is it a demonstration of the vitality of noble principles impressed upon us in the plastic period of our lives.

I had the privilege of a personal acquaintance with two of our Founders, Father Morrison and Father Lindley, two grand old men who, when I knew them, were enjoying a serene old age well deserved on account of their good works. I have also had

the privilege of knowing many others who have shed lustre on their Fraternity in many ways.

It has also been my privilege to serve our Fraternity officially in company with two outstanding members of the  $\Phi \Delta \Theta$  Club of Philadelphia, Brothers J. Clarke Moore and Dr. McCluney Radcliffe. If  $\Phi \Delta \Theta$  had never meant more to me than my association with the good Phis with whom I have served on the General Council, I would feel amply rewarded for all the time I have spent in the service of  $\Phi \Delta \Theta$ .

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The fact that  $\Phi \Delta \Theta$  is not a mere undergraduate organization is not a novel idea or one that has developed in recent years. Our founders and early members had it clearly in mind that Phis should "enjoy life by the help and society of others" not merely for the undergraduate period which might be a few years or a few weeks, depending upon the ideas of the Dean or other controlling circumstance. Rather our Fraternity was to be a brotherhood which would last throughout life. Benjamin Harrison, who a generation later was to become the Chief Magistrate of our Nation, advocated the establishment of alumni organizations and referred to the alumni as "*the real  $\Phi \Delta \Theta$* ."

Those were pioneer days in all fraternities and although there were earlier informal organizations, it was some twenty years later that our first chartered alumni club was established at Franklin, Indiana through the efforts of Brother George Banta, who later became the first president of the General Council of  $\Phi \Delta \Theta$ , and who has for many years been the Nestor of his Fraternity.

For the past 30 or 40 years it has

been the custom in our Fraternity to announce a topic for general discussion at our annual banquets. This year, the subject is: "What Can Alumni Clubs and Individual Alumni Do for the Advancement of  $\Phi \Delta \Theta$ ?" This is a broad subject and I could dwell upon it much longer than the time at my disposal this evening.

First of all, the alumnus on leaving college should affiliate himself with our alumni club. If he finds no club in his locality he should proceed to organize one, and then do his part to make it a real organization where alumni may continue to "enjoy life by the help and society of others."

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Of course, the loyal alumnus will want to help his chapter acquire a home or if it already has a home it may need a better one. However, no alumnus should be called upon to help his chapter build a palace. On the contrary he will render a greater service by trying to dissuade his chapter from getting under a financial burden which later may become greater than it can bear.

There may be other occasions where the alumnus may properly be asked for financial aid, for example, if this chapter meets with some misfortune not attributable to its own fault or negligence. Such appeals should be given consideration only when endorsed by local alumni who are familiar with the facts and who can assure other alumni that the help is needed and that the money will be properly applied.

Some chapters seem to have the habit of calling on their alumni periodically to help pull them out of a hole. There is something radically wrong with such a chapter and if it can't or won't reform it might as well stay in the alleged hole and pull the hole in after it. These cases are rare and when they do arise the loyal alumnus will do well to give of his time, rather than of his money and, in conjunction with other alumni endeavor

to ascertain the causes of such periodical disturbances and eliminate the causes.

The greatest service an alumnus can render an active chapter—his own or another—is to give of his presence. A chapter is fortunate indeed whose alumni take every opportunity to visit the chapter house and by counsel aid the chapter. It is not always a weak chapter that needs help. Very often the strongest chapter on the campus is destined soon to become one of the weakest because of over confidence and resulting laziness. The alumni of such a chapter will render an important service by warning it that "Eternal industry is the price of pre-eminence."

Valuable as is the service the alumnus can render to the active chapter, it seems to me that the most important phase of alumni activity is involved in the relationships of alumni with each other. It has been truly said that "Friendship is the by-product of co-operative endeavor." It may be that friendship does not always result from laboring in the same vineyard or playing in the same game, but that is simply because the element of co-operation is lacking. If we co-operate, whether at work or at play, there is sure to be a resulting friendship.

It is the spirit of mutual helpfulness as well as friendship which makes our alumni organizations worth while.

On the North American continent, there are some 500 cities and towns where there is a Phi population of ten or more and it is our hope to have an alumni organization in each of these centers covering the area half way to its nearest neighbors. When these alumni clubs are organized and functioning in close harmony with each other and with the active chapters so that a Phi on leaving college just naturally becomes a member of an alumni club and continues his activity there, then we will be truly fulfilling the precepts of our open motto "Eis aner oudeis aner."

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# Swarthmore Alumnus Appointed Secretary Of the Chicago Stock Exchange

By E. TASSO MORGAN  
*Swarthmore, '17*

ANNOUNCEMENT was made a short time ago of the selection of Jess Halsted, *Swarthmore, '18*, as secretary of the Chicago Stock Exchange. Brother Halsted is the seventh secretary of the Exchange since its organization in 1882 and comes to his work particularly fitted because of his legal training in securities law. He was born and raised in Sheboygan, Wisconsin, and on graduating from high school was awarded the Western Swarthmore Club scholarship, entering college in 1914.

Jess Halsted was a brilliant undergraduate, was active in public speaking, and held several class offices, being treasurer of his sophomore class, president of his junior class, and permanent president of his graduating class. He was on the men's student government committee, in Y.M.C.A. work, manager of the baseball team, and elected to Kwink and Book and Key, two honorary associations.

Largely due to his continued efforts, the Pennsylvania Kappa Chapter was granted to Swarthmore at the Indianapolis Convention in 1918.

Following a period of service in the Army, he entered Harvard Law School and was graduated with the class of 1921.

Coming to Chicago from law school, he entered the employ of Chapman and Cutler, where he specialized in securities law. It was here that he received training during the past ten

years particularly fitting him for the position which he now holds. In announcing the appointment, Paul H. Davis, president of the Chicago Stock



JESS HALSTED  
*Swarthmore, '18*

Exchange, said that since the resignation last June of Charles T. Atkinson, secretary of the Exchange for twenty-one years, the governing committee had deliberated carefully to find a man with similar qualities to carry on the work of secretary. Looking the field over, the committee picked Mr. Halsted as an able successor to carry on the work. His legal training and particularly his work in securities law well fit him for his new job.



*Upper left:* South façade of Museum of Science and Industry, viewed across the lagoon in Jackson Park, Chicago.  
*Lower left:* Brothers Mercer, Cronis, and Hampel (reading left to right).  
*Right:* Close-up view of a portion of the Museum building, showing the beautiful exterior construction of Indiana limestone.

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## Phis at Chicago's New Museum

THIS Age of the Machine in which we are now living will soon have a magnificent showhouse—a Museum, for want of a better name, designed to portray the technical ascent of man.

Located in Jackson Park, Chicago, and overlooking Lake Michigan, the new Museum of Science and Industry will occupy the reconstructed Fine Arts Building of the 1893 exposition, a monumental structure and a thing of rare architectural beauty which is being reconditioned at a cost of over \$5,000,000.

It was in 1926 that the Museum of Science and Industry was founded by the late Julius Rosenwald, Chicago philanthropist. Since that time its rapidly growing staff of technically trained men has been busy planning and preparing the thousands of exhibits which will occupy the 580,000 square feet of floor space in the Museum when it is opened to the public in the summer of 1933. Eventually the Museum's nine miles of exhibits will fill about two hundred rooms.

Perhaps the most distinctive thing about this new Museum is the manner in which the story of science and industry will be unfolded. First of all, the visitor will be able to operate practically every machine on display and will thereby see our various machine slaves in action. Secondly, he will see them in their ordinary surroundings, in so far as that is possible.

Agricultural machinery, for example, will be seen in action, as if planting, cultivating, and harvesting crops; a 200-ton locomotive will give the visitor the thrill of operating the monster of the rails; a trip to the ocean floor and the exploration of a life-size submarine, a "flight" in the cabin of a Zeppelin, scores of dioramas showing man's work in all fields of human endeavor—all these are features of this "house of modern won-

ders." The dust-covered fossils and the encased specimens of the average museum will be noticeable by their absence.

Numbered among the men engaged in this gigantic undertaking are three Phis.

Marion Mercer, *Butler*, '24, is assistant curator of the division of geology and the mineral industries. This division will include exhibits showing in detail the geological and mineral make-up of the earth. The visitor will visit a full-size coal mine, descending in a coal tippie, riding through the tunnels of the mine on the mine train, and viewing the miners and mining machinery in their natural surroundings. The story of diamonds, petroleum, and metal mining will be shown in similar fashion.

Brother Mercer, after three years at Butler College, where he was an outstanding athlete in football, track, and tennis, spent several years in the West in mining and academic circles and received his E.M. degree from the Colorado School of Mines. He is also affiliated with T B II, engineering scholastic, © T, professional engineering, and Σ Δ Ψ, athletic honorary fraternities.

Carey Croneis, *Denison*, '22, is engaged in designing the geology exhibits for the Museum. He has been "borrowed" from the University of Chicago, where he is associate professor of geology, and curator of invertebrate paleontology of the Walker Museum at the same institution. Brother Croneis is a member of the Geological Surveys of Arkansas and Illinois, associate editor of the *Journal of Geology*, and the author of several books and numerous scientific papers.

After receiving his master's degree from the University of Kansas and his doctorate from Harvard University, he taught at Kansas, Arkansas,

Harvard, and Wellesley colleges. At Denison, Brother Croneis was president of Ohio Iota, president of the senior class, and editor of the year-book. He is a member of  $\Phi$  B K,  $\Sigma$  E, and  $\Sigma$  T E.

Louis F. Hampel, *Akron*, '30, is assistant curator of the division of social sciences. The Museum is unique in including its organization in this division, whose task is graphically to portray the economic and social effects of industrial evolution and progress.

Graduated by the University of Akron, Brother Hampel continued his training at Northwestern University, receiving the degree of Master of Business Administration. While attending the University of Akron he was active in public speaking and journalism, and was business manager of the yearbook in his senior year. Brother Hampel is a member of B T  $\Sigma$ , commerce scholastic, O  $\Delta$  K, men's activities, and A  $\Phi$  T, journalistic honorary fraternities.

## Phi Delta Theta in Basketball, 1932

By MURRAY S. SMITH, *Knox*, '25

FIRST TEAM		SECOND TEAM	
Rafferty, <i>Arizona</i> .....	F.	E. Kamp, <i>Illinois</i> .....	F.
(Captain)		(Captain)	
Foster, <i>Vanderbilt</i> .....	F.	Smith, <i>Wabash</i> .....	F.
Acropolis, <i>Colgate</i> .....	F.	Acuff, <i>Westminster</i> .....	F.
		(Ex-Capt.)	
W. Johnson, <i>Kansas</i> .....	C.	Brewer, <i>Franklin</i> .....	C.
Gordon, <i>Washington State</i> .....	C.	Lockwood, <i>Montana</i> .....	C.
		(Captain)	
Licht, <i>Minnesota</i> .....	G.	Boyd, <i>Kansas State</i> .....	G.
Nelson, <i>Washington</i> .....	G.	Rupe, <i>Denison</i> .....	G.
R. Kamp, <i>Illinois</i> .....	G.	Surface, <i>Franklin</i> .....	G.
		(Captain)	
THIRD TEAM		FOURTH TEAM	
Calkins, <i>Oregon</i> .....	F.	Lewis, <i>Knox</i> .....	F.
(Captain)			
Martin, <i>Colorado College</i> .....	F.	Weir, <i>Indiana</i> .....	F.
(Captain)			
Adkins, <i>South Dakota</i> .....	F.	McCaslin, <i>Michigan State</i> .....	F.
(Captain)			
Horne, <i>Duke</i> .....	C.	Bethel, <i>Minnesota</i> .....	C.
Monier, <i>Williams</i> .....	C.	Wermuth, <i>Lafayette</i> .....	C.
Cameron, <i>Case</i> .....	G.	Conn, <i>Penn State</i> .....	G.
(Captain)			
Hove, <i>Whitman</i> .....	G.	Dill, <i>Union</i> .....	G.
(Captain)		(Captain)	
McGuire, <i>Kansas</i> .....	G.	Gammon, <i>Iowa Wesleyan</i> .....	G.

Honorable Mention: Collins, *Pittsburgh*; Petrie, *Michigan*; Dablow, *North Dakota*; Cheadle and R. Barrett, *Miami*; Egan, *Syracuse*; Lafferty, *Davidson*; Eby, *Gettysburg*; and Mack, *Oregon State*.

THE BASKETBALL season just passed was marked by a preponderance of good teams and the absence of teams that ran rough-shod over all opposition (except possibly Purdue). This was another banner year for  $\Phi \Delta \Theta$  on the basketball court. Due to the abundance of material worthy of rating an all-star selection four teams of eight men each are selected. Most chapters were well represented on their college teams: the outstanding chapters being Franklin, South Dakota, Duke, Iowa Wesleyan, Miami, and Hanover. The first two teams had five regulars each and the remaining three teams four regulars each.

The three forwards having a slight edge on a field of fine players are Rafferty of Arizona, Foster of Vanderbilt, and Acropolis of Colgate. Rafferty, captain of his team was an outstanding player in the Southwest and a consistent scorer, averaging about fifteen points a contest in addition to playing an excellent floor game. He is a real spark plug who led his team to victory over Southern California. Foster was the key man on the strong Vanderbilt team this season, leading the Southern Conference in scoring. Big and rangy, he was great in follow-in shots. Acropolis, a high scorer of the East, is given the third forward position. Smith of Wabash, close runner-up for an all-star position, was selected as an Indiana all-state forward by newspaper critics this year. The remaining forwards worthy of mention are E. Kamp of Illinois, Acuff of Westminster, Calkins of Oregon, Martin of Colorado College, Adkins of South Dakota, Lewis of Knox, Weir of Indiana, and McCaslin of Michigan State.

The cream of the centers this year are Johnson of Kansas and Gordon of Washington State, both having been selected on the All-Phi team of 1931. Johnson, six feet four inches tall, was a leading scorer in the Big

Six and had control of the tip at all times. Gordon of Washington State, measuring six feet six inches, was an outstanding all-around player on the Pacific coast. He is the type who plays the free throw line on offense. Brewer of Franklin, Lockwood of Montana, Horne of Duke, Monier of Williams, Bethel of Minnesota, and Wermuth of Lafayette were other outstanding centers meriting all-star mention.

The guards selected for the first All-Phi team are Licht of Minnesota, Nelson of Washington, and R. Kamp of Illinois. Licht of Minnesota led the guards of the Big Ten conference in scoring this season and was the unanimous choice of all newspapers for all-conference guard. He is an excellent floor man, as well as a tenacious defensive man. Nelson, who has been a regular for three years on the strong University of Washington team, is awarded an all-star position. He has been selected all-coast guard by many critics. Nelson is also a high scoring guard. The Kamp cousins have been making basketball history at the University of Illinois for three years. Elbert was the star last year and captain of this year's team. However, he injured his hand in a pre-season contest and did not play enough to warrant an all-star Phi job this season. In Elbert's absence his cousin Robert became the star of the Illini team. His outstanding performance of the year was holding Wooden of Purdue almost scoreless and leading his team to victory over the national champions. Kamp's dribbling and floor play was a sensation all year.

Boyd of Kansas State, Rupe of Denison, Surface of Franklin, Cameron of Case, Hove of Whitman, McGuire of Kansas, Conn of Penn State, Dill of Union, and Gammon of Iowa Wesleyan complete the guard positions on the All-Phi teams.



VIEW OF LONG'S PEAK FROM FRONT VERANDA, STANLEY HOTEL, ESTES-  
ROCKY MOUNTAIN NATIONAL PARK, COLORADO 953



ABOVE MILNER PASS, FALL RIVER ROAD, COLORADO

On the ridge of the mountains in the background is being constructed the new "Trail Ridge Road" which for twelve miles will follow the backbone of the Continental Divide and be over 12,000 feet above sea level. One of the features of the convention will be the trip over this road.

# Estes-Rocky Mountain National Park

THE SCENE of the forty-first Biennial Convention of  $\Phi \Delta \Theta$ , which will convene on August 29, is the famous Estes-Rocky Mountain National Park. The holding of a national convention in the midst of such wonderful scenic surroundings offers to our membership the opportunity of a real vacation, for what could be finer than to attend a convention of  $\Phi \Delta \Theta$ , and at the same time visit such a famous locality.

The Estes-Rocky Mountain National Park includes within its boundaries over 378 square miles of the front range of the Rockies in north central Colorado, about 50 miles in a straight line northwest of Denver. Its eastern gateway is the beautiful valley village of Estes, from which comfortable access is had to the noblest heights and the most picturesque recesses of the mountains. It is by far the most accessible of our national parks; that is, nearest to the large centers of populations in the East and Middle West.

Accessibility is not the only thing that makes this park stand out among our national parks. It is noted for being the highest of all the national parks in the United States, the lowest elevation being 7600 feet, and the highest 14,255 feet above the level of the sea. It is noted for the grandeur of its rugged mountains. Its mountains are splendidly representative of the finest in the Rockies. In nobility, in calm dignity, in the sheer glory of stalwart beauty, there is no mountain group to excel the company of snow-capped veterans of all the ages which stands at everlasting parade behind its grim, helmeted captain, Long's Peak. This attending the forty-first Biennial Convention will have the thrill of scaling the lofty heights of this famous peak, should they so desire. It is traversed by one of the most



LONG'S PEAK FROM GLENN LAKE  
Estes-Rocky Mountain National  
Park, Colorado

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rugged sections of the Continental Divide, yet a great and continuing development of trails, bridle paths, and fine highways makes it easy to reach its wildest sections. The most famous of these highways is the Trail Ridge Road described in the March SCROLL.

The Park is a natural sanctuary for wild life. There are found within the boundaries of the park over 35 species of mammals, 150 kinds of bird life, and over 450 varieties of wild flowers. Trout fishing is abundant, but hunting is permitted only with camera. Herds of deer and mountain sheep are becoming tamer every year. Towering peaks, crystal clear lakes, foaming torrents and waterfalls, living glaciers, deep canyons, green valleys, and evergreen forests add a scenic background that is unsurpassed.



BEAR LAKE ROAD 956  
Estes-Rocky Mountain National  
Park, Colorado

The mountain village of Estes Park, which is just outside the boundaries of the National Park is quite a remarkable town in itself. Here is located the splendid Hotel Stanley on the crest of a hill overlooking the village, and with Long's Peak dominating the mountain range that it faces. In the village are located numerous stores, hotels, res-

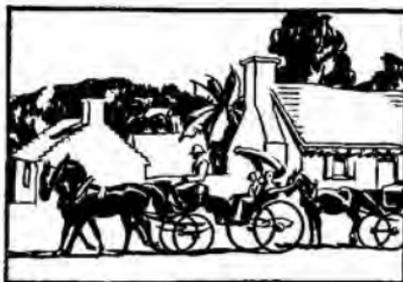
taurants, a fine municipal auditorium, a bank, moving picture shows, curio shops, and the Park Headquarters.

Within the western boundaries of the park is located Grand Lake, the source of the Colorado River, and the largest body of water in Colorado. Here every year are held the world's yacht races, competing for the famous Sir Thomas Lipton cup.

There are few places where we could hold a convention of  $\Phi \Delta \Theta$  which present the opportunity for so many kinds of diversion. The convention program has been arranged to allow ample time for recreation. There will be golf courses and tennis courts to play on, scenic trips of all sorts, fishing, horseback riding, mountain climbing, hiking, and dancing.

In speaking of Estes-Rocky Mountain National Park, Horace M. Albright, Director of the National Park Service, has stated, "Rocky Mountain National Park is a charmed land, and there can be no question about its future as a vacation center. Its proximity to the great plains states; its magnificent scenery; its invigorating air, and its wide variety of accommodations all combine to make it a most attractive region in which to spend the summer. It seems to me that Rocky Mountain National Park is just attaining its destiny as one of the greatest of all national parks."

*"Long's Peak or Bust"*



COLORADO BOUND

## Among Alumni Activities . . .

Maryland Alpha a few months ago had the pleasure of initiating for Virginia Zeta at Washington and Lee an old member of the local which in 1887 was granted a charter of  $\Phi \Delta \Theta$  at the Virginia university. He is Glenn Brown, noted architect of Washing-



GLENN BROWN 957  
Washington and Lee

ton, D.C., and now retired from active work. At the time Virginia Zeta was installed it was impossible for Brother Brown to be there and the belated initiation has just recently been performed. He is now 78 years old. A grandfather, Bedford Brown, represented the state of North Carolina in the United States Senate many years ago.

Brother Brown has had a distinguished career in the field of architecture. Following attendance at Washington and Lee, he studied at George Washington University and took a special course in architecture at M.I.T. He has practiced his profession in Washington, Virginia, and Maryland since 1878. He is a fellow of the American Institute of Architects and from 1899 to 1913 was secretary and treasurer of that organization. He is

a corresponding member of the Societe Centrale des Architectes Francais and of the Society of Architects of Antwerp, Belgium; he is an honorary corresponding member of the Royal Institute of British Architects and of the Societa degli Ingegneri e degli Architetti Italiani; a life member of the American Academy in Rome; a member of the executive committee of the International Congress of Architects, etc., etc. He and his son, Bedford Brown, were architects of the Dumbarton Bridge and of the Alfred Noble Memorial. From 1921 to 1926 he served as architect for the U. S. Marines at Quantico, Virginia. Brother Brown's books, articles, and editorial writings have been numerous.

The first biography of the famous Indiana novelist of a few decades ago, Maurice Thompson, author of the classic *Alice of Old Vincennes*, is now being prepared by George A. Schumacher, *Butler*, '25. Brother Schumacher, a member of the Butler University faculty, has been on leave of absence for the past two years pursuing graduate work toward the degree of doctor of philosophy. He has been taking work at the University of Virginia and his research work on Maurice Thompson has taken him to the Congressional Library at Washington, and elsewhere, in search of material. He has discovered a great deal of original material bearing on Thompson's career as novelist, essayist, poet, Confederate soldier, legislator, and state geologist. Brother Schumacher has found that the life of Thompson was quite as interesting and fascinating as the books he wrote. In addition to consulting old files of papers and magazines he has interviewed many persons who were personally acquainted with Thompson. Brother Schumacher will return to Indianapolis in June.

Elmer Davis, *Franklin*, '10, who has distinguished himself in the field of literature through the publication of a number of special articles and several books of popular fiction, is the author of a new book, *White Pants Willie*, published in February by the



ELMER DAVIS  
*Franklin*, '10

Bobbs-Merrill Company, of Indianapolis. Brother Davis claims he had a rollicking good time when he wrote this book and if popular reaction is any indication of the enjoyment the author had in writing this book, his road to fame has been paved with good times. For example, *I'll Show You the Town*, *The Giant Killer*, *Times Have Changed*, and *Friends of Mr. Sweeney*.

Wisconsin Alpha at the University of Wisconsin is expecting many of her older alumni as her guests May 13-14 when the chapter celebrates its diamond anniversary. The convention of Lambda Province will be held at the same time. The charter of the Wisconsin chapter was dated June 27, 1857, but since a celebration on that date this year would be impracticable due to the intervention of the summer vacation it has been determined to place it during May. The chapter has not yet announced detailed plans for the jubilee. They have urged a full

attendance of all old members of the chapter.

A volume of collected addresses by President William Mather Lewis, *Knox*, '00, of Lafayette College, has recently appeared. The book, the re-



WILLIAM MATHER LEWIS  
*Knox*, '00 759

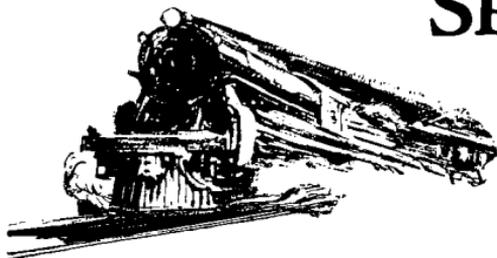
sult of thirty years' experience with educational problems, is a frank and straightforward attempt to analyze our educational system and to relate this system to the world in which we live. The addresses included in the volume were delivered before such groups as the National Education Association, the General Assembly of the Presbyterian Church, the Association of Colleges and Secondary Schools of the Middle States, many state teachers' associations, and other educational bodies.

Charles S. Berry, *Lafayette*, '25, has gone to training camp with the Boston Red Sox at Savannah, Georgia, this spring. Berry mailed his contract for the 1932 season to Owner Bob Quinn some time ago.

Don O. Herold, *Indiana*, '12, famous humorist and cartoonist, is the author of a recent book, *Doing Europe—and Vice Versa*. It was reviewed in the *Indianapolis Star* in January by George A. Schumacher, *Butler*, '25.

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## After Meeting 102 Chapters



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*For the moment I enjoy the distinction of being the only man who has visited every one of the 102 active chapters of Phi Delta Theta. From the vantage point of that experience, I see two things particularly significant.*

*The first concerns the fraternity system. More is demanded of fraternities today than ever before. Most of those who control the destinies of higher education have but recently awakened to the tremendous possibilities of the Greek-letter organization and are suddenly impatient to see them realized.*

*The demand for higher measures of achievement is the greatest thing that ever befell the fraternity system. We are being tested. We cannot afford to be careless even in individual, isolated instances. We must choose between big things and petty things.*

*The second concerns Phi Delta Theta. The consistency of our strength in all parts of our countries has amazed me. As one of the greatest, we are looked to for leadership; as one of the largest, our influence can be most widespread. To represent Phi Delta Theta on any campus today is a high responsibility. That responsibility demands recognition of the renaissance which is giving intellectual attainment its proper precedence in undergraduate esteem. If our defense against mediocrity in the life of any chapter is to point a finger to "other chapters on our campus, which are worse or no better," we are not worthy of our inherited prestige and we will not long enjoy it. Our job is not to accept progress reflected on our chapters by general improvement of the entire fraternity system; our job is to lead.*

*Is the fraternity system worth perpetuating? Is Phi Delta Theta worth fighting for? I would fight for her because, among many other benefits, she gave me friends. Somehow the dignity and power of the Bond, the stories of 1848, the halo about the Sword and Shield, the tales of Conventions, the knowledge of far-flung domains welded us together in Washington Beta in a loyalty to each other and a jealousy of the chapter's name that gave me real experience in friendship.*

*The heart of Phi Delta Theta is strong and sound. Too often it is misrepresented through ignorance, irresponsibility, or stubborn unwillingness to discard harmful vestiges. The first requisite if we are to meet the challenge of the new day is to get rid of the cheap things that are done in the name of the Fraternity we hold dear.*

*Mark W. Bradford*

[Retiring Traveling Secretary]

## Editorial . . .

### ***Fourteen Points for Colorado***

There has been a certain popularity in enunciation of programs by specific points, and particularly in the use of the magic number "fourteen," since President Wilson listed that many planks fourteen (!) years ago for rebuilding a war-worn world. There is no point in numerical imitation but it so happens that there have occurred to us that many possibilities for constructive improvement in our own Phi Delta Theta which the Estes Park Convention might well consider. At any rate, we offer them, with due realization that they constitute an idealistic program impossible of immediate attainment. Nor are they original.

The application of the first seven would have a significance more or less national in scope; the other half are of more local consequence. Some call for the expenditure or (what is more difficult) the collection of money, and he who now mentions money is perhaps either brave or fool-hardy. Certain ones reflect the material, others what might be called the spiritual if that word be used in a broad sense.

I. COMPLETE THE ENDOWMENT.—This movement, of such enormous potentialities for constructive work, of necessity had to lapse with the coming of the well-known depression. A good start was made and when that elusive corner is finally turned and we again stand face to face with Prosperity the Fraternity should be prepared once more to push on toward the goal of a million dollars which was set in the beginning. Great endowments bring with them their problems but modern human progress owes an immense deal to accumulated wealth in trust funds and the ultimate effects of the completed Palmer Endowment are not even yet fully to be comprehended.

II. BUILD A HEADQUARTERS BUILDING.—We now have a very serviceable Headquarters building and hence this point is not so pressing as others. But No. 208 East High Street, Oxford, is a building that is adapted for its purpose and hence it does little to express in enduring stone the spirit of Phi Delta Theta. At least two of our sister fraternities have now constructed their own headquarters buildings and we, too, would find that a Phi Delta Theta Temple would better enable us to realize the ideals our Founders had in mind. A joint Miami Triad Temple, however desirable, is perhaps out of the question.

III. ENLARGE THE FRATERNITY MUSEUM.—A museum, with its effectual glorification of the Past, perhaps ill serves the utilitarian purposes

of a fraternity, but any such organization so rooted in ideals can never afford to neglect the rich heritage of its own past. Even with more than four score years behind us there is yet time to collect many more of the mementoes and records of early days and members. There is now little space for display but such priceless things can be stored pending more adequate facilities.

IV. GET MORE FRATERNITY SONGS.—We recently heard a university professor whom we consider a genuinely wise man say that if he were entrusted with building up sentiment and enthusiasm for the League of Nations he would first of all write some League of Nations songs. The intangible value of songs, be they hymns, marches, or other kinds, is incalculable. Phi Delta Theta has many good songs but can use more. The General Council has offered a prize for such; may they be flooded with offerings!

V. BRING THE FRATERNITY HISTORY UP-TO-DATE.—This is a task which perhaps must wait the discovery or availability of a competent Fraternity historian to succeed the revered Walter B. Palmer. But for much the same reasons as surround the desirability of an enlarged museum, the printed record of our past quarter of a century should soon be made available. Next to a songbook this is probably the most crying need in the field of publications.

VI. CONSIDER ENGAGING IN SOME ALTRUISTIC WORK.—This is a field as yet peculiarly limited to women's fraternities and it is one of their greatest glories. There is nothing distinctively feminine, and certainly not effeminate, in such work. Were fraternities to engage in this they could build an even more impregnable foundation for existence, and Phi Delta Theta might well be a pioneer in such a movement.

VII. WHAT DOES THE FUTURE HOLD?—Perhaps we can but see "through a glass, darkly." Such men as Secretary Wilbur, Dr. Suzzallo, and others are telling us that the world of education and fraternities is still in a state of flux. The General Council, the Survey Commission, and others are attacking this problem intelligently, but can we not in some organized form tap other of our educational "best minds"—Presidents Tigert of Florida, Lewis of Lafayette, Hall of Oregon, to mention but a few—to help us chart our course and take advantage of all the tides and currents in the educational seas?

VIII. INSTALL CHAPTER PRECEPTORS.—This innovation is now sufficiently well tried in our and other fraternities to have proved itself. Enforced study hours, paddling for low grades, withdrawal of week-end "privileges," all come to seem to us more and more mechanical and to fall far short of stimulating a love of sound learning. We believe that the preceptorial system and the development of chapter house evening classes offer the best possibilities of *leading*, instead of driving, chapters in the right direction.

IX. DEVELOP CHAPTER LIBRARIES.—The cultural effect of an environ-

ment of good books is too well attested to need argument. In the chapter house, where the gamut of interests ranges far more widely than in the average home, a large and well rounded library can help tremendously in making the chapter house a chapter home.

X. INCREASE THE NUMBER OF HOUSEMOTHERS.—Endless panegyrics might be written about their value. No argument is needed. Suffice it to say that none of those chapters having experimented with the practice would willingly abandon it; others may profit by their experience.

XI. DEVISE A BETTER SYSTEM OF PLEDGE TRAINING.—The "alumni problem," we make bold to say, is to be solved in the first year of an individual's connection with the Fraternity. The attitude the Phikeia develops in his first semesters is usually that which he carries through life. Much yet remains to be done in the Fraternity in "pre-natal education"—training of the pledge before he is born into Phi Delta Theta. This involves not only implementation (now well taken care of through pledge and chapter advisers' manuals) but also determination and use of the best methods.

XII. ADOPT GRADUATE FINANCIAL SUPERVISION FOR CHAPTERS.—In a society which has a reasonable degree of permanence it is well to allow it to conduct its own government that it may educate itself by its own mistakes. But in an active fraternity chapter, where there is continuous change in personnel, this opportunity is lost and mistakes are but repeated in one four-year generation after another. Hence, we advocate in chapter fiscal affairs full alumni control—if the right graduates can be found.

XIII. ADOPT A PLAN OF "COLONIZING" CHAPTERS.—The Survey Commission was a long step forward toward intelligent chartering. Another long step could be taken by adoption of the plan, used most by women's fraternities, of colonizing in those colleges which we desire to enter. Thus we could have a conscious selection both of the institutions we wished to enter and of the initial membership with all the advantages accruing therefrom.

XIV. END HELL WEEK.—Though last this is not the least. It is already a dying "institution," if it may be dignified by such a name. Let us give a *coup de grâce* to this relic of puerility of a day which we may be glad is passing.





THE MOUTH OF THE BIG THOMPSON CANYON

The Convention Party will use this entrance from  
Denver to the park.

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# Let 'Er Buck, Cowboy ! ! !

"Long's Peak or Bust!" . . . On to Rocky Mountain National Park for Phi Delta Theta's Greatest Convention ! ! !

By EDWARD WILLIAMS  
*Colorado College, '17*

IF THE Forty-first Biennial Convention of  $\Phi \Delta \Theta$  isn't the greatest in the history of our Fraternity, there are a lot of hard working Phis out in Colorful Colorado, who are going to be so greatly disappointed that they will turn Estes-Rocky Mountain National Park back to the Indians.

However, don't lose any sleep about their having to give it back to the Indians, for the Estes Park Convention is going to be the greatest convention ever held by any fraternity.

From the time that the convention specials pull out of Chicago and St. Louis bound for Denver, until the convention adjourns there is going to be something doing every minute of the time. The Entertainment Committee, headed up by W. J. Robb, *Washburn*, advises you to catch up on your sleep before you leave home, for once have landed here there will not be much time to do anything else but have the time of your life. The con-

vention schedule has purposely been arranged to allow more time for play and recreation than has been the case at any previous convention. There will be time for horseback rides, tennis, golf, "barn yard golf," trips to the scenic wonders of Rocky Mountain National Park, and many other forms of diversion.

All Phis arriving in Denver on the convention special, and all others in Denver at 7:00 A.M. on August 29 will be the guests of the Denver Alumni Club at a complimentary breakfast, immediately after the arrival of the special train. After breakfast, everyone will be loaded onto special busses which will leave at once for Washington Park in South Denver for the ceremonies connected with the unveiling of a bronze memorial tablet, dedicated to the memory of that great Phi—Eugene Field.

Immediately after the services at the Eugene Field Memorial Library,



THE STANLEY HOTEL, ESTES-ROCKY MOUNTAIN NATIONAL PARK, COLORADO



THE GORGE LAKES, NEAR TIMBER LINE ON TRAIL RIDGE ROAD  
Estes-Rocky Mountain National Park

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YPSILON PEAK FROM TRAIL RIDGE ROAD  
Estes-Rocky Mountain National Park

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the convention party will leave for Estes Park by way of Loveland and the Big Thompson entrance to Rocky Mountain National Park. This is one of the most magnificent trips in Rocky Mountain Park and ought to be an eye-opener to those Brothers who

treated to a genuine wild elk barbecue (this is not BULL either). Plenty of grub right off of the old chuck wagon will be a fit ending to an afternoon's journey that will long linger in the memory of the Phis fortunate enough to be numbered among those present.



A LOBBY VIEW IN THE HOTEL STANLEY

have never seen the grandeur of the Rocky Mountains.

The opening session of the convention will be at two-thirty on the opening day (August 29), lasting until five o'clock. The period from five to six-thirty will be utilized for play and recreation. The next event will be a great reception and entertainment at 8:00 P.M. in true western style—cowboys, Indians, and everything, that is, if Oklahoma Alpha and Arizona Alpha will supply the Indians.

One of the high spots of the convention will be the trip over the Trail Ridge Road, which was described in the March SCROLL. Immediately after the Trail Ridge trip everyone will be

The Trail Ridge trip and barbecue will be on the second afternoon of the convention. The third day of the convention will also be one long to be remembered, for the convention sessions will adjourn at three o'clock in the afternoon for the golf tournament, hikes, sight-seeing trips, etc. At seven-thirty will be the crowning event of the convention—the convention banquet with the Rev. Dr. Carter Helm Jones of New Orleans, as the main speaker at the banquet. The banquet committee is already hard at work planning to make the convention banquet the greatest Phi Delt banquet ever held. While the men are having their banquet there will be a special

banquet for the ladies. This will be the final social event of the convention.

Present indications make it quite certain that there will be more ladies present at Estes Park than have ever attended any previous convention. There will be plenty of entertainment and stunts for the ladies; so don't hesitate to bring your wives, sweethearts, mothers, and sisters to Estes.

The Stanley Hotel is the official convention headquarters of the convention. The Stanley is one of the most magnificent resort hotels in all America. The whole hotel and all of its facilities are being turned over to  $\Phi \Delta \Theta$  for this great convention. At Detroit we had possession of a boat, but never before have we taken over a whole hotel for a convention. This insures a real 100 per cent Phi Delta party. The hotel rates are the cheapest that we have ever had at a convention of  $\Phi \Delta \Theta$  for such superior accommodations. The hotel management has made the most attractive rate ever offered to a college fraternity at this resort. The rates for rooms without bath will be \$6.00 per day, and \$7.00 for rooms with bath. These rates include meals. When I tell you that the hotel management gets \$15 a day per person for some of the

rooms that we will be occupying for \$7.00, you will see what a favorable hotel rate we have. The only other expense connected with the convention will be the customary \$10 registration fee, which will include the convention banquet, the Trail Ridge trip, barbecue, reception, entertainment, midnight refreshments, dancing, etc. There will be no registration fee for the ladies.

Convention reservations should be sent in right away. The most desirable rooms will be assigned to those who get their reservations in first. The railroad rates to the convention will be the cheapest rates ever offered from eastern and southern points to colorful Colorado.

Anyone desiring to do so will be invited to remain, after the convention and join a great party of Phis who will scale lofty Long's Peak. The return trip to Denver will be made by way of the South St. Vrain Canyon and Boulder, Colorado, the seat of the University of Colorado, and the home of Colorado Alpha.

Plan now to join that great caravan of Phis who will journey "Out where the West Begins." Every Phi in the great Rocky Mountain region will welcome the opportunity of having you as his guest.



COLORADO BOUND

## Sound Learning

For more than four score years  $\Phi \Delta \Theta$  has stressed that fundamental of "sound learning." It is in that that our Fraternity finds its justification—as all others do. Reports from widely scattered chapters indicate this year that on the intellectual front the good fight is going forward, new positions are being conquered, new rewards of victory received.

It is unfortunate that the call for SCROLL material had to be made at so early a date as to prevent a number of chapters from responding. In many colleges elections to the honorary societies are not held until near the end of the year and, hence, could not be reported by the chapters as yet. In several instances additional data are to be found in the chapter letters in this issue.

It is alike unfortunate that there is insufficient space to record more fully

the elections to honorary organizations won by members of the chapters. It has been necessary, however, to limit the record to elections to more strictly scholastic organizations—such as  $\Phi \beta \kappa$ , the dean of them all,  $T \beta \Pi$  in engineering, the growing freshman society,  $\Phi \eta \Sigma$ , and others of like nature.

### *Alabama*

Alabama Alpha made a splendid record this spring in the election of three of its members to  $\Phi \beta \kappa$ , one to  $T \beta \Pi$ , and three to  $\Phi \eta \Sigma$ . Members selected for the old William and Mary scholastic honorary are V. Bonneau Murray, Jr., Edgar A. Stewart, Jr., and Charles A. L. Johnstone, Jr. The freshman organization chose Samuel S. Murphy, Jr., Aubrey M. Boyles, and Robert S. Teague, Jr., among its members. Albert R. Simmons completed the group of seven with election to the engineering honorary,  $T \beta \Pi$ .



MURRAY  
MURPHY

TEAGUE  
JOHNSTONE

STEWART

BOYLES  
SIMMONS

*Brown*

That *rara avis*, a  $\Phi B K$  in his junior year, exists at Rhode Island Alpha in the person of Owen F Walker. Brother Walker was also elected to an honorary literary society. In addition to working



WALKER  
*Brown*



HANNAM  
*Case*

his way through the university he has taken part in many other activities. "He undoubtedly is our outstanding man in the chapter today," writes the chapter president.

*Case*

Only one honorary at Case elects its members strictly on a basis of scholarship. One member of Ohio Eta, Charles Hannam, has been elected to that honorary,  $T B II$ . As will be noticed from the illustration, Brother Hannam does not confine himself strictly to the study of engineering, either.

*Colorado Agricultural College*

Two members of Colorado Gamma were chosen members of  $\Phi K \Phi$ , general scholastic fraternity. They are Earl Balis and Alfred Holden. Two other members were elected to a musical fraternity on the campus.

*Denison*

Speaking of Ohio Iota as a whole, we may say that not the least of its achievements was its gain in fraternity scholastic ranking from ninth place last year to first place this year. Its average per member was almost two points above that of the next fraternity. Individually, honors go to six Phis in particular. Robert Edwards and James Uebelhart were elected to  $\Phi B K$  and not only that but were elected as juniors! Armstrong,

Crandell, Jensen, and Keech were chosen as members of the Phi Society, a local scholastic honorary in which membership is based on the records of the freshman year.

*DePauw*

Indiana Zeta has again placed members in  $\Phi B K$ . This time they are two in number out of a total of 21 elected; they are John E. Edwards and Charles S. Geiger. John Millett has become a charter member of  $\Pi \Sigma A$ , a political science honorary, and Phikeia Wilson was chosen a member of  $\Phi H \Sigma$ .

*Duke*

Four members of the freshman class of North Carolina Alpha made for the first semester what are known at Duke as "honor grades." The only honorary freshman organization had not yet announced its elections.

*Florida*

Out of 2223 students in the university, three members of Florida Alpha were placed in approximately the first five per cent. William Voigt was ranked 44, Addison Pond, Jr., was No. 91, and Donald McGovern stood 107. The first two of these brothers were elected to  $\Phi H \Sigma$ . Two others, James Hatfield and Harold E. Jones, won honorable mention.

*Franklin*

Patrick Cuddy was chosen a member of  $\Pi K \Delta$ , honorary forensic fraternity.



EDWARDS  
*Denison*



UEBELHART  
*Denison*

In addition, six members of Indiana Delta were selected for Blue Key, activities group, and three chosen to  $\Theta \Delta \Phi$ , honorary dramatic organization.

*Georgia*

There have been numerous "Tri-Phis" reported but from Georgia Alpha we have a "Quadri-Phi," if we may coin that word. He is Ernest Smith who, in addition to  $\Phi \Delta \Theta$ , holds membership in  $\Phi B K$ ,  $\Phi K \Phi$ , general scholastic, and  $\Phi \Delta \Phi$  legal fraternity. He is now leading his class in the Law School.

*Georgia Tech*

Georgia Delta's trophy collection is growing with the recent addition of two more cups, one given to Francis Kennedy Hall for having the highest scholastic average in the Class of 1932 during his freshman year. The cup was donated by T B II. Brother Hall is a member of  $\Phi H \Sigma$ , as was Holly W. Sphar, '31, winner of the other cup, given



SMITH  
*Georgia*



HALL  
*Georgia Tech*

by  $\Phi K \Phi$  for the highest record over the four year course. Brother Sphar, besides being class valedictorian, was president of both T B II, engineering, and K H K, electrical, fraternities. William E. Owens in a member of  $\Phi H \Sigma$  as is Brother Seals. Other members who maintained Honor Roll averages are Brothers Watson, Wilson, and Cornell.

*Idaho*

The English Club at Idaho, an honorary organization for English and journalism majors, claims three members of Idaho Alpha, Brothers Harry Robb, president, Paris Martin, and Richard Stanton. Roger McConnell has been chosen a member of  $\Sigma \Gamma E$ , honorary organization in mining, geology, and metallurgy. The legal fraternity,  $\Phi A \Delta$ , election to which at Idaho is largely de-



OWENS  
*Georgia Tech*



SPHAR  
*Georgia Tech*

pendent on scholarship, has as its president Robert Brown. Basil Miles is one of the four founders of the recently organized Maya fraternity, reported to be the only purely honorary architectural society in the country.

*Iowa State*

Brother Feroe of Iowa Gamma was elected a member of T B II at the end of his junior year. A year earlier he had been elected to  $\Sigma T$  in recognition of his scholastic standing in English. He was also one of the eight outstanding engineers on the campus recently to be chosen to the Knights of St. Patrick.

*Lehigh*

Ray K. Serfass, a member of Pennsylvania Eta, has been chosen to T B II, honorary engineering. He is also a member of a number of other honorary organizations.

*Maryland*

T B II seems to have selected well in a number of institutions. At Maryland,



FEROE  
*Iowa State*



WEINLAND  
*Miami*



NELSON

MISSOURI

NORTON

WALLACE

that engineering society has elected Arnold Smoot of Maryland Alpha as a member.

*Miami*

Richard Weinland joins his Ohio Alpha brother, Vernon Cheadle, as a member of  $\Phi B K$  this year; Cheadle was elected last year as a junior; he was also Miami's sole Rhodes Scholarship candidate this year. Brother Weinland was an earlier member of  $\Phi H \Sigma$  and two Ohio Alpha freshmen this year won election to that fraternity, Phikeias Thomas Murphy and John Goebel.

*Michigan*

Two more Phis in  $T B \Pi$  were chosen from Michigan Alpha a short time ago. They are Walter E. Wilson and Thomas D. Coleman.

*Mississippi*

Our chapter at Ole Miss is honored by four members in  $\Phi H \Sigma$ , three of whom are officers. They are George Ray, treas-

urer; T. C. Lockard, secretary; James H. Armstrong, vice-president; and Chester Curtis, the lone private in the ranks. The university honor roll represents high recognition and to it for the first semester three members of Mississippi Alpha, Brothers Curtis, Lockard, and Byrd Truly, were chosen.

*Missouri*

Tom Wallace of Missouri Alpha has been chosen a member of  $\Phi H \Sigma$ , as has Will L. Nelson, Jr. Fielding L. Norton was elected to  $K T A$ , honorary organization in journalism. In addition, as recorded in an earlier SCROLL, Missouri Alpha contributed two of the university's candidates for Rhodes Scholarships, William H. Harrison and Harold B. Kline.

*North Dakota*

Three of North Dakota Alpha's members, in particular, have distinguished themselves scholastically this year. Gene Revell was chosen a member of  $B \Gamma \Sigma$ ,



TRAYNOR

NORTH DAKOTA

REVELL

GILL

honorary commerce fraternity and in addition received the Ruud scholarship, one awarded to the athlete who in his junior year has received the highest scholastic average. All this has been in addition to Brother Revell's working his way through the university. Duane Traynor is following up a family tradition by election to  $\Phi B K$  this year; he has several other scholastic and activities honors to his credit. Phikeia Joe Gill is starting out right by election to  $\Phi H \Sigma$ .

#### Ohio State

As a reflection of another facet of interest aside from his captaincy of the track team and presidency of the senior class, John Black, Ohio Zeta, has been selected a member of  $B \Gamma \Sigma$ , commerce honorary. Three Ohio Zeta pledges were chosen members of  $\Phi H \Sigma$  at the end of the fall quarter with a prospect of more later. The initial three are John Prior, elected president of  $\Phi H \Sigma$ , Morgan Jones, and Richard McClurg.

#### Ohio Wesleyan

They must do things besides studying in Ohio Beta, but they surely do plenty of that and do it well. Exhibits A, B, C, and so on:  $\Phi B K$ , James Coultrap and Robert Taylor; Phi Society (underclass scholastic honorary), Carlton Babbs, James Samuel, Robert Taylor, Marion Huit, Herbert Soper, James Coultrap, Ansell Wilson, John Eckler, Haver Alspach, David Austin, Richie Davis, Hayes Newby, and William Cottingham.  $\Delta \Sigma P$  (forensic honorary), Elden Smith, James Coultrap;  $\Pi \Delta E$  (journalism), Robert Taylor, William Maharry, James Coultrap, George Armstrong, James Samuel, Marion Huit.  $M \Phi E$  (honorary in mathematics), James Coultrap;  $K \Delta \Pi$  (national education honorary), William Cottingham.

#### Southwestern

Texas Gamma, with a chapter average of 85 plus, has given other Southwestern chapters a mark at which to shoot. This was attained partially through the very high scholastic averages of Brothers Davis, W. M. Richardson, Stump, Huit, and Secrest and Phikeias Roy Richardson, Rowlett, and Bolton.

#### Swarthmore

The Anson Lapham scholarship is awarded to the freshman who has the

best scholastic record for his first year. Pennsylvania Kappa has a sort of a habit with it; three successive winners have been Edwin S. Lutton, '32; John B. Foster, '33; and John K. Mahon, '34. The Samuel J. Underhill scholarship is awarded on similar terms to a sophomore; William H. Kain, '33, got that one. And then, to round out a good record, Lutton and Thomas A. Wilson, both seniors, have been elected to  $\Sigma \Xi$ .

#### Texas

Without question, first honors in Texas Beta go to George Seay and Walton Head. Both are Tri-Phis, adding to  $\Phi \Delta \Theta$  both  $\Phi B K$  and  $\Phi \Delta \Phi$ . To keep



TEXAS GAMMA'S SCHOLARS

Rear row, left to right: W. M. Richardson, Phikeia Bolton, Stump.

Front row: Phikeia Rowlett, Davis, Phikeia R. Richardson.

running along together, both have been chosen to the *Texas Law Review* and been selected as Chancellors, the latter being the most outstanding law recognition given at Texas. Of the younger chapter members, Brothers Boren, Scurry, Worsham, and Phikeia Kritzer hold membership in  $\Phi H \Sigma$ . The university honor roll includes Scurry, Worsham, Kritzer, Cranfill, and Henderson, and Phikeias Summers, Bennett, and Pope.

#### Washington State

Two members of Washington Gamma have been elected to honoraries, James Hephrey to  $\Phi K \Phi$ , and Robert Stuart



WESTMINSTER

GORDON

VAUGHAN

ACUFF

MOW

TODD

to  $\Delta \Delta \Sigma$ . Also to be recorded are the following honor roll selections for the first semester: Rolden Canfield, Robert Stuart, Donald Endslo, Wyman Knapp, William Murray, Morris Sanders, James Helphrey, and Robert Bush.

the first semester made the highest grade attainable at the university, a straight "A" record.  $\Phi \kappa \Phi$  has chosen among its members Albert Martin, a senior,

*Westminster*

Missouri Beta placed a goodly number of Phis on the college honor roll in current selections. They are: Forrest Whaley, Edward Clayton, Steward Gordon, Robert Mow, Coke Reeves, Terrell Vaughan, Randolph Durham, Robert Finks, William Millar, Price Reed, James Sloss, C. D. Todd, Robert Dick, and Edwin Melvin. Elections to  $\Delta \tau \Gamma$ , a local honorary literary society, included Gordon, and  $\Pi \kappa \Delta$ , honorary forensic, chose Vaughan, Mow, Gordon, Todd, and Robert Roth.



WEISEL  
*Wisconsin*

*Wisconsin*

The new elected president of  $\Phi \text{H} \Sigma$  at Wisconsin is one of Wisconsin Alpha's freshmen, Wilson Weisel, who for

who earlier had made  $\Phi \text{H} \Sigma$  and also had received "High Sophomore Honors," the highest award given to second year students.



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# What the College Man Can Do to Improve Politics

By JOUETT SHOUSE  
*Missouri, '99*

*[Chairman of the Executive Committee  
of the Democratic National Committee]*

THE only way in which the college man or any other man or woman can improve politics is to get into politics.

In the nature of things the mass of voters must gain their inspiration from the skill and logic with which the issues that deal with government are presented to them by their chosen leaders. Men do not come to leadership in the two great parties as a rule either by accident or appointment. They are churned up in political struggles because of their ability to realize conditions a little ahead of other members of their parties. The ideal situation is that the political leader should also be a governmental leader. It so happens that in the realm of politics popular government is more likely to prevail than in the personnel of the actual officials elected to sit in the seats of power at Washington and in the capitals of the various states. It has not infrequently happened that a man has attained to the Presidency, for example, through compromises resulting from intra-party strife or superiority of planning, who could not be said to typify either the best executive intellect or the highest type of leadership in his party organization.

Take the history of the United States for the long period between Andrew Jackson and Abraham Lincoln and the occupant of the White House was rarely one of the great minds, although that same period abounds with the names of great statesmen, Clay, Calhoun, Webster, for example.

Politics is not a mere sporting contest with offices as the trophies. Under our system it is the only method of determining not only who shall govern



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*Missouri, '99*

us but what the policy of the government shall be, and not infrequently the prosperity and welfare of the whole nation must depend on what is done on election day. Obviously it is the part of patriotism to be interested in politics.

If we are to assume that education better qualifies a man to determine what the country needs, it should need no argument to point out that the participation of those who have had the mental training afforded by a college course is not only desirable for the parties but it is a duty incumbent on college men and women as well.

Take the present situation in which

the United States finds itself. Regardless of how that condition was brought about, whether it is the reflex of a universal condition resulting from the World War or is due partially at least to a failure of our government during the last dozen years to construct bulwarks against the possibility of such a depression as has come upon us, it is only through political action that we can work our way out.

It is going to require the best brains in the country to extricate us from the quagmire of commercial and industrial paralysis and financial stringency. If our institutions are to endure, the army of the unemployed must be demobilized into earning units. We can only be sure of the requisite legislation by electing men to the high offices of our government, executive as well as legislative, who possess sufficient capacity, breadth of vision, absolute courage, and unquestioned patriotism to chart the course and steer our country through the perils that are now so apparent. I do not mean that any political party can guarantee continued prosperity.

The word "politician" all too frequently connotes chicanery and corruption. This is because of a perversion in the meaning of the word from its original significance. The politician is, in the best sense, an expert in the science of government. In these days of tremendous technological development, increasing population and concentration of population, and all the other phenomena which have resulted from the Industrial Revolution we have need in greater and greater degree of experts in the science of government, i.e., politicians.

It is neither possible nor desirable that every college graduate become a full-time politician. But it is both possible and desirable that every college graduate take an intelligent and active

interest in the way in which his government is conducted. His rôle may cast him on some obscure, local stage—it is given to but few to win the spotlight of national prominence—but even there his attention to the way in which we are governed, and his participation in that government, as circumstances permit, will go far toward justifying our much criticized democratic forms of government.

That leaders of both parties reflect the importance of participation in political activity is well attested by a quotation from an interview some years ago with Will Hays, *Wabash*, '00, P.P.G.C., at that time Postmaster General and a man high in the councils of the Republican party. To quote Brother Hays in part:

"The day is passing when men will tolerate anywhere in this country any practices in politics that they would not commend in the strictest business and professional affairs. When we get our politics entirely on this basis, when we live our patriotism daily, we will do a citizen's full duty, and not until then. I repeat, I have no use for the individual who is either 'too busy' or 'too good' to help. He has no just complaint to make whatever happens. He is riding on another's ticket. I have an abiding faith that there will be an awakened sense of civic duty as one of the by-products of the War.

"I repeat, and shall continually declare, that what we need in this country is not 'less politics,' but more attention to politics. Politics is the science of government, and what we need is more attention to the science of government. We fought in France to make certain everywhere that men should have the right to govern themselves, and here in this country where we have that privilege, I insist that we exercise it."



# Brilliant Young Westminster Phi

By OVID BELL, *Westminster*, '96

GEORGE EDGAR SWEAZEY, *Westminster*, '27, completed an unusual career as a student when he was given his doctor's degree in philosophy by the University of Berlin in July, last.

He was graduated *magna cum laude* from Westminster College in 1927 after making a record for participation in both classroom and campus activities that has never been equalled in this 80-year-old institution. While at Westminster he earned three letters in football and four in track; was a member of the debate team four years and its captain in his senior year; was president of the Y.M.C.A., president of the Junior class, president of the student body, and president of his Fraternity chapter. In addition to all this, he won the Dobyms oratorical prize in both his freshman and junior years and twice represented the college in the Missouri intercollegiate oratorical contest. His classroom work at Westminster included all of the Greek and philosophy and most of the mathematics offered in the courses of the college.

Leaving Westminster, Dr. Swezey entered Princeton Theological Seminary, from which he was graduated with the degree of bachelor of divinity in 1930. While studying theology he also did the work in the graduate school of Princeton to earn his master's degree. His record in the New Jersey institution won for him a fellowship in Berlin and also the distinction of being selected for a German-American student exchange. At Berlin he did three semesters' work in nine months and after passing exhaustive tests was granted his doctor's degree. No other student at Berlin in the last nine years has been able to complete his course in two semesters.

Upon his graduation from Berlin Dr. Swezey toured southern Ger-

many, Italy, Palestine, Egypt, Denmark, Sweden, and Norway, much of his travel being on a bicycle. In the vacation period before entering the German institution, he visited England, Holland, France, and Belgium.



GEORGE EDGAR SWEAZEY  
*Westminster*, '27

All of this remarkable young man's study has been in preparation for the Presbyterian ministry, which he expects to enter shortly. Though only 26 years old, he is a graceful and forceful speaker, and in the short time he has been at home since his return from Europe, he has addressed almost every club in Fulton and several congregations.

It is said of him that he played football four years while at Westminster and was never the cause of time being taken out. His position was guard and though it did not permit him to display brilliancy in the game, he was in every play and contributed much to the strength of a team that won two state championships while he was a member of it.



THE EUGENE FIELD MEMORIAL LIBRARY FOR CHILDREN, LOCATED IN WASHINGTON PARK, DENVER



INTERIOR VIEW OF THE EUGENE FIELD MEMORIAL LIBRARY  
The large desk and leather chair in the corner of the room were the personal property of Eugene Field. There are many other personal articles in the library.

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# To Dedicate a Memorial to Memory of Eugene Field

IT SEEMS peculiarly appropriate that  $\Phi \Delta \Theta$  should follow out a suggestion first made by Millard F. Troxell, *Gettysburg*, '80, second editor of THE SCROLL, and incorporate into the program of the Forty-first Biennial Convention the ceremonies connected with the unveiling of a bronze memorial tablet dedicated by  $\Phi \Delta \Theta$  to the memory of this great Phi.

The directors of the Denver Public Library have given the Fraternity permission to place this tablet on the Eugene Field Memorial Library for children, located in Washington Park. Since this library building is the same building in which Brother Field lived while a resident of Denver and managing editor of the old *Denver Trib-*

*une*, and since it contains his old desk and many other personal relics, it seems quite logical that this should be a place to be marked with a bronze memorial tablet.

Morrison Shafroth, *Michigan*, has accepted the chairmanship of the Field Memorial Committee. This assures us that the Field Memorial services will be very impressive.

Complete details of the ceremony have not yet been worked out. The services will be held on the morning of August 29, before the Convention party leaves for Estes Park. The tablet probably will be placed on the outside wall, between the two doors opening from the porch. A tentative inscription for it has been prepared.

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## More Oxonians

WHEN, a number of weeks ago, the editor wrote to officials of the Association of American Rhodes Scholars requesting a complete list of all Rhodes Scholars that he might check such a list against the Fraternity Catalogue in order to ascertain who were Phis he received lists which he assumed were complete but in which he later found those Scholars chosen in 1930 were not included. Hence, he was unaware that Dorr Covell Skeels, *Montana*, '30, had in that year received a Scholarship which he is now holding at Exeter College, Oxford; consequently, Brother Skeels' name was quite unintentionally omitted

from the list included in the March SCROLL. We are happy to take this occasion to add his name to that select group, to note that he was the second recipient chosen from Montana Alpha, and to thank the several Phis who assisted in verifying the fact of the Scholarship.

The lists of Rhodes Scholars furnished the editor did not include those who have died and hence there was omitted the name of William Henry Branham, *Kentucky*, '07, Scholar from Kentucky for 1905, who utilized his Scholarship at Queen's College, Oxford. Brother Branham died September 25, 1916.

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# What Phi Delta Theta Has Meant to Me

EDITORIAL NOTE: The following tributes could not, because of limitations of space and time, be included in the alumni symposium in the April issue of THE SCROLL.

As I have gone about the country during the past two years visiting our chapters I have been in a position to see the results of the work which many of our alumni are *now doing*. Almost without exception our strong chapters are those with a few interested alumni whose words and examples have shown the chapters the way to stability and strength. To me these men bear witness to the fact that  $\Phi \Delta \Theta$ 's influence has been worthwhile and lasting. May more of us emulate their example of unselfish devotion to the cause of the Fraternity.

LATNEY BARNES  
*Westminster, '30*

[Traveling Secretary.]

If present economic conditions are to be discounted; if the program of  $\Phi \Delta \Theta$  is to go forward unimpaired, there is but one source of assurance—our alumni. This I am confident is fully appreciated by our Alumni Commissioner, F. J. R. Mitchell, P.P.G.C. Brother Mitchell has heretofore rendered distinguished service to  $\Phi \Delta \Theta$  but the work he has now undertaken holds such possibilities for good that its value cannot be over-estimated. Let's help him put across—"Once a Phi, always a Phi." When that sentiment is taken to heart and cherished by each of us, all just and proper calls for alumni support will be met when and as made.

WILLIAM R. BAYES  
*Ohio Wesleyan, '01*

[Treasurer of the General Council; formerly Chairman of the National Interfraternity Conference.]

Twenty-five years have passed by since I became an alumnus of  $\Phi \Delta \Theta$  and it is as good a time as any to look back and take stock of what has been accomplished during that period.

Some of the Phis whom I knew as undergraduates have forgotten that they are still members of our Fraternity. Others have not done so and will not do so. Today their Fraternity is as real to them as it was during their college days. The reason for this difference as I contemplate it, is the failure of the former group to understand and appreciate the precepts of the Bond.

To those who are about to become alumni members, I would urge that they prepare for their twenty-fifth reunion. Cultivate physical condition, intellectual fitness, civic usefulness, and a wholesome and manly religious life. Be definite. Be whole-hearted. Be unafraid. Then in twenty-five years will your faces reflect your quality and the undergraduates, after looking you over, will say: "Those alumni deserve their reputation. They are the kind of men that makes our Nation strong."

W. W. BEHLOW, M.D.  
*Stanford-California, '07*

[President of Omicron Province.]

I take this opportunity to wish my brother Phis a pleasant and happy year. I would like to add my warmest thanks and appreciation for membership in the  $\Phi \Delta \Theta$ .

CHICK EVANS, *Northwestern, '13*

[Formerly American Amateur and American Open golf champion.]

I am glad to offer a message of greeting to the Fraternity.

Most of those who read this are 20th Century people. I am a hundred years ahead of them. I belong to the 19th Century in life and membership. You are all youngsters!

This gives me the privilege of referring to personal experience.

Twice in my life I have approached

the end. Once the curtain came down nearly to the limit, then began to slowly go up. At another time I passed into a dark tunnel and proceeded as if there was no end, until finally, in the distance, a light appeared, which grew larger and brighter until I passed through it. Each time I felt resigned, simply feeling that if it was God's will I was ready to go.

Just about that time, in each instance, telegrams, letters, and flowers came in from friends, from all directions, with messages of the kindest sort, and these brought these friends to mind and awakened a yearning, not merely a wish, to see them again, to shake their hands, to look them in the face, and hear their voices.

I have said to myself, "I must live, because I want to see these friends again."

I began to rally, improve, grow stronger, and soon I was out of danger.

I mean to impress the value of friendship; the need, the consolation, the happiness, supplied by sincere friends!

The Fraternity offers the opportunity of cultivating friendships. It draws together choicest friends; there is no greater blessing. It seals lasting and warmest friendships. These will bring joy and hope in the bright days and cheer and encouragement in the darkest hours.

Yours in the Bond,  
DUNCAN V. FLETCHER  
*Vanderbilt*, '80

[United States Senator from Florida.]

The alumni of  $\Phi \Delta \Theta$  are the men who have pioneered the trail in the various educational institutions to establish their Fraternity. It is due to their splendid work that we have today one of the outstanding fraternities.  $\Phi \Delta \Theta$  stands for the high ideals that are brought out in the Bond which are conducive to our individual prosperity and happiness. It is not

too much to ask men to set aside an hour and a half once a year to commemorate Founders' Day and listen to the story of our six Founders.

H. C. G. FRY  
*South Dakota*, '14

[President of Tau Province.]

If Phi Delta Theta means anything, it is that intangible something that draws us back to our chapter, makes us enjoy the companionship of fellow Phis, and exerts such a wholesome and vital influence on our whole lives.

We alumni are the keepers and administrators of our Fraternity traditions. Ours is the privilege of piloting the ship along the course charted by the Founders, directing its progress from port to port until we are relieved from active duty at three score years and ten.

May we be always faithful to our trust.

CHARLES E. GACHES  
*Washington*, '01

[President of Pi Province; charter member of Washington Alpha.]

As long as the lens of memory tinges friendships and congenial associations with delight, so long will  $\Phi \Delta \Theta$  grow dearer to its Alumni. It recalls to every Brother in the Bond happy associations and friends who have lasted through the years with increasing appreciation.

*The garlands that we used to twine,  
Have somehow wreathed again  
Though laughing boys of Auld Lang  
Syne  
Have changed to earnest men.*

W. E. HIGBEE  
*Illinois Wesleyan*, '83

[SCROLL Endowment Trustee.]

Greetings to the  $\Phi \Delta \Theta$  Brotherhood from one of their Half-Century plants. I still thrill with the pride which came with the Phi pin away back in old Virginia Delta in 1879. The last Convention I was privileged

to attend was in Louisville in 1900. I am anticipating with pleasure the Convention in Colorado next August. The  $\Phi \Delta \Theta$  spirit is the spirit of persistent youth.

CARTER HELM JONES  
*Richmond, '82-Virginia, '86*

[Eminent pulpit orator; pastor of the First Baptist Church, Murfreesboro, Tennessee.]

Looking back over half a hundred years, I can't remember a time when I didn't know  $\Phi \Delta \Theta$ . As a very small boy in the home of my father, a college professor, I paid admiring tribute to the silk hatted Phis of the eighties who lived next door. In college and out I worked with dear old Z A E of blessed memory for the return of our Phi Chapter. When this glorious event had come to pass at the Cleveland Convention, I was privileged to retire to the Olympian serenity of the Survey Commission and help pass upon the fate of other aspirants. Certainly I have always been a Phi at heart, though long outside the fold of our Fraternity. Long may she live!

PARKE R. KOLBE, *Akron, '01*

[Member of the Survey Commission; President of the Brooklyn Polytechnic Institute.]

Thirty-four years ago I received the badge and secrets of my Fraternity. Living near my chapter I have had the good fortune to have continued ever since a close and cordial relationship with its succession of undergraduates. I chose  $\Phi \Delta \Theta$  because I liked it. Other fraternities which invited me to join seemed to lack the vitality and the fighting forward look of youth.

What is true of Massachusetts Alpha is true of the general Fraternity. There must have been a prophetic ingredient in the vision of the Founders to build so indomitable an order!

DWIGHT MARVIN, *Williams, '01*

[Editor of the *Troy* (New York) *Record*.]

From Ohio Alpha, greetings! The Mother Chapter of the Fraternity sends a message of faith in the future and of loyalty to the ideals of our Founders.

Ohio Alpha, as custodian of those traditions surrounding the founding and early days of the Fraternity, is ever mindful of her great obligations. We join with all chapters in honoring our Founders and in renewing our pledge to perpetuate the ideals of  $\Phi \Delta \Theta$ .

R. J. MCGINNIS, *Miami, '19*  
[Assistant Editor of THE SCROLL.]

The admonition of the ancient philosopher to "Know Thyself" continues to be excellent advice. However, in modern times it is also important that we know one another.

The value of friendship is reciprocal. In any real friendship we both give and receive whether the object of such giving and receiving be tangible or intangible.

It is my hope that every member of  $\Phi \Delta \Theta$  will come to know more members of his Fraternity and to know them better. Thus will the influence of our Fraternity be increased and greater benefits will accrue to the individual member.

Εἰς Ἀγῆρ Οὐδεις Ἀγῆρ

FRANK J. R. MITCHELL  
*Northwestern, '96*

[Alumni Commissioner; formerly Secretary, President, and Reporter of the General Council.]

The Fraternity has meant a lot to me all through the years. Some of the best friends and the finest contacts I have made should be credited to it. It has meant quite as much to me out of college as in. And I have joined a great number of organizations, of one kind or another.

Much of this I attribute to the worth of the Founders. And then we had a chapter that endeavored to control and direct the freshmen.

Later at Tulane I found a splendid bunch of fellows worthy of friend-

ship. That further tied me to the organization. And it has ever been the same way.

WM. STEEN, *Mississippi*, '04

[Formerly a province president.]

I am glad to have the opportunity to extend warm personal greetings to all  $\Phi \Delta \Theta$ s, both among the alumni and in the active chapter.

It is a gratification to report that Florida Alpha has become one of the leading chapters at the University this year. The chapter has had a rather difficult struggle and is only now coming into its own. The present group is especially strong in scholarship. The chapter does not own its house and is still lacking in some things. There is assurance that it will take a prominent place in fraternity life at the University.

JOHN J. TIGERT, *Vanderbilt*, '04

[Formerly President of the General Council; formerly United States Commissioner of Education; now President of the University of Florida.]

It is most gratifying to one who has worn the shield of  $\Phi \Delta \Theta$  for more than 30 years to observe the progress and advancement of our Fraternity. Traveling about the country as I do in my work, it is my honest opinion no fraternity has achieved as much in furthering its national prestige in the last decade as our own. I still feel like an active member in interest when I visit our chapter houses at Illinois Beta (my own chapter) and Illinois Alpha whose house is near my residence.

HARVEY T. WOODRUFF  
*Chicago*, '99

[Prominent sports writer; conductor of the column, "In the Wake of the News," in the *Chicago Tribune*.]



MOUNT YPSILON AND THE MUMMY RANGE, ESTES-ROCKY MOUNTAIN NATIONAL PARK

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# Seventy-Five Years at Wisconsin

By WILLIAM H. FRAWLEY, JR.  
*Wisconsin, '32*

WISCONSIN ALPHA of  $\Phi \Delta \Theta$  will be seventy-five years old June 27, 1932. It was back in 1857 that the call of the wild beckoned a young collegian from Wabash College to finish his final school years in the then infant University of the State of Wisconsin. This pioneer who carried the Sword and Shield across the state of Illinois and into the Badger State was William Green Jencks who had been initiated by Indiana Alpha in 1856. The story of the early days at Wisconsin was mixed with both the love of adventure and admiration for Professor Ryan who had accepted a position in the new school. After being in Madison a short time and seeing the high quality of men that guided the stu-

dent life Brother Jencks initiated William Freeman Vilas, Moulton DeForest, and Granville Sharp Pattison Stillman into the secret mysteries of the Fraternity and it was this notable group who became the charter members of Wisconsin Alpha.

Things prospered for the new group after the granting of the charter by Ohio Alpha until the Civil War called the students to defend their country. The chapter then became dormant until 1880 when revived and from which time it has ever been a credit to the Fraternity.

The roster of names that are immortal in the minds of Badger Phis scarcely needs mentioning, but we feel that truly to honor all of them we



WISCONSIN ALPHA—1880-81

*Back row, left to right:* Hall, MacArthur, Dodge, Marriam, Simpson, Tourtellotte.  
*Front row:* Blakey, Dunwiddie, Beaser, Foster, Hallam, Mason, Frost.

may mention a few of the leaders. Brother Vilas perhaps stands out as the youth who made a mark in public life. He was Postmaster General of the United States from 1885 to 1888 and then Secretary of the Interior from 1888 to 1889. He then served a six-year term as United States Senator and later followed illustrious service in his home state and its University Law School.

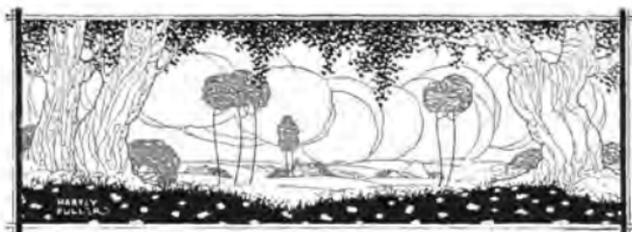
Another Phi who has been an inspiration to all of us since his initiation in 1881 is Daniel S. MacArthur, '81, now living in La Crosse, Wisconsin. His Fraternity spirit has grown with the adding of years and with it his record of attending all chapter celebrations as well as always visiting the boys and narrating the deviltry of the good old days. He is ever ready to lend a helping hand and every class has learned to love him more than in the usual way.

The chapter took into the Bond numerous men who have led in their respective callings, such as Gilbert Hodges, the International Advertising president; Dewitt Smith Clark, the lumberman; Horatio Winslow, the short story writer of the *Saturday Evening Post*; Crawford Wheeler of the Chase National Bank; Stanley M. Ryan, United States District Attorney; Byron Stebbins, the astronomer; Ferdinand Geiger, United States District Judge; Frank Lloyd Wright,

the architect; and many other leaders in the fields of law, medicine, and business.

The chapter occupies a beautiful three story colonial house that was the first built on the Wisconsin campus. It is spacious and carries out the true tradition of the Fraternity. In the chapter room built into the wood work is the original charter granted to the chapter and it is treasured as one of the oldest in the national organization. On the wall in the living room an immense wooden shield is carved from edge to edge with the names of Phis who have guided the chapter as officers. Wisconsin Alpha has always been fortunate in having men who sacrificed their time to aid the chapter and at the present time three brothers stand out—Dr. William Werrel, Bryan Reid, and Randolph R. Conners. These alumni are the men who have aided the active group in keeping up the reputation of the Phi Deltas.

The diamond jubilee will be celebrated on May 14 at the chapter house with a dinner in the evening followed by entertainment. The alumni are all going to be back to meet the national and province officers who will be in attendance as well as the old brothers and friends. Wisconsin Alpha especially invites all Phis to come back and commemorate the occasion. The Lambda Province convention will be held in conjunction with the jubilee.





Presidencia de la República  
Managua

Señor:

EL PRESIDENTE DE LA REPUBLICA  
DE NICARAGUA

tiene a bien conceder la Medalla del Mérito Presidencial al:

MAYOR PAUL R. HAWLEY,

del Cuerpo Médico del Ejército de los Estados Unidos de Nor-  
te América, por servicios en Nicaragua, como está indicado en  
la siguiente

HOJA DE SERVICIOS:

"Inmediatamente después del terremoto ocurrido en Managua, Distrito Nacional, el 31 de marzo de 1981, el Mayor Paul R. Hawley, del Cuerpo Médico del Ejército de los Estados Unidos, y estacionado con el Batallón de Ingenieros en Granada, llegó de esa ciudad en un tren especial de socorro hacia Managua, para asistir a los desgraciados en motivo de la catástrofe, asociado de las autoridades médicas del Campo de Morte. Estableció su unidad de operaciones y con personal y equipo del ejército actuó desde las tres y treinta de la tarde del 31 de marzo hasta las seis de la mañana del 10 de abril.- Treinta operaciones fueron ejecutadas por él en ese tiempo.- El 10 de abril, su unidad médica del Ejército, condujo el tren hospital a Granada, y en cooperación con la Cruz Roja de la República de Panamá, el Mayor Hawley tomó bajo su cargo el hospital de los refugiados en Granada, e hizo operaciones con el mayor éxito.- El Mayor Hawley estuvo en servicio por un prolongado período sin descanso ni confort.- Siempre fué cuidadoso con los graves deberes que tenía que confrontar, y en el cumplimiento de dichos deberes, mostró un espíritu de la más alta calidad; por lo cual se confiere al Mayor Paul R. Hawley, del Cuerpo Médico del Ejército de los Estados Unidos de Norte América, la Medalla Presidencial del Mérito".-

Al Mayor Paul R. Hawley,  
Cuerpo Médico del Ejército de los EE. UU. de A.,  
Managua, D. N.

CITATION AWARDED MAJOR HAWLEY BY PRESIDENT MONCADA

## Army Officer Wins Medal

A PLEASING and deserved honor came to one of  $\Phi \Delta \Theta$ 's many United States Army officers a few months ago in the awarding by General José M. Moncada, President of Nicaragua, of the Presidential Medal of Merit to Major Paul R. Hawley, *Indiana*, '12. Major Hawley, then attached to the Nicaragua Canal Survey, was quite active in alleviation of distress in connection with the earthquake which devastated Managua, capital city of Nicaragua, in the spring of 1931.

Brother Hawley is now assigned to the Army Medical School in Washington as professor of bio-statistics.

A photostat of the citation given by President Moncada is reproduced, and the following is a translation from the Spanish:

Presidencia de la Republica, Managua

SIR:

THE PRESIDENT OF THE REPUBLIC  
OF NICARAGUA

is pleased to confer the Presidential Medal of Merit upon

MAJOR PAUL R. HAWLEY  
of the Medical Corps, United States Army, for services in Nicaragua as set forth in the following

#### CITATION:

"Immediately after the earthquake that occurred in Managua, National District, the 31st of March, 1931, Major Paul R. Hawley, Medical Corps, United States Army, then stationed with the battalion of Engineers in Granada, came from that city in a special relief train to Managua to aid the victims of the catastrophe, in association with the medical authorities of the Campo de Marte.

He established his operating unit and, with personnel and equipment of the Army, worked from half-past three in

the afternoon of March 31st until six o'clock in the morning of April first. Thirty operations were performed by him during this time. On April first, his medical unit from the Army conducted a hospital train to Granada and, cooper-



PAUL R. HAWLEY, *Indiana*, '12  
Awarded Medal by Nicaraguan President

ating with the Red Cross of the Republic of Panama, Major Hawley took charge of the hospital for refugees in Granada and operated it with the greatest success. Major Hawley remained on duty for a prolonged period without sleep or rest. He was always attentive to the arduous duties that confronted him, and, in the discharge of these duties, he demonstrated a spirit of the highest quality; in recognition of which is conferred upon Major Paul R. Hawley, Medical Corps, United States Army, the Presidential Medal of Merit."

(signed) J. M. MONCADA

To Major Paul R. Hawley,  
Medical Corps, United States Army,  
Managua, D.N.

# Undergraduates of Achievement . . .



## Energetic Engineers

C. M. ENDERS



CHARLES M. ENDERS, now a senior in the school of chemical engineering, is an example of the somewhat over-used phrase—"Local boy makes good." Entering Purdue in the fall of 1928 after graduating from West Lafayette High School, Enders, contrary to expectations, did not enter immediately into campus activities, but devoted most of his time to securing a good foundation in his studies, an action which he has never regretted.

In his second year, having been a distinguished student for the past two semesters, "Chuck" joined the editorial staff of the *Debris*. Because of his persistent work and outstanding ability, he was elected junior editor of that publication in the spring of the year. In spite of his many duties he was again listed among the distinguished students for both semesters.

At the start of his junior year Enders was one of the two juniors elected to membership in  $\Phi \Delta \Upsilon$ , chemical engineering honorary fraternity. A few weeks later he became a member of *Catalyst*. In the spring more honors were placed upon "Chuck." He was made a member of the Webster literary society, initiated into  $\Sigma \Delta X$ , national journalistic fraternity, and as a result of his scholas-

tic record was elected to membership in T B II, all-engineering honorary fraternity. With the formation of Blue Key, senior men's honorary, Enders was a member of the first initiated class.

At present, "Chuck" is one of the outstanding seniors on the Purdue campus. He is serving as president of  $\Phi \Delta \Upsilon$ , secretary of Blue Key, and is taking a very active part in  $\Sigma \Delta X$  functions.

Enders is a member of  $\Phi \Delta \Theta$  Fraternity.

—Courtesy *Purdue Engineering Review*

### *Three Letter Phi at Lafayette*

In this day and age "three-letter athletes" are difficult to find. But  $\Phi \Delta \Theta$  claims one at Pennsylvania Alpha, Lafayette College, Easton, Pennsylvania. Harold C. Wermuth, of Nanticoke, Pennsylvania, has starred at Lafayette for three years in football, basketball, and baseball.

"Dutch" prepared for this outstanding career at Nanticoke High School, which he attended for four years. While there he achieved a most enviable record. He was awarded fifteen varsity letters, and would have re-

ceived sixteen if baseball had not been discontinued in his senior year.

When he came to college, Dutch found he had time "only" for three sports. In his freshman year he captained the frosh football team, and starred regularly on the frosh basketball and baseball teams. A year ago the administration of the college passed a rule requiring a high standard of scholarship for those wishing to take part in more than two varsity sports. Dutch has twice met the requirements, and now in the middle of his junior year he holds the unique distinction of being Lafayette's only three-letter man in major varsity sports since 1924.

Dutch is six feet two inches in height and weighs one hundred ninety-five pounds during the seasons. During the past football season he was classed as one of the best ends in the



HAROLD C. WERMUTH  
*Lafayette, '33*

East, and it will be remembered that he was placed on the all-Phi Delta team.

—GEORGE C. LAUB, '33, Reporter



PHIS AT FORT RILEY

Of 80 men enrolled in the last encampment at Fort Riley, Kansas, six were Phis, three from Missouri Alpha and three from Iowa Gamma.

Left to right: Baird Rider, *Iowa State*; Wm. Harrison, *Missouri*; Karl Goetz, *Missouri*; Bill Robinson, *Missouri*; "Chesty" Cheeseborough, *Iowa State*; Ed. Drake, *Iowa State*.

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## Alumni . . .

Merle J. Abbett, *Franklin*, '07, superintendent of schools at Bedford, Indiana, for the past seven years, was unanimously elected superintendent of the Fort Wayne, Indiana, school system February 16. This position is regarded as one of the finest superintendencies of the state, Fort Wayne being one of the largest three cities in Indiana. It is a tribute to Brother Abbett that among the large list of applicants for the Fort Wayne superintendency he was the unanimous choice of the five members of the school board. There are 700 teachers and employees in the school organization of Fort Wayne, which city has a population of 115,000. The system includes four secondary schools. Three high schools, a junior high school, and scores of grade schools comprise the school system.

The call by the Fort Wayne school committee was undoubtedly based on the many years of successful experience in the field of education already achieved by Abbett. Following his graduation from Franklin College in the class of 1907, he served as principal of the Hopewell High School, teaching and coaching along with his other duties there. Following a year teaching at Manual Training High School in Indianapolis, he went to Bedford, where he served as principal of the high school from 1916 to 1925, at which time he accepted the superintendency there.

He has continued his education at Columbia University, getting his A.M. degree there in 1918, and at the Teachers College of New York, from which institution he holds a superintendent's diploma. In the summer of 1929 he traveled in Switzerland, Belgium, Holland, Germany, and England. On this trip he attended the Conference of Rotary International at Ostend, Belgium, as the delegate of the Bedford Club.

Announcement was made February 29 of the appointment of Oswald Ryan, *Butler*, '11, as general counsel of the Federal Power Commission. Brother Ryan has assumed his new duties. He is particularly well fitted for them by virtue of his wide experience in public utility law. He was indorsed for the appointment by the Indiana Bar Association and a number of judges of Indiana state courts. His home has previously been in Anderson, Indiana, and he has been active in legal and political circles in Indiana for a score of years. He served two terms as prosecuting attorney of Madison County and one term as Anderson city attorney. He has been quite prominent in state and national activities of the American Legion. He was appointed in 1923 a member of a special federal immigration commission which spent several months in Europe devising a system of eliminating unqualified immigrants at ports of embarkation. In 1926 he was a candidate for the Republican nomination for United States Senator. Brother Ryan was a founder of T K A, honorary debating and oratory fraternity.

Andrew W. Robertson, *Allegheny*, '06, is the author of a little pamphlet published recently by the Westinghouse Electric and Manufacturing Company, of which he is the chairman of the board. The pamphlet is entitled "Industry's New Responsibilities," and deals with the growth and trends of modern industry. "There is no panacea," he writes, "for the present ills of all industry—no magic formula by which miracles may come to pass. Business will not change overnight, but it will be better tomorrow or the next day. The desired objectives may be accomplished only by hard, consistent, endless work by us as individuals. There is no short cut and we all know that is the truth."

Copies of the pamphlet may be obtained from the company at its New York office, 150 Broadway.

James E. Fullam, *Vermont*, '11, has been made a vice-president of the International Standard Electric Corporation, a subsidiary of the International Telephone and Telegraph Company, and has sailed for Tokio, Japan, where he will make his headquarters. He will have full charge of the I.S.E. activities in the Orient. Brother Fullam was graduated from Vermont with high scholastic honors, following which he served as a commercial engineer for the New York Telephone Company for five years. He saw service on the Mexican border with the cavalry in 1916 and during the World War was commissioned a major in the U. S. Army. He was assigned to Aberdeen, Maryland, in charge of the technical department at the proving ground there. After seven years of association with the I. T. & T., Brother Fullam was made treasurer of that corporation in March 1930. He goes to Tokio with a background of unusual achievement.

The recently published autobiography of Frank Lloyd Wright, *Wisconsin*, '89, has attracted a great deal of attention from reviewers. Brother Wright's architectural work has become known around the entire world and he is noted in Europe as probably the greatest creative architect in the United States. His genius attracted particular attention when the Imperial Hotel in Tokio, designed by him, was the only building of any size in that city to withstand the ravages of the destructive earthquake of 1923.

Brother Wright's autobiography comments on his active chapter membership as follows: "Φ Δ Θ held forth on the second floor of a store building on the west side of the capitol overlooking the park. There was a mysterious initiation, of course. Thrilling! The goat! The pool table! The fellows—and good fellows, too. Ferd

Geiger, Fred Simpson, Frank Bamford, Harry Butler, and others. . . ."

George E. Booker, *Randolph-Macon*, '21-*Virginia*, '24, now a member of the Richmond Bar and Virginia State Bar Associations, has been authorized by the General Council to issue a Φ Δ Θ Law Directory. He is now engaged in gathering material for this directory. The General Headquarters of the Fraternity can supply most of the information for years prior to 1923 but lawyers graduating since that time are not always recorded in headquarters records as attorneys. Any Phi lawyer who has graduated and entered the profession since 1923 would confer a favor upon Brother Booker and the Fraternity if he would send his name, college, class, and present business address to Brother Booker without further solicitation. His address is 611 Mutual Building, Richmond, Virginia.

John R. Mote, *Arizona*, '28, has been selected as the outstanding student in first-year work at the Harvard Medical School. This selection carries with it the David William Cheener Scholarship, which has been awarded to Mote. The scholarship is awarded each year to the man in the first-year medical class who is outstanding on the basis of work and promise in the basic medical sciences. After his graduation from the University of Arizona, Mote worked for two years in the laboratories in the Desert Laboratory.

James Renwick Hogg, *Lafayette*, '78, had a unique and gratifying experience February 17 when he administered the obligations in the initiation ceremony to his son, James R. Hogg, Jr., '35. Brother Hogg, Sr., is one of the most prominent alumni of Pennsylvania Alpha. Dr. William Mather Lewis, *Knox*, '00, president of Lafayette College, and Dr. William M. Smith, *Lafayette*, '03, were among the numerous guests present at the initiation services.



PEASANTRY IN ITALY

One of a group of paintings exhibited in New York by Dunbar D. Beck, formerly of Indianapolis. Beck, a former Yale University student, went to Rome, Italy, in 1927, spending three years in study in the American academy there.

Much attention has recently been drawn to the work of Dunbar D. Beck, *Northwestern*, '25. After work at Northwestern, Brother Beck went to Yale for special study in art and won the famous "Prix de Rome" in 1927. He spent three years in art study in the American Academy in Rome. The accompanying illustration is of a painting entitled "Peasantry in Italy." It is one of a group of paintings exhibited in New York by Brother Beck.

The report that was released recently by Paul V. Brown, *Butler*, '23, superintendent of the division of lands and waters of the Indiana state conservation department, is full of interesting statistics and other details about the increased use and development of Indiana's nationally known system of state parks. Total paid admissions to the various parks and memorials during 1931 were almost 600,000.

Nelson Wettling, *Knox*, '23, rapidly developing into one of the outstand-

ing young attorneys of Chicago, is counsel for John Bain and his son Robert, officials of a defunct chain of Banks in the Middle West, in criminal charges which have been brought against them. Brother Wettling is associated with the law firm of former Senator Deneen of Illinois.

Wilfrid R. Smith, *DePauw*, '19, had charge of the recent "Golden Gloves" tournament, extensive Middle Western amateur series of boxing matches, sponsored by the *Chicago Tribune*, of whose sports staff he is a member. Brother Smith was a four-letter man at DePauw and before joining the *Chicago* paper was coach of the Harris on Tech High School in Chicago.

Darrell P. Ware, *Northwestern*, '29, is the author of the popular "Little Black Cloud" short story series which have been running in *College Humor* with so much success this winter. A movie was recently made from the stories.

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## Chapter Grand . . .

### *Louis Gerald Shields, Cornell, '10*

Louis G. Shields, *Cornell, '10*, partner of the New York Stock Exchange firm of Shields and Company, died December 7 at the Southampton hospital, Long Island, after being taken ill while on a hunting trip over the week-end. He had joined his brother in the brokerage business in 1924. Brother Shields was a director in a number of New York corporations. He was widely known as a yachtsman.

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### *Warren Albert Patterson, Trinity (Texas), '83*

The Rev. Mr. Warren A. Patterson, *Trinity (Texas), '83*, pastor of the Polytechnic Presbyterian Church at Fort Worth, Texas, died in that city December 1 from a stroke of paralysis. He had occupied pastorates in a number of Texas cities in his long career as a minister. He was a member of the old Texas Alpha chapter at Trinity University.

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### *George B. Nye, Ohio State, '90*

The death of George B. Nye, *Ohio State, '90*, occurred December 1 at his home in Pomeroy, Ohio. Brother Nye at the time of his death was cashier of the Pomeroy National Bank, a posi-

tion he had held for the past fifteen years. He was also very active in civic and church affairs, being senior warden in the Episcopal Church at the time of his passing.

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### *William H. Chase, Jr., Dartmouth, '31*

William H. Chase, Jr., *Dartmouth, '31*, died at Los Angeles, California, December 15 as the result of an automobile accident there two days earlier. He was twenty-three years of age. Brother Chase is survived by his parents and one sister.

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### *Avent R. Fisher, Southern Methodist, '23*

Avent R. Fisher, *Southern Methodist, '23*, died at his home at Vickery, Texas, January 11, of heart trouble and pneumonia after an illness of more than fourteen months.

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Two alumni of the Purdue chapter have died recently although THE SCROLL has no information as to the dates. They are: J. D. Tingley, '93, who died at Washington, D.C., and O. C. York, '21, who died at Indianapolis, Indiana.

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*In Coelo Quies Est*

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# Chapter News in Brief . . .

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Alberta Alpha, University of Alberta

*Pledges announced . . .*

*Phikeias:* L. Bergman, D. Cameron, D. Carlyle, J. Crawford, J. Cawston, J. McDonald, C. Wright.

*Initiates:* March 11: Allan S. Hall, Edmonton.

*Social Activities:* The Founders' Day Banquet was an outstanding success here. We celebrated the founding of our Fraternity and our recent success in rushing at the McDonald Hotel March 12. Arrangements for the banquet were in the hands of Ayre and Hunter.

*Chapter Visitors:* Don Hatch, *Manitoba*; Worthy Hoover, '30.

A. F. IRWIN

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British Columbia Alpha, University of  
British Columbia

*Papers in chapter meetings . . .*

*Phikeia:* Roy Quinstrom, Trail, B.C.

*Initiates:* February 11: Fraser Crocker, Stewart Crysdale, Roderick MacLeod, Robert Mather, Murray Mather, Hollis Gilley, Rann Matthison, Thomas Trapp, Carman Ridland; February 25: D. S. Updegraff, for Michigan Beta.

*Campus Activities:* Activities are slacking as our college year nears an end. Crysdale, Bob Mather, Jim Stewart, Don Stewart, and Steele played on the Canadian rugby varsity team in the finals game of the senior city league cup series. Owen and Pearson, the sophomore athletic representatives, played for varsity in the finals game of provincial senior McKechnie Cup league English rugby. Lou Clarke ran for the arts seniors in the interclass track meet. Ridland played finals with third-string basketball, of which he is captain. Matthison recovered his scholastic eligibility to play on the varsity basketball again. Pearson and Jim Stewart won their "big block" this year. Phis have been elected to fill the following prominent positions on the campus for 1932-33: junior member, stu-

dents' council, Owen; president, arts men's undergraduate society, Crysdale; president, Canadian rugby club, Pike; secretary, science men's undergraduate society, Pike; vice president, agriculture, '34, Vrooman; manager, soccer club, MacLeod. Crysdale has been elected to membership in the Letters' Club, the highest club honor, scholastically, on the campus.

*Social Activities:* Founders' Day Banquet was held on March 12 to enable our popular province president, Charles Gaches, and several of our Washington Alpha brothers to attend. Brother Pat Maitland came to Vancouver from his heavy duties as a Minister in the provincial legislature, now in session in the parliament buildings in Victoria, to address us on our duties, which we, as Fraternity men, shall have to assume. Four papers have been heard by the chapter at meetings this year: "Sinclair Lewis—An Appreciation," by McLarty; "Poison Gas Warfare," by Anderson; "John Masefield," by MacLean; and "Beryllium," by Clarke, who is doing chemical research on the element.

*Chapter Visitors:* Brothers John Power, *Kansas*, '11; Bledsoe, Case, Kirker, Gaches (Pi Province president), and Doug Power, *Washington*; Oscar White, '31, J. A. Pike, '30, J. W. Plommer, '30.

*Alumni Personals:* Bill Selby, '30, has been appointed a member of a British Columbia mining commission to investigate certain radium deposits in the North. Bill will leave from Waterways in northern Alberta by plane and will remain in the North throughout the summer.

J. BEATTIE MACLEAN

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California Alpha, University of California

*Mothers' Club active . . .*

*Initiates:* February 23: Edward O'Neill, '78, Berkeley; Edgar Mason Kneedler, '35, Berkeley.

*Chapter House Improvements:* The Mothers' Club has recently renovated one of the rooms on the second floor and made an excellent study room out

of it for the members of the Fraternity. Each of the study tables has a separate lamp for every place. A large set of glassware has also been donated by the mothers for use on important occasions. A long rug has been placed on the third floor hallway.

*Campus Activities:* Bill Abbott, Bud Neuhaus, and George Crist were taken into Beta-Beta, men's honor society. Earl Garrettsen was chairman of the military ball which was held on the campus recently.  $\Phi \Delta \Theta$  is well represented in the interfraternity basketball contest and stands a good chance to win the championship. Nat Hoskott is active as junior tennis manager. Bud Elfen is sophomore track manager. Garrettsen, Lackey, Davis, Chubb, and Ralph Holm have just completed a successful season in crew. Kelly Anthony is running for president of the senior class. Carl Mitchell was made captain of the swimming team recently.

*Social Activities:* The upper class held an informal dinner at the house immediately before the Big C Sirkus. The spring informal was held at the Castlewood Country Club, April 16. Plans are also being developed for a senior weekend at Sacramento. The Mothers' Club entertained at the chapter house March 29 with a benefit luncheon and card party. Approximately 300 women were present. California Alpha and California Beta had an exchange baseball game and picnic April 3. Perhaps one of the most outstanding initiation ceremonies ever held at the chapter house took place February 23 when we had the pleasure of welcoming Edward O'Neill, '78. The banquet following the initiation will long be remembered for the outstanding spirit of true fellowship which was present. Brother O'Neill has been connected with the chemistry department of the University for many years and at present is chairman emeritus of that department.

*Chapter Visitors:* J. McBaine, *Missouri*, '02; T. J. J. See, Capt., U. S. Navy, Retired, *Missouri*, '73; G. H. Chilcote, *Michigan*, '92; F. M. Parcels, '91; Chief Justice W. H. Waste, '73; Harold Nachtrieb, '14; A. S. Dieronymus, *Indiana*, '94; T. J. Robb, '30; Lathrop Jewett, '00; Latney Barnes, Traveling Secretary; W. W. Behlow, '07; Omicron Province President "Nip" McHose.

P. J. WALKER, JR.

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### California Beta, Stanford University

#### *Swimming record broken . . .*

*Affiliate:* William N. Sauer, *Westminster*, '32.

*Campus Activities:* Leo Devlin, who is studying aeronautical engineering, was elected to  $\Sigma \Xi$ . Austin Clapp and Frank Booth took part in the national intercollegiate swimming championships held recently at Ann Arbor, Michigan, and also the A.A.U. meet at New Haven, Connecticut. Clapp broke the existing American record for the 1500-meter event. The regular spring rushing on the campus has been temporarily postponed until next fall because most of the fraternities have been found guilty of pre-season rushing of the freshmen. However, the general opinion is that this punishment will be modified as the housing of next year's freshmen would be a difficult one.

*Social Activities:* The chapter gave a dinner for Brother "Muddy" Ruel, leading catcher for the Detroit Tigers, and Bucky Harris, manager of the same outfit. California Alpha and California Beta held a joint picnic at Brother Ralph's ranch. About fifty active members and as many alumni were present. Baseball, swimming and other activities made the day enjoyable to everyone.

*Chapter Visitors:* Nip McHose, '24; Edward T. Maples, '00; Roscoe W. Maples, '04; Francis Fox, '00; Guy C. Bowman, '01; James H. Armstrong, '05; Albert C. Mattei, '17; Robert Duncan, '20.

FRANCIS BATES, JR.

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### Colorado Beta, Colorado College

#### *House improvements . . .*

*Initiates:* March 13: Robert Harris, Colorado Springs; Budd Anderson and George Derby, Denver; Francis Cuckow, LaJunta; Donald Creager, Rocky Ford; Damon Runyan, Scottsbluff, Neb.; Walter Newcomer, and John Buxton, Kansas City, Mo.; Fred Handke, Colorado Springs; John Bicknell, Manzanola.

*Chapter House Improvements:* All of the floors downstairs have been sanded and refinished. The woodwork throughout the entire house has been refinished and painted. The Mothers' Club has pre-

sented us with new drapes for the card room, and new curtains for all the downstairs windows. They also have had all the rugs cleaned and repaired.

*Campus Activities:* Colorado Beta is represented on the track team by Captain Haney, de Holczer, Campbell, and Short, lettermen, and Handke, Creager, Phikeias Noble and Clarke for their first year. D. Scott, Martin, and Phikeia Williams are playing on the first nine of the baseball team; Scott is a letterman. Varsity football letters were awarded to Hartman, de Holczer, Deutsch, Martin, and Roark. Frosh numerals were awarded to Bicknell and Creager, and Phikeias Noble, Waite, Swan, and Williams. Captain Grant has reported to the tennis call, along with Cuckow and Handke. Jasper, D. Haney, and Newcomer are assured places on the golf team; D. Haney is a letterman. We were awarded the interfraternity trophy for fall sports competition. Deutsch, Grant, and D. Haney have been pledged to Red Lantern Club, senior men's honorary. Young and Short were recently initiated into A K Ψ. Knodel managed the Junior Prom. Phikeia Crosby had the lead in the last Koshare play.

*Social Activities:* Extensive plans for rushing got under way with a three day party beginning April 15.

*Chapter Visitors:* Latney Barnes, *Westminster*, traveling secretary; Ed Williams, '17, Xi Province president; Ernest Collins and Charles Sayer, *Colorado*; Henry Roebke, '31; Perry Greiner, '24, chapter advisor. F. W. SHORT

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Florida Alpha, University of Florida

*All-round activities . . .*

*Initiates:* John Alison, Wallace Brown, Joe Fuqua, Jervy Gantt, Charles Gifford, Roger Goodwin, Earl Harby, James Hatfield, Robert Lau, Addison Pound, George Romfh, Everett Sellers, Welcome Shearer, Henry Starbuck, William Stark, Steve Trice, William Voigt.

*Chapter House Improvements:* The inside appearance of the chapter house has been greatly improved with the addition of two new sets of furniture. The garage and lawn chairs have been painted. The hall upstairs has been repainted, and the entire house has been

given a thorough cleaning in preparation for house parties.

*Campus Activities:* Pepper and Gifford are on the varsity swimming team. Pepper participated in the first two meets against Georgia and Georgia Tech. Pound is out for the freshman swimming team. Shearer was elected captain of both the freshman football and basketball teams. Fred Rayburn has been pledged to A E Δ, national pre-medical fraternity. Sellers and Lau and Phikeia Floyd are out for freshman baseball. Roberts resigned from school to play professional baseball with the Montreal Club of the International league. Pound and Voigt have been elected to Φ H Σ, freshman national honorary scholarship fraternity. Phikeia Peter Harlee has received an appointment as first alternate to Annapolis. Gillette has been nominated as managing editor of the *Seminole*, and Paul Brown for the Executive Council representing the College of Commerce and Journalism.

*Social Activities:* The house party committee under the chairmanship of Calvert Pepper, is making elaborate plans for Florida Alpha's first house party. Accommodations have been made in the house for forty girls to be guests of the chapter during April 6-9. The chapter will be hosts at a tea dance April 8 at the Gainesville Country Club and at a formal dinner dance at the Hotel Thomas April 9. The chapter recently entertained the alumni with a Founders' Day smoker. Brother B. C. Riley, director of the Correspondence School of the University gave a short history of Florida Alpha. The Mothers' Club of Gainesville, recently organized, furnished the refreshments.

*Chapter Visitors:* Charles Norton, '28; George Trogdon, *Illinois*, '28.

PAUL M. BROWN

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Georgia Beta, Emory University

*Numerous debaters . . .*

*New Officers:* President, Henry Bowden; treasurer, Clement Sutton; reporter, Len Bowen; secretary, Hugh Carithers; historian, Holmes Fay.

*Initiates:* Robert Barnes and Claude Jordan, Atlanta; George Niles, Griffin; Charles Robert, Macon; Frank Nunn, Perry; Perry Wheeler, Cordele; Charles Clements, Buena Vista.

*Campus Activities:* Bowden is a candidate for president of the student body. Jones and Thompson are candidates for the student activities council. Carithers, Bowden, and Nunn are running for class councils while Roberts is a candidate for president of the Sophomore class. Elections are to be held soon and the outlook is bright for these candidates, particularly since there has been a reorganization of political parties on the campus. The Glee Club cup has been won for the third consecutive year. Bowden was awarded a letter in basketball, and Nunn won his numeral in the same sport. Clements, Nunn, Bowden, and Thompson are out for baseball. Davie and Barnes are on the freshman intercollegiate debate team. Phikeyia Mills is on the staff of *Phoenix*, university literary publication. Dobbs is on the debating team which is now touring the West.

*Chapter Visitors:* Sam Rumph, '30; Ward Wight, '10; H. Y. McCord, '09; Morgan Thomas, John Robinson, Roy Bowen, *Georgia*; Joe Clark, General Council.

LEN BOWEN

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Georgia Delta, Georgia School of Technology

*Honoraries elect several . . .*

*Initiates:* Hathorn Eddy, New Orleans, La.; Cyrus Kean, Miami, Florida; John Ridley and Joe Dunson, LaGrange; John Houser, Fort Valley; James Russell, Binghamton, N.Y.; Clifford Johnson, Columbus.

*Chapter House Improvements:* A new combination radio and victrola was recently purchased for the house.

*Campus Activities:* Owens was awarded the Gold "T" as a reward for having been on the Honor Roll for two and a half years. Johnson and Phikeyias Moore, Yates, and Seals made the Honor Roll. Phikeyia Seals was elected to Φ H Σ, freshman honorary scholastic fraternity. Cornell was elected as a delegate to represent Π Δ E at its national convention in Washington. Owens and Nash were elected to Scabbard and Blade, honorary military society. Nash was elected to Φ Ψ, national textile fraternity, of which Ross was elected vice-president and Conniff secretary. Warner and Bothwell were elected to Bull Dog Society. Phikeyia Billy Reese, Atlanta city champion, is outstanding on the ten-

nis team. Flowers, Milligan, and Warner are out for spring football. Frank Ridley is doing well on the varsity golf team. The freshman golf team is composed of Phikeyias Yates, state amateur champion, and Moore, and Brothers John Ridley and Cy Kean. The chapter's team went to the finals in the interfraternity basketball tournament with the S.A.E.s, who won by a small margin.

*Chapter Visitors:* Swann and Robertson, *Auburn*. FRANCIS K. HALL

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Idaho Alpha, University of Idaho

*Kampus King . . .*

*Phikeyias:* Kenneth Nails, Spokane, Wash.

*Initiates:* February 14: Merrill Green, Orville Westberg, Kenneth Dyer, Edward Metzgar, Victor Warner, Charles Warner, Frank Peavey, Branch Walker, Howard McInerney, Marion Malmoe, William Gerraughty, Robert Felton, John McManamin, Frank Carouthers, Howard Timken, Daniel Campbell, Donald Harvey.

*Campus Activities:* Art Spaugy, who was elected honorary captain of the university football team, was chosen "King of the Campus" by the Mortar Board. The announcement was made at the annual Spinster Skip, which is the only university women's invitational dance of the year. Jerome Christians, Curtis Mann, and William Robb were pledged to Scabbard and Blade at the annual banquet. The three men are active in the university unit of R.O.T.C. Paris Martin represented Idaho at the Pacific Coast debating meet at Pomona College recently. Martin won fourth place in the extemporaneous speaking contest in which fourteen schools were represented. While on the trip he also participated in debates against the Universities of Nevada, Utah, U.C.L.A., U.S.C., Washington Oregon, and Oregon State College. Harry Robb appeared in an outstanding part in "A Paragraph for Lunch" presented recently.

*Social Activities:* The Miami Triad was held April 30. Plans are under way for the Story Book Ball which will be held sometime in May. It is held once each four years and is the outstanding event of the social season.

WILLIAM WILLIS

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Illinois Beta, University of Chicago

*Guests at banquet . . .*

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*New Officers:* Howard Marks, treasurer; Eli Messenger, secretary.

*Chapter House Improvements:* The Mothers' Club purchased new curtains for our dining room, and had all curtains in the house laundered.

*Campus Activities:* The chapter's basketball squad in the Class "B" division, composed of Aufdenspring, Cimral, Marks, Harper, Breen, and Shumacker, won the intramural championship in this division beating  $\Phi B \Delta$  39-17 in the final game. We can put the same excellent team on the floor next year. Cimral and Aufdenspring were selected on the all-university team. Comerford, Johnson, and Geppinger are on the varsity baseball squad, Comerford playing third base, the place vacated by Brother Fish, the leading hitter on last year's team, Johnson plays in the outfield and Geppinger in the infield. Springer has a part in the forthcoming spring production of the Dramatic Club. Pelzel won a position on the business staff of next year's *Maroon*. Eldred won full numerals for his excellent work on the freshman basketball squad.

*Social Activities:* The chapter's winter formal, held March 4, was a splendid dinner dance. The Greek initials  $\Phi \Delta \Theta$  were spelled out in ice to make a unique decorative scheme. The ice cream was in the shape of a Phi Delt pin, the girls were given corsages. Springer and his committee did a very fine job of arranging the affair.

*Chapter Visitors:* Latney Barnes, Traveling Secretary, Harvey Woodruff, '99, Judge Walter Steffen, '09. The chapter's annual alumni banquet was held April 8, at the chapter house, Brother Woodruff was the principal speaker, the banquet was attended by about 20 alumni.

*Alumni Personals:* The chapter attended the annual Founders' Day Banquet sponsored by the Chicago Alumni club March 31 at the Blackstone Hotel. Judge W. M. Sparks, *DePaww*, '96, gave the principal address. Stewart Kenney, '27, was elected treasurer of the club and Elliott Johnson, '29, elected to the board of directors. Elliott Johnson, '29, J.D., was elected chapter adviser.

CARL A. SCHEID

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Illinois Eta, University of Illinois

*Freshman president . . .*

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*Phikeias:* Richard E. Thomas, Pasadena, California.

*Initiates:* February 13: Jonathan Booz, Winchester; Jean M. Burkhart, Benton; William Rapp, Champaign; Melville Beardsley, Kansas City, Mo.; Harvey H. Acton, Danville; Norman Jones, Carrollton; Theodore T. Durfee, Peoria; N. Hall Layman, Duquoin; F. Lawrence Seamans, Joliet; Culver Mills, Galesburg.

*Campus Activities:* William C. Gifford, '33, Highland Park, will represent Illinois Eta at Estes Park. H. Ashley Barber, '33, Aurora, is alternate. Captain "Babe" Kamp and his cousin, Bob, each won the varsity basketball "I" for the third time. Cook is on the track team in the shot put event. He placed second in the Big Ten indoor meet at Chicago. Kennicott, Thomas, and Seamans, are on the freshman track squad. Mills won numerals in basketball. Durfee was elected president of the freshman class at a recent election.

*Social Activities:* The Miami Triad formal dance was held March 11, with formal dinners served in the three chapter houses. Plans are under way for the spring formal, to be held early in May. The Founders' Day banquet and patronesses' tea are other coming social events.

*Chapter Visitors:* Charles Chadsey, '26, who is now attending Oxford University. Traveling Secretary Latney Barnes; Executive Secretary Arthur Priest.

*Alumni Personals:* Chapter Grand: Albion Paris Holbrook, '14, died January 19 at his Oak Park home. He is the brother of Howard C. Holbrook, '15.

WILLIAM RICKER

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Indiana Alpha, Indiana University

*Eight initiates . . .*

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*Initiates:* February 27: Robert Shaffer, Indianapolis; John Burger, Goodland; Philip Kiefer, Petersburg; Omer Shake, Logansport; Edward Parson, Kokomo; Thomas Martin, Louisville, Ky.; Steven Divich, Gary; William Dunn, Plymouth.

*Chapter House Improvements:* A new

furnace has been installed and new electric refrigerator presented to the chapter by the town alumni.

*Campus Activities:* The chapter has won a cup in intramural basketball. Dreiman is junior track manager and Miller and Dunn are out for sophomore managerships in baseball and track. Crawford was elected to the Aeons board. McDaniels was recently initiated into  $\Phi \Delta \Phi$ , honorary law fraternity.

*Social Activities:* The regular second semester formal was held April 9.

*Chapter Visitors:* Hiram Keene, '21; John Schumaker, '24; Gilbert Alsop, '27; Keith Gordon, '31; James Car, '31.

ROBERT BISHOP

Indiana Beta, Wabash College

*Scholarship cup won again . . .*

*Phikeias:* Jack Jewett.

*Initiates:* April 2: Robert Blackburn, Walter Blackburn, Thomas Ball, Alden Cain, John Freeman, Raymond Robins, Charles Robertson, John Robertson, John Hays, Paul Whitney, Frank Gleaves, Charles Todd, Stuart Hartfelder.

*Chapter House Improvements:* The chapter room has been refurnished.

*Campus Activities:* Indiana Beta has for the second time in the last three semesters won the much coveted pan-hellenic scholarship cup. Carmack has been elected to the Sphinx Club. Clem and Clyde Hux are members of the varsity debate team. Wrona, Burkhart, and Smith, three regulars from last year, are again holding down their regular positions in the baseball lineup. Jack Davis, who was recently elected to  $\Pi \Delta E$ , an honorary journalism fraternity, is also serving in the capacity of sophomore baseball manager. Cain and Jurow, two promising freshmen baseball candidates, have been practicing regularly with the freshman team. Terron and Taylor are out for the golf team. Wheeler is out for spring football.

*Social Activities:* The chapter participated in a number of social affairs during the past month. The Miami Triad, February 27, was a pronounced success, with Amos Otstot and his orchestra from Indiana University furnishing the music. The new initiates enjoyed a splendid banquet which was prepared in their

honor. It is to serve in place of the customary initiation dance. A large group of alumni held a get-together meeting at the chapter house the last week in March. It is rumored that plans for remodeling the house were the main points of discussion.

*Chapter Visitors:* Brandy Freeman, '08; Hinkle Hays, '12; John Todd, *Indiana*, '04; Richard Robertson, '30; Ross Whitney, *Chicago*, '33; Harry Gilmore, *Franklin*, '21; Latney Barnes, traveling secretary.

In the past month, death has brought sorrow into the hearts of all Wabash men. Two of the college's foremost faculty members, Dr. George Lewes Mackintosh, president emeritus, and Professor George Henry Tapy, head of the department of education, have died.

STEUART D. SMITH

Indiana Delta, Franklin College

*Debating and dramatic honors*

*Phikeia:* Robert Leinberger, Columbus

*Campus Activities:* Surface, Staples, and Phikeias Owens and Brewer received sweaters in basketball. Kline and Phikeia Moser received minor awards. The high scorers of the team in order were: Owens, Brewer, and Surface. Surface made the second all-state team. Phikeias Cleveland, Cummings, and Robison have recently become members of the *Franklin* staff. Indiana Delta won the intramural basketball championship for the fifth straight year. Cox, Wheeler, and Gant made the all-star team. Johnson was fourth in scoring. Hiland and Phikeias Hughes, Cleveland, and Kramer also competed. Phikeia Asbell was captain of the negative debate team. Wheeler and Rowe have been elected to  $\Theta \Delta \Phi$ . Wheeler and Phikeia Moser are on the varsity baseball team. Cox, Surface, Hiland, Staples, Medsker, and Phikeias Dill, Robison, and Cummings will be out for varsity track. Everroad, Staples, and Phikeias Fries, Owens, and Kramer qualified for the final round of the free throw tournament. Phikeias Owens and Brewer are recent members of the "F" Men's Club. Phikeia Fries is student manager for varsity track and baseball.

*Social Activities:* The annual spring dance was held at the chapter house April 1. The date for the annual spring

drive at Heflin's camp has been announced as May 20.

*Chapter Visitors:* George Vandivier, '16; Raymond Blackwell, '24; Robert Cline, ex-'33; Roy Crum, ex-'34; Bayne Freeman, '30; Gregory Cox, '29; Oran Province, '98; Lowell Springer, *Purdue*, '29; Fred Robbins, ex-'31; Boone McDaniels, ex-'31; Elba Branigan, Sr., '92; Gerald Branigan, '20; LeRoy Cooke, '15; Llewellyn Oliver, '03; James Hofer, *Hanover*, '35; William Walter, *Kentucky*, '28; Hubert Thomasson, '28; Wendell Ballard, '27; Lennis Green, '28; Deane Dorwin, ex-'28; Herschel Skinner, '29; Eden Thurston, '09; William Boyd, *Indiana*, '32; Charles White, ex-'33; Noble Lyons, '27.

*Alumni Personals:* Warren Yount, '12, has been elected superintendent of the Bedford, Ind., schools. Walker Maguire, '31, is associated with Flinn and Henderson Mortuary of Franklin, Ind.

J. FRANCIS MEDSKER

Indiana Epsilon, Hanover College

*Host to Initiates' convention . . .*

*Initiates:* April 17: Van Earl Miller, Jr., Madison; Charles Montgomery, Kentland; John Marquis Harvey, Zionsville; James Corkey, Logansport; Vincent Guenther, Dan Marra, and Gordon Raney, Jeffersonville; Wesley Peltzer, Chicago, Ill.; Carl Harrell, LaGro; Brainard Platt, Jr., Louisville, Ky.

*Chapter House Improvements:* Mrs. Brainard Platt, of Louisville, mother of Phikeia Platt has decorated the guest room and added many small articles to the house's furnishings. Landscaping is going on much faster with the return of warm weather.

*Campus Activities:* Indiana Epsilon won the interfraternity basketball shield for the second consecutive year. A triumph next year will clinch the trophy permanently. Phikeia Harrell is the most promising pitcher thus far on the baseball squad, and several other Phis and Phikeias have secured berths.

*Social Activities:* Indiana Epsilon was host to the combined Kappa Province and New Initiates' convention April 30 and May 1. On Saturday evening, April 30, the visiting brothers were entertained with a dance. Throughout the afternoon

various trips were made to points of scenic and historic interests along the Ohio river. After the sessions Sunday morning a banquet was held at Clifty Inn, a beautiful summer hotel on a bluff high above the river.

*Chapter Visitors:* Brother and Mrs. Brainard Platt, Louisville, Ky.; Ralph Anderson, '31; Lyman Thayer, '31; Fred Robbins, *Franklin*, ex-'31.

JAMES T. SNYDER

Indiana Zeta, DePauw University

*Scholastic honors . . .*

*Initiates:* March 6: Joe Andrews, Huntington; Marshall Brown, Indianapolis; Meyer Jones, Hartford City; Floyd Placzek, Cicero, Illinois; Carl Papenhausen, Hinsdale, Illinois; William Hall, Evanston, Illinois; Richard LaGrange, Franklin; Robert Punskey, La-Porte; Edward Wilson, Rushville; and Eugene Stocker, Vincennes.

*Chapter House Improvements:* A drainage system has been installed in the chapter room. New curtains have been made for all the rooms downstairs. The tennis court has been prepared for the season, and the lawn is rapidly assuming its usual beauty under due care. New furniture has been added downstairs.

*Chapter Activities:* John E. Edwards and Charles S. Geiger were both elected to  $\Phi B K$ . Only twenty-one seniors were chosen to membership and the chapter is proud that it has two of them. Jones and Andrews were initiated into Oxford fellowship. Andrews is out for track managership. Placzek is out for baseball. Millett is a charter member of  $\Pi \Sigma A$ , political science honorary. Wilson made  $\Phi H \Sigma$ , honorary scholastic for freshmen. Punskey, Haggerty, and Stocker contributed to the success of this year's *Monon Review*, all-campus musical production. Plans for the *DePauw Phi* are under way.

*Alumni Personals:* Chester Jewett, '05, was elected president of the Indianapolis Alumni Club of DePauw University. Howell Ellis, '14, a member of the Indiana Public Service Commission, addressed a DePauw audience on public utility regulation. JOHN MILLETT

## Indiana Theta, Purdue University

*Initiation for twelve . .*

*New Officers:* R. R. Brunner, president; A. T. Mace, reporter; W. Morrison, chaplain; M. G. Kuoy, chorister; E. W. Ripy, secretary.

*Phikeias:* C. F. Callison, LaFayette; R. H. Davis, Winnetka, Ill.; E. Elliott, Jr., LaFayette; O. D. George, Oak Park, Ill.; P. E. Proctor, Piqua, Ohio; J. A. Rockwood, Indianapolis.

*Initiates:* E. T. Mariner, Bristol, Pa.; J. H. Turner, Louisville, Ky.; J. K. Gibson, Miami Beach, Fla.; R. B. Nagel, Philadelphia, Pa.; E. W. Ripy, Lawrenceburg, Ky.; C. D. Heldt, Evansville; J. W. Brockman, Brookville; W. M. Senecock, West LaFayette; J. T. Dalton, Fort Wayne; E. B. Heneby, Greenfield; W. J. Hammerstadt, Indianapolis; G. R. Clayton, LaFayette.

*Campus Activities:* M. G. Kuoy was initiated into  $\Pi T \Sigma$ , pledged to Scabbard and Blade, and to T B II. Hughes and Kiel were pledged to Gimlet Club. Lowery and Campbell received letters in varsity basketball. Lowery and Harmon are out for varsity tennis. Hughes was pledged to  $\Sigma \Delta X$ .

*Social Activities:* The annual formal was on March 12. Husk O'Hare and his band played. The initiation banquet was on April 9; after-dinner speakers included: Pres. E. C. Elliott, Prof. F. H. Hodge, J. B. Reynolds, F. Moorman, A. M. Bond, Jr., W. T. Harris, R. R. Brunner, E. P. Lowery, and J. H. Turner.

*Chapter Visitors:* Latney Barnes, traveling Secretary; Arthur Priest, Executive secretary; F. W. Lewis, '31.

## Iowa Alpha, Iowa Wesleyan College

*Additions to college endowment . .*

*New Officers:* C. Hall, president; Raucher, secretary; Dinsmore, reporter; Buckley, warden; Livix, alumni secretary; Panther, historian; Longnecker, chaplain; Coyer, treasurer; and J. Hall, rush captain and chorister.

*Phikeias:* John Joyce, Keokuk.

*Initiates:* March 20: Richard Longnecker, Council Bluffs; Merritt Smith,

Mt. Pleasant; Dwight Dinsmore, Hedrick; Austin Froom, Regina, Saskatchewan. March 24: Jack Gammon, Keokuk; Paul McCormick and Joe Hall, Mt. Pleasant.

*Chapter House Improvements:* A thorough spring cleaning has just been given the fraternity house, all members of the chapter taking part. Shrubbery has been planted before the house door and several improvements have been made in the chapter rooms. Iowa Alpha has purchased numerous articles of crested chinaware for table use and also a large quantity of new napkins.

*Campus Activities:* Gammon, Longnecker, Barry, J. Hall, C. Hall, Cullers, McCormick, Panther, Phikeias Rogers and Hoaglin are striving for places on the Wesleyan track team. Phikeia Rogers recently edited a freshman newspaper sponsored by his class. Dinsmore acted as managing editor for the paper. Gammon, Barry, and J. Hall recently received basketball letters awarded by the college. Each saw a great deal of active service. Arthur Priest visited the chapter April 6.

*Social Activities:* Iowa Alpha held her Founders' Day banquet March 15 at the fraternity house. Fifty-five active members, Phikeias, and alumni took part in the observance. A program featuring musical numbers, speeches and monologs was led by President Hingst as toastmaster. Iowa Wesleyan is sponsoring a guest week April 15-17, during which time seniors of the surrounding high schools are entertained at the fraternity houses and at several events arranged by the college. Iowa Alpha has selected the names of several prospective rushees to invite to this affair.

*Chapter Visitors:* Dale Caris, '31; Baron Crane, '16; Leon Gardner, '24; Elmer Gottschalg, '29; James Gray, '30; Bruce Rhode, '29; Harold Lamm, '30; H. Ford Leon, '28; W. A. Longnecker, '92; Walter Metcalf, '28; Waldo Phelps, '26; Wayne Peterson, '19; Halvor Scott, '27; Herbert Scott, '27; C. E. Smith, '10; Farron Turner, '29; Russell Weir, '14.

Iowa Wesleyan has recently received an endowment of \$25,000 from friends in New York City. Another endowment of \$25,000 was also received early this month from other friends. A thorough financial campaign has been waged by the college during the past two years.

JOHN B. LUNDGREN

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Iowa Beta, University of Iowa

Ten new Phis . . .

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*Phikeias:* Harry MacRoberts.

*Initiates:* March 6: Harry Richardson, Shenandoah; Robert Ingram, Albia; Dale Carrell, Keokuk; Thomas Corcoran, Rock Rapids; George Ficke, Davenport; Lewis Petersen, Sioux City; Arthur Johnston, Leon; Louis Corcoran, Rock Rapids; Hunter Michaels, Glen Ellyn, Ill.; Henry Romanow, Boston, Mass.

*Campus Activities:* Schammel, Johnson, Shunk, and T. Corcoran are out for spring football. Johnson and Corcoran have been awarded numerals for outstanding work in freshman football. Nye is a tennis player of high rank on the freshman team. Tom and Louis Corcoran were medal winners in the recent all-university track meet, Tom winning the 60-yard dash and the low hurdles, and Louis taking first place in the high hurdles event. Jackson and Jelsma are out for varsity track. McGuire placed third in the 100-yard dash in the recent Big Ten swimming meet. Michaels has been given the juvenile lead in the forthcoming commencement play, *The Harbor Light*. Sellmer served on the committee for the Senior Hop and Pain is on the committee for the Junior Prom. Brooks is a member of the debating team.

*Social Activities:* A Founders' Day Banquet was held at the chapter house April 3. The occasion was graced by the presence of Arthur R. Priest, Executive Secretary of the Fraternity, who spoke to a gathering of seventy-five members and alumni on "Phi Delta Theta Today." A formal dinner dance was held at Red Ball Inn March 19. Music was furnished by Glen Geneva and his Marigold Serenaders. A spring rushing party is planned for May 7.

*Chapter Visitors:* B. V. Moore, Don Phelps, A. C. Gerth, Don Griebing, Theodore Hutchinson, Don Hutchinson, Craven Shuttleworth, Frank Stewart, Emery Ruby, George Strouvie, and Robert Apple. DONALD W. ROCK

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Iowa Gamma, Iowa State College

Athletics booming . . .

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*Phikeias:* Vinson Krouse, Carrol.

*Campus Activities:* Paul Stark, Kenneth Ames, and Marlowe Williams are out for spring football. Jerry Feroe, Homer Clark, Robert Hawley, and William Russell are out for tennis. Richard Macy, Harlie Zimmerman, Robert Davis, and Herbert Howell are out for track. Phikeia Morse Bradford is track manager. William Russell was elected basketball manager. The actives won their first two games in the intramural volleyball tournament. They are second in total number of points for the year.

Ralph Gaines was appointed assistant sport editor on the *Iowa State Student* and Howard Sokol was appointed to the *Student* publication board.

Bernard S. Strom will represent Iowa Gamma at the Biennial Convention this summer. Herbert E. Shoemaker was elected treasurer to fill vacancy of Lawrence Hatfield.

*Social Activities:* The chapter entertained prospective rushees at a house dance April 16. A picnic sport dance will be held at the Country Club June 3.

*Chapter Visitors:* Arthur R. Priest, Executive Secretary; Dana Johnson, L. J. Doyle, Robert Focht, Robert Boag.

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Kansas Alpha, University of Kansas

Planning golden jubilee . . .

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*Chapter House Improvements:* A new leather suite for the lounge has been purchased.

*Campus Activities:* Paul Woodmansee, Pen and Scroll; Clarence Sifers, Quill Club; Marlin Poindexter, Wilson McCoy, and Mell Harper, spring football; Hall Taylor, Dick Weaver, and Charles Rogers, varsity track; John Hassig, second lieutenant in R.O.T.C.; Hall Taylor, Σ Γ Ε, honorary geological fraternity. The chapter is already making plans for the celebration of the fiftieth anniversary of the founding of Kansas Alpha November 5, 1882.

*Social Activities:* Rush Party at Ecke's Hall—April 15, Arlie Simmons playing.

*Chapter Visitors:* Dr. J. W. O'Bryon, '86; Dunkin Kimble, '28; L. L. Hurst,

'16; X. P. Smith, '20; Ray Zimmerman, '12.

*Alumni Personals:* Felix Manley has enrolled in the Yale Divinity School, New Haven, Connecticut; his address is 1836 Yale Station. Pi, Brother Cowles' kitty, who was so well liked by all who knew him, passed away March 16. Pi strayed to the house some five years ago, took a liking to the food and Brother Cowles, and has been here ever since. His passing is mourned by all. A memorial rose bed has been planted in the side yard to his memory.

OLIVER GEORGE CLAFLIN

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Kansas Beta, Washburn College

*Writing Bar Association laws . . .*

*Phikeias:* Dan Emrich, Topeka; Eugene Vogel, Ness City; Halsey Oliver, Joplin, Mo.

*Initiates:* February 21: Robert Tietz, Kansas City; Howard Ware, Severance; Kieth Guail, Topeka; Ed Chapman, Topeka; Paul Dean, Richfield; Allen Lonker, Ashland; Robert Miller, Topeka; Forrest Bearg, Sabetha; Charles Joss, Topeka; Don Reese, Topeka; John McCullough, Belleville.

*Campus Activities:* Don Linton had the lead in a short play presented on Washburn Day. Bill Adams is one of the high scorers on the Washburn swimming team. Clem Silvers was one of the committee chosen to write a constitution and by-laws for the Washburn Bar Association. The Phi Delt basketball team is showing up well in intramural competition. Forrest Bearg, Robert Tietz, Dan Emrich, Halsey Oliver, and Eugene Vogel are out for spring football.

*Social Activities:* Silvers, Cofer, Tietz, and Fleming submitted to a blood transfusion for Mr. E. A. Thomas who is very ill. Founders' Day dinner at the chapter house March 14.

*Alumni Personals:* Floyd Cossman, '23, is chairman of the Clark County Republican committee. Bernard Peterson, '30, is employed in the offices of the Federal Court, Wichita division.

CLEM H. SILVERS

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Kansas Gamma, Kansas State College

*Athletics, forensics . . .*

*Initiates:* Howard Hartman, Hoisington; J. B. Johnson, Olsburg; Vernon Wiksten, Topeka; Harold Neubauer, Kansas City; Ernest Luder, Caldwell; Walter LaMaster, Perryton, Texas; Donalds Landon and Homer Taylor, Topeka.

*Campus Activities:* Milton Ehrlich, holder of the Big Six outdoor high jump record, won the Big Six indoor meet at Columbia with a jump of 6 feet 1 $\frac{3}{4}$  inches. Boyd, a sophomore, was awarded his varsity letter in basketball; he was a regular guard on the Kansas State team and was the high scoring guard in the conference. Ehrlich was chosen by the student body of the college as the best activity man on the campus; his picture will be placed at the front of the activity section. LaMaster and Phikeia Waddell are out for varsity spring football practice. Landon is a member of the varsity track team and won third place in the mile at the Big Six indoor meet; Taylor and Fleming are also out for a track. Ewing is a member of the college debate team. Boyd is regular first baseman on the varsity baseball team. Sartorius is a likely candidate for a position on the varsity tennis team. Ewing has joined  $\Pi K \Delta$ , national forensic fraternity.

*Social Activities:* Kansas Gamma held its annual spring formal at the Wareham hotel March 19. Several members of Kansas Beta attended the party.

*Chapter Visitors:* George Davidson, Lynn Fayman and "Red" Davidson, Kansas City; Charles Gove, Topeka; Phil Thatcher, Frankfort; Edgar Durham, Galveston, Texas; Harold Hughes, Topeka; Harold Stump, Blue Rapids; Del and Dallas Price, Wakefield; Paul Jackson and Montgomery Downer, Topeka; William Hacker, Medford, Oklahoma; Dave Horchem, Ransom; Holly Reichert, Valley Falls; Walter E. Dickerson, Kansas City; Frank O'Daniel, Osborne; Emmett Smalley, Kansas City. Dr. John W. Elliot, secretary of social education for the Baptist church of Philadelphia, visited at the house, April 3. Elliot is a Phi from Colgate University and is engaged in giving world forum talks.

FRANCIS BOYD

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Kentucky Epsilon, University of Kentucky

*Intramural champions . . .*

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*Campus Activities:* Phikeia Phil Ardery will take the part of the freshman in the forthcoming production of the musical comedy, *Good News*, by the "Strollers." Phikeia Ardery is also a member of the University debating team. The  $\Phi \Delta \Theta$  basketball team, composed of Parrish, Hubble, Eversole, Jones, and Carvill, won the division championship of the spring intramural athletics. At the beginning of the spring football practice, Parrish was changed from the position of guard to tackle on the varsity team.

*Chapter Visitors:* Arthur R. Priest, Executive Secretary, visited the house March 7. EMMETT D. WHIPPLE

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Louisiana Alpha, Tulane University

*Athletically active . . .*

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*Campus Activities:* In the annual Panhellenic track meet we encountered stiff competition and placed twelfth. Allan Little placed fourth in the mile run while Tessier came third in the shot put and second in the discus. In the tryouts, for the freshman golf squad, Weston Segura led the field, with Phikeia Robert Daray in second place. In the varsity golf competition Jack Schwab won fourth place while Jesse Rainwater was first Schwab, Segura, Lafaye, and Phikeia Daray are our Panhellenic golfers and stand a good chance to win.

*Social Activities:* We had a very enjoyable dance at the chapter house April 2, and enjoyed having Phikeia Grace of Alabama Alpha, and some visiting Virginia Phis as our guests.

*Chapter Visitors:* William Hogan, Auburn, '28, Warren Hebert, M.D., '30, Quealy Walker, '30, Mike Gibbons, '25, Kuntz Walker, Alabama, '32.

*Alumni Personals:* Warren Hebert who is associated with the Mayo Brothers Hospital in Rochester, Minn., returned for a two weeks visit recently. William Holt who represents the Fleet Phosphate Soda Company is now staying with us while on business here in New Orleans. JESSE G. RAINWATER, JR.

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Maine Alpha, Colby College

*Scholastic position up . . .*

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*Initiates:* March 2: Donald F. Larkin, Donald F. Richardson, John J. Coyne, Alvin L. Vose.

*Chapter House Improvements:* A new radio has been bought and installed in the smoking room. The furniture in the living room has been repaired.

*Campus Activities:* Violette is captain-elect of football. Captain Wilson, Ross, Robitaille, Violette and Hill made their letters on Colby's first State Championship hockey team. Wilson was reelected captain, and Hill reelected manager. Amidon and Logan are assistant managers. Bevin is on the relay team, while Perkins is a consistent winner in the dashes. McDonald played freshman hockey. Walker and Terry played varsity basketball. Fencer is on the varsity bowling team.  $\Phi \Delta \Theta$ 's scholastic standing rose from sixth to fourth place among the national fraternities on campus. Lawrence is editor of the *White Mule*. Walker, Holden, Hill, and Terry are on the *White Mule* staff. Larkin has been elected a reporter on the *Echo*. Acierno has been awarded his letter as head cheer leader. Smith was reelected leader of the college band. Robinson and Pinson are members of the Mathematics club. Perkins received a bid to  $K \Phi K$ , honorary educational society. Pinson is president of the Druids, junior honor society. Smith Vose, and Progolaski are members of the Glee Club. Grant is manager of varsity track, and Malliaros, Fencer, and Coyne are assistant managers. Richardson, Stiegler, and Brown are out for track. Walker, Amidon, Holden, and Ross are out for varsity baseball.

*Chapter Visitors:* C. S. Giles, '30; L. H. Stebbins, '30; C. W. Baxter, '25; Dr. J. G. Towne, '01; B. C. Shaw, '30; and D. O. Smith, '22.

*Alumni Personals:* In the recent municipal elections D. O. Smith, '22, was elected city treasurer of Waterville, Me.

ROBERT K. WALKER

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Manitoba Alpha, University of Manitoba

*Many class representatives . . .*

*Phikeias:* J. W. Monson, Assinaboia, Saskatchewan; H. G. Yelland, Minaki, Ontario.

*New Officers:* President, J. A. MacDougall; secretary, E. W. Hawkins; warden, Wilson F. Iverson; reporter, J. H. Wiley; treasurer, R. M. Browse; historian, J. E. Thompson; chaplain, E. C. Broderick; chorister, R. G. McCulloch; house manager, C. M. Partridge; alumni secretary, N. S. Bergman; convention delegate, J. A. MacDougall; alternate, William Benidickson.

*Campus Activities:* Lane, manager of the arts faculty swimming team, is participating in the provincial championship meet. J. S. MacDairmid is manager of curling for the arts faculty. Musgrove has been reelected to the athletic directorate. Jack Thompson has been appointed editor-in-chief of the *Manitoban*, the student weekly. Howard Hutton has been appointed assistant treasurer of the Students' Union. Benidickson has been elected president of the Glee Club. Hawkins is the new junior representative from United Colleges on the Student Council. Thompson is newly elected president of the junior class in arts. Norm. Bergman is treasurer of arts and junior member on the council of that faculty. Browse is secretary of science. Phikeia Bergman is sophomore representative on the arts mens' club. Jack MacDougall is president of the social committee in medicine.

*Social Activities:* A house party was held on March 12 following the game between the University of North Dakota basketball team and the Winnipeg "Toilers." A very successful Mothers' Tea was held on April 2.

*Chapter Visitors:* "Boomer" Dablow, "Rip" Dablow, Mullens, Secord, Smith, all of the North Dakota basketball team; Dick Asher, *British Columbia*; R. A. Emerson, '31. J. H. WILEY

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Maryland Alpha, University of Maryland

*Many in lacrosse . . .*

*Phikeias:* Jack Horner, William Genter, Jr., Samuel Brooks, Ralph Rogers,

David Schrivner, Washington, D.C.; Paul Bauer, John Stafford, F. F. Freeland, Malcolm Mooers, Baltimore; William Bozman, Oriole; E. Nichols, Jr., Pikesville; R. Bryant, Takoma Park; George Farrell, Chevy Chase.

*Initiates:* March 11: John Fisher, Robert Thomas, William Lowe, Washington, D.C.; William Karow, Jean Ferguson, Baltimore; W. L. Thompson, Rehobeth.

*Campus Activities:* Fred Invernizzi is again playing regular goalie on the varsity lacrosse team. Harry Penn is assistant manager of varsity lacrosse and has just been elected president of the interfraternity council. He has also been elected chapter representative to the general convention. Charles Rittenhouse is playing defense on the varsity lacrosse team. William Karow and Phikeias Bauer, Bryant, and Stafford are playing freshman baseball. W. L. Thompson and Phikeia Freeland are out for freshman track. Phikeias Horner and Farrell are out for freshman lacrosse. Norman Prince has been elected representative to the  $\Pi \Delta E$  convention to be held in Washington, D.C. Denzel Davis is scrubbing for manager of lacrosse and Ernest Wooden is scrubbing for manager of track.

*Social Activities:* Our Founders' Day banquet proved to be quite a success; Chief Justice McReynolds and other prominent Phis were present. The social chairman is now making plans for a spring formal which is to be held May 13.

*Chapter Visitors:* Edmund Brower, '31; Harry Hess, '31; Don Miller, '31; Madison Lloyd, '30; Douglas Weasche, '31; Robert Beall, '31; Harold Robinson, '31. NORMAN E. PRINCE

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Michigan Alpha, University of Michigan

*Fourteen pledges announced . . .*

*Phikeias:* Thomas D. Austin, Columbus, Ohio; H. Pearson Beebe and W. Rodes Clay, Ann Arbor; Everett C. Copley, Kenmore, N.Y.; Charles L. Ebert, Sandusky, Ohio; Theodore P. Foster, Lansing; Russell J. Fuog, Chicago, Ill.; Clark F. Hannon, Buffalo, N.Y.; Frederic S. Hosler, Huntington, Ind.; Martin Newcomer, Woodbridge, N.J.; Don A. Pomeroy, Cleveland, Ohio;

Marvin Preston, Detroit; Lee Charles Shaw, Coldwater; Walter J. Smith, Detroit.

*Initiate:* February 24: Thomas D. Coleman.

*Campus Activities:* Petrie, Hole, and Wistert are working out with the varsity baseball squad and will probably see a great deal of action in the coming season. Wistert shows great potentialities as a pitcher. Phikeia Hosler is also doing some excellent pitching on the freshman baseball team.  $\Phi \Delta \Theta$  is well represented in spring football practice. Fiske is a junior manager. Cantrill is the leading candidate for a berth at guard. Phikeias Austin and Fuog are outstanding linemen. Phikeia Shaw in addition to reaching the finals in the all-campus boxing tournament is out for football. Wilson won a letter in wrestling and was one of the outstanding wrestlers in the Big Ten. Klein is all-campus wrestling champion in the 155-pound class. The gymnastic team includes Phikeia Clay. Phikeia Ebert is playing in the varsity band and is on the lower business staff of the *Daily*. Phikeia Newcomer is working on the monthly humorous publication, the *Gargoyle*.

*Chapter Visitors:* Edward R. Vinapol, '30; Robert Whitworth, '30; George W. Hitt, '33.

*Alumni Personals:* The Founders' Day Banquet and annual alumni meeting were held at the chapter house March 12. Bruce Anderson, '13, officiated as toastmaster. The guest of honor was Henry A. ("Bucky") Sanders, '90, newly appointed chairman of the department of speech and linguistics in the University. Brother Sanders, former chapter adviser, has recently returned from a three-year sojourn in Rome where he was acting director of the American School of Classical Studies. The banquet provided a pleasant opportunity for "Bucky" to renew old acquaintances and served as a most enjoyable get-together for both the active members and the alumni. W. H. HARRIS

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Michigan Beta, Michigan State College

*Student Council presidency . . .*

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*New Officers:* Douglas Linder, president; Donald Berles, house manager;

Harry Lawford, treasurer; Robert Nelson, steward.

*Phikeias:* Richard Simpkins, Grand Rapids.

*Chapter House Improvements:* The contract for landscaping and sodding of the lawn has been let. Work is to start soon.

*Campus Activities:* Frank Conover has been appointed president of the Student Council to serve the remainder of this year. Dick Porter was elected sophomore member of the council. Lawford, catcher, and MacCaslin, pitcher, made the southern trip with the ball club. Stickle and Linder have been initiated into Scabbard and Blade. Dunford is freshman baseball manager. The spring convention of Iota Province will be held here April 22-24.

*Social Activities:* The annual winter formal was held March 12. About 60 couples attended, many of them alumni.

*Chapter Visitors:* C. Hood, '17; C. Snyder, '13; MaGrath, Iowa; Butler, Oregon State.

*Alumni Personals:* H. E. Aldrich has recently become affiliated with the Water Tube Boiler Company in New York City. His position is executive secretary.

FRANKLIN MILLER

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Minnesota Alpha, University of Minnesota

*Sixteen pledges . . .*

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*New Officers:* Clifford Sommer, president; William Hoeft, secretary; Robert Miner, house manager, Vergil Licht, chaplain.

*Phikeias:* Marshall Taft, Minneapolis; Tom Bragdon, Middletown, Connecticut; Irwin Burg, Milwaukee, Wisconsin; Donald Comer, Howard Lake; John Donahower and Lloyd Dreveskracht, St. Paul; Morris Cooke, Rochester; Ralph Edison, Kasson; Keith MacIntyre and Sterling Norbeck, Minneapolis; James O'Connor, Iowa; Robert Parrish, St. Paul; Howard Shaw, Minneapolis; Russell Stuebing, Chicago, Illinois; George Taylor and Leslie Grant, Minneapolis.

*Initiate:* Charles Reif, Minneapolis.

*Activities:* Minnesota Alpha's basketball team for the sixth consecutive year won the all-university championship. The intramural participation trophy for 1930-1931 was awarded to the chapter. It marks the second year in succession that

Φ Δ Θ has won this trophy indicative of participation in varsity sports and of participation and success in intramural sports. The Harvard Trophy of Φ Δ Θ has for the second successive year been awarded to Minnesota Alpha. Richard Morean has been selected to lead the Senior Prom. Edward McAfee was eighth in line at the Junior Ball. McAfee, George Holliday, James Eriksson, Nels Stalheim, and George Doyle were members of committees arranging for the Junior Ball. William Deutsche helped plan the Sophomore Frolic. Marshall Taft assists the chairman of the general arrangements committee for the Freshman Hop. George Taylor, Tom Bragdon, and Keith MacIntyre also have committee positions for the Hop. Robert Meek was a member of the cast for Shakespeare's *Julius Caesar* presented by the department of Dramatics. Nels Stalheim, social chairman, made arrangements for the winter formal of Φ Δ Θ, which was held at the Hotel Lowry, St. Paul. The Mothers' and Wives' Club of Φ Δ Θ held a benefit bridge party April 1. The annual Founders' Day banquet was held at the Leamington Hotel. Dr. C. H. Prosser gave the main address of the evening, his subject being "The Public Duty of an Educated Man." A trio composed of Chester Sitz, George Holliday, and Morris Cooke gave musical numbers.

*Alumni:* Wellington Tully, Law, '31, is to marry Prudence Harrington in early autumn. The bride-elect is a member of Α Γ.

JAMES W. FESLER, II

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Mississippi Alpha, University of Mississippi

*These freshman managers . . .*

*Campus Activities:* Frank Everett was selected a member of the Hall of Fame, the highest honor that can come to an "Ole Miss" senior, and was elected by a unanimous vote president of the Associated Student Body for next year. He is now president of the Y.M.C.A. His election to the student body presidency along with the election of Fred Glass as news editor of the *Mississippian* gives the chapter two of the chief offices on the campus for next year. On a recent glee club trip were three members of Mississippi Alpha: George A. Everett, Dave Fraiser, and Douglas Nash

were members of the chorus and Everett sang bass in the "Campus Serenaders," the club quartet. Wilburn Hooker is freshman football manager, George K. Wade freshman baseball manager, Dave Fraiser basketball manager and Hugh Potts freshman track manager; all have been promoted to sophomore managerships for the next season. Hooker will also serve as Mississippi Alpha's representative in the Cardinal Club for next year. Chester Curtiss and Fred Glass are on the track team. Billy Thomas is a catcher on the varsity baseball team.

*Activities:* The spring dance will be given April 29. FRED M. GLASS

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Missouri Alpha, University of Missouri

*Athletics and journalism . . .*

*New Officers:* Hughes R. Barton, president and delegate to the biennial convention; Frank Faxon, alternate.

*Campus Activities:* Beachy was elected president of Α Κ Ψ. Farmer was initiated into Tri Chi. Faxon is a candidate for councilman from the Journalism School. Chorn and Murray are out for spring football. Farmer, varsity letterman of last year in baseball, is holding down his regular position this year. Henry lettered in varsity basketball. Payne and Ready are out for track. Chorn was initiated into Tomb and Key. Hoover was elected president of Stripes and Diamonds. Brown and Owen are showing up well in varsity polo. Foster is out for freshman polo. Ready received his numerals in freshman basketball. Foster was elected recording secretary and historian of the sophomore council. Winter was appointed associate editor of the *Missouri Student*, campus weekly.

*Social Activities:* The Miami Triad party, March 18 was highly successful.

The chapter entertained with a formal dance at the house April 8, followed by a tea dance the next afternoon. Many alumni and rushees were present.

*Chapter Visitors:* Karl Goetz, '31; Compton Tucker, '30; Franc A. Barada, '30; Thornton Arnold, '31; Howard Flentge, ex-'33; J. W. Reading, ex-'34; Charles E. Shepherd, '31.

R. M. JOHNSTON, JR.

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Missouri Beta, Westminster College

*Portrait of Father Morrison . . .*

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*Phikeias:* Ray Oram, St. Louis; George Penzil, Jackson.

*Chapter House Improvements:* The chapter has recently purchased an oil painting of Father Morrison with the money contributed by the mothers last year. This is especially appropriate since Father Morrison was actively connected in the founding of this chapter.

*Campus Activities:* S. Gordon, Mow, Roth, Todd, and Vaughan have recently been elected to  $\Pi K \Delta$ , national forensic society. R. Acuff, Clayton, Crews, Fuchs, Miller, Mow, Rice, Rowland, Seidell, and Thompson are out for track. Mow has just been elected vice-president of the Y.M.C.A. Baker is a likely candidate for the golf team, and Vaughan a probable member of the tennis team. The chapter is at the present time leading by good margins in both Panhellenic and intramural athletics. Dick, S. Gordon, Clayton, and Roth have recently taken active part in a series of one-act plays presented by Jabberwocky, local dramatic organization. S. Gordon placed second in the poetry reading festival at Northwestern University March 24-25. The chapter observed Founders' Day with a trip to Father Morrison's grave and the customary Founders' Day exercises there.

*Social Activities:* Missouri Beta recently had the great pleasure of entertaining Russell L. Dearmont, *Missouri*, '14, Democratic candidate for Governor of Missouri while he was in Fulton en route to St. Louis. The formal dance of the year, held March 12 at the chapter house, was a huge success with the music furnished by Brother Slatz Randall and his famous Brunswick recording orchestra. At present extensive plans are being made for the largest Mothers' Day celebration ever held here at the chapter. J. C. Acuff and Charles Phillips represented the chapter at Founders' Day banquet of the Kansas City Alumni Club. During spring vacation, a most successful rush party was held at the home of Brother Dick in St. Louis. About forty prospective rushees were present.

*Chapter Visitors:* C. F. Lamkin, '99; C. F. Lamkin, Jr., '29; Latney Barnes, '31; James McCoy, '32; Stanley Stuart,

'33; Arvid Owsley, '33; R. B. Thompson, '33; Frank McCoy, '33.

*Alumni Personals:* Peyton Talbott, '32, has made a name for himself on the track at the Los Angeles Athletic Club and ranks high as a choice for the high hurdles in the coming Olympics.

TERRELL VAUGHAN

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Missouri Gamma, Washington University

*Musical comedy by alumnus . . .*

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*Campus Activities:* Koerner, McDougal, Elam, Curtis, and Phikeia McMurray are out for spring football. Schoenthaler and Stoffer are on the track squad. Pratt and Ledbetter earned their swimming letters. Carson, Chapman, and Jones were initiated into  $\Phi \Delta \Phi$ , professional in law. Matteson, Crull, and Phikeia Powers are varsity baseball managers. Bickel is on the baseball squad. Schoenthaler and Stoffer are on the varsity track team, managed by Carson, Simpson, and Hamson. Ledbetter is the featured star of *Look Who's Here*, the annual musical comedy production, written by Carleton S. Hadley, *Washington*, '27. Stoffer is business manager of the show.

*Social Activities:* There will be a chapter house dance April 29. The Mothers' Club is giving a bridge party April 11, the proceeds to be used for chapter house improvements.

*Chapter Visitors:* Cart Dix and Ernest Jensen, *Denison*, '34; Strubling, *Minnesota*; Wittwer, *Akron*.

CHARLES M. BABINGTON, JR.

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New York Alpha, Cornell University

*Initiation banquet given . . .*

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*Phikeia:* Fred M. Alexander, Albany. *Initiates:* February 27: Thomas C. Borland, William D. Dugan, Joseph E. Fleming, Jr., Barrett L. Gallagher, George R. Kennaday, Paul E. McNamara, Frederick G. Miller, Henry A. Rogers, Jr., Arthur C. Rodgers, John Sullivan, Jr., James D. Tate.

*Campus Activities:* Draney is now practicing with the varsity baseball team. Dugan won his freshman numerals in basketball. Tom Borland was elected to

the freshman cap-burning committee. Luxford was elected to the sophomore smoker committee. McKane is chairman of the senior prom committee. Gallagher is rowing with the 150-pound crew. He is also active in dramatics. Sullivan is on the competition for managership of varsity football. Smart is on the committee for the R.O.T.C. horse show.

*Social Activities:* The annual initiation banquet was held February 27 in honor of the newly initiated men. The toastmaster was Conant VanBlarcom, '08. The principal address was given by William J. Dugan, '07. The address to the initiates was given by Arthur H. Ross, '32, and the response was by Paul E. McNamara, '35. It was a very successful banquet.

*Chapter Visitor:* Bob Homan, '29.

DAVID V. BURNS

New York Epsilon, Syracuse University

*Commanding a navy . . .*

*New Officers:* Bickerstaff, president; McKaig, warden; Papworth, convention delegate.

*Initiates:* Eugene Anthony, Moravia; George M. Bell, Johnson City; Fredrick Gaurdineer, Albany; Leon Harvath, Nanticoke, Pa.; Lindley Munro and Stanley Smitten, Lynbrook; Victor Vogelbacher, Clark Summit, Pa.; Gilbert H. Voorhees, Corona. Anthony and Gaurdineer are sons of Phis from this chapter.

*Campus Activities:* Retiring senator Herbert Tompkins was elected the best dressed man on the campus in a recent poll of the senior class. Bickerstaff was elected senator from fine arts for the coming year. Gaurdineer was a member of the freshman boxing squad. McKaig, as one of the varsity coxswains, is steering a shell in and out among ice floes and logs which are floating down the river with the late spring breakup. Butterworth gets his daily workout as vice-commodore of the Syracuse navy.

*Social Activities:* The annual spring formal is tentatively scheduled for April 29.

*Chapter Visitors:* Ken Savidge, '28; "Dutch" Feldon, ex-'29.

J. RAYMOND BUTTERWORTH

North Carolina Alpha, Duke University

*Initiates from nine states . . .*

*Initiates:* Warren P. Armstrong, Fort Bragg; John S. Bell, Charlotte; Harry W. Bottonf, Owensboro, Ky.; William M. Cortner, Greenwood, Miss.; William P. Dodd, Swarthmore, Pa.; Daniel K. Edwards, Durham; Robert R. Feagin, Macon, Ga.; Lyne S. Few, Durham; Richard C. Herbert, Harrisburg, Pa.; Russell C. Herbert, Hagerstown, Md.; Henry J. Lamar, Macon, Ga.; Lee S. Leake, Chicago, Ill.; David W. Martin, West Palm Beach, Fla.; William H. Moorhead, Goldville, S.C.; Stuart Smith, Newport, Pa.; and Lawson Tate, Banner Elk.

*Chapter House Improvements:* A new rug covering the entire floor of the chapter room has been laid. Also an attractive window seat has been placed at one end of the room.

*Campus Activities:* Elections are almost at hand and North Carolina Alpha is taking an active part and is supporting several men from the chapter. J. Dunlap, E. B. Dunlap, and Howell are out for spring wrestling practice. Coombs, Weaver, and Phikeia Hendrickson are on the varsity baseball squad and have played in several games this year. Bell is out for freshman baseball. Means and Phikeia Crawford are on the track team. Lawver and Ewell are members of the water polo squad and seem slated for letters in swimming. Dick Herbert is assistant manager of basketball and is also working on the staff of the paper. Ewell is putting out his trial issue in the competition for editorship of the paper. Horne is running for student body president and business manager of the university annual; he is now secretary-treasurer of the Men's Association. Weaver is running for president of the junior class; at present he is a member of the student council. A team has been entered in the intramural bowling tournament. The rushing school has been started and will last the rest of the spring.

*Social Activities:* The chapter gave its annual house party this year at Morehead. Two more of the regular Friendship Hours have been held for campus alumni and friends of the chapter. The spring initiation was held March 12, fol-

lowed by a formal banquet and alumni breakfast. We were fortunate in having with us at that time Brother Priest, who stayed at Duke for several days. On the following day, there was a meeting of the alumni of the chapter and the North Carolina Alpha Investment Fund was started.

*Chapter Visitors:* W. A. Brownell, *Allegheny*; M. L. Black, Jr.; C. R. Anderson, *Georgia*; J. C. Hanes, J. P. Coie, *Washington*; R. L. LaGrange, *Franklin*; E. C. Daniel, Jr., *North Carolina*; N. K. Horne, Jr., *Mississippi*; C. C. Ross, A. R. Priest, *DePauw*; G. Y. Ragsdale, *North Carolina*; D. Armstrong, *Columbia*; F. C. Brownell, *Chicago*; C. S. Clegg, H. W. Fowler, A. J. Knight, L. Fritchey, George Hoopy, Robert Hayes.  
GEORGE EWELL, JR.

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North Carolina Beta, University of  
North Carolina

*Freshmen to publish paper . . .*

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*New Officers:* Irvin Tucker, reporter; John Acee, chaplain; William Allsbrook, rush chairman.

*Phikeia:* Allen Jervie, Tryon.

*Chapter House Improvements:* A number of the loyal alumni under the able direction of Judge Earle Reeves, Greensboro, have presented the chapter with the funds for badly needed chapter room equipment. This equipment was installed in readiness for the spring initiation April 2.

*Campus Activities:* E. C. Daniel was recently elected to the second highest office on the campus, vice-president of the student body; he was chosen by a unanimous vote; Daniel is also one of the junior class dance leaders and, along with Acee, Davis, and Phikeia Bolton, an active editor of the *Tar Heel* staff, of which publication Barrow is prominent in the business staff. Phikeia Bolton is on the fencing team, in the Playmakers, secretary of his class, an active worker in the Y and in his literary society. Phikeia Wolslagel made the frosh baseball team, is in the Glee Club and is probably the most accomplished violinist on the Hill; Acee, Allsbrook, and Hutchinson are leaders in the Y; Mann made the Glee Club; the Sullivan twins are mainstays on the track team; the chapter led the fraternities in contribu-

tions to the student loan fund. The chapter made an excellent record in the intramural basketball league, losing to the champions by one point. Most gratifying of all has been the steady rise of the chapter's scholarship standing; Torian, Barrow, Daniel, L. Sullivan, H. Sullivan, and Phikeia Hall made the Honor Roll for the winter quarter.

*Social Activities:* The winter festival dances, led by Fonvielle, are still the talk of the campus. Enloe and Phikeia Hershey are our representatives on the festival steering committee for next year; Fonvielle, Allsbrook, and Daniel have important dance positions for the spring dances. For the first time the chapter will issue a paper this spring published by the Phikeias under the supervision of Roland Parker.

*Chapter Visitors:* A. R. Priest, Executive Secretary, and Mrs. Priest led the large number of friends who have visited us this spring. IRVIN B. TUCKER

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North Dakota Alpha, University of North  
Dakota

*Phi Beta Kappa father and son . . .*

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*Phikeias:* John Bacon, Cando; Noland Franz, Grand Forks.

*Initiates:* March 7: John Kehoe, Cando; Lawrence Knauf, Moorhead, Minn.

*Campus Activities:* The basketball season closed with Mullen, Smith, and G. Dablow as regulars and R. Dablow and Secord as substitutes. Phikeias Stevens, Knutson, and Olsen were awarded numerals for frosh basketball, and Phikeia Collins received a numeral for frosh football. Two varsity boxing championships were won, Hilde winning in the lightweight division and Phikeia Gillis taking featherweight honors. Knauf is taking his place on the track squad in the 100- and 200-yard dashes and in the relays. All efforts are being made to win the intramural participation trophy for which we now have the lead. Phis received their share of scholastic honors this year with Revell, winner of the Ruud Scholarship, also being elected to B  $\Gamma$   $\Sigma$ . Duane Traynor was elected to  $\Phi$  B K. An interesting fact is that Duane responded to the toast for the initiates while his father, Fred Traynor, Sr., '04, gave the address for the  $\Phi$  B K alumni. Phikeia Gill made  $\Phi$  H  $\Sigma$ , honorary

freshmen scholarship fraternity. Nordmarken was cast in the leading rôle of the Playmaker production of *Cock Robin*. Fred Traynor, Jr., also had an important part, while Grimson acted as stage manager. Ray Argue was elected captain of the varsity rifle squad of which he has been a member for three years. Eynon is floor manager of the engineers' ball. Richmond has been elected secretary-treasurer of the Mystic Order of Lubricators. Phis of the senior and sophomore classes won Carney attendance trophies.

*Social Activities:* The annual Founders' Day banquet was held March 13 in the house. An Easter party was held at the house the last day of vacation, March 28, with the "Varsity Five" providing the music.

*Chapter Visitors:* Carl Schwenkmier, Ohio State.

*Alumni Personals:* G. Grimson, '02, is now in Denmark seeking to establish a new airline from Iceland to Denmark after having successfully obtained a similar concession from the United States to Iceland. John H. Blain, '28, was married to Eleanor Swanson in Omaha, March 29. He is working with C. H. Robinson Fruit Brokerage of Omaha. Hugh Baird, '30, is now coaching and teaching at Dodge Center, Minnesota.

GEO. BLAIN

Ohio Alpha, Miami University

*High in scholarship . . .*

*New Officers:* President, James Beardsley; recording secretary and chorister, Richard Jennings; alumni secretary and chaplain, Reed Prugh; reporter, Louis Frechtling; treasurer, William Hughey; warden, John Friend; historian, Angus Shearer.

*Campus Activities:* Weinland was initiated into  $\Phi$  B  $\Kappa$  and Phiikeias Goebel and Murphy into  $\Phi$  H  $\Sigma$ . Beardsley, Runyon, and Frechtling are new members of  $\Phi$  B  $\Phi$ , journalism honorary. Weinland is the outgoing president and Runyon the new vice-president. Ireland was initiated into  $\Delta$   $\Phi$   $\Delta$ , art professional fraternity. Weinland is on the senior ball committee and Snyder aided on the Junior Prom. Robert Barrett was picked as chairman of the senior class committee on caps and gowns. Three of the seven

basketball letters awarded went to Phis: Robert Barrett, Richard Barrett, and Cheadle. Phiikeias Bacon and Burnett made their numerals in the cage sport. Curningham received his manager award. Reporting for baseball under Boyd Chambers, new coach, are Richard Barrett, catcher; Hutchinson, Shearer, and Robert Barrett, outfielders. Phiikeia Prugh is a candidate for third base on the yearling squad. Seven Phis are working for berths on the track and field team. Cheadle, Meyer, Russell, Greene, Jones, Ames, and Wetherbee. Phiikeia Hydeaman, fast frosh cross-country man, is running the long distances. Hutchinson and Greene represented the chapter in the intramural handball tourney and lasted to the quarter-finals. The chapter was well up in the finish of the indoor track meet. Jones at center, Meyer and Russell, backs, and Phiikeia Kaiser at guard looked good in spring football practice. The *Reminder*, chapter publication, will appear about May 10. Hughey and Frechtling are on the *Recensio* (yearbook) staff. The chapter stood second in the scholarship ratings of social fraternities for the first semester of the present year.

*Social Activities:* Ohio Alpha joined with the other parent chapters of the Miami Triad in the annual dance on April 9. Michael Hauer's orchestra played. Lane was the Phi representative on the committee. An informal house dance was given April 30 with the delegates to province convention as guests.

*Alumni Personals:* John G. Welsh, '02, was reappointed to the board of trustees of the University. Jack Cheadle, '31, after coaching his Defiance high school basketball squad through the state tournament, visited with the chapter. Tom McNeil, '30, Cincinnati, is the proud father of a Leap Year baby, Gayle, born February 29. John Mee, '30, has introduced wrestling as an intramural sport at the University of Maine, where he is a graduate assistant in psychology.

LOUIS E. FRECHTLING

Ohio Beta, Ohio Wesleyan University

*Many honoraries represented . . .*

*New Officers:* Lewis Critchfield, alumni secretary; Herbert Whitacre, treasurer.

*Campus Activities:* Dodge has been selected for the leading rôles in the next two university dramatic productions, *Berkeley Square* and *As You Like It*. Dodge was also recently initiated into  $\Theta A \Phi$ , honorary dramatic fraternity. Samuell was initiated into  $\Pi \Delta E$ , journalism honorary. Babbs has been pledged to  $\Phi M A$ , honorary music organization, and to  $\Delta \Sigma P$ , forensic honorary. Cottingham was initiated into  $K \Delta \Pi$ , education honorary, at a recent meeting of that group. Five freshmen brothers were elected to  $\Phi$  society, local underclass scholastic fraternity; they include Als-pach, Austin, Eckler, Newby, and Davis. Intramurals have been claiming the attention of many of the brothers for some time. The chapter won the B class basketball championship, while several brothers won individual awards. Sayres won both the boxing and wrestling championships in the heavy-weight division, while R. Soper won the boxing championship in his division. Stewart won second place in intramural bowling. Soper won the 50-yard swimming event, while the freshman relay team placed in the finals. Eight men are out for the spring football practice which is being held regularly. They are: Bennett, Belt, Miller, Vandervort, Pape, Ulrich, Soper, Sayres. Bennett and Belt won their letters last fall. In track, Ulrich won two firsts, a second, and a third in a telegraphic meet with Michigan State College recently. Babbs was campaign manager for the successful candidates in the recent student body elections. Polley was awarded a sweater and letter for his work in the university band. Maharry was elected managing editor of the *Transcript*, semi-weekly newspaper.

*Chapter Visitors:* D. A. Morrow, '05, and son, Richard; Richard Clark and Dan Fulmer, *Ohio State*. Many alumni and friends returned to the chapter house for the initiation banquet.

WM. A. MAHARRY

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Ohio Gamma, Ohio University

*Uncle Tom still flourishing . . .*

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*Phikeia:* Max Lambert, Middleport.

*Initiates:* March 6: Jack Gordon, Fort Lauderdale, Fla.; Wm. Davis, Nelsonville; Bob Masterton and Kenneth Jones, Athens; Gail Wallace and Alfred Craft,

Glouster; Don Ridgeway, Mt. Sterling; Don Burbick, East Liverpool; Edward Jones, Youngstown.

*Chapter House Improvements:* The lawn has been landscaped and seeded, and new all-metal card tables purchased.

*Campus Activities:* Don Sharp was awarded a varsity "O" for basketball, Bob Willoughby and Dale Hawkins are out for spring football, Bob Gordon is humor editor of the *Athena* and making a bid for the editorship of the *Green Goat*, Dale Hawkins has been chosen for a part in *Uncle Tom's Cabin*.

*Social Activities:* The chapter gave a house dance March 12.

*Chapter Visitors:* Maynard Graft, Bill Rochester, Jimmie Pilcher, Harold Cruise, Mead Heater. STACY WOLFE

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Ohio Epsilon, University of Akron

*Old badge presented . . .*

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*Phikeias:* Harold W. Rolph, Wilbert H. Wright.

*Initiates:* Feb. 27: Charles Ream, John Kidder, John Stoffer.

*Chapter House Improvements:* Major Ross E. Rowell, *Idaho*, U.S.M.C., presented this chapter with the badge of Frank Pixley, '81. The pin is placed in a large plaque of mahogany with a bronze shield on which the names of some of his most noted works and his poem the "Frat Pin" are inscribed.

*Campus Activities:* VanSickle and Zeis were pledged to  $\Phi \Sigma A$ , scholarship honorary. Track: Bryant, Detjen, Woodward, Goehler, Mahan, Moyer, and Arnett are out for the varsity; Hazlett is track manager and Phikeia Harper assistant manager. Baseball: Anthony, Weber, Goehler, Mahan, Tatcher, Phikeias Burd and Rolph are out for varsity and Alexander is manager. Theatre: Carpenter is business manager for the Theatre's next production, *Rosmersholm*. *Tel Buch* staff: Business: Moyer, Goehler, Linder; Editorial: Woodward, Scabard and Blade, military honorary, initiated Roth, Erwine and Woodward. Sports: Moyer, Phikeia Simmons, and Erwine, won the university boxing championships in the middle, welter and heavyweight divisions, respectively.

*Social Activities:* The Founders' Day banquet was held March 27 after which the chapter paid a visit to Paul Strick-

ler at Springfield Sanitarium. The Phikeias held a bridge party at the house April 16. Arrangements are being made for a stag banquet to be held April 23.

*Chapter Visitors:* Donald Leonard, '28, spent some of his vacation at the house. Leonard attends Western Reserve Medical School.

*Alumni Personals:* Merle Jenkins is establishing an advertising agency in Akron. Clyde Jenkins was married last month. Willard Russell was united in marriage to Miss Ester Bitters during the Christmas Holidays. Phillip Dietrich is assistant sports editor of the Akron *Times-Press*. CHARLES R. GOEHLER

## Ohio Zeta, Ohio State University

*Polo 'n' everything . . .*

*New Officers:* John Gushman, president; Charles Etherington, treasurer; Glen McClelland, reporter; Charles Rogers, secretary; Carl Cramer, steward; Robert Elberfeld, warden; Robert Blue, chorister; John Matson, chaplain; Josiah Herbert, historian.

*Phikeia:* Richard A. Derry, Indianapolis, Indiana.

*Campus Activities:* John Black, captain of the track team, is working out every afternoon with Red Etherington and Bruz Russell. Jack Condon is assured of a berth on the baseball team. Meek and Phikeias Derry and Thompson are out for polo, while Phikeias Granger and Weisinger are out for spring football practice. Cramer is also training with the track squad. John Gushman was recently elected secretary of fraternity affairs by the Presidents' Council; Wilbur Mahaffey was appointed senior football manager, Phikeias Eberhard and Cramer freshman football managers, and Phikeia Clark secretary of the University Y.M.C.A.

*Social Activities:* The annual Founders' Day Banquet was held March 31 at the Hotel Fort Hayes. The main speaker was Dr. Soper, *Dickinson*, '98, president of Ohio Wesleyan University, while "Stu" Bolin again served as toastmaster. Representatives from practically all of the chapters in Ohio were there and also a large group of alumni. The Miami Triad will be held April 15 at the Desher-Wallick Hotel.

CHARLES E. ROGERS

## Ohio Eta, Case School of Applied Science

*Mothers' Auxiliary at work . . .*

*Initiates:* February 28: A. Marshall, G. Bodwell, J. Shafer, M. Brownsberger, G. Miller, D. Morrow, G. Rackle, and E. N. Duppstadt.

*Chapter House Improvements:* The chapter has purchased a new piano to be placed in the chapter room in the basement so that dances may now be held there.

*Campus Activities:* The chapter basketball team recently emerged victorious as the campus champions in both fraternity and non-fraternity competition. The squad included Flasche, Brownsberger, Shafer, Bodwell, Hostettler, and Barrett, also Phikeias Thom and Fischer. Eisinger, Moore, Clark, Spelman, Marshall, Baker, Cummings, and White are members of the glee club which is at present appearing at Loew's State Theatre in Cleveland as a part of the stage show, *Made in Cleveland*, which comprises local talent under the direction of a New York producer. Cameron, captain of the varsity basketball squad, was selected all-Ohio guard on the first team. Shafer, Brownsberger, Bodwell and Phikeia Thom received numerals in freshman basketball. Squire, Walling, Bodwell, Cummings, and Clark are members of the track squad with Hostettler, Spelman, and E. N. Duppstadt as managers.

*Social Activities:* A house dance known as the pledge dance was given March 5 in honor of the newly initiated brothers. The Mothers' Auxiliary, which has given the house many fine improvements, held an afternoon bridge April 1 for chapter men and their lady friends. Income from these affairs is always used for betterment of the house.

*Chapter Visitors:* L. A. Wells, recently elected province president, and our new chapter adviser, J. J. Fritz, '26.

## Ohio Iota, Denison University

*Ninth to first in scholarship . . .*

*Initiates:* March 20: Jack Broemmelsiek, Clayton, Mo.; Richard Kimball, Madison; Wade McKee, Jr., Robert Marvin, Robert Leitch, Cleveland; Joe Carey, Dayton; Tom French, Salem;

Richard James, Newark; Tracy Thrumston, Chicago, Ill.; George Watkins, Zanesville; Roger McClasky, Waukegan, Ill.; Harold Wiley, Charles Stull, Granville.

*Campus Activities:* Ohio Iota won the Denison Scholarship Trophy for the year by placing first among the social groups on the campus in grade standings. This is a rise from ninth place last year, and signifies a 1.297 average. In intramurals, Phi Deltis placed runner-up in an overtime basketball game for the championship by a score of 19-17. Sweet and Dean secured lead rôles in the forthcoming Masquer's production, Ibsen's *Hedda Gabler*. The Denison Glee Club won the state intercollegiate glee club contest entitling them to competition in the national contest in St. Louis. We are represented in the organization by Dix, Jensen, Ricketts, and Kimball. McConnell and Rupe were awarded letters for basketball, and one of the two "D" blankets awarded this year goes to Sammy Rupe, who is also helping coach spring football. We are represented in spring practice by McConnell, Lloyd, Thompson, French, and Phikeias Ferguson and Rogers. Approximately twenty of the brothers attended the Founders' Day banquet held in Columbus, March 31.

*Social Activities:* The chapter entertained with its spring formal at the house on March 12, with music by Jack McAndrews and his Scarlet Mask Orchestra. S. JUDSON CRANDELL

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Ontario Alpha, University of Toronto

*Best all-round athlete . . .*

*New Officers:* President, Ted Fell; secretary, Bernie Hodgetts; treasurer, Cliff Lennox; warden, Gerald Coles; historian, Mark Sprott; alumni secretary, Bill Beynok; chorister, Gray Farrar, chaplain, Jack Reid; reporter, Ed Gibson.

*Phikeias:* Tom Winters, Gordon Bailie.

*Campus Activities:* Edmison came second in the back stroke event in the swimming meet with McGill on February 26. Sinclair represented varsity in the 147-pound class at the inter-collegiate boxing assault. Coles, Nash, Banwell, and Gibson played interfaculty baseball, Hodgetts and Banwell played inter-

faculty hockey, Coles played interfaculty basketball, and Edmison played interfaculty water polo. Victoria College won three of the championships,  $\Phi \Delta \Theta$  being represented by Coles and Edmison. Hodgetts won the Victoria athletic stick as the best all-round athlete. We have defeated  $\Phi K \Pi$  and  $\Phi K \Sigma$  in interfraternity baseball but lost in hockey to  $\Theta \Delta X$ .

*Chapter Visitors:* Green, '30, spent the week-end of April 9 at the house.

*Alumni Personals:* Rochester, '30 was married to Miss Ruth Bonwick. E. H. GIBSON

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Oregon Alpha, University of Oregon

*House lectures by faculty . . .*

*Social Activities:* The chapter held its winter informal dance, February 26 at the chapter house. Exchange dinners were held for  $\Delta \Delta \Delta$  on February 18 and  $\Lambda \Xi \Delta$  on March 3. The Mothers' Club in Eugene served desert at the chapter dinner February 17. Twice each term a professor on the campus lectures on a subject which is chosen by the Fraternity members.

*Chapter Visitors:* Two Portland mothers visited the chapter, Mrs. Chamberlain and Mrs. Finley. Mrs. Chamberlain reported that the Portland Mothers' club were working on several things for the Fraternity. Other visitors were; Amos Lawrence, Jerry Lilly, Linn Long, and Homer Spencer; Clarence Wall (ex-province president).

*Alumni Personals:* Every Monday the alumni meet at lunch in Eugene. Members visit these luncheons from time to time. ROGER BAILEY

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Oregon Beta, Oregon State College

*Baseball captiancy . . .*

*Campus Activities:* Joe Mack is captain of the varsity baseball team and Jack DuFrane, Lloyd Lillie, and Phikeias Bob Bronson and Ade Schwammel are members of the varsity track squad. Willard White, Dave Bronson, and Phikeia Charles Fyock are candidates for the freshman cinder team.  $\Phi \Delta \Theta$  rates high in the contest for the college

intramural trophy. Buck Grayson is assisting "Slats" Gill, who was recently appointed varsity baseball coach, in rounding the squad into shape.

*Social Activities:* The annual formal dance was held in the chapter house recently. A spring garden was the theme of the affair. A sport dance is planned for April 23.

*Chapter Visitors:* Les Avrit, '31; Charles Gaches, province president.

*Alumni Personals:* Numerous alumni attended the annual Founders' Day banquet appointed coach of all athletics at the of Corvallis high school. He has been successful season as basketball mentor ketball coach. James Torson has had a Gill completed his fourth season as bas-and active chapter men was also held. business meeting of Oregon Beta alumni quiet in the chapter house April 17. A high school for next year.

ERNEST BAUER

Pennsylvania Beta, Gettysburg College

House improvements . . .

*Phikeia:* Henry L. W. Bower, Philadelphia.

*Initiates:* February 9: William Baker, Woodrow Zech, Robert Erickson, Richard Hamm, Robert Walker.

*Chapter House Improvements:* A new electric porch fixture has been installed. Two new lamps have been installed in the parlor.

*Campus Activities:* James Livingood is captain of the tennis team. Eby, McMillen, Stoner, Wagner, McCarty, and Howard are members of the baseball team. Hardy is captain of the track team, while Hamm is a candidate and Bob Walker is one of the candidates for assistant track manager. Eby and Kleinfelter have been elected members of the K  $\Phi$  K, Eby being elected vice-president a little later. Stoner and Livingood have been elected members of the Pen and Sword, Stoner being chosen vice-president later. Eby was appointed a committeeman for the Panhellenic dance which is to be held in the college gymnasium April 8. Whetstone has been elected advertising manager of the *Gettysburgian*, while Hamm has been appointed assistant manager. Walker, Whetstone, and Phikeia Plack are members of the College Glee Club.

*Social Activities:* The spring dance will be held April 29 at Piney Mountain Inn. This dance will be held in honor of Captain W. R. McReynolds, *Ohio State*, '15, and Mrs. McReynolds.

*Chapter Visitors:* W. H. Gulick, '31; Dr. Englehart, J. E. Meisenhelder, S. B. Meisenhelder.

*Alumni Personals:* Dr. Englehart is serving as interne at the Harrisburg Hospital. K. H. McMILLEN

Pennsylvania Zeta, University of Pennsylvania

Many in athletics . . .

*Initiates:* March 8: John J. Sheahan, Roanoke, Va. March 18: Edwin A. Weihenmayer, Jr., Philadelphia; Vernon C. Geiger, St. Joseph, Mo.; Joseph H. Smith, Philadelphia; Frederick N. Lyman, Easthampton, Mass.; E. Louis Metzger, Philadelphia; Edgar B. Grant, Pawtucket, R.I.; George C. Whiteford, Watertown, N.Y.; James H. Ferguson, Brookline, Mass.; Joe H. Nixon, Wabash, Ind.; John R. Kendig, Port Chester, N.Y.; Benjamin F. Antrim, Jr., Merchantville, N.J.

*Campus Activities:* James received a major letter as a member of the championship varsity water polo team. Glading took the leading part in this year's production of the Mask and Wig Club. Tuton, Frame, and O'Neill also took part in the show. Trerotola is the first string lacrosse season. Smyth, Griffith, and Gundelfinger are on the varsity golf ship of a crew whereas Knight is out for the varsity 150-pound boat. Deisroth is a member of the pitching staff. Colby is active as assistant manager in a busy varsity baseball catcher while Hurlburt is working for the assistant manager-squad while Geiger and Weihenmayer are on the yearling links aggregation. Whiteford and Lyman are candidates for the freshman lacrosse team. Among freshman crew candidates we find Ferguson and Grant. Smith received his numerals in swimming. Metzger is trying out for the chess team. The chapter has entered teams in the interfraternity tournaments in baseball, golf, and tennis.

*Social Activities:* The chapter held a very novel "hard times" dance in the house April 15.

*Chapter Visitors:* Thomas Latta, '20;

Leo Kelly, '25; Henry Justi, '20; Ed Smith, '19; J. T. F. Schultz, '21; R. B. Wells, '30; T. B. Glading, '29; Jay Strawinski, '28; C. H. Harry, '31; E. Burke Wilford, '22; Paul Summers, '23; Henry Parcher, Jr., '23; Wm. Threapleton, '26; Nelson, *Butler*; Simmons, *Cincinnati*; Swift, '30, Granville Carrel, '29; Warren Pine, '31; W. N. Mead, '28.

*Alumni Personals*: W. T. Hobson, '24, chapter advisor, is on the United States Olympic field hockey squad.

*Delegate to Biennial Convention*: Fred Frame, Franklin; alternate Philip Gundelfinger, Corapolis.

PHILIP GUNDELFINGER, JR.

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Pennsylvania Theta, Pennsylvania State  
College

*Scholastically high . . .*

*Phikeia*: J. Fred Getz, Bloomsburg.

*Initiates*: Richard S. Moffit, Bethlehem; George H. Hill, Jr., Reading; Frederick Anthony, Barnstable, Mass.; John Dallas, Jr., North Wales; James W. Townsend, Langhorne; Donald B. Ross, Scranton.

*Campus Activities*: Sterrett and Ryan were elected first assistant managers of wrestling and basketball respectively. Cole was awarded a major letter in wrestling this year. Conn won his letter again in basketball after a season's outstanding performance at guard. Pierson was elected to Scarab, honorary architectural society. Hewitt won his numerals in boxing, having taken part in the intraclass bouts representing the winning sophomore team. Ross finished in third place in the strong 130-pound class in intramural wrestling. Rice and Herbert attained the highest scholastic honorary at State when they were elected to  $\Phi K \Phi$  recently. Rice leads the senior class in scholarship and Herbert is third. Kirkpatrick scored the only point made by State in the gym meet against Army. Conn, Cole, Johnson, and Irons are out for spring football. Potts is out for baseball. Hewitt is out for track. McNeary is manager of freshman baseball. Ryan was chairman of Soph Hop, first college dance to show a profit this year. Rice, as editor-in-chief, is putting the finishing touches on *LaVie*, the senior annual. Kirkpatrick, Hill, and Anthony were elected to  $\Gamma A M$ , honorary gymnastic.

*Social Activities*: The house dance following Soph Hop was a great success with Brother Bottorf's orchestra supplying the music. The  $\Delta \Gamma$ 's held their spring formal in the chapter house April 22. Plans are being formulated for the dance following Junior Prom, May 14, and for the spring house party, June 3 and 4.

*Alumni Personals*: D. M. Cresswell, '18, resigned recently as director of publicity for the college to accept a position as editor for the Pennsylvania State Department of Public Instruction at Harrisburg. There he will have charge of the department's publications and direct its press services. Don was at State in charge of publicity for twelve years. H. L. Stuart has returned to State College.

JOHN T. RYAN, JR.

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Pennsylvania Iota, University of Pittsburgh

*Many house improvements . . .*

*Phikeias*: Wilson Loos, Pittsburgh; George Taylor, Marionville.

*Initiates*: March 5: James Nicholas, Clinton Elliott, Patrick Fleming, Harry Carvel, Roy McClayton, William Patterson, Robert Hoel, and Frank McCabe. April 11: Edwin Fautz, Charles McKenna.

*Chapter House Improvements*: New curtains for the two upper floors have been purchased by the Mothers' Club. The furniture throughout the house was renovated, as were the tile mantels downstairs. New chinaware for the dining room has been purchased.

*Campus Activities*: Odell, Heller, Simms, Hoel, and Phikeias Thompson, and Murdoch are engaged in spring football practice. Odell is also pole vaulting with the track team. Thiesson is with the track team. In the cast of *Cap and Gown*'s musical comedy are Holland, C. Morrison, Hatcher, Sawyer, and Garner. Hanna represented the university's swimming team in the recent national intercollegiate meet at Michigan. Phikeia Snitger is working on the *Pitt Weekly* business staff. Goodfellow is a member of the spring carnival committee.

*Social Activities*: Plans are being made for a house dance May 7 as part of the spring carnival plans for an interfraternity migratory dance on that date. The entire chapter and many Phikeias attended the annual Founders' Day

Banquet of the Pittsburgh Alumni Club March 12. An alumni smoker was held in the chapter house March 5.

*Chapter Visitors:* W. T. Neill, '17; J. M. Underwood, '30; A. M. Johnston, Jr., '31.

*Alumni Personals:* William McKee, Jr., '27, has been appointed chapter advisor.  
HARLOW P. WHITE

**Pennsylvania Kappa, Swarthmore College**

*Active in spring sports . . .*

*Campus Activities:* At present spring sports are engaging the interest of the brothers. Leber and Casey are expected to star again for the track team, while high hopes are entertained for the efforts of Garrett and Mahon. Lutton will lead the tennis team this year as captain. McCord, Sonneman, Baker, and Rushmore, are on the varsity lacrosse squad, while Bretschnieder, McCurdy, and Lewis are on the freshman team. Starling will manage tennis. DeLaney is assistant manager of lacrosse and Strayer assistant manager of baseball.

*Social Activities:* On April 9 Pennsylvania Kappa held its annual alumni banquet at the Adelpia Hotel in Philadelphia. Special efforts were made to insure a large alumni attendance. President Robert Haas, Province President O. J. Tallman, and Judge George Corson were the speakers. On May 7 the chapter held its spring dance at the Merion War Tribute House.

WILLIAM H. KAIN

**South Dakota Alpha, University of South Dakota**

*Five of seven basketball letters . . .*

*Phikeias:* Clarence Nash, Sioux City, Iowa; Willard Paulis, Madison; Bernard Prinsen, Moberge.

*Initiates:* March 20: Robert Meyhaus, Sioux Falls; William Bruner, Frederic; George Dowell, Jr., DuQuoin, Ill.; Jack Miller, Lake Andes.

*Chapter House Improvements:* During spring vacation the dining room and parlor floors were varnished and waxed. The dining room also was repainted.

*Campus Activities:* Walker, Espe,

Buck, Adkins, and Maloney each received a varsity letter in basketball, giving us five of the seven letters given. Adkins made all-conference for third successive year. Bircher, Ludeman, and Livak received numerals for freshman basketball. Crowder, Buck and Hawkinson were pledged Scabbard and Blade national military fraternity.  $\Phi \Delta \Theta$  won the intramural swimming meet, netting 33 points. Dowell has the lead in *Dear Brutus*, a play given by  $\Theta \Delta \Phi$  dramatic fraternity. Espe, Landman, Campbell, and Adkins, all lettermen, are working out regularly for track.

*Social Activities:* Our winter formal was held in the new Union Building. Music and entertainment were furnished by Swisher's Campus Kings.

*Chapter Visitors:* Fred Whiting, Otto Whitmore, Dr. H. W. K. Zellhoefer, Martin Beckers, Fred Bryant, Cullen Bryant, John McGillvery, Jerry Price.

*Alumni Personals:* Howard W. K. Zellhoefer has just received a three-year fellowship at the Mayo Clinic in Rochester. This fellowship also gives him a year's study abroad. Berton Root is enrolled as a student in the U. S. Air Corps and is now in training at Randolph Field, Texas. DAVID F. HAWKINSON

**Tennessee Alpha, Vanderbilt University**

*Additions to chapter library . . .*

*Chapter House Improvements:* The chapter house has undergone the usual spring renovation and has been cleaned thoroughly inside and out. The woodwork has been cleaned and several portions of the house painted. The chapter library is being constantly augmented until now there is quite a useful and extensive set of books present for the use of the brothers.

*Campus Activities:* Athletically, the chapter has been quite busy. King, Owen, Johnston, Fortune, Pegram, Tigert, Nichol, and Lee are all engaged in track activities and are showing up exceptionally well. In baseball, Fortune, Foster, Merritt, and Perry have all been making rapid strides and bid fair to make a name for  $\Phi \Delta \Theta$  on the diamond. Watkins, Close, Hughes, Scoggins, Watson, and Owen are busily engaged in spring football and it seems sure that all of this group will see service next fall.

Tom Anderson has been placed twelfth in the junior tennis rankings for the South and will without doubt be one of the mainstays of Vanderbilt's tennis team this spring. Benedict was recently elected president of the Ace Club, sophomore honor club, while Charles Lee and Thack Hughes have both been elected to the Owl Club.

*Social Activities:* The  $\Sigma$  A  $\Xi$  chapter entertained  $\Phi$   $\Delta$   $\Theta$  with a house dance April 8. RICHARD L. GIBSON

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Texas Gamma, Southwestern University

*Landscaping . . .*

*New Officers:* Gill H. DeWitt, president; Will M. Richardson, warden; Warren Davis, secretary; Gill DeWitt, reporter (retained), Wilburn Oatman, chorister; P. G. Secrest, chaplain.

*Phikeias:* William Stokes, Jarrel; Ernest Armstrong, Heburnville; Ralph McAfee, Kerens; Glenn Fikes, San Antonio.

*Chapter House Improvements:* Work is progressing nicely on the rear lot, which is being transformed into a beautiful garden with rock walks, benches, etc. Much whitewashing has been taking place lately with all of the trees sporting a coat of white.

*Campus Activities:* Huitt was elected editor of the *Megaphone*, school paper, for next year, while Edwin Day was elected business manager of the magazine. Probably the outstanding achievement of Texas Gamma this year was the beautiful Founders' Day Banquet held in March. In the beautifully decorated banquet hall, some forty Phis met. The affair was strictly formal and will be an annual event. The chapter was saddened by the death of one of its sisters, Davine Wilcox, '34, last month; death was due to bronchial pneumonia.

*Chapter Visitors:* Barney Guggolz, '28; Doran Oatman, '33; Barton Davis, '34; S. V. Stone, '10; D. W. Wilcox, P. P. Young. GILL H. DEWITT

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Texas Delta, Southern Methodist University

*Honorary elections . . .*

*New Officers:* Watts, delegate to the Biennial Convention; Boren, rush-captain.

*Phikeias:* Shirley English and James Brookhout, Dallas.

*Initiates:* March 15: Frank Neil, Billy Rubey, Horace Boren, Daniel Barr, Ted Fitch, and Richard Kennedy, all of Dallas.

*Chapter House Improvements:* The Mothers' Club is still working on decorating the house. We are working on the lawn and shrubs and hope to have both in good shape before long.

*Chapter Activities:* Boren is a candidate for assistant editor of the *Rotunda*, the yearbook of the university. Persons and Hamilton are out for track. Persons took first in the mile in a meet with Baylor University. Phikeia Austin is a member of the swimming team. Watts is a member of the golf team, which is conference defending champion this year. Kennedy, Hamilton, and Phikeia Williams have all been active in dramatics and all are members of the Arden Club. Caruth, McElwrath, and Watts have recently been initiated into  $\Lambda$   $\Kappa$   $\Psi$ , honorary commerce fraternity. Phikeias Wesson, Gregor, and Bailey are members of Tajohya, freshman interfraternal organization.  $\Phi$   $\Delta$   $\Theta$  stands an excellent chance to win both the intramural tennis singles and doubles.

*Social Activities:* We held initiation on Founders' Day and afterwards had a banquet for the new and old initiates. Recently we held a picnic.

*Chapter Visitors:* McCance, Tulane, '30. JACK WOODALL

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Utah Alpha, University of Utah

*Chapter exchange system . . .*

*Chapter House Improvements:* A beautiful new rug has been purchased for the living room. The front porch has been painted all over and new grass has been planted in the front yard.

*Campus Activities:* Bennett and Mordock were elected to Owl and Key

honorary senior society. Howard was elected to Skull and Bones, honorary junior activity fraternity. Barker has been advanced to business manager of the *Humbug*, campus humor magazine. Mordock made a creditable showing in the A.A.U. track meet last month. Phikeia McCaskell is captain of the polo team and is preparing for jaunts into Colorado and California.

*Social Activities:* A formal dinner dance sponsored by the Alumni Club last month was a huge success. Every Friday the active chapter exchanges representatives with other fraternities on the campus. This is increasing the good feeling on the campus.

*Chapter Visitors:* Latney Barnes visited us in March. JULIAN BERGSTROM

Washington Gamma, Washington State College

*Many in athletics . . .*

*Phikeia:* Donald Scheuch, Seattle.

*Initiates:* March 5: Robert Bush, Arthur Driver, Donald Endslo, Melvin Hackedorn, Perry McKeehan, Albert Hartley, Robert Hascall, Clark Israel, Robert Kugler, Fred Morgan, Donald Paxton, Stephen Saunders, Lloyd Steen, and Stanford Wagner.

*Chapter House Improvements:* A new hot water storage tank was installed. Preparations for repairing the basement have been started.

*Campus Activities:* Fred Hughes is the newly elected president of the junior class. Huntly Gordon just finished his second season of varsity basketball. He made the all-coast team and was given All-American mention. Phil Dolan was pledged by Scabbard and Blade at the military ball. William Murray has been made president of the Crimson Circle, senior men's honorary. He was also appointed senior intramural sports manager.  $\Phi \Delta \Theta$  won the intramural indoor track to put it in a tie for second place in intramural competition. The chapter now ranks third among national fraternities on this campus in scholastic standing. Griffith and Coleman are trying for pitching positions on the baseball team while Woodford is working for catcher's place. Stafford is on the varsity track squad while McKeehan, Steen, Hascall, Paxton, and Driver are out for numerals. Swift, Boone, and Matilla are in the

prime of their second season in track. Wagner and Phikeias Thomas and Scheuch are frosh track managers. Bush is frosh baseball manager. Phikeia Butler is out for spring football practice.

*Social Activities:* The Miami Triad dance was held April 16. The Founders' Day banquet was held in the chapter house March 13.

CHARLES ROWE

West Virginia Alpha, University of  
West Virginia

*Initiation for six . . .*

*Initiates:* Feb. 13: Richard Fletcher, '34; Karl Jamison, '34; Jack Kemple, '34; Samuel Norteman, '35; John Hardesty, '34; March 19: Langdon Morris, '34.

*Campus Activities:* The  $\Phi \Delta \Theta$  basketball team, after going through the season undefeated, lost in the semi-final game of the intramural tournament. Homburg Petingill and Phikeia Smith have joined Colborn on the varsity track squad. Robert Bandi and Jack Kemple have been initiated into the University Dramatic Club. Orren Jones has returned from a tour of the state with the Mountaineer Week team. Ellison Summerfield has been promoted to captain of the R.O.T.C. band, taking the position vacated by Healy upon his graduation in February.

*Social Activities:* John Brick represented the local chapter of A E  $\Delta$ , pre-medical honorary fraternity, at the national convention held at Howard College, Birmingham, Alabama, the latter part of March. Gaynor, Homburg, R. Fletcher, Kemple, and Phikeia Morris attended the Founders' Day Banquet given by the Pittsburgh Alumni Club.

*Chapter Visitors:* Arthur R. Priest, *DePauw*, '91, and Mrs. Priest; Charles Ashworth, '31; Raymond Tissue, '30; George Ratcliffe, '30; Harold Howard, '29; Lawrence Evans, '30; David G. Lilly, '30; Edward Sittler, *Brown*, '30; Isaac Howard, '27.

*Alumni Personals:* Dr. James W. Simonton, professor in the College of Law, and an authority on Real Property Law suffered a stroke of paralysis, on Thursday, March 31. Although much improved, Mr. Simonton will not meet his classes for the remainder of the semes-

ter. The vacancy has been filled by Robert T. Donley of the local bar.  
N. HOWARD ROGERS

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Wisconsin Alpha, University of Wisconsin

*Candidate for state tennis title . . .*

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*Initiates:* March 19: Robert Kaska, Chicago, Ill.; Wilson Weisel, Milwaukee; William Matson, Chicago, Ill.; Richard Brigeman, Stanley; Charles (Dick) Wilber, Waukesha; Lester Henschel, Madison; Olaf Stampen, Hollywood, Ill.; Robert Ball, Rhinelander.

*Chapter House Improvements:* A new radio was bought for the house March 15. The old radio which has served faithfully for more than four years has been moved to the card and club room on the second floor, while the new "U. S." set, a six-leg model "president," may be found in the main parlor on the first floor.

*Campus Activities:* Mark Catlin left April 14 as the leading man in the dance team of "Haresfoot." The production this year is entitled *Lucky Breaks*, and will be on the road through the Midwest for a period of two weeks. Olaf

Stampen, Robert Ball, and Robert Kaska, all recent initiates, will be heavy competitors for final places on the freshman crew this season. Chuck Olson, a sophomore in the university, has been training heavily all winter for the varsity, and is giving even the seasoned oarsmen of the school competition for place on the crew. Mark Catlin, who missed the title of tennis champion for Wisconsin by a narrow margin last year, has been practicing recently in the university gym.

*Social Activities:* The freshman party was held March 5 this year. Decorations in the house were most appropriate to the theme of the dance a "Jungle Party."

*Chapter Visitors:* Walter Stringfellow, Grand Beach; Ed Taylor, Eau Claire; Fred Aris and Ed Heiberlein, Milwaukee, all of the class of '31; Brother Fitzgibbon attended our chapter meeting on March 14.

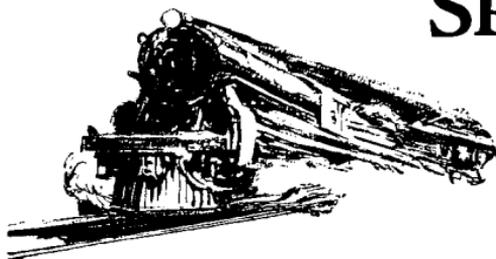
*Alumni Personals:* Homer Culver, Eau Claire, a member of the class of '31 has been working on a passenger vessel running between San Francisco and the Orient. Word has been received from him that he has visited Hongkong, Shanghai, and other interesting points, but that he expects to be home again shortly.

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