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Training for Citizenship

THE fraternity, as does the state, prospers to the extent that its members discharge the duties which arise from the allegiance and ties of loyalty which bind them to it. The model fraternity brother is nothing more than a model citizen of the fraternity community.

A member of a college fraternity passes through, in its ranks, a miniature adult lifetime. In the process a boy learns much of men, and of what makes them strong or weak, of what influences them for good or evil, of what makes them meet their responsibilities or avoid them. He strives with his fellows for the solution of moral and spiritual perplexities, financial and scholastic worries, and the manifold problems of groups which are trying to make of their joint efforts for self-government a success. The whole course is a training in citizenship.

Elihu Root once said: The art of self-government does not come to men by nature. It has to be learned; facility in it has to be acquired by practice. The process is long and laborious: for it is not merely a matter of intellectual appreciation, but chiefly of development of character. At the base of all popular government is individual self-control; and that requires both intelligence, so that the true relation of things may be perceived, and also the moral qualities which make possible patience, kindly consideration for others, a willingness to do justice, a sense of honorable obligation and a capacity for loyalty to certain ideals."

The college fraternities are training grounds for such qualities. A singular advantage they afford is that errors made in them are on a "laboratory" scale. Not so many persons are affected. If, as is often said, our most lasting lessons are learned through our mistakes, it is a privilege to make them when the cost is so little. . . .

These institutions have the potentials for training for citizenship. May their tribe increase!—GEORGE M. MORRIS, Δ K E, former President of the House of Delegates, American Bar Association.

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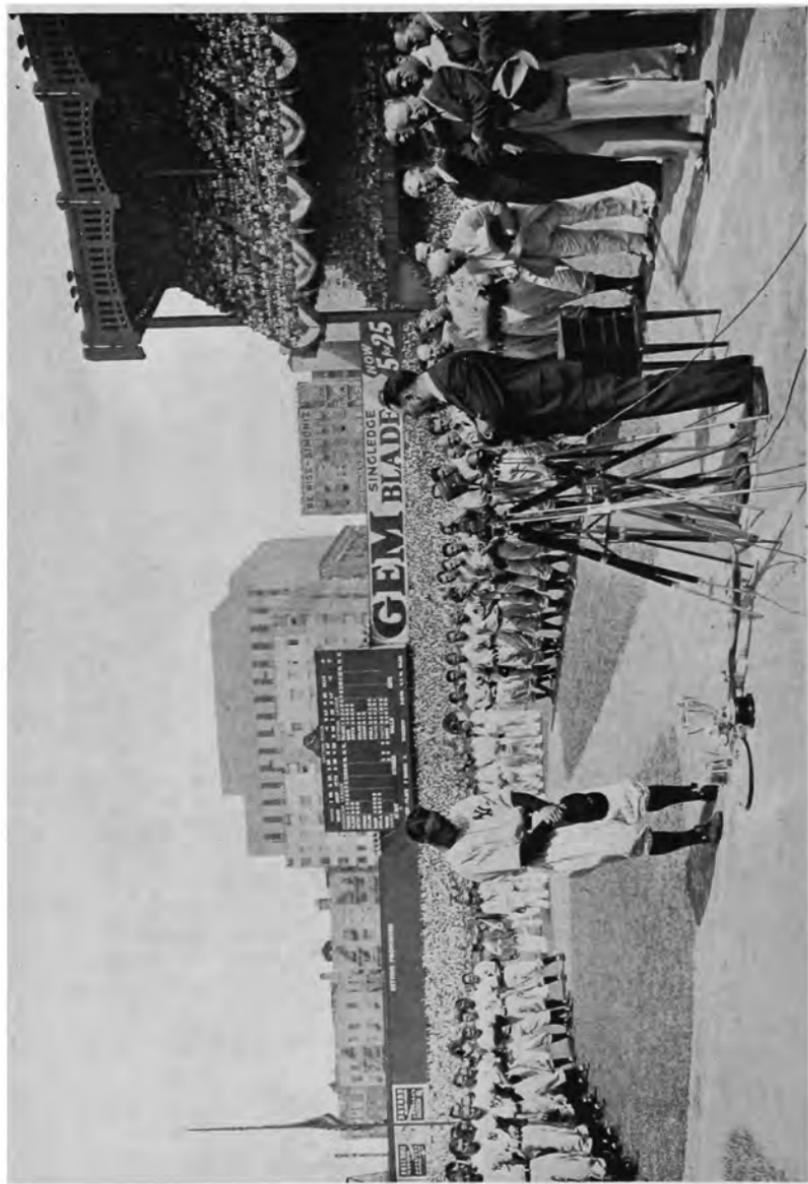
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GEHRIG RECEIVES AN OVATION IN THE YANKEE STADIUM

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Sport Acclaims a Hero

By EARL W. WOLSLAGEL, *North Carolina '35*

SIXTEEN years ago this spring a strapping young athlete, a letter man in both baseball and football, left the $\Phi \Delta \Theta$ chapter house at Columbia, stepped into a uniform of the New York Yankee baseball club, a contract for \$2,200 in his pocket. On that same young man's thirty-sixth birthday, June 19, 1939, came the announcement that he, Brother Henry Louis Gehrig, had completed his active playing days under the colors of the late Colonel Jacob Ruppert's dynamic baseball machine.

So shocking was the news of the Iron Man's forced retirement that the entire baseball world, one might easily say the whole nation, grieved with his teammates and his fellow-players in the major leagues. It was a strange fate that Brother Gehrig, who had played in every scheduled American League game and every World Series contest since June 1, 1925, in which his team was engaged,

should be forced into permanent retirement the very first time that he failed to take his usual stand at first base. It was a dramatic culmination of a spectacular diamond career, unmatched in the century of our national game.

The story will long be remembered how Brother Gehrig went on May 2 to his manager, Joe McCarthy, in Detroit as the Yankees were about to begin their first Western tour, to ask to be benched for

the good of the team. Not to be readily forgotten, either, is how he slipped away to the Mayo Clinic in Rochester, Minnesota, almost unnoticed by the press or the general baseball public, to find out why he had so suddenly, yet so surely, slowed up in his play. Why, for the first time, he was batting so feebly. For what reason he no longer could exert his strength in running, fielding, throwing. When the announcement was made by the



N.Y. Daily News Photo
AN EMOTIONAL CLIMAX
Babe Ruth rushed to the plate and threw his arms about Gehrig, while both men wept

Mayo physicians, how the thoughts must have surged through his mind as he looked back over the years, through his endless probably never-to-be-equalled,



Phila. Evening Bulletin Photo

STUDYING THE VERDICT

Among Gehrig's physicians is Dr. Robert L. Gilman, Wisconsin '20, of Philadelphia. They are shown here discussing the report of the Mayo Clinic, which states in part: "he is suffering from amyotrophic lateral sclerosis. This type of illness involves the motor pathways and cells of the central nervous system, and in lay terms is known as a form of chronic poliomyelitis (infantile paralysis). Mr. Gehrig will be unable to continue his active participation as a baseball player as it is advisable that he conserve his muscular energy. He could, however, continue in some executive capacity."

records, and to the future with its store of uncertainties!

Lou knew, but perhaps could not begin to realize that he had played in his last game on the field. He did not know that he was merely beginning to reap the wealth of honors he so richly deserved.

When "Old Reliable" was the home run champion of the major leagues, when he led his league in batting, when he was chosen the most valuable player in the game, when he captained the All-Star team, when he finished breaking Everett Scott's record of 1307 consecutive games by over 800 contests, it was because of his ability as a ball player. But when on the Fourth of July before 61,000 pairs of tear-dampened eyes they heaped gifts upon him at the Yankee Stadium they were not simply paying tribute to a man who had

been able to hit a ball harder than anyone else, who could field with the greatest first basemen of all time, or whose arm was always strong and accurate. They were acknowledging the qualities of one of the finest sportsmen any game has ever produced.

No doubt the qualities of sportsmanship exhibited by Brother Gehrig were somewhat overshadowed in the past by his exploits on the playing field. Through all the years of his connection with the game one thought of Lou Gehrig as a big, stocky, strong, broad-shouldered, smiling, yet serious, athlete, a great competitor. But now that his playing days are over you realize more—that Lou Gehrig was all else a sportsman should be.

Not once did he offer an alibi or an excuse when he made a mistake on the field. Never did he boast of what he was going to do. He simply went out and let his bat and glove speak for him. Where other great ball players have been eager to talk about what a good year they would have next year, or how they would lead this or that department of play next season, Lou never built his fame on expectation, only on accomplishment.

Always he conducted himself on and



THE IRON MAN

off the field as a gentleman. Not once was there a breath of scandal connected with his name. Never were there suspensions, fines, whispers of broken training or late hours. When Gehrig played ball he gave every ounce of his energy to win. Whether his team was leading by ten runs in the ninth inning or trailing by a similar margin, Lou would run out the puniest infield grounder as if the whole season's success depended on his being safe at first base.

Great as he was, he was always willing to learn new and better ways to play his position. Whenever his team-mates praised him for his work he was retiring, reticent. He might grin rather apologeti-

cally and walk away, for his modesty was never a pose, but completely sincere.

No more unselfish man was ever in baseball. Usually embarrassed in public,



AT THE 1938 WORLD SERIES
Gehrig of the Yankees and Carl Reynolds, Southwestern '26, of the Chicago Cubs

MARKS GEHRIG SET

Most consecutive games	2,130
Most consecutive years, 100 games or more	14
Most years, 150 games or more	12
Most years 100 runs or more scored ..	13
Most years 100 or more runs batted in (tie with Babe Ruth)	13
Most years 150 or more runs batted in ..	7
Most consecutive years 100 or more runs batted in	13
Most runs batted in (season—A.L.)	184
Most times four extra base hits in one game	5
Most years 400 or more total bases ..	5
Most years 300 or more total bases ..	13
Most extra bases in one game	12
Most home runs with bases full	23
Most consecutive homers one game ..	4
Most total bases one game (tied with Ruth and Chuck Klein)	16
Most years led league in runs batted in (tied with Ruth)	5
Most years leading league in games played, season	8
First baseman participating in most double plays, one season	157

WORLD SERIES

Highest batting percentage, total for seven World Series	361
Most runs, one series (tied with Ruth) ..	9
Most runs batted in, total series	35
Most runs batted in, one series	9
Most home runs, one series (4 games) ..	4
Most homers, 3 consecutive games	4
Most extra bases on long hits, one series	13

nevertheless he accepted dozens of invitations to speak at boys' clubs, civic organizations, and other affairs. He did not need those occasions to add to his fame or popularity. There was nothing for him to gain by attending them. Yet he was glad to go because he was happiest when doing something for others—a great trait and one that all true Phis have instilled in them.

When the writer sat in the stands on Gehrig Day in New York last July he felt they were honoring not a great player as such, but a great figure in Sport, a man who could mix his triumphs with modesty, who could face tragedy with a smile.

As Lou stood there under a burning sun, his head bowed as former and present-day stars came forward to pay him tribute, it was a natural reaction to reach for a handkerchief to wipe away a tear or two. Joe McCarthy, with his arm around his captain's shoulders, asked Lou to say a few words himself. Gehrig obeyed his manager, ordeal though it was, and stepped to the microphone, visibly affected and weeping from the strain of the proceedings.

With the same courage that brought him back from Minnesota knowing he was an invalid within the clutches of infantile paralysis, Brother Gehrig braced himself and began to speak.

"They say I had a bad break," he said in a clear voice to the hushed crowd eager to catch every word, "but when the office



COLUMBIA FIRST BASEMAN

force and the groundkeepers and even the New York Giants from across the river whom we'd give our right arm to beat in the World Series . . . when they remember you, that's something.

"And when you even have a mother-in-law who takes sides with you against her own daughter . . . that surely is something."

The crowd, glad for this comic relief, laughed heartily. Lou, though, was not laughing or even smiling as he mopped his brow and continued:

"And when you have a wonderful father and mother who have worked hard to build up your body and to give you an education, that's something. And when you have a wonderful wife who has shown more courage than I ever hope to have and who has stood by you all along, then that's really great!"

Brother Gehrig went on to praise the entire Yankee organization which had made it possible for him to win the fame

and honors that had culminated for him this day. He shook his head in all earnestness as he concluded:

"I may have been given a bad break, but I have an awful lot to live for. With all this," he gestured slightly to indicate the scene, "I can call myself the luckiest man on the face of the earth."

And we in $\Phi \Delta \Theta$, Lou, feel equally fortunate to know that you, as we, have signed the Bond which makes life sweeter at times of great honor, or in the face of great tribulation.

Nothing more fitting could be added to this story of a truly great Phi than the tribute in simple statement written in bronze on the gift presented to Brother Gehrig by his team-mates. It was composed by John Kieran, of the *New York Times*, an understanding sports writer, and it is inscribed on one side of a statuette surmounted by a gold baseball and an eagle:

TO LOU GEHRIG

We've been to the wars together;
 We took our foes as they came;
 And always you were the leader,
 And ever you played the game.
 Idol of cheering millions;
 Records are yours by sheaves;
 Iron of fame they hailed you;
 Decked you with laurel leaves.
 But higher than that we hold you;
 We who have known you best;
 Knowing the way you came through
 Every human test.

Our Front Cover

THE front cover of this number carries an engaging view of New York Alpha's home, taken from across the gorge. Originally one of the handsomest houses in the Fraternity, it has grown more beautiful through the years as it has blended more completely with its environment.

New York Alpha, established in 1872, was the spear-head of $\Phi \Delta \Theta$'s advance into the East. It was the first chapter of any of the fraternities of western origin to enter Cornell, which was opened only four years before. It has maintained a strong position among the Cornell fraternities and has long occupied a place of influence in $\Phi \Delta \Theta$. An interesting feature of the chapter's history is the large number of related members on its roll; this may have had something to do with the chapter's success.

Jones Named to Federal Bench

CHARLES ALVIN JONES, *Williams '09*, who was defeated for governor of Pennsylvania last fall in the political overturn, has fallen upstairs by being appointed a Judge of the Third Judicial Circuit Court of Appeals. The position on the Court, which has jurisdiction over Pennsylvania, New Jersey, Delaware, and the Virgin Islands, carries a salary of \$12,500 a year and has a life tenure, but permits retirement with full pay after ten years of service. The circuit courts of appeal rank next to the United States Supreme Court.

The new judge took the oath of office at a session of the Court in Philadelphia, August 5.

Until his nomination for governor, Brother Jones had never sought a major elective office and was comparatively unknown politically. He had, however, been active in Democratic party affairs, and in 1932 had directed a drive for uninstructed delegates to the Democratic national convention in Chicago to support the candidacy of Al Smith, former governor of New York.

After Mr. Roosevelt's nomination, Jones supported his candidacy and in 1936 he attended the Philadelphia national convention as a Roosevelt delegate.

Brother Jones is a native of Newport, Pennsylvania, where he was born fifty-one years ago, of Welsh, English, and Dutch stock. He was educated at Mercersburg Academy, Williams College, and Dickinson law school.

He is remembered as "a better than excellent student with a stiff determination to achieve in law."

In 1917 Brother Jones volunteered and served as an ambulance driver in the French army, which cited him for heroism under fire. He transferred to the communications division of the United States army's aviation service in 1918. He was on patrol duty as a naval officer

at Hampton Roads, Virginia, when the war ended.

A short time after he had been admitted to law practice in 1910, Brother Jones moved to Pittsburgh to begin his legal career. Three years later he became a member of the law firm of Sterret, Acheson and Jones. He served one term



CHARLES ALVIN JONES, *Williams '09*

as a member of the borough council in Glen Osborne, his only elective office.

He is married and the father of two sons and a daughter.

Phi Delta Theta is one of the interests near to Brother Jones's heart. He took an active part in the affairs of the Williams chapter as an undergraduate, and when he entered the law school at Dickinson he affiliated with Pennsylvania Epsilon. Since graduation he has taken responsibility in alumni affairs and has taken delight in visiting the active chapters in Pennsylvania.

His elevation to the Bench is a well-deserved recognition of his character and attainments, and Phis everywhere wish him well in his high office.

New Command for Admiral Cluverius

By Rear Admiral ROBERT L. GHORMLEY, U.S.N., *Idaho '03*

ANNOUNCEMENT has been received of the selection of Rear Admiral Wat Tyler Cluverius, U. S. Navy, Retired, member-at-large of the General Council of $\Phi \Delta \Theta$, for many years an enthusiastic alumnus of our Fraternity, an officer and a gentleman in every sense, to the presidency of Worcester Polytechnic Institute, Worcester, Massachusetts.

Rear Admiral Wat Tyler Cluverius, U. S. Navy, was born on Christmas Day, 1874, in Louisiana. He entered the Naval Academy from that state at the age of seventeen, and was graduated as a Naval Cadet in the class of 1896.

He was serving on board the ill-fated battleship *Maine* when she blew up in Havana Harbor in 1898, and served throughout the Spanish War on various naval vessels in Cuban waters. He later served on the new battleship *Maine* built to replace the one destroyed.

During the World War he commanded the U.S.S. *Shawmut* and later the U.S.S. *Baltimore*, which were part of the little American Squadron that planted the barrier of mines from Scotland to Sweden, confining the enemy submarines to the

limits of the North Sea. He was awarded the Distinguished Service Medal for this work and the King of Belgium made him an officer of the Order of Leopold.

After the World War he served as Commandant of Midshipmen at the Naval Academy, and then took the course at the Naval War College, graduating in 1922, when he was ordered as Chief of Staff, Commander Fleet Base Force. In 1923, following a cruise as commanding officer of the U.S.S. *Seattle*, he went to duty in the Office of Naval Operations, Navy Department.

From 1926 to 1928, he commanded the U.S.S. *West Virginia*, flagship of the Commander Battleships, U. S. Fleet. In 1928 he was promoted to Rear Admiral and served as Commandant of the Navy Yard, Norfolk, Virginia, from 1928 to May 1930. In June 1930 he assumed command of Battleship Division Two, Scouting Force, and in November of the same year was appointed Chief of Staff of the Commander-in-Chief, U. S. Fleet, Admiral J. V. Chase, U.S.N. He served as the Commandant, Ninth Naval District, Great Lakes, Illinois, from September 1932 to



THE HISTORIC *Maine*

The ship whose destruction altered the whole course of history

March 26, 1935. It was during this time that the Phis of the Middle West became acquainted with Admiral Cluverius, and the Navy too, for the Admiral traveled far and wide to address and become acquainted with the people of his Naval District. His marked ability as a public speaker kept his engagement calendar so full that his hours for personal relaxation were few and far between.

In March 1935 the Secretary of the Navy designated him as Commander Base Force, U. S. Fleet, a position he ably filled until June 1937, when he was transferred to command the Fourth Naval District and Navy Yard at Philadelphia, which position he held until his retirement on January 1, 1939, after forty-six years of active service, he having reached the statutory retirement age of sixty-four.

At the time of his retirement, the late Secretary Swanson sent a letter to Rear Admiral Cluverius congratulating him on his service in the Navy stating:

"The Department regrets your retirement from active service and takes this occasion to extend to you its heartiest congratulations and appreciation for your long and distinguished service to our Nation. During the time which you have so faithfully and efficiently served, you have witnessed many advancements in the morale, strength, and efficiency of the Navy; and you have the satisfaction of knowing that you have contributed to the accomplishment of these results. May I wish for you continued success and many years of health and happiness."

Worcester Polytechnic is recognized as one of the highest grade schools of technology in America. It restricts its enrollment, and admission is gained only by



CLUVERIUS

As Chief of Staff of the Fleet

men who pass rigorous entrance requirements. Its work is especially strong in the fields of mechanical engineering, electrical engineering, and chemistry. Much commercial research is carried on for various industries. The investigations of high-voltage currents have been important in their results.

Phi Delta Theta can well be proud in having Brother Cluverius at the head of



U.S.S. *West Virginia* WHICH CLUVERIUS COMMANDED FOR TWO YEARS

this well-known institution of learning, and Worcester Polytechnic Institute is to be congratulated on having as its President a successful man of such sterling qualities, whose interest in men, particularly young men, has been manifest for

years. In this day of "isms" and changing world conditions, the educational institutions having strong men at the helm to shape the course of the youth of the country along stable lines form a keystone for the future.

Pick and Shovel Summer Schools

By RICHMOND P. MILLER, *Swarthmore '24*

ECONOMICS, as it is studied in our universities," observes a distinguished British mathematician, "is the astrology of the Machine Age. It provides the same kind of intellectual relief as chess, in which success depends entirely on knowing the initial definition of the moves and processes of checking and castling."

This summer 150 college men and women recruited from a score of colleges from the Atlantic to the Pacific gave eight precious weeks of their summer vacation to the Work Camps sponsored by the American Friends Service Committee. A good many of the campers were Phis, or sons of Phis. Here was a picked group of college and community leaders—who would surely be in military service camps in totalitarian countries—willingly giving up their summer holiday and paying their own living and traveling expenses for the sake of working for peace and for the alleviation of social and economic strife. The

work camp idea grasps the imagination of students who want to learn by experience how their book knowledge stacks up against the realities of life. Words were not enough for them, they wanted to know! For two months these students, supervised by leaders, lived in simple quarters, worked on needed community projects, practiced democracy in their camp life, learned economics in the raw, and discussed constructive and non-violent means of solving local and regional problems.

As a member of the Quaker committee which administers the Work Camps, I visited the camp located in Tennessee. In the heart of the TVA, near the new Chickamauga Dam, the Tennessee Bureau of Fisheries is constructing a pond to hatch fish to stock the new TVA dams. The TVA can deal only with power projects, so here is a community problem being solved with the aid and assistance of a major governmental enterprise. Eight hours each day



COMMUNITY SERVICE IN THE RAW



LOADING SHIP ON THE WEST COAST

LABOR PROBLEMS STUDIED ON THE GROUND

were spent by these college boys wielding picks and shovels and pouring concrete for the dam. The same amount of time was spent by the girls in replenishing the larder, in doing the housework, in laundry, mending, and other housekeeping duties. The girls wanted to do some manual labor, and they found plenty in their kitchen police assignments! Each day began with a short period for worship and meditation according to the custom of the Religious Society of Friends. Late afternoons were spent in study and recreation. Sundays the campers led classes in nearby Sunday schools and churches. Evenings were spent in a well-planned course of discussions with local leaders, and visitors of national recognition in their fields. Ideas garnered in the classrooms in Harvard and Yale, Smith and Vassar, Chicago, Texas, Cornell, Penn State, and foreign universities, were tested in debate and evaluated in real experiences.

Across the mountains in Macedonia, Georgia, a score of young men and women assisted a community there to introduce scientific reforestation, landscape old homes, and deal co-operatively with the problems of rural poverty resulting from economic disorganization. The automobile center at Flint, Michi-

gan, was the site of another camp. In an old bituminous coal mining area in Western Pennsylvania, the Penn-Craft Work Camp helped to build roads and joined in recreational activities in this rehabilitation center for distressed miners' families. At Delta Farm, in Rochdale, Mississippi, the work project was to develop a drainage system for the share-croppers at the Delta Co-operative Farm. On the West Coast, the campers-workers studied the migrant labor situation at San Pedro, and worked with the fishing community on Terminal Island.

These six camps are experiments of what the torch bearers in a democracy can do to learn more about how the other half lives in America. The American Friends Service Committee, in characteristic Quaker fashion, paid the overhead of the camps, and raised money to do it, while the campers shared in actual living expenses. A score of colleges and a host of families and friends of the campers will be stimulated this fall and for years to come by the experiences the campers had last summer. Experience is the best of all instructors, and economics can be a social science worth studying if intelligence and religion and social insight are applied to pressing local and national problems.

Dartmouth Fraternities Made Good!

By HENRY Q. MIDDENDORF, *Williams '28*, *Secretary of the N.I.C.*

OVER the entrance to the main building of a famous New England school is a Latin motto, which when translated reads: "Enter here boys that you may become men." Since from the school to the college and the fraternity



HENRY Q. MIDDENDORF, *Williams '28*

is but a step, we might well paraphrase that motto to be placed over the doorway of each chapter house: "Enter here men that you may become finer men. For while the college can do much toward lengthening and broadening a man's knowledge, it is in the surroundings of the fraternity that the depth and consistency of his character must be moulded.

These last two qualities, however, cannot be acquired solely through exposure to a fine environment; they are much more the result of accomplishment both on the part of the individual and of the group. They are to be found in an environment which helps to stimulate the scholarship of the individual, an accomplishment which the latter in turn is

grateful to pass on to the lower classmen. They are to be found in the opportunity for the development of business abilities, through the financial supervision of the chapter house. They are to be found in the opportunity for administration, in the capacity of the president for handling a group of men, with tact enough to prevent the formation of cliques, with fire and ambition enough to lead them through as a united group to a successful year. And finally, they are to be found in the opportunity for personal contact with a small, but vastly important unit of democratic self-government, wherein the accomplishments of the group are the result only of co-operative effort. Though such an environment as this may appear to be ideal, it is only with the ideal to be reached that the real can be grasped.

Just how important the forces of cooperation and idealism are in fraternity growth can best be illustrated by the action of the trustees of Dartmouth College in voting to approve the continuance of the fraternities after a period of strict probation. Three years ago a "bill of indictment" was rendered against the Dartmouth fraternities, with the recommendation by twelve of a Survey Committee of fourteen faculty and undergraduate members that all charters should be surrendered on a common date. Because, however, of an eloquent minority report, the trustees were willing to place fraternities on a three-year probation.

The problems to be faced were twofold: first, that of demonstrating to the fraternities the necessity of making themselves a contributing force to the objectives of the college. The groups had failed to realize that in accepting the privilege of self-government without college dictation there was also involved the assumption of responsibility for the general welfare of the college. And sec-

ond, that within each group a spirit of individualism had broken down the aim of co-operative achievement, just as that of the fraternities as a group had been destroyed. In 1934, the Dean of the college had stated that "the Fraternity Criteria did not impress Dartmouth chapters to any noticeable degree, since the principles stated were in common practice"; and yet two years later it was found that they had failed to make themselves vital.

The work of reconstruction was started under a new fraternity adviser with the intention of eliminating a "lack of purpose and chronic apathy" which an intensive survey of the social life of the college had revealed. The interfraternity council was strengthened and many discarded activities were revived. The fraternities forgot themselves and turned toward the assistance of the community; in the happiness which their efforts produced was to be found the stimulus of satisfaction. Through a closer contact between faculty and fraternity was born a new sense of the common aim of the college and fraternity. Within individual groups occurred a similar renaissance. Beginning within one chapter a few members studied the ideals of their ritual and sought to apply these

toward the spiritual enrichment of the members. Through this self-criticism were they able to bring to clearer light the ideals which had stimulated their founders.

"In view of the gratifying changes in the status of fraternities at Dartmouth College both in their local aspects and in their national relationships, within the last three years" the trustees in June voted to table the recommendation for dissolution and expressed their approval of fraternity conditions as they now exist.

At a time when in other universities questioning glances are being cast at fraternities by the administrations this clean bill of health should serve as a powerful stimulus. In practically every instance the college administrations are more than willing to co-operate. The common fraternity ideals exist in the Fraternity Criteria, adopted by the National Interfraternity Conference, and the projects to which the interfraternity councils can devote their efforts are countless. As at Dartmouth, only a few strong leaders are necessary to inspire the groups. Where this co-operation occurs, both the college and the fraternity will be proud to boast that they have brought out the "finer man."

Corrigenda

NUMEROUS Phis have called attention to certain omissions and errors in Brother Speers's article on our high army officers which appeared in the June SCROLL.

The most conspicuous omission, and the one most frequently mentioned, is that of Col. WILLIAM A. GANOE, *Dickinson* '02, now on duty at Pittsburgh as Chief of Staff, Organized Reserves. He is widely known as a lecturer and writer on the history of the United States Army. Another name omitted is that of Major THOMAS E. MAY, *Oregon State* '14, Instructor, National Guard of Oregon.

Col. FRANCIS HARDAWAY, *Washington* (St. Louis) '09, is commanding the Harbor Defenses of Chesapeake Bay and the Second Coast Artillery, Fort Monroe, Va., not the Coast Artillery in Hawaii, as stated. Major PORTER P. LOWRY, *South Dakota* '16, Coast Artillery Corps, is on duty at the Coast Artillery School, Fort Monroe, as all who attended the Old Point Comfort Convention will well remember; he has never been stationed in the Judge Advocate General's office. Major WILTON B. PERSONS, *Auburn* '16, is in the Signal Corps, not the Air Corps, as stated. The portrait given as that of Col. FREDERICK A. PRINCE is that of another officer who is not a Phi.

In fairness to Brother Speers and the Phi officer who helped him compile the list, it should be stated that the article had to be hurried more than it should have been in order to make the publication deadline, and for that the Editor is responsible. Both the Author and the Editor deeply regret the mistakes and crave the pardon of the officers concerned.—THE EDITOR.

Honor Society Elections, 1938-39

ONCE again it is the privilege of the Fraternity to make record of those men in our active chapters whose individual achievements have won for them election to the great honorary societies.

Such elections are one proof, but only one, that the chapters of $\Phi \Delta \Theta$ are choosing as members men of superior talent and training them as gentlemen and scholars, and so fulfilling a basic purpose of the Fraternity.

As in former years, limits of space force us to include in our consideration only four societies of national extent: $\Phi B K$ and $T B \Pi$, which recognize high scholastic attainment in the fields of the liberal arts and engineering respectively; $\Phi H \Sigma$, which rewards men of the freshman class for high scholarship; and $O \Delta K$, which honors leadership in all forms of undergraduate endeavor.

Each of these honoraries elects only a very small number of students in any college. The number of *Phis* elected is therefore impressive: 54 in $\Phi B K$, 24 in $T B \Pi$, 79 in $\Phi H \Sigma$, and 60 in $O \Delta K$. In many of our $\Phi \Delta \Theta$ colleges some of these societies are not represented; if local honorary societies with similar or identical

aims and objects were included, the number of *Phis* honored would be very greatly increased.

The following lists include the names reported to General Headquarters by the chapters; experience has shown that in spite of every effort to make the list complete, some chapter officers fail to report elections to honoraries.

PHI BETA KAPPA.—*Alabama:* Burton; *Arizona:* Chenery; *Stanford:* Fitch; *Florida:* Burress; *Emory:* Dickerson; *Idaho:* Brown; *Chicago:* Lochner; *Knox:* Glaub; *Illinois:* Castelo, Kirby, and Ward; *Iowa:* Freutel and Naekel; *Kansas:* Prager; *Tulane:* Finch and Sims; *Amherst:* Basse, Fowles, Good, and Putnam; *Dartmouth:* Perri; *Colgate:* Annett, Ogilvie, and Stearns; *Duke:* Few and Horack; *North Dakota:* Bacon and Griffith; *Miami:* Cairright, Heald, Prugh, Redlin, Storms, and Van Ausdal; *Ohio Wesleyan:* Davis; *Denison:* Sperl; *Oklahoma:* Montgomery; *Allegheny:* Albright; *Lehigh:* Hurst and Schafer; *Swarthmore:* Rockwood, Thomas, and Wilson; *Vanderbilt:* Howell; *Sewanee:* Turner; *Texas:* Greenhill, Kerr, and Villavaso; *Washington:* Hull and Jelbert; *Whitman:* Westerberg;

Phi Beta Kappas





Upper: Albright, Allegheny; Annett, Golgate; Basse, Amherst; Burrus, Florida
 Middle: Castelo, Illinois; Chenery, Arizona; Davis, Ohio Wesleyan; Dickerson, Emory
 Lower: Few, Duke; Finch, Tulane; Fitch, Stanford; Freutel, Iowa

Washington State: Gillingham; Lawrence: Fulton and Van Nostrand.

TAU BETA PI.—Auburn: Branch and McKenney; Stanford: Oakford and Shallenger; Iowa State: Boudinot, Carney, Cunningham, Maxon, Quinn, and Nel-

son; Kansas: Hirschler; Kentucky: Hall; Michigan State: Baldwin and Hart; Ohio State: McCarthy; Case: Horsburgh, Pekarok, Weiss, and Winslow; Oregon State: Adams, Copenhagen, and Davies; Lafayette: Evans and Lentz.



Upper: Fulton, Lawrence; Glaub, Knox; Good, Amherst; Gillingham, Washington State
 Middle: Greenhill, Texas; Griffith, North Dakota; Horack, Duke; Howell, Vanderbilt
 Lower: Hurst, Lzhigh; Hull, Washington; Kerr, Texas; Kirby, Illinois

PHI ETA SIGMA.—Alabama: Burton, Marshall, and Moody; Florida: Binnicker, Brown, Crago, Cunningham, and Rogers; Georgia: Bowen; Mercer: Arnett, Edwards, Hill, Latta, and Wood; Idaho: John Brown, William Brown,

Roper, and Ward; Northwestern: Anderson, Croessmann, Denninger, Jackson, and Kincaid; Illinois: Black, Gougler, Kirby, and Ward; Indiana: Weir; Butler: Atherton, Bowen, Hack, Holeman, McQueen, Moore, Pritchard, and Woolling;



Upper: Lochner, Chicago; Montgomery, Oklahoma; Nackel, Iowa; Prager, Kansas
 Middle: Putnam, Amherst; Schafer, Lehigh; Sims, Tulane; Stearns, Colgate
 Lower: Sperl, Denison; Thomas, Swarthmore; Turner, Sewanee; Van Nostrand, Lawrence

Michigan: Tobin; Mississippi: Catching, Crawley, Forman, Hammond, Haxton, Lancy, and Rust; Missouri: Wood; Washington (St. Louis): Hall and Harting; Duke: Daniel, Ochsenreiter, and Moyer; North Dakota: Stevens; Miami: Canright,

Claffin, Edwards, Heald, Lehman, Prugh, Redlin, Storms, Van Ausdal, and Whittington; Ohio: Frazer; Ohio State: McCarthy; Cincinnati: Berghausen; Oklahoma: Crenshaw, Gough, Johnson, Montgomery, Thompson; Penn State: Albright



Tau Beta Pis



Upper: Villavaso, Texas; Ward, Illinois; Westerberg, Whitman; Wilson, Swarthmore
 Middle: Carney, Iowa State; Cunningham, Iowa State; Copenhagen, Oregon State; Davies, Oregon State
 Lower: Evans, Lafayette; Hall, Kentucky; Hart, Michigan State; Hirschler, Kansas

and Wagner; *Southern Methodist*: Galvin, Ham, McDonald, Ramey, and Smith; *Washington and Lee*: Henderson; *Wisconsin*: Jacobs and Wright.

OMICRON DELTA KAPPA.—*Alabama*: Cox and Kidd; *Auburn*: McKenney and

Troup; *Kentucky*: Duty and Hall; *Tulane*: Kirby and Wenzel; *Louisiana State*: Bushman, Carroll, Lambert, Pringle, and Vallery; *Maryland*: Hardy, Johnson, Muncks, and Peaslee; *Mississippi*: Bowen, Fair, Hix, Mounger, Roseborough, and



Upper: Horsburgh, Case; Lentz, Lafayette; McCarthy, Ohio State; McKenney, Auburn
 Middle: Maxon, Iowa State; Nelson, Iowa State; Pekarek, Case; Quinn, Iowa State
 Lower: Shallenberger, Stanford; Weiss, Case; Winslow, Case

Wall; Westminster: Whorton; Washington (St. Louis): Wright; Davidson: Kenyon and Marquess; Miami: Graves, Heald, Prugh, Redlin, and Storms; Ohio Wesleyan: Case, Driver, Graner, and Townsend; Akron: Brown, Hutchinson, Noel, Sipes, and Snyder; Cincinnati: Bohrer; Denison: Sims and Walker; Dickinson:

Bittle, Graf, and Gorsuch; Lehigh: Hurst; Pittsburgh: Cashdollar and Dannies; Vanderbilt: Hackett, McGinness, and Manning; Sewanee: Bishop; Randolph-Macon: Forehand, Hunnicutt, and McFall; Richmond: Martin; Washington and Lee: Harper and Ragon.

He Humanizes General Motors

INDUSTRY has for more than a decade been slowly awakening to the fact that it has a mission besides paying dividends to its stockholders. The old rugged individualists have not been exactly enthusiastic about it, trained, as they were likely to be, under "the-public-be-damned" philosophy, and it has required much pressure, not excluding the national election of 1936, to fix the idea that the public have an interest in business outside the transaction of buying and selling.

No new idea was it that employees have certain inalienable rights, and the bitter struggle between capital and labor to strike the balance between them still goes on. It is now recognized that the customer too must be protected in certain rights; this is well expressed in Alfred P. Sloan's formula, "more and better things at lower prices for more people." That point of view has been important in the development of such enterprises as General Electric and Henry Ford's. It has been responsible for the maintenance of great research projects in mechanics and physics and chemistry and economics which have discovered new products and new processes that have added greatly to the comfort and convenience of the people.

The social responsibilities of industry, still to a large extent vague and undefined, are now comprehended in the correspondingly broad term Public Relations. As generally applied, it does not include advertising or labor problems or pricing, though obviously it is deeply concerned with all of them, as in fact it is concerned with all the processes of the business. Paul Garrett defines it inclusively as "finding out what people like and doing more of it; finding out what people don't like and doing less of it." But it goes beyond passive acceptance of public opinion; it undertakes to raise the standard of living and to edu-

cate the public on the value and the advantages of the higher standard.

General Motors has made exceptional provision for its Public Relations service. Nine years ago the company made Paul Willard Garrett, *Columbia '16*, a vice-president at a princely salary and gave him complete charge of the service. With a staff of fifty experts and a budget of two million dollars annually he seeks to find what the public desires and dislikes in an automobile, how General Motors business may be increased by supplying new demands, how General Motors products may be made to contribute more largely to American comfort and happiness.

In a leading article on General Motors in its March number, *Fortune* devotes much space to Brother Garrett's activities and methods. These cover an amazingly large field: publication of many periodicals and pamphlets, lecture and entertainment programs, studies of conditions in the many company plants as they affect the workers and their families, surveys of public opinion with reference to pressing social and economic problems, analyses of company reports for the better understanding of stockholders, expert discussion on problems of transportation and traffic hazards, and many others. Methods are manifold and ingeniously adapted to special problems. Among the big projects credited to Brother Garrett are the basic idea of the magnificent General Motors exhibit at the New York World's Fair and the General Motors Parade of Progress, a circus-like caravan which has visited hundreds of cities and exhibited to enormous crowds the progress of industry, the marvels of discovery resulting from research, and some idea of what lies ahead for future generations.

For a task of such magnitude Paul Garrett had solid preparation. He received his college training at Whitman

College, followed by graduate work at Columbia, from which he received his master's degree in 1914. He was employed by the New York Bureau of Municipal Research and the New Jersey Bureau of State Research, and in 1918 joined the War Industries Board at Washington. After the war he conducted the Government's official survey of its experience in commodity and price regulation for the war period.

In 1920 he accepted a position as financial columnist for the *New York Evening Post*, a newspaper that had long enjoyed a reputation for the excellence of its financial section. He conducted a column called "The Investor" for five years, and in 1925 was made financial editor of the paper. In this position he enjoyed the steady confidence of the country's business and financial leaders with whom his work brought him into contact. His daily column, "Business Today," was widely read and syndicated throughout the United States. During this period he was closely associated with the late Cyrus H. K. Curtis, owner of the *Post*. He left the paper in 1931 to join the General Motors Staff.

Brother Garrett has had an interesting experience in $\Phi \Delta \Theta$. In his freshman year at Whitman College he became a member of Illahee Club, the local which was petitioning for a $\Phi \Delta \Theta$ charter. Forthwith he was discovered to have talents which fitted him peculiarly for an enterprise which required imagination, skill in presentation, and finesse in making the right kind of contacts. As a member of the small group responsible for the charter petition his work was invaluable. But he left Whitman before the task was completed. When he entered Columbia, he was pledged by New York Delta and was initiated October 13, 1913. His work for the Whitman petition continued with increased effectiveness, and the charter was granted at the next Convention, in 1914. While, therefore, officially his Fraternity connection has been with New York Delta, his heart

has been with Washington Beta, into which his college-mates were initiated when the chapter was installed.

In college Garrett was studious and



PAUL WILLARD GARRETT, Columbia '16

thorough; his interest then, as now, was in economics and social problems. He waged a constant fight against being drawn into too many student activities, for which his attainments and personality fitted him. He was a capable debater, and represented his alma mater in intercollegiate contests, and he was editor of an annual which stood as a standard for many years. In his senior year he was president of the student body. His scholarship won him a $\Phi \beta \kappa$ key.

The *Fortune* article referred to above, with *Time*-like terseness, characterises Garrett as "sandy, quiet, serious-minded without being pompous." The description is a fair one, though "sandy" is rather an understatement. In college he was universally called "Rosy." He carries about him an air of sincerity and simplicity that inspires confidence which further acquaintance always deepens into lasting friendship.

A New Roving Federal Judge

By GEORGE K. CRACRAFT, *Seawanee '12*

THE confirmation by the United States Senate, of the appointment of Brother Harry J. Lemley, *Washington and Lee '10*, to the new "roving" Fed-



HARRY JACOB LEMLEY, *Washington and Lee '10*

eral Judgeship of Arkansas, has brought another distinguished honor to $\Phi \Delta \Theta$.

Brother Lemley was born in Upper-ville, Va., August 6, 1883. He attended Randolph-Macon Academy, 1899-1901, the University of Virginia for two years 1901-1903. He absented himself from

college until 1908 when he entered law school at Washington and Lee, graduating in 1910. While in Washington and Lee he was a member of $\Phi \Delta \Theta$.

Since 1912 Brother Lemley has been actively engaged in the practice of law in Hope, Arkansas. In addition to his distinguished career as a lawyer he has donated a great deal of his time to archaeology, being affiliated with the Society for American Archaeology and is a member of archaeological societies of Texas, Missouri, Illinois, and Wisconsin, and he has written a number of important articles on the subject.

Brother Lemley married Caroline McRae of Hope, Arkansas, in 1913 and has two sons, Lieut. Henry J. Lemley, Jr., and K. McRae Lemley, the former being now a Lieutenant in the United States Army and the latter a cadet in the United States Military Academy, West Point.

Brother Lemley has been recognized for his educational and financial leadership, and served for many years as vice-president of the First National Bank of Hope, and president of the board of trustees of the Magnolia A. & M. College of Arkansas, and as a member of the State Highway Audit Commission, and he has been associated with his brother, W. Kendall Lemley, also a member of Virginia Zeta, class of 1910, in the law practice in Hope since 1912.

The Situation at L.S.U.

THE recent political scandal in Louisiana, including the flight and arrest of the former president of Louisiana State University, have proved a body-blow to the prestige of the University. However, the faculty and students have kept their heads and are bravely and loyally setting about the task of carrying on and conserving the good work that has been done there. In an address at the Commencement Exercises August 2, Acting President Herbert said: "The recent distressing events at L.S.U. have been entirely concerned with the administrative and financial as-

pects of the university's affairs; these have not in any way disrupted the continued and beneficial functions of the purely educational and academic activities. . . . It is my honest opinion that, in general, academic conditions are sound. . . . The sound foundations of a strong educational institution are here, and the university will continue to gain respect and recognition.

The crisis through which the university has just passed, calamitous as it has been, seems likely to prove the beginning of a new and better era.

A Forecast of 1939 Football

By MURRAY S. SMITH, *Knox '25*

IN the recent nation-wide poll to elect the leading football players of the country Bob Castelo of Illinois was chosen end on the All-American team to play the New York Giants. Novakofski of Lawrence ran a splendid race as a halfback. Kinnison of Missouri and Elmer of Minnesota were included in the vote-getting centers. Wendlick of Oregon State ran a good race at end. Stebbins of Pitt was included in the halfbacks who were given thousands of votes. Don Heap, Glen Harmeson, and Red Dawson were Phi coaches who received support from fans.

To join the professional ranks ofphis this year are Winterholler, Stebbins, Wenzel, Dolman, and Wendlick. They join Schammel, Schwammel, Plasman, Hoel, Lewis, Crayne, Wagner, Smith, Fitzsimmons, Kenderine, Kolberg, Isbell, Hackney, and Sims, who are now playing pro football.

We may do a little guessing and prognosticating about the coming football season and hope we are not too far wrong about brothers who should go places.

Big Ten.—The champion Minnesota Gophers look to these Phis to continue their strong challenge: Bjorklund, Lee, Franck, and Bill Johnson. Michigan

augurs well as a dark horse this year and Tom Harmon should be All-American, with Meyer a regular quarterback. Northwestern is being paged as the real threat and Jack Ryan, Tim Herman, and Fran Purtell are regulars-to-be. The fighting Illini will feature Fultz, Thistlewood, and Johnson in their lineup. The Chicago Maroons will be led by Bex, Crandell, and Yoder. Indiana's Hoosiers tout Brooks as their regular quarterback. Ohio State will add Scott, Maag, Bruckner, Adams, and Lewis to their list of greats and Purdue will again feature the great Lou Brock and Rush. Lou looks like All-American.

Eastern Conference.—The Pitt Panthers under the tutelage of Phi coach Chuck Bowser will present Crissman, Dickinson, Stodgell, and Andrews. Colgate will star Bremmer, Caseria, Garvey, and Myc. Syracuse will again feature the running of Banger, Garvey, and Hicks. Watch Banger Crowell of Penn State. Eaves, Darnell, Davis, Boehringer, and Robb of Duke are others who look good in the East.

Among smaller Eastern schools, Colby again is led by a Phi captain Bruce, and Tower, Warren, Webb, and O'Neil are others who should play. Niedemeyer, Hare, and Vial look good at Maryland.



FOUR VETERANS

Kinnison, *Missouri*; Stebbins, *Pittsburgh*; Wenzel, *Tulane*; Dolman, *California*



*Upper: Elmer, Franck, Johnson, and Bjorklund, Minnesota
Middle: Brock, Purdue; Harmon, Michigan; Albright, Case; Bohrer, Cincinnati
Lower: Robb, Haas, and Eaves, Duke; Larkowich, Brown*

Williams has Stewart and Gardner. Lafayette has Sweeney, Hooven, and Burger, while Trantman and Jones are comers at Swarthmore. At Gettysburg, Shoemaker, Shelly, Weems, and Eastlake carry on. Powell, Moore, Richards, and

Wrenshall will lead the Presidents at W.&J. At Lehigh, it's Conover and Callias, with Forgach and Scott at Dickinson. Brown's Bears rely on Ritter and Williams. Much is expected of McKnight, Brossman, and Johnson at Allegheny.



Upper: Hassett, Florida; Cox, Alabama; Plunkett, Mercer
 Middle: Connor, Butler; Brown, Colorado; Grabenhorst, Washington; Ell, Oregon State
 Lower: Standlee, Stanford; Willard, Stanford; Fennenbock, U.C.L.A.; Held, Arizona

South.—Down yonder the alumni have much to be hot about. At Alabama, the new captain is Cox. The Vols of Vanderbilt have sophomores Smart and Kammerer. Southern Methodist has a great soph in McGaffey. At Texas much

is expected from Neeley. At Sewanee there are Phillips, Whitley, and Thomas. Rongher and Weinman are good-looking second-year men at Virginia. At Randolph-Macon it's McDowell. Washington and Lee will be generated by Didier,

Hunt, Burger, Harper, and Baker. Davis is really great at Kentucky. Davidson alumni can expect much from Iverson, Moore, Beaty, and Cowan. Over in the state of Georgia a strong Georgia Tech team expects a lot from Beard, Goree, and Ison. Mercer will be led by Plunkett, Garfield, and Darby. The University of Georgia has two future greats in Stevens and Nowell. Florida University has veteran Hassett and sophomore Robinson. Giantonio and Bethea look very good at Rollins College.

The Midlands.—Nebraska has a great sophomore in George Abel. At Kansas, Bunsen will again plunge. Reck should wreck them at Missouri. Heggen, Russell, Pratt, and Moody return at Iowa State. Washington U. at St. Louis has a great contingent in McDougall, Lyon, Yore, Cory, and Root. Gargett and Galda are veterans at Michigan State. Over in Ohio, Gaylord at Miami; Markley at Wesleyan; Mohler at Ohio University; Palmer, Culbertson, Morrison, Miller, Mikeloshek, and Whitten at Akron; Shafer, Spangenburg, Eichler, Strawn, Michel, Cordes, Albrecht, and Poremba at Case; Bellar and Trantman at Denison; Bohrer, Heiner, Gunsett, Kelchner, Bore and Richards at Cincinnati are future greats.

In the Hoosier state, Butler will be led by Captain Bob Connor, Reno,

Owen, Gibson, Pike, Schlake, Freuchtenicht, and Golay. At Franklin College, it looks like Frazell, Shanahan, Grefe, Atkinson, and Hougham. Newton, Anders, and Faith look good at Hanover. Barger is a comer at Kansas State. At Lawrence College, Captains Buesing and Garvey will lead a strong squad. At Knox, Fender and Fahbri look good. Wernli and Lane are veterans at South Dakota.

Pacific Coast.—At Washington, Grabenhorst, McAdams, Dorman, Lenan, Coonan, and Gleeson are a great squad. Gentry, Godfrey, and Beckman are future greats at Washington State. Rodgers, De Golia, Folmer, Haukins, and Shipley look very good at California. At U.C.L.A., it's Fennenbock, a star back, McCallum, and Simpson. Standlee, Johansen, Thompson, Weiners, Adamson, and Willard are Stanford hopefuls. Oregon State has a fine bunch in Ell, Kohlers, Ielsma, and Copenhagen. Oregon U. will star Lance, Mahee, Dyer, Nicholson, Lindstrom, and Stevenson.

Now to come East a bit, Montana has Hoon, Shaffer, Nugent, and Dowling. At Idaho there's Heien, Franklin, and Whitlock. Colorado has Brown, Anderson, and Garbanati. Colorado College looks to Hizer, Panter, Pike, Danford, Speight, and Beauchamp. At Arizona it will be Held, Swift, and Baniger.

A Phikeia to Watch

PHIKEIA CAMPBELL KANE of Indiana Alpha, who just completed his freshman year at University of Indiana, came through in grand style at the National A.A.U. Track and Field Championships held at Lincoln, Nebraska, on July 3 and 4. Entered in the Junior 800-meter run, he won the race easily in the fast time of 1:53, only 2/10 of a second over the record. This placed him in the Senior 800-meter on July 4 and, running against the best field in the country, he placed second

behind the former Ohio State middle-distance ace, Charlie Beetham. The winner's time was 1:51.7 and Kane was only a step behind. Phikeia Kane also ran in some of the indoor meets in the East last winter, showing so well that he was invited to compete in the 880-yard run at the great Princeton Invitation meet on June 24. He placed third, back of Beetham and Borican, and the time was 1:51. He certainly looks like an excellent prospect for the 1940 Olympic team.—M. S. S.

Phis at West Point 1938-39



Front row, left to right: Vance, Oklahoma; Lane, Southwestern; Lycon, Washington State; Twyman, Knox; Alsop, Kentucky; Jacoby, Missouri; Ewell, Duke. Back row, left to right: Millican, DePauw; Spillman, Northwestern; Bentley, Auburn; Howell, Sewanee; Hutson, Illinois; Williams, Vanderbilt; Andeck, Iowa State; Marsh, Michigan State.

THE SCROLL brings you the latest additions to the long line of Phis who are serving their country as officers of its regular army.

On June 12 nine Phis graduated from West Point as second lieutenants. They leave behind them a strong band of underclassmen, brother Phis, who in a few years will join them as brother officers.

Four years ago Phis from all over the United States reported on July first as new cadets of the United States Military Academy. There followed as strenuous a summer as they will ever face again. During those trying months it was while struggling along a dusty road on a hike or picking themselves up after a spill in a game that these fellows began to know their brother Phis. Louisiana met Michigan; Washington met Pennsylvania; and the march was never quite so hard from then on.

Plebe year changed to yearling year; yearlings became second classmen; and second classmen were at last first classmen with one year to go.

This unusual band of Phis were not permitted to organize in any way as such, or to be active as a group, but they were always ready to help a brother if he needed help and to wish him luck as he graduated.—ROBERT C. TWYMAN, *Knox '36*

The Minneapolis Convention

Keep in mind the date and place! August 27-30, 1940, Minneapolis, Minnesota! Headquarters will be at Nicollet Hotel. The local committee is busy with preliminary arrangements, and another notable General Convention is in prospect. Fuller announcements will appear in the next issue of the SCROLL.

Phis Make Air Mail History

By CLAUDE M. MARRIOTT, *Syracuse '01*

THE first rotary-wing aircraft mail service in the world was inaugurated in Philadelphia on July 6. It is the shortest air mail route under government contract—a shuttle service between the Philadelphia post-office and the central airport at Camden, New Jersey. Only six miles separate the two stations, yet the delivery time for air mail has been reduced nearly half an hour each way.

Air mail to and from Philadelphia will be received and dispatched on the roof of the Philadelphia post-office. This completes a new chapter in aviation history—the first of its kind in the world.

The airship used has been developed and built by the Kellett Autogiro Corporation, a Philadelphia concern whose vice-president in charge of engineering is Brother Richard H. Prewitt, *Purdue '29*; and the underlying patent of this type of airship is controlled by the Pennsylvania Aircraft Syndicate of which Brother E. Burke Wilford, *Pennsylvania '22*, is president and general manager.



Phila. Evening Bulletin Photo

TAKE-OFF FROM THE ROOF

Several years ago Brother Wilford saw a brief description of a German rotor which, in its rudimentary form, feathered about its long axis instead of flap-

ping about a hinge. He became so interested in the idea and its possibilities that he went to Europe and came back with the American rights. He organized the Pennsylvania Aircraft Syndicate which controls the rights in this country. From this idea came the Wilford gyroplane which is the aerodynamic equivalent of the autogiro developed by the Kellett Company. The main difference is that the gyroplane employs a feathering control with a cam-like mechanism which causes the pitch of the blades to change on one side or the other of the fuselage, ahead or in the rear of the pylon, instead of tilting the rotor axis.

Brother Prewitt has spent the greater part of his time since his graduation from Purdue in experimental work and developing rotary-wing aircraft. The story of his work and a description of his planes appeared in the April number of the *SCROLL*.

The Army and Navy have become interested in both the autogiro and the gyroplane for observation, communication, and scouting work because it can take off and land vertically on uneven terrain, or on rough water when equipped with pontoons. Although the giro type of plane is less speedy than the better-known type of airplane, still it performs certain functions much better than the fixed wing craft. It is predicted that roof-top airports will soon be installed in our large cities for air-mail deliveries. When this time comes the giro type of plane will be used. An exchange air mail service between Philadelphia and New York is now being worked out.

The importance of this new air mail service was recognized by the large number of distinguished guests who attended the inaugural ceremonies, including

representatives of the post-office department, the army and navy as well as officials of several air lines and noted fliers.

special cachets were loaded for the return hop, which was completed in another six minutes. The round-trip hop



RICHARD H. PREWITT, *Purdue '29*



BURKE WILFORD, *Pennsylvania '22*

Captain Rickenbacker, President of the Eastern Airlines, said of this installation, "it is the outstanding success of the Postal Department's air mail achievement."

Stamp collectors from all over the world sent covers to be dispatched on the initial flight; 45,000 pieces of "first-flight" mail made up the consignment on the first history-making take-off. Six minutes later delivery was made at the Camden airport. Bags containing more

was made in about fifteen minutes whereas deliveries by truck have required twenty-five minutes each way. Time is saved; air mail is now carried entirely by air, and, most important of all, a new type of airship has attracted the attention of the world.

Phi are particularly proud of the fact that this service has been developed through years of intense study and experimental research in which these two brothers have had no small part.

The Phi Delta Theta Plaque

GENERAL HEADQUARTERS report that interest in the commemorative Plaque is growing steadily and that eventually all chapters will have this beautiful reminder of the Fraternity's founding and the chapter's establishment.

Since the Old Point Comfort Convention plaques have been supplied to nine chapters, making a total of thirty-three since the idea and design were adopted at Syracuse. This result has been achieved without any special campaign among the chapters; the idea sells itself. Recent installations of the plaque are those at Iowa Gamma, Indiana Theta, South Dakota Alpha, Michigan Alpha, California Alpha, Tennessee Alpha, and Missouri Gamma. Several other chapters are negotiating.

A Corner with Phi Authors

As viewed by GEORGE A. SCHUMACHER, *Butler '25*

Gutenberg and the Invention of Printing. By Lawrence E. Tomlinson. Washington: Judd and Detweiler, 1938, 56 pp. \$10.

Lawrence E. Tomlinson, *Oregon '28*, has had considerable training in the study of books to provide him with a background for such a work as *Gutenberg and the Invention of Printing*. He has been a member of the staff of the Library of Congress and did work in library science at George Washington University. In this book Tomlinson takes up once more the old controversy regarding the first printer. There have been many differences of opinion and much smoke of battle on the subject. In the final analysis the two men legitimately considered are John Gutenberg, the printer of Mainz, and Lourens Coster of Holland.

Tomlinson presents a generous background relative to early times and the beginning of

printing with a glance into the history of Chinese printing activity with block type and even movable type by 1040. Dealing more directly with the controversial question, Tomlinson goes into detail regarding the work of Gutenberg and Coster. As the reader progresses he sees that the author is leaning more and more to the validity of the claims for Gutenberg as the first printer. Tomlinson has of necessity been forced into the use of scholastic detail and evidence which he handles in a manner quite free from the too often laborious style of works of this kind.

The book is beautifully made and is an exquisite work of modern printing. There are a number of splendid reproductions of old fragments of printing and illustrations. Quite aside from its authoritative contents, the book is a thing of beauty and a joy to behold.

The book comes at a time when the world is celebrating the five hundredth anniversary of the perfection of printing. It is a very timely and a very worth-while volume.

Two New Ben Harrison Stories

THE following anecdotes concerning Benjamin Harrison, *Miami '52*, were told by Thomas H. Baskerville, *Columbia '86*, at a recent dinner in New York:

"I had a roommate and classmate, Julius M. Mayer [*Columbia '84*]. He afterwards became a Federal judge, but that is not important. We had small allowances, but rich tastes. As Julius used to say, he did like Mrs. Delmonico's cooking. Whenever we picked up a piece of news we took it to the *Sun* and received a small payment for it. In 1885, General Benjamin Harrison, after serving a six-year term as Senator from Indiana, was defeated for re-election. He came to New York and Julius and I determined to interview him. We had no difficulty, because at that time Julius was editor of the $\Phi\Delta\Theta$ SCROLL and I was assistant editor. Benjamin Harrison was an enthusiastic member of the Fraternity. We asked him about his defeat for the Senate, and he explained that he had incurred the enmity of some members of the Legislature, enough to elect his opponent. "I am dead politically," said he, "I intend to go back to Indianapolis, pull down my old Blackstone, study hard, and with God's help, I hope, before I die, to be the best lawyer in Indiana." Julius leaned forward and said, "General, I wish to make a prophesy. Three years from now you will be nominated for the Presidency and you will be

elected." The General laughed and called to his wife to come in from the next room and listen to a couple of crazy boys. Well, everybody knows that Julius' prophesy came true.

During Harrison's term as President he came to New York on the occasion of the quadricentennial of the discovery of America. He made formal addresses at two vast meetings and was invited to a great dinner in the evening. He accepted, on condition that he should not be asked to speak. When he arrived at the dinner he found that in spite of this understanding he had been put on the program for an address. He was very angry. Turning to Mayor Grant, who was presiding, he said, "Grant, this is a blankety-blank outrage. You have made a blankety-blank monkey out of me!" The language sounded like Mayor Grant's, not President Harrison's. A day or two later Julius and I dined with the President and his wife, and I asked Mrs. Harrison if the General ever swore. She replied, "No, I don't think Ben ever used profane language except once. Then he was arguing a case before Judge Walter Q. Gresham. As he proceeded, the Judge said, 'General, I don't care to hear any more on that point.' Ben replied, 'Judge, I have not developed my argument and I intend to get ahead.' 'Sit down!' shouted the Judge. 'I'll be damned if I do,' said the General. And he didn't; he finished his argument."



EDITORIAL



BERNARD V. MOORE, Treasurer of the General Council, has passed away, and Phi Delta Theta has lost another great leader. Brother Moore died of a heart attack at a Minneapolis hospital August 9, 1939. He had successfully resisted a similar attack a fortnight before and had been sent to the hospital to recuperate. His condition was not regarded as critical; reassurance came that he was improving. Word of his death came after the *SCROLL* was in press, so that it has been impossible to do more than make this brief announcement. The next issue will give some account of Brother Moore's life and of his great work for Phi Delta Theta. He will be mourned by the thousands of Phis who found in him a friend.

General Council Changes THE death of Brother Bernard V. Moore, Treasurer of the General Council, has necessitated important changes in the General Council. At a meeting held in Minneapolis after Brother Moore's funeral, the four surviving members, acting in accordance with the provisions of the Code, elected a fifth member, Brother O. J. Tallman, *Lafayette '24*. Brother Emmett Junge was chosen Treasurer of the General Council to succeed Brother Moore, and Brother Cluverius was made Reporter of the General Council in place of Brother Junge. Brothers Gaches and Tallman are members at large.

Brother Tallman's appointment will have universal approval in the Fraternity. In point of service he is the dean of our province presidents, serving as president of Rho Province since it was created out of a part of Beta Province, and before that of the undivided Beta Province. For years he has been one of our most valuable Convention law-makers. A keen lawyer, his advice has been constantly sought in the framing of new legislation for the governance of the Fraternity. He rendered a great service at the Old Point Comfort Convention as chairman of the Committee on Constitution and General

Statutes, in carrying through the task of revising the Code. It is a common comment at conventions that Jake Tallman is a steady worker and is apt to get the tough assignments. In debate he is clear and forceful, but considerate of his opponent's position. He is serious, but not too serious, and his circle of friends is a wide one. The General Council has acquired a wise new member.

Rushing Problem As the magazines of other fraternities come in exchange to the Editor's desk he is impressed with the amount of space in them which is devoted to the theme of rushing. There are sober-sided essays on what constitutes proper qualifications for admission to such-and-such a fraternity; long dissertations on the methods and technique of "selling" the fraternity (*mirabile dictu*) to the freshman; cautions on behavior and etiquette (especially in the women's magazines) in the presence of "rushees"; more and more discussion about conditions which are responsible for the fact that new members in larger delegations are more necessary than ever and are harder and harder to get. Frantic are the appeals to alumni to send recommendations to fill the ranks.

Occasionally the cat gets out of the bag—we must have larger freshman classes to provide revenue for the upkeep of the new or bigger house. And so we have the spectacle of chapters numbering eighty, ninety, a hundred members. In the new parlance, the chapter has become "the house"—an identification that may well make Phis pause.

As you approach the season when you invite new men to affix their names to the Bond of the Phi Delta Theta, what is your chapter maintaining—a brotherhood or a boarding house?

Our New SEPTEMBER in the date-line of *Schedule* this number is not a mistake.

Beginning with this volume, the SCROLL will appear in September, November, January, March, and May; the *Palladium* in October, December, February, and June. It is hoped that the new schedule will serve the Fraternity more efficiently. In the past, for example, the first number of the volume, which should be in the hands of the active members at the opening of college either was a month late or had to be antedated a month; the June number in many instances reached the colleges when the students were in the throes of final examinations, or sometimes after college closed for the summer vacation. The other numbers were not more timely.

Following the practice of the last two years, chapter news letters will be published in all numbers except November. Chapter reporters are asked particularly to note the new deadlines for their letters: October 10, December 10, February 10, and April 10. The SCROLL will be issued the middle of each following month, the printer's schedule being about thirty days.

We Are CHAPEL chimes; eager *Responsible* groups hurrying across campus; cheery greetings of old friends as they meet and pass; earnest conferences with professors about courses and new schedules; echoes of tramping feet in the sacred old halls; all these are

familiar things in our colleges and universities, denoting the opening of another college year.

Seniors of a few weeks back are missing, but in numbers their places have been taken by a strange new group. Their green caps mark them as the incoming class—the Class of 1943. They are an interesting group withal. Some are shy and retiring, awed by the new and strange surroundings; some are forward and inquisitive; all are thoroughly in earnest and enthusiastic. This new group will have to learn new ways, new customs, old traditions, proper forms and methods of procedure.

Proper leadership is one of our great needs today. If Young America is not properly directed, our country is lost. Here, then, is a great problem, a tremendous responsibility—and an opportunity glorious beyond words. This new college generation are looking to us for leadership. Upon the shoulders of the members and officers of the Greek-letter fraternities, quite as much as upon the college authorities, rests this grave responsibility.

Unless Phi Delta Theta and the other fraternities meet the challenge honestly and fearlessly and provide the leadership which they can supply if they will, they lose their reason for existence. In these days of strange new ideologies, fundamental truth and righteousness must be taught these freshmen by example and by exemplary lives and not by precept only.

Many of the Class of 1943 will come with us. To them we promise that we will deal honestly and faithfully. We promise that they will be better men when they leave us four years hence than when they came with us—if they do their part as honestly. We will teach them the real values of true friendship, culture, and reverence for sacred institutions. We will promise them four years of happy comradeship, but more: with united effort we will earnestly work for the welfare of our College, our Country, and our Christian civilization.—CLAUDE M. MARRIOTT.

The Year 1938-1939 in the Chapters

Summarized by HARRY M. GERLACH, *Miami*, '30

ALABAMA ALPHA—UNIVERSITY OF ALABAMA

THE Phis at Alabama opened the year by pledging twenty men. Late rushing added three or four more to the delegation. Thirteen of these men were initiated at the end of the first semester. Cox was a star on the varsity football team. At the close of the season he was elected captain for 1939. He was tapped by O Δ K and made a member of the Cotillion Club. Marshall was president of the Interfraternity Council and delegate to the N. I. C. meetings in New York City. Palmer gained membership in Scabbard and Blade and was their representative to their national convention at Berkeley, Calif. Kidd was tapped by O Δ K. Webb and Halsey were initiated into Philomathic Literary Society. Burton gained his Φ B K key. Ferguson was elected business manager of the *Rammer-jammer*. Throughout the year the chapter's intramural teams were most successful and led all other fraternities in the various competitive sports. The chapter produced an excellent issue of the *Alabama Phi*.

ALABAMA BETA—ALABAMA POLYTECHNIC INSTITUTE

ON Greater Auburn Day the chapter had the distinct pleasure of entertaining Brother Bartow Eberhart, '82, who was initiated when the chapter was *sub rosa*. Many members of the chapter were interested in activities on the campus. Troup was vice-president of O Δ K, a member of Spades, the Interfraternity Council, Ring Committee, Elections Committee, sports editor of the *Plainsman* and was listed in *Who's Who in American Universities*. McKenney was T B II, O Δ K, Φ Ψ, a member of the Interfraternity Council, and Scabbard and Blade. Branch was president of T B II and a member of H K N. Barfield was a member of Interfraternity Council and Φ Ψ. Stratford was on the *Plainsman* staff and a member of the track team. Nichols was treasurer of the freshman class, participated in debating and was a member of the *Plainsman* staff. Fleming played freshman basketball. Williams, John and Wilson Taylor, and Haas were members of the Glee Club. Northington was a member of Scarab. Rencher and Raht were members of the *Glomerata* staff. Haas was a member of the freshman cross country team and led all the freshmen with an average of 94.2.

ALBERTA ALPHA—UNIVERSITY OF ALBERTA

THE Phis of the far North had a perfect rush season with twelve men bid and twelve men pledged. Their perfection spread out into many athletic lines. Nine men were with the football

team. Clarke was manager; Smith, Monkman, and McLennan were linemen, McDonald and Forbes were at the end positions, while Fitzgerald, Stewart and MacCallum were in the backfield. McLennan was chosen for membership in the Block A Club because of his outstanding service to the team. Four inter-faculty Rugby teams were managed by Phis; namely, Thomas, French, Miller, and Brimbecombe. Players on the various teams were Aikenhead, Howard, Pryde, Gore, Hope, and Chesney. On the senior track team Gore was a middle distance relay member, and Freeze was an excellent pole vaulter. Stewart and Chesney were star members of Alberta's Golden Bears hockey team. Other fields of endeavor found McLaws the representative to the Student Council for the law school and Monkman representative for the Engineering Students Society, Ritchie was secretary-treasurer of the Medical Club. French became the Student Council representative for the Agricultural Faculty. The Pallas Award for the outstanding scholar in the chapter was won by Hutton. The award for the Phikeias went to Scott for his excellent scholarship. The chapter has enjoyed the association of the Edmonton Alumni Club during the year.

ARIZONA ALPHA—UNIVERSITY OF ARIZONA

THE Phis in the land of dry sunshine enjoyed a very active and successful year together. In athletic sports the chapter was represented in football by Barringer, Held, and Swift, ends. Chandler was a member of the freshman team. When spring football season rolled around Held, Attridge, Chandler, and Westfall were out for practice. In basketball Chandler, Westfall, and Hood were members of the team. Tennis drew the attention of McCormick and Catlin. The chapter's intramural teams were successful, taking championships in basketball and cross-country events. In their frosh year Chandler and Westfall won numerals in basketball. Other fields of activity found Gwynn chairman of the social life committee, Scott president of the freshman class, Kreiling, Merchant, and Chenery heads of departments of the yearbook, and Entz winner of a University public speaking contest. Dramatic productions drew the attention of Foote and Scott who had male leads in *Stage Door*. Scott also took an important part in *Winterset*. Kelley and Brewer were pledged to Φ M A. Kelley was a member of Blue Key also. Chenery was elected to Φ B Φ and to Φ B K. Tenny was a student associate of A. I. M. E. The chapter enjoyed many social events, one of which was a very interesting mothers' and dads' day banquet at the chapter house.

**BRITISH COLUMBIA ALPHA—UNIVERSITY OF
BRITISH COLUMBIA**

THE activities and interests of the chapter during the year were many. Aside from athletics, campus politics, and publications, the chapter enjoyed frequent contact with their Mothers Club and alumni organization. Outstanding in athletics was Matthison who was awarded the Bobby Gaul Trophy. This trophy is awarded annually to the man who shows the greatest athletic ability and the finest athletic leadership in the university. Matthison was a member of the Adanac Box-lat, Western champions for several years, president of men's athletics, and chairman of the directorate of men's athletics. Other chapter members found rugby interesting. Robson, Hoskins, Smith, and Runkle were team members. Rann and Bruce Matheson played basketball. McLeod was a member of the football team. Gross was manager of rugby while Donegani was assistant manager of football. In intramural sports the chapter was very strong, going to the semi-finals in both rugby and basketball. The leading social event for the chapter was its annual spring formal held at the Royal Vancouver Yacht Club.

**CALIFORNIA ALPHA—UNIVERSITY OF
CALIFORNIA**

THE Phis in Berkeley enjoyed many varied activities. The chapter was particularly strong in all athletic sports. Dolman, Thomas, and Rodgers were members of the football team. Dolman won his third letter with his play at end. Cotton was assistant varsity football coach. DeGolia, Folmer, Hawkins, and Shipley were members of the frosh football squad. David and Willi were members of the basketball squad while Anderson, Hug, Scrivner, Hawkins, and DeBarnardi were members of the frosh team. Beal was stroke on the varsity crew. Thomas and Todd were varsity track men. Nutting and LaFitte competed

with the freshman team. David was a pitcher on the baseball team of which Forney was junior manager. Maybury, Rodgers, and Markwart were members of the rugby team. DeGolia and Innes were members of the freshman water polo team. Maybury was a member of the golf team. L'Hommedieu and Forney were members of the ski team. DeGolia received his circle C for his work on the varsity swimming team. DeGolia received his block numeral for his work on the freshman baseball squad. Innes won his circle numeral for his work on the freshman water polo team. Shipley was on the 165-pound division of the varsity boxing team. Some of the other types of activities included Thomas, president of the interfraternity council, and Willi, president of the freshman class. Kean was manager of the university band, while Eckley, Obermuller, and DeGolia were on the publications staff. Noles became a member of Skull and Key. Markwart, Middleton, Noles, Forney, Stutt, Hagwood, and Paulsen were student officers in the R.O.T.C. Of these men Stutt, Forney, and Noles gained membership in Scabbard and Blade. Eckley was junior manager of the *Daily California*, while Casey was on the managerial staff of the same publication. Cooper was junior intramural manager and Forney was junior baseball manager. The chapter's tennis team, composed of Eckley, Hogin, Fairbank, Orsburn, and Hawkins, won the Interfraternity tournament. In all intramural sports the chapter ranked fourth during the year. The chapter took the lead in organizing a Miami Triad dance which proved to be most successful. The chapter has taken advantage of the foreign exchange plan and has entertained foreign students for the last several years.

CALIFORNIA BETA—STANFORD UNIVERSITY

THE Phis at Stanford well maintained their athletic strength by furnishing many members for the varsity teams. On the gridiron were Willard, Kirsch, Coldiron, deWitt, Standlee, Johannessen,


STANFORD LEADERS

Shallenberger, senior councillor, Clark, all-Coast halfback; Gerbstedt, varsity soccer; McDuffie, president interfraternity council

Thompson, and Meiners. The cage squad enrolled Anderson and Oakford. The roster of the rugby team included Carnahan, Adamson, and Thompson. deWitt and Maino were members of the varsity baseball team. The soccer team enrolled the chapter's German exchange student, Gunther Gerstedt, Clark, and Swafford. Doering and Wyeth represented Stanford at the intercollegiate golf tournament at Louisville last summer. They assisted Stanford materially to win team honors. Doering holds the University championship, was low amateur in the National Open, the St. Paul Open, and won the Chicago amateur. Fitch and Breyer were also members of the golf team. Hoover and Shallenberger were members of the varsity water polo team. Turner and Seamans were members of the gym team. Gunn was a successful boxer. On the track team Grey put the shot. Other fields of endeavor found Fitch, Weaver, Beal, and Maino active members of the Stanford flying club, winner of the Intercollegiate championship at Akron last summer. McDuffie was president of the Interfraternity Council. Turner and Seamans were cheer leaders, Prince was president of the Axe Society. Stoeffel and Wynman were outstanding in their work in debate. Among the excellent freshmen pledged were Dee, president of the freshman class, and third ranking National Junior tennis player. McDonald was a soccer star and president of the freshman dormitory. Adams was third ranking National Junior Diving contender and Western champion. Smith won his numerals on the frosh basketball team. Oakford and Shallenberger were elected to membership in T B I I. Shallenberger was sports editor of the *Stanford Daily*. He and Prince were members of the senior executive council. Gunn and Maino were elected to $\Phi\psi$.

CALIFORNIA GAMMA—UNIVERSITY OF CALIFORNIA AT LOS ANGELES

THE Phis at Los Angeles opened the year with a new chapter house and a good pledge class numbering thirteen men. Some of the activity men were: Devere, member of the organization control board; Swisher and Devere, sophomore council; Stabler and Roche, junior council; Anderson, senior council; Randall, dance committee; Jameson, editor of the *Claw*; Hoag, associate editor; Stafford, staff member of the *Bruin*; Stabler, religious conference board; and Blanchard, president of Yeoman. Fennenbock was a regular on the football team. He was a brilliant back-field man. McCallum and Simpson were on the squad. Adams played basketball, while Fennenbock and Roche joined the track team. Baseball lettermen were Hill, and Devere. Blanchard was a member of the crew. Harvey became a member of $\Sigma\Gamma E$. Roshe and Devere joined Scabbard and Blade, already enrolling Anderson and Harvey. Stabler and Stafford were members of $\Delta K\psi$. Simpson and Roche were regulars on the rugby team, Stabler and O'Flaherty were active in the

Religious Conference University Camp. Intramural teams were most successful throughout the year. One of the main social functions of the year was the Miami Triad dance. The chapter enjoyed a very active Mothers Club.



AFTER LUNCH AT COLORADO

COLORADO ALPHA—UNIVERSITY OF COLORADO

COLORADO ALPHA opened its thirty-sixth year by pledging twenty-one men. The freshmen proved themselves to be able and active. Anderson and Garbanati were members of the frosh football team. Downing and Garbanati were members of the frosh basketball team. Brown was unable, because of an injured knee, to take part in varsity football, but made himself useful by coaching the freshman squad. Eight members of the chapter took active participation in varsity track. They were Wallrich, Baugh, Puett, Arnold, Hamilton, Boorman, and Anderson. Hamilton was an all-round track man, being high point winner in many meets. Helmke was again a member of the gymnastic team. Smith was varsity basketball manager. Honorary and professional societies named a large number of the chapter members. Boorman joined Scimitar; Lambert, $\Delta E\Delta$; Milne, $\Delta E\Delta$; and Puett, Arnold, Wood, Carlin. $\Delta X\Sigma$. Players Club: Bruce, HKN and ΣT ; Fawcett, $\Sigma F E$; and Townsley was a member of the staff of the *Colorado Engineer*. The chapter's intramural teams participated successfully in all sports. Draper and Jeffers won the interfraternity debate crown. The chapter's glee club was successful in ranking second among all the fraternities on the campus.

COLORADO COLLEGE—COLORADO COLLEGE

THESE Rocky Mountain Phis opened the year by pledging seventeen Pikeeias. Six of the pledges were regular members of the frosh eleven. They were Heizer, Panter, Pike, Danford, Speight, and Beauchamp. Freshmen on the track team were Heizer, Panter, Apple, Habrel, and Brown. Gallagher, Weston, and Boysen held regular berths on the varsity eleven. Price was a regular on the basketball team. Gallagher and Friend were mainstays on the tennis court. Harmston ran the



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high and low hurdles for the track team. Gates, Leahy, and Tritt were excellent golfers. The intramural teams of the chapter were most successful. Wins were made in volley ball and basketball. Boxing crowns were retained by Holman, flyweight, and Beardshear, lightweight. Greiner and Burns represented the chapter in dramatic productions. Elections gave Gallagher the presidency of the senior class; Leahy, treasurer of the junior class; Greiner, vice-president of the sophomore class; and Heizer, treasurer of the freshman class. Harmston was the president and Schneider was the treasurer of the International Relations Club. The chapter enjoyed an annual father-and-son banquet given by the Mothers Club with about seventy-five attending.

FLORIDA ALPHA—UNIVERSITY OF FLORIDA

The Phis at Florida opened the year with a new chapter house. Formal house warming was held for alumni and parents during Homecoming week-end. The new house is the result of many years of hard work on the part of the active chapter and alumni members and all were most proud of the result of their labors. A large class of freshmen was pledged at the beginning of the year, so that many active men were added to the roll later in the term. Enwright won the tennis singles crown shortly after the opening of college. Robinson was center on the freshman football team. Walton was a regular on the varsity basketball team. Houston was president of the freshman class. Rogers was elected president of the freshman law class, thereby carrying out the tradition of the chapter in never losing a political election on the campus. Smith was a member of the honor court, the military ball committee, and the executive committee of the junior class. Brown was organization editor of the yearbook, while Binnicker and Heuberger were copy editors. Crago was captain of Sabres and first vice-president of the Glee Club. Turnbull was elected to the Hall of Fame, highest honor bestowed upon Florida men. The Phis had the largest fraternity representation in Blue Key by furnishing Turnbull, Burruss, Gibbs, Edwards, Brown, and Rogers for members. Smith succeeded Burruss as chancellor of the honor

court. Brown became editor of the yearbook for next year. Crago was pledged to $\Phi K \Theta$. Rogers and Herndon did excellent work in dramatics. Tench represented the chapter on the debating team. Brown and Smith were tapped for Scabbard and Blade. Jackson and Mills were mainstays on the golf team. Simard was a member of Florida's Southeastern Conference championship swimming team. The chapter's intramural teams were most successful throughout the year and won eight competitions.

FLORIDA BETA—ROLLINS COLLEGE

FLORIDA BETA enjoyed a most successful year. Makemson was president of the Student Council and resigned to become a member of $\Phi \Delta \Theta$. He was an outstanding swimmer, besides being a leader for three years in all campus activities. Patterson was an outstanding golfer and marksman. Kraus, Haufman, Hickok, and Hoover were members of the intramural crew. Giantonio and Bethea were center and back, respectively, on the varsity football team. Fuller was varsity football manager while McFall was freshman manager. Cetrulo was editor of the yearbook and turned his duties over to Davis for next year. Davis was also sports editor of the newspaper and editor of the freshman handbook. The chapter was most successful in all intramural sports. Their team went undefeated in touch football, finished third in basketball, and tied for second place in crew. Hickok, Kraus, Haufman, and Giantonio were members of the varsity crew. Cetrulo was a varsity center.

GEORGIA ALPHA—UNIVERSITY OF GEORGIA

The Phis at Georgia were very successful in intramural activities. The football team lost only one game in a twelve game series. The chapter's representatives in boxing took five out of seven divisions. The bowling team tied for a first place and, therefore, had to go into a play-off. The scholarship of the chapter was high also, with the group ranking fifth among seventeen fraternities. In varsity athletics Stevens and Nowell were stars on the football team. Stevens was captain of the track team of which Smith was manager. Mathews was president of the junior law class.

Griffith was manager of the University Glee Club. Other members of the chapter singing with the club were Smith, O'Neal, Griffith, Rigdon, and Bowen. Butts was elected president of ΦK literary society and the University Economics Society. Lumpkin was a member of the freshman debating team. Bowen, Herrington, and Owen were tapped by Scabbard and Blade. Mid-year elections gave Reid and Dorsey the positions of managing editor and sports editor of the *Red and Black*. Griffith was elected managing editor of the *Georgia Arch*. Bowen became president of Bistad. Many enjoyable social functions were held throughout the year.

GEORGIA BETA—EMORY UNIVERSITY

GEORGIA BETA opened its last year in its old chapter home by pledging an excellent class of freshmen. The majority of these men were initiated at various times during the year. The chap-



LETTERMEN AT EMORY
King, McKellar, and Bixler

ter was a strong participant in the athletics of Emory. The chapter team went to the quarter finals in touch football before being defeated. Three divisions of boxing were represented with McClelland winning the 135-pound title, Turner going to the semi-finals in the 145-pound class, and Funke in the 125-pound division. Bixler gained recognition by being given the fullback position on the all-Emory touchball team. King made the guard position on a similar basketball team. The chapter's basketball team reached the semi-finals in the tournament. It was made up of Carver, King, Wiggins, Jones, Pate, and Brown. In the Interfraternity track meet Wood took a second place in the high jump; McAndrew took a second in the 220; and McMath a second in the 100 yard dash. The softball team had excellent success. In political lines Skiles received the largest number of votes in the primary for office of president of the student body. King was elected secretary of the senior class. Gigniliat was elected associate editor of the *Campus* and vice-president of the student lecture association. Phillips was elected treasurer of the latter association. Jordon was appointed assistant business manager of the *Emory Wheel*. Loren Dicker-

son received distinct honor by being elected to membership in $\Phi B K$. The chapter is looking forward to occupying its new home in the fall of 1939.

GEORGIA GAMMA—MERCER UNIVERSITY

THE Phis at Mercer opened the year with vital interest in many activities. Smith was student body president and orchestra director. Barfield was president of $A \Psi \Omega$ and business manager of *Silhouette*. Reed was business manager of *Cauldron*. Souder managed the Glee Club. Geeslin was president of Newspaper Club and managing editor of the *Cluster*. Calhoun was managing editor of the *Silhouette*. Conger was on the Student Council, and Edwards was junior class president. In varsity athletics were to be found Plunkett, Garfield, and Darby, all regulars on the football team. Martin was a regular on the basketball team and coach of the Phi intramural team. Ten members of the chapter sang on the glee club. Blue Key listed seven Phis among its membership of eighteen: Geeslin, Reed, Edwards, Calhoun, Conger, Smith, and Jordan. Latta gained membership in $\Phi H \Sigma$. Couric was initiated into $A \Psi \Omega$, of which Barfield was president. The chapter enjoyed a number of social events including hay rides, wiener roasts, and dances.

GEORGIA DELTA—GEORGIA SCHOOL OF TECHNOLOGY

WHEN the college year opened the chapter found itself well represented in the activities of the campus. The president of the student council was Anderson. The secretary of the council was Beard. Near the end of the year Beard was re-elected to the Council and also elected a member of the Interfraternity Council. The president of the Interfraternity Council for the year was Sutton. On the football team the chapter was represented by Chivington, the captain, Brooks, Anderson, Beard, Goree, and Ison. Chivington and Brooks were placed on the all-conference



FOREMOST AT MERCER
Smith and Conger

team and Chivington was voted Tech's most valuable player. Bryan represented the chapter on the basketball squad. On the track team were Goree, Beard, McIntyre, and Bryan. Housfeal



HISTORIC GRIDMEN AT GEORGIA TECH
Chivington and Brooks

was a pitcher on the baseball team and Yates was a member of the golf team. The chapter was active in all intramural sports winning during the year several trophies. Ison, Malone, and Treadway were elected to Scabbard and Blade. The chapter's scholarship was high throughout the year. They ranked third among twenty-three fraternities.

IDAHO ALPHA—UNIVERSITY OF IDAHO

THE Idaho Phis opened the new year with a refurbished house. The rushing was successful with twenty-one Phikeias pledged. Chapter members in activities were: Heien, end on the football team, Durham, a back on the squad, Franklin and Whitlock on the freshman football team; Revelli and Marshall on the basketball team; Pepper on the swimming team; Hammerlund and Snead on the golf team; Parke on the tennis team; Thompson, junior basketball manager; and Harland in fall track. Pepper, Rauw, Lawrence, and van de Steeg were members of Hell Divers. Hoover and Heath were members of Blue Key. Crowther and Davies were members of Blue Key. Hoover joined $\Phi M A$. Student officers in R.O.T.C. were R. Angell, D. Angell, Hammerlund, Gale, Snead, Thompson, W. Brown, Lawrence, and Crowther. The members who were honored by Scabbard and Blade were Snead, Thompson, Brown, Lawrence, and Crowther. Hyke and Hoover were interested in dramatics. They took leading parts in the production *Excursion* and *Tartuffe*. Hyke was administration editor of the yearbook, the *Gem*. Roper distinguished himself as Idaho's ace varsity debater and extemporaneous speaker. Kramer enjoyed contract with the St. Louis Browns professional baseball club and joined them in winter practice.

The chapter's intramural teams were most successful throughout the year. Two trophies were won. The annual joint dance with the Washington Gamma chapter was greatly enjoyed.

ILLINOIS ALPHA—NORTHWESTERN UNIVERSITY

ILLINOIS ALPHA opened the year by pledging a strong class of twenty men. The fall calendar of activities was dominated by varsity and intramural athletics. Ryan, Purtell, Horton, and Herrman were regular members of the football team. Fall track brought out Lee and Hathaway. When spring came around Finch, Horton, Lee, Hathaway, and Ryan held down regular positions on the varsity track team. Herrman was out for spring football practice. In intramural sports the football team was most successful. Outstanding players were Zehr, Paul, Hamilton, Yonkman, Corder, Meditch, and Whittier. The basketball team was runner-up in the annual tournament. Croessmann was a varsity debater and represented the University in many contests. Graham was business manager of *Purple Parrot* while Ryan was president of Northwestern Purple Key. They both were elected to the junior honorary society Lynx. The staff members of the *Purple Parrot* were Darling, LaMar, and French. Many Phis took part in the annual Waa-Mu show which as usual was under the direction of Miller. Supporting and leading roles were held by Bremmer, Walker, Spillman, Smith, and Meditch. Production and stage managers were Johnson and Rogers. Stage crew hands were Johnson, Pfisterer, and Hoffrichter. The chapter enjoyed high scholarship throughout the year. It ranked second among nineteen fraternities.

ILLINOIS BETA—UNIVERSITY OF CHICAGO

THE college year was opened with Valorz, Hawkins, and Bex on the football squad, all three



THE FAMOUS IDAHO TWINS
Robert and Donald Angell

earning major letters. Crandall won a minor letter in sports. Brown and Lewis were members of the wrestling team. Lochner, $\Phi B K$, was a member of the gymnastic team. Robertson took a leading part in the Reynolds Student Clubhouse council. The Dramatic Association was led by Campbell. Bigelow was a member of the basketball team. Pfender played hockey; Bex was on the track team; Teague swam. Farwell and Reker composed much of the music for the Mirror revue. Bob and Dick McKinsey were on the tennis team. Stehney and Hand were elected to Skull and Crescent. Doolittle and Bex became members of Iron Mask. The intramural teams were most active throughout the year. Seven championships were won. The chapter thoroughly enjoyed its exchange student from Switzerland. As a result of Illinois Beta's leadership in the exchange plan several other fraternities at Chicago have instituted the idea. The chapter was exceedingly successful in rushing new men at the middle of the year. Twenty-two were pledged and fifteen subsequently initiated. The chapter ranked fourth among sixteen fraternities in scholarship.

ILLINOIS DELTA-ZETA—KNOX COLLEGE

THE Phis at Knox opened the year by pledging seven fine men. Later in the year two additional men were added to the group. McGrew and Fender earned their letters for their work on the varsity football team. Glaub received a manager's letter and Stubbs was elected manager for the 1939 season. Fabbri, Hathaway, and Cordell were on the freshman squad. They all won their numerals. Velde, Efnor, McMullan, and Aldrich were on the basketball squad. Efnor and Velde won their letters in this sport. Cutler was the

team's manager. He was assisted by Roberts. Hathaway and Cordell were on the frosh cage squad. On Knox's first varsity swimming team were Wood and Stubbs. Fulle was on the frosh



VARSITY WRESTLERS AT CHICAGO
Valorz and Brown

squad. Van Tright, Burns, Mariner, and Lindstrom formed the all-Phi varsity tennis team. Three out of four members of the golf team were Phis. They were Gessner, Mueller, and Roberts. Velde was elected president of the athletic board of control while Van Tright became its vice-president. Sperry was president of the student council; Claus was a member. Burns became vice-president of the sophomore class. Shaw was president of the law club; Claus and Stubbs were members. Velde was selected college marshal by the faculty. Ockert and McManis were managers of the junior prom. The chapter's



TWO INTRAMURAL CHAMPION TEAMS IN ILLINOIS

The Phi teams at Knox (left) and Illinois (right) won the championship in their respective colleges. Then they played a game on the Knox floor, and Illinois won.

intramural teams were most successful throughout the year. They won the intramural golf title, tied for second place in intramural volleyball, and won the intramural basketball. Olson and McManis led the Phis team to third place in the intramural track meet. Callihan, and Van Tright were elected to Scabbard and Blade. Velde became a member of Friars.

ILLINOIS ETA—UNIVERSITY OF ILLINOIS

PHIS at Illinois opened the year by pledging an excellent class of seventeen men. From this class Parker was elected to the freshman council and became a member of the business staff of the *Daily Illini*. Hamman was on the editorial staff of the *Illini*. Blair was on the business staff of the *Illio*. Appel became a member of the sports staff of this publication. Ewing was out for broad jump in track while Faris, Johnson, and Long were prospective numeral men in football. In the active chapter three sophomores were managers: Dadant, intramurals; Swisher, track; Pendarvis, polo. Junior managers were Dunn, baseball, and Slater, football. Slater was the star forward on Illinois first hockey team. Wardley, Castello, and Porter were varsity football lettermen. Also on the squad were Tuck and Thistlewood. Schaefer was captain of the polo team. Wardley was a regular guard on the Illinois basketball team. Illinois Phis who were members of $\Phi B K$ were Ward, elected in his junior year, Castello, and Kirby. Gougler was on the editorial staff, and Spencer was on the business staff of the *Illio*. Black was on the business staff of the *Daily Illini*. Orndorff was on the Y.M.C.A. cabinet. Schaefer and Woodward were initiated into Scabbard and Blade. McKelvey was elected to the Student Senate, served on the Union Board, and was a member of the Y.M.C.A. cabinet, and the Engineering Council. The chapter's intramural teams were highly successful throughout the year. They won twelve championships. The basketball team was particularly successful and succeeded in winning all games played throughout the year. The scholastic average of the chapter was high, the chapter being eighteenth among sixty-one fraternities.

INDIANA ALPHA—INDIANA UNIVERSITY

THE activities of the members of Indiana Alpha were many and varied. Weir, a member of $\Phi H \Sigma$, was junior baseball manager, secretary of the Y.M.C.A., a member of $A X \Sigma$, and Blue Key. Barnhill was a member of $A K \Phi$ and $T K A$, associate business manager of the *Arbutus* and of the University Theater, and a member of the varsity debate squad. Members of Scabbard and Blade were Int-Hout, King, Kaufman, and Southworth. The *Indiana Daily Student* staff includes Eason and Herkless. Kingdon was captain of the varsity tennis team. Weir was a member of the golf team and Taubensee played on the frosh golf squad. Frey showed exceptional ability on the frosh basketball team and received his numerals for his work. Kane set a new freshman track record in the half-mile and later became one of Indiana's foremost men in this distance. He competed in the Boston Garden games. Southworth carried the lead in the production *Stage-door*. Bailey and Greer had parts in the same play. Later Southworth was director of the Jordan River revue. Weir was chosen a member of the Union Board. Herd became president of the International Relations Club and of $A \Phi \Omega$. Barr was elected vice-president of $A \Phi \Omega$. Southworth was an active member of $\Theta A \Phi$. The chapter's intramural teams were active during the year. They won two trophies in the competition.

INDIANA BETA—WABASH COLLEGE

THE opening of the college year found Wahl, Armstrong, Lookabill, and McConnell representing the chapter on the Wabash football team. Post was editor of the yearbook, *The Wabash* and had for his assistant Thomas. Staff members from the chapter were Schaub, Hasslinger, and Wise. London was on the advertising staff of the *Bachelor*. Denk, Clawson, Scharf, and Lookabill were members of the college band and glee club. Burk was art editor of the *Caveman* and was also engaged in photographic work for the college. Clawson and McGreevy won their numerals in freshman basketball. Scharf, Clearwater, and London were members of the freshman track team, while Campbell was on the baseball squad.



PLEDGES OF ILLINOIS ETA, 1938-39



THREE BASKETBALL LUMINARIES AT BUTLER
Perry, Geyer, and Steiner

Thomas was a member of the varsity track team, Cress was manager, Keck, senior manager of baseball, and Post, junior manager. Wahl and Rynerson were members of the tennis team. Post became a member of Sphinx Club, while McConnell joined the History Club. Goodwin was elected chapter representative on the senior council. The chapter's intramural teams were most successful. Championships were won in basket-

on the all-State team at center position. Kreg and Bob Connor received places on the second team. Bill Connor was chosen captain for the 1939 season. Phikeias on the frosh squad were Owen, Gilson, Pike, Schlake, Fruechtenicht, and Golay. Mid-winter found Geyer, Perry, and Steiner regulars on the basketball squad. Deputy, Schlake, Norris, and Harcourt played with the freshman cagemen. The Butler relays brought out for competition Kreg, Feichter, Johnson, and Reno. Undergraduate managers of the relays were Reed, Hart, Beasley, Bob Ostlund, and Taylor. Bill Geyer was voted the outstanding man on the campus and along with Reed, Beasley, Hart, and Angelopolous were considered five of the ten outstanding men in Butler. Reed and Atherton gained membership in Blue Key. Bill Connor, Wooling, Hart and Beasley were already members of the organization. Diener, Shiel, Bob Connor, Steiner, and Angelopolous were members of the Sphinx Club. Hart was president of the student council while Reeves, Abts, Shiel, and Angelopolous were members. Angelopolous was editor of the *Butler Collegian*. Shiel, Robinson, Miller, Diener, and Gilliom served as reporters on this publication. Angelopolous was elected to $\Sigma T \Delta$. Gilliom became a member of $\Sigma \Delta X$. Hack was associate editor of the *Butler Doghouse*, campus humor publication. The chapter won the Homecoming decorations trophy during the football season. The intramural teams were most active winning a second in cross-country and placing high in football.



HOMECOMING AT WARASH

ball and badminton. Wahl and Vanbuskirk gained positions on the all-intramural basketball team. A very interesting Miami Triad dance was held. For the third consecutive year the chapter members attended the Founders Day Dinner in Indianapolis in one hundred per cent form. The close association of an excellent Alumni Club was most enjoyable.

INDIANA GAMMA—BUTLER UNIVERSITY

THE Phis at Butler started off the new year with great enthusiasm. Early class elections placed Reed, Bob Connor, and Bob Ostlund in charge of their respective classes, the senior, junior, and sophomore groups. Bill Connor, Kreg, Abts, Swagger, McQueen, Feichter, Bob Connor, and Reno were on the varsity football roster. At the end of the season Bill Connor was again named

INDIANA DELTA—FRANKLIN COLLEGE

THE Indiana Delta chapter contributed more to the athletics of its college than any other chapter in $\Phi \Delta \Theta$. This can readily be seen when it is learned that thirteen members of the chapter received football awards and ten men received basketball awards. The football awards went to Captain McCracken, Spencer, Hougland, Lett, Sell, Dehaven, Frazell, Shanahan, Grefe, Atkin-

son, Hougham, and managers Reynolds and Huffman. For their cage work the following members received awards: Ferrell, McCracken, Atkinson, Sell, Frazell, Mahin, Hougham, Grefe, E. Atkinson, and manager Houghland. Captain Ferrell



THE VICTORY BELL

Two Phi captains, Young of Hanover and McCracken of Franklin, before their annual game, dedicate a bell that shall henceforth be held by the winning team until the next contest. Hanover won it first.

made the all-conference team for the second year. Athletics were not the only activities of the members of Indiana Delta, however. McCracken, Ferrell, and McLean were members of Blue Key. Pi Kappa Delta enrolled McLean. Spencer was senior president; Ferrell, treasurer. McLean was business manager of the *Franklin*. Knorr was intramural manager and cheer captain. Lind and Noe took part in the stage production *Stagedoor*. Rinker was editor-in-chief of the freshman issue of the *Franklin*. Spencer gained membership in the *American Society*. Shollenberger led the college production of *You Can't Take It With You*. Lett was head of the technician staff of the play. The chapter's intramural teams were successful throughout the year, winning four championships.

INDIANA EPSILON—HANOVER COLLEGE

PHIS at Hanover opened the college year by pledging, and later initiating, one of the largest groups on the campus. This enthusiasm carried over into the active chapter in the form of a distinct increase in scholastic ability so that the chapter ended the year second among the five fraternities at Hanover. In the fall the chapter won a gold cup for having the best Homecoming decorations. Young, the captain of the football team, received the victory bell awarded to the winning team captain of the Franklin-Hanover football game. Late in the year Young was awarded the faculty trophy for the fraternity man who best combined character, physical development, and citizenship. Members of the football squad were Young, Perkins, Newton, Anders, and Faith. Letters were awarded to Newton, Young, and Anders. Chapter members on the basketball team were Young, Anders, Blum and Faith. Young and Anders received their awards in this sport. A freshman cross-country team composed of Warriner, Aiken, Lowe, Cowan, and Tolan won second place in an intramural cross-country meet held during Homecoming festivities. Kyle was football manager. Moorhead was president of the Y.M.C.A. Hartley was president of the Glee Club. Brown was president of the French Club. Rouen was intramural manager. Blum, Rouen, and Kyle were members of the Interfraternity Council. Newton was a member of the student council. Mitchell and Brunner carried leading rôles in college productions. Mitchell was president of the freshman class. Members of the chapter on the baseball team were Young, the coach, Anders, Griffith, Perkins, Lawrence, and Grigas. Members devoting their time to track were Griffith, Faith, and Felix. The intramural sports were well played throughout the year and the chapter ranked high among the fraternities on the campus. Again the chapter won a trophy for one hundred per cent attendance at the annual Founders Day celebration at Indianapolis.



INDIANA DELTA, 1938-39



INDIANA ZETA, 1938-39

INDIANA ZETA—DEPAUW UNIVERSITY

THE Indiana Zeta intramural teams were highly successful during the year. Three of the five intramural trophies were won. Another outstanding feature of the life of the Phis at DePauw was their excellent singing. Their Glee Club gave a half hour broadcast over a popular Indianapolis station. Dwyer was a member of $\Pi\Sigma A$ and elected secretary-treasurer of the senior class. Letzler was a member of the German Club. Tucker and Salomon were elected to $\Delta\Omega X$. The chapter was successful in its program of scholarship improvement carried on through the year. A large class of freshmen were initiated. Chapter representatives were to be found in various sports: one man in baseball, another in basketball, and several in track. Four members of the chapter were athletic team managers.

INDIANA THETA—PURDUE UNIVERSITY

WITH the graduation of Cecil Isbell the year before, Indiana Theta found it possible to furnish a man to take his place on the Purdue backfield in the person of Brock, who did an excellent job. Captain Anderson, Dickinson, and Swan were members of the varsity basketball team. Mott was a member of the varsity swimming team. Dickinson was a regular on the baseball team. Butterfield served as junior manager for football. Numerals were won by Rush and Strong in cross-country. Adams and Swank were freshman football managers. The chapter's golf team won the Purdue championship for the third consecutive year. Busch and Voight were pledged to Catalyst. Butterfield was elected to membership in the Gymlet Club. Hosier was a member of the Union staff. Leukhart and Von Buelow were members of the *Debris* staff. Jackson continued his interest in the *Exponent*. Walley was a member of the Student Senate. Tafel, McDaniel, and Strong were out for Union. Clarke

and Johnson were members of the staff of the daily newspaper. Clennon was a member of the freshman fencing squad. Perrin and Butterfield were elected to Scabbard and Blade. McDaniel was tapped by Skull and Crescent. Perrin became junior editor of the yearbook and Berg junior business manager of the daily paper. A total of six members belonged to the Gymlet Club. The chapter ranked high in scholarship throughout the year. It won the Indianapolis Alumni Club trophy for having the highest scholarship of any of the Indiana chapters and stood fourteenth among thirty-five fraternities on the Purdue campus. Chief contributors to the high scholarship of Indiana Theta were Swan, Allemang, McDaniel, Johnson, and Walley.

IOWA ALPHA—IOWA WESLEYAN COLLEGE

MEMBERS of the chapter took a prominent part in all activities of the college. Regular football men were E. and F. Wehrle, McKinnon, McCannoughy, Wright, and Bergstrom. E. Wehrle was president of Blue Key, the interfraternity



THE WEHRLE BROTHERS OF IOWA ALPHA

council, the scholastic fraternity, and the student council. In dramatics Wustrow was secretary-treasurer of $\Lambda\psi\Omega$, while McCormick held roles in the play *I'll Leave It To You*. Pike, Wilson, Nihart, Clark, and Lauer aided in the pro-



Rhodes Scholar and $\Phi\beta\Kappa$
Freutel, of Iowa Beta

duction. Wehrle, Scott, McKinnon, Pike, Wustrow, Elgar, and Shipley became members of Blue Key. In the music department Weir was an outstanding baritone. McCarty, Dejong, Elgar, Dyall, Wilson, and Nihart were members of the college band. The Wehrle brothers were regulars on the basketball team. Shipley, Wright, and Deahl were also on the squad. Elgar, Nihart, and McCormick were outstanding debaters. Dejong and Nihart had leading roles in *Outward Bound*. Wustrow and McCormick served as business managers. Nihart received a prize for having the highest grades in freshman chemistry. E. Wehrle, Nihart, Bergstrom, Wright, and Heubner were members of the track team.

IOWA BETA—UNIVERSITY OF IOWA

OUTSTANDING honors came to members of the Iowa Beta chapter. Edward Freutel and Louis Naeckel were elected $\Phi\beta\Kappa$. Freutel also won a Rhodes Scholarship beginning next fall. This will be a fitting conclusion to his years of excellent scholastic work at Iowa. He was placed in charge of the Student Peace Council of the University. Naeckel was elected to $H\Sigma\Phi$. Other members were active in various interests about the campus. Levens was on the staff of the *Hawkeye*. Rogers and von Lackum secured places on the *Daily Iowan* as reporters. Bowers was named city editor of this publication. Bone was a member of the track squad in fall and winter meets. Hamilton was a member of the freshman track squad while Carney was out for spring football and Geerdes was a member of the baseball team. Grothe became news editor of the *Daily Iowan*. The chapter's intramural teams were most successful. A sectional title was won in basketball

and the volleyball team went undefeated. The football team was in the final game.

IOWA GAMMA—IOWA STATE COLLEGE

THE Phis at Iowa Gamma were active in all phases of campus life. Proof of this fact was their winning of the Harvard Trophy, emblematic of general excellence in all phases of fraternity activity. An excellent class of freshmen were pledged at the beginning of the year. Of this group Russell, McNarney, Heggen, Pratt, and Lemmon were members of the freshman football squad. Sokol was freshman football manager. Taylor, Moody, Cook, Fuller, and Quinn were members of the varsity team. Roy was senior manager of basketball and supervised the work of Maxon, Munsel, and DonCarlos. Bailey was captain of the track team. Deems and Richards were members of the band. The chapter received honorable mention for its house decorations during Homecoming. Chapter members were most successful in all lines of publications. Gauthier was editor of the *Bomb*. Boudinot was business manager of this yearbook; Strom was sales manager. Carney was elected business manager of the *Iowa Engineer*. Eddy was associate editor of the *Bomb*. Hargrove was advertising manager of the *Iowa Engineer*. Working with him on the publication were Koenig, Allen, Sokol, and Carney. Staff members of the *Bomb* were Tuller, Russell, Radcliffe, Allen, and Ogden. Ogden was also a member of the *Veterinary Medicine Quarterly* staff. Moody earned his letter as center of the football team. Later he went out for wrestling. Next year Radcliffe will be business manager of the *Bomb*. Tau Beta Pi elected to membership Nelson, Boudinot, Cunningham, Carney, Maxon and Quinn. Members of Scabbard and Blade were Knowles, Wahl, Roy, Dunlap brothers, and Gauthier. Wahl, Cunningham and Schumucker joined $\Phi\kappa\Phi$. Cook and Eddy also became members of Scabbard and Blade. Veishea, three-day all-college spring celebration, was under full Phi supervision. Picken was general manager while Wahl served as business manager with the help of Nelson. Roy was selected captain of the rifle team. Schumucker was president of the Student Chemical Society. N. Dunlap and Wahl were members of the Industrial Science Council. Boudinot, Carney, and Gauthier went to the Engineering Council. The chapter took an active part in all intramural sports and won a championship in the fraternity handball competition. The freshmen brought home the swimming and volleyball championships. Thirty voices from the chapter led by Roy captured first place in the annual interfraternity sing. One of the highlights of the year was the return of over a hundred alumni to celebrate the twenty-fifth anniversary of the chapter and the burning of the mortgage on the chapter house.

KANSAS ALPHA—UNIVERSITY OF KANSAS

KANSAS ALPHA opened the year with an enlarged chapter house that enabled the chapter to house

all of its men. The new home had been anticipated for several years and was, therefore, greatly appreciated by all of the active chapter members. The activities of the chapter were many. In athletic fields were to be found Bill Bunsen a regular fullback on the football team; McKinley a regular on the basketball team; Driscoll and Bunsen members of the track team; Poindexter, a swimmer; and Baskett, a golfer. Freshmen on the yearling squads were Kanaga, Newcomer, Walker, Stauffer, and Potter. The freshman track team enrolled Hatfield and O'Hara. Jack Laffer was student director of the glee club and president of the dramatic club. He took the reading rôle in a number of productions. Ramsey also carried a lead in one of the shows. Men interested in publications were Robertson, a columnist on the *Kansas*; Kepner and O'Hara on the staff of the *Sour Owl*; Walker and Ham on the staff of the *Kansas Engineer*. McCroskey was chairman of the activities committee of the University Union building. Prager was secretary of $\Pi \Sigma \Lambda$ and gained the scholastic record for membership in $\Phi \beta \kappa$. Brooks became a member of $\Phi \beta \Pi$. Hirschler was tapped by the scholastic honorary $T \beta \Pi$. Laffer was recognized for his outstanding ability as an actor. Ramsey was elected to SACHEM. Sifers gained a seat on the Men's student council. Waugh served on the business school council. The intramural teams of the chapter were active throughout the year and most successful. Two trophies were won. For the fifth consecutive year the chapter won the interfraternity sing. This gives Kansas Alpha a perfect record in this department for the sing has been conducted for only five years.

KANSAS BETA—WASHBURN COLLEGE

The interests of the members of Kansas Beta and, therefore, life in the Kansas Beta house is probably different from any other chapter in the Fraternity. The majority of the members of the

chapter are studying law and are employed by the State of Kansas in the state offices. The political issues of the state are of vital concern to the men. You can well imagine the resulting conflict of having in one house the president of the Washburn College young Democrats and the president of the campus Republican group. Austin and Gilbert led these two groups. Further than this, Krouse and Daeschner accepted speaking engagements over the state for the two major parties. A variety of interests and opportunities added distinct spice to the life of these men, however. During the winter it was the chapter's privilege to entertain Robert Dell, the Geneva correspondent for the *Manchester Guardian*. He is an expert on international affairs. The chapter held a campus open house in his honor. Since he was an Oxford University man his interest in the American college and fraternity was quite distinct on this first trip to the United States. During the year the bar examination was passed by Collard, Gilbert, and Hedrick. The chapter enjoyed a very active Mothers Club and enjoyed the annual mother-and-son dinner. A similar father-and-son dinner is also held each year. Dramatic productions found several of the Washburn Phis interested. In the production, *Noah*, Peterson carried the title rôle while Cofer, Borck, Quinlan, and Sherwood were in the supporting cast. Warner, Shumpes, and Garman were members of the varsity football team. The college band featured the Trumpeteers composed of P. Borck, McCarty, and Regier. Also in the band were Phikeia Borck and Sherman. Wilson was on the honor roll of the law school. The chapter's intramural teams were most active throughout the year.

KANSAS GAMMA—KANSAS STATE COLLEGE

The conspicuous member of the Kansas Gamma chapter and one of the leaders of all campus activities was Joe Robertson. Among his activities



THE FAMED GLEE CLUB OF KANSAS ALPHA

For the fifth consecutive year the Phi singers won the trophy of the Interfraternity Sing. Jack Laffer, the director, proudly displays it.

were membership on the basketball quintet, member of $\Phi K \Phi$, business manager of the yearbook for next year, president of the Y.M.C.A., and membership in ΛZ , and president of the Milling



KANSAS GAMMA'S MAN-OF-THE-YEAR
Joe E. Robertson, '39

Association. Glen West was also a member of ΛZ and the baseball team. Stryker was executive secretary of the Y.M.C.A. Barger became a member of $\Phi E K$. Wilson was elected treasurer of the junior engineers for the coming year. Hammitt was the first lieutenant in Scabbard and Blade and attended the national convention in Berkeley, Calif. Other R.O.T.C. officers were Baber, Paske, and Opperman. Breidenthal received a second lieutenant's commission in the Officers' Reserve Corps. Barger was a member of the varsity football and wrestling squads. Fairman was most successful on the freshman football team. All of the pledges and actives threw their resources together to acquire a pedigreed St. Bernard pup, which of course was named Phi.

KENTUCKY ALPHA-DELTA—CENTRE COLLEGE

THE Phis at Centre returned to college in the fall to find the chapter house refurbished in many respects. An excellent rush season was conducted. The chapter was well represented in activities on the campus. Noonan was editor of the *Cento*. Hardy was business manager of the annual. Carol was on the squad of the Praying Colonels. Hardy, Dosker, Boggs, and Noonan were admitted to the senior Pitkin Club. Five freshmen gained membership in the freshman Pitkin Club. Boggs was secretary-treasurer, and Dosker, Hardy, Rose, and Burnett were members of the Deinologian literary and debate society. Hardy was a member of the Players Club. Mitchell was student assistant in the English department and president of the English Club. R. Kinnaird was student assistant in the biology department. Next year Watkins will be editor of the college yearbook. Carrell and Slein were out for spring football. The chapter gave a fine spring formal, music from which was broadcast over station WHAS from Louisville. Scholastically the chapter was first among the fraternities at Centre.

KENTUCKY EPSILON—UNIVERSITY OF KENTUCKY

THE chapter opened the year by pledging sixteen fine freshmen. A number of open houses were held after football games for the entertainment of alumni and guests. Davis was a member of the varsity football team. Hughes, Potts, Hutchison, and Gaines were active in freshman functions. Hillenmeyer was captain of the swimming team and was joined on the squad by Riddell. Hillenmeyer was also vice-president of the Interfraternity Council and was voted the most popular man on the campus. Duty became a member of $O \Delta K$ and the advisory council on athletics.



KENTUCKY EPSILON, 1938-39

Rogers and Ramsey were initiated into Block and Bridle. Potts and Hughes became members of Φ M. A. The chapter was quite active in R. O. T. C. Six men were initiated into military honorary



STUDENT BODY PRESIDENT AT TULANE
John William Sims

societies. Duty, Hansen, and L. Caldwell became members of Scabbard and Blade. Potts, Hutchison, and Allen became members of Pershing Rifles. The chapter members in advanced military were Brown, Duty, L. Caldwell, Depp, Hansen, and Hall. Late in the year Hall and Vogeler were tapped by O Δ K. The chapter maintained an excellent scholastic average and ranked third among the seventeen fraternities on the campus. The intramural teams gained top ranking in many of the competitions.

LOUISIANA ALPHA—TULANE UNIVERSITY

THE Phis at Tulane conducted an unusual rush week and pledged twenty-nine men. The active chapter well set the standard for these men in the many activities of the campus. Sims was president of the law school student body and also of the university student body. In the commerce students school Moffat was president of the junior class and Cordes was elected president of the freshman class. Jones was business manager of the *Hullabaloo* while Kepper was business manager of the *Jambalaya*. Bass and Campbell were both associate editors of the latter publication. Farrell was head cheer leader of the University. Lorch took a very active part in the Theatre Club's many plays. Wenzel was again All-Southeastern end. He and Kirby were elected to O Δ K. Next year Campbell will be the editor of the *Jambalaya*. The chapter greatly enjoyed its celebration of the fiftieth anniversary of its founding. Many notable alumni attended the dinner and Golden Legion certificates were presented to two of the founders.

LOUISIANA BETA—LOUISIANA STATE UNIV.

THE first year of life for this new chapter of Φ Δ Θ set a high standard of activities and ex-

cellence which should always make it a distinguished fraternity chapter on the Louisiana State campus. May the magnitude of this first year be the standard from which future chapter groups take their inspiration for all-round education. Some of the activities of this first year of life included: Butler, vice-president of the graduate school; Lemass, first sergeant of the company, and Lambert, cadet colonel of the R. O. T. C., and captain of Scabbard and Blade. Smith and Sherwood were on the swimming team. Metcalf was secretary of the junior Panhellenic council. Bushman was president of the college of arts and sciences. Carroll was president of the Y. M. C. A. and editor of the Y handbook. Graham played varsity football. Vallery was second in command of the R. O. T. C. Womble was president of the senior class in the college of Arts and Sciences. Buchanan was Student Council representative from the same college. Omicron Delta Kappa memberships were held by Bushman, Carroll, Lambert, and Pringle. During the year Floyd Vallery was added to the roll. Regulars on the basketball team were Bushman, Buchanan, Jackson, and Burge. Storck was on the advertising staff of the *Pell Mell*. Later in the year Carroll was elected president of O Δ K and was the L. S. U. delegate to the National Convention. Lemasson was initiated into Scabbard and Blade. Dann and Taylor were tapped by M Σ P. Taylor received one of the Mississippi Commonwealth medical scholarships to Tulane University. Butler was initiated into IITM. Bushman was No. 1 man on the tennis team while Ramsel was No. 2 man on the golf team. Ednie



AT THE LOUISIANA BETA INSTALLATION
Charlie Yates visits with the initiates

was a member of the frosh track team, Sharpe on the frosh golf team, and Sherwood and Smith on the frosh swimming team. Jackson will be a member of the Student Council from the college



COLBY CAPTAINS FOR TWO SEASONS
Hersey, 1938, and Bruce, 1939

of Arts and Sciences. Scholastically the chapter ranked fifth among twenty-two fraternities.

MAINE ALPHA—COLBY COLLEGE

THE Phi in Maine opened the year to find on the football squad, Hersey, the captain, at right tackle, and Bruce, halfback. At the end of the season Bruce was elected captain for the 1939 contest. O'Neil was a regular center on the freshman squad. Bruce was a member of the Colby student council. Malins and Dibble were cheer leaders. Johnson and Cavanaugh were athletic managers. Rimosukas and Malins earned letters for their work on the basketball team. Other squad members were Salisbury, Reed, and Stump. Hockey was played by Dibble and Wheelock. Both of these men and the manager, Johnson, received letters. Barta received his numerals as assistant manager and was promoted to the position of sophomore manager while Baxter was promoted from sophomore manager to junior manager. Burchell was varsity manager of baseball. In this sport Hersey was a pitcher and Leonard covered second base. Dibble and Edson were on the junior varsity squad. Phi on the Dean's list at the end of the fall term were Dibble, Baxter, East, and Conley. Throughout the year the chapter's intramural teams were most successful. The touch football championship was won and third place taken in the snow sculpturing contest. They ranked high among all the fraternities at the end of the season winning altogether three trophies.

MANITOBA ALPHA—UNIVERSITY OF MANITOBA

THE boys at Manitoba participate in a wide variety of activities. Westwood was vice-president of U.M.S.U. and chairman of the public relations

committee. Simpson was a member of the student body finance committee. Leckie directed the annual freshman day parade and was cheer leader of the frosh reception. Dewar had a lead in the arts production *And So To Press*. Smiley and Leckie formed a piano duet to play on the University radio broadcast which was directed by Smiley. Gabriel directed a one-act play in the annual varsity play night. Brickenden was elected treasurer of the student council of United Colleges. Brandon, Ryan, Mooney, MacNabb, Leckie, and Gee were on interfaculty football teams. McNabb and Brandon were captains on the Engineering and Arts teams, respectively. Carleton gained a place on the University track team. His specialties were high jumping and hurdling. Wolfe, Irvine, McDiarmid were on the interfaculty curling teams. Meiss, MacLean, and Dougall were skiers. McCarten earned a berth on the varsity senior hockey team. Ryan coached the ladies basketball team of the United College. Leckie was a defense star for the Arts hockey team in the interfaculty league. Martin was an editor on the *Manitoban*. Leckie wrote a column for this publication. Harland won the University gold medal for engineering presented to the best graduating student. Simpson was the recipient of a scholarship in accountancy. C.O.T.C. men were Crawford, MacLean, Black, Steinhoff, Dewar, and MacLean.

MARYLAND ALPHA—UNIVERSITY OF MARYLAND

THE Phi at Maryland continued their unusual record of activities on the campus. For the third consecutive year a Phi was student government president. This year Ed Johnson held this position. He was also a member of OAK and the basketball and baseball teams. Hardy when elected president of OAK was the sixth Phi in eight years to hold down this office. Other members in the honor society were Muncks, Johnson, and Peaslee. Peaslee was president of the Men's League. Lodge was junior class repre-



IMPORTANT MEN AT MANITOBA
Leckie and Irvine

sentative to the Men's League and a member of the interfraternity council. Seeley, Lodge, Tarbett, Lee, Shipe, and Otten were officers in advanced R.O.T.C. Seeley and Tarbett were



MARYLAND ALPHA R.O.T.C. OFFICERS

members of Scabbard and Blade. Davis was president of the sophomore class. Hardy was editor of *The Old Line* of which Lee was art editor, and Shipe national advertising manager, and Goller circulation manager. Davis was a member of the business staff of *The Old Line* and the *Diamond Back*. Johnson and Ochsenreiter were stars on the varsity quintet. Suit and Hodgins were managers of this sport. Brendle and Lodge were champion boxers. Tuttle was manager for them. Johnson was at second base for the nine while Seeley and Otten were managers. Peaslee, Miller, Kenny, and Fulks were on the track team. Lacrosse was played by Pfeil, Davies, Tuttle, and Muncks. Lee was the manager. Lichtler was on the varsity tennis team. Vannais and Young were on the freshman baseball team. McNally and

Stell were on the frosh track squad. Near the end of the year Shipe was appointed business manager of the humor magazine and Goller its circulation manager while Davis and Suit were on the advertising staff. End of the year elections to Scabbard and Blade named Lodge, Lee, and Ray. Ray and Haskin were members of the rifle team. Davies was intramural golf champ while Prinz was intramural swimming champ. Lee and Davis were finalists in the intramural debate tournament and both were members of the debate club.

MASSACHUSETTS ALPHA—WILLIAMS COLL.

THE Phis at Williams opened the new college year by pledging eleven men. From this group of Phikeias Stewart and Gardner were members of the freshman football team, Richmond was a candidate for the freshman team managership, Newell and Hussey were members of the soccer team. Newell was also on the glee club, a member of the choir, and the college paper staff. Hussey was interested in the Williams Christian Association. Active chapter members on the varsity football team were Prince, Detmer, Young, Duncan, and Stetson. Members of the chapter interested in campus publications were Mason, Parker, and Lathrop, who were on the business board of the *Record*, the editorial board, and the business board of the glee club respectively. The intramural teams of the chapter were active throughout the year. A second place was taken in football. Other members of the chapter led various major campus organizations and joined several honorary societies.

MASSACHUSETTS BETA—AMHERST COLLEGE

ELEVEN excellent Phikeias were added to the rolls at Amherst to begin the college year. These men participated in many of the activities of the



MASSACHUSETTS BETA CELEBRATES SEMI-CENTENNIAL



SNAPSHOTS AT THE MICHIGAN DIAMOND JUBILEE

1. The alumni begin to arrive; 2. Harry G. Kipke, *Michigan '24*; 3. The Jubilee banquet; 4. Asher G. Work, *Miami '94*, Chapter Adviser; 5. Golden Legionnaires Eugene Conger, *Hillsdale '87*, Henry A. Sanders, *Michigan '90*, and Paul L. Woodworth, *Michigan State '90*; 6. Harold O. Love, *Indiana '30*, and Tom Adams, Jr., President of Michigan Alpha; 7. Two 1904 classmates get together—Hugh W. Clarke and Judson Bradway.

campus. Thomas and Johnson were members of the frosh football team which was managed by Davis. Kehne, Ramsey, and Goelitz were members of the freshman swimming team. Johnson was on the frosh basketball team, while Good took up wrestling. All of these men won their numerals for their work in their various sports. Skeel and Rosenberry were regular players on the varsity football team. Tobey was an outstanding cross country man. Skeel wrestled in the 165 lb. varsity class. VanNostrand was a member of the varsity basketball team. Rich, Tobey, and Davidson were members of the winter track squad. The chapter furnished a number of managers for the athletic teams. English and Ristine were assistant managers in the fall. English was appointed manager for the next college year of the varsity football team. Ristine took up the competition for basketball managership. Richardson and Davis won managerial letters in squash and wrestling, respectively. Davis was also manager of intramural athletics. College publications interested a number of the men as did athletics. Goodnow was a member of the editorial board of the *Student*. Cramer was a member of the *Olio* staff. Hawkins was interested in the *Olio* and the *Masquers*. Hawkins and Schmid were elected to the board of *Touchstone*. King became the business manager of it. Ristine was elected to a position on the editorial board of the *Olio*. Next year Babcock and King will be editor and business manager, respectively, of the *Touchstone* while Hawkins and Schmid will be members of the business board. Baker, Goodnow, MacLeod, Moore, and VanNostrand were members of the Glee Club. Men who worked with the *Masquers* were King, assistant business manager, Hanford, electrician, and Moore, stage crew. Davis was the secretary of the student council. VanNostrand was a member of the commencement committee. English, Cramer, Kilgore were elected to permanent planning committees of their respective classes. Richardson will be president of the debating council and manager of squash. Basse and Hill are members of the debating council. Basse was elected to $\Delta \Sigma \Pi$. The scholastic record of the chapter was on a continuous upgrade throughout the year. Four members were elected to $\Phi \beta \kappa$: Fowles, Putnam, Basse, and Good. Eight members of the chapter were on the Dean's list. Intramural activities of the group were exceedingly good throughout the year. The chapter ranked near the top in the final competition. Championships in several sports were won. The chapter particularly enjoyed its new library.

MASSACHUSETTS GAMMA—MASSACHUSETTS INSTITUTE OF TECHNOLOGY

WITH a good class of freshmen pledged the Phis at M.I.T. settled down to a year of intensive study interspersed with activities in various fields. In the annual field day between freshmen and sophomores Fykse was on the sophomore relay

team while Smith was on the crew. MacLeod and Totten were members of the 1941 sailing team. All members of both classes took part in the free for all glove fight. In the active chapter Talpey and Gould were members of A.I.E.E. Vineyard worked on the *Tech Engineering News*. Potter was a member of the glee club and the Tech Christian Association. Rogers, Hydeman, and Osborne held freshman interests in the Tech Christian Association. Bashore, Stout, and Osborne were on the *VooDoo* staff. Stout was out for the glee club. Iams was on the frosh squash team. MacLeod placed first in the 100 yd. backstroke in the all-Tech swim meet. Tusler was on the freshman fencing team. Smith and Hayes were on the first and second 150 lb. crews respectively. DeTiere made his letter in varsity lacrosse. Macnee and Iams made their numerals on the freshman track and squash teams respectively.

MICHIGAN ALPHA—UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN

A BANNER year was opened with the pledging of twenty-seven men. At the end of the first term nineteen of these men were initiated. The scholastic average of this group was very high. Shields was the high man of the group and won the jeweled badge for his success. He garnered a 3.26 average. Adams is responsible for much of the good work as he was rush chairman. His other interests included the fraternity ball and the student senate, the latter of which he was president. Tobin was one of the student senators. Woodworth was senior football manager and coached Howarth through his sophomore year enabling him to be appointed junior manager. On the varsity football team were the well-known players Harmon, Meyer, and Nicholson. Wistert did well on the freshman squad. Heath produced the column *Flying Trapeze* in the *Michigan Daily*. Spangler directed publicity for the Michigan Union and was a cheer leader. Subsequently he was appointed head cheer leader for the coming college year. During the winter Harmon and Nicholson were regulars on the varsity basketball team. Tobin and Ross were members of the varsity hockey squad. The Root boys, Terrible Tom and Sleepy Sam, were all-campus boxing champs in their respective positions. During the spring Ross took up baseball while Tobin followed tennis. Yearnd earned a letter for his work in golf. Gillis won freshman numerals in swimming. The chapter vigorously pursued an intramural athletic program and won championships in four sports.

MICHIGAN BETA—MICHIGAN STATE COLLEGE

WITH the addition of twenty-four outstanding freshmen the rolls of Michigan Beta were strengthened to good competitive size. With the opening of college there was to be found upon the varsity football team Gargett, holding down the tackle position, and Galda, holding down a

guard position. Gargett was also president of the junior class. Fehr was a member of the Spartan cross-country team. Dales and Ladd were members of the swimming team. Leighton was a mem-



HOMECOMING AT MINNESOTA

ber of the Student Council. Mid-year found Hart elected to T B II and Baker to Σ A B. In the spring Stark went out for baseball. At this time in the year Fehr changed his affiliations from the cross-country team to the long distances in the track team. The chapter's intramural teams won several trophies. They were particularly victorious in basketball and were runners-up in swimming.

MINNESOTA ALPHA—UNIV. OF MINNESOTA
With Elmer, Bjorklund, Franck, Filbert, and Johnson on the Gopher football team the chapter undertook its second super-colossal homecoming decoration under the direction of Tucker and Whiteside. Once again the forty-foot display brought home the reward. Various activity men were Hanson, co-captain of the track team, a member of Iron Wedge, senior honorary. Harslem was vice-president of the *Techno-Log* board of directors. Roberts was city editor of the *Minnesota Daily* and at the end of the year was elected editor for the year 1939-40. Gran was the sports editor on this publication. Burgess was president of the University Y.M.C.A. and a member of Gray Friars. Adams was vice-president of the Y.M.C.A. and chairman of the University leadership chorus. DeLambert was a regular on the basketball team. Marsden was director of the Fraternity Public Relations Bureau and a member of the Y.M.C.A. cabinet. During the first annual snow week competition Whiteside carved a large polar bear out of 500 lbs. of ice and won another trophy for the chapter. Dean literally

walked off with the snow week cross-country ski race. Drips was elected to the all-University Council. Hanson and Franck were standouts on the Gopher track team. Lee and Bill Johnson and Bjorklund went out for spring football practice. Wood made the Gopher golf squad.

MISSISSIPPI ALPHA—UNIVERSITY OF MISSISSIPPI

AFTER pledging eighteen fine men at the beginning of the new college year a survey of the activities of the active chapter members of Mississippi Alpha indicated that a great number of the organizations on the campus were presided over by Phis. The organizations which the Phi presidents led were O Δ K, Blue Key, Φ Δ Φ, Φ Η Σ, Scribblers, the Classical Club, Η Σ Φ, The Ole Miss Band, the Mississippians orchestra, and B Z. After the year was well under way Roseborough became cadet major of the R.O.T.C. and was elected to membership in O Δ K. He was the president of B Z. Deloach was secretary of the same group. Rust was chosen business manager of the Ole Miss band. Roseborough succeeded Deloach on the student executive council as well as being initiated into Blue Key. Gardner was the new vice-president of the Pre-medical Club and was inducted into II K II. Hix was in charge of production of the first Ole Miss Varsity show. Patty and Haxton wrote songs for the show. For next year Hammond was elected managing editor of *The Mississippian*. He was also a member of Scribblers. Spring athletics drew Baker and Pegrum to the varsity tennis team, while Wiselogle played with the freshman group. Woodward was an excellent high hurdler on the track team. Jackson was a high jumper and Wing was a half miler. Blythe was freshman track manager. Hooker played freshman golf. At the end of the first term when the annual initiation was held Forman was elected to receive the Carpenter Award as the most outstanding pledge of Mississippi Alpha. The award was based on scholarship, activities, and personality. Ten members of the chapter belonged to Φ Η Σ, four to the local scholastic fraternity equivalent to Φ Β Κ, six became members of O Δ K, and five of Blue Key. The chapter's intramural teams were very active and won several trophies.



MISSISSIPPI ALPHA'S PHIKELAS, 1938

MISSOURI ALPHA—UNIVERSITY OF MISSOURI

THE Phis at Missouri opened the college year by pledging twenty-three excellent men. These men were formally introduced at a dance early in the year. At this time Kinnison was playing an excellent game of football at the center position. At the end of the season he was placed on the all-Big Six first team. Logan was manager of the football team. Reck was an outstanding frosh gridiron star. Deitrick was a member of the varsity polo team. Nabors was on the track squad. Three chapter members were enrolled in Blue Key. Vincent was the president of this society. Marsh was invited to join KTA in the journalism school. Wood was initiated into ΠΤΣ and was a member of ΦΗΣ. The chapter's intramural teams were very successful throughout the year. Scholastically the chapter ranked second among twenty-three fraternities on the campus.

MISSOURI BETA—WESTMINSTER COLLEGE

EIGHTEEN Phikeias were added to the Missouri Beta chapter with the opening of the college year. These men quickly entered into the activities of the campus and contributed much to the life at Westminster. From this group Graybill was elected president of his class. Stone won the freshman debate. Spence, Matthews, Tootle, and Barks were on the freshman debate team. Eckern, Graybill and Henkle were additions to the college Glee Club. Stone joined Pohlman in a Jaberwocky production. Many representative positions were held by active chapter members. Whorton was student president. Shipton was on the Student Council. Both of these men were members of Skulls of Seven. Sharp was editor and Durham was business manager of the *Bluejay*. A number of other men were on the staff of this annual publication. Thomas, Woodward, and McCord were new members of ΠΓΜ. Whorton was tapped by OΔK. McCord was a varsity debater and Whorton and Ely were officers in the Y.M.C.A. The chapter held the intramural trophy won from the preceding year and made a strong bid to repeat the honor. Thomas and Shipton were regular members of the varsity



HIGH SCORERS FOR MISSOURI GAMMA
Boles, Duncan, Scott, Lee, Wright, and Leybe

basketball team. Jones and Strole became members of ΦΡΕ, honorary pre-medical fraternity. Later in the year Stone and Spence became outstanding in their debate work. In the spring



WESTMINSTER WINNERS

Mertens, Tootle, Barnes, and Howell were on the track team. Eige made a fine record in golf. Gray pitched for the baseball team. Hoffmeister played third singles on the tennis squad. Tootle was a member of the swimming team. The chapter's scholastic average was very high for the year. An average of 84.6 enabled the chapter to win the George H. English scholarship trophy and ranked it first amongst the fraternities at Westminster.

MISSOURI GAMMA—WASHINGTON UNIVERSITY

THE football season and the college year opened with Yore, captain of the Bears, at the fullback position. Cory was a guard, Duncan a halfback, and Root an end. On the frosh squad Lyon and McDougall were outstanding. Koken was senior manager of this sport for the year. Johnson was drum major of the band. Hall was an active member of this organization. Compton was head cheer leader. Skinner was captain of the swimming team and was accompanied by Matthey on the varsity squad. Harting and Maclean were on the freshman team. The triumph of the fall season was the election of Rowan, Lee, Boles, and Compton to the junior honor society, Thurtene. Coil, an active Y.M.C.A. man, was designated as the most outstanding boy in the city of St. Louis. Wintertime found Lee, Record, and Gerst regulars on the basketball team. Maclean, Callaway, Humphreville, and Lyon worked out regularly with the freshman cage squad. Midyear elections named Yore president of the senior class. In the spring Yore was voted the ideal campus man. When Washington University won the Mis-

souri Valley swimming championship Skinner was the high point man and Matthey took two places. Leyhe, Lee, Wright, Duncan, Boles, Gerst, Reichardt, and Scott accounted for nearly half



R.O.T.C. OFFICERS IN MONTANA ALPHA

the points taken by Washington University's track team during the season. Outstanding honor came to the freshmen Harting and Hall when they were initiated into $\Phi\Delta\Theta$. The former was elected president and the latter treasurer of this organization. Hall also became representative to the Engineers Council. Compton became a captain in Pershing Rifles. Dramatic productions enlisted a number of the members. Record was awarded the best acting prize and Yore was pledged to National Intercollegiate Players. In the Quadrangle Club's annual musical show Yore, Mara, and Heineman had leads while Higginbotham, Barbee, and Johnson handled other important roles. Boles was elected president of Thyrus, the dramatic society. The chapter was exceedingly successful in intramural sports throughout the year. Championships were won in speedball, basketball, badminton, and track. A second place was won in wrestling. The chapter was particularly delighted to win the Interfraternity Sing for the first time in many years.

MONTANA ALPHA—MONTANA STATE UNIV.

THE Phis at Montana opened the year by pledging twenty-one freshmen. During the early days of the year the chapter was represented on the football team by Brower, Hoon, Shaffer, Nugent, and Dowling. Millar was yell king and master of ceremonies. Mueller and Andrews were editor and business manager of the yearbook. They produced one of the most outstanding annuals ever published at Montana. Breen was elected senior delegate to Central Board. Chichester was University swimming coach. New members tapped by Bear Paw were Hagens,

Haviland, Kresbach, Millar, and Skedd. Student officers in the R.O.T.C. included Parker, Hay, Sanderson, Thompson, Clapp, Stolt, Breen, Hoon, McLure, Nugent, Ryan, and Thompson. Hay, Parker and Clapp were members of 9th corps area championship drill squad. Chumrau did a fine piece of work as business manager of the student body. Mid-winter found the chapter well represented on the basketball floor by Hall, Nugent, Ryan, Galles, and Stewart. It was not unusual to find three or more Phis on the cage floor at one time. Hall and Ryan were leading scorers, with 226 and 216 points respectively. On the frosh cage squad were Jones, Bryan, Buettner, Nummerdor, Croswell, Robinson, and Potter. John Pierce was appointed chairman of the University Convocations Committee. Hoon and McLure were pledged to Scabbard and Blade. Bodine and Province became members of $\Phi\Delta\Phi$. Vaughan and Luenning-ably represented the chapter in Interfraternity debate. Next year Thompson will be the business manager of the yearbook. This makes the fourth consecutive year Phis have managed this publication. Haviland and Stewart were members of the track team. Bourke gave a fine performance in the supporting rôle of *The Adding Machine*. Millar and Johnson performed well in the spring production *School for Husbands*. The chapter's intramural teams were highly successful during the year. The football championship was won with a string of straight victories totalling a 190 points to the opponent's 13 points. Bowling championship was taken and a strong baseball team was placed upon the diamond. Galles was awarded the Herb Vitt pin for being the foremost junior in the chapter and was subsequently elected president for next year.

NEBRASKA ALPHA—UNIVERSITY OF NEBRASKA

THE seventeen freshmen who donned the Phikeia button at Nebraska proved themselves well chosen men. Abbel was in freshman football and won his numeral for his work. King, Hay, Jackson, and Goetze were on the frosh cage squad. Other freshmen devoted their athletic



NEBRASKA ALPHA AT WORK

talents to the intramural teams which were most successful during the year. Andreson was a member of the varsity baseball team. Jackson and Motl participated with the frosh team. The chapter adopted suggestions which enabled it to improve the scholastic standing of many of its individuals throughout the year. An interesting Miami Triad dance was held with an exchange dinner preceding it. The annual Founders Day dinner was held at Omaha this year with the entire chapter attending. A great variety of activities in honor societies were enjoyed by the members of the chapter. Motl became sophomore football manager for the coming year. In his freshman year he served under Mohr, who was junior manager. Fox was a member of the *Awgwan* staff. Goetze, and Motl were members of the Pharmacy Club. A ΦO , service fraternity, enrolled Owen, and Cain. Johnson was a member of $\Phi \Delta \Phi$ and also held the position of chairman of the student board of directors of the law college. Rector was a member of the Architectural Engineering Society. Craft was a member of A.S.M.E., along with Brown. Johnson was a member of Cathedral Choir. Anderson, Hiatt, Fox, Brooks, Anwyl, and Brega were members of Corncobs, men's pep organization. A number of the men enjoyed advanced military work and were members of Scabbard and Blade, Pershing Rifles, and the Cornhusker Field Company.

NEW HAMPSHIRE—DARTMOUTH COLL.

At the opening of the year the Phis at Dartmouth successfully rushed twenty men. The majority of these men were active in extracurricular interests. Ross won numerals in swimming and track while Ide won them in hockey. Norton, Dreher, and Gordon were in the Glee Club which was led by Brother Albright. Riley, Griffith, and Nelson were competing for positions on the Dartmouth winter carnival committee. Gray won a position on the *Daily Dartmouth* and Overlock was a member of the college orchestra, the University Club. Johnny Bowers designed a clever snow sculpture which was awarded second place during the annual Dartmouth winter carnival. The chapter greatly enjoyed its several house parties during this carnival. A great interest was taken by all members in the intramural sports. The touch football team succeeded to the semi-finals. The volleyball team won a championship and the ice hockey and debating teams were most successful. One of the members of the chapter was editor of the yearbook, several led campus organizations, and were honored by membership in major achievement societies. A program of scholarship improvement for the individual was instituted and successfully carried through.

NEW YORK ALPHA—CORNELL UNIVERSITY

With the opening of the college year it was found that many members of the chapter were

interested in athletics, some as players, and some as managers. Peters, Johnson, and Wood were all first team soccer players while VanArsdale was on the squad. Redington was a manager.



ALL-AMERICAN LACROSSE
Robert Brennan, Cornell '40

Bob Ray, Bellows, and Robinson were engaged in fall practice for varsity crew. Jack Ray and Storms were on the freshman crew. Vreeland was a manager of this sport. Benedict and Goldsborough were on the cross-country team. Mitchell was a manager of this sport. Antrim was a manager of basketball while Alliaume and Peters were managers of lacrosse and tennis. Bob Brennan was named on the all-American lacrosse team for 1938 in his first season of college competition. For next year Wood will be captain of the soccer team. Wood also played basketball. Redington was on the swimming team of which Brennan was manager. Benedict and Goldsborough joined the track team in the spring. Gillig was on the freshman polo team. VanArsdale was a candidate for the baseball team. Brennan and Mitchell were members of the lacrosse team which Alliaume managed. Athletics were not the only interest of these men. Alliaume, Peters, Ray and Arbuckle were members of the University freshman advisory committee. Bodnar was on the business staff of the *Widow*. Peters was a mem-

ber of the art staff of the same publication. He, along with Brennan and Alliaume, were elected to Red Key, junior honor society. Benedict was elected to X E; Clayton to H K N; Mitchell to Skulls; and Johnson and Benedict to Pyramid. Vreeland was elected to the board of the *Cornell Engineer*. Seven members of the chapter were added to Scabbard and Blade during the year. They were Brennan, Bodnar, Benedict, Moir, Peters, Mitchell, and Ray. Two other members of the chapter were previously enrolled in this society, making the largest contingent from any one fraternity at Cornell. Brennan was elected president of the society. McConnie was cadet major of the R.O.T.C. The chapter was actively interested in all intramural sports and won several championships.

NEW YORK BETA—UNION COLLEGE

AFTER a good rushing season from which eight freshmen, five sophomores, and two juniors were added to the ranks of the chapter, all members and pledges settled down to an interesting year of study and campus activities. Griffith was a member of the varsity football squad. Carson was on the cast of the first play of the Mountebanks, college dramatic society. The chapter had four representatives in the college band. They were Howe, Smith, Atwater and Forse. Eight members of the chapter responded to the call for varsity baseball and lacrosse candidates. The lacrosse aspirants were headed by Fay, a veteran of three years service. The others were Waterhouse, Griffith, and Haigh. Myers was captain of the baseball team and was joined by Brockner, Mould and Fiester. Bechard was a baseball manager. Santee was a successful intramural boxer. Griffith, Noonan, and Royce participated in wrestling contests. Men on the Dean's list were Brockner, Haigh, Garcia, Arnold, Fay, and Myers.

NEW YORK EPSILON—SYRACUSE UNIVERSITY

FOOTBALL captured the limelight as the year opened. High among the luminaries was Banger, first triple set man for Syracuse in many a year. Garvey was also a regular on the team. Herschell was a manager of this sport. By placing a live cow and a 15 ft. facsimile of the *Daily Orange* in its front yard the chapter won a cup for the best Beat Colgate sign. Mid-year found Wyrick out for freshman basketball. Fearson was a member of the cross country and track team. Irvine and Estes were out for varsity crew. Peck and Jones rowed with the frosh. Warren was commodore of the crew. Warren, Sullivan, Bechlem, Banger, Round, and Garvey received major letters at the traditional Block S dinner. Wichlei was leader of Orientation Week for freshman men. He also headed the freshman chapel group and was a member of the Deputations Committee and the Worship Committee. He was finance executive of the student Christian Movement of New York State. Metz was president of Keylock, wrestling

society. He was a member of the varsity wrestling squad and all-university champion. Wunderl and Luby were members of Monks Head and Double Seven respectively. Round was a member of the



HOMEcoming, NEW YORK EPSILON

varsity swimming team and the editorial staff of the *Daily Orange* and the *Syracusan*. Hacker was a member of the editorial staff of the former publication. Biesel was promotion manager of the *Syracusan*. Hansen was editor of the *Daily Orange*. Hacker and Round stepped into junior editorships for next year. Warren was vice-president of the Interfraternity Council and was succeeded for next year by Metz. Spangenberg, the highest ranking man scholastically in the chapter, was a member of the civil service department of the mens' student government. Biesel was chairman of the elections and rules committee of men's assembly, one of the five top positions in the mens' student government. Spangenberg was a member of A K Ψ and had his name inscribed on a plaque for attaining the highest average, 2.1, in his class. The Orange Key, junior honor society, enrolled Wunderl, Metz, Luby, and Laterman. The chapter won a second place in the annual snow sculpturing contest in which all fraternities and sororities participated. Warren and Hansen were members of Φ K A, senior honor society.

NEW YORK ZETA—COLGATE UNIVERSITY

COLGATE's Red Raiders were led by co-captain Lucy. He was accompanied on the team by Garvey and Caseria. Williams was manager of the Glee Club and a member of the outstanding Colgate ski team. He was elected captain of the team for the coming year. Lister and Riley were members of the hockey team. Morrell won the New York State Intercollegiate medalist honor. George was also a member of the golf team which took a second place in the matches. Case was a pitcher for the baseball team. Lucy and LaPierre were members of the lacrosse team. George, Brown, and Annett were members of the glee club. Reed, a talented musician, played in the band which was managed by Stacey. Weed became manager of the band for next year to make the fifth consecutive Phi manager. The intramural teams of the chapter were quite active throughout the

year winning many competitions. Distinct honors came to Stearns, Ogilvie and Annett when they were elected to $\Phi B K$. In the spring Main was a member of the track team. Kaye was a member of the varsity swimming team. Kraemer, a star varsity soccer player, was coach of the freshman team. Sanders and Garvey were elected to membership in the sophomore honor society.

NORTH CAROLINA ALPHA—DUKE UNIV.

THE opening of the college football season found six Phis on the championship Duke team which went to the Rose Bowl. These outstanding men were Haas, Eaves, Robb, Davis, Darnell, and Boehringer. Midyear found another half-dozen Phis on the basketball team. They were co-captain Swindell, Flentye, Thomas, Robb, Moyer, and Zavaris. Three men were on the boxing team. They were captain Kasik, Vincent, and Collins. Kelly and Collins were on the soccer team. Berner was a member of the golf team. Bunce and Carl were swimmers. Bunn, Carl, and Bunce



TWO CAPTAINS AT DUKE
Swindell and Kasik

were members of the lacrosse team. In the spring Phis on the track team were Winterson, Bunn, and Moyer. Few and Horack were elected to $\Phi B K$. Hudson was editor of the yearbook, the *Chanticleer*. He was assisted by staff members Kelly, McNeilly, and Lyons from the chapter. Kubek represented the chapter on the *Chronicle*, the University newspaper. Boorman was a member of the Glee Club and treasurer of the sophomore class. Berner was elected to 9019, local scholastic, honorary society. Bunce assisted in the editing of the *Duk'n Duchess*. Honorary publication keys were awarded to Kelly and McNeilly. Berner was elected president of $\Delta K \Psi$ and vice president of the combined Duke Y. M. C. A. Moyer was junior representative to the student government. Baker is treasurer of the rising junior class. Daniel and Ochsreiter were elected to $\Phi E \Sigma$. Daniel became treasurer of this organization. Conlon was elected president of the

sophomore Y. M. C. A. cabinet for next year. Senhauser will be vice-president of the rising sophomore class. The chapter entered into all intramural sports and won several trophies. Tracy was a high scorer in all these events.

NORTH CAROLINA BETA—UNIV. OF N.C.

AT the opening of the year the chapter was presented with a trophy given to the fraternity chapter on the Carolina campus which displayed the greatest excellence in scholarship, fraternity, and athletics. North Carolina Beta was very proud of this award. The *Daily Tar Heel* was published under the direction of two excellent Phis. The editor was Allen Merrill and the business manager was Humphrey. Both the campus and state Y.M.C.A. organizations were headed by Patten. Al Maynard was manager of the football team. Campbell was a member of the student council and was president of the Grail, a top ranking honor society. Humphrey led the local chapter of $\Delta \Phi \Omega$. Allen Merrill was a member of the Golden Fleece, the highest honor attainable by a North Carolina man. Witt and Miller were members of $\Phi \Delta \Phi$. Witt is also a member of Blue Key. House was initiated into $\Delta X \Sigma$. Beattie, Gennetti, and Sapp were regulars on the boxing team. Later in the year McCaughey became news editor of the campus daily paper, the *Daily Tar Heel*. The track team enrolled French, Lane, and Carrier. Richardson, Whitney, and Partridge were on the freshman cinder squad. Gragg and Woodman held down positions on the tennis team. Rice held No. 1 position on the frosh tennis ladder. Conger became president of the medical school for the coming year. Miller was elected editor of the *Law Review*.

NORTH CAROLINA GAMMA—DAVIDSON COLL.

AFTER a satisfactory rush season at the opening of the college year a review of the activities of the members indicated a very high frequency of participation in campus affairs. Men on the



THEY RUN THE TAR HEEL
Merrill and Humphrey, North Carolina Beta, edit and manage the student daily

football team were Iverson, Moore, Beaty, and Cowan. Managers for this team were Mashburn and Foot. Various publications were operated by chapter members. William Marquess and Ovid Bell were editor and associate editor of the news-



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paper. Lillard was business manager of the annual as well as secretary-treasurer of the Panhellenic council. Lee was a member of the Spanish Club. Beaty, Lillard, Bell, Harmon, Mashburn, Tenny, Withers, and Wells received promotions in the R.O.T.C. Midyear found Cowan elected captain of the basketball team for the coming season. Kenyon became freshman manager. Three of the six positions on the tennis team were held by Turner, Tenny, and Hunter. The debating team was led by Kenyon and Ludlam. Beaty and Lillard were members of Scabbard and Blade. Rudolph joined the Davidson glee club. Verner was a member of the baseball team. Cowan and Iverson joined the track squad. In freshman sports Carter and Owens were regulars on the baseball nine and Terrell on the track team. Kenyon was elected president and Mashburn vice-president of the rising senior class. Kenyon automatically became a member of the student council. Dale is student councilman for the rising junior class and has been selected sports editor for the *Davidsonian*. In honor societies were to be found Gilmore, president of $\Sigma \Pi \Sigma$; Ludlam, heading $H \Sigma \Phi$, and vice-president of the symphonic band. Beall was president of the glee club and Rudolph was secretary. Mashburn became secretary of $\Sigma \Delta \Phi$ while Dale became a member of $H \Sigma \Phi$. Robinson joined the German Club while Westall and Rudolph accepted bids to the Eumenean literary society. Tenney and Mashburn were initiated into Scabbard and Blade. Driver was a member of the freshman debating team. Next year Luther will be the business

manager of the *Quips and Cranks*, the college yearbook, and was chosen president of the publications board. Hunter will be varsity cheerleader next year and co-captain with Tenney of the tennis team. Marquess and Kenyon were members of $O \Delta K$.

NORTH DAKOTA ALPHA—UNIV. OF N.D.

From the fifteen men pledged by the chapter at the opening of the college year four joined the freshman football squad. They were Caldis, Monnes, Seeba, and Mykelthun. From the active chapter Vaughan, Traynor, and Kelly joined the reportorial staff of the *Dakota Student*. Eide, Harshbarger, and White were on the varsity football squad. Kelly and Stenson were members of the Dakota Playmakers. Johnson was a member of Hesperia speech club and Rice was vice president of it. Vaughan and Sheridan were members of the University's concert band. Traynor and Fering were members of the Madrigal Club. Springtime found four Phikeias out for football. They were Monnes, Huntley, Caldis, and Mykelthun. Fair and Spear were on the varsity track team. The chapter won first place for their act in connection with the Flickertail Follies, an all-university musical show. The chapter was active and successful in all intramural sports. They won the touchball championship, were runners-up in basketball, went to the semi-finals in hockey, and won the maximum participation trophy.

NOVA SCOTIA ALPHA—DALHOUSIE UNIVERSITY

The opening of the college year found the Phis at Dalhousie industriously engaged in rushing new men. Parties were held at the Saraguay Club on the Northwest Arm where the music of Brother Stadler was enjoyed. Members were transported to and from the party by motor launch. Another rushing party featured a sail in the harbor on this same launch. In student activities were to be found Lawson on the D.A.A.C., Robertson second in command of the unit of C.O.T.C., Walters on the student council, Dickey president of Sodales. The chapter was instrumental in forming an interfraternity council at



OHIO ALPHA ACCLAIMS SIX PHI BETA KAPPAS

Dalhousie and took active part in the development of the organization. A very interesting trophy was set up within the chapter for scholastic competition. Several very interesting dances were enjoyed by the Phis during the year. One of the unique parties, however, was an old-fashioned sleigh ride.

OHIO ALPHA—MIAMI UNIVERSITY

THE opening feature of the new college year was the annual initiation and banquet attended by the entire General Council of the Fraternity. The new initiates and active chapter members greatly enjoyed their opportunity to meet these fraternity officials. Storms and Gaylord were members of the varsity football team. Robert Redlin was presented the Ramson trophy indicating he was the best junior in the school of business administration. He was also adjudged the best all-round junior in the entire university. Midyear found Schiemann playing center on the basketball team. Miller was captain of the varsity golf team. Prugh and Silander were regulars on the varsity track team. After midyear pledging of freshmen eight Phikeias were found to represent the chapter in freshman sports. Rockwell was on the yearling football squad. Gardner was on the cage squad and Yount was manager. Hall and Snyder were on the frosh tennis team. Clark was a member of the yearling track squad while Johnson and Blanchard were out for baseball. In intramural activities the chapter's basketball team won three of four trophies offered. The bowling team was especially successful in all competitions through the winter. Gaylord was champion wrestler in the 180-lb. class. Adkins and Lehman retained the Sherman handball trophy and by virtue of a third win made it the permanent possession of the chapter. In the field of publications Skinner was editor of the newspaper while Raish was assistant business manager of the yearbook. A large number of members were on the staff of both of these publications. Distinct honor came to the chapter when their group scholarship average was raised above all fraternity men and independent groups. Six members of the chapter belonged to $\Phi B K$: Redlin, Heald, Prugh, Storms, VanAusdal, and Canright. Ten were enrolled in $\Phi H \Sigma$: Heald, Redlin, Canright, Edwards, Storms, VanAusdal, Prugh, Claffin, Lehman, and Whittington. Omicron Delta Kappa enrolled Redlin, Heald, Prugh, Graves, and Storms. Minor honor societies enrolled many additional members some of whom were Redlin, Stout, and VanAusdal in Les Politiques; Davis, Nichols, Geyer in the Classical Club for students in Greek; Canright, Quay, and McIlyar in $\Delta \Phi A$, German honorary; Edwards in $B H \Theta$, French honorary; Canright and Edwards in $\Sigma \Pi \Sigma$, Physics honorary; Raish, $K \Phi K$, educational honorary; Prugh and Cool in $\Phi M A$, musical honorary; Prugh and Ellis in $\Phi \Sigma$, science honorary. McIlyar and Prugh were assistants in the zoology department.

OHIO BETA—OHIO WESLEYAN UNIVERSITY

THE year opened to find Townsend editor-in-chief of the *Transcript*, while Stamberger was sports editor and Ferrell was issue editor. Bailey,



OHIO BETA GREATS
Driver and Hartman

Banasik, and Graner were regular writers for the paper. Loyd and Bill Stamberger were members of the sophomore yearbook staff. Brooks and Markley were regulars on the varsity football team. Both won letters. Haldeman and Davies were on the frosh football squad. Close and Wallington ran with the frosh cross country team. Bailey was a regular with the Harriers. Hartman was an outstanding basketball player. Davis was honored with election to $\Phi B K$. Driver, Case, and Neff were active on the varsity debate team. Otis was a varsity swimmer and won his letter. Driver became student body president and along with Case was initiated into $O A K$: MacKichan was elected president of $\Theta A \Phi$, Shippis president of $\Phi M A$, and Corl president of $\Gamma \Phi$. Bailey and Banasik were named issue editors and Graner sports issue editor of the news staff of the *Transcript*. Haldeman, Wallington, and Zent will act as reporters. Neff and Driver were elected to $\Delta \Sigma P$. The chapter's intramural teams were highly successful throughout the year. They led other fraternities in total competitive points. The chapter won a cup for the best booth at the annual Sulphur Swing, all-college formal, a second place cup for their work at the fun fest, and a trophy for their championship intramural cross-country team. The bowling team annexed the university title with Gates and Ferrell winning second and fourth places in the individual playoffs. Graner, Case, Merrill and MacKichan took active part in the Wesleyan Players production *Stage Door*. In the production *Beyond The Horizon* Postle took the lead. Postle, Case, and MacKichan became members of $\Theta A \Phi$. Brooks, Driver and Hartman were named among the representative men of the college. The Armstrong Trophy awarded to the senior who has done the most to further the name of $\Phi \Delta \Theta$ on the Ohio Wesleyan campus was awarded to Charles White.



OHIO ETA'S GIFT TO CASE FOOTBALL

OHIO GAMMA—OHIO UNIVERSITY

THE 1938 football season found Montgomery again a star on the Ohio team. He received all-American mention for his good work. Mohler was his blocking half. Coe was junior manager of the squad. On the frosh team were Kuhner, J. Fisher, and C. Fisher. In the field of publications Lloyd was found to be editor of the *Ohioan*, the humor magazine. McDonald was a member of TKA and was entered in several oratorical contests. Furr and Montgomery were active on the hardwood court during mid-winter. Foremost on the swimming team during the year was Ensminger. He set new records in the fifty-yard dash and the 100-yard sprint. Kish and Montgomery were members of the baseball team. The chapter's intramural teams were active and successful. For the second consecutive year the touch football championship was won. The bowling team was at the top of the competition in this sport. Throughout the year the chapter conducted an extensive program of scholarship improvement. Good results were noted as the year progressed.

OHIO EPSILON—AKRON UNIVERSITY

THE Phi at Akron were strong in all athletic sports. In football were Miller, all-Ohio guard, Culbertson, Morrison, Mikolashek, and Whitten. Zemla was assistant football manager. All of these men won letters. Miller and Culbertson were on the basketball team. Scheuneman was head basketball manager and was assisted by Secrest and Carroll. Zemla and Chamberlin were regulars on the varsity track team. Higley was manager of this sport while Remington was his assistant. In R.O.T.C. Snyder became lieutenant colonel, top ranking officer. He is also a member of Scabbard and Blade and a captain of the Pershing Rifles. Kellar was a major, Higley, captain adjutant, Marquardt and Brown, company

captains, and Yoos, Flippo, and Coscia were lieutenants. Wyman, Myers, Noel, Hutchinson, and Wittner were sergeants. Of these men Hutchinson and Noel were members of Scabbard and Blade. Ayer, Burrell, Dines, Friess, Nachtrieb, and Staudt were pledged to Pershing Rifles. Noel and Marquardt took two leading rôles in the university theatrical production. Phillips was business manager of the theatre. Secrest was elected to a two-year term on the student council and was selected chairman of Migration Day. Omicron Delta Kappa tapped Brown, Snyder, Noel, Sipes, and Hutchinson. Byrider was the fifth successive Phi to manage the songfest. He is also a member of the debate team and I.K.A.

OHIO ZETA—OHIO STATE UNIVERSITY

RUSHING at the beginning of the new year added thirty members to the Ohio Zeta chapter. These men all rapidly became interested in the vital activities of the university. Six of them were on the freshman football squad. Those who won numerals were Adams, Bruckner, Thom, Pfaff, and Lewis. From the ranks of the active chapter a number of varsity football players were taken. They were Bullock, Fordham, Maag, Scott, and Grundies. Midwinter found captain Hull doing a beautiful job of leading a championship basketball team. Much credit is due him for the high morale the team maintained throughout its victorious season. With him on the squad were Stafford, Maag, Scott, and Devine. In the spring the diamond attracted Kilmer, Dornbrook, and Evans. The call for spring football practice brought out Scott, Maag, Bruckner, Adams, and Lewis. Sphinx claimed Hull and Sigler. Hull was captain of the basketball team, justice of the student court, and a member of Ohio Staters, Inc. Sigler was business manager of the 1938 *Makio* and was a member of Ohio Staters, Inc.

Other Phis enrolled in Ohio Staters, Inc. were Becker, president of the organization; Rees, director of student activities and president of his sophomore class; Elsas, secretary of the student court and a member of Bucket and Dipper; Huff, art editor of the *Sun Dial* and *Makio*; and Bullock, varsity quarterback. McCarthy was elected to T B II and Texnikoi. Dayton became a member of B A Ψ. The Scarlet Mask production *Cheer As You Go* was presented with the assistance of Hull and LeFeber. The chapter's interfraternity teams were actively working throughout the year towards winning for the fourth consecutive time the intramural championship. Championships in five individual sports were won. During the year the chapter completed payments upon the mortgage on the chapter house and laid plans for general remodelling in preparation for the next college year.

OHIO ETA—CASE SCHOOL OF APPLIED SCIENCE

THE Phis at Case enjoyed a banner athletic year. As in the past the chapter furnished many members for the football and basketball teams. At the end of the year it was found that twelve Phis had received varsity football letters, eight varsity basketball letters, three varsity swimming letters, and three varsity hockey letters. The men receiving football awards were Fiordalis, Weiss, and Zentgraf who were chosen on the all-Big Four; Albrecht, Eichler, Greenwood, Michel, Poremba, Shaffer, Spangenburg, and Walter. Weiss was elected captain of the team for the coming season. Those on the basketball team were Weiss, chosen on the all-Ohio team, Walter, honorable mention on the all-Ohio team, Haynam, captain, Tom Nichols, Pekarek, Schweitzer, and Fischley. Albrecht, Fiordalis, Gibson, and Winslow were members of the hockey team. Lawler again won the Ohio Conference championship in diving. Albrecht won the silver skates in Cleveland's annual open ice skating race. Weiss became a member of T B II. The chapter's intramural teams were successful throughout the year. The volleyball and interfraternity basketball cups were won. For next year Spangenburg will be president of the Case student body.

OHIO THETA—UNIVERSITY OF CINCINNATI

A number of the members of the chapter were awarded membership in honor societies. Berghausen became a member of H K N and Φ H Σ. Bohrer, Kelchner, Daum, and Mire were tapped by Ulex. Zepf became a member of Scarab. Bohrer was tapped by O Δ K. Kelchner was pledged to Σ Σ. Weeter was the editor of the yearbook. Boyd was chosen yell king and Baldwin a member of the cheer leading squad. Varsity athletics found Bohrer, Kelchner, and Daum members of the varsity football team. Dalton and Mire won their letters in basketball. White was a member of the track team. Ahrens was manager of track. Lloyd and Ratcliffe were also

members of Scarab. The chapter's intramural teams were very strong. For the fourth consecutive year the football championship was won. The water basketball trophy was towed in this year also. Biehle won the featherweight boxing crown. Ligabell set a new shot-put record and White was first in the 100 yd. dash.

OHIO IOTA—DENISON UNIVERSITY

THE year was opened with the pledging of sixteen excellent men. These Phikeias immediately entered into all of the activities of the college and gave excellent account of themselves. From the group Souers, Anstaett, McBurney, McMullen, Hanna, and Davies worked on the *Denisonian* staff. Johnson and Riley earned positions on the varsity glee club. Sims was a soloist. Smith, Johnson, McMullen and Taylor were active in the freshman Y.M.C.A. Bellar and Trautman were on the first string freshman football squad. Taylor was a member of the band. Souers was advertising manager of the *Portfolio*. In the active chapter Tamblyn proved a valuable asset to the big red football team. Downs and Staddon were outstanding sophomore members of the team. Norman managed this sport. Dramatic productions attracted Collander and Nelms who had parts in the Masquers production *East Lynne*. Biggar, Haines, Wheeler, and Musal were members of the varsity glee club. Musal was also assistant manager. Faelchle and Beier were members of the debate team. Midwinter found Tamblyn a mainstay on the Denison quintet. Wheeler was manager of this sport. At the end of the first semester McBurney was one of seven freshmen named to the honor roll for his scholastic excellence. Kibby was elected president of the sophomore class. In the spring the track team was partially composed of Cameron, Goux, Johnson, Macomber, Hannah, Faelchle, Taylor, and Tamblyn. Positions on the diamond were won by Maire and Staddon. Nelms qualified for No. 3 position on the golf team. Kibby was



STALWARTS AT CINCINNATI
Kelchner and Daum

elected president of the Y.M.C.A. Macomber was appointed associate editor of the *Denisonian*. Sperl was elected to membership in $\Phi B K$ as a result of his four years of excellent scholastic



THE PRIDE OF OKLAHOMA

McNail, *All-American basketball*, and Montgomery, *scholar and student executive*

endeavor. In intramural sports the handball championship was won by Sperl and H. Sims. All other team sports were followed carefully with good results shown in trophies won. George Sims and Walker were members of $O \Delta K$. In April the chapter entertained all Central Ohio Phis in a Founders Day dinner. Over two hundred attended.

OKLAHOMA ALPHA—UNIV. OF OKLAHOMA

THE annual Dads Day award given to the foremost student at Oklahoma went to George Montgomery. His average to win this award was the highest made by a recipient of it. His activities included $\Phi B K$ in his junior year, president of $\Phi H \Sigma$, President's Honor Class, president of Senate Club, men's council, League of Young Democrats, president of Pe-et, Skeleton Key, Checkmate, member of Interfraternity Council. With Montgomery as their inspiration, all other chapter members entered industriously into the activities of the campus. Some of the more outstanding men were Carpenter, interfraternity council, Scabbard and Blade, P. E. Club, second lieutenant in Officers Reserve Corps; Kincaid, Bombardiers, Scabbard and Blade, Skeleton Key, Checkmate, P. E. Club, Engineers Club; Wegener, Scabbard and Blade, P. E. Club, Engineers Club, First Lieutenant Officers Reserve Club; Wright, interfraternity council, president of Administration Party, treasurer of Senate Club, League of Young Democrats; McMurry, Scabbard and Blade, Skeleton Key, P. E. Club, Bombardiers; Thompson, social chairman of Y.M.C.A., Bombardiers, $\Phi H \Sigma$, P. E. Club, Engineers Club; Brown, Senate Club, Bombardiers, Accounting Club, Debate Squad, Oratory Club; Shepherd, Las Dos Americas, Scabbard and Blade, Bom-

bardiers; Raffety, vice-president of Senior class, Bombardiers, Senate Club, Accounting Club; Tagge, $A E \Delta$, Senate Club; Stone, Y.M.C.A., junior intramural manager; Gough, $\Phi H \Sigma$, Senate Club, Junior Lawyer. Klabzuba became a member of the President's Honor class. Johnson, Greshaw, and Carmichael became members of $\Phi H \Sigma$. McNatt broke the Big Six scoring record in basketball, chalking up twenty-nine points against Iowa State. Other activities of chapter members were managing editor of the *Covered Wagon*, membership in ΣT , A.S.C.E., and Checkmate.

ONTARIO ALPHA—UNIVERSITY OF ONTARIO

THE Phis at "Old 143" were highly honored and pleased with the success of Hodgetts when he received a Rhodes Scholarship beginning with the fall of 1939. There was a regret in this award as Renwick was a losing candidate. Another event of prime importance was the appointment of Gray to preside as Santa Claus at the annual Christmas banquet. At the conclusion of the banquet festivities he extended his services to a downtown theatre where he delighted a large gathering of small boys, patrons, and a constable. Many Phis were interested in the activities of the campus. Gray, Renwick, Hodgetts, and Smith were active in the Historical Club. Hannaford and Williamson were down on the mat with the wrestling club. Townsend and Moore were regulars on the Intermediate varsity soccer team while Hodgetts and Murray struggled to keep the intermediate rugby team from falling below the bottom of the league. Jeffries and Fleming played rugby with Victoria College. Smith completed a season with the intermediate varsity track team. McGowan launched a campaign to secure a position on the senior water polo team. Stephenson and Young played fine games for the junior hockey team. Moore aimed at the senior team. Townsend and Statten were elected to



ONTARIO RHODES SCHOLAR

John Edward Hodgetts, *Toronto '39*

executive positions in the Medical Society. Stephenson ended the hockey season by joining the senior team. Young and Fulton played with the junior O.H.A. team. Clawson established a



OREGON BETA DECORATES FOR A BALL

new record for the 220 yard breast stroke in the Canadian intercollegiate swimming meet at Montreal. Smith served as president of the University of Toronto track club. In the chapter group a very interesting hockey game between the country and city brothers was won by the country sextet 7 to 5. The Biggs Trophy emblematic of squash championship in the chapter was finally narrowed down to the contest between Jeffries and Greig. The scholastic activities of the members of the chapter were rewarded with several scholarships and other recognition. James received a very fine scholarship to the University of Chicago. Millar received a fellowship in medical research.

OREGON ALPHA—UNIVERSITY OF OREGON

THE two best-known Phis at the University of Oregon and also two unusually outstanding students at the university were Lauren Gale and Urgel Wintermute, members of Oregon's NCAA championship basketball team. Both of these men received all-Conference, all-Coast and all-American recognition. Gale was high scorer for the league with Wintermute close behind him. Wintermute was said to have been the greatest all-round player ever to be developed in the Northern Conference. With the opening of the college year Nicholson, Lance, and Mabee were found to be playing in regular positions on the football team. Dyer, Lidstrom, Stevenson, Willis, and Smallwood were members of the frosh football team. Gard, Galbraith, and Dyer were members of the freshman basketball squad. Gard was high scorer amongst the freshmen. Schriver and Mitchell were cross country team members. Corbett was Rally chairman while Elliott was yell leader. McMenamin was pledged to Skull and Dagger. Nelson joined $\Lambda \Delta \Sigma$. Frank Nash, president of the law school student body, inaugurated the new year by making the honor roll of that school. Haener was business manager of the *Emerald*. The intramural activities of the chapter were good throughout the year. Three championships were won. They covered volleyball, golf, and tennis. The chapter greatly enjoyed its Founders Day dinner which was held jointly with the Oregon Beta chapter. An innovation of the banquet was a song contest which is to be an annual feature in the future. Phis were enrolled in many campus organizations.

OREGON BETA—OREGON STATE COLLEGE

PHIS at Oregon State opened the year with



OREGON ALPHA, 1938-39

Wendlick, Copenhagen, Ell, Victor Kohler, Morry Kohler, Jelsma, and Summerville on the football squad. Wendlick was named on the all-Coast eleven. He started the game at right end for the



BRINGS HONOR TO PENNSYLVANIA ALPHA
George Lentz, Lafayette '39

West in the East-West game. Phikeias on the freshman team included Leovich, who was also president of the freshman class, Rich, English, Halvorson, and Andrews. Kolberg and Pflugrad played a very successful season of basketball. In the spring Floberg was elected president of the student body. Murch and Carson were members of the golf team. Jack Soller was on the tennis team. Fred Soller was a catcher on the baseball team for the third consecutive year. Leslie, Rogers, Lowery, and Blackledge were prominent on the track team. Leslie was the captain of this sport. The chapter's intramural teams were most successful throughout the year. Several championship trophies were taken and the runner-up position was gained in others.

PENNSYLVANIA ALPHA—LAFAYETTE COLLEGE

THE Phis at Lafayette were exceedingly busy with the many activities of the campus. The chapter was represented in all phases of college life by individuals who made distinct contributions to the college. In the fall Cavallo, Wermuth, and Bob and Dick Sweeney were found to be members of the football team. Pomeroy was manager and Phelps his assistant in this sport. Soccer enrolled Harkins, Fitzpatrick, and Marthinsen. Sealy and Mastin were manager and assistant manager of this sport. Kernel was a member of the 150 lb. football team. Gurgo, Hooven, Harker, Reiche, and Burger were members of the frosh football squad. Robinson and Crampton were members of the freshman soccer team. Midwinter found Lentz and Fitzpatrick regulars on the basketball team. Suydam was captain and coach of the fencing team. Rogers was an active wrestler. Fitzgerald and Kernell were regular members of the swimming team. Gurgo was out for frosh basketball while VanNostrand was on the yearling

fencing squad. In the spring Murphy, Cavallo, Bob and Dick Sweeney made up practically an all-Phi varsity hockey team. The diamond attracted Cavallo, Wermuth, and Case. Gish and Murphy were managers of this sport. Palmer was manager of track and VanNostrand was his assistant. Fisher was a regular on the tennis team. Falconer played lacrosse. Gurgo and Nixon were regulars on the frosh baseball team. Crampton was their manager. Honor society memberships went to Palmer and Pomeroy when they were tapped to join K.R.T. along with Cavallo and Harkins. Fitzgerald was president and Rogers secretary of Maroon Key. Murphy, Fitzpatrick, Gagliardi, and Bob and Dick Sweeney were members. Palmer played a lead in *Winterset*. The choir voiced Harkins, Palmer, Fischer, Phelps, Mastin, and Burger. Evans played in the band and was president of A.S.M.E. Neave was a member of A.I.E.E. Suydam was senior class vice-president and vice-president of the Kirby Law Society. Murphy was a member of the Cosmopolitan Club. In the spring George Lentz was signally honored by the Philadelphia Alumni Club of Lafayette College when he was presented with a medal signifying him to be the most outstanding Lafayette senior in the Philadelphia area. Lentz has won varsity letters in both football and basketball and is a member of TBII. Spring elections gave Bisset the presidency of the junior class, Harker secretary of the sophomores, and Sealy five-year treasurer of the graduating seniors. Other awards for next year included Gus Kellogg, business manager of the *Lyre*; Gagliardi, promotion manager, Kernell, circulation manager, and Wilcos and Mastin, advertising managers. Fitzpatrick was inducted into



PLEDGES OF PENNSYLVANIA BETA, 1938-39

K.R.T. He is co-captain of soccer. Dick Sweeney became president of Maroon Key in which society Bisset, Carroll, Case, and Wermuth are members. Kernell became president of the Inter-



PENNSYLVANIA GAMMA'S PHIKEIAS, 1938-39

fraternity Council. The chapter's intramural teams were most active throughout the year. The interfraternity swimming championship was won.

PENNSYLVANIA BETA—GETTYSBURG COLLEGE

The opening of the college year returned the Phis of Pennsylvania Beta to a completely remodeled chapter house. The changes effected added to the spaciousness and utility of the old home. The activities for the year included the business manager of the *Gettysburgian* in Walter R. Kuhn and the assistant news editor in Gerst Buyer. Gridiron specialists were O'Neill, Bailey, Levens, Whetstone, and Weems. Frosh aspirants to this sport were Shoemaker, Shelly, Eastlack, and Murtoff. The Bullet soccer eleven enrolled from the chapter Menoher, Relph, Hartman and Mizell. Frosh who were aiming toward varsity participation in this sport were Mizell and Sweet. Midwinter found two Phis, O'Neill and Weems doing outstanding work for the basketball team. Bailey and Levens also worked out with the squad. The frosh cage crew included Buyer, Mainwaring, Welch, Sohnleitner, Murtoff, and Shoemaker. The chapter had a strong representation on the grappling team. Ceill, Trenchard, and Whetstone competed in the 145, the heavyweight, and the 135 lb. classes respectively. A frosh mat man was Eastlack. Hartman was runner-up in the college chess tournament. Pi Lambda Sigma enrolled Hartman, Crede, and Menoher. O'Neill and G. Buyer were elected to Pen and Sword. Springtime found the baseball squad using Weems, O'Neill, Felder, Yunaska, G. Buyer, B. Buyer, F. Mizell, and Shoemaker. Cinder track men were Williams, Whetstone, H. Mizell, and Welch. The chapter's intramurals were highly successful. A fourth place was taken in swimming, leadership was developed in mushball, and the championship of the basketball title was gained. This is the second consecutive year the chapter has won the basketball title which entitles them to play the winners of

the Dickinson fraternity champions. Members of the chapter squad were Trenchard, J. McHenry, Yunaska, Davis, Brandt, Rowland, F. Mizell, Stahle, and Durst. The chapter published the first issue of *The Karux*. The publication excellently portrayed the remodeled chapter house, the activities of the members, and news about the alumni.

PENNSYLVANIA GAMMA—WASH. & JEFF. COL.

The college year was opened with the pledging of eleven Phikeias. These new men immediately entered into campus activities in the intramural program enjoyed by the fraternities at W. & J. Grimm was captain of the football team. Moore, Wrenshall, and Richards were members of the squad. Powell was on the frosh team. Whitmarsh was honored for his achievements in the physics department. He has maintained a very high scholastic average through his three years at W. & J. The chapter's intramural teams were most successful in their competition through the year and stood at the top of the race for the big cup. Moore, Grimm and Marshall won wrestling championships. The basketball team won the class B championship. The Phis enjoyed the annual Founders Day dinner with the Pittsburgh Alumni Club and the other three chapters in the province. The chapter's annual alumni jubilee held in the spring turned out many alumni for a very pleasant afternoon and evening together.

PENNSYLVANIA DELTA—ALLEGHENY COLLEGE

The opening of the college year found the chapter leading all other fraternities in scholarship. Shortly after the opening of the year the chapter received the Cleveland Trophy signifying its excellence in all phases of fraternity life. The chapter previously won this trophy for its accomplishments in the college year 1928-29. An excellent class of freshmen was pledged and from this group McGrew was elected secretary-treasurer of the class. McKnight, Brossman, and Johnson distinguished themselves on the gridiron. Beebe was a promising soccer prospect. Albright received the coveted honor of membership in ΦΒΚ. Varsity football players were Scarpitti and Garvin. To the soccer team Apple-



PENNSYLVANIA DELTA'S TROPHIES OF THE YEAR

yard, Starr, Way, and George gave all of their athletic strength. In publications were to be found Wright, editor of the *Lit Magazine*, with Miner his art editor. Faloon, Wright, and Sneed



THEY OFFICERED PENNSYLVANIA ZETA
Kurz, Reid, Hart, Donovan, and Leister

were scribes on the college newspaper. Schneck was again photographer for the yearbook. Members of the playshop were Wood, Miller, Schneck, Thompson, and Sneed. Parsons, Haberman, and Wright were in the Singers. Debate took the interests of Robertson, Miller, Oberlin, and Wright. Wright and Miller were officers of the debate union. Dearing was president of the senior class and Appleyard treasurer of the junior class. Faloon was a member of the basketball team. Barry and Jarvis joined the tank squad. Welday and McKnight joined the frosh basketball team. McVey and Schneck were members of the staff of the *Caldron*. In the spring McVey and Albright played varsity tennis with the latter as manager. The varsity track men were Barry, Brownell, George, Starr, Thompson, and Verecke. Anger and Welday ran with the freshman group. The chapter's intramural teams were most successful throughout the year. The Phis won first in touch football competition and second in golf.

PENNSYLVANIA EPSILON—DICKINSON COLL.

THE opening of the college year found Bittle starring at the right end position of the Dickinson Red Devil football team. Of the Phikeia group Forgach and Scott practiced with the frosh eleven. Gayman was a candidate for the frosh soccer team. Honor society memberships were held by Graf and Bittle members of O Δ K. Royer and Graf members of Δ Σ Γ and Gorsuch member of T K A. Graf was editor in chief of the *Dickinsonian* and when it became time for him to give up his office he turned it over to Gorsuch. Royer was the managing editor and he turned over his duties to Hughes. Subsequently Gorsuch was elected to membership in O Δ K. He has been prominent in debate, German, science, and journalism. Gorsuch and Hughes were both elected to Δ Σ Γ. Numerous Phis were interested

in the Union Philosophical society, the glee club, Belles Lettres society, German club, and most other social organizations. Hunt was on the varsity swimming team. Williamson and Boyer proved themselves to be unusually fine students with averages of 94.6 and 94.06 respectively. Williamson was elected to Δ Σ II. After playing a winter of intramural basketball for the chapter Bittle entered into track competition. He participated in the high jump, broad jump, shot put, 100 yd. and 220 yd. dashes. He held a Dickinson record in the 100 yd. dash. Other Phis out for track were Hoffman, Stamy, Eastmont, and Peters. The diamond brought out four Phis, Sutton, second base, Walter, pitcher, Copeland, outfield, and Gayman, second base. Many interesting social functions were enjoyed by the chapter. One of the chief ones was the Miami Triad dance.

PENNSYLVANIA ZETA—UNIV. OF PENNA.

A GREAT range of activities was in the hands of the members of the Pennsylvania Zeta chapter during the year. Outstanding senior men were Hart, manager of football, president of Sphinx Senior Society, secretary of the senior class; Read, varsity soccer, Sphinx, senior society, manager of squash; F. Reichner, managing editor of the *Daily Pennsylvanian*; A. Kurz, manager of golf; R. Leister, soccer; Schmohl, Mask and Wig; Beckloff, crew; and Erickson, president of Fanfare Society. Prominent juniors were Schuyler, assistant manager of crew, swimming team; Barry, Mask and Wig, junior editor of the *Daily Pennsylvanian*; Getter, assistant manager of lacrosse; and M. Leister, soccer. In the sophomore class Warner and Carson played varsity football; C. Kurz, McChord, Braun, and Davern competed for managerial positions; and Milans in the Mask and Wig show. Warner and Carson received their football awards. Kurz was elected assistant manager of soccer. Reed and Leister won soccer awards. Davey was elected to the business board of the *Daily Pennsylvanian*. Moore became a member of the swimming team and Penn Players. Schuyler was elected to the varsity boat club. Schmohl, Barry, Milans, and McChord were elected to the Mask and Wig Club. McChord was also elected assistant manager of the Mask and Wig show. Further in the publications field Milans and King were elected to the board of the *Daily Pennsylvanian*, making eleven members from the chapter on the publication. King, Muddell, and K. Kurz were competing for editor, business manager, and office manager, respectively. Moore was elected to the board of the *Record*. Milburn worked for football manager. Teets, Milburn and Christophe were in the freshman Mask and Wig show. Barry was a director of the dancing chorus of the show. Beckloff wrote one of the songs for the production. The chapter won a cup for the most cleverly decorated booth, in the form of the Phi

Delt Bungalow, at the Interfraternity Ball. Stahl was president of the freshman class.

PENNSYLVANIA ETA—LEHIGH UNIVERSITY

THE chapter opened the year by taking the intramural football team championship. During this time Hurst captained the cross-country team. Rose managed the varsity football team, on which Conover and Collins were members. Young was his assistant. Croft played a regular position on the lacrosse team. Whiting became assistant manager of the cross-country team. Fiedler, Conover, and Collins represented the chapter on the varsity basketball squad. Lane and Palmer were members of the frosh cage quintet. Green was the manager. Rose, Croft, and Evans were members of the university swimming team. In the spring the chapter's intramural team won its softball championship. Lane and Palmer joined the frosh diamond squad. Green was the manager. Evans captained the track team. He was a pole vaulter. Leismen and Rose were members of the tennis team which was managed by Weise. Whiting was elected the editor of the freshman handbook. Distinct honor came to Hurst and Schafer when they were elected to membership in $\Phi B K$. Hurst was also president of $O \Delta K$ and treasurer of his class. Rose, Schafer, Hurst, Collins, and Powers were members of $\Delta K \Psi$. Collins was vice-president-elect of the organization. Scabbard and Blade enrolled Harbaugh, Collins, and Bachtel. Harbaugh was the lone Phi in $\Pi T \Sigma$. Scholastically the chapter ranked at the very top.

PENNSYLVANIA THETA—PENNA. STATE COLL.

A NEW trophy on the Penn State Phi mantel welcomed the brothers upon their return to college. For the third time in four years, the



PROSSER OF PENN STATE

intramural trophy was awarded to Pennsylvania Theta. Scholastically, the chapter ranked high among the fifty-two fraternities on the campus. Immediate plans were laid to maintain the average. Parsons received an appointment to West

Point. He was Regimental Adjutant of Pershing Rifles, a member of Scabbard and Blade, and A.S.C.E. Albright and Wagner were members of $\Phi H \Sigma$. Charles Smith was the leader of his own



THEY WILL BE MISSED AT PITT
Dannies and Cashdollar

popular campus band. Ryan and Lininger were able debaters managed by Carlson. Prosser was president of Skull and Bones. O'Brien led the Intramural Board. Kavanaugh and Cresswell were members of Blue Key. Fry was on the interfraternity council. In varsity sports, Patrick and Crowell were on the football team. Prosser, Chalmers, Scheuer were out for basketball; Jeter played lacrosse; Olmstead, soccer. During the winter Patrick starred in the 175 pound boxing meet. Darby was a member of the glee club, college choir, and Hy-Los. Henrie and Mahoney were on the freshman track squad. Seebold was an excellent freshman golfer. The chapter's interest in its intramural record continues to be good. The intramural boxing cup was added to its achievements for the year when Fry won the 155 pound championship. Fry and Albright won the horseshoe championship. When the call for baseball men was given, Quailley, Fry, and Crowell answered. The chapter enjoyed numerous social events during the year. A number of improvements were made to the chapter house.

PENNSYLVANIA IOTA—UNIV. OF PITTSBURGH

THE Phis of Pitt returned to college to find the chapter house nicely refurbished and new furniture added to the rooms. With the opening of the football season, Stebbins and Dannies were found to be outstanding regulars on the team. Stebbins became a member of the All-East football team which played in San Francisco on January 2. Bernie Cashdollar became president of the interfraternity council, accepted the chairmanship of the Refugee Committee, and was initiated into $O \Delta K$. Bill Angel was business manager of the interfraternity ball; Black was captain of the Panther baseball team. Pofling-

berger joined the John Marshall Club. Crissman, Fullerton, Dickinson, Stodgell, and Andrews were out for spring football practice. Dannies received the senior man award from the university. This award represented him as the foremost man of the senior class. In addition to his interest in many activities, he was an outstanding member of the football team, and a member of $\text{BT}\Sigma$. Young and Goodwin became members of the student council. Dickinson and Ziesenheim were elected to the men's council. The chapter's intramural teams were highly successful throughout the year. Three trophies were won in individual sports, and the all-point trophy was awarded to the chapter for its excellent participation. First place was won in the intramural track meet; second place in the I-F mushball competition.

PENNSYLVANIA KAPPA—SWARTHMORE COLL.

WHEN the Phis of Swarthmore returned to college in the fall they conducted an extensive program of redecoration of the lodge. The program included painting of the interior and exterior and refurbishing some of the furniture. During the year the Phis held many major campus positions. Thomas was particularly prominent, being president of the M.S.G.A., a member of Book and Key, ΣE , and chapter president for the first semester. Phis headed the three major journalistic organizations with Wilson as editor of the *Phoenix*, Green editor of the *Halcyon*, and Custer chairman of the Press Board. Other Phis connected with these staffs were Austin, Crowley, Ferguson, Krom, Bond, and Wood. Alexander, Leich, Dietz, Speers, and Wilson had major parts, and Green, Ingersoll, Morningstar, Timmis, Wood, Capron, Langston, Austin, and Steelman had rôles in Little Theater productions. Austin became chairman of the debate board in April, and Foster replaced Morningstar as co-chairman of the social committee. Alexander was president of the sophomore class and a member

of the new student council. The chapter won the interfraternity scholarship cup, and the new men took the freshman scholarship cup. The Phis took third place in interfraternity swimming and track meets. Varsity lettermen in the chapter were Jones, A. Snyder, and P. Snyder for football, Buchanan, manager; Rockwood in soccer; Langston, manager, Cavin and Thomas in swimming; Dimpff in baseball; Morningstar, manager, Livingston and Buchanan in tennis; and Bose in track. Freshmen who won their numerals were Darlington and Krom for soccer, Trautman for football, Dietz for basketball, and Darlington for swimming.

QUEBEC ALPHA—MCGILL UNIVERSITY

THE opening of the college year found the Phis at McGill successfully rushing seven men. These additional members to the chapter group made it thirty-four strong. Hall, Wilson and Robb were regulars on the championship senior football team. Hall was elected to the all-star intercollegiate team. All three men received their letters. Cuke, Stronach, were members of the intermediate squad; Sully, Macfarlane, and Young were members of the freshman team. Rahilly was senior manager, and Keye, was his assistant. Bryant distinguished himself at the intercollegiate track meet by winning the high jump and placing third in the low hurdles. Borsman was anchorman on the relay team. Keyes and Drysdale were members of the championship senior basketball team. Both men were awarded letters. Draper was senior manager of the sport, and Borsman was his assistant. Kennedy, Macdonald, and Young were letter-winners on the championship senior hockey team. Cuke was a member of the intermediate team, and J. Kennedy and Stronach were on the junior team. H. D. Smith was elected to the highest campus post, president of the student council. Irve Smith was elected president of Scarlet Key society; W. Boggs became the vice-president, J. Dodd secre-



THEY HELPED MAKE MCGILL CHAMPION
Wilson and Hall, wings, and Robb, snap

tary, and McDonald, Bryant, and Morse were elected to membership in the society. Cameron was vice-president, and Dodd secretary of the Engineering society. Later in the year, Dodd became the president, and Morse the secretary. McDonald was secretary of the arts undergraduate society; Morse was president and Drysdale athletic manager of second-year engineering. Davies was vice-president of first-year medicine. G. Young was secretary of second-year medicine; Bryant was president of second-year dentistry; and McDonald was president of second-year arts. McDonald became secretary of the McGill Union. The chapter was awarded a second position in scholarship among the McGill fraternities. Two men were outstanding in scholastic endeavor. J. Cameron won the Dominion of Canada Essay Prize, writing on an engineering topic, and J. Graham the Histology Prize in medicine. The annual father-and-son banquet proved to be a feature of the fall season. About twenty fathers were present.

RHODE ISLAND ALPHA—BROWN UNIVERSITY

WHEN the college year opened, Larkowich was at work earning himself an all-Eastern Conference tackle position on the football team. Abraham was playing soccer. Hutton was editor-in-chief of the *Liber*, the University yearbook, while Sinclair was junior editor. Next year, Sinclair will take up Hutton's duties as editor. Bushell, Fraser, Siglock and Sinclair were members of the board of this publication. Smith was sophomore editor of the *Daily Herald*. McCormick and Boisseau were members of the varsity debating team. Brown was manager of the hockey team. Traver, Dodge, Perry and Sinclair were members of the band. Next year, Sinclair will be the leader of the band. Dodge was awarded the Harris cup as a foremost senior member of this organization. Abraham was elected president of the orchestra for the coming year. Bushell was president of the Camera club. Sinclair was vice-president of the Engineering society. Larkowich was a member of the Cammarian Club and also I.G.B. representative. Siglock was a member of Brown Key. Baker and Johnson organized a University B squash team. From the freshman delegation, Ritter and Williams won numerals in football. Brown and Donohue earned numerals in swimming. Whyngaught was an outstanding pitcher on the freshman team. Gould was a successful member of the varsity wrestling team. Siglock and Fraser were members of the baseball team. O'Connor was made a member of the Cap and Gown committee and Hawvermale was chosen as a member of the class day committee. The chapter's intramural interests were very successful. Championship and runner-up positions were gained in several sports. Perry and Gould won the regatta races. Distinct improvement was noted in the scholarship of the chapter with Hutton, Barry, Dodge, and Gould on the

Dean's list. Boisseau was awarded the James Manning and Jacob Sharttenburg scholarships. The chapter thoroughly enjoyed the celebration of the fiftieth anniversary of its founding. A large attendance of alumni and General Fraternity officials was in evidence.

SOUTH DAKOTA ALPHA—UNIV. OF S.D.

THE opening of the college year found a new chapter home rapidly being completed. By the



AT THE BROWN SEMI-CENTENNIAL

middle of November, the chapter had moved from its temporary quarters into the glistening new house on the same location as the one formerly occupied for many years. The football team used the services of Wernli and Lane to good purpose throughout the season. Tapplet occasionally substituted for Wernli. The mid-winter cage sport found Tapplet, Ptak, Devick, and Lane first-string members of the varsity basketball team which won the conference championship. Burns and Livak played with the frosh quintet. During the spring months, Ptak and Tapplet worked out on the cinder path. Other activities drew a number of men. Pay, MacLane, McKillip were members of Strollers; Sedgwick and Gaynor were members of the Dakotans; Pay and Jordan were members of Scabbard and Blade and were joined during the year by Donahue, Wernli, Tapplet, and Ptak. The chapter's intramural teams were exceedingly active throughout the year. The basketball team proceeded to the finals before being defeated. Burns, Livak, and Wernli represented the chapter in intramural boxing. Burns had little difficulty in winning the middleweight decision. The Rifle team was composed of Pay, Donohue, Tucker, and Fell. The team won honors in the intramural matches. The Phi golf team, composed of McKillip and Wernli was most successful.

TENNESSEE ALPHA—VANDERBILT UNIVERSITY

THREE members of Tennessee Alpha were tapped by OAK: McGinness, Hackett, and Manning. The chapter opened the year with twelve varsity

lettermen. They were McGinness, Rymer, W. Hackett, Boss, Milliken, Chapman, Manning, Brown, Pellett, Bray, Ireland, and Bell. In the publications field, the chapter enjoyed the work



CITED AT VANDERBILT
Boss and McGinness

of W. Hackett as business manager of the *Vanderbilt Hustler*, Morton Howell as business manager, and Ray Manning as editor of the *Vanderbilt Commodore*. From the freshman group Bill Oliver became president of the Freshman Student Christian Association. West and Palmer joined him on the cabinet of the association. Davis, Rymer, Chapman, Milliken, and Pitt were candidates for the varsity basketball team. Rymer was alternate captain. Steele, Pellett, Bray and Manier were on the wrestling team. Moore was manager of this group. Smart and Kammerer received their numerals for their work on the frosh football team. Pitts was elected business manager of the *Masquerader* for the coming year. Howell received the coveted honor of membership in $\Phi B K$. Ray Manning's name appeared in *Who's Who in American Colleges*. The spring athletics brought out Boss, captain of the baseball team, with Chapman, Trotter, Pitts, and Dobbs as team members. The cinder path artists were alternate captain McGinness, Milliken, Cornelius, Herrington, and Manager Bell. Brown, Davis and Manning were members of the tennis team. Ireland and Dick Hackett were regulars on the golf team. Cornelius and Trotter were elected to the Owl Club. George Griffin joined the Ace Club. During the year, McGinness was a member of the Panhellenic Council and the Student Union. The scholastic honorary club enrolled Moore, president, Brown, Cromer, and McGinness. Milliken is the incoming president of the Junior Bar Association. Pitts was vice-president of Skull and Bones Club for pre-meds, and Bell, Jordan, Thompson and Walter Hackett are members of this association. The chapter's intramural teams were active throughout the year and won several trophies showing their excellence in various sports.

TENNESSEE BETA—UNIVERSITY OF THE SOUTH

The Phis of Sewanee returned to the Mountain to find the chapter house repaired and refurbished in many ways. Concentration on rushing turned out twelve fine Phikeias. The new year presented Bishop as a member of $\Theta \Delta K$ and president of the German Club. Whitley was a member of Blue Key. MacPherson was editor of *Cap and Gown*, a member of $\Lambda \Psi \Omega$ and president of Sopherim. Lee and Wright were elected to $\Pi \Gamma M$. Given was already a member. The football team listed Gillespie, Whitley and Thomas. Phillips was on the frosh squad and was elected captain of the team for the coming year. McGriff was a member of the varsity track team. Lee and Turner were on the debating team. Scarborough was a member of the tennis team. Clendon Lee achieved the unusual honor of becoming a member of the Order of Gownsmen in his second year. The chapter's intramural teams were most successful. Championships were won in football and volleyball. Good work was done in handball by Turner and Juhan; in golf by Given, and the whole chapter participated in the swimming meet. Turner was a member of $\Phi B K$, having been elected in his junior year. The chapter enjoyed its annual Founders Day dinner at which a number of the alumni in attendance gave interesting talks to the active members. A feature of the evening was the opening of Pyx after the dinner.

TEXAS BETA—UNIVERSITY OF TEXAS

The Phis of Texas gathered in Austin to find the chapter house repainted, both on the outside and the inside. New wallpaper was in evidence in the majority of the rooms and the furnishings generally were brightened. Rushing netted the chapter thirteen excellent men, everyone of whom was initiated at the end of the first term. The Phikeias' pledge master was Joe Greenhill, third year law student and most able Phi. He was editor of the yearbook three years ago, is a member of $\Phi B K$, and $\Phi \Delta \Phi$. During the college year, Joe passed his bar examinations, but remained in school until the close of the year so



A BUSY SPOT AT TEXAS

that he could receive his LL.B. Wadsworth, president of the University Light Opera, with the assistance of Harvin and Cates, won an overwhelming victory in elections for assemblyman



TEXAS GAMMA'S WINNING HOMECOMING FLOAT

from the school of arts and sciences. During the fall months, Neely worked with the varsity football team. Smith and Powell were members of $\Phi \Delta \Phi$. This year found Villavaso elected to $\Phi \Delta \Phi$. Kerr was also a member of this scholastic honor society. The Friars, senior men's organization, included Powell, Neely, and Greenhill, all notable campus leaders. The chapter's intramural teams were highly successful throughout the year. Tanner and Rembert were strong intramural tennis players. The annual carnival gave McElwrath and Scott an opportunity to create an array of invading Martians, bearded women, mugwumps, magicians, and fat ladies. The pledges were not altogether doubtful creatures in these representations. Near the end of the year, Neely took over the duties of president of the student body when the president-elect resigned. A feature of the ritualistic year of the chapter was literary exercises carried out by the sophomore members.

TEXAS GAMMA—SOUTHWESTERN UNIVERSITY

NINETEEN members returned to Texas Gamma in the fall of the year, giving the chapter one of its largest groups in many a fall term. A good rush week brought to the chapter fourteen pledges. Four of these men were active on the football team, Lee being the spark-plug fullback of the eleven. Sneed won the award for the highest scholastic attainment in the freshman class the year previous, and was unanimously elected president of the sophomore class. Rentfro was initiated into $\Delta \chi$ and $\Pi \Gamma \Sigma$. The chapter's participation in the Homecoming parade brought them a loving cup for the best float on display. During the year, Sneed and Bland were placed on the distinction list of the University. Rentfro was elected without opposition as busi-

ness manager of the *Magazine* for next year. He played number three position on the golf team. Proctor was the ace singles man of the tennis team for the third straight year, while Anderson and Henderson were in the doubles competition. A definite program was instituted throughout the year to better the scholarship of the entire active chapter. The chapter enjoyed many visits from its alumni, and benefited from their advice and assistance.

TEXAS DELTA—SOUTHERN METHODIST UNIV.

TEXAS Delta started off the new year with presidents of eleven student organizations. The men who held those offices were Loomis, Deats, Dill, Wisenbaker, Nabholtz, Smith, Galvin, Zimmerman, Walker, and Hood. Wisenbaker was president of the interfraternity social organization, A.S.M.E., and was in the run-off for president of the Engineering school. Galvin was president of $\Phi \eta \Sigma$, the debate club, and vice-president of S.C.R.A. Varsity football men were Aaron, Dill, and Mathews. Later in the year, Dill was elected president of the senior class. At this time Walker was elected vice-president of the freshman class. Dodson, Baird, and Higginbotham, were out for the varsity tennis team. Nabholtz and Cook were among the varsity golf players. Collins, Ham, Zimmermann, and Ray had leading rôles in the annual musical production of the Script and Score Club. Dill, Nabholtz, and Galvin were elected to $\Delta \theta \Phi$, scholastic honor society. Nabholtz and Dill were on the honor graduate list. Nabholtz and Galvin were elected to $\beta \Gamma \Sigma$. Galvin was awarded the $\Delta \kappa \Psi$ medal for scholastic achievement. Ramey was elected to $\Phi \eta \Sigma$, and Ham became secretary of the organization. Collins, Dill, and Deats were named by the student body of S.M.U. as belonging to the ten "Representative Mustangs." Smith, Montgomery, and Galvin were members of Blue Key. The intramural activities of the chapter were good. The football team was runner-up in its league, while the basketball team was very strong. Dur-



MIGHTY AT S.M.U.

Aaron and Mathews

ing the year, the chapter won permanently three trophies. Coffman and Ramey won the interfraternity debate cup for the third successive time. Loving and committee won the Homecom-



MAINSTAYS ON UTAH TEAMS
Empey and Pace

ing award for Texas Delta. Westmoreland, Starnes, Ragsdale, McCollum, Trace, Love, Whaley, and Wisenbaker won the intramural volleyball plaque for the third year. The chapter stood second amongst the fraternities scholastically. Great help to this record were the two straight A students, Rain and Galvin.

UTAH ALPHA—UNIVERSITY OF UTAH

OPENING the year with a revised pledge training system aimed to help the freshmen scholastically the chapter did much to raise its scholarship standing on the campus. The outstanding pledges for the winter quarter were Seal and Emmel. Both men received awards for their good work. Pixton was chairman of the college Founders Day committee. Larson won membership in Scabbard and Blade. Foutz was in charge of casting and directing a play which the chapter will present at a downtown theatre. The chapter furnished three strong men to the basketball teams. They were Empey, Clark, and Melroy. Spring football practice brought out a contingent of Phis who will no doubt make the team next year. They were Pace, Kaul, and Clark. Midyear rushing brought the chapter seven excellent pledges. The chapter was greatly pleased when Pixton was elected to Owl and Key.

VERMONT ALPHA—UNIVERSITY OF VERMONT

THE Phis of Vermont opened the year in their "marble palace" by pledging eleven men. Hunter was the senior class president and member of the Boulder Society, the senior honor organization. Gasperini was editor of the *Ariel*, and a member of Key and Serpent, junior honor organization. Murphy and Burke were members of the sophomore honor organization, Gold Key. Boucher and Burke gained positions on the glee club.

Middleworth played an excellent game of basketball with the varsity team. Hunter was named director of the annual Kake Walk. Griffen was captain of the varsity rifle team. Boucher was first string catcher for the baseball team. During junior week, Foster and Cronin were co-chairmen of the dance. Hunter received the honor of being elected president of the senior class of 1939. At the end of the year, Gold Key chose McEwen and Spasyk for membership. McEwen was one of the leading debaters on the freshman team. Middleworth was elected to Champlain Sabers. The chapter's intramural teams were exceedingly busy throughout the year. The basketball team, composed of Juskiwicz, Pache, Pignona, Gasperini, and Cronin did well under the management of Boucher. Nichols was in charge of intramural hockey. Buckley led a bowling squad through a tough schedule. The members were Potter, Pratt, Pache, Buckley, and Shortle. The intramural hockey championship was lost after overtime periods had been played. In the intramural sports meet, Pine won the 440 skating race. Pache and Griffen, representing the chapter, received honorable mention for their work in the annual Kake Walk. Nichols was elected Kake Walk King.

VIRGINIA BETA—UNIVERSITY OF VIRGINIA

VIRGINIA BETA opened the new college year by pledging thirteen excellent men. These men immediately entered into extra-curricular activities at the University. Roughen and Weinman were outstanding men on the freshman football squad. Russell was a member of the university glee club; Thorn was a try-out for the *Corks and Curis*; Scott was the best quarter-miler on the varsity track team; Childers was freshman football manager; Nold was a member of the first year swimming team. In the active chapter, Moore held intermediate honors and was a member of Virginia Players. Clark was a member of the varsity swimming team; Lyman was a hurdler on the varsity track team; Wilde was assistant sports



SKI PARTY OF VERMONT ALPHA

editor of *Topics* and a member of the student assembly and interfraternity council. Putnam was a runner on the cross-country team, as well as a member of the boxing squad and the Jeffer-



VIRGINIA BETA ENTERTAINS THE G.C.

President Lyon, with Brothers Ballou and Cluverius

son Society. Lege, Fulton, and Wilde were members of A K Ψ . Knowles was president of the college and chairman of the honor committee. In addition to Lyman on the track team, there were three other men, Ayres, Scott, and Putnam. The chapter's intramural track team came through with the championship over all other fraternities.

VIRGINIA GAMMA—RANDOLPH-MACON COLL.

WHEN the Phis of Randolph-Macon returned to college in the fall they found that they had led all other fraternity groups in scholarship for the fourteenth consecutive semester. At the end of the first semester of the year they raised the number of wins to fifteen—a most remarkable record. A successful rush season brought many fine Phikeias into the group. Tatem was elected historian of the freshman class and was a member of the Franklin Literary Society. McDowell played freshman football. McCormick was sports columnist and assistant sports editor on the *Weekly*. In the active chapter Hubbard was elected vice-president of the senior class. He was captain of the tennis team and a member of the varsity basketball team. Regulars on the basketball team were Hubbard, McFall, and Phelps. Other squad members were Sterrett, Bootey, and Leggett. Three out of four of the spring sports were captained by Phis. McFall was captain of baseball, with Phelps and McDowell as team members. Gravelly led the swimming team and captured many of the points

won by the team. Thomas was also a member of the team. Hubbard led the tennis team for the second year. Sanders and Balthis were also on the squad. Bootey and McCormick were veterans of the track team. McFall was one of three members of the Athletic Board. Salmon was a member of the staff of the yearbook and a member of the Glee Club. Forehand was president of the Student Government while Hubbard was student dean and vice-president of the senior class. Omicron Delta Kappa tapped Forehand, Hunnicutt and McFall. Hunnicutt and Sanders were editor and assistant editor, respectively, of the *Yellow Jacket Weekly*. Nine members of the chapter served on the staff of this publication. Smithey was an officer of the Y.M.C.A. cabinet. A total of four Phis were members of the glee club. Forehand and Smithey were on the board of publication. Six members of the varsity club were Phis and Hubbard was president.

VIRGINIA DELTA—UNIVERSITY OF RICHMOND

THE opening of the college year found old Virginia Delta chartered but not installed. As a chapter of $\Phi\Delta\Theta$ to be, $\Phi\Delta\Omega$ entered a very successful rush season. Thirteen men donned pledge buttons. At the close of pledging a dinner was given in honor of the new men at Rueger's Hotel. Many alumni of $\Phi\Delta\Theta$, as well as alumni of the local chapter, attended this dinner. In February formal installation ceremonies were held for all active chapter members of the local society. A month later many alumni joined the boys in the ranks of $\Phi\Delta\Theta$. These Phis at Richmond were active in all types of campus affairs. Norvell and Bragg were outstanding in their work on the football team. Norvell was considered one of the best guards in the history of Richmond football. Bragg held down a full-back position. At the close of the season Norvell was awarded the team blocking trophy presented annually to the team's outstanding blocker for his stellar work in the grid campaign. Martin was vice-president of the student body and president of the Harlequin Club. At the end of the year Bragg became vice-president of the student body. It is interesting to note that both of these men were presidents of the chapter. Bragg and Kibler were members of the Y.M.C.A. Cabinet. Owens was a member of the glee club and on the editorial staff of the *Collegian*.



VIRGINIA GAMMA O Δ K MEN
Hunnicutt, Forhand, and McFall



PERSONALITIES AT VIRGINIA DELTA'S RE-INSTALLATION

1. and 2. Some of the Randolph-Macon undergraduate delegates; 3. Pollard Cardoza and John P. Lea hang on to the charter! 4. Pollard Cardoza, John P. Lea, Admiral Cluverius, and William Martin talk things over; 5. Prof. Fred Caylor, *Mercer* '23, Chapter Adviser of Virginia Delta, and Earl Mattingly, *W. and L.* '20, Province President; 6. Turner and Scarborough, of Davidson, the first arrivals; 7. Paul Beam—without his briefcase! 8. Major Porter Lowry and James H. Potteet; 9. Judge Bayes, of New York, P.P.G.C.; 10. Some of the University of Virginia delegates; 11. Two $\Phi\Delta\Omega$ founders: George F. Smith, Jr., and W. T. Clements; 12. Carter Helm Jones, Robert Morrison, and Milo C. Summers; 13. Orren L. Stearnes, *Richmond* '84, Robert Morrison, and John H. Welsh.

Norvell, Bragg, and Martin belonged to the Varsity Club. Martin was tapped by $\Phi \Delta \Kappa$, honoring his service to the University of Richmond.

VIRGINIA ZETA—WASH. AND LEE UNIV.

ELEVEN Phikeias were added to the Washington and Lee chapter to open the new college year. Twenty-six undergraduate members of the chapter returned to the campus. Many activities and honors came to the Phis. Harper was elected president of the 1939 finals and was president of the Monogram Club. Ennenga was advertising manager of the *Ring Tum Phi*. Walker and Hanna were on the staff also. Ragon was captain of the track team and co-captain of cross country. He served on the freshman executive committee. Dunn was elected captain of the Harry Lee Crew and along with Hanna was taken into the Cotillion Club. Harrison Hogan became a member of the 13 Club, junior honor society. The chapter was represented on the varsity football team by Harper, Baker, and H. and R. Hogan. On the frosh squad were Didier, Hunt, and Burger. Mid year found Ragon tapped for membership in $\Phi \Delta \Kappa$. Spring found him elected secretary-treasurer of the organization. Three Phis took part in the indoor track season. They were Collins and Garges in the hurdle event and Ragon in the dashes. Foltz was called upon for membership in $\Phi \Delta \Phi$. Collins joined Ragon on the track team. Hanna was wrestling with the first string varsity. The call for spring football practice brought out Hogan, Baker, and Gillespie. Day was advertising manager of the yearbook, *Calyx*. Late in the spring Foltz was elected executive committee-man for the senior law class and secretary-treasurer of $\Phi \Delta \Phi$. Garges became president of the interfraternity council. Ennenga, captain of varsity crew, was a great help to Phikeias Martin, Hunt, Shropshire, Best, Dunson, and Berger, who were on the frosh crew. Thach was out for tennis. Henderson was a member of $\Phi \Hbar \Sigma$.

WASHINGTON ALPHA—UNIV. OF WASHINGTON

THE Phi at Seattle started the year off by pledging sixteen men. Homecoming rolled around with the usual decorations to find the Phi house taking a third place. First stringers on the football team were Grabenhorst, Gleason, and McAdams. Dorman, Lenneau, and Coonan were on the reserves. Badraun was a member of the frosh



WASHINGTON ALPHA'S PLEDGES, 1938-39

squad. Four men won varsity letters in football. They were Grabenhorst at tackle, Lenneau at end, McAdams and Gleason at the halfback positions. Thompson and Milbank worked out with



WASHINGTON AND LEE PHIKEIAS, 1938-39

the varsity crew. Michelson went out for basketball. Heaton played with the frosh quintet. Calland, McAdams, and Baker were the chapter's headliners for the quarter. Calland was chosen to be senior football manager for the 1939 season. McAdams proved himself to be one of the most outstanding athletes ever to go to Washington. He was a triple-threat man on the gridiron, an excellent swimmer, and threw the javelin well up around 200 ft. He won three major varsity letters for these accomplishments. Political victories were a part of the chapter's interests with Baker elected to the post of senior representative on the University Board of Control for next year. Baker was a basketball letterman and chapter intramural chairman. A number of the members of the chapter were enrolled in honor societies and led various campus organizations. Two of the members were elected to $\Phi \Bkappa \Kappa$. Two of the major campus social functions, the varsity ball and the junior prom, were managed by two Phis, Baldwin and McFarland.

WASHINGTON BETA—WHITMAN COLLEGE

A SUMMARY of the activities of the members of Washington Beta for the college year 1938-39 makes an amazing array of contributions to the college. One man was elected to $\Phi \Bkappa \Kappa$. The editor and business manager of the newspaper were Phis. In athletics four men were on the baseball team, the captain and four other men in basketball, the captain and five other men in football, the captain and seven other men in track, and two men in tennis. The presidents of the freshman, sophomore, and junior classes were Phis. Three major campus organizations were led by Phis. Two athletic teams were managed by members. One man was tapped for membership in $\Delta \Sigma \Pi$. One intramural trophy was won. Among the freshman group Edwards and Turner were president and secretary of the freshman class. Chaney secured a lead in the sophomore class play. Burnham was also in the cast. Benedict was president of the sophomore class while



THE WHITMAN SQUAD INCLUDED ELEVEN PHIS

Jansen and Shaw were president and secretary of the junior class. Outstanding members on the football team from the chapter were Morrill, Graue, Price, and Hamby. Winstead was the manager of the team. The chapter received a very fine trophy from the student body for its supremacy in intramural sports during the preceding year. Washington Beta also received an award for having the greatest number of varsity players on the various teams. Scholastic supremacy was awarded to Westerberg when he was elected to Φ B. K. James Miller was editor of the *Whitman College Pioneer*, Whitman's No. 1 debate team was composed of Benedict and Young. Edwards and Adams, both freshmen, were on the varsity debate team. Gentry was captain of the basketball team. The highest award that Whitman College offered in athletics was given to Price for being the most valuable football player. This award is known as the Niles Trophy.

WASHINGTON GAMMA—WASH. STATE COLL.

The opening of the college year found Welchko and Gentry regulars on the varsity football team. Beckman and Godfrey survived all cuts to become members of the frosh team. All men received awards for their work in this sport. Gentry, Olson, Mahnkey, and Miller were on the varsity basketball team. All men won letters in this sport. Low was a junior basketball manager. Mickelson and Gebert received numerals for their work on the frosh basketball team. Gillingham was president of the Ski Club and named on the winter sports committee. On the rifle team the chapter was represented by Gay. Soffe and Simonson were members of the frosh golf team. Soffe was No. 1 man. Siemion and Mickelson were No. 1 and 2 men on the frosh tennis team. Olson was a member

of the varsity golf team. Paul Gillingham received a minor W as captain of the ski team. Six Phis were promoted to captains in the R.O.T.C. cadet corp. They were Swett, Johnson, Welchko, Hunter, Briggs, and Carter. Swett and Johnson were initiated into Scabbard and Blade to make six members from the chapter in this organization. Ben Gillingham received the distinction of being elected to Φ B. K. Gay and Dodson were initiated into A K Ψ . Hunter became president of the senior class and with Briggs and Welchko became members of Scabbard and Blade. Broom and Carter were members of Crimson Circle, Swett and Holbert were appointed junior managers of track. Carter was named assistant editor of the *Evergreen* and was the editor of the *Pow-Wow*. The chapter's intramural teams were active throughout the year winning several trophies.

WEST VIRGINIA ALPHA—WEST. VA. UNIV.

The Phis at West Virginia opened the college year by pledging a class of thirty freshmen. A new chapter house at 665 Spruce Street was enjoyed by all because of its larger accommodations. In the fall varsity sport of football Simons played well at the fullback position. Housh was in line for first assistant basketball manager. Klett worked for the managership of the track team. Honors went to Jackson when he was chosen president of Spiked Shoes. Other Phi memberships in this organization were Hackney, Ringer, and Klett. Nuzum was news editor of the *Daily Athenaeum*. Later he was elected to the managing editorship of the newspaper. Lloyd Church played in the R.O.T.C. Band. Ashworth gained membership in Scabbard and Blade. From the freshman group Hicks and Ruch were members of the frosh basketball team. In

the spring elections Howard Klebe lost the presidency of the student body by a very few votes. The chapter's intramural teams were highly successful throughout the year. Several trophies were won. The chapter has long had a reputation for excellent singing and in the annual Interfraternity Sing came through with flying colors by winning the George Healy Cup and the Sphinx Cup for the best singing fraternity.

WISCONSIN ALPHA—UNIVERSITY OF WISCONSIN

THE Phis at Wisconsin returned to their chapter home to find it completely remodeled in the interior. New plumbing, wiring, and plaster was placed throughout the building and new furniture was purchased to supplant the old. A new recreation room brought great enjoyment to all. The opening of the year found Bell business manager of the *Badger*. He did a fine job selling more subscriptions than have ever previously been sold for this publication. Nelson was a member of the varsity basketball squad. He won his letter in this sport. Jacobs was interested in freshman basketball and golf. Wright was with the freshman swimmers. Jackson joined the frosh crew. Breyspraak, Maas, and Rydell were on the varsity crew. Osmun gained a lead in the annual Haresfoot production *Annex Me Another*. Scholastic honor societies named several of the chapter members. Born was elected to $\Phi B K$ and Jacobs and Wright to $\Phi H \Sigma$. Jacobs was elected president of $\Phi H \Sigma$. The chapter's intramural teams were exceedingly successful throughout the year. The football team was not scored on throughout the entire season. The volleyball team also won its championship. The hardball and diamond ball teams were excellent. The golf team had a very low average score and was successful throughout the season. The tennis team was undefeated. This excellence put the chapter in line to win the Badger Bowl race for supremacy in all intramural athletics.

WISCONSIN BETA—LAWRENCE COLLEGE

THE rushing season netted the Lawrence Phis seventeen pledges. The majority of these men were outstanding scholars. Fifteen of the seventeen pledges went out for freshman football. Five of them turned out to be first string men. They all entered into many other extra-curricular activities which were to be found on the campus. The championship varsity football team enrolled a great number of Phis. Novakofski was co-captain. Members were Siebold, Hatten, Mattmiller, Buesing, Garvey, Everett, and Bachman. Gettleman was senior manager of this sport. Gettleman and Digman were on the yearbook staff. The editor and business manager of the newly formed literary magazine were Morton and Fulton. Everett, Noonan, and Heinke became Brokaw councillors. At the end of the football season Buesing and Garvey were elected

co-captains for the 1939 season. This makes the fifth time in five years that Phis have captained the football team. An outstanding honor came to Van Nostrand when he was admitted to the Lawrence Institute of Paper Chemistry. Mace tapped four seniors, Hatten, Mattmiller, Fulton, and Van Nostrand. Schmidt was made a member last year. Buesing and Novakofski earned letters in basketball. Graf, Fisk, and Buesing were on the track team. Morton, Fisk, and Gettleman were tankmen. Heinke was a wrestler. Members of the tennis team were midwest singles champion Schmerein, Calhoun, and Mattmiller. Calhoun and Siekman were on the debate squad. Garman, Hirst and Haak were active in play production. The chapter's campaign to raise its scholarship average was most successful. At the end of the first semester the group ranked third among the six fraternities on the campus. Fulton and Van Nostrand gained membership in $\Phi B K$. The intramural teams of the chapter were very active throughout the year. The golf and bowling trophies were won.

WYOMING ALPHA—UNIVERSITY OF WYOMING

THE chapter completed its rush season by pledging its quota of twenty men. These Phikeias have all proven their worth in the judgment of the chapter. Winterholler gained great recognition for his work on the football team. In addition to his football playing he was a member of the basketball and baseball teams. Hatfield won the 50-yd. free-style in the conference swimming meet. Smith was conference wrestling champion in the 121 lb. class while Hart was runner-up in the 145 lb. class. Rasmussen was selected for membership in ΣT . Sherwin was editor of the *Branding Iron* and Smith was assistant desk editor. Rasmussen became president of A.S.M.E. Thoeming and Winterholler were elected captain and first lieutenant of Scabbard and Blade. The Phis initiated into Scabbard and Blade were Smith, Ferguson, Rasmussen, Thoeming, Winterholler, and Bailey. Sureson and Clare were elected president and vice-president of $\Phi B \Phi$. Richardson became a member of the Student Senate and Gorrell and Sanback became vice-president and treasurer of $\Delta K \Psi$. Neithammer, Rasmussen, and Youtz made good records on the track team. Bailey and Richardson were on the varsity tennis team. Once again the chapter won the Denver Alumni Club Trophy signifying its excellence amongst the chapters in Xi Province. The intramural teams were active throughout the year. The championship in hockey was won and a third place was gained in basketball. Sauter, Waller, and Gorrell were placed on the all-intramural hockey team. Neithammer and Sureson were honored on the all-intramural basketball selection. At the annual university stunt night the chapter won the award for the most artistic act.

The Alumni Club Activities

DENVER

THE attendance at our weekly luncheons on Thursdays at the Denver Dry Goods Tea Room has kept up an average of over twelve for the past two years, and each week there are new faces. A recent luncheon was attended by Brother William O. Wilson, *Chicago '97*, a classmate of Secretary Harold Ickes. A new member added to our roll is Brother J. H. McCoy, *Nebraska '27*. We are making a diligent drive to secure the attendance of more out-of-state Phis and more of the older members, feeling that the success of our alumni endeavors depends as much on their activity as that of the ever-faithful members of the Colorado chapters. We have committees working on various phases of chapter improvement, rushing, and financing, and we hope to show some real results this year.

All Phis visiting Colorado are urged to contact Donald D. Joslyn, our President, 632 United States Bank Building, phone Cherry 5514, or the Secretary, 333 Colorado National Bank Building, Tabor 6371.—VERNON J. HECKMAN, *Secretary*.

DES MOINES

A belated report on Founders Day: Sixty-two Phis from Des Moines and nearby towns attended the banquet. Fraternity songs and fellowship were the order of the evening. Among the out-of-town visitors were Brothers Cain and Sanders, the chapter advisers of Iowa Beta and Iowa Gamma. The following officers were elected: President, Scott C. Pidgeon, Bankers Trust Building; Vice-President, E. Rowland Evans, 835 Insurance Exchange Building; Secretary-Treasurer, Albert P. Diehl, 225 Insurance Exchange Building.

Since Founders Day meetings have been held to gain support for Iowa Beta. Plans are under way to have a luncheon for rushees before college starts.—ALBERT P. DIEHL, *Secretary*.

INDIANAPOLIS

On the night of May 13 last, the Columbia Club was again ringing with songs and praises of $\Phi\Delta\Theta$ —Nelson Summers, George Pittman, and Willard Hutchins were putting on the annual Rush Party which has always been so successful in lining up Phikeia material for all the Indiana chapters. Each year the Indianapolis Alumni Club gives this party, and each year it seems more effective. Apparently this year was no exception.

Maynard Hokanson was in charge of the invitations, and forty-five boys accepted. Twenty-five alumni were present, representing every chapter in the State.

Brief addresses of welcome were made by Nelson Sumner and Lee Ridgway, and an interesting educational talk on fraternity life was given by William F. Evans, President of the Indianapolis Club. Fraternity movies from Headquarters were shown, with interesting running comments by George Schumacher.

Maynard R. Hokanson, Hume-Mansur Building, Indianapolis, is in charge of the State Rush Clearing-house. Phis are asked to send the names of promising

boys to him; his office will forward your information to the rushing committee of the proper chapter.

The Indianapolis Club is one of the first to adopt an advisory plan for graduating Phis. Any brother wishing advice on a profession or business is invited to communicate with the Secretary, who will arrange an appointment with a successful Phi in that particular field. This activity should prove a real help to brothers just out of college who are undecided about their vocation.—DON KELLER.

NEW YORK

THE setting sun of June 18 brought to a close the annual week-end of the New York Alumni Club to Shawnee-on-the-Delaware. While the party as a whole was up to the usual high standard of those held in the past, there was a note of sadness in the fact that the Philadelphia Club failed to send a complete team to defend the famous Ballou Golf Cup and this literally priceless trophy passed into the possession of New York Club by default. The regrets of the Philly contingent were delivered charmingly by their representatives, Brother and Mrs. Marte Gladfelter of Gettysburg.

But, there was golf competition, and such competition. Led by the President of the New York Club, Phil Barbour of Centre, some dozen "divot diggers" spent the entire week end failing away. Brother Sethness of Dartmouth (handicap 5), Ike Harris of North Carolina, Hentzler of Gettysburg, Peck Moore (handicap 6) from Indiana, more lately from Minneapolis, all did their share and more. Jimmy Morrison from Cornell, Earl Wolslagel from North Carolina, John Street from Maryland also took some rather stiff wallops at the ball. On Sunday morning even that grand old warrior, John Ballou went forth to do battle in honor of the Phis.

Don Hays of Colorado, playing the best tennis of his career, managed to fight his way to the finals of the Kieffer Cup Competition. Brother Hays had the hard side of the draw, but calling on all of his guile and ability he reached the finals. Once there, his play was excellent and reminiscent of those warriors who yearly come out of the West and hold sway in the elite tennis circles of the East. Hays was magnificent! Phil McCullough from Nebraska beat him in the finals by scores of 6-3, 6-2.

The crowd started to gather on Saturday morning and by Saturday evening some twenty-eight Phis and their ladies sat down to dine together. The presentation of the Ballou Cup was made at this time. Dancing was enjoyed in the Grill and singing, piping, and doortumping pervaded the night.

Sunday was a repetition of Saturday except that the golf improved and the tennis got worse. Swimming was out for Sunday, but canoeing, as practiced at Oklahoma, was demonstrated by Dr. Sam Binckley. The fashion show and beauty contest was held on Sunday but the judges could not or dared not decide.—PHILIP M. McCULLOUGH, *Vice-President*.

THE DEADLINE FOR THE NOVEMBER SCROLL IS OCTOBER 10

The Alumni Firing Line

THE *Wisconsin Medical Journal* pays a well-earned tribute to Dr. WILLIAM DAVISON STOVALL, Tulane '12, Professor of Hygiene and Preventive Medicine at the University of Wisconsin, as follows:

"For ten years the facile pen, the earnest voice, and the unwavering energy of Dr. W. D. Stovall have furthered the objectives of the State Medical Society's Committee on Cancer.

"The public and the medical profession of Wisconsin alike owe Doctor Stovall a debt of gratitude for his untiring efforts to make available to all information concerning cancer, the disease which ranks second as the cause of death in our State.

"His papers on cancer control have entered the homes of tens of thousands in Wisconsin. His pen has conveyed the knowledge that control of cancer lies in recognition of its early signs and symptoms by the individual citizen and the individual family physician.

"His voice has been heard in every section of the State, carrying to the laity the message that early cancer is curable, advising his colleagues of advances in the prevention and treatment of the disease, telling and retelling the story of cancer growth and prophylaxis."

THE *Alumni Review* of the University of Pittsburgh, commenting on the officers elected to administer the Alumni Association for the academic year 1939-40, has the following to say about Harbaugh Miller, who was chosen First Vice-President at the Annual meeting in June:

"Mr. Miller was graduated *cum laude* from the School of Business Administration in 1922 and received his law degree in 1925. While an undergraduate, he was manager of the track team, sports editor of the *Pitt Weekly* for two years, and student representative on the old athletic council.

"Mr. Miller is a member of $\Phi\Delta\Theta$, $\Phi\Delta\Phi$, and $\text{O}\Delta\text{K}$. He is secretary-treasurer of the Pitt Varsity Letter Club; vice-president of the Pittsburgh chapter of Sons of the American Revolution; secretary and member of the board of the Pittsburgh Newsboys' Home; president of Upsilon Province of $\Phi\Delta\Theta$; and a member of the Pittsburgh tennis association's executive committee.

"Since 1925 he has been engaged in the practice of law, with offices in the Berger Building. And when he isn't busy with his legal work, he can usually be found on a tennis court, for he has a reputation as one of the city's better tennis players. Mr. Miller is an acknowledged bridge expert and recognized as one of Pittsburgh's best players."

LEWIS VAN COURT, Pennsylvania '07, and ROLLIN C. BORTLE, Pennsylvania '05, are respectively president and vice-president of V-A-N-C-O, Inc., a swanky bridge shop in Philadelphia.

"Everything for the Bridge Player" is the slogan of this unusually smart shop. Those who



THE V-A-N-C-O BRIDGE SHOP

know say that V-A-N-C-O is the last word in bridge accessories. About six years ago Brother Van Court started this business in a modest way as an experiment. It worked and the business grew. Today it is accepted as an active and aggressive factor in the bridge accessory trade. It is the rendezvous of experts, masters, and beginners of the game. It is the headquarters of the Philadelphia Whist Association, which conducts all the championship tournaments in the Philadelphia area. The scope of the business has been extended by engaging in wholesale as well as retail trade, and the distributing rights were secured for the widely known "Kem" Cards.

This business is the outgrowth of a close friendship started in the Pennsylvania Zeta chapter when Bortle pledged Van Court a Phi. Both were members of the Mask and Wig club during college days and roomed together when away on road-trips. Van Court spent twenty-six years in the banking business and Bortle is an Investment Banker. Whether their banking experience or their training as Thespians is to be credited for their success in this unusual line, who can say?

V-A-N-C-O is located at 216 South 16th Street, directly across the street from the Racquet Club and almost next door to the University Club.

Philadelphia Phis have watched the progress of this business with keen interest. Many of the unusual prizes and souvenirs, won by the lucky, at Founders Day celebrations in Philadelphia came from V-A-N-C-O.

IRVIN BORDERS [Missouri '25], newspaper and advertising man, has been appointed advertising manager of Citizens National Trust and Savings Bank, effective July 1.

For the last several years Mr. Borders has been a member of the display advertising department of the *Los Angeles Times*. He compiled and wrote, among other things, the advertising lineage yearbooks of the *Times* for 1938 and 1939, both of which have received nation-wide honors as examples of newspaper sales promotion.

Borders served his advertising apprenticeship with the Ferry-Hanly Advertising Co. in Kansas City and then spent several years in newspaper work in Kansas City, Houston, Miami, and New York City. He returned to advertising agency work with Erwin, Wasey and Co. and then Geare-Marston, Inc., in New York, and subsequently was made director of publicity and radio activities for the Los Angeles office of the J. Walter Thompson Co.

Mr. Borders succeeds E. C. Anderson, for many years advertising manager of the bank, who died April 15.—*Los Angeles Times*.

BROTHER BORDERS inspires the following which appears in the *Saturday Evening Post* with reference to his chaptermate in Missouri Alpha, Ben Robertson, Jr., *Missouri '27*, a member of the *Post* coterie of brilliant young writers:

"We been saving a little story about BEN ROBERTSON, who congratulates 'The Lucky Girls of Aruba' [in the *Post*]. Mr. Irwin Borders, of Los Angeles, wants to tell it—so supposing we let him:

"Mention of Ben always recalls to me the campus of the University of Missouri in the fall of 1923. Rushing season at Missouri was the social high point of the year; clouds of alumni of all houses swarmed over hearths and davenport, fighting with and against each other for promising young hopefuls. All the talent a house could marshal was thrown into the ring. The piano at the Phi Delt house clanked from morning to night with music that, to the boys from Sikeston or Chillicothe, sounded pretty hot. Life promised to be like that.

"Then, pledging pretty well over, the alumni began to pack suitcases and depart. The chapter woke one morning to find that not a single solitary soul remained in the house who could as much as play Chopsticks on the piano in the featured corner of the living room. The quiet was as thick as the gloom which began to descend. The Betas had got all the musicians.

"It was about a week later that Ben put in his appearance from Clemson, S.C. He was invited over to the house. Shy, bashful, quiet, he sat on a sofa talking in a soft Southern accent that would out-Scarlett the O'Haras. Finally, in sheer desperation for something to say, some unsung hero asked him if he could play the piano. Ben allowed that he did 'a li'l'. Eight

men, at least, pounced upon him and almost threw him at the piano bench.

"In five seconds the strains of 'Washington and Lee Swing' began to rock forth as it probably has never rocked since. From as far away as the third floor curious groups of upperclassmen and freshmen alike began to tiptoe down the stairs. Whispers of 'Who is that guy—an alumnus or a Beta?' began to pass back and forth. Nobody knew for a while, then came the electrifying word that he was a rushee. Pandemonium. Grab him! Who's got a button? If there had been no spare pledge buttons in the house, I am quite sure the boys would have thrown me out bodily in order to get mine back for Ben.

"For several days Washington and Lee swung violently through the chapter halls whenever Ben could be located. It wasn't for weeks that the chapter learned that, no matter how hard Ben could give out on that one, it was absolutely and positively the only thing he knew how to play."

JOHN WESLEY DAVIS, *Iowa Wesleyan '14*, is Credit Manager and Chief of the Financial Department of Strathmann Coal Company with offices at 2701 Kensington Ave., Philadelphia. Recently a Phi called at his office and was attracted by some novel advertising cards being put out by the Strathmann Company from the pen of Brother Davis. These cards not only advertised their coal but gave some facts regarding their business and regarding any business which must lead to a permanent recovery. One of these cards reads as follows:

"What is a Fair Price?—Any dealer who sells a product true to name, who gives full weight, pays top wages, and charges only a reasonable mark-up, is selling at a fair price. Our company, in a three-year period recently ended, trebled the volume of its business, doubled the number of its employees, raised wage rates 46 per cent, and reduced average mark-up by 50 cents per ton. We had no 'labor trouble' and we asked no injunctions against labor unions. Our price policy and our wage policy didn't just happen. A fundamental reason is back of them.

"Business is not a sacred white elephant to be fattened at the expense of labor and consumer. For a decade it ran this country with an iron hand; raked in excess profits by skinning wages and by overcharging consumers. That policy led logically and inevitably to the Disgrace of 1929. Business must now justify its existence if we are to have more than an imitation Recovery."

VERNON DAY, *Washburn '12*, has been elected vice-president of the Los Angeles Interfraternity Club in which he has been active ever since its organization. The club was recently addressed by Ed WILLIAMS, Assistant President of Omicron Province, on the subject of "Fraternities and the Tax Question."

CHARLES W. LETZELL, D.D. [Gettysburg '93], will retire from the presidency of Hartwick College to become president emeritus, September 1. Dr. Letzell has been associated with the college since its inception.

In his report to the Board in June, President Letzell gave a brief summary of things accomplished in part, as follows:

"For ten years, I have had the honor of doing pioneer work in college building as president of the institution. It is not possible to catch the significance of our achievements without first considering some of the problems and difficulties which we had to overcome . . . [In spite of the difficulties] we have developed a standard liberal arts college in administration, faculty, and curriculum. The college has been recognized and given a place in the educational world and has been received into membership in the American Association of Colleges. . . ."

The following testimonial engraved on parchment was presented to President Letzell at the Board meeting in June:

"The Board of Trustees of Hartwick College of Oneonta, N.Y., conveys to you this Testimonial of its high esteem and deep appreciation of your outstanding services to Hartwick College as its able President for the past ten years, years made difficult not only because they were initial years of the college, but also because expansion and physical enlargement were prevented during those years by the prevalence of world-wide financial depression. . . . In evidence of our appreciation and esteem, the Board of Trustees has elected you President Emeritus of Hartwick College, and desires that in this capacity your relations and interest in the college may be perpetuated."—*The Lutheran*.

PHI DELTA THETA was quite well represented at the Vermont State House during the session of the Legislature which closed in April. HERBERT B. COMINGS, *Vermont* '10, of Richford, and W. R. MCFEETERS, *Dartmouth* '05, of St. Albans, were prominent members of the Senate, Brother McFeeters completing his third term in succession as a member of that body. It is many years since anyone has been elected three terms in succession to the Vermont Senate. PAUL H. GATES, *Vermont* '15, represented his town of Franklin in the House, being recognized as one of its best workers. PHILIP F. SHUTLER, *Union* '10, was chief engineer for the Vermont Planning Board.

BENJAMIN H. DALLY, JR., *Westminster* '29, has been made a first pilot with Transcontinental Western Airways and transferred from Kansas City to Newark, N.J.

JOHN EDWARD JACKSON, *Ames* '24, has been named president of the Pittsburgh-Des Moines Steel Co., Pittsburgh, in succession to his father, recently deceased.

BURKE WILFORD, *Pennsylvania* '22, was one of sixteen scientists honored at the annual Medal Day exercises of the Franklin Institute in Philadelphia on May 17. Brother Wilford who is President of the Pennsylvania Aircraft Syndicate, Philadelphia, shared a Certificate of Merit with Dr. Percy Russell of Wilmington, Del., for their work in perfecting "a simple means of regulating and controlling the speed of small electric motors."

"A Certificate of Merit is awarded by the Institute to persons adjudged worthy thereof for meritorious inventions, discoveries, or improvements in physical processes or devices." So reads the explanation in the *Monthly Journal of The Franklin Institute of the State of Pennsylvania*. The certificate was awarded for the "Russell-Wilford Vari-Speed" which is a compact attachment for increasing the utility of any universal portable electric motor or tool.

Many methods of controlling motor speeds have been tried. None has come into general commercial use because they have lacked the simplicity and flexibility demanded. The invention of the Russell-Wilford Vari-Speed Control offers a control which regulates the speed at any desired r.p.m. It can be installed on any universal electric tool.

Brother Wilford says the Pennsylvania Aircraft Syndicate will handle the output of this invention which he has developed with his old friend Dr. Russell, who was long associated with his father.

EDWARD COOKE ARMSTRONG, *Randolph-Macon* '91, linguist and for more than two decades a distinguished member of the faculty of Princeton University, concluded his active service as Professor of French with the close of the academic year in June. Brother Armstrong was awarded his Golden Legion Certificate at the Philadelphia Founders Day celebration last March 14. In acknowledging the certificate he wrote the Committee as follows: "The mounting number of my half-century anniversaries ought surely to indicate it as full time that a more rapid worker than I should be cleaning up his desk and having more free time for agreeable social relaxation, but instead the nearer I draw to the moment when willy nilly I shall have to call quits the more that desk fills up with the things I want to carry to conclusion." Graduating with the Class of '91 at Randolph-Macon and receiving his A.M. in 1894 Brother Armstrong was awarded his Ph.D. by Johns Hopkins in 1897 and LL.D. in 1917.

RALPH B. HOWLAND, *Purdue* '10, is a chief engineer for the United Engineers and Constructors, Inc., which is an engineering subsidiary of the United Gas Improvement Co. of Philadelphia. His offices are in the U.G.I. Building at Broad and Arch Streets, Philadelphia.

WILLIS GAYLORD CLARK, *Auburn '02, Sewanee '07*, rector of St. Peter's Protestant Episcopal Church of Charlotte, N.C., on June 12, received the degree of Doctor of Divinity, *honoris causa*, at the Centennial commencement of Erskine College, the fine old institution which for more than a century has been conducted under the auspices of the Associate Reformed Presbyterian Church.

Brother Clark was initiated into $\Phi\Delta\Theta$ while studying electrical engineering at the Alabama Polytechnic Institute. After graduating from Auburn with the B.S. degree, he was connected with the testing department of General Electric Company from 1902-03. He entered the Theological Seminary of the University of the South at Sewanee in 1904 to study for the ministry and immediately affiliated with Tennessee Beta. He was secretary of the chapter one year and president one year. He graduated in 1907.

After serving as a missionary in southeast Alabama Dr. Clark became rector of St. Stephen's Church in Eutaw, Ala. From 1912 until the present time he has served as rector of St. Andrew's Church in Birmingham, Trinity Church in Asheville, St. Andrew's Church in Tampa, and St. Peter's Church in Charlotte. St. Peter's is the largest Episcopal congregation in North Carolina.

Dr. Clark has served as a deputy to five general conventions of the Episcopal Church. He served as president of the Tampa Ministerial Association and has been twice elected head of the Ministerial Association of Charlotte.

He is an ardent Phi and an active member of the Charlotte Alumni Club.—JOHN M. COURIC, JR.

HAROLD G. KNIGHT, JR., *Pennsylvania '34*, and Miss Clara L. Campbell were married the last week of June at the home of the bride's parents, in Ambler, Pa. Brother Knight, who is the son of the President Judge of Montgomery County, Pennsylvania, has been practicing his profession since his graduation, as an associate with a Law firm in his home town of Ambler. Recently he became a member of the law partnership and will continue his legal work in the town where he was born.

CHARLES WHEELER CARD, *Iowa '29*, is manager of the Scott Paper Company in the Memphis area, his address being 55 Shady Lane, Memphis, Tenn. He regrets, as many other Phis do, that there is not more alumni activity in Memphis. There will be: See the June SCROLL, page 379.

FRANK McCULLEY HARDT, *Pennsylvania '01*, received the honorary degree of Doctor of Laws from the Hahnemann Medical College of Philadelphia at their graduation exercises on June 8. Brother Hardt is a Vice-President of the Fidelity-Philadelphia Trust Company.

BENJAMIN LUDLOW, *Pennsylvania '04*, is one of six candidates in the primary for the Republican nomination for Mayor of Philadelphia which will close on September 12. Brother Ludlow is one of Philadelphia's prominent lawyers and gained much praise and publicity during the past year for his work in directing a searching grand jury investigation into gambling, vice, and political corruption which resulted in many indictments against some of Philadelphia's high public officials. He is well qualified for the office of Mayor because he knows first hand what has been going on, and what has to be corrected. He has the ability to do much for the betterment of the city, and the courage as well. He has served in the state legislature, is a forceful speaker, and has been a leader in many movements for civic advancement.

RICHARD COMFORT, *Syracuse '39*, enjoyed a trip abroad following his graduation in June. He toured England, Scotland, Germany and France and many other points of interest. In a card to one of his old Phi friends he wrote from Oxford soon after his arrival: "The meaning of $\Phi\Delta\Theta$ becomes more clear and impressive to one who is traveling in a foreign land. One of the first persons I met at this wonderful old university was a Phi from Swarthmore. We had tea and enjoyed a great time talking about $\Phi\Delta\Theta$. It seemed just like home. It was an experience I shall never forget."

The engagement of ALAN CLARK MACAULEY, *Miami '35*, and Miss Barbara Russell, of Waterbury, Conn., is announced. Brother Macauley is the son of CHARLES A. MACAULEY, *Miami '99*, P.P.G.C. Miss Russell is the granddaughter of Dr. E. E. Flickinger, of Indianapolis, with whom the elder Macauley associated himself forty years ago as special agents of the John Hancock Life Insurance Company. Charlie Macauley has for many years been agent of the Hancock Company for the State of Michigan; Alan, following his father's steps, is associate with the same company in Los Angeles.

DONALD D. JOSLYN, *Minnesota '14*, the competent president of the Denver Alumni Club, after many years spent in engineering and livestock business, has entered the life insurance field as Special Agent of the Lincoln National Life, with offices in the United States National Bank Building, Denver. It is not an entirely new venture for him, for he was in the business years ago, and received his early training from Hubert H. Ward, Past President of the General Council.

REVEREND HARRY S. MYERS, *Hillsdale '95*, who has been for many years one of the national secretaries of the Northern Baptist Church is concurrently assistant to the president of Hillsdale College.

WILLIAM T. READ, JR., *Pennsylvania '27*, who was graduated from the Medical College in '31, has recently been appointed to the Staff of the Cooper Hospital, Camden, N.J., in charge of the research department. After his graduation and his internship he began practice in Camden, his home and birthplace. For several years past, however, he has been connected with the Du Pont Company at Wilmington, Del., in research work and was selected for his present position because of his success in this line of physiological chemistry and medicine. Brother Read is a son of William T. Read, *Pennsylvania '00*, President of the Camden Fire Insurance Association; and a brother of Walter N. Read, *Pennsylvania '39*, who will be remembered as the Pennsylvania Zeta delegate to the Old Point Convention.

ALBERT ROBERT TUCKER, *Butler '15*, is Philadelphia district manager for the R. & H. Chemicals Department of E. I. du Pont de Nemours and Company with offices at 1616 Walnut Street. Since his graduation in Chemistry he has been connected with the Du Pont Viscoid Company at Arlington, N.J., and at Noblesville, Ind. He came to Philadelphia about three years ago to assume his present position and has become acquainted with local Phis through attendance of the luncheon meetings of the Philadelphia Alumni Club. His home is in Wilmington, Del.

JAMES A. FOLTZ, JR., *Missouri '26*, who has been advertising manager of the *Fort Worth Press* for the past eleven years, has recently been promoted to the post of business manager of that paper. He has been with the *Press* ever since he finished his course at the university.

PERCY JAMES PAXTON, *Washburn '21*, recently moved from San Diego to Los Angeles, Calif., where he is engaged in general insurance, safety bonds, and life insurance. His office is at 111 West Seventh St., Los Angeles, his residence, 1248 Havenhurst Drive, Hollywood.

MARSH WESTON MILLER, JR., *Colgate '37*, a graduate of the Navy Flying School at Pensacola, is now stationed in Hawaii doing routine flying duty.

EDWARD JOHN MARTIN, *Wisconsin '36*, announces the opening of law offices at 312 East Wisconsin Avenue, Suite 523, Milwaukee.

HARRY FRANCKE, *Hanover '31*, is doing research work in metallurgy in the gold mining section of the Philippines.

EDWARD C. GULLION, *Wabash '37*, is with the Mid-Pacific Institute, Honolulu.

WILLIAM CHALMERS COVERT, D.D., *Hanover '85*, was awarded the Distinguished Service Order of the Silver Buffalo by the National Council of the Boy Scouts of America in New York City, June 28. This award was in recognition of his untiring service to American youth. Brother Covert is a Golden Legionnaire of $\Phi \Delta \Theta$, a former Moderator of the Presbyterian General Assembly, and for ten years served as General Secretary of the Board of Christian Education of the Presbyterian Church with headquarters in Philadelphia. He is always interested in fraternity activities and delivered the Founders Day address at Los Angeles last March.

HENRY V. MASSEY, JR., *Pennsylvania '13*, is senior partner in the real estate firm of H. V. Massey and Co. with offices in the Schaff Building, Philadelphia, at 1505 Race St. Brother Massey has been engaged in the real estate business since his college days. For a time he was a member of the firm of Hood and Massey and later was Manager of the Schaff Building. He now specializes in Main Line real estate. In Philadelphia the "Main Line" is recognized as the section along the main line of the Pennsylvania Railroad west of the city and includes the beautiful suburban settlements and towns adjacent to and within commuting distance of the city. Brother Massey's home is at 11 E. Wynnewood Ave., Wynnewood, Pa.

CLIFFORD M. CAREY, *Denison '27*, who for two years past has been executive secretary of the Los Angeles Southeast Y.M.C.A., has been made program secretary for the north central areas of the national Y.M.C.A. His new headquarters will be in Milwaukee, Wisconsin.

ROBERT HOLTON BULL, *Butler '26*, is a consultant of Public Relations, 842 Spring Road, Charleston, W.Va. He is active in the new West Virginia Alumni Association.

LEWIS ADAMS MAVERICK, *Washington '13*, is professor of economics at U.C.L.A. He was recently chosen president of $\Pi \Gamma \Phi$, honor society in the field of social science.

MARVIN HENRY HELTER, *Ohio Wesleyan '19*, is an official of the Criminal Division of the U. S. Department of Justice, Washington.

WILLIAM R. SWANSON, *Alabama '30*, is with the Underwriters Salvage Co., with offices at 1221 Yeon Building, Portland, Ore.

CHADBOURNE DUNHAM, *Ohio Wesleyan '29*, has been elected professor of German at his alma mater.

Chapter Grand

DAVID CLAY LILLY [Central '90], 68, widely known Presbyterian minister and moderator of the seventy-sixth General Assembly of the Southern Presbyterian Church in 1937, died May 28,



DAVID CLAY LILLY, *Kentucky Delta '90*

1939, at his home at Reynolda, N.C., from a stroke.

Dr. Lilly was born at Irvine, Ky., September 17, 1870, the son of Henry Clay and Catherine Tracy Lilly. He received his A.B. from Central University in 1890 and the degree of Doctor of Divinity in 1900. He was also a student at Union Theological Seminary at Hampden-Sydney, Va., and at Edinburgh University, Scotland.

Dr. Lilly was ordained a minister in the Presbyterian Church in 1894 and held pastorates at Frankfort, Ky., Tuscaloosa, Ala., Richmond, Va., Lexington, Ky., and on three occasions in Winston-Salem, N.C., where he had been pastor of the Reynolda Presbyterian Church from 1924 until his death. He held many church offices, was a trustee of the Union Theological Seminary, Peace Institute at Raleigh, and a member of $\Phi\Delta\Theta$. He was a Mason and Knights Templar.

Dr. Lilly was known throughout the South and was one of Winston-Salem's most beloved ministers. The Negroes knew and loved Dr. Lilly. He came to know them during his work with the Colored Evangelization committee and he continued to move among them.—*Winston-Salem Journal*.

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SAMUEL BRAUGHMAN MEISENHOLDER [*Gettysburg '04*], York (Pa.) attorney, former register of wills of York county and a U. S. commissioner for a number of years, died suddenly from a heart attack on July 24, 1939 at the Blue Sea Club, Quebec, while on a fishing trip.

Mr. Meisenholder was born in York. After attending Gettysburg College for three years he went to Harvard in 1905 where he received his A.B. and in 1908 his law degree. Since then he had practiced law in York. He is survived by two brothers, the Rev. Robert L. Meisenholder of Harrisburg, and Dr. Edmund W. Meisenholder of York, and a sister, Miss Mary E. Meisenholder.—*York Gazette*.

Dean Hoffman writes of Brother Meisenholder, "Sam and the late John Meisenholder were cousins. No chapter had more generous and helpful and watchful alumni than Pennsylvania Beta in these two men. Sam was the pal type to the undergraduates, John the paterfamilias. Sam was a bachelor who was content with a law practice that kept him in life's comforts. This annual fishing trip to Canada was one of his big moments. For some years he has been a heart case and he was not always as respectful toward it as he might have been. I mourn his passing as do all this who know him."

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CHARLES ELMER STURTZ, *Knox '91*, oldest practicing attorney of his county and one of downstate Illinois' best-known and ablest lawyers, passed away June 27, 1939, following an illness of six weeks, in Kewanee, Ill., where he had resided since 1893. He was born November 9, 1862, in Somerset County, Pa., and came westward with his parents soon after the Civil War. His law degree was received from the University of Michigan. He had been city attorney and member of the board of education, state's attorney for eleven years, president of the bar associations of his county and supreme court district, and had served on the state bar examining board. From 1912 to the time of his death he represented the Fidelity Life Association, formerly Mystic Workers, as general attorney, having charge of legal work in ten states. A staunch Republican, he was a leader in campaigns and much in demand as a speaker. He was affiliated with various Masonic bodies, and a charter member of the Kewanee lodge of Elks. In his younger days, Brother Sturtz frequently attended the gatherings of his Knox chapter, which last March was privileged to present him with a Golden Legion certificate. The Fraternity with its associations was ever close to his heart. Surviving are his widow and two daughters.—HAROLD M. HOLLAND, *Knox '99*.

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WILBUR JAY WATSON [Case '98], engineer and international authority on bridge design, died in Cleveland on April 20, 1939. He was buried in Lake View Cemetery. His death came unexpectedly. He had been stricken by coronary thrombosis ten days before, but it was believed he was recovering.

In his more than 30 years as head of his own company, Wilbur Watson & Associates, Mr. Watson had taken a leading part in the designing of such bridges as the Lorain-Central span in Cleveland, and the Akron and Willoughby viaducts.

The mammoth Goodyear dock in Akron where Zeppelins were built for the government was of his design. The overcoming of the problems involved in planning the building without center columns was a notable engineering feat.

Recently he had designed the Goodrich and Firestone exhibits at the New York World's Fair. Associates estimated the total costs of projects into which his engineering skill went were well over a quarter of a billion dollars.

Mr. Watson was born in Berea, April 5, 1871, the son of David Reed and Maria Parker Watson.

He received his B.S. degree from Case in 1898 and became a bridge engineer for the New York Central Railroad. In 1907 he formed his own firm.

Mr. Watson was a member of $\Phi \Delta \Theta$, T B II, the Cleveland Engineering Society, the American Society of Civil Engineers, the Institute of Consulting Engineers, and the University Club.

Case School gave him an honorary doctor of engineering degree in 1930.

He wrote numerous articles about bridges, gave many addresses on engineering and published three books, *Bridge Architecture, A Decade of Bridges: 1926-1936*, and *Bridges in History and Legend*. The last book received the collaboration of his daughters, Sara Ruth and Emily Maria.

Mrs. Watson and the two daughters survive him.—*Cleveland Plain Dealer*.

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CAPTAIN PAUL LEON PORTER, Knox '15, U. S. Army, retired, died May 13, 1939, in Galesburg, Ill., of late complications resulting from injuries received while in active military service. He was born January 10, 1895, in Galesburg. He also attended Lombard College and the University of Arkansas. During the World War he served overseas with a machine gun company, 64th Infantry, and was in France until June, 1919. Following his return to this country he was stationed at Camp Funston, Kan., and Camp Meade, Md., until retirement in July, 1922, on account of disability in line of duty. He was a member of Scabbard and Blade, the American Legion, and Veterans of Foreign Wars. Brother Porter was a grandson of George Luther Hannaman, *Lomard* '67. Surviving are his widow and a son.—HAROLD M. HOLLAND, *Knox* '99.

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JOSEPH COLVER TURK, *Vermont* '83, internationally known bridge builder, died at his home in Burlington, Vt., March 20, 1939, after a long illness. For several years after his graduation he was with the Erie Canal, and, later, the Milwaukee & St. Paul Railroad. In 1889 he left New York for Burma, where he managed the building of the Gokteik Viaduct, which spans a jungle gorge eighty miles from Mandalay. It is a half-mile long and is said to be one of the wonders of the world.



JOSEPH COLVER TURK, *Vermont* '85

During 1916 to 1919 he was in Syria, as representative of a large American importing firm. During fourteen months of this time, he was a civil prisoner of war in Constantinople. He had traveled extensively in Italy, India, Turkey, Australia, and South America. In 1897 he married Marie L. Benoit, of New York City, who died September 16, 1935. He leaves a daughter, Dr. Yvonne Turk, of Burlington, and a son, Louis J. Turk, of Miami.

Brother Turk was the fourteenth person to join Vermont Alpha. He was for nearly sixty years one of the most loyal wearers of the sword and shield. He was very happy when he could meet the members of the active chapter and the alumni at the reunions at the fraternity house, at commencement. They, in turn, looked upon him as one of Vermont Alpha's elder statesmen. He will be greatly missed by them.—THOMAS C. CHENEY, *Vermont* '91.

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DR. CHARLES ADDISON ELLIOTT [*Nebraska* '95], 67, former vice-president of the American Musical Association, died June 26, 1939, in Chicago.—*Associated Press*.

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EDWARD MASSMAN, JR. [Hanover '24], aged 36, Seymour city attorney, chairman of the Jackson County Republican Central Committee and one of the most prominent lawyers in southern Indiana, died at the home of his parents on April 22, 1939, after an illness of several months. Funeral services were from the First Baptist Church in Seymour with burial in Riverview Cemetery.

Mr. Massman was born in Seymour and graduated from the public schools of that city. After receiving his A.B. degree from Hanover College he attended George Washington University Law School at Washington, D.C., for two years, taking a final year of law training at the Indiana University School of Law, where he was graduated with an LL.B. degree in 1926. He was a member of $\Phi\Delta\Theta$, at Indiana, and of the Indiana Epsilon chapter of $\Phi\Delta\Theta$.

Mr. Massman was from 1928 to 1930 prosecuting attorney of the Jackson-Lawrence judicial circuit, a former president of the Jackson County Bar Association, and was named city attorney of Seymour when the new city administration assumed office last January 1. He was a leading member of the First Baptist Church, and an active member of the Seymour Rotary Club, and of Jackson Lodge No. 146, F. and A. M.

Mr. Massman was married on December 31, 1929, to Josephine McPheeters. His wife and their son, James Edward, survive him.—*Seymour Tribune*.

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JOHN SAMUEL GRAHAM [Franklin '23], prominent Franklin, Ind., auto dealer and one of Indiana's leading amateur golfers, died at his parents' home in Whiteland, Ind., April 12, 1939. Death followed illness of almost a year. Funeral services were held at the Whiteland Presbyterian church with burial in Greenlawn cemetery in Franklin.

Mr. Graham was born in Whiteland March 21, 1901, one of seven children of Charles L. and Anna Brewer Graham. After attending the Whiteland schools, he entered Franklin College. Before completing his college course he became associated with his uncle in the Graham Manufacturing Company at Franklin. He later went into the automobile business.

In every organization in which he was connected, Mr. Graham was very active. He was a member of $\Phi\Delta\Theta$ Fraternity at Franklin College, and for several years lived at the house as chapter advisor. He was a member of the Masonic order at Franklin, and the Bethany Presbyterian church in Whiteland.

Active in affairs at Hillview Country club, Mr. Graham would have been defending men's golf champion this summer for the third time.—*Franklin Evening Star*.

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GEORGE LINCOLN ROAT, Pennsylvania '19, committed suicide by shooting himself in the basement of his home in Brookline, Pa., a suburb of Philadelphia, on June 1, 1939. Brother Roat, who had been severely wounded and gassed during the war, was despondent because of the recent death of his wife.

While at the University of Pennsylvania Brother Roat was the intercollegiate fancy diving champion in 1916 and 1917. He also played on the regular varsity baseball team for the same years. Before his graduation he enlisted as a private in the 111th Infantry of the 28th Division and served over-seas along the Argonne front. He was wounded three times in the battles around Fismes, Vesle River, Fismette and Chateau-Thierry. In the Argonne he was severely gassed and after several weeks in French hospitals was sent home before the armistice and convalesced at Ft. McHenry in Baltimore.

In the battle around Fismette Brother Roat wiped out single-handed three German machine gun nests and captured twelve prisoners. He was promoted to Captain. The French Government decorated him with the Croix de Guerre with palms, and he was made a Captain of the Legion of Honor of France.

Brother Roat was formerly at the United States Chamber of Commerce office in Philadelphia; recently he was employed as tax consultant by the James Cook Co., Philadelphia.—CLAUDE M. MARRIOTT.

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HERBERT HACK HENRY, Akron '87, aged 76, a practicing attorney in Cleveland for half a century, who served as an assistant city law director early in his career, died suddenly April 26, 1939, of a heart attack at his home in Cleveland Heights.

Mr. Henry, a native of Bainbridge, Ohio, was graduated from Buchtel College, now Akron University, in 1887. Two years ago, on the 50th anniversary of his graduation, he was presented a second diploma from the university. He was also a graduate of Cincinnati Law School.

He was active in Cleveland for a number of years in temperance work. He was a member of $\Phi\Delta\Theta$ Fraternity and of Forest City Masonic Lodge, of which he was a past master and for 25 years secretary.—*Cleveland Plain Dealer*.

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MARK HUMPHREY NEWMAN [Wisconsin '01], 63, chief geologist of the American Zinc, Lead, and Smelting Co., died at his home in Knoxville, Tenn., on July 11, 1939. His body was sent to Platteville, Wis., for burial. He had been associated with the American Zinc, Lead, and Smelting Co., since its organization about 30 years ago, and was widely active in fraternal and church circles. He is survived by his widow, Mrs. Augusta B. Newman, a son and two daughters.—*Knoxville Journal*.

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CHARLES LINDLEY SMITH [*Allegheny* '87], widely known retired clergyman died July 9, 1939, at his home in Salem, Ohio, after a long illness. He was 74.

His death closed a career in which Dr. Smith was a soldier, clergyman, newspaper editor, and outdoor life enthusiast.

Born in Pittsburgh, Dr. Smith was a descendant of widely-known western Pennsylvania families. His father was Bishop Charles W. Smith, for 24 years editor of the *Pittsburgh Christian Advocate*.

He was a member of the $\Phi\Delta\Theta$ Fraternity and a 32nd Degree Mason.

Interspersed with his church career was service with the U. S. Army. As a Pennsylvania National Guard captain, Dr. Smith led one of the first guard companies able to reach Johnstown after the flood of 1889. He also served in the Spanish-American War.

Later Dr. Smith became district superintendent of the Steubenville, Ohio, Methodist district. Poor health forced him to retire for a few years about 20 years ago and during his absence from the ministry he served as editor for three years of the *Salem News*.

Dr. Smith returned to the ministry and served charges at Atwater and Uniontown, Ohio. He retired about five years ago.

Always interested in outdoor life, Dr. Smith and his father organized the Iron City Fishing Club on Georgian Bay, Parry Sound, Ontario, 50 years ago.—*Pittsburgh Press*.

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DR. EDWARD MILTON BEERY [*Roanoke* '95], Brooklyn ophthalmologist, died of heart disease on January 30, 1939. He was born on July 12, 1871, near Edom, Va. Dr. Beery graduated from Bridgewater and from Roanoke College in Virginia and took his medical degree at Bellevue Hospital Medical College in New York in 1897.

He served as an expert for the New York City Board of Health for many years, and before retirement from the board in 1925 was assistant director of the department of hospitals and medical inspector for the Queensboro Hospital. He was appointed to the staff of the Brooklyn Eye and Ear hospital in 1907, was made surgeon in 1927 and senior surgeon in 1936. He served on the staffs of several other New York and Brooklyn hospitals.

Dr. Beery was a ruling elder of the Classon Avenue Presbyterian Church, a Mason, and an expert trout fisherman. He is survived by his widow and two sons.—*Archives of Ophthalmology*.

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PAR B. ANDERSON [*Ohio Wesleyan* '95], died in May, 1939, and was buried in Forest Lawn Memorial Park in Los Angeles. He is survived by his widow, Regina J. Anderson, and three married daughters.—*Los Angeles Times*.

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CLINTON POSTON BIDDLE, *Ohio* '17, died at his home in Weston, Mass., on April 11, 1939, of complications following pneumonia. He was born in Athens, Ohio, in 1896. In addition to having an excellent scholastic record at Ohio University, he was prominent in student activities. He entered Harvard School of Business Administration in the fall of 1917, but his studies were interrupted by a period of war service as an ensign in the navy. Following the war he re-entered Harvard Business School and secured his M.B.A. degree, "with high distinction" in 1920. He accepted a position in the Research Department of that school, and then followed a succession of promotions until he became Associate Dean and Professor of Investment Banking, which positions he held until his death. In 1934 he was awarded the honorary degree of Doctor of Laws by Ohio University. He was active in the direction of banking and business firms in the Boston area.

Brother Biddle's record of service at Harvard has been outstanding, as has been his work in placing the Business School graduates. A committee of associates and friends at Harvard are sponsoring a memorial fund, known as the Clinton P. Biddle Fund, to be used in meeting individual student's financial emergencies.

He leaves his wife, Barbara Freeman Biddle, and five children.—GROSVENOR S. MCKEE, *Ohio* '16.

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EDWARD CARY PARKER, *Minnesota* '05, in charge of grain supervision for the Bureau of Agricultural Economics in the U. S. Department of Agriculture, died July 21, 1939, at his home in Chevy Chase, Md., after an illness of some months.

Shortly after his graduation from Minnesota, Mr. Parker went to Washington with the Department of Agriculture. When the old Empress ruled China, her government wrote the United States Government asking for a man to teach American methods of farming in Manchuria, with the title Minister of Agriculture for Manchuria. Mr. Parker was chosen by our government and spent 1908-1912 in Manchuria until the government of the old queen and her successor was overthrown. He then returned to the United States and to the Department of Agriculture where he became successively marketing specialist and since 1933, grain supervisor.—HUBERT WARD, *Ohio State* '90.

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MAURICE SULLIVAN WOODHAMS, *California* '88, died March 3, 1939, in Palo Alto, and was buried in the family plot in Santa Clara Cemetery. He was born in California 76 years ago. Brother Woodhams will be remembered by all who attended the Old Point Comfort Convention, where he was a delegate of the San Francisco Alumni Club.

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UR STAUFFER ROHRER, *Knox '84*, died November 21, 1938, from a heart ailment brought on by an attack of influenza, in Elsinore, Calif., his home for the past twelve years. He was born December 5, 1859, in Sterling, Ill. From 1886 to 1921 he resided in Hastings, Neb., and conducted an abstract, real estate, and insurance business.

During the 80's and 90's he achieved considerable fame throughout Nebraska and neighboring states as a baseball player. A member of the then well-known Hastings Reds, old-timers recall his feats on the diamond as almost legendary. To this day they tell of an exhibition game, notable for a thousand-dollar bet placed by an affluent citizen on the independents to win, in which the Reds defeated Lincoln of the Western League. Publicity accorded the sizeable wager aroused interest far and wide in the contest's outcome. And with the recounting they laud Dad Rohrer, affectionately so called, who played spectacular ball that eventful day and figured largely in the home-town victory.

Brother Rohrer became state prohibition director in 1921, holding office four years with headquarters in Omaha, going thence to southern California. Surviving are his widow and a son.—
HAROLD M. HOLLAND.

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OSGOOD FRANCIS COOK [*Emory '92*] member of the South Georgia Conference of the Methodist Episcopal Church, South, since 1892 and pastor of the St. Paul Methodist Church, Columbus, Ga., died March 31 at his home in Columbus. Mr. Cook had served as pastor of St. Paul Church five years. He was transferred to Columbus from Brunswick. He had served churches in Savannah, Dawson, Waycross, Thomasville, and Macon as pastor and had served as presiding elder of Macon and Savannah districts. He was a former treasurer of the annual conference and a member of the General Board of Missions. For many years he was a member of the Board of Trustees of Wesleyan College, served on the Board of Trustees of the Methodist Children's Home in Macon and was president of this board for a number of years, and was secretary-treasurer of the Legal Conference at the time of his death. He is survived by his widow and a son. Osgood F. Cook, Jr. (*Alabama Tech '38*), of Thomasville, Ga.—
Emory Alumnus.

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LESLIE MANCHESTER SAUNDERS, *Vermont '95*, died last December at St. Regis Falls, N.Y., where he had been an attorney for many years.

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CHARLES NOWELL STODDARD [*Williams '00*], 62, prominent Greenfield, Mass., lawyer died suddenly from a heart attack while attending a directors meeting in one of the numerous corporations he served as executive. Born in Erving, he was the son of Joseph C. and Elzi D. Stoddard. He had lived in Greenfield since 1892 and attended the schools there. After he graduated from Williams in 1900 he studied law in the office of Dana Malone, formerly attorney-general of Massachusetts, and was admitted to the bar in 1903. Mr. Stoddard in the past ten years established a wide reputation for his guidance of county industries beset by the depression, and filled many positions of trust throughout the area. He leaves his widow, the former Elizabeth W. Snow, two sons, Atty. CHARLES N. STODDARD, Jr. [*Williams '32*], who was associated with him in the law firm; and WHITNEY STODDARD [*Williams '35*], instructor in art at Williams college; and a brother, LAWRENCE J. STODDARD [*Williams '07*], of Hudson, Ohio.—*Greenfield Recorder-Gazette.*

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FRANK DENNISON LONGYEAR [*Michigan State '00*], of Lansing, Mich., met instant death on June 9, 1939, when the car in which he was a passenger was involved in a three-vehicle collision near Howell, Mich. Mr. Longyear was born in Lansing, 60 years ago. He attended the University of Michigan and was a member of $\Phi\Delta\Theta$. For more than 20 years he was associated with the Reo Motor Car company as factory superintendent and, just before his resignation, as production manager. He had been office manager of the Michigan States Sales Tax Division since January. He was active in Masonic organizations. He leaves his wife, Caroline, and a son Byron, both of Lansing, and a brother, John E. Longyear, of Detroit.—*Detroit News.*

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CHARLES FREDERICK SNIDER [*Iowa Wesleyan '92*], died May 20, 1939, in Los Angeles. He was buried in Inglewood Park Cemetery. Mr. Snider, 67, had been connected with the former Merchants Trust Company, the Los Angeles Trust & Savings Bank, and later with the Security-First National Bank. Born and educated in Mt. Pleasant, Iowa, Mr. Snider had lived in Los Angeles since 1904. He retired from the banking business in 1932. He leaves his widow.—*Los Angeles Times.*

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WILLIAM ASHTON HAWKINS [*Vanderbilt '83*], aged 78, of La Luz, N.M., prominent New Mexico Republican, died in Albuquerque on June 22, 1939.—*Associated Press.*

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- Oct. 1-15—Annual Reports:
—Roster of Active Chapter Members.
—I & A Sheet—List of Initiates and Affiliates during 1938-39.
—Brown Sheet—List of Members and their addresses who have not returned to college.
—Names and Home Addresses of Freshman Pledges.
- Oct. 10 —Chapter Officers for the Fall term.
- Oct. 10 —Newsletter for November SCROLL to EDWARD E. RUBY, Box 358, Menasha, Wis.
- Oct. 15 —Convention Reserve Fund Payment \$10.00.
- Nov. 1 —Chapter Treasurer's Reports for Summer months and September.
- Nov. 15 —Chapter Treasurer's Report for October.
- Dec. 10 —Newsletter for January SCROLL to EDWARD E. RUBY, Box 358, Menasha, Wis.
—Material for Annual Football Summary to MURRAY S. SMITH, 1490 Miner St., Des Plaines, Ill.
- Dec. 15 —Chapter Treasurer's Report for November.

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- Jan. 5 —Changes in Chapter Officers since October 15, 1939.
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—Chapter Treasurer's Report for March.
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—Chapter Officers Elected for next college year.
—Name and summer address of Rush Chairman.
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—Name and summer address of Treasurer.
- June 1 —Summary of Individual and Chapter activities for the year.
- June 15 —Chapter Treasurer's Report for May and closing days in June.
- June 30 —Annual Audit of Chapter Treasurer's book as required by the Code Title VI, Section 104.
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OAKLAND (EAST BAY).—Dudley H. Nebecker, 1419 Broadway. Luncheon, Friday, 12:10 P.M., dinner, last Wednesday, 6:20 P.M., Hotel Coit, Fifteenth and Harrison Sts.

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CONNECTICUT

BRIDGEPORT.—

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GAINESVILLE.—M. C. Brown, Jr.

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HONOLULU.—M. L. Parent, 2181 Kalia Rd. Second Wednesday, Commercial Club.

IDAHO

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ILLINOIS

CHAMPAIGN-URBANA.—Dr. E. L. Draper, 306 S. Mathews St., Urbana.

CHICAGO.—Paul H. Whitney, Room 1433, 1 N. LaSalle St. Friday at noon, Hardings Fair Store, Adams and Dearborn.

EVANSTON (NORTH SHORE).—Robert A. Romans, 805 Reba Place.

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MARYLAND

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MASSACHUSETTS

BOSTON.—E. Curtis Mower, Jr., 161 Devonshire St. Thursdays, at noon, Chamber of Commerce, 14th floor, 80 Federal St.

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DETROIT.—Warren T. Macaulay, 3401 David Stott Bldg. Friday, 12:30 P.M., Downtown Club, Penobscot Bldg.

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MINNESOTA

MINNEAPOLIS.—Marshall B. Taft, 1433 Northwestern Bank Bldg. First and third Wednesdays, 12:15 P.M., Adam Room, Donaldson's Tea Room, fourth floor.

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NEBRASKA

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NEW YORK

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ELMIRA.—Harvey J. Couch, 143 Church St., Odessa, N.Y. Fifteenth of each month.

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OKLAHOMA

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PENNSYLVANIA

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FRANKLIN COUNTY.—James P. Wolff, Clayton Ave., Waynesboro, Pa.

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HARRISBURG.—Edward C. First, Jr., 708 Green St. Tuesday, 12:15 P.M., University Club, 9 N. Front St.

JOHNSTOWN.—Frank King, Atherton St., State College, Pa.

PHILADELPHIA.—Walter W. Whetstone, 1616 Walnut St. Wednesday, 12:30 P.M., Manufacturers and Bankers Club, N.W. Cor. Board and Walnut Sts.

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TEXAS

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WASHINGTON

SEATTLE.—Val Cameron, 1033 36th Ave. N.W. First Thursday, 6:30 P.M., College Club.

SPOKANE.—Third Mondays, 6:00 P.M., Antone's Restaurant.

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WEST VIRGINIA

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MADISON.—Dr. Everett Johnson, 334 W. Main St.

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British Columbia

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Manitoba

WINNIPEG.—John M. Gordon, *Evening Tribune*. First Wednesday, 7:00 P.M., St. Charles Hotel.

Nova Scotia

HALIFAX.—Victor deB. Oland, 138 Young Ave.

Ontario

OTTAWA.—W. G. Masson, 3 Sparks St.

TORONTO.—John A. Kingsmill, 24 King St. W. Second Wednesday, 12:30 P.M., Arcadian Court, Robert Simpson Co.

Quebec

MONTREAL.—John P. Rowat, 507 Place d'Armes. Bi-monthly, $\Phi \Delta \Theta$ House.

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War or wisdom

BECAUSE a portion of the world has again made a sorry spectacle of itself, has turned back the calendar to the days of barbarism, has substituted force for reason, is no excuse for you and me to do the same thing. It is rather an incentive for us to aid in the creation of higher and nobler standards. . . .

. . . This war will be over in a year, in two years, in three years, in four years; but so, also, will your college course. If, with ear glued to the radio and eye upon the startling headlines of the papers, you yield to a feeling of depression, hopelessness, cynicism, that year, or two or three or four, will constitute a period of retrogression. The war will be over and so also will your greatest opportunity for life preparation. But if, with head high, you pursue the even tenor of your ways, seeking through literature and art and science and technical avenues to fit yourself for high-minded citizenship, then, when the shouting and tumult cease, you will find yourself prepared to play a man's part in whatever reconstruction may be necessary. The great guns may blast the cathedrals, destroy the libraries, kill the scientists, but they cannot destroy what culture has given to the world, and what is yours for the asking within these college walls. . . .

It is a much greater contribution to America to live for her than to die for her. Your four years here, if lived sincerely, earnestly, serenely, will prepare you to live for your country, and that is the finest preparedness program there is. . . .

Only the ignorant are without hope. He who has the consolations of literature, of history, of devotion to the sciences, who is a citizen of that kingdom of the mind which transcends all national boundaries, can face life unafraid. Thus it is for us to carry on with more earnestness than ever before the normal day-by-day enterprises supplied in this old institution. It is for us to prove that education can carry men beyond selfishness and greed to higher planes of altruism and high-minded service.—*Excerpts from the Lafayette College Convocation address of WILLIAM MATHER LEWIS, Knox '00, President of Lafayette.*

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Bernard Vickery Moore

By DEAN MECK HOFFMAN, *Dickinson '02*

BERNARD VICKERY MOORE, 56 years old, Treasurer of the General Council, died in Abbott's Hospital, Minneapolis, August 5, 1939. He had been ill a month with a heart condition which developed suddenly after a round of golf. His hospitalization brought such marked improvement that his recovery seemed assured until death struck suddenly in the early hours of the morning.

Funeral services, held August 8 in Lakewood chapel, were conducted by the Rev. Thomas F. Watkins, *Colgate '18*, with impressive emphasis on Brother Moore's generosity and capacity for friendship. Great masses of flowers expressed the tributes of friends. Present among the mourners were many members of the Minneapolis Alumni Club and these officials of the fraternity: John B. Ballou, president, and Admiral Wat T. Cluverius and Emmett Jung of the General Council; Past Presidents George Banta, Jr., and Dean Hoffman; Paul C. Beam, executive secretary, who, with Judge Paul S. Carroll, *South Dakota '18*, represented the Fraternity among the pall bearers, and John H. Wilterding, president of Lambda province.

Surviving Brother Moore are his wife, a daughter, Mrs. Graydon Hopkins, of Los Angeles, and a son, Alan A. Moore, *Minnesota '30*, of Minneapolis.

Brother Moore was born in Tipton, Indiana, November 10, 1882. His ancestors had come from Scotland and Ire-

land, settling in Virginia. From there his parents moved to Indiana. As a boy he had all the appealing traits expected of one of such ancestry. He relished telling how because of his uncontrollable enjoyment of a tent-show exhibition of "Peck's Bad Boy" during boyhood he was ejected from the audience and thus won the name of "Peck" by which he was affectionately known through his life.

After public school came his matriculation at DePauw University. On October 7, 1899, he became a member of Indiana Zeta, being the 26th member of the chapter to sign the Bond. After his graduation in 1903, he took a law course at Columbia and affiliated with New York Delta, being as enthusiastic a Phi there as he had been at DePauw.

A few years of law practice in his home town made him prosecuting attorney of Tipton county. From 1904 to 1909 he was a traveling auditor of the United States Steel Corporation with headquarters in Seattle. The Dakota Trust Company at Fargo, N.D., made him its cashier in 1910, a post he retained until 1920, when he was made a deputy governor of the Federal Reserve Bank and moved to Minneapolis.

Brother Moore served in that capacity until May 1, 1929, when he was elected vice-president and treasurer of the First Minneapolis Trust Co. When his bank later merged with the First National Bank to form the First National Bank

and Trust Company, he was made one of its vice-presidents in charge of trusts. Little more than a year ago he became the executive vice-president that would lead to his retirement a year hence.

Brother Moore was essentially a "friend of man." During his North Dakota residence, he became prominent in Masonry, holding the office of potentate of the Shrine and later honored with the thirty-third degree of the Scottish Rite. In Minneapolis he was a member of the Minikahda club and a former president of the Minneapolis Golf club.

As his brothers learned to know the real Peck Moore, everything, save his family, seemed to him less important than the welfare of $\Phi \Delta \Theta$. As an undergraduate he was in all truth, an "active," holding one chapter office after another and attending province and general conventions. This deep interest carried over into his younger alumni years, but then, as he told the story of himself and other brothers, there followed years of compulsory inactivity in Fraternity affairs, years needed for establishing a place in life, the creation of a home, the rearing of a family.

But in 1924, his son, Alan, became a member of Minnesota Alpha. That was Peck's signal and from that time until his fatal illness, he was constantly at the service of his Fraternity. As a father and an alumnus, he recognized both duty and opportunity to help $\Phi \Delta \Theta$ maintain its highest ideals.

And so in 1925 he was elected president of the Minneapolis Alumni club. About the same time he was chosen president of Lambda province. His major industry was to put and keep his chapters on a sound financial basis, realizing that a chapter, no less than an individual, cannot do its best if its finances are in a snarl and a worry to it. Out of his efforts came the so-called Lambda Province Plan of pro-rating the financial delinquencies of a chapter's members among all members. All chapters in his province adopted the plan which since has been installed

by many chapters in and out of the Fraternity to the financial satisfaction of all.

At the Mackinac Convention in 1934 Brother Moore was elected to the General Council by a flattering vote. His re-elections followed at Syracuse in 1936 and at Old Point Comfort in 1938. He served as Treasurer of the Council from 1936 to his death. He was urged to stand for the Presidency in 1936, but declined because the pressure of his business would prevent his giving the office the time and energy he knew were required. His election to that office in 1940 had been quite generally forecast.

The same passion for sound financial management which he had as a province president he carried into his General Council terms. It was largely through his guidance and leadership that the present system of chapter financial reports to Headquarters was instituted.

Like many another fraternity officer, Brother Moore shared his many talents and great experience in the business world with $\Phi \Delta \Theta$. It was the kind of service which a fraternity could not afford to buy and still could not afford to lack. Brother Moore gave it without stint.

One of his great ambitions was to have his home alumni club act as host to a General Convention. For half-a-dozen years he had urged the Council to select Minneapolis. When conditions seemed to suggest another place, he graciously withheld his claims, but always on the condition that some day soon Minneapolis would be chosen. His wish was granted for the 1940 convention. His delight was infectious. For years he had ready an appealing program of entertainment and once the decision was made, he set the machinery going. His last Fraternity activity before he was stricken was planning the Minneapolis convention for next year. His Minneapolis brothers are determined to carry out his wish.

Capable as a banker, serviceable as a fraternity official, Peck Moore deserves still higher rank as a Brother in the

Bond. The principles and spirit of the Bond were part of his being. His concept of the Fraternity's mission was so practically idealistic that to know him even casually was inspiring. His conversation and his speeches, so widely sought by chapters and alumni clubs and college administrators as well, were those of a man whose Fraternity's philosophy was akin to a religious creed from which all fanaticism had been winnowed.

The charm and radiance of his personality were unforgettable. Back of them was a character tuned to the Bond to which he had dedicated not only his Fraternity but his entire life. He was a superb specimen of membership in $\Phi \Delta \Theta$. *In coelo quies est.*

* * *

BERNARD V. MOORE became one of us here in Minneapolis when he introduced himself at a $\Phi \Delta \Theta$ luncheon in 1921. After that day he was known to all of us simply as Peck. He soon became the leading force for $\Phi \Delta \Theta$ in this vicinity. When he became president of Lambda Province he occupied the same place for the Phis of the Northwest. We were proud when he was elected to the General Council, and in recent years entertained the hope that he might sometime be president of our fraternity.

To believe that Brother Moore's interests were confined solely to $\Phi \Delta \Theta$ would be a great mistake. Several years ago the Masonic fraternity recognized his worth by conferring on him the 33d degree. He was vice-president and head of the trust department of our greatest financial institution. Measured by every test he was a successful banker.

He had great ability as a public speaker and in recent years was in much demand. He could lucidly and simply explain the most complicated economic problem. In my opinion he could have been one of the nation's great statesmen.

But to those of us who knew him so well it was his kindness and sincerity which endeared him to us.

B. V. Moore lived a strenuous life, never taking the rest that he should, and this, I believe, resulted in his untimely death. He died in middle age, but measured by his accomplishments he nevertheless, lived a full and complete life. His death was a great loss to the Fraternity and the community.—PAUL S. CARROLL.

* * *

My acquaintance with Bernard V. Moore was of brief duration and yet so filled with Fraternity activity that I shall always think of him as an old friend and Brother Phi. It was Peck Moore as much as any person who influenced me in my decision to assume the duties of Executive Secretary of our Fraternity and it was at his feet that I sat in my desire to gain a knowledge of the practical administration of the affairs of $\Phi \Delta \Theta$.

To Brother Moore must go much of the credit for the sound financial condition in which the General Fraternity and the chapters now find themselves. Always a crusader for sound fiscal practices from the very moment he became active in General Fraternity work, Peck Moore lived to see many financial reforms of his own conception in successful operation within the Fraternity, and I consider it my very happy privilege to have "hitched my wagon to his star" in $\Phi \Delta \Theta$ work during the past two years.

B. V. Moore was idolized by Phis, young and old alike. His approach to the problems of the active chapters was particularly appealing and his every appearance before groups of undergraduate brothers left a profound impression on them as they caught the spirit of his boundless enthusiasm and devotion.

Many Phis have distinguished themselves in the service of the Fraternity in times past, and if I am any judge of men and their works, Brother Moore's contributions will stand as a monument so that future historians will record him as one of $\Phi \Delta \Theta$'s truly great men.—PAUL C. BEAM, *Executive Secretary.*



AT EASE, FAR-WESTERN CONFERENCE

Upper left: Williams, McMurtrey, Ruby, Sherwood, and Gaches; right: Lane and Ravelli of Idaho; center, left to right: Dean Hoffman informs an undergraduate committee; Ballou and Ruby; British Columbia delegates; Finnell of Idaho and President Eckley of California; lower: relaxation on the sun-deck.

The Far-Western Regional

By CHARLES E. GACHES, *Washington '01*

THE Far-Western Regional Conference, September 8 and 9, 1939, was thrice fortunate in its setting—the Bay region with its countless attractions for visitors; the inspiration of the great University of California at its threshold; and the charm and convenience of California's stately chapter house.

The environment had its effect upon the tempo of affairs; there was variety and interest in the agenda, spontaneity and warmth in the discussions; the sessions functioned efficiently; there was no lack of gaiety and fun; without being sophisticated, the conference seemed adult, with more of dignity and urbanity than is commonly found at such meetings.

California Alpha proved to be an ideal host. The members moved out of the house and made all its facilities available for the entertainment of the visiting undergraduate Phis. The chapter officers made themselves responsible for the welfare of the guests, and nothing was omitted that made for their welfare. The undergraduate members took all their meals at the house, and luncheons were served there for all members of the Con-

ference both Friday and Saturday. Visiting alumni and officers were for the most part accommodated at the Hotel Claremont, Berkeley.

Well over a hundred Phis attended the several sessions. Every one of the seventeen active chapters in the Region was represented by at least two official delegates except Montana Alpha, which had failed to provide funds for delegates' expenses; but Brother Ace M. Woods hitchhiked the twelve hundred miles from Missoula in order that his chapter might not be unrepresented—and in him it was well represented. Charles Stidd, *Oregon State '17*, represented the alumni of Portland, and Stuart L. Williams, *Texas '15*, those of Reno. Chapter advisers present were Grant Swan, *Oregon State '21*, Lee McMurtrey, *Whitman '26*, Dudley H. Nebecker, *California '30*, and Elmer F. Riese, *Stanford '27*. Presidents of three of the four provinces were there: Houser of Pi, Sherwood of Tau, and Williams of Omicron. General officers present included Dean M. Hoffman, P.P.G.C., Alumni Commissioner; Edward E. Ruby, Editor of the *SCROLL* and *Palladium*;



THE CONFERENCE BANQUET AT ST. FRANCIS YACHT CLUB



THE CALIFORNIA CHAPTER HOUSE, SCENE OF THE CONFERENCE

Paul C. Beam, Executive Secretary; and three members of the General Council: Emmett Junge, Charles E. Gaches, and President John B. Ballou.

Brothers Gaches and Williams were in general charge of arrangements under appointment of the General Council; Brother Ed Williams was General Chairman of the Conference, and William Owen Morgan, *California '87*, was chosen honorary chairman.

In compliment to California Alpha, the host chapter, Paul Eckley, the chapter president, was appointed to preside at the opening session; subsequent sessions were in charge of Kenneth Shipley, of Oregon Alpha; Gordon E. Harmston, Colorado Beta; and Beverley Monkman, Alberta Alpha.

The Conference was opened on Friday morning with an invocation by the Rev. Earl Morse Wilbur, *Vermont '86*, professor in the Berkeley School of Divinity. The address of welcome was given by George Dudley Kierulff, *California '96*, former member of the General Council. This was followed by an inspiring address by the Honorable Clement C. Young, *California '92*, former Governor of California, on the value of $\Phi \Delta \Theta$ as a

guiding principle of action throughout life. Paul C. Beam, Executive Secretary, gave a clear definition of "Phi Delta Theta, Its Purposes and How They Are Achieved."

The program for each session had been carefully planned for a series of discussions on problems that confront every active chapter. Each theme was in charge of a discussion leader who served merely to introduce it; in nearly every instance the delegates seized upon the chance to debate, and the allotted time was always filled. The result was that delegates took home with them fresh points of view on old problems, and not a few new ones were discussed.

Following the plan of previous Regionals, the undergraduates predominated in the discussions. The participation of the alumni was held to a minimum and was in almost all instances invited by the active men. General Fraternity policies were presented in brief addresses by the General officers appointed to the task: John B. Ballou, P.G.C., discussed "The Chapter House, its Style, Location, and Financing"; Charles E. Gaches, "How the General Council Works"; Paul C. Beam, Execu-

tive Secretary, "Phi Delta Theta: Its Purposes and How They Are Achieved," and "Fraternity Finance"; Edward E. Ruby, "The Fraternity's Publications"; Dean M. Hoffman, "Alumni Relations"; Emmett Junge, "Scholarship in the Fraternity"; George E. Housser, "The Functions of the Province President."

After the adjournment of the deliberative sessions, Paul Beam exemplified the unwritten work of the Fraternity in the chapter room. For many alumni this was an appealing experience; some of them had not witnessed the ritualistic exercises of $\Phi \Delta \Theta$ for a score of years.

On Friday night the Conference Banquet was held at the Saint Francis Yacht Club in San Francisco. A fine dinner, featuring such sea delicacies as bisque of lobster, poached turbot, and baked scrod, was served to nearly two hundred Phis. Dean M. Hoffman, P.P.G.C., presided as toastmaster. Toasts were responded to by George E. Housser, *McGill '06*, "Phi Delta Theta in the Pacific Northwest"; Richard Hoover, *Stanford '40*, "Phi Delta Theta as Seen by a Present-Day Undergraduate"; Edward E. Ruby, *Indiana '97*, "Our Publications"; Paul C. Beam, *Indiana-Illinois '22*, "General Headquarters"; and John B. Ballou, *Wooster-Ohio State '97*, "Present-day Problems in the Fraternity." The guest speaker was Professor Paul Fletcher Cadman, *Sewanee '10*, of the University of California. His

eloquent and inspiring address was a discussion of the responsibilities of the educated man in today's society and the value of $\Phi \Delta \Theta$ as an aid in meeting them. [It is hoped that a summary of this address may be published in the January SCROLL.—EDITOR.]

On Saturday night there was a dance at the California chapter house at which the visiting Phis were honored guests.

Saturday afternoon the Conference met separately by provinces for the choice of Province presidents, with the following results: *Xi*, Donald DeWitt Joslyn, *Minnesota '14*; *Omicron*, Edward Williams, *Colorado College '17*; *Pi*, George Elliott Housser, *McGill '06*; *Tau*, Cameron Sherwood, *Whitman '23*.

The Conference adjourned officially Saturday and most of the delegates and visitors spent Sunday and Monday sight-seeing about the Bay cities and visiting the Golden Gate Exposition, which had officially designated Monday " $\Phi \Delta \Theta$ Day."

The feeling prevailed, as the delegates separated, that once more the plan of the Regional Conference had proved a brilliant success; undergraduates with ideas to advance had got them off their minds, they had got wholesome and sympathetic counsel from the general officers, and a great group of Phis had learned by personal contact how great $\Phi \Delta \Theta$ is in the Far West of the United States and Canada.

Call for the Atlantic Regional Conference

THE Atlantic Regional Conference will convene in New York City on December 1 and 2 at the Belmont Plaza Hotel, Lexington at 49th. All chapters in Alpha, Beta, Gamma (includes chapters formerly in Rho Province), and Delta Provinces are scheduled to attend. Each chapter will send two official delegates and some nearby chapters will send large delegations of visitors to join in the discussions. These large group meetings are becoming most popular with the undergraduates; all Phis in the East take heed and come to town for this interesting weekend of work and play with Phis and $\Phi \Delta \Theta$. There will be discussion groups, a banquet, a football game, and low hotel rates for a weekend in the City. On the program are Rear Admiral Wat T. Cluverius, *Tulane '95*; Judge William R. Bayes, *Ohio Wesleyan '01*; Dr. Ralph W. Sockman, *Ohio Wesleyan '11*; and Ex-Congressman Charles G. Bond, *Ohio State '99*.—PAUL C. BEAM, *Executive Secretary*.

Four New Province Presidents

George Philip Tuttle, *Iota*

I am glad to have a chance to write a sketch of George P. Tuttle, whom I have known for more than thirty years. I helped to initiate George in Vermont Alpha, and I secured for him the opportunity to come to Illinois in 1911 as As-



GEORGE PHILIP TUTTLE, *Vermont '11*

sistant to the Assistant Registrar. That does not look like much of an opportunity—but George never needed much of an opportunity. Suffice it to say that in eight years George so proved his worth that when in a shift of administrative positions the office of Registrar became vacant, George was installed in the job, in 1920, and he now presides over one of the largest and smoothest-working registrar's offices anywhere.

This office has charge of the admission of students and the maintenance of student records, the administration of scholarships, the administration of the Illinois Certified Public Accountants act, and other related activities. The office force numbers twenty-two persons on full time. The Chicago office for the colleges of

Medicine, Dentistry, and Pharmacy includes the Examiner and Recorder for the Chicago departments, and four full-time assistants.

Brother Tuttle is Clerk of the University Senate (the faculty legislative body composed of the President, deans, directors, and full professors in the University) and serves on several important committees of the faculty.

He is active in community affairs—a member of Kiwanis, of the Board of Directors of the University Y.M.C.A. (of which he is Treasurer), the Directors of the Community Chest, the University Club (of which he has been President). Since 1936, when Paul Beam went away into greener pastures, Brother Tuttle has been Faculty Adviser for Illinois Eta. Here also he has proved that he has what it takes.

In his student days, Brother Tuttle was successful in amateur dramatics—an activity continued at the University of Illinois, where he has appeared in many parts in the (faculty) Players Club. He plays a good hand of bridge, smokes a pipe, and has no known bad habits like golf.

Brother Tuttle is of medium height and of pleasing appearance. As the photograph shows, he is not possessed of any more hair than Edgar Bergen is supposed to have—but one rarely looks above his eyes. George is endowed with an un-failing supply of breezy good humor—perhaps because he blew in during the blizzard of 1888.

George Philip Tuttle was born in Burlington, Vt., March 28, 1888. He was initiated into Vermont Alpha of $\Phi\Delta\Theta$ in September, 1907. He completed the course in Economics in the University of Vermont and was graduated with the degree of Bachelor of Science in June, 1911. In August of the same year he came to the University of Illinois. He was married, May 18, 1912, to Beulah May Best, in Burlington, Vt. They have two daugh-

ters, Barbara Tuttle Wilson, ΔΓ, graduated from the University of Illinois in 1937, and Dorothy, ΚΑΘ, at present a senior in the University of Illinois. He has also a host of friends, in and out of the Fraternity, who will rejoice in his appointment as Co-President of Iota Province.—HARRISON E. CUNNINGHAM, Vermont '04.

Edward Williams, Omicron

EDWARD "CAPPIE" WILLIAMS is back in ΦΔΘ official harness and again as a province president, but this time as president of Omicron instead of Xi. California's three and Arizona's one chapter with the alumni clubs in both states comprise his seigniory. He was chosen by the province delegates at the Regional Conference at Berkeley.

From 1928 to 1934, Brother Williams was president of Xi province. Within that period the General Convention was held within his province at Estes Park. He was general chairman of that convention and his office in the Y.M.C.A. was convention headquarters in Denver.

Brother Williams earned his spurs as an ardent Phi from the moment (or perhaps before) of the day of his initiation by Colorado Beta, March 16, 1914. He entered college from the high school at Walsenburg. His birthplace was Coal Creek; the date, April 18, 1894.

After two years at Colorado College, he transferred to the University of Alabama and affiliated with Alabama Alpha. These were war days and the summer of 1916 found him in the Army. He spent three and a half years in the service, part of the time as regimental supply sergeant with the 1st Colorado Infantry on the Mexican Border. With the opening of the World War he was commissioned a second lieutenant.

In 1922 Brother Williams went into Y.M.C.A. work, acting for ten years as employment secretary and director of vocational guidance in the Denver and San Francisco associations. From 1933 to

1936, with the rank of Captain in the U. S. Army, he was with the Civilian Conservation Corps. One of his assignments was to direct the construction of a camp on the floor of the Grand Canyon.

Since October 1936, he has been with the Department of Employment of California with headquarters at Sacramento but with a state-wide commission. His



EDWARD WILLIAMS, Colorado College '17

post is that of senior referee of the division of unemployment insurance, his specific job being to iron out the wrinkles between claimants and employers.

Brother Williams holds membership in the Scottish Rite Masons, the American Legion, the City Club of Denver, the Reserve Officers Association and the National Committee on Mental Hygiene. In Denver he taught a large class of Sunday School boys in the Plymouth Congregational church.

Los Angeles is Brother Williams' home. He resides there with his wife who was Katherine Copeland, Colorado College '14, their daughter, Edith, now a sophomore at the University of California, and a son, John, a Phikeia at U.C.L.A. and the institution's No. 1 debater.—DEAN M. HOFFMAN, Dickinson '02.

Cameron Sherwood, *Tau*

CAMERON SHERWOOD, President of Tau Province, which includes the four chapters at Montana, Idaho,



CAMERON SHERWOOD, *Whitman '23*

Whitman, and Washington State, was elected to this post at the Berkeley Regional Conference, September 9, 1939. He had been given an interim appointment in August, following the resignation of Fulton G. Gale, *Whitman '15*, who had served as president of the Province the five years preceding.

Brother Sherwood is an attorney of Walla Walla. He was admitted to the Washington bar in 1928 and practiced in Seattle eight years, including four as assistant United States attorney for the district of Western Washington. In 1936 he moved to Walla Walla to practice.

Cameron Sherwood was born at Colville, Washington, May 1, 1900. He prepared for college at Colville High School and entered Whitman College in 1919, and was graduated in 1923, with the degree of A.B. As a student he took keen interest in college affairs, winning letters in tennis and baseball, and serving for

a year as editor of the college paper, the *Whitman Pioneer*. Following graduation he was a reporter on Walla Walla and Yakima newspapers, and for four years served as secretary to the late John W. Summers, representative in Congress from the Fourth Washington District. While serving in this capacity he attended the George Washington University Law School and received his LL.B. degree in 1927. In G. W. U. he was senior representative of the law school student governing council and was elected to membership in $\Phi \Delta \Delta$.

He is a member of the Walter E. Lee Post, American Legion, of Walla Walla (so named in honor of Walter C. Lee, *Whitman '14*). He is a Rotarian and a Mason, a member of the Knights Templar and the Shrine.

His wife is the former Miss Marion Conklin, a *Whitman* $\Delta \Gamma$. They have three young daughters.

Brother Sherwood has a keen mind and is a zealous student of both the theory and the practice of the law. He has a talent for administration and this, combined with his long-tested loyalty to $\Phi \Delta \Theta$ and his sympathetic and thorough understanding of young men, assures that the affairs of Tau Province are in good and safe hands.—ROBERT WILLIAM FISHER, *Idaho '04*.

William M. Hughey, *Psi*

WILLIAM M. HUGHEY, the newly appointed president of Psi Province, is the sort of fellow that one quickly learns to call by his nickname, Bill. He plays golf, skates, dances, likes a good game of bridge, and is generally social and friendly as one might expect from a bachelor of twenty-seven who has continued "going to school" and working with college men since he received his A.B. from Miami University in 1934. Last winter Brother Hughey took a try at deep-sea fishing off the coast of Florida. He plans to have another go at this sort

of angling during his Christmas vacation. His Iowa City friends are anticipating his return with a German submarine as a trophy.

While working for his M.S. degree at the State University of Iowa which he got in 1936, Hughey served as proctor at the Quadrangle, one of the world's largest college men's dormitories. He is now working toward his Ph.D. in psychology in the field of personnel. His appointment on the University's staff is as assistant in the office of the Dean of Men where he is in charge of housing and serves as executive secretary on the Student Aid Committee. He is also a faculty representative in the Iowa Men's Panhellenic Association.

As a member of the Ohio Alpha chapter, Brother Hughey was elected chapter treasurer in his sophomore year, which office he held for three years. In his junior year he served as rushing chairman.

Hughey is a member of two national honorary societies, $\Phi\Sigma$, biology, and $\Sigma\Xi$, scientific. In the social life on the Iowa

campus other than his interests in Iowa Alpha, he holds memberships in the Triangle (men's faculty) club, and the Explorers (bachelor luncheon) club.—
CHARLES L. SANDERS, *Missouri* '17



WILLIAM MAYNARD HUGHEY, JR., *Miami* '34

Canada at War

By HUGH ARTHUR CROMBIE, *McGill* '17

WE fight, once again, so that war may cease. We fight, as we must always fight, to protect our children, our homes, and ourselves. We fight to preserve our system of government—our social philosophy. Under our system of government, we obey the will of our majorities; and so, we rule ourselves. With us, every man is free to act as he wishes, so long as his actions do not deny a similar right to his fellows.

"Germany advocates the use of armies, of combined force, to win advantages for Germans over others. We believe in a fair field and leave individuals of every race free, as we are, to win success for themselves. For us, the nation exists to benefit its citizens; for Germany, the nation is

an end for which individuals and their well-being are to be sacrificed.

"We are fighting again because we believe our system to be the better one. . .

"Our democratic self-government, with its freedom for the individual, is the slowly-grown fruit of centuries. Our fathers built and won that system for us. We will preserve it. Let there be no mistake, in 1939 as in 1914, all that we are and have is engaged in a struggle, against the threat of German domination, to preserve our customs, our morals and our right to govern ourselves.

"The need of today is for men trained in the use of modern weapons, for those weapons, and for war supplies of all sorts. There is much that the men and

women of McGill can do to meet the needs of today, as they did those of 1914."

The foregoing paragraphs, which are reprinted from the *McGill News*, may be said fairly to represent the devotion, the determination, and the courage with which Young Canada is facing today the responsibilities of the war. With little of talk and with less of heroics, the nation sets out realistically and systematically to do its duty.

The Canadian universities will again play a great rôle in training men for the service. Each of them will organize itself for the task, and the Government is lending all possible encouragement and assistance to their efforts. At McGill the plans, with which the writer, as a member of the War Service Advisory Board, is personally familiar, have as their objective the employment of each individual for that war service which, by reason of his talents, previous training, and capacity for further training, he is best fitted to render when and if the need arises. These plans are doubtless typical of those in the other Canadian universities.

The War Service Advisory Board is established by the University, with representatives of the teaching staff, the graduates, the Canadian Officers' Training Corps, and the Government. In general, the purpose of the Board is to seek information as to the needs that exist or are likely to arise, then to advise with reference to the best procedures for individuals to follow in meeting these needs. Students especially are urged to consult with the Board before committing themselves to any line of service. Acting under instructions of the Government, the Board is advising students to remain at the University and complete their courses. The thought behind this advice is that they will be of more value with complete training than if they were to enlist at the present time. This means that if the war lasts for one or two years only, it is not expected that student enrollment will be seriously lowered.

The effect of the war upon our Fra-

ternity chapters in the Canadian universities is difficult to forecast. Reports so far indicate that the customary programs are going forward with relatively little interruption; of course the Officers' Training Corps are actively and efficiently at work. As indicated above, if the war lasts only a year or two, the life of our chapters will probably not be seriously interfered with; if we run into a long war, it is to be expected that they will be badly hit.

While a great many Phis are in militia units and Officers' Training Corps, so far as the writer has been able to ascertain (in mid-October and with reference to McGill Phis), only four of our members are in active service: Capt. F. W. Cowie '33, is with the 2d Battalion, Royal Highlanders of Canada; Capt. A. W. Y. Desbrisay '27, is with a Coastal Defense unit on the Pacific Coast; Capt. E. F. M. Mitchell '32, is with the 1st Battalion, Royal Highlanders of Canada; Lieut. F. E. White '32, is with the Royal Canadian Regiment. Please note that, while reference is made to Active Service, Canada has not as yet sent any troops overseas, although two divisions are being organized.

Our Front Cover

VERMONT ALPHA's chapter house, proclaimed by experts both in the problems of student housing and in architecture as one of the most significant fraternity houses in America, is pictured on the cover of this number. The building was designed by a Phi, William McLeish Dunbar, Cornell '18, professor of architecture at Cornell University. The setting, in spacious lawns surrounded by forest trees, is typical of New England.

Vermont Alpha celebrates this year its sixtieth anniversary, having been installed October 30, 1879. The Chapter Grand section in this number records the death of the last surviving charter member. It was our first New England chapter, the forerunner of those strong chapters which have so firmly established $\Phi\Delta\Theta$ in that section. It has given to the Fraternity a long line of zealous and competent leaders, and its alumni have as a group made a lasting contribution to the life of their communities and their state. Truly, the active chapter of today has a great heritage to live up to.

Founders Room Custodian

By FRANCIS KRAMER KAHLE, *Miami '40*

BEECHEER CLAFLIN, *Miami '41*, has been appointed by the Headquarters committee to the custody of the Founders Room in old North Dormitory, Miami University.

Brother Claflin is the third "best all around Junior man" of Ohio Alpha to be honored by being given the keys to John McMillan Wilson's room in which our six founders gathered the night of December 26, 1848, and signed the Bond of the Phi Delta Theta.

With the complete remodeling and restoration of the 115-year old structure three years ago, the Miami trustees granted an indefinite lease of the room to the Fraternity for the purpose of making it a center of the Fraternity Founders' memorials. The custodianship of the room is equivalent to a university scholarship.

Claflin was given the honor for this year from the ranks of the junior class of Ohio Alpha for his excellence in three separate fields, character and scholarship, best-tested knowledge of Fraternity history, and his widespread activity in Fraternity and campus affairs.

His campus activities include $\Phi\Delta\Theta$, scholastic honorary, speakers bureau, literary editor of *Recensio* yearbook, and



BEECHER NEVILLE CLAFLIN, *Miami '41*

membership in the Y.M.C.A. sophomore and junior controlling cabinets.

Missouri Beta Wins Headquarters Trophy

FAITHFUL, prompt, and intelligent service of the chapter officers won for the Westminster Chapter the General Headquarters Trophy for 1938-39. With a score of 89 points out of a possible 100, Missouri Beta took the trophy from Pennsylvania Kappa, Swarthmore, the winner for the previous year. A delay of only one day in the submission of the annual reports deprived Missouri Beta of a perfect score. Texas Delta, Southern Methodist, won second place, and Kansas Gamma, Kansas State College, third. Honorable mention is given to the Davidson, Cincinnati, Washington (St.

Louis), Purdue, Randolph-Macon, Whitman, Franklin, Penn State, and Hanover chapters.

The Headquarters Trophy was presented to the Fraternity by Arthur R. Priest, the late Executive Secretary. It is a large silver cup of handsome design. It is presented annually to that chapter which co-operates best with the general officers in submitting the annual reports, treasurer's reports, SCROLL letters, and operating budgets, and in the payment of all moneys due the General Fraternity. It is a reliable gauge of the efficiency of a chapter's internal organization.

Vice-President of Rotary International

By RUSSELL V. WILLIAMS, *Colorado College '16*

AGAIN Rotary International calls a Phi to an important post in its administrative affairs. At the international convention held at Cleveland last sum-



EVERETT FRANKLIN PHILLIPS, *Allegheny '99*

mer, Everett Franklin Phillips (everybody calls him Frank), *Allegheny '99*, was elected a Director of Rotary International and Third Vice-President of the organization. The first and second vice-presidents live in England and Nicaragua respectively, and for this reason, since the headquarters of the organization is permanently located in America, the position of the American vice-president is one of great importance.

Frank Phillips is a native of Ohio and was educated at Allegheny College and the University of Pennsylvania (A.B., Ph.D.). From 1905 to 1925 he was in charge of bee culture investigations in the United States Bureau of Entomology, and since has been professor of apiculture in the New York State College of Agriculture at Cornell University.

He is a member of the administration committee and vice-president of the Reconstruction Home for Infantile Paralysis of Ithaca, is at the head of the Cornell University Division of the Ithaca Community Chest, member of the Advisory board of the local Salvation Army branch, member of the Hazel Hurst Foundation for the Blind (Pasadena, California), and is a past president of the International Apis Club and the Association of Economic Entomologists. In 1929 he was awarded the honorary degree of Doctor of Science by Allegheny College. He has been awarded medals by several European technical societies.

Three of Rotary's past international presidents are Phis: Will R. Manier, Jr., *Vanderbilt '08*, served as president in 1936-37; E. R. Johnson, *Purdue '04*, was president in 1935-36; Arthur H. Sapp, *Ohio Wesleyan '07*, in 1927-28.

Rotary often is regarded as an American institution. While it is true that Rotary was started by Paul P. Harris in Chicago in 1905, it has spread to 80 countries or geographic regions, and its principles have been accepted by business and professional leaders of almost every political and religious belief the world around. Rotary club meetings are held throughout the world in more than a score of languages. The first club was founded to promote fellowship and understanding between businessmen, but as the organization spread around the world its objectives were broadened. Rotary expresses its program in its four objects which, in brief, are the promotion of fellowship and understanding among members of the individual clubs; the promotion of community-betterment activities; the promotion of high ethics in business and profession; and the promotion of better understanding, good will, tolerance, and peace among the peoples of the world.

Exit Albania

WILLIAM HENRY DANFORTH, *Washington '92*, is president of the Ralston Company, St. Louis, which operates the famous Purina Mills, and a famous humanitarian. On the occasion of his sixty-ninth birthday, September 10, he sent to his business associates and other friends a beautifully printed leaflet entitled "Looking Forward—What Next?" It is the simple, sincere message of a successful business man who has found time to enjoy life with his friends. Here is a characteristic passage:

"I think that life was never more fun for me than it is today. I'm in good health with a home and happy surroundings. I keep my interest in young people and with so many wholesome activities in college, church, and community that I'm busier than I have ever been in my whole life. I try to follow Arnold Bennett's book, *How to Live on Twenty-four Hours a Day*, but forty-eight hours aren't enough for me. I could easily use ninety-six. Doubtless retiring has some advantages, but I don't want to retire. I want to live right in the midst of things. Retiring isn't living, to my way of thinking. But when more light breaks. I hold the right to change my opinion, as I have frequently done in the past. For the present, indissolubly knit together are myself, my activities, other folks far and near, and God—all my larger self."

Last spring, with his wife and his grandson, he made an extended tour of the Mediterranean. Their travels brought them into Albania in early April and they were there through the crises that ended in the conquest of the country. Brother Danforth published, for private distribution, a spirited account of their experiences. The thrilling events of those few days are set forth in this wise:

"War rumors caught over the radio and by that underground telegraph became more alarming. We had tea in

Tirana, the capital of Albania, with our United States Minister, Hugh G. Grant, and his delightful and most efficient wife. Italy had made many demands on King



WILLIAM HENRY DANFORTH, *Washington '92*

Zog which he refused to grant. Mussolini became more insistent and threatening. . . .

"Tuesday night we stayed with the Knapps at the Albanian American Institute at Kavaje. The next morning, April 5, we were awakened at daylight by the booming of guns. We were sure this was the beginning of Italy's attack on Albania. A few minutes later more than a hundred boys from the American Agricultural School with 'shovels of peace' on their shoulders marched by our windows singing and shouting that 101 guns were being fired announcing the birth of a Prince, and heir to the throne to succeed King Zog. 'Long live Skenderi II'—which translated into English means

Alexander. A three days' holiday was declared. The flag of Albania with its double eagle on a red background flew from every window and flagstaff. Even with threatening war clouds, we were glad to be in Albania at the birth of the Prince because Queen Geraldine's mother was an American.

"While a male heir to the King brought happiness to the people, there was uneasiness everywhere. Italy had asked an immediate Yes or No to her demands. We moved to Tirana, to be off on a moment's notice. We were invited to a distinguished dinner party given by the Minister and Mrs. Grant in honor of the Queen's mother and the new Rumanian minister. . . . There I met many of the diplomatic colony and I had frank discussions which convinced me more than ever that trouble was imminent. . . .

"Thursday morning dawned. The government had during the night issued orders commandeering all cars and gasoline. Here we were in Albania's capital 'high and dry.' Minister Grant was most considerate and in touch by cable, in secret code, with Washington. Italy ordered her subjects . . . to the coast to be transported across the Adriatic by warships to Italy. King Zog ordered all gasoline supplies to be removed to the interior. There was confusion everywhere. The city's square was filled with angry mobs led by speakers who mounted steps and shouted that every Albanian would to a man stand by his King. . . . Our Stars and Stripes floated over the American Legation and we were told to stay close by, that Tirana might be shelled at any time. At two o'clock Mrs. Grant came running to us saying: 'Throw a few things in your grip and come quick.' King Zog had provided two cars to take the Queen's mother and her aunt, Countess Scheer, across the border to Dubrovnik, and we could squeeze in, but we must come at once. The Queen's mother, her husband, and children were

put into one car and Mrs. Danforth, John Parker Compton and I were put in the other with the Countess. . . . With quick good-byes we sped away, and did that chauffeur provided by the King step on the gas! In spite of our speed we failed to reach the Yugoslavian border, which closes at dark. The two cars and their occupants stayed at Scutari, near the border, for the night.

"During the night of the sixth, Italian warships shelled Albania's coast towns and at dawn landed soldiers. In Tirana, King Zog stood his ground, with his people backing him. He spoke from the palace balcony, saying that he came from the mountains in raw-hide shoes, and would return the same way if necessary. He could not accede to the Italian demands to give up his kingdom. He was in deep distress over his Queen and day-old baby, evidently thinking Italy was taking advantage of just this time to force him to yield. A fleet of Italian bombing planes was dropping pamphlets throughout Albania, telling the people not to resist, or else they would be destroyed.

"Our chauffeur rushed to our rooms at daylight Good Friday morning saying to dress in haste, that the Albanian Commandant said 'Pronto! Pronto!' which needed no translation for us because from actions, tone of voice, and expressions, we knew it meant Hurry! With much parleying at the Yugoslav border over passports, visas, etc., we were allowed to cross after much use of the word 'Diplomatic.' As we left we caught over the Italian radio: 'Italy only enters Albania in the interests of order, justice, and peace,' 'Italy gives its assurance to the balance of the world,' 'Italy must enter Albania because of her deep sympathies with the Albanian people and her desire to protect them.' Then from Berlin comes this characteristic message from Herr Hitler: 'Germany expresses complete understanding of Italy's action.'"

Ho for Antarctica!

By FRANCIS KRAMER KAHLE, *Ohio Alpha '40*

WHEN Admiral Byrd's Third Antarctic Expedition sails it will take with it a good, colorful Phi. Charles Passel, *Miami '38*, was appointed this past summer to the post of assistant geologist for the Expedition. Passel's appointment came while he was at his duties "tending gate" for the summer term of the Chautauqua Music and Arts colony, Lake Chautauqua, New York.

Passel was listed as a post-graduate student at Miami for the year 1938-39, but he was active in all chapter functions. "Pasquale," one of the names that often reverberated through the rooms and corridors of the Memorial Chapter house when the "horn" would ring for Charley, will everlastingly indent himself in the memory of his brothers in the Bond. He lent much to an "enjoyment of life" with his certain "help and society." Besides, he will go down in the memory of those who knew him as a man who at an early age in life found a far-reaching place in the vocational, professional corner he had selected.

When his name is mentioned in talk about the chapter house many personal aspects about Charley are hashed over. One of these is his phobia for open doors. Charley could not sleep if his closet door was only slightly ajar. Writings of life in polar regions tell us that it gets rather cold and drafty at the bottom of the world. We are certain that Charley will have more reason than a phobia to keep doors closed.

Brother Passel was always a kind of "lone wolf" under the skin. But he did set a record around the house for having planted his pin a total of seven times! During his post-grad year he had settled himself to scholarly routine in the geological laboratory. His swashbuckling, gadabout qualities, which never seemed

quite real, completely departed, to be replaced by a serious-minded attitude



CHARLES FAY PASSEL, *Miami '38*

which always was a true part of his background. But of one thing you may be sure, his keen sense of humor will never change.

At the time of this writing, early October, Charley is stationed at Boston Navy Yard where he is officer in charge of gathering together and checking all supplies for the expedition. There is an assignment! Keeping track of everything from a spare nut and bolt for the monster snowmobile to yarn for darning socks. The Expedition will leave Boston harbor some time in early November and officials expect to be in the ice packs of the South Polar waters in January of 1940. Phi Delta Theta wishes Charles Passel and the men of the Third Byrd Antarctic expedition lots of hot penguin soup and no frostbites.

Passing of a Modern Pioneer

By ALBERT A. HANSEN, *Pennsylvania State '13*

HARDLY had I ceased reading the lead story in a recent issue of the SCROLL regarding ⓈΔΘ in the United States Army, when word was received from mutual friends regarding the death of one of the subjects of the story, Colonel Charles De Forest Chandler, U.S.A., retired, *Case '03*, who succumbed to the effects of a blood clot in the heart—coronary thrombosis is the way the doctors described it—at his home in Washington, D.C., on May 17, 1939. He was born December 24, 1878; he was thus sixty-one years old, but in appearance he seemed a man in the early forties. He was buried at Arlington National Cemetery.

With the passing of Colonel Chandler ⓈΔΘ lost one of its most prominent

military sons; the army lost one of its pioneer aviators and a holder of the distinguished service medal; the publishing world lost its outstanding aeronautic editor with a record of several books on lighter-than-air craft to his credit, and the writer lost a modest, sincere friend of long standing and a fellow dirigible and free balloon pilot with a mutual technical interest in the development of helium.

Colonel Chandler's place in the world is not indicated only by military rank but rather by the greatness of his achievements.

He was one of the army's earliest aviators, receiving the designation of "military aviator" as early as 1912 and holding pilot certificate No. 8 in the world's recognized international aviation organization, the Fédération Aéronautique Internationale, issued for heavier-than-air craft piloting in 1907.

He saw action during the Spanish-American War, the Philippine Insurrection, the Mexican border troubles, the punitive expedition into Mexico under Pershing, and was in command of all lighter-than-air craft in the U. S. Army in France during the World War, an assignment of vast importance since it included the fine accomplishments of observation balloons or "sausages." For his services in this capacity he was awarded the Distinguished Service Medal with the following citation: "As chief of the balloon section, Air Service, American Expeditionary Force, from November 1917 to February 1919, he rendered notable service in the supply, administration, and operation of the balloon units that so thoroughly demonstrated their efficiency during all major operations of the American Expeditionary Forces." Colonel Chandler also received the decoration of the French Legion of Honor.



Harris-Ewing Photo

JUNE 7, 1912

Captain Chandler and Lieutenant Kirkland. This was the first time a machine gun was ever carried by an airplane.

He commanded the first Aviation School in the history of the U. S. Army at College Park, Maryland, in 1911, where he was among the earliest to demonstrate the use of firearms on aircraft. Previously due to his interest in lighter-than-air craft he was the initial winner of the Lahm trophy for free balloon racing (1907).

During 1903-04 he commanded the U.S.S. *Burnside* while it laid the first submarine cable to Alaska.

Colonel Chandler joined $\Phi\Delta\Theta$ at the Case School of Applied Science in Cleveland, Ohio, the city of his birth. His other affiliations were the Army and Navy Clubs of Washington and Manila, the Chevy Chase Club of Maryland, and the Cleveland Athletic Club. His technical organizations included the National Aeronautic Association, the Institute of Aeronautic Science (of which he was a founder) and the American Society of Automotive Engineers.

At the time of his death Colonel Chandler was editing a series of aeronau-

tic volumes for the Ronald Press, a position that carried him from coast to coast and gave him a wide acquaintance within the Fraternity.



CHARLES DEFOREST CHANDLER, Case '03

Royal Cleaves Johnson

By DAWES E. BRISBINE, *South Dakota '06*

ON a shady slope in Arlington stands a simple marker indicating the last resting place of Royal C. Johnson, deceased August 2, 1939. From the beauty and dignity of that historic hillside overlooking the Nation's capital, "those who also served" maintain their eternal guard over the living spirit of the Republic. The greatest posthumous honor was rightfully bestowed when he was committed to the imperishable community of that deathless legion.

Royal Johnson represented South Dakota for eighteen years as a member of Congress. First elected in 1914, he continued that service until his voluntary retirement in 1933. When the United States entered the World War, against

which he courageously cast his vote in the House, he enlisted as a private in an infantry regiment of the Regular Army. Later assigned to the Third Officers' Training Camp, he was commissioned and assigned to the 313th Infantry. While leading his command through the shambles that was Montfaucon, he was left behind seriously wounded. The Distinguished Service Cross was awarded for his conspicuous bravery that day. France also conferred upon him the Croix de Guerre with gold star.

The armistice found Lieutenant Johnson in a base hospital. His recovery was sufficient to permit being invalided home, where he resumed his place on the floor of the House, December 17, 1918. He

fathered the bill incorporating the American Legion and sponsored many laws for the relief of disabled soldiers.



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ROYAL CLEAVES JOHNSON, *South Dakota '06*

As chairman of the Congressional committee appointed to investigate war department expenditures he went to France to trail war profiteers and investigate into activities of those who abused American soldiers. He was chairman of the House Committee on Veterans' legislation from its creation until he retired from Congress.

Brother Johnson was a constant member of the South Dakota Bar Association from his admission in 1906. During the earlier years of that period, he served as State's Attorney of Hyde County and two terms as Attorney General of South Dakota. A member of the District of Columbia Bar, he had been actively engaged in the practice of his profession in Washington since his retirement from public life. In this work, he has been eminently successful.

Born in Cherokee, Iowa, October 3, 1882, his parents brought him to South Dakota the following year. He attended public schools at Highmore and Pierre, and college at Yankton. He earned his

law degree at the University of South Dakota in 1906.

He was a charter member of South Dakota Alpha, having represented the petitioning organization, Tridentia, at the national convention in Washington in 1905. He has been an active alumnus of his chapter, served as President of the Washington Alumni Club, and has always been a loyal and active member of the Fraternity.

A great athlete, he played a hard, heady game of tackle on the varsity and, for many years, was the outstanding baseball catcher in the State. His ability to negotiate the "tough ones" gained for him the lasting nickname "Sod Grabber." In other activities, he brilliantly held a place on the University debating team and, as in later life, he was a leader among his associates. By doing odd jobs during the school months and playing semi-professional baseball during the summer, he was able to complete his education.

His marriage to Florence Thode in 1907 was the fulfillment of a college romance. Two sons survive to give solace to their bereaved mother. They are Everett Royal Johnson, a successful engineer and member of the bar, and Lieut. Harlan Thode Johnson of the United States Navy.

He was a member of $\Delta\Theta\Phi$, the Masons, and Elks. He belonged to the Metropolitan, the National Press, the University, and the Chevy Chase Clubs in Washington. He was a Republican and a Congregationalist.

A soldier of valor, a statesman of great integrity, a lawyer of high ethics, he was a friend of boundless loyalty.

In his last public utterance, before a large gathering in the House Office Building assembled there to do him honor, he expressed the modest and simple hope that some of those who may come after might say of him, "with all of his limitations, he did his best." Thus, prophetically, did he give voice to his own epitaph.

A New "Phi Delt Bungalow"

By J. DOUGLAS STERRETT, *Randolph-Macon '40*

SURROUNDED by the oaks and maples of Randolph-Macon's campus an old fraternity has a new home. When the brothers of Virginia Gamma returned to Ashland this fall they found that a long-cherished dream had been realized. For years the chapter has flourished at Randolph-Macon in spite of inadequate housing. Their chapter house was too small to serve as sleeping quarters and too remote from the campus to be a place of gathering except for meetings, parties and rather special occasions. Last year, realizing the inadequacy, a group of Phis set about getting something done. As a result, Virginia Gamma is now installed in an adequate home on the northern edge of the campus, so conveniently located that members not residing in the house nevertheless use it

constantly for lounging and for studying.

The house, formerly a dwelling, was completely remodeled the past summer and is at once attractive and serviceable. It is furnished and decorated tastefully and provides an excellent atmosphere for the development of friendship and character. Residing in the house are three seniors and five juniors.

The new house and its convenient location proved to be an effective factor in rushing, for the freshmen were quick to realize the advantages of its location and were impressed with its attractive appearance and excellent arrangement.

Always active on the Randolph-Macon campus, proud of its leadership in athletics, scholarship, and social circles, Virginia Gamma will undoubtedly benefit from establishment in its new home.



THE NEW RANDOLPH-MACON HOUSE

THE DEADLINE FOR THE JANUARY SCROLL IS DECEMBER 10

A Happy Aftermath

THE September SCROLL carried the moving story of the retirement of Brother Lou Gehrig, *Columbia* '25, the famous Iron Man of Baseball, necessitated by the discovery that he is suffering from a chronic form of paralysis which is hardening the spinal cord, interfering with the proper co-ordination of the muscles. The physicians' verdict was that while his disability precluded active physical exertion, it need not interfere with his successful work in an administrative or executive capacity. Brother Gehrig's courageous acceptance of the tragic situation has marked him as one of America's great men.

Now comes the welcome news that the opportunity has opened for the use of Brother Gehrig's unusual abilities for the common welfare. On October 11 he was appointed by Mayor La Guardia of New York City to be a member of the Municipal Board of Parole for a ten-year term.

Reporting the appointment, the *New*

York Times quotes Mayor La Guardia as follows:

"The matter has been under advisement for over four months. Meantime, Mr. Gehrig has read about every report on parole that has been published, and several other works on that subject. I have had several conferences with him and the final decision was made a few days ago.

"I believe that he will not only be an able, intelligent commissioner, but that he will be an inspiration and a hope to many of the younger boys who have gotten into trouble. Surely, the misfortune of some of the young men will compare as something trivial with what Mr. Gehrig has so cheerfully and courageously faced. He expects to devote his life to public service."

All Phi join in congratulating Brother Gehrig on his appointment to this important work and in wishing him many years of fruitful service in it.

Memorial to Benjamin Harrison

By J. RUSSELL TOWNSEND, JR., *Butler* '31

ON August 9, 1939, President Roosevelt affixed his signature to an Act of Congress which will be of interest to every member of $\Phi \Delta \Theta$.

This Act states as its purpose "to establish the Benjamin Harrison Commission to formulate plans for the construction of a permanent memorial to the memory of Benjamin Harrison, twenty-third President of the United States."

Benjamin Harrison is the only Phi to serve as the nation's chief executive. He was the second president to bear the name of Harrison, his grandfather General William Henry Harrison, having been the ninth President.

The law states that a commission of five members is to be appointed by the

President, and will bear the title "Benjamin Harrison Memorial Commission." This commission will consider and formulate plans for establishment of a permanent memorial in the City of Indianapolis, the residence of President Harrison, and report its findings to Congress as soon as possible. The Congress will then be asked to enact the necessary laws to put the memorial into effect.

It is of particular interest to note that among the Indiana delegation in Congress sponsoring the bill, the active leader in the Senate was Sherman Minton, *Indiana* '15. Brother Minton is one of the leaders in the Senate Democratic majority, and it is reported that he was subjected to good-natured ribbing by his col-

leagues for his activities in behalf of the Harrison Memorial, which will stand as a tribute to a Republican president! Naturally, no political significance was attached to the bill, which was passed without opposition in Congress as a matter of public importance honoring a distinguished citizen.

It is too early to predict the findings of the Commission as to the type of memorial most suitable, but there is rather widespread interest in a park of interesting design, possibly containing a

museum or other appropriate building.

The old home of President Harrison has been a memorial for some time, and is a public exhibit in Indianapolis. Because of the existence of this type of memorial to President Harrison, it is quite certain that some other plan will be proposed for the new shrine.

Citizens of Indianapolis and Indiana have been asked to submit ideas for the memorial, and much interest is being manifested throughout the State for the proposal.

Dick Little, Jolly Phi

By WILLIAM SANDERS, *Randolph-Macon '40*

IN the repertoire of Phi ditties there's something about a "Jolly Crew of Phis"; I have arrived at the conclusion that regardless of age, circumstances, or



RICHARD HENRY LITTLE, *Illinois Wesleyan '95*

station, the term Jolly Phi best fits Brother Richard Henry Little, *Illinois Epsilon '95*.

Brother Little, who for years conducted the famous column for the *Chicago Tribune*, "A Line-o-Type or Two," and whose main interest now is history, has retired and settled down in what he considers the richest history spot in

America; he now lives in a colonial home built by a close friend of George Washington, in Hanover County, Virginia, only a few miles from the birthplaces of Henry Clay and Patrick Henry. His place is only a few miles from Virginia Gamma at Randolph-Macon and Virginia Delta at Richmond. He has been host to both chapters. Virginia Delta picnicked there in April and Virginia Gamma staged a hayride and May-day fete there last spring. Brother Little has visited both chapters and at all occasions he is as much a part of the setting as the most beautiful Phi Delt girl, for he always enjoys the spirit of the occasion and fits any Phi gathering. The fellows give him audience as he tells them of his experiences with Teddy Roosevelt; his friendship with Charles G. Dawes; his participation in initiating Harold Ickes.

Brother and Mrs. Little keep their 145-acre Colonial Paradise in good repair and the Jolly Phi roams the place dressed in a khaki uniform, leggings, and broad-brim khaki hat and a twenty-two pistol on his belt. He says he's looking for a snake to shoot.

Obliging in all things, loyal, loving and sincerely a brother in the Bond, Dick Little, here's an undergraduate salute to the perfect alumnus Phi.

Stars in Box Lacrosse

By WILLIAM WALLACE, U.B.C. '41

BRITISH COLUMBIA ALPHA salutes two of its members, Rann Matthison, U.B.C. '39, and "Brud" Matheson, U.B.C. '42, members of the Adanacs of New Westminster, which recently won the Mann Cup, emblematic

and interesting and is comparable to hockey and basketball for speed and thrills.

Shortly after the game was revamped and began to increase in popularity, Rann used his basketball knowledge and experience to inaugurate for the Adanacs a style of play similar to the hoop game. It may be said, therefore, that he was more or less the play maker and he certainly proved himself just that whenever he was on the floor.

Aside from lacrosse, Rann has also distinguished himself in other fields. He was a member of the basketball team which won the Canadian championship in 1937. During this year, too, he was picked on the first All-Phi team. He is a life member of the University Players Club. Last year he was men's athletic representative on Students' Council. Always active in the Fraternity, he was secretary of B. C. Alpha chapter during the year 1936-37. Besides finding time for all these extra-curricula activities he proved himself just as outstanding as a scholar and graduated last spring with first-class standing, averaging over eighty per cent.

Although through with college, Rann will continue active in basketball. He is now playing for Maple Leafs, a local quintette composed of ex-varsity players managed by Pete Winckler, U.B.C. '38.

This was Matheson's first year as a senior lacrosse player; nevertheless he showed his mettle on many occasions and for a rookie did especially well. He had had only one year at U.B.C. when he won his freshman block for basketball. According to reports he will be back after Christmas vacation to play again. We certainly expect to hear more from him.

Although Rann and Brud are the only Phis playing senior box lacrosse in British Columbia, two others are members of the controlling body. They are Pat Maitland, K.C., M.L.A., a commissioner, and Jack Streight, U.B.C. '31.



CANADIAN CHAMPIONS

Left: Matthison; right: Matheson

of Canadian box lacrosse supremacy, by defeating St. Catherine's Tigers in three straight games.

Besides being an outstanding performer with the team, Rann was also manager and captain. His work with the team goes back almost to the time when lacrosse in Canada was revitalized some six or seven years ago by the box form of game, sometimes referred to as "Boxla," now played in this country. At that time the old field game was abbreviated to six-man teams and the venue was changed to indoor arenas where the playing surface is an enclosed wooden floor. The playing area is similar in size and appearance to a hockey rink. The form of lacrosse that resulted has proved faster and more in-

The Alumni ΦΔΘ Firing Line

DR. DAVID WEISBROD CROMBIE [McGill '11], of London, Ontario is one of two physicians chosen by Sir Frederick Banting, of insulin fame, to do the field work in his new treatment of silicosis. According to medical experts, the discovery of a successful silicosis treatment would rank with the discovery of insulin, perhaps even exceed it in importance.

Laboratory work on silicosis cures was done in the Banting Research Institute under the direct supervision of Sir Frederick. It was supported by mine owners anxious to stop a disease that has caused a serious loss of life, long-drawn-out lawsuits, and sometimes bankruptcy of business.

Although mine owners are supporting the work, more than the mining industry is affected by silicosis, known variously as "miners' consumption," "potters' asthma," or "grinders' rot." It is due to the inhalation of fine sharp particles of sand, sandstone, or quartz, all of which contain silica. The silica particles erode the delicate linings of the lungs and make them vulnerable to the germs of pneumonia and tuberculosis. If this disease does not kill, the silica victim wastes away to death because his clogged lungs transmit insufficient oxygen to his blood. The tragic aspect of the disease is that it may develop as long as 40 years after the inhalation.

Although medical men and the mining industry have known of the disease for many years it was not until three years ago that the general public became acquainted with the extent of hazard. Law-suits developing out of a tunneling project in West Virginia brought the entire question before the public.

The question of compensation for the disease created an economic problem and lawyers, insurance men, and legislators became vitally interested.—*London Free Press*.

LIVINGSTON BOND KEPLINGER [Wisconsin '12], has been elected chairman of the board of Cartoon Films, Ltd.

Mr. Keplinger, a financial consultant and industrial engineer, was formerly a senior executive of Dillon Read and Co., New York, and an officer and director of many corporations. On the Pacific Coast he is best known for his financial reorganization work through the depression years and recently for his reports for banks and corporations in relation to the registration of new issues with the Securities and Exchange Commission.

Other officers of the firm include Lawson Haris, president, and Nichols Milbank, Jr., vice-president.—*Los Angeles Times*.

HARRISON EDWARD CUNNINGHAM [Vermont '04], Secretary of the Board of Trustees of the University of Illinois, for more than a quarter of a century has looked after a wide variety of



HARRISON EDWARD CUNNINGHAM, Vermont '04

work so competently and quietly that he is felt rather than heard. It seemed entirely in order then that the University Board of Trustees should pass a resolution of appreciation for his long and faithful services, felicitation on the twenty-five year occasion, and best wishes for his future.

As secretary of the Board of Trustees Mr. Cunningham keeps the official records, issues all appointments and official communications, publishes the biennial reports (about one thousand pages each) and signs over three thousand diplomas a year and all vouchers and checks issued by the University. So far as we know, he is the champion signature affixer on the campus. He has served under five presidents of the University and ten presidents of the Board of Trustees.

In addition to his quarter-century as secretary of the Board, Harry Cunningham spent four more years here as assistant registrar. At the same time he was editor and business manager of the publications of the University, a position he still holds. In 1918 he organized and was made director of the University Press and was given charge of the Information Office. The Press operates a printing establishment with twenty-four full-time employees, including

a superintendent and the usual office force. Mr. Cunningham designs the books published by the University.

A graduate of the University of Vermont (A.B. *cum laude*) he spent two years in newspaper work in Vermont, New York, and Pennsylvania, then returned to his alma mater as instructor in scientific German, as assistant registrar and editor of the *U.V.M. Notes*, the predecessor of the present alumni magazine. He came to Illinois in 1910.

A spare, gray-haired, keen-eyed man in his early sixties, Harry Cunningham finds time for golf and Greek and Italian, writes some poetry, and usually spends the month of August in camp at South Hero, Vt., on an island in Lake Champlain.—*Illinois Alumni News*.

GUY HOWARD BLOOM, *Pennsylvania '14*, has been appointed executive director of the Philadelphia County Board of Assistance. He assumed his new duties on September 13. This is the largest Relief Board in the State and distributes forty million dollars of State relief funds annually. To accomplish this and properly supervise the administration this work requires a staff of 1900 employees. The salary of the Executive Director is \$7,500.



GUY HOWARD BLOOM, *Pennsylvania '14*

A native of Rochester, N.Y., Brother Bloom entered the Wharton School of the University of Pennsylvania with the Class of 1914 and graduated with the degree of B.S. in Economics. He became a Phi at Pennsylvania Zeta Chapter serving as Chapter treasurer during his junior year and as president in his senior year. He was a member of Friars Club, and Varsity Club, made up of college lettermen. He is well remembered for his work on the football and basketball teams. He also served on the basketball committee in his senior year. Besides his activities in sports he served as secretary of the University Settlement House.

For three years after leaving college he was in the sales department of John T. Lewis and Bros. Co., makers of Dutch Boy white lead. When we entered the War he became a first Lieutenant in the Ordnance Department, serving in France under Col. Bricker, Chief of Purchases, Ordnance Department, A.E.F., where he was in charge of inspection of artillery purchases. After the war he was connected with two Philadelphia firms merchandising paper and twine. From 1922 to 1925 he was an instructor at the Wharton School for the senior evening course in merchandising and selling.

For the last fourteen years he was connected with the Todd Company, Rochester manufacturers of bank supplies. In this work he had much to do in introducing methods for the prevention of fraud in bank checks, drafts, and bills of exchange. Two years ago he became vice-president of Each Week, Inc., a publishing company in Rochester. He retired from this position to take up his new duties in Philadelphia.—C.M.M.

SAMUEL G. DOLMAN, *Kansas '10*, writes as follows:

"An article by Murray S. Smith, *Knox '25*, [November SCROLL p. 23] states that Willard Dolman, of California University, has joined the professional ranks of football players.

"Willard has never considered professional football as a career and never signed the contract he received from the New York Giants. He graduated from California, majoring in Commercial Economics and expects to enter business. His football days are over.

"I will appreciate your correction of Murray S. Smith's statement."

The SCROLL hastens to make the correction, with apologies.

WERNER JANSSEN, *Dartmouth '21*, for the last two seasons director of the Baltimore Symphony Orchestra, has resigned. Musical interests in Baltimore are exerting every possible effort to induce him to reconsider.

WILLIAM WARD HART, *Illinois '16*, has just been designated by the Governor of Illinois as acting chairman of the Illinois Commerce Commission.

DR. EVARTS AMBROSE GRAHAM, Chicago '05, who is professor of surgery at Washington University and chief surgeon of the University's Barnes Hospital and the St. Louis Children's Hospital, was tendered a notable tribute October 12 and 13, the twentieth anniversary of his professorship. The celebration took the form of a two-day conference on surgery, the participants being Dr. Graham's former students. Fifty surgeons from many parts of the United States and a few from abroad were present, a great many of them being professors in other medical colleges, all testifying to Dr. Graham's great services to the science of surgery, and especially to the cause of education in surgery. The *St. Louis Post Dispatch* commented editorially as follows:

"Sir William Osler, the eminent Oxford physician, laid down three criteria for the truly great doctor. Such a man, he said, is, first of all, faithful to his patient; secondly, he is a good teacher; and, finally, he is a tireless student—a painstaking researcher.

"Because so few can meet this three-fold test, it only adds to the stature of Dr. Everts Graham, of the Washington University Medical School faculty, to say that he has distinguished himself in each field. Patients from far and wide have sought his ministrations. He has sent students to all parts of the world. And few living men have made greater contributions to the advancement of surgery.

"Dr. Graham might easily have set out to become a wealthy man. It would have involved no disloyalty to his patients. However, he chose to work for a modest university teacher's salary, turning over all his fees to the school. That has meant not only a higher kind of service to his own patients, but a great boon to patients everywhere. He has utilized the facilities of Barnes to teach, and to investigate some of the many dark problems that modern medicine has still to solve."

DR. ROBERT L. GILMAN, Wisconsin '20, Philadelphia physician and Associate Professor of the Graduate School of Medicine of the University of Pennsylvania, who was spending his vacation in Europe this summer found himself in the-thick-of-things in France when war was declared. With a return ticket in his pocket, but with no possibility of using it, he got out of France as quickly as he could and with thousands of other Americans made his way into Denmark. He was able finally to get passage home on a new American freighter, the *Mormacuren*, sailing from Copenhagen, by signing on as the ship's surgeon. With two hundred other Americans he left Copenhagen on September 14 and landed in Jersey City October 1. Brother Gilman has a lot of interesting sidelights on war-torn Europe and entertained his Brother Phis by telling some of them at the luncheon of the Philadelphia Alumni Club October 11, when he was the special guest.—C.M.M.

JOSEPH WILLIAM GRAF, Lawrence '39, is the subject of this release by the Lawrence College news bureau at the close of last spring's track season:

"In the spring of 1897 a boy named Roy



JOSEPH WILLIAM GRAF, Lawrence '39

Merrill ran 100 yards in 9.9 seconds on the old Lawrence College track, a record that has stood the test of all Viking track men since that day. Forty-two years later an unassuming and modest but confident youth in his senior year now breaks this old record with little effort and even less attention. His name is Joe Graf of Wauwatosa, Wis., a short but well-built runner who likes nothing better than to be challenged.

"His track career all started in an interfraternity track meet in which Joe was competing for $\Phi \Delta \Theta$. He commanded the attention of Coach A. C. Denney, who immediately went to work with him. Their efforts culminated in the 100-yard dash championship for Graf in the Midwest Conference meet held at Carleton College that year. Real interest started that day at Northfield, Minn., and the boy has lost few races since, none at 100 yards. He retained his 100-yard dash title last year and missed being the double winner again by inches in the 220.

"Graf set the new Lawrence record during the Beloit relays on May 5 where four watches clocked him in 9.7 seconds. He was defending the relay title which he won the previous year and the time, made under regular conditions, is the best in the history of the relays.

"Oil engineering is his real interest, in preparation for which he did his major work in Geology at Lawrence. Although quiet, Joe is popular with his classmates."

MAINE ALPHA of $\Phi\Delta\Theta$ is proud of the contribution to the cause of our national air defense of two of its outstanding recent graduates in the persons of WHITNEY WRIGHT of the class of 1937



NAVAL FLYING CADETS
McGee and Wright

and ROBERT V. MCGEE of the class of 1938. Currently these capable Phis are participating in the grueling training given every pilot in America's first line of defense at the Navy's Annapolis of the Air located in Pensacola, Fla.

To the Colby Phis the success stories of Wright and McGee are well known. They knew Whit Wright athletically as a varsity letter winner in football and track, scholastically as a Dean's List man, fraternally as an efficient president and as a steward without a peer—summarily, as a "regular guy."

Concerning Bob McGee, they knew a Horatio Alger story of a Phi who reached the top the hard way—through sheer hard work and persistence—of a Phi who won fraternal honors as a successful president, top athletic honors in football, hockey, and baseball, and general college honors as a member of the athletic council and as an officer of his class.

Some twelve months ago, McGee and Wright, always close college friends as Phis, sufficiently withstood the rigors of a physical examination administered by Naval doctors and were chosen for a thirty-day period of indoctrination. During that time, they learned the rudiments of navy life, etiquette in the service, some radio practice, and sufficient flying ability to allow them to solo a plane safely.

Earning a pair of Navy wings is the present ambition of Wright and McGee. To do this, they must go through five squadrons for flight instruction in twelve months. Simultaneously they will seek to complete thirty-eight weeks of ground school work.—RUSSELL BLANCHARD, Colby '38.

RUSSELL TOWNSEND, JR., Butler '31, was recently elected president of the Indianapolis Junior Chamber of Commerce.

CONSTRUCTION has started on the Southland Paper Mills, Inc., initial plan of \$6,000,000 in Lufkin for the making of newsprint for the first time in the South, spotlighted attention on a Texan who has played a prominent rôle in the economic life of the State.

That man is ERNEST LYNN KURTH [Southwestern '05], East Texas lumberman, and, in recognition of his yeoman service in bringing the first newsprint mill to Texas and the South, he was made president of the new concern. Credit for evolving the process by which southern loblolly pine is to be converted into newsprint goes to the late Dr. Charles Holmes Herty, and the first man to insist on that credit is Mr. Kurth. But it remained for this courageous individual to make a commercial reality of the product from Dr. Herty's laboratory.

Concentrated work began on the project about five years ago, although it had been the dream of East Texans long before that. A group of interested business leaders persuaded Mr. Kurth to head the enterprise and he accepted a job that took most of his time and much of his money for many months before those hopes and dreams culminated in a resounding success-attracting nationwide attention.

Ernest Kurth was born in 1886 near Corrigan in Polk County. A few years later the family moved to Lufkin, and this has been his home ever since. Following his graduation from high school he entered Southwestern University in Georgetown, and in 1905 he received his Bachelor of Arts degree. The university conferred an honorary degree of LL.D. on him last year. While there he was an active campus leader, a member of the glee club, and of the $\Phi\Delta\Theta$ Fraternity.

He filled the office of president for the Southern Pine Association in 1935-36, and at the same time was vice-president of the National Lumber Manufacturers' Association. He is a member of the Texas Planning Board and was recently named to Governor W. Lee O'Daniel's advisory board.

Perhaps the most signal honor accorded him was in 1936 when he was sent to the International Forestry Congress which met in Budapest. He was selected, one of eight from the United States, by the Carl Schurz Memorial Foundation. The mission, to study forestry methods abroad and exchange ideas, took the group to Germany, Austria, Hungary and Czechoslovakia.

He has one son, Ernest Lynn Kurth, Jr., [Southwestern '31].—East Texas.

ROY MLCROVSKY, Case '38, made a good record as second baseman on the Cleveland Indians last season. He usually appears in the sports columns under the name Roy Mack. He was a high-ranking student in college, and all-Ohio full-back before he thought of taking up baseball as a career.

HAYWOOD J. PEARCE, President of Brenau College, and HAYWOOD J. PEARCE, JR. [Emory '13], Professor of History in Emory University, announced, on July 25, the discovery of the long-hidden burial ground of sixty-four English settlers believed to have been members of the famous lost colony of Roanoke Island, N.C.

The Peaces announced discovery of thirteen rudely carved slabs of granite and sandstone on a wooded hill near Greenville, S.C., marking the graves of sixty-four persons believed to have escaped after an Indian raid on the island colony founded by Sir Walter Raleigh.

The father-son team of historians issued a joint statement, saying the newly found stones carried messages in archaic English and apparently proved that survivors of the Roanoke colony had wandered 350 miles southward from their original colony on the coast.

The Peaces began their investigation, in 1937, of the fate of the lost colony, which included Eleanor Dare and her child Virginia, the first white infant born in North America, after discovery of carved quartz on the banks of the Chowan River in North Carolina, fifty miles from Roanoke Island.

The original stone carried a message to Eleanor Dare's father, Governor John White of Virginia, telling of virtual destruction of the colony by Indians. White was in England in 1589 when the Roanoke colony broke up and never found any trace of the survivors.—United Press dispatch.

DR. HENRY LOUIS SMITH, Virginia '87, who served Davidson College twenty-five years as professor and president, and Washington and Lee University eighteen years as president, now retired and living at Greensboro, N.C., was honored with a great testimonial on his eightieth birthday, July 31. Messages of good will were received from many colleges in the South and a host of personal friends. Dr. Smith was the originator of the clever scheme of propaganda which worked so effectively for the Allies in the World War. A student of meteorology for many years, he knew the direction of the air currents over Europe. He worked out detailed maps indicating these currents, then submitted to the War Department his plan for releasing rubber balloons inflated with illuminating gas which would carry propaganda behind the German lines. The plan was adopted by the allied armies, and each week a million balloons went to Germany carrying leaflets attached to them by six feet of cord, designed to show the hopelessness of the German cause and giving people the prospect of having bread and butter and coffee and other food they had not known for months. Soon thousands of German soldiers were marching across the lines and surrendering, and the demoralizing effect upon the German morale appreciably shortened the war.

Two Phis have been appointed on the faculty of the University of Georgia's Henry W. Grady School of Journalism, MARION TYUS BUTLER, L.S.U. '39, assistant professor, and LOUIS TURNER



JOURNALISTS AT GEORGIA
Griffith and Butler

GRIFFITH, Georgia '39, graduate assistant. Both are native Georgians.

Brother Tyus received his bachelor's degree from Georgia in 1935, and after several years of practical newspaper work spent the last two years in the graduate school of Louisiana State University, where he received his A.M. degree last June, with major work in Journalism and History. He was in the first groups of Phi Kappa Psi of the new $\Phi\Delta\Theta$ chapter at L.S.U. He is a member of $\Sigma\Delta\chi$, Blue Key, and $\Phi\Kappa\Phi$.

Louis Griffith is a 1939 graduate of the Grady School, and has had practical experience in journalism both in college and outside. He is a member of $\Sigma\Delta\chi$, and has had editorial connection with practically all the University publications including the *Red and Black*, the *Georgia Arch*, the *Pandora*, and the *Alumni Record*.

WALTER W. LOCKARD, Mississippi '95, is one of those Phis-for-life whose anxiety for the welfare of the Fraternity works out into practical results. For nearly twenty years he has been superintendent of schools at Indianola, Miss., where he has built up one of the conspicuously strong school systems of the state. During all this time he has been recommending good boys to his chapter and has been a leader in developing a strong alumni body in the delta. When the project of a new house for Mississippi Alpha was started, he was one of those who came forward with a substantial contribution. Such men are incalculably valuable to the Fraternity.

PHIL CROWELL, Syracuse '12, President of Beta Province, has been elected president of the Onondaga County chapter of the New York State Society of Professional Engineers.

MARTIN LENT PARENT, *California '21*, formerly with the New England Mutual and later with the New York Life at Honolulu, is now affiliated with the Occidental Life Insurance, with offices at 485 California St., San Francisco. He is conducting an energetic business under the slogan "Buy the best contract for the lowest cost." Brother Parent holds a degree from the Har-



MARTIN L. PARENT AND A FAITHFUL FRIEND

vard Graduate School of Business Administration. In Honolulu he was an active member of the Honolulu Alumni Club and served as its secretary. The accompanying picture was snapped at the Golden Gate Exposition.

WILLIAM MUIR URQUHART, JR., *Williams '12*, writes the Editor: "I have just returned from three months in Europe which included a swing through Italy, Hungary, Jugoslavia, Germany, Switzerland, and finally across from the Hook of Holland to England and on up to Craighston Castle in Aberdeenshire, Scotland, where the present laird is Michael Bruce Urquhart, a retired captain in the British army and a distant cousin of ours. It was a never-to-be-forgotten summer for this fellow, for I was up in Scotland when the news of the Russian pact with Germany came like a bolt out of the blue, and resulted in my rushing down to London in a very hurried effort to get on a boat . . . which was finally successful."

EARL VINCENT MOORE [*Michigan '12*], director of the School of Music at the University of Michigan, was appointed on August 16 to succeed Nicolai Sokoloff as special consultant for the W.P.A. music program. Sokoloff, director of the Federal Music Project, resigned to resume his career as a symphony conductor. Officials explained that Mr. Moore's services were obtained on a loan basis from the University of Michigan.—*Associated Press dispatch.*

HUGH POTTER BAKER, *Michigan State '01*, the distinguished Phi President of Massachusetts State College, who, before going to Massachusetts, was the founder and first dean of the New York State College of Forestry at Syracuse University, was the guest speaker at the recent convention of the Technical Association of the Pulp and Paper Industry (universally known as TAPPI). Urging closer association within the several units of industry to promote their own interests as well as those of the public, he said, in part:

"It is my opinion that the failure of American business men to get together around the table in years past in an effort to work out their own problems has been largely the cause for increasing governmental control of business activities.

"There is no business or government policy which justifies the continuation of business in this country at a loss. Apparently, business men have not always agreed to this particular statement, because at times, through the reluctant acceptance by business men of certain forms of unfair competition such as ruthless price control and price cutting, business has operated at a loss, when fundamentally there has been no justification for such operation.

"Fortunately, business men are coming, slowly, it is true, to appreciate the fact that only through organized effort can there be reasonable assurance of the continuation of business at a profit."

RECENT weddings include JOHN RUST POTTER, *Dartmouth '37*, and Miss Ann Hopkins, daughter of President Ernest M. Hopkins of Dartmouth College; NICHOLAS JANSEN FOWLER, *Colgate '31*, and Miss Elizabeth Powell, of West Orange, N.J.; JOHN ERWIN TALMADGE, *Georgia '20*, and Miss Miriam Coffin, of New York; and THOMAS TURNER WEBB, *Vanderbilt '30*, and Miss Frances Mitchener, of Sumner, Miss. Brother Potter is in service at the State Department, Washington; Brother Fowler is an attorney in New York City; Brother Talmadge is a member of the advertising staff of the *New York Times*; and Brother Webb is with the Standard Vacuum Oil Co., Madras, India.

WILLIAM B. KUGLER, *Cornell '02*, president of Kugler Restaurant Company in Philadelphia, announced recently that he has taken a long term lease on the Arcadia Restaurant and will give it his personal attention as manager when thorough reconditioning is completed. Brother Kugler is well known in Philadelphia where he has been connected with the famous Kugler Restaurant since he left college. The Arcadia is to be added to the Kugler chain. The Arcadia has long held first place in Philadelphia as the city's most swanky eating place. The main Kugler Restaurant will still remain at 30 S. 15th St.

RICHARD HUNT THORNTON [North Carolina '16] is now in charge of college publications with Ginn & Company. He joined the staff of the Boston office on October 1, after long experience in the publishing business. From 1924 to 1939 he was associated with Henry Holt & Company, serving as head of the college department for many years, and as president of the company for six years. While there he was instrumental in securing many important authors for the company, both in the college and in the trade field, which he also directed personally.

Mr. Thornton has also had considerable teaching experience. For five years he was a member of the English department of the University of North Carolina, and for four years he taught at the Woman's College of the University of North Carolina. He holds an A.M. degree from Columbia University and a Ph.D. degree from the University of Chicago. Two years ago he edited a volume of criticism of the work of Robert Frost, under the title *Recognition of Robert Frost*.

It will be the special concern of Mr. Thornton, at Ginn & Company, to secure new authors and books in the college field, as well as to further the general activities of the college work.—*Publishers' Weekly*.

WILSON R. DUMBLE [Ohio State '27], professor of English at Ohio State, was co-editor of the recently published book, *Modern American Drama*, published by Harper & Brothers. This new anthology includes a collection of modern plays, brief biographies of the playwrights, and synopses of the authors' other works. In 1938, Dumble first collaborated with William C. Hildreth on the textbook, *English for Students in Applied Sciences*.—*Ohio Zeta Phi*.

HARRY GIFFORD WARREN [Purdue '05] is district sales manager, mechanical division, for the United State Rubber company in Atlanta, Georgia. His address is in care of the company, 204 Walker Street, S.W., Atlanta. He is a member of the Atlanta Athletic club, was a Major, Q.M.C., during the World War.—*Purdue Phi*.

JOHN NORTON RENFRO, Case '36, was graduated from Annapolis in last year's class, ranking thirty-fifth in a class of 581. He was commissioned ensign and assigned to U.S.S. *California* at San Diego, Calif.

HUGH B. LEE, JR. [Ohio State '38] is assistant sales manager for the Maumee Collieries Co. located in Terre Haute, Indiana. He lives at Allendale near Terre Haute.—*Ohio Zeta Phi*.

SAMUEL B. MEISENHOLDER, *Gettysburg* '04, who died July 24, 1939, made generous provision in his will for his chapter, Pennsylvania Beta, of which he had been a devoted member. It bequeaths nine thousand dollars, of which four thousand is to be applied to reduction of the mortgage on the chapter house, and five thousand is to be invested as a scholarship fund, the income of which is to be used for members of the chapter who need assistance to complete their college education.

"I shall never forget the song, 'Here's to Brother Bennett,' the boys sang to me when it was suggested by Dean Joe Bursley that I retire from the University so as not to retard it," writes ROBERT B. BENNETT, [Michigan '26], who afterwards enrolled at Northwestern and became affiliated with the Illinois Alpha. Bennett's latest address is 69 Harding Drive, South Orange, N.J.—*Michigan Sword and Shield*.

RALPH V. DICKERMAN, *Dartmouth* '31, vice-president of the Philadelphia Alumni Club, left Philadelphia September 5 to accept a position in Los Angeles, Calif., with the Gilmore Oil Company. For the past six months Brother Dickerman has been manager of Hotel Stephen Girard, following eight years with the Benjamin Franklin Hotel in Philadelphia. He leaves many good friends in Philadelphia who wish him much success in his new business.

LONSDALE GREEN, JR. [Illinois '12], president of the Acoustical Construction Co., of New York City, is quite a traveler. This year he went to Brazil, in 1936 to the Baltic countries, Russia, and Iceland, and in other years to the West Indies, Bermuda, and South America. Fishing and golf are his other hobbies. He and Mrs. Green live at 14 Kimball Circle, in Westfield, New Jersey.—*Champaign Shout*.

JAMES LYALL STUART, *Washington* (St. Louis) '99, has been made director of the Pennsylvania General State Authority, which has charge of the public works administration of the state, at a salary of twelve thousand dollars a year. His headquarters will be at Harrisburg.

URBAN K. WILDE, JR., *Butler* '31, has been elected secretary of the national organization of secretaries of real estate boards. Brother Wilde is Executive Secretary of the Indianapolis Real Estate Board.

The Alumni Club Activities

ATLANTA

The first Atlanta alumni meeting of the current season was held on August 30, at the Davison-Paxon tea room and was very well attended. Officers were elected for the coming year as follows: President, John J. Partridge; Vice-President, John M. Slaton, Jr.; Treasurer, E. Hoyle Young; Secretary, Hammond Dean. A brief talk by Henry L. Bowden, *Emory '32*, outlined manner in which the funds were raised for their new house and the plans for the construction which has already begun; the house is to cost approximately thirty thousand dollars.

The club is at this time working out the details for a mass gathering of the four hundred-odd Phi alumni in Atlanta in conjunction with the undergraduate brothers throughout the state; this celebration is planned for the latter part of November.

Phi newcomers to Atlanta are urged to communicate with the secretary so that their names may be placed on the mailing list.—HAMMOND DEAN, *Secretary*.

CHICAGO

CHICAGO Alumni Club meets every Friday at noon for luncheon at Harding's Restaurant in the Fair Store. The reasonably priced, excellent food we eat is incidental to the energy spent in debate over national and local affairs.

It is amazing what a cross-section of representation and knowledge we have in our sessions. Colonel Reynolds represents the experienced, wisened attitude, while Lawyer Hamilton represents the feelings of the Deep South. President Bishop dwells on the rights and interests of the family man, while Molasses Broker Snyder cries out for the struggling young business man. So cosmopolitan is our "bore session" that we had a native of England with us at our last meeting: Allan Smith of Southampton, now an exchange student at Chicago University.

Going into high gear is our LaSalle Street Coaching Club. Every Phi sportsman should have an opportunity to prognosticate at our meetings. Beginning October 7 and each week throughout the football



AT THE CINCINNATI PICNIC

Don T. Kaiser, *President of the Club* and Walter Morris, *host of the picnic*.

season, we are giving a prize to the most perfect forecast of winning football teams.

Every Phi pledge, active, or alumnus is urged to come regularly to the Friday meetings. Please accept this notice as a personal invitation.—PAUL H. WURNEY, *Secretary*.

CINCINNATI

The first party given by the Cincinnati Alumni Club under the leadership of the new officers took place July 12. The party, which at this time of the year was held as a picnic, was arranged by the newly elected president, Don T. Kaiser, and Brother Walter Morris. The picnic was held on the grounds of Brother Morris' spacious city home, which has some three acres of beautiful lawns and terraces. Brother Morris is one of those exceedingly rare individuals that $\Phi\Delta\Theta$ is so fortunate to have, who offered his home, yards, servants, and his own personal assistance and supervision to the success of the picnic. Which, we might add, was accepted.

A very clever card was sent out by the President and Secretary to some four hundred Phis. It was based on material supplied by Jeff D. Dickerson, a Phi who is known in the city of Cincinnati as a writer of no mean ability. He cleverly tied in the picnic date of July 12 by a series of historic events that took place on previous July 12's. The cards were highly praised by the alumni members.

The party arrangements consisted of a get-together, where old acquaintances were renewed and new comers acquainted. After an hour or more of friendly and mellow discussion had taken place the dinner call was sounded. This proved to be one of the finest meals of its kind that could have been arranged. A huge open oven built of stone was roaring, giving out that inimitable fragrance of burning wood and charcoal. Over the grill was placed a large sheet of stainless steel on which simmered pounds of pork patties and bratwurst. On another section of the oven fresh corn in its husks was roasting. Placed adjacent to the oven was a heavily laden table of buns, rye bread, sliced tomatoes, dill pickles, and oodles of other good things.

Games were provided by Bert Robinson, a very able and highly entertaining individual. He has a flair for putting over such games as ping pong, dart throwing, shuffle board, and other games that attracted much attention.

Some chose to play a few rubbers of bridge, and of course, several friendly games of poker were played.

There were seventy-five in attendance, which constituted a fairly good turn out. Several Phis came down from Hamilton, some thirty miles away, to join us at our picnic. We thank all the members, who so willingly assisted in making the picnic a success.—DON T. KAISER, *President*.

DALLAS

The Dallas Alumni Club is enthusiastic about the successful Dallas rushing which has just been completed. Ten Dallas boys were pledged to $\Phi\Delta\Theta$ at S.M.U., six pledged at Texas, and others are expected to pledge at various schools throughout the country. The outstanding quality of the boys who have become Phikelas reassure us that Dallas is still a Phi town.

The regular alumni luncheons will continue to be held on the first and third Fridays of every month



WHEN DO WE EAT? NOW!

and will be held at the Golden Pheasant Restaurant. Under our energetic President Bill Bowdry, *Cornell '26*, we have had an active year in the Alumni Club and anticipate an even greater interest in the alumni luncheons this winter.

With the winter social season getting into full sway in Dallas, many Phis will play an active part in the activities. O'Hara Watts, *S.M.U. '33*, is president this year of the Idlewild Club, and Tom Wassell, *S.M.U. '35*, is secretary. The Idlewild Club is the exclusive bachelor club of Dallas society. These two former S.M.U. chapter presidents will be central figures in the presenting of this season's debutantes. Walton Head, *Dartmouth '29*, was president of Idlewild last year, and Tad Adou, *Texas '32*, was President the year preceding.

Watts not only plays a prominent part in society life but has also played a good game of golf since his early days. While he was president of his senior class in S.M.U., he was also winning the Southwest Conference golf championship for the second time. Watts has kept up his golf since leaving college; for the past three years he has been the low qualifier in the Texas district for the National Amateur Golf Championship.

Don Schumacher, *S.M.U. '37*, a really outstanding links star who has won many golf events throughout the country, went to the semi-finals in the National Amateur this year. Jack Munger, *S.M.U. '37*, was another Phi from this section who qualified but was not as successful in the National as he has been in several Southern and Eastern tournaments this summer.

DENVER

We have been working more closely with the two active chapters (Colorado University and Colorado College) by procuring a list of names from each of the chapters including actives, pledges, and alumni, then getting information on good prospects for pledges and sending the name to the active or alumni living in the territory in which the prospective pledge lives.

The Alumni club gave a rush party at the Idelweiss cafe the latter part of August. There were present about fifty prospective pledges, twenty-five actives, twenty-five alumni. We arranged it so four pledges would sit with two actives and two alumni at a table. Our program was worked out so that the boys could actually learn more about $\Phi \Delta \Theta$ than in the past. The principal address was given by our president, Don Joslyn, which was very inspiring as he compared a college education to the business world. He also spoke on the fraternities in general, then a few points about

$\Phi \Delta \Theta$. Dr. C. L. Draper, and Charles Compton gave short talks about the Fraternity, also some interesting stories about their schools. Entertainment was furnished by Brothers Keif and Heckman.

Brother Paul Beam paid the Alumni Club a visit at their weekly luncheon on his way back from the regional convention at Berkeley, Calif. We got fifty of the alumni out to greet Brother Beam. After the luncheon we had a talk from Brother Beam. He announced that Brother Joslyn was unanimously elected president of Xi Province, which is indeed an honor to our Alumni Club.—VERNON J. HECHMAN, Secretary.

EVANSTON

The North Shore Alumni Club has been reorganized, after several years of relative inactivity, and officers were elected at a dinner meeting at the Sportsman's country club attended by thirty-eight North Shore alumni. Officers elected include Robert Schott, President; DeWitt Gibson, Vice-President; John E. Fields, Secretary, and Clarence Barker, Treasurer. The executive committee will consist of the officers and Ralph Albrecht, Charles Mead, Edward Otterstrom, Donald Pavelick and Charles Dugan. We plan a fall meeting in connection with the football season and Homecoming.—JOHN E. FIELDS, Secretary.

FORT WAYNE

On June 16 the Fort Wayne Alumni Club held a rush dinner for prospective pledges. Twenty-three high school seniors of $\Phi \Delta \Theta$ caliber were invited. Individuals of this group are in attendance at eleven different colleges where chapters exist. At this writing, several are members of Phi pledge classes. Robert Beck and Dale Redding were in charge of the arrangements. The meeting was held at the Orchard Ridge Country Club and about forty actives and alumni were hosts. James Jackson, now vice-president of Illinois Alpha, was toastmaster. Short talks were given by Merlin Wilson and Joe Tucker of Illinois Alpha and Jack Doyle of Kentucky Alpha-Delta. William McMahon, President of the Fort Wayne Alumni Club, gave the address of welcome. Following the talks, the General Headquarters rushing pictures were shown and enjoyed by all.

On July 19 fifteen of the alumni with their wives and sweethearts enjoyed an informal dinner meeting at the South Shore Inn, Lake Wawasee, Ind. W. C. Wright, Paul C. Bailey, Allen Chambers, and Clifford Dill were in charge of the arrangements.—MAURICE A. COOK, Secretary.

FOX RIVER VALLEY

THE Fox River Valley Alumni Club celebrated the fifth annual Phikeia Day in connection with the active chapter of Wisconsin Beta, on Monday, September 25. Nearly one hundred Phis participated in the event. The occasion was the formal welcoming and induction of the twenty new Phikeias of Wisconsin Beta, held on the evening of the last day of rushing, and served as a climax to the rushing season. All of the active members of Wisconsin Beta and the new pledges were guests of the alumni club. Toastmaster for the evening was John H. Wilterding, *Lawrence '23*, President of Lambda Province, and speakers were Professor A. A. Trever, *Lawrence '96*, adviser to Wisconsin Beta, and Walter R. Courtenay, *Lawrence '29*, pastor of the First Presbyterian Church of Neenah. The next regular meeting of the Club will be held about November 15 at Appleton, at which time the annual election of officers will be held.—RUSSELL C. FLOM, *Secretary*.

GREENSBORO

THE Greensboro Alumni Club resumed its regular meeting program with an enthusiastic gathering at the King Cotton Hotel (which is operated by Haywood Duke, *North Carolina '27*), September 15, six-thirty o'clock. Horace Strickland, *North Carolina '27*, president, gave us an inspirational speech challenging the membership to greater activity in the year 1939-40. The club made many recommendations to North Carolina's active chapters, and others, of young men from Greensboro and vicinity who are entering college for the first time this fall. We decided to continue our policy of the last seven years by having our meetings the second Friday night in each month in the King Cotton Hotel at six-thirty o'clock.—E. EARLE RIVES, *Secretary*.

HOUSTON

THE annual Houston rush party of 1939 took the form of a $\Phi\Delta\Theta$ reception and dance on the roof of the Rice Hotel. There were 159 persons present, rushees, active men, alumni, and their guests. The Phis represented eighteen chapters, the largest groups, naturally, from Texas Beta, Gamma, and Delta. The committee on arrangements were R. Bruce Carter, Chairman, Frederick Heyne, and Tom Sharp.



HOUSTON ENTERTAINS ON THE RICE ROOF

HUTCHINSON

THE Hutchinson Alumni Club gave a Dutch supper September 1 for twenty rushees at the American Legion club house, Carey Lake. In charge of arrangements were Harry L. Stevens, O. K. Fassett, Charles

Colladay, Konrad Becker, John Maddus, and Eugene O'Keefe. J. Richards Hunt is president of the club which has been meeting weekly for luncheon during the rushing season.—WHITLEY AUSTIN, *Reporter*.

LONG BEACH, CALIFORNIA

WITH regard to items of interest from our Club we submit the following: Marion D. "Pat" Cloud, son of Marion D. Cloud, *South Dakota '15*, was pledged to Oregon Alpha in September. Pat was outstanding at Woodrow Wilson High School in Long Beach, and his friends were happy to see him pledged $\Phi\Delta\Theta$ at Eugene. Jack Bradley, *California '33*, is a practicing attorney in Bakersfield, Calif. Chet Gurney, *Oregon State '31*, is engaged in business with his father. They are now manufacturing heating and air-conditioning equipment. Chet has been instrumental in patenting an efficient low-cost house heater which recently received the approval of The American Gas Association. Morry Hubbell, *U.C.L.A. '27*, returned from Bakersfield several months ago to accept a managerial position with the Lomita Gasoline Company. He recently purchased a home in Los Cerritos Heights. Joe Kester, *U.C.L.A. '28*, was married July 8, to Betty Berry, Scripps College graduate '39. The wedding took place at the Pasadena Presbyterian Church. Best man was H. L. Rose, Jr., '28, and ushers included Dr. James L. Houts, '31, and James P. Alger, '34, all of U.C.L.A.—JOSEPH P. KESLER, *Secretary*.

MIAMI

DURING the summer we got together and decided to do something about rushing and regular luncheons. The first get-together was at the University Club one night where we had a smoker for Phis. We then had a luncheon each week at Walgreens' and had our rushees meet the alumni. So far six have been pledged from here.

We are continuing our luncheons every Wednesday, 12:30, on the third floor of Walgreens' main drug (and everything else) store. All alumni are cordially invited to attend our luncheons while visiting our city this winter.—R. VAN DORN, *President*.

MILWAUKEE

THE Wisconsin Northwoods was the hideout of President Vic Schletz, Heinie Gruerber, and Al Prinz, Jr. Bob Suelflow spent a two-weeks vacation as guest of Brother Joe Berry, *Wisconsin '38*. Ed. Martin, *Wisconsin '36*, upon graduation of law school and entrance into the Wisconsin bar also was a guest of Brother Berry. Bill Oberly, *Wisconsin '38*, brought back wonderful tales of the New York Fair.

Frank Lennox and Ed Drappers, Co-Chairmen, put on a very successful Annual Summer Outing at Eagle Lake, Wis. With the help of Brother Roth, who handled the golf situation, the party went over with a bang. We expect, however, to see more Fox River Valley men at next summer's affair.

Bill Hewitt and Bill Pollock are actively engaged in this year's annual Community Fund Drive. The latter brother being a big wig chairman. That's all for now.—JOHN LEHNBERG, *Secretary*.

MONTGOMERY

THE Montgomery Alumni Club held its regular summer meeting on August 2, 1939, at the Beauvoir Country Club. The meeting was in the form of a dinner and the primary purpose of the meeting was to discuss rushees who would soon be going off to college. The club enjoyed a delightful dinner with some thirty-odd alumni and members in college present.

The club had a very thorough and encouraging report from the undergraduate committee appointed to investigate and report on prospective rushers. The meeting was one of the most enthusiastic the local Alumni Club has had in many years. The active participation and co-operation of the members in college added greatly to the enthusiasm of the meeting. At this meeting it was decided to make the second week in July a permanent date for holding our summer meeting.—V. BONNEAU MURRAY, JR., *Secretary*.

NEW YORK CITY

THE Phi Delta Theta Club of New York started the 1939-40 dinner season on October 11 at the Shelton Hotel with one of the most successful and most interesting monthly dinner sessions the club has ever held. More than sixty men attended and were exceptionally well rewarded by the program arranged by President Phil Barbour and Vice-President Phil McCullough, who are determined to give the Phis their Phil.

The speaker of the evening was Colonel Robert Copey of the United States Army Air Corps. Colonel Copey has more than ten thousand hours of military flying and has been an Air Corps instructor both in the air and on the ground since 1917. That he is also a foremost expert on aircraft and research design is forcefully indicated by the fact that he is a member of the Air Corps Board of Aviation, the Army group which tests new designs in the air and accepts, makes suggestions on or rejects new types. Needless to say, Colonel Copey's analysis of what the air forces involved in Europe may be and his conjectures as to what may take place in the air over Europe in the near future was nothing short of exciting.

The Club was delighted to see Brother Elmer Davis, *Franklin '10*, eminent journalist and radio commentator, who dropped into the dinner after his 8:55 broadcast. Brother Davis was kind enough to sum up the international situation, which he did as follows: "A poker game with aces, deuces, treys, and one-eyes jacks wild." He is on the Columbia Broadcasting System, WABC in New York, at 8:55 P.M. seven evenings each week.

The gathering voted by acclamation to congratulate Brother Lou Gehrig, *Columbia '25*, renowned Yankee star, upon his appointment by Mayor LaGuardia of New York as Member of the three-man Municipal Parole Board for a term of ten years. This is regarded as an exceptionally inspired appointment considering the wonderful influence and example which Brother Gehrig always has been and is for the boys and young men of New York City.

The November dinner will be held at the Shelton Hotel on Wednesday, November 8, and Brother Barbour was able to make a triumphant announcement in this regard. He has been successful in obtaining Brother Sam Binkley, *Oklahoma '30*, who is one of the leading cancer specialists in the United States. Brother Binkley has agreed to give an illustrated lecture on the campaign against cancer which is known in the medical field as a thrilling presentation of this vital struggle.

The December dinner will be held on Friday, December 1, as the Banquet of the Atlantic Regional Conference in which the New York Club is co-operating full force with the active chapters of this region. The speakers for this dinner have been announced, and they are Admiral Cluverius, *Tulane '95*, member of the General Council who has just accepted the presidency of Worcester Polytechnic Institute, and Dr. Ralph W. Sockman, *Ohio Wesleyan '11*, who is

known by all Phis as an orator who always has something to say and says it superbly. These speakers assure a large alumni attendance at the Regional Conference dinner.—ED GOODE, *Secretary*.

PHILADELPHIA

IF and when you find yourself marooned in Germany during the opening stages of one of her occasional wars, take your cue from Brother Robert L. Gilman, M.D., *Wisconsin '20*. All you need to make your way through ordinary difficulties and return in one chunk is a slight aloofness to what is transpiring, some philosophy, a good companion or two, plenty of good American coin, a supply of wine to expedite matters at the border, an M.D., and a second helping of luck. You might even dispense with the aloofness.

Brother Gilman described his experiences and observations for the benefit of local Phis at the regular monthly luncheon on October 11, 1939, at the usual place of meeting, the Manufacturers and Bankers' Club. Vacationing in Germany "to escape the September crisis in the United States," he was not wholly unprepared for eventualities. Forewarnings had meant little. Rumors circulating on the *Bremen* during the voyage were discounted. English bombers power-diving and torpedo practice at close range caused some lifting of the eyebrows. But following the landing at Bremerhaven and brief inspection of Hamburg, even Berlin proved dull. Nurnberg brought close contact with storm troopers in vast numbers. Ten days in Munich witnessed a succession of really interesting news items such as the pact with Russia, sufficient to bring from a conservative youth the casual observation that Poland would be Russian and German within a few months. But no thought of war. The Germans were not expecting that. Food rations . . . air raid shelter . . . Italian troops . . . but still no serious thought of war. Then a siren announcing the taking of Danzig—and the startling declaration that war was in progress. Blackouts . . . overworked consuls . . . luck making the 8:30 to Berlin . . . the border and a confused babble of complaints in choice American, proving that Germany was actually and safely behind them . . . then real news of the war, hitherto not available. Then, what to do about passage, with rates mounting hourly. Again a little luck. Here was the *Mormacuren*, an American freighter with two hundred passengers sharing its accommodations for twelve, but needing a physician. So Brother Gilman signed up for the princely salary of one cent per month and worked his way home. Not bad, in spite of a cargo of smelly cod liver oil, long hours of service, and an unfortunate shortage of certain necessary stores. Home again in seventeen days, and a supply of back newspapers waiting to enable him to find out what had been going on. A very entertaining experience—once.

Walt Whetstone presided, Sam Kirkland thanked the speaker, and the other forty of us didn't allow a word to escape us.—GEORGE T. STREET, JR., *Reporter*.

PORTLAND

DURING the summer season, the Portland Alumni Club enjoyed a golf tournament ably directed by Ray Woodman, *Oregon State '37*, after which we had a buffet dinner and good time. The active chapters, Oregon Alpha and Oregon Beta, have been busy with their rushing this summer, and many fine parties and much friendship have developed therefrom. There is evidence that there was more alumni co-operation this year in rushing than ever before in my memory.

Our program for the winter season is well under

way starting with $\Phi \Delta \Theta$ participating in a big Miami Triad dance to take place after the U.S.C.-O.S.C. game in Portland, to be held at the Neighbors of Woodcraft Hall, November 4. All active chapter and alumni members will be invited to attend.

December 31, New Year's Eve, we participate again with the Miami Triad group in a big New Year's party. The proceeds of these two parties so far as we are concerned will be used to hold the first annual Northwest Song Contest to see who is entitled to keep for the next year the beautiful Wallace McCamant trophy, which was won last year at the local contest by Oregon Beta. The song contest will be held at our Founders Day Banquet in the middle of March, and it is now proposed to invite the following active chapters: Idaho Alpha, Washington Alpha, Washington Beta, Washington Gamma, British Columbia Alpha, Oregon Alpha, and Oregon Beta to compete. It is hoped that we can have glee clubs of twelve men each from each chapter, and it is also proposed to have a formal initiation upon this occasion. Plans are pretty well laid for the Founders Day Banquet already, and if our preliminary financial program works out, we will be able to pay at least the hotel expenses for the visiting singing groups.

This report would not be complete without reference to the Western Conference held at Berkeley September 8 and 9. The writer attended this conference and was very much impressed with the delegates and intrigued by the program. For one, I am inclined to think that these conferences are a very excellent thing for $\Phi \Delta \Theta$. Real tribute should be paid to John Ballou, President, Paul Beam, Traveling Secretary, George Houser, the president of this province, and Charles Gaches of the General Council, for the work and effort expended in behalf of the Fraternity. Deep appreciation should be given to California Alpha for their fine hospitality. We all had a good time and enjoyed meeting again brothers whom we had not seen for years.—CHARLES L. STIDD, *Secretary*.

TOLEDO

The Toledo Alumni Club held its first meeting of the year on September 19 in the old University Club, which is now known as the Collingwood Club. A general program was adopted for the year.

The club has been very busy during the summer and early fall in recommending boys to the chapters in different colleges and we hope, during the year, our efforts will be shown in the new initiates.

This meeting was particularly interesting because a great many young graduates attended and this new blood ought to add a great deal to our programs.

Brother O'Hara and Brother Hunt are running for the city School Board and here's hoping they will both be elected.—FRED A. HUNT, *Secretary*.

WASHINGTON

PHIS in Washington and vicinity, please note Thursday, March 14, 1940, on your calendar as the date for our Founders Day Banquet. Be at the Carlton Hotel at 7:30 P.M. for an evening that will bring back pleasant memories. An outstanding program will be arranged.

H. H. Bennett, *North Carolina '03*, Chief of the Soil Conservation Service and an outstanding authority on that subject, recently discussed problems of retaining and improving the nation's farm and wood lands over a coast-to-coast network.

Dr. Earl V. Moore, *Michigan '12*, of Ann Arbor, Mich., was recently appointed as special consultant on music for the Works Progress Administration. Julian Ewell, *Duke, '36*, a June graduate at West

Point and son of Lieutenant Colonel George W. Ewell, *Kentucky '02*, was a recent luncheon guest. George S. Ward, *Illinois '10*, spent six weeks this past summer in Europe and has given us an interesting account of his visit in Germany. Milo C. Summers, *Lombard '81*, charter member of this Club and the oldest Phi in Washington, is our most active traveler, but he never misses a Thursday luncheon when in town. Edward T. Stafford, *Dartmouth '11*, has a son at the Naval Academy, Annapolis, Md., and Luther Ellis, *Wabash '14*, has a son entering Yale University who was the outstanding high school quarter miler in this vicinity.—CARL A. SCHEID, *Secretary*.

WAYNESBORO

THE Waynesboro Alumni Club entertained with a barbecue on September 5 in honor of the local prospects going to college this fall. About thirty were present for an enthusiastic meeting. The following officers were re-elected: P. W. Thompson, President; John J. Jones, Secretary, and R. C. Lovett, Jr., Treasurer.

We are proud to report that two local boys whom we recommended, Enon Hopkins and Charlie Gray Green, have both pledged to Georgia Beta at Emory University.—JOHN J. JAMES, *Secretary*.

STATE OF WEST VIRGINIA

ON Tuesday, September 12, 1939, at the home of Robert H. Bull, an informal meeting of twenty Charleston Phis was held, at which time several rushees were entertained and it was decided to have regular monthly luncheons on the second Monday of each month at McKee's Cafeteria, at twelve o'clock noon.—DAVID G. LILLY, *Secretary*.

WINNIPEG

A meeting of all Phis in Manitoba was called for September 14 at the St. Charles Hotel to accept the challenge, which is now facing every true citizen of Canada, to eradicate those despots who would rob our Empire of all that we hold most sacred. At this early date of the war with Germany, a number of our brothers had answered the call to the Colors and were to be seen in their various regimental uniforms.

As a result of this gathering, the active chapter is adopting a policy of retrenchment in their social activities and, along with the Alumni Club, has offered its services to the War Department to aid in any way possible in relieving the international situation.

We of the Executive strongly believe that the undertaking of this work of national interest will both bolster the fraternity spirit among the brothers and will also give our organization a more prominent place in the eyes of the general public.—NEIL K. BROWN, *Secretary*.

WINSTON-SALEM

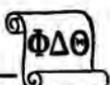
OUR Club went out to Cyril Pfohl's farm for a hamburger fry August 25, 1939. After a delicious picnic style supper, we settled down to more serious business, that of preparing recommendations to the several chapters of boys who were going off to college from this city. We studied the entire list of those going to Duke, North Carolina, and Davidson, and after considerable discussion the secretary was instructed to send the appropriate recommendations to each chapter.

The officers were re-elected for the ensuing year: R. B. Crawford, Jr., President; and C. Frank Watson, *Secretary-Treasurer*.

The meeting adjourned with each member expressing the desire that the club have more such get-togethers.—C. FRANK WATSON, *Secretary*.



Chapter News in Brief



ALABAMA ALPHA, UNIVERSITY OF ALABAMA—The chapter pledged fourteen men: Edward de Graffenried, Doak Mudd, Birmingham; William Auston, Sonny McGifford, Tuscaloosa; John Hastie, Bryan Shields, Mobile; William Brooks, Cameron Rankin, Brewton; Albert Dozier, Eufaula; Eric Embry, Pell City; Harwood Inge, Eutaw; Alfred Sartin, Jasper; William Varner, Tuskegee; Lewis Stewart, Marion. The interior of the house was done over during the summer. Cary Cox is this year's football captain, and Billy Slemmons is first string half-back. Cox is a promising candidate for All-American honors. Intramural sports are already under way. Our football team is seeded among the top four teams. Bowron, Houseal, McMillan, Mooney, Snow, Elebash, and McClellan are the mainstays of our eleven. Charles Butler is Coach. Our golf team is captained by Burton; Fite, James, and Hooker make up the foursome.—**FREDERICK FERGUSON, Reporter.**

ALABAMA BETA, ALABAMA POLYTECHNIC INSTITUTE—High success was ours in pledging the following men: Walter Barr, Robert Cawthorn, Frank Litchfield, Glenwood Pierson, Frank Woodruff, Montgomery; Benjamin Craig, Jr., Jonathan Cunningham, Henry Hilton Green, Jr., William King, Florence; William Dowling, Lewis Mayo, Jr., Richard Shively, Birmingham; Thomas Dyas, John Hand, Douglas Luce, Mobile; Sherrod McCall, Thomas Vereen, Moultrie; Richard Comer, Eufaula; Walter Dean, Alexander City; William Duncan, III, Decatur; Scott Farley, Opelika; Nick Flood, Athens; William Hagood, Brewton; Wallace Hannum, Auburn; Fleet Hardy, Troy; Lewis Morgan, Uniontown; John Thomas, Gadsden; Fred Thompson, Dadeville; Gordon Varn, Cordele; Robertson Allen, Jr., Charleston, S.C.; Stephen Powell, Fort Lauderdale, Fla. Initiation for Hooper Collier, Robert Stobert, and Frank Woodruff was held October 4. Kirby Clements and Carl Morgan were tapped by Scabbard and Blade. Social events have been a house dance in honor of the new pledge class, a tea to present Mrs. Hambrick, new house mother, and the traditional supper given by the pledge class for the upperclassmen. The chapter is to

have a house party the week-end of November 4 for the Sophomore Hop. House improvements consist of a new automatic furnace and a new radio-victrola.—**JOHN B. STRATFORD, JR., Reporter.**

ALBERTA ALPHA, UNIVERSITY OF ALBERTA—As a result of a very successful rushing season, sixteen men were pledged: John Simpson, Jerry Collins, Robert Collins, Don Bell, George Poole, Douglas Jamieson, Allan Dixon, Reginald Henry, Edmonton; Robert Johnson, Jesse Gouge, Stewart Findelater, Drumheller; Fay Anderson, James Johnson, Lethbridge; Robert Roche, Medicine Hat; Lloyd Grisdale, Olds; Lawrence Wight, Calgary. Among the actives, Bev Monkman is president of the Engineering Society, the strongest student society in Canada. Bill Tobey is the president of the Mining and Geological society. Jim Morrison is president of the Chemistry club. Dave French is the Agriculture representative to the Students Council and Bill Howard now edits the *Law Quarterly*. On the football lineup are: Monkman, French, Freeze, Forbes, Millar, Cameron, Smith, McDonald, and Phikeias Simpson, McCallum, Stewart, Findelater, and Collins. Phikeia Crisdale is proving to be a valuable member of the track team. The Scholastic Award for Phikeias was won by Gordon Sweet. Peter Rule won the Governor General's Medal in his final year in architecture. The alumni showed a very active interest in rushing this year, for which the chapter is greatly indebted to them. Don Gardiner, who has been absent for several years, has returned to finish his course in electrical engineering. Eleven new members were initiated this year and a large and very active chapter is anticipated.—**H. MUNRO HOPE, Reporter.**

ARIZONA ALPHA, UNIVERSITY OF ARIZONA—The new year began with the pledging of twelve men: Morton Mansur, Norman Acken, William Bell, Mason Gerheart, Tucson; Russell Kyle, Phoenix; John McCloon, Santa Monica, Calif.; Herbert Palmtag, Redlands, Calif.; Tee Christman, El Paso, Tex.; George Pfeiffer, New York, N.Y.; George Wick, Youngstown, Ohio; Robert Ensminger, Indianapolis, Ind.; Frank Anderson, St. Paul, Minn. The opening event of the intramural season was the swimming meet, in which



SIGNIFICANT MEN AT ALBERTA
Left to right: Monkman, Morrison, French, Tobey

Φ Δ Θ took first place. Ensminger is colonel of the cavalry unit of the R.O.T.C. and also captain of Scabbard and Blade. Other members of Scabbard and Blade are Billy and Catlin. Tyng is a new member of Blue Key.



ARIZONA'S CHAMPION SWIMMERS

Left to right: Benz, Evans, Bornaud, Levering, Gearhart, Knight

The chapter is proud of its new trophy room. Our traditional Mexican formal dance will be held the latter part of October. The ends of the football team are filled by Swift and Held.—GEORGE B. MERCHANT, Reporter.

BRITISH COLUMBIA ALPHA, UNIVERSITY OF BRITISH COLUMBIA.—As the house B.C. Alpha has occupied for the past nine years was sold during the summer much trouble was experienced in obtaining new quarters for this year. A meeting was held to consider building, but it was decided to wait for at least a year. As a makeshift we have started the year in a smaller house located outside the university gates. Hammy Gray is again proving a popular and efficient house manager. Fall rushing of undergraduates is in full swing with McLellan captaining the activities. Freshman rushing takes place after the Christmas vacation. McLellan is also president of interfraternity council and secretary of the Players Club. King and Griffin, who graduated last spring, won scholarships for chemical research at McDonald College and McGill, respectively. Jones is also at McGill studying medicine. Dent is studying dentistry at North Pacific College, Portland, Ore. Since Canada declared a state of war military uniforms are in evidence around the house with Lowe, Gray, Garrett, J. Matheson, McBurney, and Meredith in the C.O.T.C. In athletics the chapter is represented by Robson, English rugby; Hoskins and Phikeia Gardiner, Canadian football; McBurney, soccer; Doug Alexander, basketball and track; and Bob Pearce and Lynott, rowing. Donegani is senior manager of Canadian football and Stinson holds a similar position with the English ruggers. Garrett is editor-in-chief of *Ubysey*. Avery, J. Matheson and Meredith attended the regional convention held in September at Berkeley and have been telling the brothers some interesting stories of what they heard and saw and of how they are convinced more than ever of the true brotherhood that exists in Φ Δ Θ. J. Matheson, social chairman, is busy arranging our annual fall dance, the Bowery Brawl, which is scheduled for October 28 on Barnston Island. Previously this dance has been held in the house and environs and for the co-ed lucky enough to get a bid has proved the top function of the university's social calendar.—WILLIAM WALLACE, JR., Reporter.

CALIFORNIA ALPHA, UNIVERSITY OF CALIFORNIA.—The chapter house has opened the fall season showing a number of permanent improvements to the property; the Alumni Club greatly improved the garden and surrounding terrace with flowers, shrubs, and cement retaining walls; the Mother's Club furnished the dining room with a beautiful set of solid oak chairs. Rushing activity was rewarded by the pledging of twelve fine men. We also have two Phi transfers, namely, Herbert Tenny of Arizona Alpha, and William Swisher of California Gamma. Dick Devine, a Washington Beta transfer who was with us last year, was affiliated this semester with California Alpha. The Chapter was host to the Far Western Conference and the California Alpha members took great interest in all of its affairs. Dick Folmer, Carl Hoberg, and Jack Chapman are competing on the varsity football squad. Hank Zacharias and Will Rogers are battling for the same position on the Rambler reserve team. Jack Sloan, Bob Shoemaker, and Ed Burr are members of the frosh squad. Bill Beal and Wayne Welcome are on the varsity and freshman crews respectively. Jim Nutting and Jack Lafitte are our representatives on the track squad. Bob Innes and Bob Smith are on the water polo squad. Jim L'Hommedieu and Bill Forney are expected to compete with the varsity ski team. Having won the intramural tennis championship last semester, practically the same team will strive this semester to retain the cup. Hugh McPhee and Will Rogers were initiated into the Skull and Keys. Frank Poulsen and Bill Forney are members of the Scabbard and Blade. Paul Eckley and Bob Casey are prominent on the *Daily Californian*, and Don Richards is on the *California Pelican Staff*.—WILLIAM BEAL, Reporter.

CALIFORNIA GAMMA, UNIVERSITY OF CALIFORNIA AT LOS ANGELES.—Keeping pace with U.C.L.A., now the twelfth largest university in America, California Gamma pledged an excellent class of twelve men. Jim Devere handled the coveted position of Homecoming Chairman, most important appointive position in U.C.L.A. Stabler was appointed by President Sprout to the newly created position of student representative on the committee on drama, lectures, and music. He has charge of all drama and musical programs at the University. O'Flaherty, Devere, and



CALIFORNIA FORMS THE DELTA

Stafford are members of the organizations control board. The University Religious Conference board includes Devere, Stabler, and O'Flaherty. Stafford and Stevens are members of the senior council, Devere and



COLORADO TAKES TO WATER

Kiem on junior council, Gregg and Hendon on sophomore council, and Dagget, Rydell, and Guyer on freshman council. Hoag is social chairman of the Associated Men Students. In football, Simpson is playing varsity end, while Tolan, McCallum, and Graf are reserves. Bob Stanford beat top-notch Bobby Riggs one set in the Pacific Southwest tournament, only to lose finally, 2-6; 6-3; 6-4. *The Claw*, campus magazine, is edited by Hoag. Sloan is on the editorial staff, while Roshe and Godfrey are photographers.—DICK ROSHE, Reporter.

COLORADO ALPHA, UNIVERSITY OF COLORADO.—With fifteen brand new pledges, Colorado Alpha is well on its way into another year. The new men are: Richard Hutton, John Lightburn, Addison Adams, Denver; Galen Gaunt, Brighton; John Landrum, Sterling; Michael Lenzini, Walsenburg; Kenneth McCormack, Durango; Wallace DeBeque, Carbondale; John Woodward, Tulsa, Okla.; Richard Hodges, Topeka, Kan.; George Belders, Omaha, Neb.; William Barbour, Evanston, Ill.; Frank Nichols, Lincoln, Ill.; Richard Adler, Joliet, Ill.; Robert Balleisen, Brooklyn, N.Y. Colorado Alpha's six track men—Boorman, Wallrich, Puett, Arnold, Baugh, and Hamilton—scored twenty out of the seventy points Colorado garnered in taking the Big Seven track title last spring. John Eaton plays at end and Jay Combs in the line of the varsity eleven. Phikeia George Belders, a 205-pound transfer from the University of Nebraska, is playing first team frosh backfield. Wallrich, Colorado two-mile record holder, has transferred to New Mexico University. Basketball practice has started, and the chapter has Phikeias Garbanati and Downing on the varsity squad. With many veterans back, a good intramural program has been planned with Brother Pruett and Phikeia Downing as co-chairmen. The best social season that

has ever been given by Colorado Phi has been planned for this year, and the chapter is being ably assisted by the enthusiastic Denver alumni club, under the leadership of Xi Province President, Don Joslyn.—WILLIAM L. PRUETT, Reporter.

COLORADO BETA, COLORADO COLLEGE.—We opened the academic year by pledging the following men: William Turnock, Robert Tritt, Melvin Balzer, Marshall Zirkle, Colorado Springs; Joseph Dittus, Denver; Merton Manning, Grand Junction; James Haskell, Salt Lake City, Utah; Vernon Edler, Hollywood, Calif.; Gordon Folsom, Minneapolis, Minn.; Norman Nestle-ode, Barrington, Ill.; Nick Samela, White Plains, N.Y. Jack Beardshear was initiated Oct. 8, 1939. Danford and Panter are on the line and Heizer and Phikeia Beauchamp in the backfield of the varsity team; these boys are all sophomores and are all on the starting lineup. On the yearling squad are Tritt, Dittus, and Apple. Intramural touch football finds us tied for first place after having played two games. Wayne Gallagher, '39, was awarded the Van Diest Medal last spring, being adjudged the outstanding senior man in the graduating class of Colorado College.—SCOTT A. HOTMAN, JR., Reporter.

FLORIDA ALPHA, UNIVERSITY OF FLORIDA.—The chapter opened the year with complete new furnishings for the living room of our new chapter house. Tom Watson continued Florida Alpha's unbroken string of campus political victories as he was elected junior class president. Tom McCormick, Jack Jenkinson, and Burt Ragsdale were pledged to Pirates, and Benmont Tench and Halford Wright to White Friars. Gene Holtsinger was recently initiated into Φ B E. With three of nineteen sports on the intramural program completed, Florida Alpha is firmly lodged in second place. On Florida's Fighting Gators are Bud Walton and Hubie Houston in the backfield, Bill Robinson at center, and Phikeia Ray Horner at end. Phikeia Jack Jones is our contribution to the freshman football squad. The chapter proudly presents its new pledges: John Jones, Bruce Robbins, Robert Nunez, Merie Wadsworth, Tampa; Joseph Bradham, Robert Turkington, Cameron Burns, Ray Horner, Jr., Petersburg; James Cason, Mal Houghton, Clay Codrington, Jacksonville; Don Fisher, Robert Robinson, William Watson, Miami; Frank East, George Tedder, William Holland, Fort Lauderdale; Daniel Roberts, Charles Pinkson, Grover Allison, Gainesville; William Cannon, William Davis, Tallahassee; James Worrill, Lees-



ACCLAIMED C.C.'s FOREMOST GRADUATE
Wayne Gallagher, Van Diest Medalist

burg; Edward Woodberry, Louis Trapp, Orlando; Robert Pilgrim, St. Augustine.—EMMETT GARDNER SMITH, Reporter.

FLORIDA BETA, ROLLINS COLLEGE.—John Giontonio, Bob Davis, Lou Bethea, and Ollie Barker are members of the Rollins varsity football team. Wendell



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Davis is editor of the yearbook and president of the interfraternity council. Bud Hoover is a member of the college rat committee. Morrie and Bob Casparis and Bob McFail are members of the yearbook staff. Giontonio, Hickok, Hausman, and Kraus are already working out for another varsity crew season. Barker, after a successful summer, was rated one of the top softball pitchers in the nation. Ed Levy, a member of the New York Yankee chain gang, returned to college for his final year after playing with Newark Bears and Oakland in the Pacific Coast league. Florida Beta is starting off with touch football in its hopes of maintaining an undefeated record for the third straight year. At the time of this writing, this chapter is in the midst of a seemingly successful rushing season.—CLARENCE KRAUS, Reporter.

GEORGIA ALPHA, UNIVERSITY OF GEORGIA.—The chapter had a successful rush season this year, pledging the following men: Ronald Rish, James Montgomery, Rome; George Braungart, Atlanta; John Beard, Moultrie; Dudley Stokes, Columbus; Ben Howell, Thomson; Matthew Wheeler, Bainbridge; Frank Puckett, Blakely; Clem Brown, Tennesse; Hi Mozeley, Marietta; Laurier Hackett, Camilla; Charles Williams, Buena Vista; Bud Bowen, Tifton; Dennis Groover, Quitman; Douglas Cunningham, Eatonton; Frank Clark, Louisville. Robin Nowell starts at blocking back for the Bulldogs this season, while Phikeia Jim Lewis holds a tackle position on Georgia's powerful freshman team. Reid is editor of the *Red and Black*, and Griffith is a graduate assistant in the journalism department. Among the officers in the R.O.T.C. unit are Owen, Colonel of Cavalry, and Bowen, Lieutenant-adjutant. Fulmer, Grace, Corry, and Woodruff are sergeants. In scholarship last quarter Georgia Alpha rose to fourth place among the seventeen fraternities on the campus.—HARRY HORSEY, Reporter.

GEORGIA BETA, EMORY UNIVERSITY.—The chapter was unusually active during the past summer. There were several house dances given, and one barbecue at Phikeia Hugh Howell's country place. A large number of the brothers and rushees attended these affairs. The twenty-four new pledges are: Melvin Tinsley, Hubert Veal, Robert Mitchell, Atlanta; T. L.

Johnson, Robert Morris, Moses Cox, Decatur; Elbert McLauri, Cecil White, Waycross; Enos Hopkins, Charles Green, Waynesboro; William Day, Canton; Thomas Slade, Columbus; Jack Bailey, Elberton; William Rainwater, Covington; Clyde McCarver, Vidette; J. F. Thomas, West Palm Beach, Fla.; Robert Worland, Miami, Fla.; Wayne Young, Landersville, Ala.; Randall Goldthwaite, Dothan, Ala.; Hebert Arnold, Med McMillan, Meridian, Miss.; I. C. Holloway, Lexington, N.C.; William McKinney, Owensboro, Ky.; Rhodes Hardemann, Louisville, Ky. Work on the new chapter house is well under way. The framework has already reached the second floor and is rising rapidly. The contract calls for its completion by the fifteenth of January. The chapter will hold a formal initiation on October 17.—FRANKLIN SMITH, Reporter.

GEORGIA GAMMA, MERCER UNIVERSITY.—The chapter got under way with a fine start this fall with thirty-one brothers returning and with a three-week rush period bringing in seventeen new Phikeias.

A banquet-dance, attended by many alumni, ended the rushing season and on October 8 the freshmen visited an open house to announce their acceptance of a $\Phi \Delta \Theta$ bid; only eighteen bids were offered and seventeen were accepted. At Blue Key tapping ceremony, Hoyt Davis was one of six upperclassmen tapped, bringing the total number of Phis to six of the twenty in the local chapter. Billy Ceeslin is editor of the *Cluster* and Johnny Reed business manager of the *Cauldron* for the second year. Barfield is business manager of the *Silhouette*, and Garfield, Calhoun, and Couirc are on the *Cluster* staff. Willis Conger has been chosen head of the new regime which brings student government to the Mercer dormitories. In the law school, Davis has been elected head for the year and Edwards and Lilly have recently been elected to the honor council. The following students are now formal Phikeias of Georgia Gamma: Osgood Clark, Robert Smith, Albert McElmurray, Marvin Davis, John Gibson, Jr., Everett Barfield, William McAfee, Lee Cone, Jr., Wallace Armstrong, Macon; Guy Cobb, Cordle; Jack Rushing, Savannah; James Barfield, Atlanta; Albert Jenderson, Canton; William Preston, Monroe; W. O. Hitchcock, Moultrie; Thomas Brown, Swainsboro; Martin Flahart, Allentown, Pa.—CLYDE CALHOUN, Reporter.

GEORGIA DELTA, GEORGIA SCHOOL OF TECHNOLOGY.—After a week of co-operative rushing, Georgia Delta broke an all-time record by pledging thirty-six men: Ben Aycock, Jack Cline, Robert Goree, W. H. Holmes, Vincent Kane, William Wadsworth, George Poer, Burke Rudolph, George Sargeant, Atlanta; Paul Berry, David Lewis, William Turner, Albert Woolfork, Columbus; William Langford, Amos Tift, John Corry, Tifton; John Dennis, Richard Mutux, Macon; Thomas Nutt, Robert Carmichael, Jackson; Haley Ector, West Point; Robert English, Washington; James Guinn, La Grange; Robert Gunter, Griffin; Bernard Murphy, Trion; William Tharpe, Moultrie; John Wild, Long Island; Royce Jackson, Winder; Jack Hancock, Jacksonville, Fla.; Joseph Walker, Birmingham, Ala.; Walter Logan, Richard Neidhardt, Chattanooga, Tenn.; Richard Hudson, Paris, Tenn.; Leroy McCarty, Byron Long, Tupelo, Miss.; Bryce Martin, Houston, Tex. The chapter stands third at Tech in scholarship for the year just completed. With the aid of several of our prominent alumni plans for the construction of a new chapter house are rapidly rounding into shape. Roane Beard is vice-president of the student council and a member of the varsity football team. Other Phis on the football team are Louis Per-

kerson, Roy Goree, Bubber Quigg, and Robert Ison. Phikeias Hancock, Logan, Goree, Ector, and Woolfork are members of the freshman team. Joe Treadway has been selected as a major in the Coast Artillery Unit for the year and Jimmie Malone is a company commander in the Navy Unit. Treadway is also captain of the local company of Scabbard and Blade.—ROBERT ISON, *Reporter*.

IDAHO ALPHA, UNIVERSITY OF IDAHO.—Three Phis, Durham, Heien, and Franklin are starting men in Idaho's varsity backfield. Franklin holds the distinction of being one of the few athletes to make over a B average in the school of chemical engineering. We are proud of twenty new pledges: Gordon Williamson, Robert Morris, Marsh Hyde, Lewiston; Dean Smith, Charles Boyd, Moscow; John McMahon, Donald Duncan, Boise; Carter Bales, Thomas Harland, Caldwell; Robert Potts, Coeur d'Alene; Robert Robson, Kellogg; Ralph James, Ralph Pinkerton, William Powell, Ted Thompson, Robert Kemp, Spokane, Wash.; Oswald Walch, Seattle, Wash.; Carlton Spalding, Dickinson, N.D.; Clark Smith, Beverly Hills, Calif.; George Russell, Nelson, B.C. Interfraternity sports look very promising as we have won four games without a loss. Mode Snead has been golf captain for the last two years. Irving Rauw made the varsity swimming team. Phis in advanced military this year are Marshall, Rice, Ward, Dingle, Snead, Thompson, and Phikeia Small. Charles Finnell was elected to Blue Key. Many new ideas are being effected by Idaho Alpha, which were obtained at the Regional Convention in San Francisco.—JAMES F. RICE, *Reporter*.

ILLINOIS DELTA-ZETA, KNOX COLLEGE.—A completely renovated chapter house awaited the returning Phis this fall. The pledge class is the largest in the recent history of the chapter—twenty-four: Joseph Seckler, Kenneth Wright, Robert Dunkel, Robert Peterson, Mort Monson, Robert Brewer, Robert Hodge, Dick McRaven, Bud Vehe, Howard Schewe, Robert Kemp, Ed Seifert, Dean Trevor, Jack Long, Winnie Wettin, Barney Winkleman, Peter Burkett, Ned Landon, Dave Wingate, Robert Bell, Paul Gibson, and Jack Lillie, while Frank Fabbri and Robert McCaulley repledged. Fender, Cordell, Fabbri, and Hathaway are on the varsity football squad, while Stubbs and Colwell are manager and assistant manager respectively. Peterson, Monson, Brewer, Hodge, Schewe, Trevor, Long, Lillie, and Wettin are all on the freshman squad, with Bell and Seifert as freshman managers. The intramural volleyball team and golf team have successfully started on a quest of trophies in their leagues.—JOHN VAN TRIGT, *Reporter*.

ILLINOIS ETA, UNIVERSITY OF ILLINOIS.—Striving to fill the vacancies left by the graduation of eighteen seniors and by the tragic death of Brothers Conrad and Pendarvis, Illinois Eta culminated a prosperous

rush week by the formal pledging of twenty-three Phikeias: Matt Buscy, John Hayes, Urbana; Arthur Burke, Champaign; Jack English, Ray Fencil, Evans-ton; James Meek, Carrollton; Carl Dunn, Beardstown; Harold Dragstrem, Niantic; William Pilkenton, Farmer City; William Haymon, Aledo; James Campbell, McLeansboro; Walter Griffith, Amboy; Robert Wilson, Chicago; Lewis Grigsby, Pittsfield; Roy Thompson, Mattoon; John Harmon, Louisville; John Knight, Virginia; Graham Ely, Riverside; John Warmbold, River Forest; Robert Wallin, Rockford; Bruce Carpenter, River Mines, Mo.; William Friese, Kansas City, Mo.; Caton Cobb, Columbus, Ohio. Of these Phikeias, Dunn, Meek, Fencil, and Friese are brothers of Phis; and Burke, Pilkenton, and Cobb have Phi fathers. Prospective '43 numeral winners in football are Fencil and Warmbold; while the Phis competing for their varsity "I" are Fultz, Thistlewood, and Tuck. Tuck has been forced to drop because of a spinal injury. When Illinois travels to Los Angeles to play Southern California, Paul Slater, as Senior Manager, will arrange the player's accommodations, and Fultz and Thistlewood will be on the squad roster. Etherton won numerals in wrestling last spring and is now eligible for varsity competition. This fall Frank Schaeffer begins his second year as captain of the Illini poloists. A review of Illinois Eta's other activities finds four men on the staffs of the yearbook, *Illio*. Gougler is a junior editor and Hamman is a member of the sophomore editorial staff. Ed Bowen is a junior business manager and Blair a sophomore manager. Fisher is a member of the Illinois Union cabinet and a co-chairman of the annual Union popularity contest. John Martin also is co-chairman of the Homecoming Committee. Harvey Orndorff is outstanding in his Y.M.C.A. work. Jim Appel is a sophomore sports writer for the *Daily Illini*, and Hervey Parker is one of the sophomore track managers. George Dunn, senior baseball manager, has been elected to presidency of the University athletic council and to a seat on the student senate. The scholarship average of Illinois Eta for last semester of '39 was raised to a 3.54. However, despite the increase numerically, the chapter dropped from the ranking of eighteenth out of sixty-three down to twenty-first.—JOHN THISTLEWOOD, JR., *Reporter*.

INDIANA ALPHA, INDIANA UNIVERSITY.—The chapter started the 1939-40 year with high hopes for its pledge class of twenty-six: Robert Bosart, Joseph Marquette, Robert Morehead, Indianapolis; William Murchie, Robert Kirk, Bloomington; James Perry, Robert Overshiner, John Kennedy, Columbus; George Graisley, Walter Voss, Seymour; Bert Adams, Robert Baker, Vincennes; William Miles, Bloomfield; William Kerriegan, Connersville; Dick Silver, Knights-town; Earl Rich, Scottsburg; Robert Yost, Chesterton;



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Charles Burt, Valparaiso; Warren Ardapple, Lafayette; Nelson Hall, Peru; Robert Erdman, Columbia City; Kingston Stempel, Fowler; Robert Taylor, Hagers-town; Jack Templin, Beach Grove; William Sohl, Hammond; Clyde Christensen, Miami, Fla. The chapter extends appreciation and thanks to the Indiana alumni, whose co-operation made this season's rush very successful. Campbell Kane and William Frey were initiated October 8. The chapter won the Homecoming decorations trophy by the use of a novel idea. A ferris-wheel, which took the alumni and university students for rides throughout the day, was erected in the front lawn.—DEAN J. CALL, *Reporter*.

INDIANA BETA, WABASH COLLEGE.—Newly pledged Phikeys are: Howard Miner, William Moore, Indianapolis; Max Brown, Walter Clearwaters, Crawfordsville; Joseph O'Rear, Frankfort; John Berry, Robert White, Toledo, Ohio; Louis Jones, Granite City, Ill. McConnell represents the chapter in varsity football, and Berry is on the freshman football squad. Clearwaters, Jones, and White are running in cross-country. Rynerson has been pledged to the Sphinx Club, an honorary of which Post and McConnell are members. Burk and Post are members of $\Phi \Delta E$. Post is president of the last-named organization, and of the board of publications as well. Thomas has been pledged to A II. The Indiana Beta Alumni Association has focused greater interest on the extracurricular side of college life by a number of awards to be given to those whose range of activities is the greatest. The alumni have also redecorated the house. On October 28, the chapter will show its appreciation for the alumni co-operation with a hearty homecoming celebration.—WILLIAM BURK, *Reporter*.

INDIANA GAMMA, BUTLER UNIVERSITY.—The chapter announces the pledging of twenty-four Phikeys. Formal initiation was held for five men on October 8, 1939: Richard Paul, Allen Owen, John Reno, Wilbur Downs, and Herbert Spencer. Representing $\Phi \Delta \Theta$ on the gridiron are Connor, Abts, Kreag, Swager, Feichter, Fruechtenicht, Reno, and Phikeya Norris. Connor is captain of the Butler team. The semi-annual Brown County outing was held at Brother Glenn Findley's cabin on October 22, 1939. Indiana Gamma is well represented in honorary organizations, having four of the seven members in Blue Key: Brothers Angelopolous, who serves as president of the organization, Shiel, Connor, and Steiner. In the Sphinx Club are Hack, Abts, and Bill Ostlund. In the Utes Club are Butz, President of the group, Deputy, Fruechtenicht, and Norris. Phi members of the Student Council are Herrmann, Angelopolous, Abts, Ostlund, and Deputy. The annual open house was held October 15, 1939 at which time the new Phikeys were formally introduced to the campus. The new pledges are: James Burke, Richard Carson, Frederick Doebber, Scott Dukes, Harry Ellis, Gene Dickson Guy, William Hardy, Marvin Hook, Neil Liverit, William MacDonald, John Merrill, Joseph Palmer, William Pentecost, Charles Smith, Bryce Tharp, Merrill Theising, John Thornburg, Jack Watson, Thomas Wright, Indianapolis; Robert Cravan, Auburn; Arthur Hamp, Kokomo; Jack Kindig, South Bend; Jack Ferris, Robert Kiehne, Cleveland, Ohio.—WILLIAM C. OSTLUND, *Reporter*.

INDIANA DELTA, FRANKLIN COLLEGE.—Formal pledging services were held at the chapter house September 26 for the following Phikeys: Newton Alexander, Daniel Cravans, William Drake, Maurice Foist, Gerald McClain, Myron McCurry, Jack Rider, Dick Stainbrook, Franklin; Fred Nickerson, James Rhoades, Don Rutan, Columbus; Raymond Popejoy, James

Holton, Robert Wilson, Peru; Samuel Dungan, Richard Emmelman, Indianapolis; William Drake, Charles Woodcock, Greenwood; John Beardsley, Frankfort; Wayne Doss, Evansville; Charles McVey, Waldron; Harry Hamilton, Bridgeport, Ill.; Charles Winterbottom, Springfield, Ill. Initiation services were held for fourteen men September 24. The Sword and Shield was pinned on Rhodes, Medsker, Osmon, Frazell, Grefe, Shanahan, Blackwell, Noe, Bates, Apple, Buhner, Huffman, Hougham, and Lauchner. The Franklin chapter is well represented in college athletics this year, having placed twelve men on the football squad: Fell, Shanahan, Grefe, Frazell, Hougham, and Phikeyas Holton, Doss, Hamilton, Popejoy, Rutan, Cravens, and Rider; George Huffman is football manager, Phikeya Jim Rhoads, manager. Shollenberger and Houghland have parts in *Our Town*, a college production. Rinker is a member of the Student Council, managing editor of *The Franklin*, and president of International Relations club. Shrum is a member of the Student Council. Improvements made on the chapter house during the summer months included redecoration of the entire house and the addition of a room on the third floor. The pledges entertained the actives with a novel barn dance at the chapter house Saturday night, October 7.—FARWELL RHODES, Jr., *Acting Reporter*.

INDIANA EPSILON, HANOVER COLLEGE.—At the time of this writing our new rush season is still in full sway, so we cannot announce our success in that field of endeavor. The football squad is strong this year with ten veterans returning to the gridiron. Anders and Faith are back in uniform and Troy has returned after two years' absence to play his old position at fullback. Mitchell, the freshman president of last year was chosen to carry the colors for the sophomores. At recent elections Achberger and Purkhiser were selected as president and business manager respectively of the college choir of which eight Phis are members. The college Y.M.C.A. elected Charles Barnett as its president. Moorhead is president of the Classical Club. Chapter president Fred Blum was elected president of the interfraternity council. Shirley was recently appointed assistant editor of the *Reverah*, college yearbook. Brown is serving as student manager of the football team. Grossnickle, '37, returned to Hanover to take extra work in the college, and Harry Moore enrolled as a sophomore after a year's absence. Phikeya Brownell of Louisville, Ky., and Edward Wolf of Fort Wayne, were repledged after their absence from school for the past year. At the close of school last spring Robert Resler of Lafayette, and Richard Kessler of Newcastle, were pledged. James Mitchell of Morris, Ill.; Robert Wolf of Cincinnati, Ohio; and Everett Hile of Elkhart, Ind., were initiated at the end of the last college year.—ROBERT S. MOORHEAD, *Reporter*.

INDIANA ZETA, DEPAUW UNIVERSITY.—After a successful rush week, the following men were pledged: James Biddles, Greencastle; Stephen Smith, John Wells, Gary; Robert Williams, Whiting; William Ernst, Norman Wright, Danville, Ill.; Joseph Weishar, Chicago, Ill.; Robert Forsythe, Olney, Ill.; Harold Van Slyck; Topeka, Kan. The intramural season has started and the Phis emerged victorious in their first two speedball games. Two Phis are members of the football squad, Mitchell is a member of KTK, Darnall is on the student executive board, and Phikeya Weisher was elected to the freshman council. Beck, Elkins, and Askew are members of the Chemistry Club, and Mitchell, Darnall, and Ferris were elected to the Ar-

tists Club. Max Tucker is a member of B A E. Gene Pennington is again leading the chapter in singing this year.—JAMES ISKE, *Reporter*.

INDIANA THETA, PURDUE UNIVERSITY.—With the opening of college the members of the chapter returned to find that the chapter house had undergone extensive interior redecorating. Rushing occupied the attention of the brothers for the first two weeks. A fine class of thirteen was pledged. L. Brock returns to his position at right half-back while Rush is a candidate for end on the football team. Phikeias B. Brock, Hill, Hobbs, and Brown are playing on the freshman football squad. Butterfield is senior manager of the football team and Colquhoun is a junior manager. Adams and Swank are sophomore managers. McDaniel won his numerals in golf at the close of the last semester. Wagner is a candidate for the varsity tennis team. The chapter's representatives on the student publications are Von Buelow, junior editor of the yearbook, and Johnson and Clark, sophomore workers on the daily paper. Ferrin is treasurer of the Gimlet Club, of which Butterfield and Berg are also members. Colquhoun was recently pledged to the latter organization. McDaniel and Tafel are out for Union. Mulholland is senior forensic manager. John Walley was re-elected to the student senate at the fall registration.—R. S. COLQUHOUN, *Reporter*.

IOWA ALPHA, IOWA WESLEYAN COLLEGE.—At the conclusion of formal rushing Iowa Alpha pledged twelve new men: James Russell, Richard Hall, Russell Whitmer, John Whipple, Mt. Pleasant; George Alexander, William Severts, Fremont; Keith Dougherty, Williamsburg; Robert Graham, Fort Madison; James Huston, Olds; James Lille, Naperville, Ill.; Robert Burton, Evanston, Ill.; Robert Trump, Winnetka, Ill. Iowa Alpha is represented on the gridiron by Bergstrom, McKinnon, Hayward, and Phikeia Hall. Wustrow, Shipley, Elgar, and Brown have been initiated into Blue Key. In the A Ψ Ω homecoming play *Dulcy* are Wustrow and Phikeia Trump in the cast, and Brown, stage manager, assisted by Phikeias Huston and Alexander. Shipley, McCormick, Elgar, and Phikeia Trump are on the staff of the *Tiger*. Iowa Alpha announces the initiation of Brothers Wilson, Mojonier, Brown, McCormick, Hayward, and Huebner. Bob Lauer class of '41 received an appointment to Annapolis and entered there July 13.—DON LAUER, *Reporter*.

IOWA BETA, STATE UNIVERSITY OF IOWA.—The chapter began the college year by pledging ten excellent men. Entering into the intramural football team, Phikeias Schleuter, Noller, and Springer contributed to the winning of the opening game. Always strong in the field of journalism, the pledge class includes, in Parke and Hill, two more men to carry on the tradition. Other talent includes Wheelock who has already entered the university mixed chorus and Smylie who is actively participating in the programs of WSUL. Welcomed to the campus this fall were Brothers George Cuttino of Pennsylvania Kappa, Bryan French of Massachusetts Beta, Bruce Dearing of Pennsylvania Delta, John Shaw of Illinois Delta-Zeta and Jack Higgins of Montana Alpha. Dearing and Shaw are affiliating, and Cuttino has taken a position with the university history department. O'Malley and Hamilton have recently enrolled in the local government school for flyers.—DEAN E. ROGERS, *Reporter*.

IOWA GAMMA, IOWA STATE COLLEGE.—A fitting climax to the end of the school year last June was the announcement made by the intramural office of the fraternity champion for the year—Φ Δ Θ. The new

football season brought seven Phis and three Phikeias back early for varsity football practice: Taylor, Quinn, Moody, Fuller, Heggen, Russell, Lange; and Phikeias Hayes, Vinsel, and Graves. Maxon takes care of them from the trainer's standpoint and Sokol from the manager's side. Sixteen new men are proudly displaying blue and white Phikeia buttons: Robert Wilson, Earl Sorenson, John Bush, Ames; William Bloomhall, John Sapousek, Cedar Rapids; Robert Knowles, Stuart Reese, Des Moines; Wilfred Groves, Kamrar; Howard Grundman, Pella; Stuart Russell,



CLIFFORD MOSS

Iowa Gamma's Exchange Student from Belfast, Ireland

Council Bluffs; William Walters, Storm Lake; James Barney, Cape Girardeau, Mo.; George Fuller, Omaha, Neb.; Richard Colvert, Ardmore, Okla.; Foster Campbell, St. Joseph, Mich.; William Beers, Schenectady, N.Y. Radcliffe and Hargrove are business managers of the *Bomb* and the *Green Gander* respectively. Phillips is this year's track captain, an honor handed down to him by a long succession of Phis. Nelson is president of T B I and business manager of *Veishea*, the annual open house. Iowa Gamma has a new resident at the chapter house in Clifford Moss, one of the two boys participating in an exchange with Queen's University in Belfast, Ireland; and everyone is well pleased with the good-humored Irishman. As the other member of the exchange, Paul Moser is now studying at Queen's University and reports everything is going along nicely on the other side of the Atlantic. Iowa Gamma was glad indeed to receive a visit from Brother Harry Gerlach of G.H.Q. The chapter is looking forward to a big alumni gathering for the Iowa State-Missouri homecoming football game October 28.—LEO ROBERT QUINN, JR., *Reporter*.

KANSAS ALPHA, UNIVERSITY OF KANSAS.—The pledge class of 1939 includes the following: Phikeias Alloway, Kern, Kirby, Kneale, Lindsay, Snowden, McCleod, Weir, Borders, Hart, Eccles, Walker, Ahrens, Moses, Robbins, McCarty, Wells, Hall, and Haynes. Waugh is head senior cheer leader, Edwards is sophomore cheer leader for the coming year. Prager and Jesse have just pledged Φ Δ Φ. Bunsen will play regular fullback position on the varsity football squad again this season. On the *University Daily Kansan* staff are Kanaga, Young, and Robertson. Robertson is also editor-in-chief of the *Sour Owl*. Phikeias Alloway and Robbins were selected by the university men's glee club of which Ramsey is president. A

Halloween party will be given in honor of the new pledges on October 21.—**JOHN D. RAMSEY, Reporter.**

KANSAS BETA, WASHBURN COLLEGE.—Arlon Wilson, senior law student and alumnus of Kansas Beta, was elected president of the school of law at the recent September election. He won by a comfortable majority, defeating a strong candidate representing a legal fraternity. With initial success in political activity by virtue of the law school win, the chapter co-operated well to send Phikeia Cogswell to victory in his candidacy for president of the freshman class. Washburn has a winning football team this year and the chapter is well represented in Bill Warner at end, Bill Shumpes at tackle, and Phikeia Jim Cables at blocking halfback—all varsity lettermen.



PHIKEIAS AT CENTRE, 1939

Phikeias Henry Overstake and John Cofer represent the chapter on the freshman squad.—**JUD A. AUSTIN, Reporter.**

KANSAS GAMMA, KANSAS STATE COLLEGE.—Pledges of this fall are: William Ross, Don Hathaway, Vernon Plattner, Coffeyville; Donald Kempton, Wayne Starr, Bernard Rogers, Hiawatha; Howard McGee, Willard Monahan, John Starnes, Leavenworth; James Baker, Roy Thompson, Eldorado; Oscar Olsen, Donald Phinney, Russell; Hugh Boyd, Concordia; Cedric Carter, Dodge City; William Gardner, Pomona; Thomas Guy, Liberty; Kenneth Kimball, Caney. Robert Howell, a Phi from Westminster, Missouri Beta, is awaiting affiliation. The new house which was spoken of last spring is a reality and should be ready for occupancy by February 1, 1940. This is the realization of a dream that has been in the minds of Phis at Kansas Gamma for several years. Although the new house is considerably larger than the old, every possible room in it will be filled by the present group of actives and pledges. Several more men who will probably be pledged this semester will have to wait their turn.—**FLOYD STRYKER, Reporter.**

KENTUCKY ALPHA-DELTA, CENTRE COLLEGE.—R. A. Wathen bears the responsibilities of president of the student body; Lewis R. Hardy is head of Pitkin Club and Players Club. John A. Watkins is editor-in-chief of the college yearbook; Robert Kinnaird is the associate editor of the college news weekly; several other brothers are active on the staff of this publication. Concluding a very successful rushing season the chapter pledged the following men: Campbell Foster, James Long, Thomas Stein, William Duffy, Louisville; Richard Johnson, Robert Ensminger, Harrodsburg; Porter Cormany, Winnetka, Ill.; Richard Kelley, Tazewell, Va.; Philip Gullion, Washington, D.C.; George Anderson, Ballston Spa, N.Y.—**FRANK S. ANDERSON, Reporter.**

KENTUCKY EPSILON, UNIVERSITY OF KENTUCKY.—The chapter rose from third to first place in university scholastic ratings, maintaining an average of 1.54. Thirty actives and three Phikeias returned to school, and during rush week, twenty-four boys were pledged. Doggett, Duty, and Potts served on the advisory committee which aided in the classification of freshmen the first week. Phikeias Farris, McMillan, and H. Taylor are playing on the freshman football team. The intramural team has started practice. J. Caldwell is an associate editor on the student newspaper, with Alverson serving on the news staff, and Hughes in the business department. Phikeias Marshall, J. Taylor, and Coke are working on the University yearbook. Swope is head announcer of the University radio studios and is also a member of Guignol, the University Little Theater. Vogeler is editor-in-chief of the *Kentucky Law Journal*.—**JAMES M. CALDWELL, Reporter.**

LOUISIANA ALPHA, TULANE UNIVERSITY.—Rush week pledged the following Phikeias: John Robinson, Paul Tessier, James Benedict, O. M. Gwin, Ernest Johnson, Fred Pitts, William Coats, Peter Parkerson, New Orleans; Henry Miller, Bruce Dorsey, Jerry Hudson, J. B. White, Frank Berry, Collins McCaleb, Shreveport; R. L. Gates, Alexandria; Maxwell Kilgore, Lisbon; Samuel Hutton, Fort Smith, Ark.; Miles Lewis, Ada, Okla.; Max Gulon, Ducktown, Tenn.; Jack Ray, Greenville, Ala.; Henry Dismites, Mobile, Ala.; William Nobles, Pensacola, Fla.; Henry Lochte, St. Petersburg, Fla.; Minion Harmon, Apopka, Fla.; Louis Champion, Flint, Mich. In addition, Matt Redmond has transferred from Tennessee Alpha to Louisiana Alpha and many Phis from other chapters attending Tulane's Medical School are frequent visitors to our chapter house. The chapter was honored by the recent visit of brothers Harry Gerlach and Robert Somerville, a visit all too short. In football Ralph Wenzel is making a play for All-American honors at right end while Joe Vanzant, Chuck Block, and John Sims are following in his footsteps. Woodley C. Campbell is editor of the *Jambalaya* and Stewart Kepper is local advertising manager of the *Hullabaloo*.—**STEWART J. KEPPEL, Reporter.**

LOUISIANA BETA, LOUISIANA STATE UNIVERSITY.—Twelve excellent Phikeias were added to the rolls at L.S.U.: R. Ortlieb, W. Odenwald, T. Moore, J. Vann, T. L. Huber, J. Gordan, C. Jordan, N. Jordan, W. Canty, B. Darby, B. Holt, L. Fergus. Interest during the summer centered around Paul Smith, swimmer, and Jack Bushman, star tennis player. Smith broke records at the Southern A.A.U. meet in the 220- and 440-yard swims; and won the two mile swim. At the Southeastern Open Meet he broke the 220-yard record. In Birmingham at the Rex Open championship under the supervision of the Southeastern A.A.U. he won the 50-100-220- and 880-yard swims. Jack Bushman, teaming with Bill Taubert in the National tennis doubles, missed fame by ten minutes, losing the last two sets to Frankie Parker and McNiell in a hard fought battle, 6-3, 4-6, 2-6, 6-1, 6-2. Bushman also defeated F. Ampon, number one man on the Philippine Davis Cup Team, going to the semi-finals in the New York State Amateur. The chapter regrets the transferring of Major A. V. Ednie, who was so helpful in our efforts to secure our charter, to Fort Missoula, Mont., by the U. S. Army. At the same time we welcome Brother Mark Brown, new chapter adviser, and thank him for the active interest he has already taken.—**LEE C. RAMSEL, Reporter.**

MAINE ALPHA, COLBY COLLEGE.—With Captain Bruce in the backfield, O'Neil, and Tower in the line, and Dibble and Cobb leading the cheers on the sidelines, the Phis are well represented for the football season. Brothers who made the Dean's list for the second semester of last year are: Bruce, Baxter, Dibble, East, Conley, and Parker. Dibble is active in the glee club, while Baxter and Phikeia Warren are on the staff of the college paper. On October 4, four new brothers were initiated into the chapter: George Stumpp, of Bristol, Conn.; Albert Rimosukas, of Poquonock, Conn.; Robert Wheelock, of Cranston, R.I.; and George Parker, of Philadelphia, Pa. On October 16, a great banquet was given for prospective pledges in the freshman class. The Phis opened the social season on October 14, after the Colby-Vermont game, with one of the most successful tea dances in recent times.—ELMER L. BAXTER, *Reporter*.

MANITOBA ALPHA, UNIVERSITY OF MANITOBA.—Owing to the war, Manitoba Alpha has found it necessary to reduce the scope of fraternity operations. The chapter has moved from the house on Stradbroke Avenue, and has taken club rooms in the Kelly Building on Assiniboine Avenue. On October 28, the Phikeias, numbering eleven, accompanied the active chapter to the only big dance the University is holding this semester. Martin, our chapter president, has joined the Medium Artillery and holds the rank of second lieutenant, orderly to the colonel of the brigade. McLean, Steinhoff, Trehwitt, and Phikeias Dewar, Mooney, and McLean are members of the C.O.T.C. Irving Keith, chapter adviser, is attending night lectures of the C.O.T.C. Alumni brothers McDougal and Iversam have joined the R.C.A.F. Phikeias Ryan and Mooney are members of the United Colleges football team. Phikeia George Eakins was runner-up in the western Canada tennis final. Manitoba Alpha still expects to have an excellent year, in spite of the fact that active operations are on a smaller scale than of former years.—W. M. BLACK, *Reporter*.

MARYLAND ALPHA, UNIVERSITY OF MARYLAND.—Twenty-eight new students are now wearing the Phikeia button: Al Ruppberger, Buck Watkins, Dick McHale, Nick Buddington, Dewitt Smith, Neil Collings, Jacques Duvall, Arthur Woodward, George Lewis, Paul Mattix, John Gunter, Dick Cleveland, Russel Mizell, Phil Vannais, Fletcher Rawls, James Coffman, Oliver Guyther, Tom Lansdale, Lowell Keagy, Henry Scott, Bill Lane, Dick Floyd, Walt Furst, Lou Williams, Duke Jacobs, Harry Karr, Bill Mann, and Ed Waring. Dick Lee heads OΔK, is art editor of *The Old Line*, president of the International Relations club, and manager of the lacrosse team. Kelso Shippe, chapter president, is secretary of OΔK, business manager of *The Old Line*, and head cheer leader. Carl Goller is track manager and Leonard Otten is freshman baseball manager. Frank Davis, president of his freshman and sophomore classes, this year heads the junior class and the Calvert debate club and serves on *The Old Line* business staff. Gene Ochsenreiter is Junior Prom chairman and is seeing service on the football team. Jack Suit is junior manager of the basketball team and circulation manager of *The Old Line*. Jarboe and Worthington are junior managers of baseball and Brendle of track. Prinz is an alternate cheer leader. Also performing with the football team are sophomore Phikeias Garrett and McKenzie. McKenzie is a class officer. Ray and Lee are Lieutenant Colonels in the R.O.T.C. and Otten is captain of the band. Shippe and Lodge are lieutenants. The chapter entertained

parents and friends at a tea in honor of its new house mother, Mrs. G. C. Earle on October 9.—FRANK I. DAVIS, JR., *Reporter*.

MASSACHUSETTS BETA, AMHERST COLLEGE.—Another very successful rushing season closed with the pledging of fourteen men. Several of the new men are playing freshman football, and there are also several prospective track men. The pledge banquet was held this year on September 24 at the Hotel Northampton with Professors French, Manthey-Zorn, Schotte, and Havighurst of the faculty as guests of the chapter. Brother Andrews of the faculty was unable to attend the banquet as has been his custom for many years, because of illness. The initiation banquet will be held this year on November 10. This fall finds four of the brothers on the varsity football team: Rosenberry, Skeel, Thomas, and Johnson. English is assistant manager of the varsity football team. In intramural activities the chapter has been very successful, having won four out of five of its football games at the present writing. Cole has been made manager of intramural athletics. The new chapter library has acquired many new books, and several house improvements have been made during the summer in the form of new wall paper and new rugs. Plans are now being made for a new driveway and the remodeling of the basement. Massachusetts Beta has always been opposed to physical violence in hazing during the six weeks pledge period, and this year the Student Council of Amherst College has also maintained this point of view. We hope to see many of the alumni of the chapter at its fifty-first initiation ceremony; don't forget November 10.—RICHARD C. KING, *Reporter*.

MASSACHUSETTS GAMMA, MASSACHUSETTS INSTITUTE OF TECHNOLOGY.—The chapter has pledged the following men: Kenneth Gifford, William Kaesche, New York, N.Y.; Vincent Bashore, Marvin Stephens, Scarsdale, N.Y.; Albert Kelly, Jr., Patchogue, N.Y.; Warren Manger, Eggertsville, N.Y.; Edgar Wallace Dunn, Wilmington, Del.; George Feick, III, Sandusky, Ohio; Frank K. Bennett, Akron, Ohio; Lawrence T. Cummings, Connerville, Ind.; G. H. Miller Smith, Chattanooga, Tenn.; Claude Funkhauser, St. Joseph, Mo.; Jesse T. Kessinger, Sheridan, Wyo.; Edward H. McLaughlin, Los Angeles, Calif. Brother Terrans, who is working on his doctor's degree in chemistry, was appointed preceptor for the chapter. The social season was successfully opened with two informal record dances. The pledge formal is to be held Saturday, November 4.—J. H. MACLEOD, JR., *Reporter*.

MICHIGAN ALPHA, UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN.—The following twenty-eight boys, of whom twenty-four are freshmen, were pledged: Edward K. Aldworth, James E. Andrews, Douglas D. Baker, Robert G. Begle, James R. Blanchard, John L. Brown, William F. Coale, Jr., Parker Consaul, Robert M. Edison, John P. Emmett, John E. Fletcher, Ray B. Grippmann, George H. Guffin, George H. Hildebrandt, Alden C. Johnson, Carl A. Lehmann, Emil A. Lockwood, Frank W. McCabe, Jr., Ned Morrow, Walter A. Reed, Edward Reichert, Ben F. Smith, Harold L. Smith, John F. Swain, Richard F. Walker, V. Hudson White, Jr., Larry Wichter, William G. Windle. Tom Adams, spark plug of the activity drive which has brought ΦΔΘ to the top on this campus, is extremely busy these days between presidency of the I.F.C. and senior track management. Tom Harmon, Michigan's candidate for All-American honors this year, personally scored all twenty-seven points of the

Michigan 27-7 victory over Iowa. Jack Meyer and Jeep Mehaffey have been forced to discontinue football for this year because of serious injuries. However, sophomore Al Wistert is again on the squad after an ankle injury. Not only does Harmon represent Michigan Alpha on the football field, but Fred Howarth is on the sidelines as junior football manager and Ted Spangler as head cheer leader. Spangler is also vice-president of the Michigan union. The chapter is again gunning for a banner intramural athletic year and under the leadership of George Banta has won its first three speedball games and also two football games. During the summer, Brother Adams was in Ann Arbor and supervised the complete renovating and redecorating of the house.—JOHN T. BENSLEY, *Reporter*.

MICHIGAN BETA, MICHIGAN STATE COLLEGE.—An intensive rushing program is being carried out; prospective Phikeias are becoming acquainted with the members of Michigan Beta who are active on and off campus. For the third year George Gargett is holding down the tackle position on the varsity football squad. On the cross-country and mile runs we find Roy Fehr, who is also captain of the track team. George Stark, this year's captain of the baseball team, plays the position of catcher. Don Ladd represents the chapter on the swimming team, this being his second year on the varsity squad. The rushees are very interested in the interfraternity sports program. The touch football team, captained by Dick Woodfield, is the best among the Greeks. Ard Richardson is whipping the bowling team into fine shape. Bob Baldwin, our interfraternity council representative, has arranged the affairs of the Phis so they were able to join the co-operative buying group sponsored by Michigan State College authorities. This group is able to secure many buying advantages. Cliff McKibbin and Ron Garlock have taken over the duties of James Degnan, our former alumni adviser. Brother Paul Beam, of G.H.Q., paid the chapter a visit of three days just prior to the opening of college.—ANDY HAYS, *Reporter*.

MINNESOTA ALPHA, UNIVERSITY OF MINNESOTA.—The beginning of the year in October found the chapter house filled to capacity. Transfer rushing was the immediate business of the chapter, with freshman rushing coming up in November. New pledges are: Bob Paffrath, Donald Dean, Bob Lykken, and Bill Mooers. New initiates for fall quarter include: Blake Upton, Mel Peterson, Sheridan McCarthy, William Johnson, Deerwood Ludke, Bob Wangerin, Bob Henderson, Manuel Blanco, John Durham, and Bob Lundy. With Forbes Whiteside in charge, Minnesota Alpha is making a determined effort to win the homecoming decoration trophy for the third consecutive year. Rogers was selected for an important post on the Senate Committee of Student Affairs. Gran serving his second year as sports editor of the *Minnesota Daily*, was selected on the Senate Committee of Athletics. Varsity footballers this year are: Franck, Bjorklund, Lee, and Bill Johnson, and Phikeia Bob Paffrath. Peterson is senior football manager, and Zimmerman is sophomore football manager. With the intramural football team swinging into action by a victory a successful season is assured.—STANLEY F. DRIPS, *Reporter*.

MISSISSIPPI ALPHA, UNIVERSITY OF MISSISSIPPI.—The members of Mississippi Alpha started the year off with the pledging of twenty-six new men and entrance into various activities on the campus. The summer rushing program included a house party and

several banquets at different towns in the state. Rushing came to a close soon after the opening of school with the formal pledging ceremony followed by a banquet. Assistant Executive Secretary Harry Gerlach visited Mississippi Alpha recently and showed his movies of the different chapters all over the country. On October 5 the first of a series of dances was given at the house. The annual formal dance has been set for December 1. Reginald Gray has been named editor of the *Rebel*, humor magazine, and Duane Forman is associate editor. Freshman tryouts for the school publications have been held and results show that the new Phikeias are already doing well in activities. Phikeias Billy Pearson, Charles Haile, Cliff Bailey, Paul Lockett, and Buddy Clayton are on the staff of the *Mississippian*, weekly newspaper, and Virgil Adkins made the staff of the *Old Miss*, student yearbook. A complete list of the pledges follows: Virgil Adkins, Cliff Bailey, Norman Beardon, Billy Booth, Reuben Boyett, Louis Benoit, Buddy Clayton, Warner Currie, Paul Eason, Drury Fisher, Henry Fair, Thomas Gardner, Hugh Lee Gowan, J. D. Guyton, Harvey Henderson, Pat Hammond, Charles Haile, Harry Hoffman, Paul Lockett, Ralph Mackey, Fred Nabors, Henry Odum, Billy Noel, Billy Wally Pearson, Milliard Page, Howard Richardson, and Robert Rogers.—TOM HAMMOND, *Reporter*.

MISSOURI ALPHA, UNIVERSITY OF MISSOURI.—Twenty-three men were pledged by Missouri Alpha to begin the year: George Wood, Dayton Blume, Allan Woodson, Delmar Jackson, Harrison Kinney, William Launder, Robert Tucker, Joseph Williams, Don Greenwood, Kansas City; Robert McWay, Jack Melito, St. Louis; Thomas Myers, Chillicothe; Caryl Potter, St. Joseph; Will Ben Sims, Moberly; Clay Shannon, Mount Grove; Alvin Oakes, Kennet; Harry Gilbert, Clinton; Samuel Capps, Columbia; Joseph Stephens, Pittsburg, Kan.; Frank Williams, Leavenworth, Kan.; James Lily, Paris, Tenn.; Richard Crane, Sheridan, Wyo.; Ted Burger, Spokane, Wash. This year the chapter is making a strong bid for the intramural trophy. Under the leadership of Nabors we now lead in tennis and golf, and have been winning in football. W. Oliver is continuing his fine work on the *Savitar* as is Edwards. Logan is senior football manager again, and Shannon is freshman manager. Wager is on the football team, and Greenwood and Jackson are starters on the frosh squad. The chapter house was refurbished during the summer and is now in the best condition in several years. Organization and function of officers and committees has reached a high point under the leadership of Brother Himmelburger. Co-operation to an even greater extent than in the past with other chapters seems to be evident.—JOSEPH F. HILDEBRAND, JR., *Reporter*.

MISSOURI BETA, WESTMINSTER COLLEGE.—Rush week ended quite successfully this year, twenty-four new men being pledged: Walter Adderton, Edwin Miller, University City; Garrett Dean, Don Durham, St. Louis; Lee McElroy, Robert Souther, Fulton; Don Myers, Samuel Walsh, Maplewood; Paul Baldwin, Kennett; Dean Black, Montgomery City; William Collett, III, St. Joseph; Herbert Elliott, Keytesville; Robert Fisher, Foley; Robert Hawkins, Monroe City; Nick McDaniel, Springfield; Edward Rodes, Mexico; Harry Sparks, Hannibal; Robert Stone, Boonville; John Johnson, Dick Noack, Rothwell Pool, Belleville, Ill.; George Carver, Wewoka, Okla.; Ogden Confer, Robert Traff, Minneapolis, Minn. Of this group, Pool and McElroy joined Ely, Branham, Graybill, Ekern, and Zimmerman in the glee club; Douglas was

appointed business manager. Rodes was elected vice-president of the Philalethians; Traff, president of the Philologists, freshman literary societies. Roberts is editor of the *Blue Jay*, the college yearbook and is assisted by Barks, Ives, Tootle, Sharp, Hoffmeister, and Walz. Thomas and Jones are our Omicron Delta Kappas. Ely is on the student council. Active participants in Y.M.C.A. are: McCord, Noack, Bender, Traff, J. Stone, Johnson, Myers, Pool, Durham, Dean, and Sparks. Returning lettermen are: Branham, Walz, Eige, Tootle, Barnes, Hoffmeister, Merrill, Gray, and Thomas. We of Missouri Beta are proud to be recipients of the General Headquarters Trophy Award for 1938-39, with a score of eighty-nine points out of a possible one hundred.—JOHN STAHLHUTH, *Reporter*.

MISSOURI GAMMA, WASHINGTON UNIVERSITY.—The chapter came out of the big push of rush week with seventeen Phikeias to carry on the traditions of the organization: Warten Brown, Don Bruton, Frank Bub, Jim Calloway, Jack Conrades, Carter Ellis, Joe Funk, Jack Guernsey, Bob Hultgren, Russell Matson, Charles Nicholai, Jack Peat, Ed Rhodes, John Simmons, Richie Smiley, and Lloyd Will. The Phikeias are already entering into activities with Calloway and Hultgren in *Thyrsus*, the university dramatic organization, Funk and Peat as the freshman football managers and Simmons on the freshman swimming team. For the first time in a number of years Missouri Gamma assumed the leadership of the military department with the appointment of James R. Compton to the position of cadet major of the R.O.T.C. unit. In addition to this honor Brother Compton, who is head cheerleader, is lieutenant of Scabbard and Blade and captain of Pershing Rifles. Alvin R. Dallmeyer was appointed captain adjutant. He was also recently appointed director of radio activity for Washington University. Jack Brezerton and Bob Obourn represent $\Phi \Delta \Theta$ on the university annual with the positions of assistant editor and sports editor respectively. Other prominent positions held by Phis: Read Boles, president of *Thyrsus*; Desmond Lee, president of the Y cabinet; and Bosworth, senior football manager. In varsity sports we find Root, Cory, Duncan, and Guy Calloway on the football team; Mathey, Harting, and Bob Brezerton on the swimming team; and Curtis, Lyons, Mason, Welhart, and Obourn on the fencing team, with Curtis as captain and Welhart as manager.—ROBERT OBOURN, *Reporter*.

MONTANA ALPHA, MONTANA STATE UNIVERSITY.—The closing of spring quarter found Montana Alpha winners of interfraternity baseball and softball cups; Dale Galles president of interfraternity also member of Silent Sentinel; Ryan captain of basketball and a recent pledge of Scabbard and Blade. Phikeia Stewart won his letter in track. Pierce was made chairman of Traditions Board and Thompson appointed business manager with Millar associate editor of the 1940 *Sentinel*. The chapter placed first for the best decorated house during track meet. Fall quarter's rush week netted the following pledges: James Hass, Robert G. Anderson, John Turner, Kenneth Swanson, Robert H. Anderson, Douglass Campbell, Gordon Norgren, Ben Stephens, Harry Hileman, William Nelson, Philip Galusha, Robert Helm, Max Mann, Richard Nutting, Robert Olson, John Delano, Dan Scott, Robert Fisher, Alfred Buckner, Everett Morris, John Fleming, Jon Ober, Robert Wylder. Phi Delta Theta is represented in varsity football by Nugent and Hoon and Phikeias Bryan and Jones; freshman squad by R. G. Anderson and Hileman. Millar is yell king.

Newly chosen junior R.O.T.C. officers are: Wahle, Allen, Galles, Skedd, Millar, and Halland. Vaughan and Phikeias Luennig, Van Wormer, and Bourke were chosen for Bear Paw. Rhodes scholar Robert Bates has returned to Montana, owing to conditions in Europe.—BURKE THOMPSON, *Reporter*.

NEBRASKA ALPHA, UNIVERSITY OF NEBRASKA.—Twenty boys were formally pledged as Phikeias to begin what promises to be one of Nebraska Alpha's most successful years: P. Anwyl, L. Baraneby, J. Beauchamp, P. Bolton, H. Boyden, W. Brockoff, N. Duvas, T. Davis, J. Falloon, C. Harris, J. Hewett, D. Jackson, R. King, R. Kryger, J. Lee, W. Luers, F. Matheny, C. Oldfather, J. Ryan, and J. Yoder.



RYAN OF NEBRASKA

He appears worried at the Minnesota-Nebraska game

Among the Phikeias are those who have won State recognition in football and other fields of athletics, those who have made outstanding records in scholarship, and those who have won laurels in extra-curricular activities. George Abel, who just managed to leave war-torn Europe in time to return to college, is a varsity member of Nebraska's football team. Phi representatives in varsity basketball are: Hardy Goetze, John Hay, and Lyle King. The swimming team has two Phis, Fred Fairman and Chick Roberts, and Phikeia Cliff Meier among its members. Stars on the track team will be Bill Johnson, transfer from Butler, and John Goetze. Phi Delta Theta is also represented in most of the campus activities which includes the daily paper, the monthly magazine, and the pep organization.—FRED F. FAIRMAN, JR., *Reporter*.

NEW HAMPSHIRE ALPHA, DARTMOUTH COLLEGE.—New Hampshire Alpha ended its participation in interfraternity competition for the college year of 1938-39 by taking a third place. Good spirit and prospects prevail and this year should prove equally successful. Eighteen new Phikeias were pledged. From this group Orton and Langdon have won positions on the Dartmouth business board, Idema a member of the Players group, Whisler a candidate for junior varsity football team, and Gibson is likely material for the ski team. Scott has proven himself versatile by participation in ice-hockey, track, and baseball, while Harsh is showing his prowess in swimming and gymnastics, Kramer in wrestling, and Lobman in crew and soccer. Spiegel and Highfield are both prominent members of the glee club and yacht club

respectively. The chapter is exclusive in its establishment of a Fraternity eating club on campus. Dartmouth chapters of the Miami Triad are planning, as an initial experiment, a triad dance during the forthcoming fall houseparties. Babcock and Craig were appointed to the committee on student organizations which is headed by Lang, Bowers and Larson are managing the *Pic* in the respective positions of business and advertising managers and Clad re-



COLGATE'S CASERIA AND GARVEY

cently took over the managerial post of the intramural department.—LAWRENCE K. NORTON, Reporter.

NEW YORK ALPHA, CORNELL UNIVERSITY.—The fall term was opened with the pledging of fourteen men. Thanks to our alumni we had many fine boys from whom to choose. Special thanks go to J. Morrison and G. Rockwell for their direct aid at the chapter house. Alliaume, Peters, Wood, and Brennan were elected to Quill and Dagger. Redington was elected to Rod and Bob and Hartgering was elected to Skulls. Antrim was re-elected to the student council and was also made a member of the Ithaca Town Committee. Herbst was elected to the Willard Straight Board and is also chairman of the art gallery and a member of the cultural board. Two Phi's captain Big Red teams—Brennan in lacrosse and Wood in soccer. With Wood on the first string are Johnson, Van Arsdale, and Peters. Five Phi's are sport managers: Alliaume in lacrosse, Antrim in basketball, Anderson in hockey, Vreeland in crew, and Peters in tennis. Also out for sophomore competitions are Smith in baseball, Walker in crew, Storm in soccer, and Ray in football. The chapter house will be open for homecoming on November 4 with Columbia here. Many alumni have been planning to return. Any alumni not on the *Cayuga* mailing list only need to send in their addresses to receive the four issues for the coming year.—JAMES B. HARTGERING, Reporter.

NEW YORK BETA, UNION COLLEGE.—A group of nine men were pledged at the beginning of the year: Frederick Mueller, Ravenna; Albert Babyak, Cahoes; Robert Acker, Freeport; James Keese, Troy; Donald Abood, Champlain; Warren Rixon, White Plains; Willis Trombley, Ticonderoga; Robert DaDue, Plattsburg; Gordon Stillson, Canaan, Conn. With rush week brought to a successful conclusion, the members of the chapter took up their usual positions in campus

activities. Freshman football drew Paul Santee, and Robert Acker joined the freshman cross-country team. The chapter is represented on the student council by Paul Santee and Dickinson Griffith, and Merlin Faye is on the Interfraternity Council. Conrad Bechard, Herbert Smith, and Franklin Atwater sing in the college glee club, and the band is controlled by a group including Herbert Smith, Franklin Atwater, Willis Trombley, Robert LaDue, Paul Howe, and Dick Griffith, student director. The *Concordiensis*, the college paper, has Donald Haigh on its business staff, and varsity football has as its representatives Robert Arnold and Dickinson Griffith. The year's social events began with a dance for the pledges, after the first home football game. A house party is planned for the interfraternity week-end of November 10-12.—DICKINSON GRIFFITH, JR., Reporter.

NEW YORK EPSILON, SYRACUSE UNIVERSITY.—Summer house improvements included a new roof, complete painting of the exterior, redecoration of the first floor interior, purchase of new living room furniture, and installation of a new stove, refrigerator, and other kitchen equipment. Six freshmen were pledged at the end of the fall stage of the chapter's partially deferred rushing: Robert McLaughlin, Syracuse; Howard Fraser, Great Neck; Robert Hart, Fairport; John Noble, Morristown, Pa.; Frederick Camerzell, Trenton, N.J.; Robert Shipman, Moundsville, W.Va. As football season gets under way, Dick Banger becomes a center attraction. Much of Syracuse's grid strategy this year is built around this Phi triple-threat back. On the line is Phikeia Jim Garvey, guard. Phikeia Sullivan is a candidate for assistant management of the team. In an effort to raise the chapter scholarship standing, chapter academic requirements for initiation have been raised above those of the University.—HOWARD ROUND, Reporter.

NEW YORK ZETA, COLGATE UNIVERSITY.—During 1938 the chapter not only pushed their leadership in all sports, but led the thirteen fraternities at Colgate in academic activities, being the first ranking fraternity in scholastic average. The Phi's are well represented in varsity football, boasting among the regulars brothers Caseria and Garvey as well as Phikeia Bauroth. Sanders matches strides with the best of them in cross-country, and is rated number one man on the team. The intramural season looms more promising than usual. Mye, Gehlen, George, and Metzler supported by Phikeias Ames, Ainly, La Pierre, Lister, and Knepper fuse as a unit to make a football team which looks as if it is headed for a championship. Soccer is equally well supported by Phikeias Stoot, Harrison, and Long. Gehlen, in tennis, challenges all comers. Intramural golf got away to a good start with Main and Harrison along with Phikeias Lister and Knepper entering the seasonal tourney. The chapter has enjoyed the return of many alumni, stars of yesteryears. All brothers have been invited back for the homecoming Brown game. The chapter takes' extreme pleasure in announcing the pledging of Harry Bauroth of Bristol, Pa.—FENN RALPH, Reporter.

NORTH CAROLINA BETA, UNIVERSITY OF NORTH CAROLINA.—At the close of rushing season the following men were pledged: Richard Wharton, Greensboro; Daniel Thomason, Wilmington; Campbell Irving, Burlington; Charles Tull, Asheville; Grover Cleveland, Greenville, S.C.; Blake Jones, Wilbur Glass, Duncan Walker, Macon, Ga.; Carroll Milam, Gene Tyler, Jacksonville, Fla.; Henry Bryan, Orlando, Fla.; William Merrill, Dothan, Ala.; Edmund Pin-

coffs, Houston, Tex.; Beverly Landstreet, Nashville, Tenn.; John Feuchtenberger, William Feuchtenberger, Bluefield, W. Va.; Noland Ryan, Washington, D. C.; Charles Beyer, Merion, Pa.; Byron Sherman, Morris-town, N. J. Carver, Rice, Woodman, and Gragg are on the varsity tennis ladder and have excellent chances to earn monograms. Richardson, a sophomore, has turned in three fine performances at left end on the varsity football team during the current season. Several social functions have been planned for this quarter, but because of the extended rushing season, final arrangements for them have not been made.—WILFORD GRAGG, JR., Reporter.

NORTH CAROLINA GAMMA, DAVIDSON COLLEGE.—The Phis at Davidson opened the new year by pledging the following men: Henry McGeachy, Tryon; Roy Burton, Weaverton; Kit Beaty, Rock Hill, S. C.; James Chapman, Spartanburg, S. C.; George Dew, Charleston, S. C.; Fred Boykin, Atlanta, Ga.; Robert Simpson, Loy Lewis, Shelton Colson, William Howell, Jacksonville, Fla.; Welford Hobbie, Roanoke, Va. On September 28, Roy Burton, Weaverville, N. C., was initiated into the Fraternity. Phikeia Jim Cowan is holding down left end on the football team this fall and Norman Stevenson and Bobby Williams are on the squad. Phikeias Beaty and McGeachy are battling for positions on this year's freshman team, while Pat Rudolph is expected to retain his position on the soccer team. Davidson's interfraternity athletic competition is well under way, and our football team has yet to be defeated. North Carolina Gamma has won the football title for the past two years and we are expecting to make it three straight this year. Bobby Williams was elected a junior cheerleader and Bobby Carter was named a sophomore member of the Court of Control by senior members of the Student Council. The following men were named cadet officers in the college R.O.T.C. battalion: Rea Tenney, captain; Tommy Wells and Charles Mashburn, first lieutenants; and John Withers, second lieutenant. Of this year's seniors, Warren Ludlum, Rea Tenney, John Withers, Dick Kenyon, Charles Mashburn, Hugh Verner, and Bud Gilmore are on Dean's list. John Withers was one of six juniors to make the Honor Roll last year. On the night of October 28, we held a steak fry in honor of our recent pledge men, and a banquet for Homecoming on November 4.—CHARLES MASHBURN, Reporter.

NORTH DAKOTA ALPHA, UNIVERSITY OF NORTH DAKOTA.—The term began with the pledging of twenty-two freshmen. Out of the new group of Phikeias, Jacobson, Boyum, Hagen, and Hundley are playing freshman football. Phikeias Monnes and Caldwell are playing regular varsity football. The fall intramural sports season has opened with Phis showing strength in both the fall sports of volleyball and touch ball. Vaughan was elected to Blue Key. Osgard and Phikeia Kelly are on the student council of the university pep club. Sutton and Smeby were elected to Scabbard and Blade. Johnson is a member of the university debate squad.—CHADWICK MCLEOD, Reporter.

NOVA SCOTIA ALPHA, DALHOUSIE UNIVERSITY.—Canada's declaration of war September 10 brought about a new crisis in Nova Scotia Alpha's activities. Until Dalhousie opened, its policy for the year was unknown, but when it was decided the institution would carry on as usual the chapter swung into rushing activities that so far have brought six Phikeias into the brotherhood. Several more are expected to be pledged shortly. Two successful rushing

parties were held at John MacInnes' summer camp at Hubbards, near Halifax, while a number of open houses and house parties are on the calendar. Schematically, the Phis started work shortly after the usual first-of-the-term excitement died down. With the expansion of Dalhousie Officers' Training Corps, every man in the chapter except the medical students and one man already a member of the R.C.A.F. reserve joined up. In campus activities MacInnes, Kinley, and Walters are on the Student Council, Lawson is on the executive of the D.A.A.C., Kinley and Fennell are on the intermediate football team, Lawson and Boyd are on the golf team, Reynolds is business manager of the glee club. The chapter, through its alumni, is represented in all three of the Dominion's armed forces. Alan Bigelow, now in England, received a commission in the Royal Air Force shortly before the outbreak of war. Evatt Merchant and Meagher are on the naval reserve; Bob Merchant, Victor Oland, James Roy, Don MacGregor, Roald Buckley, Charles Lorway, and George McAvity are officers in the infantry or artillery; Joe Likely, John Critcheley, Orton Hewatt, and Malcolm MacLeod are training as Royal Canadian Air Force pilot officers; James Read holds a commission in the Governor-General's Foot Guards; and George Robertson is liaison officer between artillery and air force in Military District No. 6. Although the fraternity picture seems clear for the time being, the war seems liable to interfere seriously next year. While most of the members already at university intend to finish their year, no one knows how serious matters will be this time next year. Should the university's enrollment drop, and the now-active members be called for service, Nova Scotia Alpha will be in for some lean seasons. It is reasonable to presume that other Canadian chapters will be faced with the same difficulties.—DICK MURPHY, Reporter.

OHIO ALPHA, MIAMI UNIVERSITY.—The chapter opened the year by pledging Harold Cheadle, a senior, and the third of a line of Cheadles since 1930. Jack Storms playing his senior year of football at quarterback is games captaining the varsity eleven. Storms is a letterman of last year and Gaylord at guard and Rockwell at halfback position should add two more varsity football M's to Ohio Alpha's list. The chapter baseball squad has smashed through three victories; Haines is pitching excellent ball. Ohio Alpha asks her alumni to send in names of men who will make good rush material when second semester deferred rushing rolls around. Send information to William Kulow, rushing chairman.—FRANCIS KRAMER KAHLE, Reporter.

OHIO BETA, OHIO WESLEYAN UNIVERSITY.—The year's activities began with the pledging of eighteen men, including three sophomores and one junior: Calvin Kitchen, Robert Hunter, Delaware; Frank Thullen, Frank Bouslough, Youngstown; Don L. Miller, Columbus; Gordon Sperry, Mt. Vernon; John E. Gracely, Marion; Joseph Colton, Twin Lakes; Herbert Cunningham, St. Clairsville; John F. Butler, Akron; Paul H. Zent, Huntington, Ind.; William Voght, Marshall, Mich.; Max Phillips, East Lansing, Mich.; John A. Piper, Chicago, Ill.; Carl Vogt, Webster Groves, Mo.; William Lewis, Rochester, N. Y.; Donald Ross, Ocean Grove, N. J.; James Cary, Hartford, Conn. In football, in addition to the two varsity members, Markley and Leonard, six Phikeias—Phillips, Vogt, Lewis, Gracely, Piper, and Colton—are fighting for positions on the first-year squad. The chapter opened the year with five important

presidential positions. Driver is student body president; MacKichan is president of $\Theta \Delta \Phi$; Shippy, of $\Phi M A$; Case, of Wesleyan Players; and Neff, of $\Delta \Sigma P$. Our team won its first volleyball game against strong opposition. The new men were entertained with the



OHIO BETA'S HONORARY PRESIDENTS

Left to right: B. Shippy, $\Phi M A$; Driver, Student Body; Case, Wesleyan Players; MacKichan, $\Theta \Delta \Phi$; Neff, $\Delta \Sigma P$

pledge formal, a dinner, and dance at the house, October 14. A hay-ride late in October proved popular as the second event on the year's social calendar.—JAMES BAILEY, Reporter.

OHIO GAMMA, OHIO UNIVERSITY.—The chapter entertained Ohio Beta chapter the week-end of October 14, following the Ohio University-Wesleyan football game. With the determination still in mind, to get a new house, the Phis at Ohio University did the next best thing and started refurbishing the house. This fall new beds were added to the dormitory, new carpets were placed in the sun room, and a new radio-victrola was purchased. The great increase in the size of the chapter makes it is almost imperative that an addition be built on the present house if all the men are to be accommodated. Fred Frazer, president of the chapter, is a member of the governing body of the student body. He was recently raised to a battalion commander in the R.O.T.C. after having spent the summer in Edgewood Arsenal where he studied chemical warfare. John Montgomery is serving the University grid squad as assistant freshman backfield coach. Last season Montgomery was selected on the Little All-American football squad and the All-Phi squad. Initiation will be held soon for Phikeias Chapman, Gaskell, and Cunningham. The following are the men pledged at the beginning of the year: Robert Covert, George Gilham, John DeMollett, Robert Stansbury, Carlos Wilson, Athens; Joseph Chapman, Harold Snow, Guysville; George Glass, Fred Lerner, Jerry Navarrio, Shaker Heights; Jack Price, Cleveland; Jack Mundy, DeWayne Osborne, Youngstown; William Brown, Medina; Per Close, Millersburg; Frank Cunningham, Steubenville; William McEndree, Bloomington; Lee McDonald, Glouster; William Robishaw, Bedford; William Smith, Bellefontaine; Robert Wheat, Cincinnati; James Chapman, Jackson; Dick Hayes, Solon; Joseph Brammer, Huntington, W. Va.; Thomas Benham, Norfolk, Va.; Earl Brownlee, Pittsburgh, Pa.; Charles Gaskell, East Orange, N.J.; Donald Potter, Rochester,

N.Y.; William Braster, Mineola, N.Y.; Kenneth Leighton, North Adams, Mass.; Norman Oslager, Burlington, Vt.; Charles Crawford, Tilton, N.H.; Daniel Grigg, Mitchell, S.D.—CARLTON R. ASHER, Reporter.

OHIO EPSILON, UNIVERSITY OF AKRON.—Five Phis were selected as freshmen counselors at Akron: Secret, Hutchinson, Noel, Sipes, and Higley. In $O \Delta E$ we have Hutchinson as president, Noel as treasurer, Sipes as vice-president, and Marquardt, who was pledged at the annual dance this fall. Sipes was appointed by the president of the University manager of the new student building which will be finished the last of November. Furst, Steele, Russell, Singer, and Caillet were chosen for the advanced R.O.T.C. course. Scheueman is the equipment manager of the football team and Phikeias Staudt and Schoetel are his assistants. Secret and Kobsiek were selected as head student managers of the team. Phillips is president of the university theater, and Marquardt, business manager. In our pledge group we find Cardarella, Morrow, Wittig, June, and Christner on the football squad. Morrow is one of the best carriers on the squad and Cardarella is an exceptional blocker. Christner shows great talent as a lineman. The chapter was very active in intramurals. A well-balanced track team took first place. The badminton and tennis teams were very successful. Hutchinson and Brown were intramural boxing champions while Phillips and Phikeia Hoff were the wrestling champions.—GENE CAILLET, Reporter.

OHIO ZETA, OHIO STATE UNIVERSITY.—For the fourth consecutive year the intramural championship crown has come to Ohio Zeta. This will be the last, as the University has decided to discontinue this award for all-around proficiency in intramural sports. As usual, the coming of fall finds Scott, Maag, Thom, Grundies, and Bruckner on the gridiron. The team spirit is superb this year. The chapter has completed a successful rush week, pledging a class of twenty-five Phikeias. This year's class has been chosen on the basis of scholarship, activities, and background. During the summer months the house was repainted, inside and outside, and the garage under the porch blocked up, turning into a much-needed "rumpus room." The summer also brought to our attention the success of our first year under the pro-rata plan of financing. With this plan we have found a solution to delinquent account problems. William Stanhope is business manager of the *Makio*, Robert Elias President of the Y.M.C.A., and Paxton is a member of the Student Senate. Early this fall Brother Blackwell, scholarship commissioner, paid us a visit, giving the chapter numerous suggestions as to carrying on a successful year. Homecoming will be November 18, the Illinois game. Extensive plans are being laid to make this a memorable occasion at Ohio Zeta. There will be a pre-game luncheon, a victory (?) dinner, and the annual Homecoming dance.—KENT E. POOL, Reporter.

OHIO ETA, CASE SCHOOL OF APPLIED SCIENCE.—The following men have been pledged: Howard Brehm, Robert Keidel, William Lloyd, Paul Reynolds, William Wade, Bruce Clark, Richard Flowers, Edward Durkee, Ted Coan, Prescott Cole, Arthur Heinze, Harry Weeks, Cleveland; Wilbur Hanks, Jack Niederhauser, Canton; Jack Homan, Dayton; Richard Wenger, Bluffton; John Zintsmaster, Massillon; Donald Taylor, Elyria; Arthur Schwartz, Bay City, Mich. This fall the chapter started a tradition of having a pre-school dance for the active members and prospective pledges. The dance was held Sep-

tember 16 and was attended by all the actives and twenty-five rushers. On September 30, after the first football game, the annual pledge dance was held for active members and pledges. The chapter held a special initiation on October 3, 1939, for three men in the class of 1940: Arthur Schweitzer, two years on the varsity football and basketball teams; John Vanas, two years a varsity football and hockey player; and Donald Voss, two years a varsity football man. Actively practicing aviation are William Winslow and Bruce Todd, who have purchased an airplane. The Case football team is again studded with Phis. This year the following men are on the squad: Schweitzer, Bennett, Greenwood, Spangenberg, Eichler, Melreit, Walter, Shafer, Taylor, Vanas, Albrecht, Pomba, Konker, Greenleaf, Harley, Killian, Schabo, and Strawn.—**JACK EICHLER, Reporter.**

OHIO THETA, UNIVERSITY OF CINCINNATI.—The chapter announces the pledging of the following men: Wes Ostendorf, Gordon Bennett, James Royer, Donald Schroeter, Cliff Franklin, Hugh Oppenheimer, Carl Press, Ed Weust, Bill Herbes, and Carl Margraf, Cincinnati; Louis Van Guelpen, Dayton; Bud Watson, Chicago, Ill.; Charles Brown, W.Va.; Ted Caldwell, Oklahoma City, Okla. To the active chapter returned twenty-seven undergraduate brothers. Daum, Bohrer, O. Kelchner, and Phikeia B. Kelchner, who are varsity football men; the team will be captained by O. Kelchner. Weeter has been made president of the University Flying Club and director of the Arts Board photography workshop. Freeburg, manager of intramural sports; Hiener, captain; and Bob Dalton, football manager, are whipping a football team into shape for the coming year. The chapter house has been newly painted and refurnished.—**CHARLES R. SHULTZ, Reporter.**

OHIO IOTA, DENISON UNIVERSITY.—The year was opened with the pledging of seventeen men. Most of the Phikeias have already started in their activities and are making a good beginning. Among them, Edwards, Wheeler, Slingerland, and Lantz are members of the freshman football squad; Straith, Oxley, and Goodell have positions in the band; and Wheeler, Straith, and Trout are in the glee club. Mapes and Goodell have leads in the freshman plays. Wigle, Trout, Wheeler, Lantz, and Slingerland are active in the organization of the freshman Y.M.C.A. Phikeia Crossman has taken a place on the editorial staff of the *Denisonian*. In the active chapter we have Downs, Trautman, Bellar, and Riley on the football squad. Musal, Wheeler, and Haines are members of the glee club, with Musal the business manager for this year. Macomber holds the position of assistant editor of the *Denisonian* and McBurney and Haines are on the editorial staff. Taylor has taken his place as the art editor for the *Portfolio*. The presidency of the junior class is held by Kibby and Trautman is president of the sophomore class. During the summer many improvements were made on the house, including complete redecorating and refurnishing of the entire first floor.—**DAVID TAYLOR, Reporter.**

OKLAHOMA ALPHA, UNIVERSITY OF OKLAHOMA.—Rushing at the beginning of the year added twenty-nine Phikeias to the chapter: Allan Neil, Jack Corkle, Gordon Holland, Jerry Kemp, Garrison Munger, Robert Bass, Enid; Robert Lee, Charles Bootz, John Reiff, Gordon Smith, Wayne Stephenson, Cecil Ford, Oklahoma City; Le Roi Nelson, Jack Haberlein, McAlester; Allan Knox, Louis Bailey, Bartlesville; Tom Ryan, Delmonte Hatfield, John Teverbaugh, Ponca City;

Price Nash, William Hutchins, Norman; Harry Grimaud, Medford; William McGrew, Britton; Bruce Ramsey, D. T. Meeks, Tulsa; E. P. Litchfield, Chickasha; Henry Kisan, Wichita Falls, Tex.; Harold De Shurley, Rowell, N.M.; Jack McWilliams, Wichita, Kan. The active chapter returned to find the house completely redecorated from the basement to the third floor. This work included new Venetian blinds for the whole house, repainting in all rooms, and new beds for every room. Oklahoma Alpha came from seventh place to second in scholarship for the last semester. Helping to do this feat was Hart Wright, who made the highest grades in his class. Participants in activities included Tagge, Senate Club; Fred Thompson, $\Phi H \Sigma$, Bombardiers treasurer, Y.M.C.A., Engineers Club, P.E. Club, Student Union dance committee; Shepherd, Las Dos Americas, Bombardiers, Scabbard and Blade, President's Honor class; Reiff, $\Phi H \Sigma$, Y.M.C.A. and ΦX ; McNatt, All-Big Six basketball, ΣT , Skeleton Key, Men's Council, president "O" Club; McMurtry, Bombardiers, Senate Club, P.E. Club, Skeleton Key and, second lieutenant Officers' Reserve Corp.; Johnson, $\Phi H \Sigma$, Bombardiers, Senate Club, Engineers Club, Interfraternity Council; Lott, P. E. Club, Engineers Club and Bombardiers; Pate, A.I.M.E., P.E. Club, Engineers Club, and swimming team; Alex McCoy, Senate Club, swimming team.—**DAVID J. STONE, Reporter.**

ONTARIO ALPHA, UNIVERSITY OF TORONTO.—Talking of what the fellows do in the summer time—Murray Townsend raised tobacco and produce on a farm in Western Ontario. Jack Moore, one of the district's golf champions, whacked a ball around everywhere between here and Detroit and came back with a lot of new pictures of new girls. Page Statton didn't take a trip to California or the Maritimes but spent the time along with McGowan, Watson, Evans, Garland, and Young, in running Camp Abnek up North. When not acting as leaders to the boys at camp, they scouted for death-defying hills for Christmas holiday skiing. Rowed Greig was in England helping make fast bombers for the Bristol Aeroplane Co. and having fun zig-zagging away from submarines on the way back. Bob Welch again went out to Jasper in the Canadian Rockies and came back haggard from acting as caddy to the bad shooting of nerve frazzled big shots. Ted Hodgetts swam, sailed, fished at his cottage and between times prayed that Hitler would back down and he could get across the waters to Oxford to serve his time as Rhodes Scholar. Joe Brown in mechanical engineering worked with Canadian Westinghouse, and Bert Gillespie and Thor



OBSTACLE RACE AT TORONTO

Stephenson spent the time in mines in the Ontario North. Eric Smith, duty-bound as the current table manager, found out how meat packing plants run and where all kinds of meat came from (about which we had wondered sometimes). Bob Hannaford helped make automobile transmissions so cars could go around campus corners safely on two wheels. Johnston worked with Ontario Hydro. Nicolson directed the city playgrounds again this summer; we haven't heard exactly what Williamson did, maybe it was what Bill Butt and/or Westman did—sold tickets at the world's largest annual exhibition, the Canadian National Exhibition. Art Cole spent the summer at a cottage on Stony Lake and amused himself by having a fellow medical student prescribe diets for him and studying his reactions when conscious. George Break was a garage assistant, then went to the New York World's Fair. Someone vaguely mentioned that Ged Clawson, Varsity's champion swimmer, was up at Hudson or James Bay all summer. All have come back for the coming years at college despite the war and rushing is going along with a drive. Initiation is coming up in several weeks at camp Bolton with scenes about to recur as in previous years during the famed obstacle race by the initiates, shown in the accompanying photo.—*ROWED GREG, Reporter.*

OREGON ALPHA, UNIVERSITY OF OREGON.—Matching strides with a prevalent new Oregon spirit, Oregon Alpha reviews the pledging of eighteen freshmen. George Olson, Steve Bodner, Charles Elliot,



SMOKEY

Oregon Alpha's veteran mascot; voted "most popular dog on the campus" for two years running

Ralph Davis, Neal Baumgardner, Tom Terry, and Roy Ell comprise the first-string freshman football team. Among contributions to the varsity, Roy Dyer, sophomore, reflects possibilities of appearing in numerous all-Coast selections. Freshman basketball and baseball will be ably represented by Don Kirsch. Paul Jackson, fiery varsity basketball guard, can take tips from All-Americans Slim Wintermute and Lauren Laddie Gale of Oregon's National Champions, who are taking extra credit work at the University. Three times out of the past five years Phi has held the important intramural trophy. Hopeful of a duplica-

tion are Phi teams led by Ted Holmes, Carl Jantzen, and Kenneth Shipley. The complete pledge list follows: Neal Baumgardner, Harry Burdick, Dick Carlton, Ralph Davis, Roy Ell, Don Kirsch, George Olson, Peter Shephard, Tom Kerry, Warren Treece, Portland; Steve Bodner, Charles Elliott, Paul Johnson, Jerry Stone, Eugene; Richard Grobenhaist, Salem; Robert Watson, Oswego; Buzz Zurbrick, La Grande; Marion Cloud, Long Beach, Calif.—*RAY DICKSON, Reporter.*

OREGON BETA, OREGON STATE COLLEGE.—The fall rushing brought the chapter nineteen Phikeias: Malcolm Armstrong, Robert Dorman, Don Findley, Barney Hicks, Robert Maris, Dean Olson, Robert Plympton, Stephen Ross, Edward Saunders, Raymond Weston, Portland; Gene Archibald, Medford; Edwin Bishop, Salem; Bronson Burdick, Camp Sherman; William Garnjohst, Corvallis; William Heidrich, Sprague River; George McKinnon, Prineville; Kent White, Grants Pass; Orville Zielaskowski, St. Helens; Don Fredrickson, Hoquiam, Wash. On the varsity football team are Vic and Morrie Kohler, halfbacks; Les Copenhagen and Bud English, guards; Jim Busch and Tom Sommerville, quarterback; and Walt Jesma, tackle. Phikeias Armstrong and Zielaskowski are on the freshman squad at halfback and tackle respectively. Ralph Floberg, last year's chapter president, has taken on a bigger job this year and will head the student body as president of the Associated Students. With the intramural program getting into full swing, the chapter will be out en masse to defend the all-college intramural championship won last year.—*BILL LOWERY, Reporter.*

PENNSYLVANIA ALPHA, LAFAYETTE COLLEGE.—The opening of college this fall found Phi taking part in many campus activities. The football team, which has a promising season ahead, has Bob Sweeney and Harold Bellis alternating at quarterback, Walt Wermuth at full, Dick Sweeney at end, and affiliate Jim Farrell at half. Phelps is a junior manager. Soccer claims the attention of Co-captain Fitzpatrick, Fischer, Marthinson, Reiche, Crampton, and John Robinson. Mastin is a manager. Two returning regulars on the lightweight football outfit are Kernell and Bisset, with Roberts out as a sophomore candidate. The Phi opened the intramural season with a football win, and appear to be strong contenders for the title in both football and soccer. Fitzpatrick is a member of K.R.T. Dick Sweeney is president of the Maroon Key, with Bob Sweeney, Murphy, Fitzpatrick, Gagliardi, Bisset, Case, and Wermuth as members. The Lyre has a full quota of Phi on the business board, including Kellogg, Gagliardi, Kernell, Wilcox, and Mastin. The choir includes Fischer, Phelps, Mastin, and Reiche. Kernell is president of the interfraternity council; Bisset, president of the junior class; and Harker secretary of the sophomores. The chapter's scholastic standing for the whole year was sixth of seventeen fraternities.—*J. H. FISCHER, Reporter.*

PENNSYLVANIA BETA, GETTYSBURG COLLEGE.—As the year gets under way at Gettysburg, Pennsylvania Beta introduces fifteen pledges: Walter Kresge, Richard McCarty, Bethlehem; James Hardy, William Winterlee, Darby; Donald Kern, Slatington; Robert Shaw, Tarentum; William Martin, Gettysburg; Earl Krug, Hanover; Bruce Hoch, Brookline; William Neely, Harrisburg; Richard Hively, Redline; Braunt Hughes, Etna; Clarence Fox, Milford, N.J.; Claude Beale, Trenton, N.J.; Leonard Baker, Palmyra, N.J. Shoemaker, Levens, Bailey, Whetstone, Sohnleitner, and

Murtoff on the varsity football team. Shoemaker made the winning touchdown against both Albright and Bucknell colleges. Phikeias Winterlee, Hardy, and Fox are vying for positions on the freshman team. The soccer team is represented by Menoher, H. Mizell, F. Mizell, F. Hartman, Shelly, Conway, and Houtz; and Phikeias Hoch on the junior varsity. O'Neill and L. Mizell obtained tryouts with major league baseball teams this summer and will probably report to the spring training camps of the Athletics and the Cubs respectively.—HOWARD MIZELL, Reporter.

PENNSYLVANIA GAMMA, WASHINGTON AND JEFFERSON COLLEGE.—At the beginning of this year, Pennsylvania Gamma acquired a pledge class of twenty-five members. Emerson Jordan has transferred to the University of Oklahoma, where he has affiliated with Oklahoma Alpha, and Bob Lash is attending Northwestern University for his senior year. Reynold V. Ullom, our assistant chapter adviser here, is the new professor of accounting and also assistant to the treasurer of the college. Brother Ullom has been connected with Washington and Jefferson College for the last few years, as a part-time professor of accounting, and as soon as a vacancy arose, he was called upon to fill it. To him, we extend our best wishes and hopes for the future in his new position.—WALTER E. JORDAN, Reporter.

PENNSYLVANIA DELTA, ALLEGHENY COLLEGE.—Sixteen men compose the Phikeia class for this year: Larry McCluskey, Wallace Hanson, Walter Klingensmith, Philipp Depp, Paul Jones, Bill Pierce, Leonard Komarney, William Barner, Larry Larson, Philipp Africa, Jack Dearing, Warren Winkler, Robert Thomas, Don Henry, Ray Peterson, and Walter Klein. Even with the strong emphasis which it places on activities, we find that the chapter stood first above five other fraternities at the end of the year in scholarship. The rating was 80.68 for the year. This means that the O Δ K trophy is in our possession for another year. Edgar Wood won the extemporaneous speaking contest and brought the silver trophy to Φ Δ Θ again. This makes the third time the cup has been won by Phis. This season sees three Phis on the varsity football squad: Scarpitti, Barry, and McKnight. This is three-letter Scarpitti's fourth year of varsity work at Allegheny at right tackle. The soccer team has Way, Welday, George, Starr, and Beebe on its roster. In intramurals it is touch football season and so far, Pennsylvania Delta has to lose its first game. In preparation for the year the house was improved during the summer. Floors were refinished, rooms papered, and new furniture placed in the rooms and dormitory.—EDGAR S. WOOD, Reporter.

PENNSYLVANIA EPSILON, DICKINSON COLLEGE.—Many improvements to the house were made during the summer; the exterior has been painted, the floors sanded, refinished and stained, and a new rug has been purchased for the living room. Several minor improvements have also been made. Our new Phikeias are: George Cornish, Palmer McGee, Wilmer Lochrie, Richard Perry, Antonio Capello, James Saunders, Henry McKinnon, William Paterson, Charles Justin, Robert Davis, William Haak, James Ritter, John Harley, John Oyer, Harold McNeil, Andrew McNitt, Paul Denlinger, Paul Hassler, and Gordon Williams. Gayman has been starring on the Dickinson soccer field together with Phikeias Justin and Paterson; and several of the pledges, including McGee, Perry, and Davis, are expected to play on the frosh basketball squad. Gornuch and Copeland have been

elected to represent Pennsylvania Epsilon at the Regional Convention to be held in New York City during the early part of December. Many of the other brothers are also expected to attend. The chapter is



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proud that Brother Dean Swift, professor of English literature at Dickinson, is living at the fraternity house this year as our faculty adviser.—WILLIAM EASTMENT, Reporter.

PENNSYLVANIA DELTA, ALLEGHENY COLLEGE.—VANIA.—Chapter President Max H. Leister was elected to Sphinx senior society and to the presidency of the interfraternity council. He also plays varsity soccer. Other prominent seniors are Steve Schuyler, newly elected manager of crew, member of the varsity swimming team and the varsity boat club; Frank Barry, member of the Mask and Wig Club, the Senior Advisory board of the *Pennsylvanian*, and the business board of the *Punch Bowl*; Tony Moore, president of the Episcopal cabinet of the Christian Association, and associate editor of the *Record*; Bob Getter, manager of lacrosse and senior freshman adviser. John Davey was elected to the business board of the *Daily Pennsylvanian*. Juniors active in extra-curricular activities are Austin Milans, assistant manager of baseball, member of the business board of the *Daily Pennsylvanian*, and of the Mask and Wig Club; Karl Kurz, assistant manager of soccer, and Jerry Carson, member of the varsity football squad, of the *Punch Bowl* and *Daily Pennsylvanian* business boards. Len Warner is first string end of the varsity football team; Bob King is on the editorial board of the *Daily Pennsylvanian*. Bob Albrecht is a member of the Mask and Wig company. Bob Davern is on the editorial board of the *Record*. Hood McChord is a member of the Φ Β K junior society, assistant manager of the Mask and Wig show, and a member of the *Daily Pennsylvanian* business board. The chapter looks forward to a successful rushing season at the beginning of the second semester.—HOOD SQUIRES, Reporter.

PENNSYLVANIA ETA, LEHIGH UNIVERSITY.—The chapter ended a successful rushing season by pledging John MacMinn, Bruce Mathias, Frank Mergel, Bruce Berlin, and Ray Bashford. Phikeias Ewing, Gibson, Sutherland, Metcalf, and Fidler were initiated soon after the opening of college. The chapter is well represented in football with Bashford, Eastlake, Conover, and Collins, while Mueller and Powers

are prominent on the soccer team. MacMinn is on the freshman football team; Mathias is competing for a position on the frosh wrestling team. Whiting is junior manager of the cross-country team, and Metcalf is sophomore manager of the football team. The chapter football team has yet to be defeated, and is well on its way to another championship.—ALBERT J. COLLINS, *Reporter*.

PENNSYLVANIA THETA, PENNSYLVANIA STATE COLLEGE.—The Phi at Penn State came back in September to a remodeled chapter house. With the second and third floors completely reconditioned, and the first floor greatly improved by the addition of new furniture, the whole house has taken on a new beauty. The rushing season ended with the pledging of nineteen men. Jim Hall, Jack Quailley, and Skip Scott are on the freshman football squad. Leo Roan, runner-up in the 155-pound class in the 1939 national preparatory school wrestling championships, and Charlie Ridenour, 115-pound champion in the Pennsylvania state scholastic wrestling championships last spring, give every indication of following in the footsteps of John Henry, who captained the freshman wrestling team last year. Bob Bacon, dash man, is working out with the freshman track team. Bob Koser and John Holmes are already members of the glee club and choir, and are in the dramatic troupes. Many capable men in the pledge class are ready to fill the political shoes of Charlie Mattern, sophomore class vice-president. The other pledges are Charles Phillips, Forrest Price, George Pettigout, Lynn Kippax, Edward Steidle, Harry Jeter, Donald Davis, Charles Dimeling, Albert Dimeling, David Sharps, and William Miller. Having won the trophy for all-around intramural excellence for three out of the last five years, the chapter is getting ready to maintain its superiority.—H. EDWARD WAGNER, *Reporter*.

PENNSYLVANIA IOTA, UNIVERSITY OF PITTSBURGH.—Our chapter was extremely proud when Brother Charles Bowser, *Pitt '23*, received the position of head coach at the University. Eldon Glenn Elder was pledged before the regular rushing season. The chapter welcomed into the Bond Brothers John Neely, Albert Dunbar, and Edwin Hughes. Paul Chandler was initiated into ΣΓΕ. Hodges, our exchange stu-

dent of last year to Germany, has returned home but not without a wealth of experience from his trip. Poffenberger and Miller represent the chapter on I.-F. Council. Rae Young was placed on the appointment committee of the University. Homecoming brought a host of Phis together again to see the Pitt-Duke game.—ROBERT E. MILLER, *Reporter*.

PENNSYLVANIA KAPPA, SWARTHMORE COLLEGE.—With the largest crop of freshmen in college in many years, the brothers are working for a quality class. Bids are to be extended on October 24, after four weeks of rushing. On the football eleven are the twins, Arthur and Paul Snyder, while Hall, Ingersoll, Alexander, Darlington, and Krom constitute our contribution to the varsity soccer squad. Oliver and Langston hold up one end of the cross-country team. Custer is the chief of the press board staff for this year, while Wood is an associate editor of the *Halcyon*. Bond and Phikeia Dietz are competing for the football and soccer managerships respectively. Returning after a year abroad, studying in Paris, is Dahn Mukerji, who narrowly escaped the conflict. The brotherhood has gratefully extended its appreciation to the very active alumni organization which so kindly redecored the lodge, including recovering of the furniture with new leather and refinishing of the floor.—JOHN C. CROWLEY, *Reporter*.

RHODE ISLAND ALPHA, BROWN UNIVERSITY.—The following men graduated with the class of 1939: Larkowich, O'Connor, Hutton, Bushell, Dodge, Traver, Fraser, Barry, and Hawvermale. The chapter was well represented on the baseball diamond this season.—Lou Sigloch was first-string varsity catcher while first-base and pitcher positions on the freshman team were held by Ed Armstrong and Phikeia Harris Why-naught respectively. Andy Sinclair was elected to the Cammarian Club, student governing body. A number of brothers attended summer school sessions.—Marc Morton at Harvard, Dick Starrett and George Abraham at M.I.T., and Les Lovett at the University of Vermont. Much maintenance and repair work has been done as is usual in the summer—the most visible items are new outside paint, fire-escapes and new furniture.—MERTON C. BARSTOW, JR., *Reporter*.

TENNESSEE ALPHA, VANDERBILT UNIVERSITY.—The pledges of the chapter are Gilbert Alder, Ed Anderson, Jack McCullough, Gilbert Blake, Oscar Burris, Billy Cate, Tom Kelly Connor, Matt Dobson, Henry Holmes, Billy Hutton, Leonard Linton, Goree Nelson, Emmett O'Neal, Walter Robinson, Couperly Shands, Gray Stahlman, and Viston Taylor. Bill Kammerer and Felix Smart are playing varsity football with Phikeias Holmes, Cate, and Alder on the freshman team. Lettermen returning at Ireland, Pellett, Brown, Davis, Chapman, Trotter, Cornelius, Herring-ton, Dobbs, Bray, and Milliken. Ireland, Bray, and Brown will captain the golf, wrestling, and tennis teams respectively. Bobby Pitts will manage the *Vanderbilt Masquerader*. Brown and Milliken were tapped O A K and Brown was elected president. Robert Moore was chosen as president of T A and Brown is secretary of this organization. William Cornelius will serve as president of the junior athletic association. Supper dances, hay-rides, and a big house dance are on the social calendar for the fall term. Tennessee Alpha is very proud of its scholastic standing for the last year, having ranked second among fifteen fraternities.—CHARLES B. BRAY, *Reporter*.

TENNESSEE BETA, UNIVERSITY OF THE SOUTH.—The chapter starts this year with sixteen Phikeias:



PITT CHAPTER'S TROPHIES



LETTERMEN AND PHIKEIAS OF THE VANDERBILT CHAPTER

Edward Davidson, Arthur Major, Birmingham, Ala.; David Lockhart, Jacksonville, Fla.; Robert Marshburn, Miami, Fla.; Terrell Patterson, Benoit, Miss.; Samuel Scales, Starkville, Miss.; Frank Greer, Shreveport, La.; Claude Cunningham, John Mayfield, Corsicana, Tex.; Sperry Lee, John Shelton, Dallas, Tex.; John Youchem, San Antonio, Tex.; Jack Wetzel, Springfield, Mo.; James Williams, Kansas City, Kan.; Paul Deemer, Bowling Green, Ky.; Fred Butts, Newton, Mass. Walker Tynes of Texas Delta, and John Longnecker and Charlie Brown of Tennessee Beta are our welcomed additions to the chapter. Upon returning to the Mountain we found that Brothers Juhon and Torian had had the house repaired and the living room painted. We also found a new radio which was much needed. Gillespie and Thomas represent the Phis on the varsity football team, while Phikeia Patterson is on the frosh team. Clendon Lee is the editor of the *Cap and Gown*.—FLOYD G. MILLER, JR., Reporter.

TEXAS BETA, UNIVERSITY OF TEXAS.—Texas Beta very successfully completed their annual round-up with a real wild west barbecue and eleven "rarin' to go" yearlings. Brands are as follows: John Seay, Grady Jordan, Fred Gannon, Webster Bishop, Julian LaRoche, Hugh Munnell, Dallas; Rennie Baker, David Park, Wallace Pratt, Houston; Horace Williams, Waco; Buck Wynne, Wills Point. The house was completely refurbished this past summer through the efforts of Housemanagers Junius Morrill and Fred Scott. Modern up-to-date circular couches and leather-top bridge tables replaced the drab furniture of an earlier year. Many of the rooms have new rugs. Manager Bill Lang is carefully selecting an intramural football team. Aspirants for the team undergo a rigorous workout each afternoon in preparation for the coming games. Chorister Baine Kerr plans to enter the fraternity in the Sing-Song for the first time in a number of years. Stanley Neely, end on the Texas football team, turned in a wonderful game against Wisconsin at Madison. Neely alone was responsible for a number of the points made. Russell Leonard has been appointed to the interfraternity council. Tom Morrill was initiated upon his return from Mobile, Ala. Will C. Perry is a candidate from the Law School for Assemblyman. Texas Beta affiliated Chester Kilpatrick of Tennessee Beta, Andy Andeck of Iowa Gamma, and Talbot Rain of Texas Delta. This chapter is planning a real Phi reunion. Alumni of the pre-war chapter are going to be invited to spend a weekend in the house. The chapter is going to purchase tickets to a football game for the alumni and turn the house over to them to enjoy as they may see fit.—JOE DEALLEY, Reporter.

TEXAS GAMMA, SOUTHWESTERN UNIVERSITY.—The return of a large number of actives gives the chapter its strongest membership in several years. Sneed and Rentfro were elected to the Senate, the student governing body. Other members were elected to high offices in the various classes. Ingram is playing his third year on the team as first string tackle. Plans for Homecoming are being made and work has commenced on a boat with which the chapter hopes to win another cup. The following men pledged to Texas Gamma this fall: Abe Rhodes, Rodney Meyer, John Cluck, Georgetown; Gene Burruss, Beaumont; Philip Gray, Palestine; Thomas Anderson, Greggtown; Julian Pitts, Conroe; Samuel Tyson, Cameron; Gordon McLeod, Happy; Gillis Conoley, Taylor; William Nash, San Antonio; Michael Stone, Houston.—ROV H. BLAND, Reporter.

TEXAS DELTA, SOUTHERN METHODIST UNIVERSITY.—After a successful rush season Texas Delta proudly listed its Phikeias: Cedric Burgher, William Crook, Rodney Derby, Edward Bearden, Webb DuBose, Charles Crowe, James Smith, Fred Thomas, Durrill Padgett, Charles Snyder, Norman Germany, Walter Hansen, Dallas; Carl Everett, Elmo Edwards, Tyler; Spencer Carver, Hillsboro; Orville Johnston, Corsicana; Robert Eubanks, Little Rock, Ark.; James Pattie, Kansas City, Mo.; Roger Hicks, St. Joseph, Mo.; Robert Orchard, Maplewood, N.J. Alumni members who visited the chapter during the rush season included Brothers James Collins, Bob Naylor, Ed Zimmermann, Bentley Young, Tom Carpenter, and Phil Wagley. The chapter is indebted to these and many other alumni who have given their time and assistance to the active members in making the Phis the best on the hill. The first intramural sport was football and the Phis began winning their games from the first. In varsity football, Preston Johnston is on the starting team, and Charles McGaffey and Grady St. Clair are on the travelling squad. All these men are sophomores and will bear watching during the season. Some of the men who graduated last June are taking graduate courses elsewhere, and the chapter wishes them the best of luck in their work. John Nabholz received a graduate fellowship to the University of Denver, Carr Collins is at Harvard, and Dwight Dill is starting his work in medicine at Johns Hopkins. With most of the actives returning and with such good material in the pledge class, Texas Delta looks forward to a good year.—CHARLES GALVIN, Reporter.

UTAH ALPHA, UNIVERSITY OF UTAH.—Wendell Jones was elected senior class president. Fred Kaul is vice-president of the interfraternity council. Phis were largely instrumental in the publication of a new inter-

fraternity pamphlet, which received very favorable comment throughout the campus. In football, $\Phi\Delta\Theta$ is assured of a very favorable representation, with two men, Fred Kaul and Tom Pace, definitely on the first-string, and others certain to see a great deal of action, if not gracing the starting line-up. Utah Alpha had a banner year in intramural sports, winning cups in three activities, wrestling, horseshoes, and free-throw, and placing a close third in the mass competition. Two parties were held during the summer: a dancing party at Pinecrest Inn, and a stag dinner at the University club. Many alumni came to the dinner, as well as a few prospective rushees.—**GEORGE DENTON, Reporter.**

VERMONT ALPHA, UNIVERSITY OF VERMONT.—The year opened with a visit from Province President Hugh Crombie. His presence was an inspiration to all the brothers. A touch football team for interfraternity competition was organized with Pignona as coach. John Spasyk and Fred Logan, recent initiates, were chosen as members of the sophomore honor organization, Gold Key. Ramsdell is assistant manager of football. Flynn and Spasyk are valuable men on the University football team. Gasperini is now a member of Boulder, senior honor society. Middleworth, one of four Phis taking advanced military, is chairman of the committee for the military ball. Thirteen pledges: John McGarry, Proctor; William Benoit, New London, Conn.; Wilford Johnson, William Murray, Bridgeport, Conn.; Fred Bundy, Richard Condrick, Brocton, Mass.; Robert Curtis, Newton, Mass.; Richard Gilbert, Wakefield, Mass.; John Williams, Northampton; Warren Nestler, New Rochelle, N.Y.; John O'Brien, Poughkeepsie, N.Y.; Calvin Dennis, Bert Mott, Morristown, N.J.—**CLARK G. MILLER, Reporter.**

VIRGINIA GAMMA, RANDOLPH-MACON COLLEGE.—For the eighth consecutive year Virginia Gamma has led all other fraternities in scholarship at Randolph-Macon. Reeves and Balthis led the junior class, while Smithey and Winston placed high among the sophomores. Rushing this year was carried on in cut-throat style. Several rushing parties were given for the freshmen in our new house, and we issued successful bids to three freshmen and five upper classmen: Thaddeus Murray, Norfolk; Joseph T. Logan, Harrisonburg; Hugh F. Stephens, Staunton; Donald L. Loving, Louisa; James McCormick, Clifton Forge; Isidor Kovar, Ford City, Pa.; Charles Shrader, Franklin Shrader, Martinsburg, W.Va. Virginia Gamma now has possession of the new volleyball pennant, the football trophy, and several scholarship cups. Reeves, Balthis, and Winston are student instructors in biology, physics, and chemistry respectively. Miller, McDowell, and Ray are members of the varsity football squad; Smithey and Winston are members of the Y.M.C.A. cabinet; Price is secretary-treasurer of the Junior class; Thomas is a member of the *Weekly* staff; Tatem is a member of the dramatic club; Smithey, Reeves, and Winston are members of the glee club; and Balthis and Phelps are members of $\Sigma\beta\Phi$ scientific society. Of our graduates of last year, Lyle McFall, Vernon Forehand, and Barham Hunnicutt are now on their first jobs and reports indicate that they are all doing well. Sanders is going to law school and Bootey is studying at Columbia.—**J. DOUGLAS STARRETT, Reporter.**

VIRGINIA DELTA, UNIVERSITY OF RICHMOND.—Restored Virginia Delta has just completed a very successful rushing season by pledging nine men to the chapter in its first campaign as a chapter of $\Phi\Delta\Theta$. Coming from varied sections of Virginia and vicinity, they make up a well-rounded band of Phikeias. At a recent pledge banquet at the Country Club of Virginia

we were honored by the presence of Robert H. Morrison, son of Founder Morrison. We are happy to have Brother Morrison for our chapter adviser. Eddie Bragg, recently re-elected chapter president, is doing well in the fullback position of our great Spider team this year, and is on his way to his third varsity letter. On the freshman team, Phikeia Steve Blount from Washington, D.C., is always found in the starting line-up. Virginia Delta will hold its annual formal fall dance on Thanksgiving night, November 23, this year, after the big game between Richmond and William and Mary. All fraternities on campus will be invited and we shall heartily welcome any Phis in and around Richmond who can join us at Millhiser Gym that night.—**HAROLD C. OWENS, Reporter.**

VIRGINIA ZETA, WASHINGTON AND LEE UNIVERSITY.—The new college year was opened by a successful rush week. Nine Phikeias were added to the Washington and Lee chapter: Robert Garges, Phillip Sellers, Robert Neal, James Hamilton, Fred Miller, Bates Bryan, Guthrie McCullough, Witcher McCullough, and Jack McMillan. Phikeias on the business staff of the *Calyx* are Miller, Sellers, Bryan, Garges, and McMillan. Phikeias on the business staff of the *Troubadours* are Bryan, Garges and Miller. Foltz is executive committeeman from the law school and Herb Garges is the newly elected president of the interfraternity council. We are very proud of our three representatives on the football squad—Didier, Gillespie, and Baker. W. O. Shropshire is circulation manager of the *Ring Tum Phi*. Dick Day is business manager of the *Troubadours* and is assistant manager of the *Calyx*. Brad Dunson is assistant manager of the *Troubadours*. Ihornton Strang is assistant business manager of the *Calyx*. Paul Thomas is the leader of the school orchestra. Dunson and Esterburg are in the glee club. Didier won the annual award for raising his scholastic average the greatest number of points. We are proud to announce the affiliation of three transfer Phis, T. C. Bufford from Mississippi Alpha, Tom Brienzindine from Tennessee Alpha, and Jack Esterburg from Illinois Delta-Zeta.—**H. K. GARGES, Reporter.**

WASHINGTON ALPHA, UNIVERSITY OF WASHINGTON.—On the Washington Huskies, the chapter is represented by quarterbacks Bill Gleason and Ted Dorman. Dorman is following the footsteps of his father who played football at Washington. Bob Calland is senior manager of the football squad while Keith Shortall is one of the four junior managers. Calland is also president of the Oval Club, Phikeia Bob VanDrew is playing end on the frosh football squad. Crew workouts are well under way with Don Thompson and Norman Milbank, two-year veterans, showing as outstanding varsity men. Phikeias Ernest Jacobs and Webb Brown, all-state basketball men are awaiting basketball season. Paul Sevea and Carl Neu are varsity ski team members and placed high in Coast and Northwest ski competition. Ty Hull, member of the class of '39, was initiated into $\Phi\beta\kappa$. Hull is this year attending Harvard Law School. The following men were pledged during 1939 rushing: Samuel Brace, Archie Gilbert, Robert Glasyer, Carl Klopfenstein, John Lichtenwaler, Campbell McCullough, Patrick McGinnis, Paul Pederson, Dixon Shively, Jack Sheedy, Robert Van Druff, Seattle; Robert Behnke, Richard Longbottom, Roger Williams, Yakima; William Cunningham, Robert Paisley, Spokane; Merrill Haagen, Lad Magars, Ellensburg; Eugene Cochran, Walla Walla; Webb Brown, Everett; Les Endicott, Colfax; Ernest Jacobs, Blaine; Victor Roeder, Bellingham.—**SAM BAKER, Reporter.**

WASHINGTON BETA, WHITMAN COLLEGE.—The Phi at Whitman pledged thirty-five men: Gordon Frear, Clifford Kiel, Harold Anderson, Sherwood Palmer, Philip Harvey, Ed Davis, Bob Devine, Bruce Shaffer, Bob Adams, James Benedict, Mason Carlson, Dan Collins, Al Elkins, Wesley Gatewood, Ken Ghormley, Everett Hart, Joe Hughes, David Judd, Ed Lowery, Bruce McIntyre, William Noser, Phil Platt, Harlan Somerville, George Hershman, Ken Husby, Henry Hill, Gene Swant, Dick Saunders, Harold Piper, Don Plaquet, Bob Rhay, Bob Kirkman, Homer Stewart, Dave Johnson, and Harold Prince. The chapter was awarded the scholarship trophy for last semester. Phikeia James Benedict was elected secretary of the freshman class. The intramural trophy now rests upon our mantel for the second successive year. Intramural skins won were tennis, ping pong, swimming, and softball. The Phi softball team, over a two year period, has won the amazing total of eighteen successive victories. Dambacher, number one man on the varsity tennis team, won the Baker cup, symbolic of the outstanding tennis player in college. Eleven Phi and Phikeias are now turning out for the football team. A Phi is a team captain in each of the five major sports: Price, football; Gentry, basketball; Shaw, baseball; Turner, track; Dambacher, tennis. Miller heads the *Pioneer*, Dambacher is editor of *Yeast*, college literary magazine; and Young, chapter president, and Benedict, bid fair to be the number one team on the college debate squad. Dusenbery was elected student body president for the year 1939-40.—ROBERT McMULLEN, Reporter.

WASHINGTON GAMMA, WASHINGTON STATE COLLEGE.—The twenty-six pledges of Washington Gamma started the year off by entertaining the returning Phis at the annual pledge dance at the chapter house. Intramural sports are under way with wins in football, largely due to the all-star members of last year's team. Sewell, Godfrey, Mahr, and Beckman are varsity men in football, while Brannigan, McKnight, and R. Olson are working for the frosh. Bud Olson, one of the high scorers in the conference, Gentry, Mahnkey, and Gebert will represent the Phi in basketball. All are letter winners except Gebert who was last year's freshman captain and high scorer. Porter, Cole, Copeland, and Conrard received appointments in advanced R.O.T.C., Porter also being named senior manager of intramural sports. Aya has been named chairman of the Dads Weekend committee. The scholastic average of Washington Gamma jumped several notches above its position of the preceding semester, having a group average considerably higher than the grade average for all men in college. During the summer the house underwent internal and external revamping and new furnishing.—ROBERT GEBERT, Reporter.

WEST VIRGINIA ALPHA, WEST VIRGINIA UNIVERSITY.—The members of West Virginia Alpha are living in a new chapter house this year and also welcome the coming of Mrs. F. K. Robinson, of Chicago, as house-mother. At the completion of rush week the following men were pledged: Don Adams, John Smith, Thomas Rodgers, Moundsville; Michael Cox, Don Nightengale, Edgar Kinople, Wheeling; Vaughn Ash, Jules Powell, William Jamison, Harrisville; Bud Smith, Parkers Hank, Morgantown; Fred Dunning, Fairmount; William Bartlett, St. Albans; William Steed, Charleston; William Jamison, Harrisville; Bud Smith, Parkersburg; Joseph Rodgers, Buckley. Brothers Hicks, Pleni, and Swager were initiated on October 14. Hicks was active on last year's freshman basketball team and Swager is a member of the R.O.T.C. band. DeWitt,

Jones Ashworth, and Ringer are earning their commissions in advanced military. Nuzum is the business editor of the campus newspaper and Klett is manager of the varsity track team. Advanced basketball practice finds Ruch in a varsity berth and White as assistant manager of the squad. Byrum, C. Cox, and H. Klebe are members of Sphinx. When Brother Gerlach of General Headquarters visited the chapter on October 21 and 22, he found two welcome additions to the house: the Wilford Plaque has been placed in the vestibule and the George Harris Healey Cup, won in the interfraternity sing, occupies a place upon the mantel. Another welcome guest of the chapter was Brother John J. Lincoln, president of the state Alumni Association.—WILLIAM Y. KLETT, Reporter.

WISCONSIN ALPHA, UNIVERSITY OF WISCONSIN.—The chapter starts the year with eight new pledges. We are inaugurating the pledge-father system, in an effort to raise scholastic averages of the pledges. For-



VERSATILE MAN AT WISCONSIN
Burtleigh Jacobs excels in many fields

mal pledging ceremony September 27 brought Dan Christiansen, William Conkel, Doug De Vos, Ben Jones, Dick Oberly, Bud McHugh, William Young, and Verdane John into the pledge class, swelling their number to seventeen. With these new men we are hoping to retain the $\Phi H \Sigma$ cup won last year. The chapter won the Badger Bowl last spring, given for all-campus supremacy in intramural athletics. The teams are again shaping up well, the football team having won its first two games. Jacobs, who won the state amateur golf championship this summer, won numerals in basketball and golf, was elected president of $\Phi H \Sigma$, is a member of Cardinal Key, is sports editor of the *Badger*. Wright is advertising manager of the *Badger*. Pfeif is in Iron Cross. V. John is slated to take over the heavyweight boxing assignment for Wisconsin this year. Rydell won a varsity crew letter last spring. Jackson won numerals in freshman crew. Phikeias Hevener and Young are members of the freshman track and boxing squads respectively. Ellingson is chief usher of all athletic functions in the university. Velde is a member of the Badger board of control, and Kaiser belongs to Tumas—political fraternity. H. deHartog, and Dietrich are members of $\Delta \Phi E$. Basketball managers are Gunz, varsity; Malone, freshman; Oberly, freshman. Nelson is on the varsity basketball squad. Wurtz, artist of the *Octopus*, has decorated our recreation room with murals.—JAMES MOSES, Reporter.

WISCONSIN BETA, LAWRENCE COLLEGE.—A successful rushing season was concluded this year with the pledging of twenty men: Warren Buesing, James Chapelle, Thomas Driscoll, Richard Elias, Jack Lally, James Miller, Appleton; John Bergstrom, Neenah;



WYOMING ALPHA'S CHAMPIONS IN ACTION

William Crossett, Racine; Benjamin Ewers, Edgerton; Orlando Holway, Hudson; Philip Harvey, Milwaukee; Roland Noble, Green Bay; Loren Smith, Madison; William Hogue, Shorewood; John Brunell, Houghton, Mich.; Henry Allen, James Wright, Chicago, Ill.; Keith Cramer, Glen Ellyn, Ill.; John Maxwell, Oregon, Ill.; Robert Schneff, Elgin, Ill. Formal pledging took place at the annual Phikeia Day banquet on September 25 at Riverview Country Club with Brother John Wilterding, president of Lambda Province, acting as toastmaster. Also repledged were Phikeias Spalding,

Oliver, and Siekman of last year's class. The Phis are well represented in football with ten men on the squad: Co-Captains Buesing and Garvey, Lingel, Everett, Florin, Kirchoff, Bachman, Schuman, and Phikeias Spalding and Oliver. On the fall track squad are Sattizahn, Calkins, Donahue, and Miller. Garman and Noonan successfully defended the interfraternity golf championship won last year by Noonan and Wood. The Phis are also well represented on the A Cappella choir by Arndt, Gmeiner, Donahue, Digman, Fisk, Garman, Florin, Everett, Morton, and Phikeia Hogue. —RAY MILLER, Reporter.

WYOMING ALPHA, UNIVERSITY OF WYOMING.—At the close of rushing, Wyoming Alpha issued sixteen bids and pledged those sixteen freshmen. These new pledges immediately began to pay dividends.—A. G. Noel was elected president of the freshman class and Homer Grooman was chosen as one of five cheerleaders. Shotts, sophomore, was also chosen a cheerleader. All-conference Winterholler is now a member of the University coaching staff. McGee is playing first-string guard on the varsity with Wentworth and Noel out for frosh football. Smith is editor of the *Branding Iron* and Carollo is A.S.U.W. student manager. Black, Richardson, and Carollo are members of the Student Senate. Thoeming is captain, and Winterholler, lieutenant, of Scabbard and Blade and of the sixty-six first year advanced military men eleven are members of Wyoming Alpha. Out of the five all-conference men at Wyoming last year four were Phis: Merl Smith, wrestling; Winterholler, football; Winterholler, baseball; and Hatfield, swimming. The chapter placed second in the interfraternity scholarship race and was co-winner of the intramural plaque for 1938-39. In the intramurals Clare won golf, Gorrell and Hill took the horseshoe tourney, and Blue and White athletes won first in track and hockey. Waller is captain of the University polo team.—CHARLES SMITH, Reporter.

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FERDINAND AUGUST GEIGER, *Wisconsin '88*, retired United States District Judge, died July 31, 1939, at Milwaukee, Wis., aged 71. He retired from the bench the preceding May because of ill health. He was buried at Cassville, Wis.

Judge Geiger, the son of German-born parents, was born in Cassville, October 15, 1867. He attended the district school at Cassville and went to Madison high school for his preparatory work prior to entering the University of Wisconsin in the science course in 1884. He was graduated in 1888 and two years later from the law school.

In his senior year he occupied what was looked upon as one of the most enviable positions open to undergraduates, that of closing speaker at the joint debate between Athena and Hesperia. He belonged to Athena. Another honor that came to him was that of senior class speaker at the commencement exercises. He is remembered by his fellow-graduates as a splendid scholar.

While studying law he worked in the law offices of John M. Olin. After his graduation and admission to the bar he moved to Milwaukee and continued in practice there until his appointment to the bench in 1912.

His two sons are Phis: George Geiger, *Wisconsin '22*, and Ferdinand Geiger, Jr., *Wisconsin '30*.

In an editorial the day following his death the *Milwaukee Journal* said, in part:

"Judge Geiger made the courtroom a place where reason and order prevailed instead of emotion and disorder. He avoided all show and publicity himself and he made attorneys conform to the same standards. The prosecution or the defense had to convince him by the logic of a true position in order to win. He probably prevented as many cases from being decided on side issues—a thing that happens all too often in too many courts—as any judge who ever sat on the bench. He was everlastingly tugging away to get at the main point and nobody could lead him very far from it.

"Judge Geiger, when he mounted the federal bench in 1912 after an illustrious career as a lawyer, left behind him the usual contacts of the ordinary citizen. He sensed that a judge is a man set apart. And he conformed to that standard. The result was that he set an example which has become a legacy for justice. Men may differ as to his opinions, his interpretations of the law, his conception of social principles in a rapidly changing world, but no one will ever say that he was not an upright and just judge as he saw justice.

"Our courts are better, stronger, more respected because of his life."

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DR. WILLIAM BATTLE MALONE [*Vanderbilt '96*], died September 4, 1939, at Memphis, Tenn., where he had practiced medicine for nearly forty years.

For his services overseas as a major in the Army Medical Corps during the World War he received the Congressional Distinguished Service Medal and later was awarded the Cross of Military Service by Sarah Law Chapter, United Daughters of the Confederacy.

Dr. Malone began his medical career in 1899 after graduation from the old Memphis Hospital Medical College, now the University of Tennessee College of Medicine.

He was the son of William Battle and Ella Kate Barbee Malone. He attended Webb's College, Bell Buckle, Tenn., and entered Vanderbilt University, from which he was graduated cum laude in 1896. While at Vanderbilt he was a quarterback on one of the school's first football teams.

The death of kindly, thoroughly competent, Dr. Battle Malone is a grievous blow to the medical fraternity of the South and to the thousands to whom he ministered.

He represented all that was ethical in the profession. Socially, he was a delightful companion. He belonged to an old and chivalric school of medical and surgical practitioners and it was but natural that he should be greatly loved.

Before the grave of such a man not only a profession but a community will stand in spiritual tribute.—*Memphis Commercial Appeal*.

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WILLIAM EVERARD HAMILTON SEARCY, JR. [*Emory '92*], one of Georgia's most prominent jurists died unexpectedly May 5 at his residence in Griffin, Ga. He had presided over the Flint (now the Griffin) Circuit of Superior Court since 1915. Judge Searcy began the practice of law in Griffin in 1893, became city attorney in 1899 and served in that capacity until 1915. He was clerk to the Spalding County commissioners from 1907 to 1915 and referee in bankruptcy for the northern district of Georgia from 1908 to 1915. He was judge of the Flint Circuit, Superior Court from 1915 to 1923, when the Griffin Circuit was created. He was superintendent of the Sunday school of Searcy Memorial Methodist Church, named in honor of his father. Judge Searcy is survived by his wife, three sons, and two daughters.—*Emory Alumnus*.

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HARRY HAROLD REEVES, *Idaho '08*, of Calipatria, Calif., died June 7, 1939, at Los Angeles.

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ALFRED H. WHEELER, *Vermont '83*, died at Colchester, Vt., August 1, 1939. He was born in Fairfax, Vt., November 8, 1858. He was one of the charter members of Vermont Alpha of $\Phi\Delta\Theta$. The Fraternity had had a very warm place in his affections for sixty years. He was always



ALFRED H. WHEELER, *Vermont '83*

happy when he could meet with the boys of Vermont Alpha and renew his acquaintance with the Phis of his day. The boys of the active chapter were eager listeners when he told of the founding of the chapter and of its early years.

He graduated from the General Theological Seminary, New York City, in 1890, and was ordained a priest at St. Paul's Episcopal Church, in Burlington, on Trinity Sunday, 1890.

His pastorates were Richford and Island Pond, Vt., 1891-93; Chehalis, Wash., 1893-98; St. James Episcopal Church, Keene, N.H., 1899-1906; Pittston, Pa., 1906-07; Christ's Church, Providence, R.I., 1907 until he retired in 1929.

He is survived by a brother, Hon. Heman H. Wheeler, of South Burlington, a half-brother, Almon C. Wheeler, *Vermont '95*, of Larkspur, Calif., and several nephews, among them Charles H. Wheeler, *Vermont '03*, of Haydenville, Mass.

Funeral services were held at St. Paul's Church, Burlington, on August 3, the Rt. Rev. Vedder Van Dyck, bishop of Vermont, and the Rev. John Henry Hopkins, a classmate at Vermont, officiating. Vermont Alpha was represented by Harold M. Dean, '90, of Providence; Thomas C. Cheney, '91, of Morrisville; Edmund C. Mower, '92; and Kenneth H. Gurney, '27, of Burlington. —THOMAS C. CHENEY.

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GEORGE WASHINGTON MARTIN [*Wabash '87*], nationally known biologist, died at Crawfordsville, Ind., August 29, 1939.

Professor Martin during his lifetime held many important college posts.

The deceased was born at Lagro, Ind., January 23, 1867, the son of Abner and Eliza Schlotterback Martin. He attended Valparaiso and Butler and later graduated from Wabash with the class of 1887, with a Bachelor of Science degree. Later he was a graduate student and instructor at Indiana University, where he received his Ph.D. He also attended Cornell as a graduate student in 1902.

Professor Martin's early teaching was in high schools at Bluffton, Monticello, and Shortridge of Indianapolis. Later he was professor of biology at Butler University, Vanderbilt, Monmouth College, and Washington and Jefferson. From 1901 to 1906 he was state entomologist and plant pathologist for the state of Tennessee and from 1918 to 1925 he served as special plant pathologist for the Bureau of Plant Industry, U. S. Department of Agriculture. He was the author of several books and many special articles on biological subjects.

He held memberships in the State Academy of Science in Indiana, Tennessee, Illinois, and Pennsylvania, and various other state and national scientific bodies.—*Crawfordsville Journal-Review*.

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CHARLES SMITH BILYEU, *Pennsylvania '07*, died in New York City in July as the result of an automobile accident. Brother Bilyeu was fifty-three years of age, a native of Germantown, Pa. He was a very active and very popular member of the Phi Delta Theta Club of New York, and news of his death is a shock in Phi circles. Brother Bilyeu was principal valuation engineer of the Public Service Commission of the State of New York. He resided at the Shelton Hotel. From his graduation with B.S. in civil engineering at the University of Pennsylvania in 1907 until 1915 he was field representative for the American Bridge Company on several large projects. From 1915 to 1922 he was with Geulick, Henderson Co. of New York engaged in electric railway and power company work, and became manager and assistant to the president. From 1922 to 1931, Brother Bilyeu was assistant construction manager in the valuation department of the firm of Sanderson and Porter in New York. In 1931 he went to Chicago for R. W. Hunt and Co. as manager of the Structural Materials Department. In 1934 he returned to New York and accepted the bid of the New York State Public Service Commission. He was placed in charge of the evaluation aspect of the Yonkers Electric Light and Power Co. case, and, as a result of his successful work there, was made principal valuation engineer.

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HARLOW McMILLEN, *Union '87*, died June 7, 1939, in Staten Island Hospital, Tompkinsville, N.Y. He was born October 1, 1862, at Seneca Falls, the son of Loring and Mariam Smith McMillen. His preparatory training was received at Mynderse Academy, Seneca Falls; and he entered *Union* in 1883 in the Latin Scientific Course. He was graduated in 1887 with the degree of Bachelor of Arts. Brother McMillen then went to Grand Rapids, Mich., to study law in his uncle's office; but in 1889 he was teaching at Hamilton, Mich., and soon after returned to the East and taught in Westerleigh Collegiate Institute. In 1899 he joined the staff of Tottenville High School, later he went to Curtis High School, and in 1932 retired as teacher of science at Port Richmond High School where he had taught for eight years.

He had constantly interested himself in the civic matters of Staten Island and had been the leader of the Prohibition party there. He was also deeply interested in the New York Teachers Relief Association and has served as its president. Brother McMillen was a member of the Physics Club, Chemistry Teachers Club, Philomathean as an undergraduate.

In 1900 he married Elizabeth M. Boyce, who survives him, with their children: Mrs. Mary Patch, Mrs. Olive Chiera, Boyce McMillen, LORING McMILLEN, *Union '28*, and FOSTER McMILLEN, *Union '32*.

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JAMES GUYTON PARKS, JR. *Emory '01*, Atlanta attorney, insurance executive, and religious leader, died March 28, 1939, in a local hospital. He was a member of the Emory University Alumni council. After graduation from Emory, Mr. Parks attended Mercer University, from which he received the LL.B. degree in 1903. He practiced law in Macon, Ga., for a number of years, and was a former claim examiner for the Georgia Casualty Company and division counsel for the Georgia Southern and Florida Railway Company, in Macon. For the past fifteen years he was insurance adjuster for the Otis A. Murphy Company, Atlanta. He was a steward in St. Mark's Methodist Church. He is survived by his widow, a daughter, and two sons. [He was a brother of Warren B. Parks, *Emory '04*, Orlando, Fla., attorney. His father, the late James Guyton Parks, was a member of Georgia Alpha class of '74, and his son James Guyton Parks III, of Georgia Delta, class of '37]—*Emory Alumnus*.

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WALTER BICKEL [*Gettysburg '02*], of the class of 1902, died February 21, 1939, at Pittsburgh, Pa. Mr. Bickel had been ill for some time prior to his death. Prior to his retirement in 1921, Mr. Bickel was engaged in the architectural business. He resided at 1325 Inverness St., Pittsburgh.—*Gettysburg College Bulletin*.

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HOMER CHANDLER LADD [*Dartmouth '01*], one of Barre's best known and most respected merchants, died suddenly August 14, 1939, at his home at Barre, Vt.

Homer Ladd was born at Sharon on February 20, 1874, the son of Chandler and Caroline



HOMER CHANDLER LADD, *Dartmouth '01*

(Day) Ladd. As a youth he attended Randolph high school and St. Johnsbury academy. Coming to Barre about 1897 with his father and with a brother, the late F. D. Ladd, he took up employment in the F. D. Ladd store which his brother purchased here. Later he attended Dartmouth college and then returned to Barre and took up regular employment in the store.

Few men have been more closely identified with the affairs of Barre than Homer C. Ladd. Ever since he came to the city to become associated with his brother, Fred D. Ladd, in the mercantile business forty years ago, he had been interested in municipal, civic, fraternal, church, and business affairs of the community. If there was a community enterprise which promised to bring good to the community, he generally was found backing the project, not only financially but also with his moral support and with his fine judgment. He was a man whose opinion was relied upon by his associates to a marked degree, for that opinion was based on keen discernment and a comprehensive experience. Thus it turned out that his services were often called on in furtherance of various enterprises; and Mr. Ladd gave conscientious service in the various capacities to which he was called. He might well have been characterized as one of Barre's stalwarts, for such he was.—*Barre Times*.

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CASSIUS SHELDON CONRAD, *Illinois '40*, and HARRY REED PENDARVIS, JR., *Illinois '41*—The last exams were over, plans for vacations had been made, the senior ball was history, and farewells were said; all this happened the first week of June before fate struck a hard blow at Illinois Eta



CASSIUS SHELDON CONRAD, *Illinois '40* AND HARRY REED PENDARVIS, *Illinois '41*

in the tragic death of two actives, Cash Conrad, '40, and Harry Pendarvis, '41, on the eighth of June at Arthur's Point, Minn.

The two boys were guests of Emmerson Ward, one of the co-valedictorians of the class of '39 and former chapter president, at the Ward summer home. Cash and Harry left the pier one morning in a sailboat, and were never seen alive again. Their boat was found capsized, apparently overturned by a sudden squall on the lonely lake.

Cash was the son of a Phi, CASSIUS B. CONRAD, '13, and was born twenty-one years ago and reared in Sycamore, Ill. He knew everyone, old and young alike, in his home town, and was liked by all who knew him. He always had a friendly greeting for his friends, and that big natural smile of his made strangers feel at home in his company. His high school record was one to be proud of; not only did he excel in his studies but he established himself as a leader in all sports, football and track being his favorites. He continued his activity record at the University by participating in varsity football, and he was chosen as editor-to-be of the *Champaign Shout*. Too, on the campus Cash was the same likeable fellow; everyone knowing him as "Cueball."

Harry was the son of Mr. and Mrs. H. R. Pendarvis of River Forest, Ill. He was born in Oak Park, Ill., in 1920. Harry spent his high school career at Webster Groves, Mo., where he excelled in football and basketball. Harry continued his athletics at the University in freshman football and intramural sports. Also he had as an outside curriculum activity a job as sophomore polo manager. Like Cash, Harry

was liked by his fellow-classmates and was a well-known figure on campus. Members of the chapter and its alumni attended the funerals of the two in a body. We, the members of Illinois Eta active chapter, bid these Brother Phis farewell; we feel that no finer Phi will ever be initiated into our Brotherhood. Their friendship shall ever be fresh in our memories.

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JOSEPH NEELY POWERS [*Southern '91*], aged 72, former Chancellor of the University, died at his home in Jackson October 4, 1939, after a long illness. Mr. Powers, who was a native of Alabama, had spent the greater part of his life in Mississippi.

Before coming to the University as Chancellor in 1914 he had served as State Superintendent of Education since 1907 and had been a leader in the field of education in Mississippi for many years prior to that date. He held the post as Chancellor at two periods in the history of the University, 1914-24 and 1930-33.

During Chancellor Powers' administration the University experienced a period of growth in the size of the student body and an expansion in the physical plant, as well as a corresponding increase in its faculty.

He is survived by his widow, a daughter, Mrs. Donald Duke of Jackson, and a son, NEELY POWERS [*Mississippi '10*], of Elyria, Ohio. He was buried in Lakewood Memorial Park in Jackson.

A special faculty committee was sent to Jackson by Chancellor Butts as the official representatives of the University at his funeral. Members of the present faculty and staff who had served under Chancellor Powers acted as honorary pall bearers.—*Ole Miss Alumni News*.

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CLARE WHARTON WOOLWINE [*Stanford '11*], former state assemblyman and chief deputy district attorney, died at his home in Los Angeles, October 4, 1939.

Born in Nashville, Tenn., September 1, 1889, Woolwine was graduated from Stanford University and the University of Southern California Law School. He practiced law until America entered the World War, when he enlisted and served in France.

Returning, he resumed law practice with Jerry Giesler for eight years, also being associated with the present Federal Judge Leon R. Yankwich, Peirson Hall, and Superior Judge Edward Brand.

He was elected to the State Legislature in 1925 and re-elected in 1927, and served for four years as a chief deputy. In recent years he was a partner of Milton M. Cohen.

In the death of Clare Woolwine at the age of only fifty, the community loses a public servant of demonstrated usefulness. As chief deputy district attorney for four years and as a member of Assembly two terms, he proved a definite talent for public affairs.—*Los Angeles Times*.

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LUTHER SCOTT BLACK [Gettysburg '88], superintendent of Missions of the Lehigh Presbytery, died on January 21, 1939, at his home, Easton, Pa., following a long illness. He was the former pastor of College Hill Presbyterian Church in that city.

He was a graduate of Gettysburg College and Gettysburg Lutheran Theological Seminary. For some years, he was pastor of the College Church in Gettysburg and later served in Lutheran churches in Johnstown, N.Y., and Reading. After studying for one year at the Princeton Theological Seminary he changed to the Presbyterian denomination. In 1909, he was called to the College Hill pastorate where he served until 1936, when he resigned.

A part of the tribute paid by Dr. W. M. Lewis [Knox '00], President of Lafayette College, Easton, in his eulogy is as follows: "Wherein lay the power of Luther Scott Black that made his life a blessing to all who came into the circle of his influence? It was in his superb faith in God. He lived better than any man can preach. He faced disappointment, difficulties, personal tragedies with amazing serenity because of his faith. He lifted up those who had fallen; he gave strength to those who were weak; he brought to us all a sense of sureness because of that faith."—*Gettysburg College Bulletin*.

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CHARLES PORTER ELDRÉD, *Lombard '23*, died May 30, 1939, at his home in Quincy, Ill., from a heart attack suffered that morning while playing golf. He was born April 30, 1902, in Quincy. After leaving college he represented H. M. Bylesby & Co., in Cleveland and Milwaukee, and for the past ten years had operated locally his own investment business. Brother Eldred took especial interest in community projects and development. He was an ardent sportman. He presided over the board of trustees of the Unitarian Church in Quincy, and was a Mason. His widow survives him.—*HAROLD M. HOLLAND*.

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JOHN FLETCHER BRANT, *Ohio Wesleyan, '73*, died May 6, 1939, at the Newton, Mass., hospital, aged 90 years. At the time of his death he was one of the oldest living wearers of the Sword and Shield. All attendants at the Syracuse Convention will remember Brother Brant as the winner of the Stunt Night trophy with his song, "When off the blue Canary Isle I smoked my last cigar."—*THOMAS C. CHENEY, Vermont '91*.

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ALEXANDER BAIRD WHITTAKER, JR., *Amherst '34*, died February 14, 1939, at Woodsfield, Ohio. Interment was at Clarksburg, W.Va.

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OSCAR FRANKLIN DAVIS, *Vermont '87*, died June 16, 1939, at the Barre, Vt., hospital. He had been in feeble health for some time. He was widely known in church and educational circles, having been a teacher, lecturer, minister, and school principal. He was principal of the Salt Lake City academy, during which time he studied theology, being ordained in 1895. Since that time he has preached in various parts of the country, until 1930, when he returned to Marshfield, Vt., where he resided until the death of his wife four years ago. Since that time he has made his home in Barre, with his brother, Judge Earle R. Davis, *Vermont Alpha '95*. A man of friendly spirit, Brother Davis had a multitude of friends about the state and nation.—*THOMAS C. CHENEY, Vermont '91*.

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AQUILA WEBB [*Ohio Wesleyan '94*], pastor of the Central North Broad Street Presbyterian Church, Philadelphia, died on July 1, 1939, at the American Stomach Hospital. He was 67. He was a graduate of Harvard University and Harvard Theological Seminary.

He served as president of Washington College, Tenn., and for eleven years was pastor of the First Central Presbyterian Church, Wilmington, Del. He came to Philadelphia in October, 1936.

He is survived by his wife, Mrs. Jane Tallman Webb, a daughter, Mrs. Leslie Baynham, of Lexington, Ky., and two granddaughters.—*Philadelphia Evening Bulletin*.

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CHARLES SEYLER, JR. [*California '99*], 61-year-old insurance broker, died June 20, 1939, at his home in Los Angeles. Mr. Seyler was born in Wilmington and was graduated from Los Angeles High School and the University of California. He was the son of one of the founders of the Farmers and Merchants Bank. In 1903 he entered the insurance brokerage business. He was the first president of the Bachelor's Club and was a member of the California and Sunset clubs. He leaves his widow, Mrs. Marie Seyler. Interment was in Inglewood Park Cemetery.—*Los Angeles Times*.

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RICHARD PARKS LUEDEMAN [*Idaho '41*], of Spokane, Wash., was instantly killed when he suddenly lost control of the coupe in which he was riding with Miss Eileen Frost, a fellow-student at the University of Idaho. Dick and Eileen, who was also killed, were hurrying back from a morning at Lake Chatcolet to prepare for the Miami Triad dance. Friends, fellow-students, and fraternity brothers bade them farewell in funeral services at the university chapel before their bodies were taken home by train.—*Moscow News Review*.

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WHERE lies freedom of the mind? With him who understands why, with the artist, the poet, the social scientist, the historian? Or with him who knows how, with the engineer, the technician, the administrator and executive, the politician? Despite our philosophies of power, we have traditionally answered, freedom is possible only for the impotent. By a "free mind" we have meant one detached from all obligation and responsibility; to its emancipation power has seemed fatal. It must feel no sense of urgency in values, it must not know how to do anything, or if it should, the doing must be quite useless. We still call those studies which give a vision of human nature the liberal arts, and that discipline which fails to teach men how to do anything at all, a liberal education. Both the impotent who understand, and the powerful who know how, have had good reason to encourage this prejudice. The impotent have found consolation in their freedom, and the powerful have found safety in the impotence of the wise.

But it should be clear today that neither those who know why without knowing how, nor those who know how without knowing why, can claim to be free minds. It is this very divorce between understanding and intelligence, between vision and power, that has made possible the destruction of intellectual freedom where it has been destroyed. Let it be our warning. For our education also is disastrously divided. So long as we are content to graduate able technicians without understanding and well-educated men who know how to do nothing, all our defense of freedom will be a losing struggle. With experts who are illiberal and short-sighted, and intellectuals who are irresponsible and unintelligent, we cannot hope to win. Unless vision be married to intelligence, there can be no freedom of the mind. . . .—JOHN HERMAN RANDALL, JR., author of *The Making of the Modern Mind*, in the *Key Reporter*.

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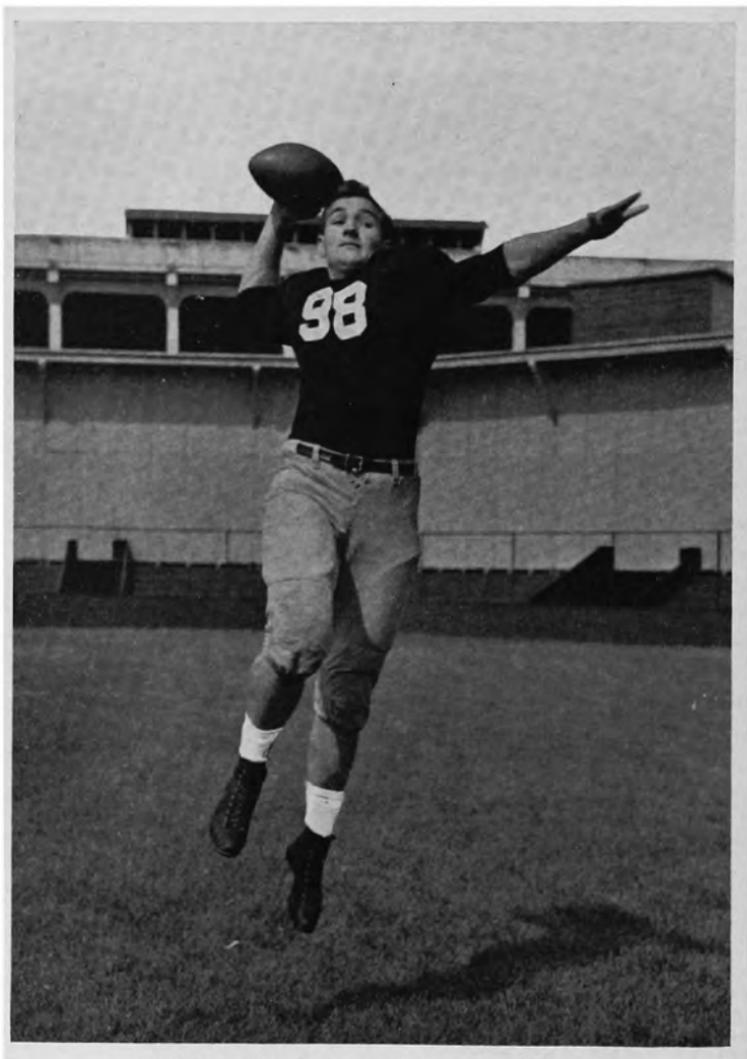
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The 1939 Football Review

By MURRAY S. SMITH, *Knox '25*

AN unusually large number of upsets this season evidenced the fact that strong, competent teams are increasing yearly throughout the nation. Favored teams in every conference fell by the wayside with the opening bang in September, as when Oklahoma swamped Waldorf's Northwestern "dream team." Material becomes more plentiful because of better coaching and increased number of players on preparatory teams.

Little Clemson College beats Navy; this harks back to Centre College's Praying Colonels. Phi Delta Theta colleges whose teams made noteworthy records were Ohio State, Cornell, Duke, Tulane, U.C.L.A., Georgia Tech, Michigan, Oregon State, and Oklahoma. The past few years have seen schools excelling in foot-

ball where we do not have chapters; witness Southern California-Tennessee in the Rose Bowl.

Injuries to several stars have eliminated them from first-team berths this season. Lou Brock of Purdue fails to repeat because of injuries; Easy Eaves of Duke was injured, but late in the season; Darnell of Duke, a great end; Ryan of Northwestern; Meyer of Michigan; Dickinson and Fullerton of Pitt were slated for real stardom until injuries slowed them down.

In a few cases we have been handicapped in our selections by failure of chapter reporters to function. Dean McAdams of the University of Washington was an All-Coast halfback and worthy of our first team, but we are not certain he

AFTER this article was in type, *Liberty* magazine announced its All-American teams, which include six Phis. On the first team are DON SCOTT, *Ohio State*, quarterback; TOM HARMON, *Michigan*, halfback; and CARY COX, *Alabama*, center. On the second team is RALPH WENZEL, *Tulane*, end. On the third team are ROBERT ISON, *Georgia Tech*, end; and NORMAN STANDLEE, *Stanford*, fullback.

The *Liberty* All-American team is probably the fairest selection in the nation, because, rather than taking the word of sports writers, who are likely to be partial in their choices, it allows players to choose their toughest opponents. For this reason, the choice of so many Phis on the teams is a very great honor.—M.S.S.

The All-Phi Teams of 1939*

FIRST TEAM	SECOND TEAM	THIRD TEAM	LITTLE ALL-PHI TEAM
L.E. WENZEL, <i>Tulane</i>	DICKINSON, <i>Pittsburgh</i>	DARNELL, <i>Duke</i>	COWAN, <i>Davidson</i>
L.T. JELMSA, <i>Oregon State</i>	GARGETT, <i>Mich. State</i>	MOODY, <i>Iowa State</i>	SHUMPFES, <i>Washington</i>
L.G. BJORSKLUND, <i>Minnesota</i>	KAUL, <i>Utah</i>	CHAPMAN, <i>California</i>	PRICE, <i>Whitman</i>
C. COX, <i>Alabama</i>	FULLERTON, <i>Pittsburgh</i>	BEARD, <i>Georgia Tech</i>	COLLINS, <i>Lehigh</i>
R.G. GARVEY, <i>Colgate</i>	ABEL, <i>Nebraska</i>	SKEEL, <i>Amherst</i>	MOORE, <i>W. and J.</i>
R.T. MAAG, <i>Ohio State</i>	KARMAZIN, <i>Duke</i>	BENZ, <i>Pittsburgh</i>	FERNELLA, <i>Akron</i>
R.E. ISON, <i>Georgia Tech</i>	B. JOHNSON, <i>Minnesota</i>	HELD, <i>Arizona</i>	KELCHNER, <i>Cincinnati</i>
Q.B. SCOTT, <i>Ohio State</i>	EAVES, <i>Duke</i>	RYAN, <i>Northwestern</i>	B. SWEENEY, <i>Lafayette</i>
L.H. HARMON, <i>Michigan</i>	FRANCK, <i>Minnesota</i>	WALTON, <i>Florida</i>	SPASYK, <i>Vermont</i>
R.H. M. KOHLER, <i>Oregon State</i>	BROCK, <i>Purdue</i>	PACE, <i>Utah</i>	BRAGG, <i>Richmond</i>
F.B. STANDLEE, <i>Stanford</i>	JOHNSTON, <i>South. Meth.</i>	GOREE, <i>Georgia Tech</i>	BRUCE, <i>Colby</i>

Honorable Mention

Ends: Warner, *Pennsylvania*; Neeley, *Texas*; O'Neil, *Colby*; R. Sweeney, *Lafayette*; Root, *Washington*; Hutson, *Army*; Simpson, *U.C.L.A.*; Richardson, *North Carolina*; Warner, *Washington*; Haggan, *Iowa*.

Tackles and Guards: Cory, *Washington*; Fairman and Beckman, *Kansas State*; Eichler and Walker, *Case*; Johannesson, *Stanford*; Danford, *Colorado College*.

Centers: Beard, *Georgia Tech*; Robinson, *Florida*; Panter, *Colorado College*.

Backs: Banger, *Syracuse*; Colditron, *Stanford*; Nugent, *Montana*; Bunsen, *Kansas*; Wermuth, *Lafayette*; Shafer, *Case*; Kammerer, *Vanderbilt*; Durham, *Idaho*; V. Kohler, *Oregon State*; Gleeson, *Washington (St. Louis)*; Dyer, *Oregon*; Patrick, *Penn. State*; Gillette, *Navy*; Nowell, *Georgia*; Connor, *Butler*; Buesing, *Laurence*; Fell, *Franklin*; Fendet, *Knox*.

Phi Captains of 1939

Bruce, of *Colby*; Cox, of *Alabama*; Price, of *Whitman*; Connor, of *Butler*; Storms, of *Miami*; Kelchner, of *Cincinnati*; Buesing, of *Laurence*; Garvey, of *Laurence*; Game Captains: Ryan, of *Northwestern*; Brock, of *Purdue*; Kohler and Jelsma, of *Oregon State*; Fullerton and Dickinson, of *Pittsburgh*.

* In these pages, members of the teams are designated in the legends under the illustrations by the index symbols 1, 2, 3, and 4, respectively; Captains of 1939 by the index letter C.



Cox, 1, C Alabama, Harmon, 1 Michigan, Wenzel, 1 Tulane, Standlee, 1 Stanford

is a Phi. He was a Phikeia last year but is not listed in the SCROLL letter this year. Fennenbock of U.C.L.A. comes under the same classification as McAdams. Matthews and Shick, both great players at Oklahoma this season, were once Phikeias but are not members of the chapter at present.

Phis in the coaching field did a bang-up job this year. Dawson of Tulane coached an undefeated team; Bowser of Pitt had a better than expected season; Don Heap brought Illinois Wesleyan back to winning form; Trevor of Knox helped coach a championship squad; Borleske at Whitman and Harmeson at Lehigh had good years.

Mythical awards to Phis this season were numerous. Our most famous brother in this respect was Tom Harmon, the Gary flash, whose play for the

Michigan Wolves caused the experts to scratch their heads and dig deep into the archives and mention Willie Heston, Red Grange, and others for comparison. Tommy made every first team All-American named to date, including Brother Grantland Rice's accepted *Collier's* Fiftieth All-American.

Don Scott, Ohio State's husky quarterback, whose comeback sparked the Buckeyes to the Big Ten title, was chosen unanimously as All-Big Ten first team quarterback. He made the United Press third All-American; Associated Press third All-American; Grantland Rice mentions him twice in his All-American article as one of the best in the nation.

Ralph Wenzel, Tulane's great end, who was overlooked by many All-American selectors was named second All-American by Bill Stern in *Life* Magazine



Scott, 1 and Maag, 1 Ohio State, Kohler, 1, C and Jelsma, 1, C Oregon State



Garvey,¹ Colgate, Bjorklund,¹ and Franck,² Minnesota, Brock,²C Purdue

and on the United Press third All-American team. He was chosen unanimously second team end on the All-Southeastern and by the *New York Sun* as first team All-American end.

Robert Ison, end on the Georgia Tech team, was placed on the first All-Southeastern team chosen by the coaches of that conference. The *New York Sun* placed him on their second All-American team. Others named on All-Star teams were: Dickinson of Pitt, second All-Eastern end; Dean McAdams, Associated Press All-Coast halfback; Norman Standlee, honorable mention, Associated Press and United Press All-American, Associated Press second All-Coast fullback; also honorable mention on the U.C.L.A. all-opponents' team; Morrie Koehler, Oregon State, received United Press honorable mention on All-Coast; and on

Associated Press All-American, and was chosen on the U.C.L.A. all-opponents' team. Jelsma of Oregon State was given honorable mention on the Associated Press All-American and on the United Press All-Coast choice. Preston Johnston, sophomore flash from S.M.U. rated a coveted honor in being chosen with Nile Kinnick and Landsdell as all-opponents' halfback by the Notre Dame team.

George Franck of Minnesota was chosen second Big Ten by the coaches. Maag of Ohio State, Johnson of Minnesota, and Brock of Purdue rated honorable mention.

In the professional ranks, Cecil Isbell sparked Green Bay to the title, while Dick Plasman and Bob Swisher helped the Chicago Bears materially to their runner-up position.

Our ends were a cinch to pick this



Kaul,² Utah, Eaves,² Karmazin,² and Darnell,³ Duke



Johnson,³ Minnesota, Chapman,³ California, Skeel,³ Amherst, Held,³ Arizona

year. Two southerners, Ison of Georgia Tech and Wenzel of Tulane, stood out at the position. Robert Ison, a glue-fingered pass-grabber from Rhett Butler's territory, was hot as a pistol this season. He sparked a light but battling Georgia Tech team through a tough schedule. Ison did everything well—tackled viciously, smeared the interference with abandon, and was down under punts like a dervish.

Wenzel has brute strength combined with delicate timing and furious speed of charge. Alabama, Rice, and L.S.U., pretty strong teams, couldn't keep him out of their backfields last season. He murdered the blockers for passer and punter, he stripped interference like a hurricane moaning through second-growth pine, he tackled with the impact of a catapult. He has not shone in

pass reception, but then they haven't been throwing to him often. When they did he showed what a great natural athlete, blessed with competitive stretch, can do. On the moss-whiskered old end-around play he has proved a better ground-gainer than any of his backs and consternation to Tulane's foes. Dickinson of Pitt was stopped from our selection by severe injuries.

Charlie Maag of Ohio State and Walt Jelsma of Oregon State win our tackle berths. Maag is a six-foot-two 210-pound giant who doubles at basketball. He kicks the points after touchdown, does the field goal kicking, and kicks off, just to fill in any spare time. Maag is big, powerful, and fast. He is a smart diagnostician of plays. He is a junior and should be even better next year.

Walt Jelsma was a sixty-minute player



Kelchner,¹ Cincinnati, Spasyk,¹ Vermont, Bragg,¹ Richmond, Bruce,¹ Colby

for the Beavers and his coach, Lon Stiner, called him the greatest lineman he ever coached. Walt is a big man, weighing about 200 and standing six feet. He was one of the fastest men on the squad and was usually the first man down the field under punts. This Grand Rapids, Mich., boy was a real inspiration and hard fighter. George Gargett of Michigan State was not far behind Maag and Jelsma.

Two Phis who have been chosen to captain major teams during 1940 are awarded our first-team guard berths—Bob Bjorklund of Minnesota and James Garvey of Colgate. Bjorklund is a center but was transferred to guard. Two hundred and fifteen pounds of football prowess, he played flawless ball all year. A durable workman and strong on pass interception and a bruising line-backer, Bob should be a strong All-American candidate next season. His true value to the team is shown by the fact that he played 408 of a possible 480 minutes in eight games. Another sixty-minute player was James Garvey, Lebanon, Pa., boy. Garvey is a tough competitor who loves hard going. He is an inspirational player, and will be a greater leader in 1940. He is one of the top fifteen men scholastically in his class, which should prove that dumbness is not essential to football prowess.

Cary Cox, a real Phi leader, and captain of the Alabama Tide, is our choice for first team center. Cox is a 210-pound boy who did not make a bad pass all season. He backs the line with terrific tackles and is strong on pass interception. He was All-American bound but a mediocre team with a poor record caused him to lose out in the final reckoning. He is plenty tough for our All-American.

Don Scott, a fair halfback in 1938, was a greatly improved player this season and sparked the Buckeyes to their first Big Ten title in years. Bob Zupke in naming him All-American called him the greatest passer of the year. Weighing 215, Don could throw them long or short—bullet-like or floaters. He had a great year with his passing, punting, and ball

carrying and on defense he was unexcelled. Against Minnesota he threw three "strikes" that all scored.

Tom Harmon needs no introduction to Phi fans. He had the greatest record of the year—most points scored; best average per time ball was carried. I recall a Chicago paper's heading on Saturday read "Harmon 27—Iowa 7." For against Iowa's Cinderella team, Tom had scored all 27 points. Harmon's punting, passing, and running rated him unanimous All-American. I met Tom at the Indianapolis Regional last spring; he carries honors modestly, which makes us unusually proud of his affiliation in $\Phi \Delta \Theta$. Tom was runner-up to Nile Kinnick for the honor of being chosen the most valuable player in the Big Ten.

The other halfback post was a toss-up between Eaves of Duke, Franck of Minnesota, and M. Kohler of Oregon State. Injuries eliminated Eaves. A poor team record by Minnesota won the nod for Kohler. Most of the sports writers on the Coast have mentioned at least once in their columns that Morrie Kohler was probably the most under-rated halfback that ever played in the Coast conference. One of the greatest men on defense that the league has seen, Morrie also distinguished himself on offensive bucks and passing. A southpaw, his passing was the most dangerous in the conference because the opposing team could never tell when he would let one fly. Weighing but 170 pounds, Morrie had more drive than most men twice his size. When the team needed two or three yards very badly for a first down, it was always Kohler who got the call and seldom did he let his team-mates down. Sports writers all up and down the Coast recognized in Kohler the answer to a coach's dream. He was a bear on defense and there were very few players who could really take him out of any play. He was a sixty-minute man in the strictest sense of the expression, often showing more drive and pepper towards the end of the game than did the reserves who were fresh in the fight.

Trophy Awards for 1938-39

By HARRY M. GERLACH, *Assistant Executive Secretary*

THE competition for each of the Fraternity's three trophies exemplifying all-around chapter excellence was keen for the year 1938-39. The runner-up for the Harvard Trophy is only three points behind the winner. Many other places are only a few points apart.

Each of the trophies changes hands this year. In two instances the awards return to winners of year before last. The Harvard Trophy, for chapters in colleges with male enrollment over 2200, returns to the Illinois Eta chapter at the University of Illinois. The Founders Trophy, for chapters in colleges with male enrollment between eight hundred and 2200, goes back to its familiar place on the mantel of Tennessee Alpha at Vanderbilt University. The Cleveland Trophy, for chapters in colleges with male enrollment under eight hundred, has been won by the Wisconsin Beta chapter for the first time. This group of Phi has been correlating its strength and leaping forward in this competition.

This year for the first time the three second-place winners will be awarded plaques signifying their high standing in the competition. These plaques will be presented to Iowa Gamma, Mississippi Alpha, and Pennsylvania Delta.

In the Harvard division Missouri Gamma is a high-ranking newcomer to the competition. It is evident that this chapter is in line for the winning position if it keeps up its intense activity. Of ten of the high-ranking chapters which competed last year eight increased their total score this year. The greatest increase was made by New York Alpha which more than doubled its score and rose from twelfth place to seventh.

The Founders class has been strongly affected by newcomers to the competition. Wyoming Alpha takes third place in its first year, while Quebec Alpha and Maryland Alpha take fifth and sixth

places respectively. These three chapters, and Ohio Gamma in eighth place, have made this division a much more interesting competition. Of ten chapters which competed in this class last year six increased their total scores. Honors for the greatest improvement go to Mississippi Alpha which totaled 100 points better.

The Cleveland trophy competition is noteworthy for the large increase in total score made by many of last year's competitors. Emphasizing this fact is the "dark horse" winner of the trophy. Wisconsin Beta increased its score by the huge sum of 314 points. Another large increase was made by Ohio Eta, 165 points. Of ten chapters entering this competition last year, eight bettered their total points. Missouri Beta, Virginia Gamma, and Indiana Epsilon were new high competitors this year.

This year six more chapters entered the competition than last year. The addition of the chapters which have won points through the province presidents' awards and through their scholastic rank has given a much greater scope to the competitions. It is evident that if some of the chapters in the last-mentioned group had entered their activities they would have ranked very high.

It has been proposed that entries for this competition for the college year 1939-40 be called for on June 15, 1940. The earlier date will enable the chapters more easily to collect all their activities for the year because they will be fresher in the minds of the members. This date will also avoid the confusion of entering some of the fall activities with those of the previous year. When this is done, the winners can be announced with the opening of college in September and in convention years the trophies can be presented and the winners honored officially at the Convention.

Following are the scores:

HARVARD TROPHY

1. Illinois Eta, <i>Illinois</i>	428
2. Iowa Gamma, <i>Iowa State</i>	425
3. Missouri Gamma, <i>Washington Univ.</i>	372
4. Pennsylvania Theta, <i>Penn State</i>	270
5. Illinois Alpha, <i>Northwestern</i>	248
6. Michigan Alpha, <i>Michigan</i>	242
7. New York Alpha, <i>Cornell</i>	235
8. Indiana Theta, <i>Purdue</i>	227
9. Minnesota Alpha, <i>Minnesota</i>	185
10. Washington Alpha, <i>Washington</i>	169
11. Oklahoma Alpha, <i>Oklahoma</i>	163
12. Missouri Alpha, <i>Missouri</i>	161
13. Nebraska Alpha, <i>Nebraska</i>	130
14. *California Alpha, <i>California</i>	110
15. Massachusetts Gamma, <i>M.I.T.</i>	93
16. *Florida Alpha, <i>Florida</i>	60
17. *Georgia Delta, <i>Georgia Tech</i>	55
18. *Kansas Alpha, <i>Kansas</i>	50
*Pennsylvania Zeta, <i>Pennsylvania</i>	50
19. *California Beta, <i>Stanford</i>	25
*Illinois Beta, <i>Chicago</i>	25
*Iowa Beta, <i>Iowa</i>	25
*Louisiana Beta, <i>Louisiana State</i>	25
*Oregon Beta, <i>Oregon State</i>	25
*Pennsylvania Iota, <i>Pittsburgh</i>	25
*Texas Beta, <i>Texas</i>	25
*Wisconsin Alpha, <i>Wisconsin</i>	25
20. *New Hampshire Alpha, <i>Dartmouth</i> ..	10

FOUNDERS TROPHY

1. Tennessee Alpha, <i>Vanderbilt</i>	530
2. Mississippi Alpha, <i>Mississippi</i>	404
3. Wyoming Alpha, <i>Wyoming</i>	373
4. Texas Delta, <i>Southern Methodist</i>	371
5. Quebec Alpha, <i>McGill</i>	325
6. Maryland Alpha, <i>Maryland</i>	320
7. Ohio Alpha, <i>Miami</i>	308
8. Ohio Gamma, <i>Ohio</i>	242
9. Virginia Zeta, <i>Washington and Lee</i> ..	239
10. North Carolina Alpha, <i>Duke</i>	193
11. Kentucky Epsilon, <i>Kentucky</i>	189
12. West Virginia Alpha, <i>West Virginia</i> ..	145
13. Rhode Island Alpha, <i>Brown</i>	133
14. Indiana Zeta, <i>DePauw</i>	108
15. Alberta Alpha, <i>Alberta</i>	97
16. North Dakota Alpha, <i>North Dakota</i> ..	94
17. *New York Zeta, <i>Colgate</i>	90
18. Pennsylvania Eta, <i>Lehigh</i>	89
19. *Georgia Beta, <i>Emory</i>	50
*Idaho Alpha, <i>Idaho</i>	50
20. *Alabama Alpha, <i>Alabama</i>	35
21. *Arizona Alpha, <i>Arizona</i>	25
*Colorado Alpha, <i>Colorado</i>	25
*North Carolina Beta, <i>North Carolina</i> ..	25
*Oregon Alpha, <i>Oregon</i>	25
*Pennsylvania Alpha, <i>Lafayette</i>	25
*Washington Gamma, <i>Washington State</i> ..	25
22. *California Gamma, <i>U.C.L.A.</i>	10

* These chapters did not submit entries. Points were awarded on the basis of the designation by the province president and for scholarship.

CLEVELAND TROPHY

1. Wisconsin Beta, <i>Lawrence</i>	508
2. Pennsylvania Delta, <i>Allegheny</i>	461
3. Ohio Eta, <i>Case</i>	426
4. Missouri Beta, <i>Westminster</i>	424
5. Ohio Beta, <i>Ohio Wesleyan</i>	390
6. Washington Beta, <i>Whitman</i>	308
7. Virginia Gamma, <i>Randolph-Macon</i>	297
8. Massachusetts Beta, <i>Amherst</i>	265
9. Indiana Epsilon, <i>Hanover</i>	261
10. Illinois Delta-Zeta, <i>Knox</i>	258
11. Pennsylvania Beta, <i>Gettysburg</i>	232
12. Ohio Epsilon, <i>Akron</i>	220
13. Ohio Iota, <i>Denison</i>	195
14. Kansas Beta, <i>Washburn</i>	190
15. Kentucky Alpha-Delta, <i>Centre</i>	174
16. Colorado Beta, <i>Colorado College</i>	165
17. Indiana Beta, <i>Wabash</i>	122
18. New York Beta, <i>Union</i>	99
19. *Iowa Alpha, <i>Iowa Wesleyan</i>	65
20. *North Carolina Gamma, <i>Davidson</i>	60
21. *Pennsylvania Kappa, <i>Swarthmore</i>	50

In the past, the trophies have been won by the following chapters:

HARVARD TROPHY

1925-26—Washington Beta, <i>Whitman</i>
1926-27—Kansas Alpha, <i>Kansas</i>
1927-28—California Beta, <i>Stanford</i>
1928-29—Kansas Alpha, <i>Kansas</i>
1929-30—Minnesota Alpha, <i>Minnesota</i>
1930-31—Minnesota Alpha, <i>Minnesota</i>
1931-32—Missouri Alpha, <i>Missouri</i>
1932-33—Missouri Alpha, <i>Missouri</i>
1933-34—Illinois Alpha, <i>Northwestern</i>
1934-35—Illinois Alpha, <i>Northwestern</i>
1935-36—Missouri Alpha, <i>Missouri</i>
1936-37—Illinois Eta, <i>Illinois</i>
1937-38—Iowa Gamma, <i>Iowa State</i>

FOUNDERS TROPHY

1928-29—Tennessee Alpha, <i>Vanderbilt</i>
1929-30—Tennessee Alpha, <i>Vanderbilt</i>
1930-31—Tennessee Alpha, <i>Vanderbilt</i>
1931-32—Tennessee Alpha, <i>Vanderbilt</i>
1932-33—Tennessee Alpha, <i>Vanderbilt</i>
1933-34—Ohio Alpha, <i>Miami</i>
1934-35—Tennessee Alpha, <i>Vanderbilt</i>
1935-36—Tennessee Alpha— <i>Vanderbilt</i>
1936-37—Tennessee Alpha, <i>Vanderbilt</i>
1937-38—Ohio Alpha, <i>Miami</i>

CLEVELAND TROPHY

1928-29—Pennsylvania Delta, <i>Allegheny</i>
1929-30—Illinois Delta-Zeta, <i>Knox</i>
1930-31—Indiana Delta, <i>Franklin</i>
1931-32—Ohio Eta, <i>Case</i>
1932-33—Ohio Eta, <i>Case</i>
1933-34—Ohio Beta, <i>Ohio Wesleyan</i>
1934-35—Ohio Beta, <i>Ohio Wesleyan</i>
1935-36—Ohio Beta, <i>Ohio Wesleyan</i>
1936-37—Ohio Beta, <i>Ohio Wesleyan</i>
1937-38—Pennsylvania Delta, <i>Allegheny</i>

The Atlantic Regional Tackles Problems

By EDWARD W. GOODE, *Colgate '26*

ALL is well with $\Phi\Delta\Theta$ in the East. This is the certain impression of all officers and alumni observers who looked in upon the North Atlantic Regional Conference held on December 1 and 2 at the Belmont Plaza Hotel in New York City. It was the third Regional Conference held in 1939 in accordance with the new plan of integrating the activities of $\Phi\Delta\Theta$ between the biennial General Conventions. The North Central Conference was held at Indianapolis early in the year, and the Pacific Conference at Berkeley in October.

As in the case of the other Conferences, the New York gathering was pre-eminently an undergraduate affair. Delegates of the active chapters of Eastern Canada, New England, the Middle Atlantic States, and Maryland, Virginia, and North Carolina ran their own show and discussed their own problems with an earnestness and a brilliancy which won the admiration of their older brothers. The latter, by reason of one distinction or another, were privileged to listen in, and, where their position in the Fraternity touches the interests of the active

chapters, they were asked by the undergraduates to take part in the sessions.

Some ninety men from the active chapters attended in spite of the fact that Thanksgiving, which seemed a part of this week-end when the conference was originally planned, had in some states passed beyond the wake of its indigestion.

It was the earnestness and intelligence with which the undergraduate delegates attacked the serious problems of the active chapters which characterized the conference. The boys demonstrated not only that they had applied a large amount of individual time and attention in preparing their part in the program, but that they had come to New York with ammunition which unmistakably represented vigorous chapter house conclaves. Furthermore the entire group showed an eager interest in all common problems, and delegates were in no mood to be "pigeon-holed" by the program.

The men who presided at the three sessions are also given much credit for the smooth handling of the conference. They are R. Elliott Watt of Williams,



THE ATLANTIC REGIONAL DINNER

Alfred E. Hamilton, Jr., of Penn, and Richard Day of Washington and Lee.

Outstanding among the many important outcomes of these mature deliberations is, perhaps, the unanimous rejection by the delegates of Hell Week. This has moved no less than the president of the General Council, John Ballou, to take pen in hand with the emphatic results which appeared in the December *Palladium*.

The Conference was opened on Friday morning with a prayer by Rev. Dr. Henry Darlington, *Lehigh '10*; Hugh Crombie, *McGill '17*, presiding. The delegates were welcomed by Philip M. McCullough, *Nebraska '17*, in the absence of Phillips T. Barbour, *Centre '04*, President of the Phi Delta Theta Club of New York who was ill and unable to be present. Hubert S. Packard, *Williams '27*, President of Alpha Province, Alfred E. Hamilton, delegate from Penn and Judge William R. Bayes, Past President of the General Council responded. A telegram was sent to Phil Crowell, President of Beta Province, bearing a rousing wish for his rapid recovery from illness.

The session began with "Integration of the Fraternity Program" and the delegates agreed that $\Phi\Delta\Theta$'s entire purpose on this point is strict co-operation with the university administrations and faculty members in fostering (1) scholarship and (2) worth-while college activities.

In the discussion of Rushing the importance of co-operation between alumni and the active chapters, summer recruiting, thorough investigation, and honorable attention to interfraternity obligations was stressed. Barrett Herrick, *Washington '15*, Vice President of the Phi Delta Theta Club of New York, emphasized that rushing, the personnel builder of each chapter and hence the foundation of its character, was its most important activity.

Chapter Finances, the Budget, and Chapter House Financing were dealt with thoroughly. Abundant notes were

taken on this, and chapter treasurers and stewards will hear all about it. The life insurance plan of solving the mortgage problem was described, and this always creates considerable interest.

The confab on Campus Activities was lively and, although restraint with an eye to scholarship rating was advised by the delegates who handled this subject, the position of the various chapters in respect to leadership in college activities was duly regarded and a slight trace of pride on the part of several chapters at this point was pardonable.

Considerable time was reserved at the end of the Friday session for the Scholarship conference. The Big Brother plan of piloting freshmen through the first year was hailed by several delegates as exceedingly valuable, and several other methods of supervised study and "spot" tutoring were presented.

On Friday evening, more than one hundred alumni joined the undergraduates at dinner, and this turned out to be one of the most inspiring $\Phi\Delta\Theta$ evenings ever held in New York. Everybody knew in advance that the three speakers were good, but were not quite prepared for the superb performance which they put on. It so happened that Dean Charles L. Swift of Dickinson College, Admiral Wat T. Cluverius, President of Worcester Polytechnic Institute and member of the General Council of the Fraternity, and Dr. Ralph W. Sockman, our famous "Preacher of the Air," came up with three addresses which blended entertainment, inspiration, and thought provoking values so perfectly as to constitute a rare evening for any audience of men. Toastmaster Charles G. Bond, *Ohio State '99*, an ex-Congressman and old banquet attendant, stated that these were the three finest speeches he had ever heard at any one dinner. In describing the life of the boys in the house at Dickinson, Dean Swift said that, in spite of their curious ways of greeting each other, eating, sleeping, studying, and loving, he felt that somehow the country would be safe in their hands. Those present indi-

cated hearty agreement with his conclusions.

The Brown Chapter had its famous Scotch bag-pipe trio at the dinner led by that distinguished Scotchman, Brother Andrew M. Sinclair. The clan responded to the call with a rousing ovation.

The Saturday sessions started with a consideration of House Mothers, who would have been warned to hear what some of their charges had to say.

Hell Week came next and this really started something which took most of Saturday to finish. Numerous delegates expressed themselves on one phase or another of this problem, and John Ballou, Admiral Cluverius, and Charlie Bond added their moral support to the

side of reform. It developed that the boys agreed with them unanimously. A committee was appointed made up of Joseph Kelley of McGill, Marvin Boisseau of Brown, Merlin Fay of Union, Byrd Merrill of North Carolina, and Edward Green of Swarthmore and their report presented in the afternoon led off as follows: "We believe that Hell Week in every shape and form as it exists today in $\Phi\Delta\Theta$ should be abolished." This declaration and a well-developed substitute optional program for orienting freshmen was adopted by the Conference with instruction that the Committee Report be turned over to the General Council for submission to General Convention in 1940.

Alabama Alpha's Bright Career

By KARL SAVARY ELEBASH, JR., *Alabama '41*

SEVERAL Greek-letter fraternities maintained a precarious existence at Alabama before the War between the States, but all of them were killed by the war. For a decade following the war, intermittent efforts were made to restore the old organizations and establish new ones, with little success, because the University, like all institutions of that period, was slowly recovering; besides, the university authorities looked with little favor on the secret societies.

Walter B. Palmer, to whom, more than to any other Phi, is due the credit for the extension of $\Phi\Delta\Theta$ in the South, took the initiative at Alabama by writing, on May 1, 1887, to Thomas H. Spencer, of the class of 1878, urging him to gather together a group to apply for a charter of $\Phi\Delta\Theta$. Spencer replied: "It is very lucky that your letter came when it did; I have often heard of the high standing of $\Phi\Delta\Theta$ in Virginia, Kentucky, and Georgia. I was on the point of organizing a fraternity and had been joined by three other young men. They have consented to join $\Phi\Delta\Theta$. I think we shall

start under very auspicious circumstances." These four were increased to eight, and the charter was granted October 17, 1877. The bright auspices, however, failed of their promise, for even before the charter was formally granted the University enacted a strict law abolishing the fraternities then existing and requiring the students to sign "matriculation cards" pledging themselves on honor not to join or maintain membership in any secret organization composed in whole or in part of students of the University.

For the next few years most of the fraternities, including $\Phi\Delta\Theta$, existed *sub rosa* for longer or shorter periods, while the authorities were constantly petitioned to raise the ban. In 1884, in expectation that the anti-fraternity law would be rescinded, eight students were secretly initiated into Alabama Alpha, and others were pledged to membership in the event that the University legalized the fraternities. Among the latter was William B. Saffold, who was later to become a professor in the University, and

is now one of the oldest living alumni of Alabama Alpha. Many of the facts in this sketch were furnished by him.

In the summer of 1885 the ban was lifted by the Board of Trustees of the University. On that same day, June 17, 1885, a meeting for the reorganization of Alabama Alpha was held in Erasaphic Hall. Extant written records of the chapter began with that meeting and are continuous to the present time.

The first entry in the secretary's minute book reveals this interesting comment: "A secret fraternity is an organization which when it once obtains a hold in a college or university is almost impossible to crush out by any law, however severe. When an attempt is made to destroy it by any law, soon do we find that fraternity prospering under some other form which that law cannot affect. Such, at least, has been the history of secret fraternities in the University of Alabama."

The first step taken at this first meeting was the election of temporary officers. M. P. Le Grand was elected president; A. W. Tunstall was named sergeant at arms; F. P. Gibson, secretary, and Zell Gaston, warden.

First to be initiated were S. N. Lapsley and John Daniel. After their initiation, they proceeded to initiate the other members, of whom there were forty-one.

After the initiation and installation of members, the election of regular officers was held. Brother S. N. Lapsley, of Selma, was unanimously elected president of reorganized Alabama Alpha. Owing to the fact that Lapsley was a member of the University faculty, it was not known at that time whether he would be allowed to hold such an office. As an assurance against such an occurrence, E. B. Cattingham was elected to fill his place if it became necessary that Lapsley vacate the position. The following September we find that Lapsley joined the faculty of another University, Brother Cattingham therefore becoming the first president.

A committee of six was appointed by President Lapsley to formulate a set of by-laws and rules of order. This committee was composed of Lapsley, chairman; A. M. Garber, R. A. Wright, W. W. Quarles, A. E. Pace, and W. W. Camphill.

The first meeting of the following year was held in Room 9 of Alva Woods



FRATERNITY ROW AT UNIVERSITY OF ALABAMA
Reading right to left: $\Phi \Delta \Theta$, $\Sigma \chi$, $\Phi \kappa \Sigma$, $\Delta \kappa \epsilon$



TWO OF ALABAMA'S NEW BUILDINGS
The Administration Building and the University Library

Hall on September 23, 1885. Because the $\Phi\Delta\Theta$ code and rules of procedure had not yet arrived, informal meetings were held until October 3 of that year, when the first regular meeting was held. Meetings were held bi-weekly on Saturday mornings in Philomathic Hall in the Barracks, until February of 1886, when it was voted that meetings should be held weekly.

Business meetings were held one week, while on the meeting of the next week there were literary meetings at which debates on subjects of current interest took place.

It is interesting to note that in 1893 W. B. Bankhead, present speaker of the United States House of Representatives, was secretary of Alabama Alpha.

Meetings were held in various rooms of the Barracks until 1902, when a room in a downtown building was rented and furnished.

Talk on the matter of the necessity of constructing a chapter house was first noted in about 1903, at which time a committee was appointed to look into the matter. In the following years there was much discussion on the subject, with numbers of different committees being appointed to study the possibilities of such a movement. Mainly because of financial difficulties, no definite steps were taken towards this end until December, 1907. At this time, the old Pelham Brown lot on University avenue was purchased.

Even after this great stride was taken, two years were yet to elapse before anything of further import was to take place. The end of a six-year campaign came to a glorious end on September 11, 1909, when a resolution was introduced and passed to the effect that a chapter house be built on the purchased lot. Work was soon begun and we find that the chapter house was being occupied during the first months of the second term in 1910.

The construction of this chapter house was made possible through the especial efforts of two committees. The Alumni Committee composed of W. B. Oliver, F. M. Moody, and H. A. Snow, and the Active Committee composed of W. H. Merrill, Jo. Prichard, and L. J. Snow, all gave unsparingly of their efforts to the furtherance of so great a project. An addition was put on the chapter house in the spring and summer of 1938.

Thus have been recorded the outstanding events in the life of $\Phi\Delta\Theta$ at the University of Alabama. In later years, as it was in the beginning, $\Phi\Delta\Theta$ here has been steadily progressing. Many times the chapter has been cited for its scholastic achievements and for its hearty co-operation in the varied campus activities. It has been a leader in sports events and other extracurricular activities, and its members have always stood high in popularity and achievement. As is the case everywhere, with Alabama being no exception, $\Phi\Delta\Theta$ is right at the front, as it has always been.

Minneapolis Convention, 1940

By WALLACE EDWIN NEAL, *Washington '21*

FOR many years the Phis of the Northwest have looked forward to the possibility of some day holding a National Convention in this part of the country. Thanks to the efforts of our late brother, Bernard V. Moore, this wish finally came into the realm of reality when the General Council chose Minneapolis for the site of the 1940 Convention, August 27-30.

With snow drifts piled high and the thermometer hovering below zero this may not seem to be the appropriate time to talk cool summer breezes, northern pines, and beautiful lakes. Nevertheless, when hot days of summer come, we believe Phis throughout the nation will be glad to combine a trip to the "Gateway to America's vacation paradise" and the $\Phi \Delta \Theta$ Convention.

You may fly to Minneapolis, or streak into the City of Lakes in streamlined luxury, or come in your own private car. Some may even chose to use the water as transportation to the head of navigation on the Mississippi River.

Minneapolis hospitality is widely known and awaits every visitor. This metropolitan city has an adventurous, historical background in a setting of rolling hills and beautiful lakes. Eleven lakes lie within the city limits of Minneapolis and, as many of you know, Minnesota is reputed to have over 10,000 lakes within its borders. Our city lakes have excellent beaches, facilities for canoeing, and sailing. All of our lakes and parks (Minneapolis has 141 natural parks) are connected with boulevards which surround the entire city and offer fifty-eight



HOTEL NICOLLET, 1940 CONVENTION HEADQUARTERS

miles of varied and interesting scenery.

We in Minnesota are proud of our highways all over the state and especially those which might carry you on up into the resort country north of the cities. Ten trunk line railroads afford every convenience in speed and comfort. Four of these are of the transcontinental systems. Five streamlined trains a day, each way to Chicago, run on seven-hour schedule. Similar service is available from the South and Far West.

Fishermen from all parts of the country come to Minnesota's lakes to land their share of sunfish, bass, pike, and giant muskellunge. Less than a day's drive will take you to the primitive natural wilderness of the border lake country where the vacationer can travel for hundreds of miles by canoe through innumerable lakes, rivers, and forests still untouched by civilization.

Since Paul Beam, our Executive Secretary, is handling the business end of the meeting from Oxford, our local efforts have been centered on your entertainment and we believe that we can offer visiting Phis something different from anything yet found at preceding conventions.

The banquet plans are taking shape with selection of a fine array of excellent speakers and good entertainment. The usual $\Phi\Delta\Theta$ ball will probably feature one of the best bands in the country and an excellent committee is already starting to hand-pick an array of the fairest of the fair Nordic beauties to accompany the visiting brothers.

For our Convention feature we are putting on an ice show and winter carnival in the middle of the summer—one that will long be remembered. Inasmuch as the Twin Cities have a great number of the skating stars as residents (both professional and amateur skaters), you can imagine the possibilities. A real show, cabaret style—Minneapolis Symphony Orchestra, celebrities, etc.—hockey game (a chance for the boys from way down south to try their skill on skates)—looks like a big night. We will let you

in on more of the details later in the year.

During Convention week, the famous Minnesota State Fair will be held at St. Paul. This is the world's largest annual



THE MINNEAPOLIS SKYLINE

agriculture exposition and is worth a visit if you have never attended a big state fair. You will see horse racing, auto racing, daredevil flying, cows, punkins, 'n everything.

To those who want to follow the Convention with a fishing trip to some of our nearby lakes, a tour up through the north woods, or the canoe trip on the border lakes, we will have a committee who will be glad to furnish you with information as to where to go, make reservations, secure guides, etc.

The famous Nicollet Hotel has been chosen as our Convention Headquarters. Visiting Phis will find at the Nicollet a good hotel that ranks with the finest in the country. It is well located and its two large air-conditioned ball rooms with the latest type of amplifier system and fourteen other meeting rooms on the mezzanine floor, offer ideal convention facilities.

The Phis of the entire Northwest join the Twin City Phis in inviting you all to come out to the land of the "Ten Thousand Lakes" and help make the 1940 Convention the best yet!

Phis of the Fighting Navy

By LELAND C. SPEARS, *Washington and Lee '99*

PHI DELTA THETA may well be proud of the rôles which Phi officers of the United States Navy are exercising in the sea forces. Recent sweeping



REAR ADMIRAL ROBERT L. GHORMLEY, *Idaho '03*

changes in naval assignments, afloat and ashore, give all the evidence necessary of the brilliant futures that lie ahead of many officers who were Phi when they entered the Naval Academy at Annapolis. What follows is in brief a recital of new honors that have come, with the approval of the President, to the higher ranking officers who are of the $\Phi \Delta \Theta$ brotherhood.

First is Rear Admiral Robert Lee Ghormley, *Idaho '03*, who is now second in command in the Office of Naval Operations, the supreme command of the Navy. He is now Assistant Chief of Naval Operations. There will be no surprise in Washington if in the not distant future this Phi flag officer goes to sea to exercise one of the most important commands in the Fleet.

A chapter-mate of Admiral Ghormley, Ross E. Rowell, *Idaho '07*, shares in the high Naval promotion. He is one of the four colonels in the Marine Corps to be advanced to the rank of Brigadier General of Marines, the first marine flier to attain this rank. General Rowell was made a second lieutenant in 1906 and has advanced through all the grades to his present command. He has been in aviation continuously since 1923 and has served in many parts of the world. From 1935 to 1939 he was Director of Aviation at Marine Corps Headquarters. For the last year he has been Naval Attaché at the American Embassy, Havana. He is recognized as one of the foremost marine fliers, and has received many decorations and citations for meritorious service.



BRIGADIER GENERAL ROSS E. ROWELL, *Idaho '07*

Captain John Sidney McCain, *Mississippi '05*, of the Naval Air Service, until a few months ago in command of the carrier *Ranger*, is now in command of the Navy's great air station at San Diego,

California, one of the greatest aviation bases in the world.

At this point we introduce a new Phi Captain, in the person of Thomas J. Doyle, *Nebraska* '12. His promotion was approved by President Roosevelt, December 13. He is the executive officer of the battleship *Oklahoma*. He is now in line to command a fighting unit of the Fleet in his own right. He is one of the youngest captains in the service.

In the case of Captain Edmund Darrow Almy, *Kentucky* '06, we go ashore once more. Formerly an engineer-in-chief, he is now Director of Shore Establishments in the Navy Department at Washington, a post of great responsibility. He is the officer whose authority involves every navy yard above which fly the Stars and Stripes, the construction of all craft from battleships to auxiliaries, an authority that stretches



CAPTAIN THOMAS J. DOYLE, JR., *Nebraska* '12

in the Atlantic to Puerto Rico and in the Pacific to Manila.

Three of the younger Phi line officers, all Commanders, to whom sea honors have recently come are Osborne B.

Hardison, *North Carolina* '11, Robert Allan Dyer, *Williams* '13, and Robert Webster Cary, Jr., *Missouri* '12. Hardison, until recently in the Office of Naval Operations, is now the aviation officer of the Fleet Battle Force Staff, while Dyer is flag secretary of the Battle Forces.



CAPTAIN JOHN S. MCCAIN, *Mississippi* '05

Cary is the Executive Officer of the cruiser *Chicago*.

Lieutenant Commander Douglass Pollock Johnson, *Westminster* '19, is one of the Navy's crack flying officers. Until recently he was in command of one of the Fleet air squadrons. In the new Fleet lineup he is Air Officer of the new aircraft carrier *Enterprise*. Unless all the forecasts are wrong, he will be a commander when the next promotion list is announced early in the new year.

These are only a few of the officers of the Navy who are bringing honor to $\Phi \Delta \Theta$. There are ensigns, junior lieutenants, lieutenants, and lieutenant commanders, every one of them a worthy son of $\Phi \Delta \Theta$. Most of them are line officers. Others are of the staff services, principally of the medical arm.

Canadian Phis in High Commands

ARMAND ARMSTRONG SMITH,
Toronto '12

TO command the First Brigade of the First Division of the Active Service Force, the Canadian High Command has appointed Colonel Armand A. Smith, *Toronto '12*. Brigadier Smith has a long



COLONEL ARMAND A. SMITH, *Toronto '12*

and colorful military career. He served four years continuously, 1914-18, in the World War, as Infantry officer in the Canadian Expeditionary Force. He was Captain of the Twentieth Infantry Battalion in service in Canada in the early months of the war; he had a large share in raising the 129th Battalion, of which he became Major, Second in Command, serving in Canada and England. When the 129th was broken up for draft purposes, he became Second in Command of the 161st Battalion in England, and served also in other capacities, including Brigade Major of the 14th Infantry and commander of the 161st Battalion.

On the break-up of the Fifth Division he voluntarily reverted to Captain, and

rejoined his old 20th Battalion in France as a company commander and was with them until the end of the war. He was restored to his rank as Major, and for a period was Second in Command of the Battalion. He was in command of the attacking troops of the 20th Battalion that successfully night-raided the Maze at Neuville Vitasse in June, 1918.

He won the Military Cross at the Battle of Amiens and received the Canadian Officers' Efficiency Decoration.

After the War, he retired from the militia until 1931, when he took command of the Wentworth Regiment. In 1938 he was taken from the reserve officers of the Royal Hamilton Light Artillery to command the 4th Infantry Brigade. His present high command in the Canadian Active Service Force is a tribute to his skill as a soldier and his efficiency in command.

In civilian life, Colonel Smith is vice-president and general manager of E. D. Smith and Sons, Ltd., Winona, Ontario, one of the largest and oldest food packers in Canada. He was born at Winona April 12, 1891. His father, the Honorable E. D. Smith, was a Senator in the Canadian Parliament and had the honor of seconding the resolution in 1914 which declared Canada at war with Germany. He was educated at Lake Lodge, Grimsby High School, and the University of Toronto, where he became a member of Ontario Alpha of $\Phi \Delta \Theta$. He has two sons, Llewellyn and Alastair, the former of whom is a Second Lieutenant in the Royal Hamilton Light Infantry, C.A.S.F.

WILLIAM GEORGE SWAN,
Toronto '06

TO take charge of all War Supply Board construction in Canada, Ottawa has called upon an eminent western engineer, Major William George Swan, D.S.O. and Croix de Guerre, Vancouver, who has participated in many of the big-

gest building jobs on the Pacific coast in the past two decades.

When war was declared, Major Swan offered his services as a member of the general reserve of officers. Ottawa picked him for the special responsibility of supervising war construction.

For twenty-seven months Major Swan was in France with the army as an officer in the Canadian Engineers and the Royal Engineers, but he was quick to re-establish himself in civilian life. He was appointed consulting engineer to the Vancouver Harbor Commission and the New Westminster Harbor Board. During his first five years of service with the Vancouver board, port improvements totaling twelve million dollars were carried out under his direct supervision.

Among the various projects with which Swan was identified were the building of the Grouse Mountain Highway and the West Vancouver Highway, both involving considerable engineering skill. He was consultant in the construction of the Powell River Company's pier in the British Columbia paper town and in the building of Pacific Mills, Ltd.'s wharves.

He superintended the building of several grain elevators in Vancouver and New Westminster, and acted in an advisory capacity in construction of Vancouver's famous Lion's Gate Bridge across the First Narrows, entrance to the harbor, and the Pattullo Bridge, spanning the Fraser River at New Westminster. Several plans which he laid out for improvement of Vancouver's dock facilities have yet to be executed, including the proposed \$4,500,000 pier at English Bay.

Born in Kincardine, Ont., Swan attended school there and later went to Toronto University, where he was a bril-

liant student in engineering. He served as instructor in engineering at the university for three years before going into private practice.

Going to British Columbia in 1909, Major Swan was appointed to the Canadian Northern Railway's engineering



MAJOR WILLIAM G. SWAN, Toronto '06

staff, being placed in charge of terminals. From 1910 to 1915 he supervised the first one hundred miles of main line of the Canadian Northern. In the latter year he went overseas with the 104th Battalion, later transferring to the engineers.

Returning to the Coast provinces Major Swan was placed in charge of the Okanagan branch of the Canadian National, after which he became engineer for the Vancouver Harbor Board and commenced his long period of activity as a general engineering consultant at Vancouver.

*The theme proposed for 1940 Founders Day discussion is
"Alumni Responsibility for Preservation of the
Fraternity's Ideals"*

Robert Rhea Joins the Chapter Grand

By ALFRED E. OWENS, *Colorado College '38*

ROBERT RHEA, famous stock market analyst, died November 6, at Menorah Hospital, Kansas City, Mo., where he had been taken for treatment less than a month before. His heart, which had kept a broken body going for the last twenty-one years, gave out, bringing to a close the last chapter of the life of a Phi who will long be remembered, not alone for his business success, but for his amazing courage and fortitude in facing successive waves of defeat and dangers, asking no odds.

Robert Rhea (Bob to all who knew him) had conducted a business of major proportion from his bedside, where he had been forced to spend almost all of his time since 1918. However, physical disability did not prevent his becoming one of the world's leading authorities in financial matters, and, according to leading financial journals, the foremost authority on the Dow Theory, well-

known method of forecasting business and market trends.

Born in Nashville, Tenn., October 26, 1887, of Scotch-Irish descent, Rhea entered engineering school at Vanderbilt University at the age of fifteen. The following year, he transferred to Lehigh University. However, he did not finish his college education, because, as he put it, "attendance at college was against my will as I always wanted to go into business rather than become 'educated.' At any rate, in the summer of 1906, when I was eighteen years old, I started my active business life."

This undertaking was in the steamboat business on the Mississippi, in competition with his father and grandfather who had declined to let him enter business with them. The enterprise proved to be a success, and continued to prosper until 1910, when he had a severe illness which doctors diagnosed as malaria. They advised a long rest. Rhea started for the West Coast by auto (which was a venture in those days) getting as far as Colorado Springs, where he became desperately sick. Here a doctor told him he had tuberculosis and would probably never be able to go back to Tennessee. He was put to bed at Cragmor Sanatorium, where he remained several years. During this time a partner who was left in charge of the steamship company dissipated all of the company's assets, and committed suicide, leaving a heavy mortgage on the business. This left Rhea with a crushing debt.

In 1912 Rhea consented to undergo pneumothorax. It is believed to be the third or fourth time this operation was tried in the United States. It was successful, and within a short time he was able to be on his feet, and went to work in a Denver tire store at fifty dollars a month.

His next business venture was a tire



ONE OF RHEA'S FAMOUS CHRISTMAS CARDS

store of his own in Colorado Springs. The business prospered, and his health improved. The store was sold out in 1916 about the time we were preparing for the World War. Under a physical defect waiver granted by the Surgeon-General of the United States, he was admitted to the Air Service, later serving with a commission at Kelly Field. It was here that a crack-up, causing a punctured lung and other complications, resulted in empyema. From that time forward, Mr. Rhea was not out of bed over one per cent of the time.

Realizing that he was permanently disabled, in 1918 he started looking for some type of occupation to carry on from his bedside. For some years, he had been interested in the writings of William Peter Hamilton, of the *Wall Street Journal*, on Dow Theory. Having some of the profits of the tire business left and a belief in the principles of Dow Theory, he decided to "shoot the works" in the market when things looked right. This he did, and, along with a successful real estate venture, "cleared up the financial skies somewhat, but my expenses were running about eight thousand dollars a year trying to keep alive." Realizing that some method of providing a steady income to defray his heavy expenses had to be found, in 1922 he organized an automobile finance company, which, over the next ten years, paid the stockholders over a quarter of a million dollars in dividends. All of this was supervised from his bedside, even though at times he was desperately ill.

For about ten years prior to 1931, he had been collecting notes on the Dow Theory, and from information and knowledge gained thereby, foresaw the 1929 depression and was able to govern his business activities accordingly, and came out unhurt. Likewise, in 1932, he "called" the end of the depression, and was able to take advantage of the long upswing in the market, and again recognized advantageously the end of a bull market.

Through correspondence and personal

calls, Rhea was "pestered" for financial advice. In 1930, he employed a disabled engineering officer to draft charts of the Dow-Jones averages at a final cost of several thousand dollars. To sell to those



ROBERT RHEA, Vanderbilt '08

who continually came to him for information, this was later printed in book form. He also wrote a book, *The Dow Theory*, which appeared serially in *Baron's* (over 100,000 copies of this book have been circulated), and, instead of decreasing demands for information as was hoped, it increased them. The increased demand for more information resulted in the starting of his financial service on November 12, 1932, in the form of a market letter, sent by air mail every ten days, known as *Dow Theory Comment*. Deploring the records behind most stock market forecasters, he constantly impressed upon his readers that there was no "sure way to beat the market," and that Dow Theory was not infallible. He reminded them that hard work and straight thinking, not "tips," were needed to come out on top.

From a small enterprise at first, this business conducted from his sick bed, aided by telephone to the desks of a modern downtown office, grew into one of

sizeable proportions, at times employing twenty-five to thirty-five persons, servicing six or seven thousand subscribers.

Fourteen years ago, Rhea employed Perry Greiner, *Colorado Beta '25*, later taking him into the business as a partner, and at his death leaving the continuation of the *Dow Theory Comment* to him. The following announcement by Perry Greiner to Rhea's subscribers gives a true character picture of Robert Rhea.

"In his fifty-two years Robert Rhea had led a very full and useful life, being keenly interested in all phases of modern existence and everything that happened throughout the world. He loved a good fight, and he never turned away from any cause which he believed was right. Always patient, tolerant, and understand-

ing of those who worked for and with him, he was a source of constant inspiration to everyone who came in contact with him in either a social or business way. Possessed of a dynamic personality, a brilliant intellect, and an expressive literary style, Robert Rhea had the fortunate faculty of projecting his personality into his writings, and through the medium of correspondence he had developed a host of loyal friends throughout the world. Even those who were critical of his views nevertheless respected his sincerity of purpose.

"Robert Rhea was a man in the truest sense of the word, and his passing will leave a lasting void in the hearts and lives of all who were privileged to know or be associated with him."

Memorial to a Great Phi

Review by GEORGE A. SCHUMACHER, *Butler '25*

A SIGNIFICANTLY different volume has just come to us from the press. It is *Vernon Kellogg*, a book made up of testimonial contributions from associates of Dr. Kellogg, *Kansas '89*, in a long life

of useful and humanitarian service, climaxed in relief work during the World War.

In the chapter written by Robert A. Millikan of Pasadena, Calif., we have the following adequate summary of the life of Vernon Kellogg.

"Vernon Lyman Kellogg was born on December 1, 1867, at Emporia, Kan., close both to the place and the date of birth of his intimate, life-long friend, William Allen White, two men who between them have given that little Kansas town a noteworthy place in the history of America. Graduating from the University of Kansas in 1889, he took the next four years to prepare himself for the life of a zoologist, his studies being conducted at the University of Kansas, Cornell, Leipzig, and Paris. In the quarter-century from 1894 to 1920 he worked in close association with David Starr Jordan at Stanford University, where he was Professor of Entomology and Lecturer in Bionomics. During this period he wrote eight books, most of them in collaboration with Dr. Jordan, on various aspects



VERNON LYMAN KELLOGG, *Kansas '89*

of zoology. These gave him his taste and revealed his talent for effective writing."

The war changed completely the course of Kellogg's life. Through his acquaintance with Herbert Hoover he became active and influential in the relief work in Belgium. Through his *Headquarters Nights* (1917), *The Food Problem* (1917), *Fighting Starvation in Belgium* (1918), *Germany in the War and After* (1919), *Herbert Hoover, the Man and his Work* (1920), he sprang into prominence as one of the effective political writers of the war period, while his administration of relief in Belgium (1915-16) and in Poland and Russia (1918-21) brought him recognition from France, Belgium, and Poland. He was made an officer of the Legion of Honor (France), Commander of the Order of the Crown (Belgium), Commander of the Order of Polonia Restituta (Poland), Commander of the Order of Leopold I (Belgium), and Recipient of the National Gold Medal (Poland)."

Kellogg never returned to academic life. Indeed, his period of greatest influence and accomplishment began in 1919, when he became permanent secretary of the National Research Council, and from then until the time of his retirement in December, 1931, through his building up of that organization, through his service as trustee and member of the executive committee of the Rockefeller Foundation, trustee of the Brookings Institution, trustee and chairman of the Executive Committee of Science Service, member of the National Academy of Sciences, member of the Executive Committee of the American Association for the Advancement of Science, etc., and his continuous series of contributions to the *Atlantic Monthly* and other of our literary journals, he exerted a potent influence upon the evolution of American scientific life.

When about 1930 he found himself stricken with the incurable malady known as Parkinson's disease, the quiet fortitude with which, with unimpaired mind but failing body, he faced this sentence won the admiration of all who

knew him intimately. On August 8, 1939, in the sanitarium at Hartford, Conn., four months before he had reached his



KELLOGG AND WHITE

Note that they are literally joined by the Sword and Shield

threescore years and ten, Vernon Lyman Kellogg passed away.

The book contains a total of 55 essays in appreciation of the work of Dr. Kellogg. The editor relates that more letters were submitted but "it has been necessary to make a selection from the many letters and tributes sent in. Naturally, many of them touched on the same phases of his activity." Among letters of appreciation included are those of Herbert Hoover, William Allen White, Dorothy Canfield Fisher, Ray Lyman Wilbur, Hugh Gibson, James R. Angell, Harlan F. Stone, Arthur Capper, and Raymond B. Fosdick. Several selections from Kellogg's numerous writings are also included.

To read the book is to appreciate again the fact that $\Phi\Delta\Theta$ has contributed another great soul to civilization in the life of Vernon Kellogg. To read of his ideals, personality, faith, and good works is a tonic to the soul in a period of spiritual starvation.

The Cruise of the *Patsy*

By RITTER COLLETT, *Ohio '42*

SAILING under the blue and white flag of $\Phi \Delta \Theta$, and manned by a Jolly Crew of Phis, the good scow *Patsy* navigated the Ohio and Mississippi rivers this summer on a thousand-mile cruise.

It was all in the way of spending a vacation for three Cleveland students, who wanted to see the inland water system as it really is to be seen—and at the same time collect a wager from fraternity brothers that they could not accomplish the somewhat unusual feat. But Capt. Bill Ensminger, Fred Lloyd, and Phikeia Dan Redington, all of Ohio Gamma, collected the wager after a two months' cruise in a 29-foot scow, powered by an

automobile motor lifted from a 1928 model car.

All through the spring this trio planned to make the trip. But it was well into July when the final steps were made for the eventful journey. There remained but one problem. The boys had to get a boat on the Ohio river.

Lloyd solved that problem by hitchhiking to Ironton, Ohio, where Norton Scott, *Ohio '39*, and the author helped him make necessary contacts. It wasn't long before the whole crew assembled, and on an early August morning, the *Patsy* put her nose westward into the waters of the Ohio.



FROM THE *Patsy's* LOG

Patsy and equipment represented a little over one hundred dollars in cost to the boys, but they sold her at New Orleans in late September for eighty-five dollars.

However, all was not well and good. *Patsy* dropped her propeller before they docked at Louisville, and various attempts to sell the boat enroute failed, because the boys were in a race against time. They planned to continue in a canoe if they could "unload" *Patsy*.

Perseverance conquered, however, when with a little more than seven dollars, a gallon of gasoline, and some pancake flour on board, the historic port of New Orleans saw the *Patsy* tie up, ending her eventful journey. Each man put in twenty-five dollars over and above the actual cost of the boat, besides equipment, and each agreed to put in no more or pay his passage back. Ensminger won the race back arriving a day before college opened.

Before the Mississippi was ever

reached, the boys were on a pancake diet, except for what fish they managed to catch from the stream and what "wild food" was available. They were forced to smoke their corn cob pipes and "makings"—and each river boat they boarded got the usual "cigarette touch." Ensminger found some muskmelons in Illinois, but they didn't eat them. "No wonder," related Lloyd, "for they turned out to be green pumpkins."

Ensminger, captain of the hearty crew, worked as Johnny Weissmuller's understudy in the Cleveland aquacade in 1937. He lost his amateur standing as a swimmer—took a year to regain it—turned down an offer from Billy Rose to go with his New York World's Fair show and is now swimming for Ohio University.

Lloyd, known as "Buzz" Lloyd, attained campus prominence at Ohio University by editing the *Ohioan*, college magazine—and Phikeia Redington, naturally enough, did the work of the crew.

A Phi of Distinction

By FREDERICK FERGUSON, *Alabama '40*

EVEN though the University of Alabama did not have the championship football team of the past, she had a captain that has been the toast of Southeastern Conference competition, the University campus, not to mention the brothers of Alabama Alpha. Cary Cox '40, has been a stalwart center in the Alabama line for the past three years. He was a member of the 1937 Rose Bowl team during his sophomore year.

However, Cary's talent does not stop on the football field. We have watched him rise to be one of the most popular students at Alabama. In his junior year Cox was elected to Jasons organization, a proof that he maintains a "B" average in scholarship (football players are not expected to devote too much time to their studies); O Δ K is another organiza-

tion to which Cox belongs, evidence of recognized leadership in student activi-



WILLIAM GARY COX, *Alabama '40*

ties. Socially no one has a better record; he is a member of the Cotillion Club which sponsors the big dances during the year.

As a soldier, Cary was not to be outdone. He was chosen a Lieutenant Colonel in the R.O.T.C., and Scabbard and Blade was another organization which honored him with membership.

And now in his last year of college Cary is still obtaining new honors. *Who's Who in American Colleges and Universities* has chosen him from the Alabama

campus. He has been selected on the Captains' All-American football team. Southeastern sports writers have put him on their All-Conference teams. Alabama Alpha nominates him as their candidate for the All-Phi team.

As William Cary Cox of Brainbridge, Ga., leaves our chapter to live in Birmingham, where he will enter the real estate and insurance fields, Alabama Alpha will always consider him the Ideal Phi, one of whom $\Phi\Delta\Theta$ may well be proud.

What a Phi Has Learned in a Year

(Notes from the address of Admiral Wat T. Cluverius, Member of the General Council, at the Atlantic Regional Conference, New York, December 1, 1939.)

FOR forty-five years I had experienced only the pleasure of foregathering with brothers at parties throughout the world. But when, a year ago, I was elected, without training, to the General Council, I learned really what our Fraternity means, and I have had the greatest returns in sharing problems and pleasures, happiness and troubles of 47,000 young men and old in our far-flung Brotherhood.

It has been for me a marvellous experience as I have moved throughout the land, to see busy men giving of their time and experience to the actives, steeped in the affection that is brought to those who wear the colors of $\Phi\Delta\Theta$. I

have seen how splendid young men work in their chapters and in their conferences, how elderly men have testified to their loyalty of half a century and more. I have seen our alumni clubs ready to lend a hand as our young untried brothers faced the world with their diplomas in their hands.

I have seen that our principles, handed down from the Founders, our ideals, working, even if imperfectly, in human nature, make not only good Phis, but fill the vital need of our nation today; for $\Phi\Delta\Theta$ is producing straight, educated, self-reliant citizens—essential if the Republic, beset as it is, is to survive.

As our young Phi goes out in the world, north, east, south, west, he is cheered by the refrain that is always in his heart:

"Though near or far
We always are
United in the Bond."

Book of Fraternity Poetry

MEMBERS of the Fraternity who have written verse are invited to contribute manuscripts for possible publication in an anthology of fraternity poetry now being prepared in New York City.

The anthology, to be entitled *The Greek Letter*, is being edited by Helen Bryant, distinguished poet and critic, and will be published about June 1 by Henry Harrison, New York poetry publisher.

Manuscripts should be mailed as early as possible, and before the March 25 deadline, to Miss Bryant, South Boulevard, Nyack, N.Y. A self-addressed, stamped envelope for the return of unacceptable material must accompany all manuscripts. The name of the author's fraternity must be specified with each poem. See the publisher's announcement on page 240.

Worthy Son of Worthy Sire

THE following sketch of WILLIAM LINDSAY WHITE, *Kansas '22*, by Frank C. Clough, appeared in *Editor and Publisher* November 18, 1939, and is reprinted by the courteous permission of that journal.—Ed.

W. L. (YOUNG BILL) WHITE, who sailed recently for Europe to write war news for a string of newspapers under a contract with the Des Moines Register-Tribune Syndicate, took with him the system of reporting he learned on the country town paper, the *Emporia Gazette*, which is edited by his famous father, William Allen White [*Kansas '90*]. That theory is that every man has a story if you can get it out of him and that the reaction of a crowd of spectators is just as important as the doings of the principals in an event.

So Bill is going to roam over the warring countries of Europe, generally leaving the big boys to the staff men of the press associations and newspapers and devoting his own time to talking with the men, women and children who make up the general public. During much of last summer and fall he proved that his system works and his writings are interesting, for he spent that time in Emporia, and wrote a daily column for the *New York Post*.

Bill, 39, grew up in a newspaper office. As a baby he was cradled in a wastebasket while his father and mother worked on the *Gazette*. As soon as he was big enough to carry a sack and hit a front porch, he was given a paper route. As a child he read about everything that was printed and when he reached high school, he naturally turned to writing. He wrote the high school news for the *Gazette* and worked on the school paper.

He began his college work at Kansas University, but a trip to Europe seemed more important before he had attended a year. Returning, he entered Harvard University from which he was graduated in 1924. After another visit in Europe,

he returned to Emporia and resumed work on the *Gazette*, where he had been a reporter during vacations. . . .



WILLIAM LINDSAY WHITE, *Kansas '22*

Following publication of his novel, *What People Said*, the story of a small town bond scandal, which was a "best seller," Bill quit his job on *Fortune* magazine and began free lancing. Many magazine and newspaper articles, mostly on social, political, and economic subjects, kept him busy until he began his daily column, "Take a Look," last summer.

Foreign languages will be no barrier to Bill. He speaks French so well, but with an accent, that during previous trips he was mistaken for a Belgian.

He speaks Italian well and can get by in conversational Spanish and German.

Emporians, who have known Bill and followed his writings from his boyhood, are immensely enjoying his European stories. These Emporians have read what the bigwigs are saying and doing and now they want to know what Bill finds out from the butcher, the baker, and the candlestick maker.

The Alumni Firing Line

ALBERT RENFREW PORTER, *Illinois '11*, is managing director of the Addressograph-Multigraph, Ltd., London. Following are excerpts from a letter from him which are reproduced here from the *Champaign Shout*, chapter paper of Illinois Eta:

"As I look out of my window here at my factory, where we employ about 600 people, I see great activity in the preparation of air raid shelters which are now practically complete. We have built underground shelters of pre-cast concrete reinforced slabs, to accommodate 600 people. . . .

"We have had to black out our entire factory which, to say nothing of expense, is a tremendous job, as all our factory buildings are fitted with skylights throughout, and we are obliged to black these out, because we are getting on to the winter days when darkness occurs any time from four o'clock on.

"In addition to that, of course, we have to make provision for working overtime at night. We are extremely busy supplying various departments of H. M. Government with our regular equipment, and in addition to that we are doing a certain amount of munition contracts. . . .

"All theatres and cinemas in London are only open in the afternoon and are obliged to close at 6 P.M. If one does go to a picture house, they flash on the screen that patrons will be given ample notice of air raid warnings and directions will be given to the nearest air raid shelters.

"From the above you would think there is little or no gaiety in London, but on the contrary, there is, but it certainly has taken a different form from that of a few weeks ago.

"In France I found things perhaps a little more normal than in London, inasmuch as the blackout was not so severe and the place was not so sandbagged, and the restaurants were a little more lively. I give the Frenchmen full credit, they certainly do take things in their stride. They have every confidence in M. Daladier and General Gamelin, and in the French air force and army, and in the British air force and navy, and, of course, the Maginot line.

"Speaking of the Maginot line, this brings up rather an awkward situation for me. I have a factory at Mulhouse which is situated between the Maginot line and the Siegfried line, so what! At the moment I cannot get goods in or goods out—it is a No. 1 military zone and as far as I am concerned, it is a dead issue for the time being."

DAVIS MONROE BARBER, *Purdue '25*, is with the Indiana Steel and Wire Company, Muncie, Ind.

CHARLES WESLEY WILLIAMS, *Case '32*, is the subject of the following press release from Case

School of Applied Science:

"A new course in Contemporary Literature will be offered for the first time next semester at Case School of Applied Science it was announced today by Dr. W. E. Wickenden, president. The new course, which will be among the non-technical options open to seniors, is made possible through the co-operation of Charles W. Williams, 1916 Powell Road, Cleveland Heights, a Case graduate in the class of 1932. Dr. Robert L. Shurter, assistant professor of English, has been selected to teach the new course.

"Mr. Williams has agreed to provide a weekly book review such as that published by the *New York Times* or *New York Herald-Tribune* for each man enrolled in the course up to a limit of fifty. In addition, he has offered to purchase selected books from among those reviewed, in sufficient numbers to assure that every student in the course may have prompt access to them. These materials will serve as a basis of study and discussion and the books so acquired are to serve as a growing collection of contemporary literature for the general library.

"In making this gift, Mr. Williams has expressed his desire 'to help Case School establish some kind of course of study which would allow students to obtain an insight into everyday affairs of other than a technical nature.' The donor is a member of the firm Fay, Colrick, Williams, and Fay, patent attorneys. He is a member of $\Phi \Delta \Theta$ Fraternity."

DANIEL M. COLLETTE, *Ohio State '15*, has been appointed manager of the newly formed Farm Management Service Company in Cincinnati, Ohio. Collette is a thoroughly practical man in the handling of livestock and all other problems in connection with the operation of farms. He is an extensive feeder of hogs. Dan Collette was raised on a farm; he spent two years at the College of Agriculture at the Ohio State University, was manager of Carleton College farms at Northfield, Minn., for four years, and was manager of a farmers' co-operative marketing organization in Minnesota. For the last seven years he has operated his own farms in Warren and Clermont Counties, Ohio.

The service Collette is offering is to assist city folk who own farms and want relief from the worry of farm operations by a highly specialized organization trained to handle farm operation problems efficiently and at low cost.

Brother Collette is Vice-President of the Alumni Club of Cincinnati.—DON T. KAISER.

WHEN Great Britain declared war in early September, the trustees of the Rhodes scholarships, following the precedent of twenty-five years ago,

suspended the scholarships for the duration, as the British say. All the scholars were instructed to return or remain at home. The 1939 scholars were ready to sail, and their bookings were cancelled; the men of the 1937 and 1938 classes were scattered all over Europe on vacation. With surprising speed, the Rhodes trustees, aided by the British government, got them out to Atlantic ports and arranged for their passage to America. To help in solving the urgent problems arising from the sudden interruption of the Rhodes men's plans, many American universities promptly offered scholarships and the Rhodes Trust provided funds for those whose needs were pressing. Our $\Phi\Delta\Theta$ Rhodes men from the United States have all enrolled in American universities, and, surprisingly enough, all are studying law. Robert C. Bates, *Montana '36*, is teaching social science and is a student of law at the University of Montana; James R. Gardner, *Swarthmore '37*, is in Columbia Law School; Karl R. Price, *Vanderbilt '35*, and Hector Currie, *Mississippi '39*, are in Yale Law School; Edward C. Freutel, *Iowa '39*, is in Harvard Law School. At this writing word has not been received concerning the final arrangements made by our two Canadian scholars, David E. Carey, *British Columbia '38*, and John Edwin Hodgetts, *Toronto '39*.

WILLIAM LEWIS FISHER, Ph.D., *Union '98*, Assistant Curator of the Commercial Museum of Philadelphia and special lecturer at the Franklin Institute, is receiving much favorable comment and credit for a special Christmas demonstration he conducted at the Fels Planetarium of the Franklin Institute during December. His beautiful dramatic demonstration of the First Christmas is entitled "the Heavens Declare." This consists of a showing of the exact appearance of the heavens with the location of the various fixed stars and planets as they were at the time of the birth of Christ. Two presentations were made each week-day and four on Saturdays with three lectures on Sunday and closing on New Year's Day when a special program and demonstration was given. Many of our local Philadelphia Phis heard Brother Fisher's lecture and were most enthusiastic in urging others to hear him.

A CORRECTION: In the obituary of Bernard V. Moore, in the November SCROLL, page 99, it was stated that the funeral service was conducted by the Reverend Thomas F. Watkins, *Colgate '18*, instead of the Reverend Gerald Watkins, *Colgate '21*. Thomas Watkins died more than a year ago. Both the author of the article and the editor deeply regret the error.

THE whole Fraternity will join in felicitating Judge ISAAC REYNOLDS HITT, *Northwestern '88*, and Mrs. Hitt, upon the completion of fifty years

of married life. Brother Hitt was the leader of the group that worked for the re-establishment of Illinois Alpha at Northwestern, which had been dormant since 1861, when the members all joined the Union Army, and he has been a devoted Phi ever since, serving the Fraternity in



many capacities. A facsimile of the card announcing their Golden Wedding is shown here.

DAVID HUBBARD SUTHERLAND, *Whitman '38*, is pursuing a special course at the University of Pennsylvania leading to an A.M. degree in Sociology. Brother Sutherland has made himself known to Philadelphia Phis by attending the weekly luncheons of the Alumni Club. He is making his home while in Philadelphia at the House of Industry, 716 Catherine Street, where he gets a close-up of local settlement work which he finds helpful in the course he is following at the University.

HOWARD DOSTAL, *Purdue '38*, graduated from the Aviation School at Pensacola last summer, and has been assigned to the airplane carrier *Ranger*, based at Norfolk, Va.

WALKER WILSON MILNER, *Whitman '28*, First Lieutenant, U. S. Army, is detailed as instructor in mathematics at West Point Military Academy.

LAURANCE WILSON McDougall, *Washington (St. Louis)* '35, is supervisor of the St. Louis Agency of the Mutual Benefit Life Insurance Company. Brother McDougall brought much credit to himself, to his company, and to $\Phi\Delta\Theta$ by submitting a prize-winning essay in a contest conducted in connection with the convention of the National Association of Life Underwriters held in St. Louis last September. The title of his essay was "The Contribution of American Life Insurance to American Life." For his masterful presentation of his essay to the National Convention Brother McDougall received a plaque of the Life Underwriters Association. He is a member of the board of the St. Louis Underwriters Association and President of the Young Men's Division. He joined the Mutual Benefit's St. Louis office soon after leaving college and became a supervisor in 1937. He was awarded the C.L.U. designation (Chartered Life Underwriter) in September 1939. During his college days he played guard on the Washington U's football team which won the Missouri Valley championship in 1934. He is well known by Phis in St. Louis because of his activity in alumni work.

DRS. CHARLES HUNTER SHELDEN, '28, DON HARGARD PATTISON, '30, and WILSON WEISEL, '35, all of Wisconsin Alpha, are with the Mayo Clinic, Rochester, Minn. Brother Weisel has a fellowship there.

RALPH SCOTT MUELLER, *Nebraska* '98, founder of the Mueller Electric Company, of Cleveland, and widely known for his interest in civic affairs,

was recently installed as president of the Cleveland Citizens League.

CHARLES EVERETT BROWN, *Chicago* '13, who is engaged in the insurance business in Los Angeles, has been made a national committeeman of the Chicago University Alumni Foundation, whose first objective is an alumni gift to be presented at the fiftieth anniversary celebration of the University in 1941.

DR. HERBERT BEECH WRIGHT, *Wisconsin* '20, captain and medical officer of the 112th Observation Squadron, Ohio National Guard, was elevated to the presidency of the Aero Medical Association at the association's convention in Hollywood, Fla., in November.

ARTHUR AMZI ROGERS, *Idaho* '06, field representative of the Federal Land Bank of Spokane, was appointed October 18 as State Superintendent of Banks for Oregon. Before his association with the Federal Land Bank he was president of the First National Bank of Eugene, Ore.

CHARLES WHEELER CARD, *Iowa* '29, has been elected president for 1940 of the Big Ten Club of Memphis. This club sponsors the Cotton Carnival track meet, which assembles each year at Memphis the foremost track stars from all over the country.

LESTER MARION COOLEY, *Purdue* '27, is vice-president of the Cooley Gravel Company, Denver, Colo., and is engaged in gold mining at Pine-cliff, Colo., and Townsend, Mont.

A Note from the Library

ONE of the popular features of the highly successful Centenary celebration of $B\Theta\Pi$, at Oxford, Ohio, last August, was the Banta Memorial Library of our fraternity.

The scores of visitors who thronged $\Phi\Delta\Theta$ Headquarters were impressed with the attractiveness of the library and its contents. Everyone was interested in the unique plan for contributions by Phis, wherewith to perpetuate it.

Every effort is being made to stimulate the growth of the library so that at the time of our Centennial in 1948, it will

be embodied in a new and beautiful Centennial Headquarters building, and will constitute an enduring memorial to a great and beloved leader of $\Phi\Delta\Theta$.

Carl Zwick is doing a fine job. Keep his work in mind. Contributions in any form are always welcome. Legacies will insure the realization of well founded plans.

When in the Midwest, do not fail to visit this cultural gem, and Old Miami, too. It will enhearten any Phi.—W. T. CLUVERIUS, Chairman Library Committee.

The Alumni Club Activities

CHICAGO

CHICAGO Alumni Club has been increasing its attendance through 1939. We have averaged five more men per meeting over 1938. In checking over the reasons for the increase, many possibilities have been



PAUL WHITNEY EMPHASIZES THE CHICAGO CLUB'S INVITATION

recognized. Perhaps it was the more central position of our luncheons in the Loop, or possibly better business has caused more men to take more time at luncheon with less gripe from the management. However, a significant and potent cause is that we Chicago Phis are positively the most congenial gang in the world. Our luncheons fit every budget, from busboy to president. A half-buck will buy a complete luncheon and a five-cent stogie.

In spite of Purdue being a hundred and fifty miles away, and having a smaller representation in the Chicago territory than other local institutions, they have the greatest average representation. Frank Lewis is largely responsible for this showing. It would be excellent to see some other colleges have a larger representation. Bob Schott, new president of the Northwestern bunch, should really swing a large group over to the luncheons.

A Christmas party is planned for December 22 that should be a classic. Everyone attending should bring a present costing not over two bits. Past experience has proven that such gifts are difficult to wrap, and should be disinfected before bringing.

Every past, present, or future Phi is cordially invited to all Friday noon luncheons. They are held at Harding's Restaurant, seventh floor, in the Fair Store, Adams at Dearborn.—PAUL H. WHITNEY, *Secretary*.

CINCINNATI

It is a custom of long standing for the Cincinnati Alumni Club to get together shortly before Christmas Day. Many times this get-together has been held during a noon hour, several times an evening affair. The 1939 party is to be a banquet affair. It is our

attempt to make this Christmas party one of the most successful and enjoyable parties of its kind ever held by this organization.

The President of the Cincinnati Alumni Club, Don T. Kaiser, together with the able assistance of Brother Ben E. Tate have made the following arrangements, which certainly promise to make this Christmas party outstanding 13 at 6:30 P.M. in the main ballroom of the University Club. A delicious full course turkey dinner will be served.

Immediately following the dinner a small-change collection will be taken up, the proceeds to be used to purchase some suitable gift for the Cincinnati Children's Orphanage. Following will be a brief talk by the only speaker of the evening and our guest, Mr. John J. Rowe, president of the Fifth Third Union Trust Company of Cincinnati.

A very attractive invitation card was sent to all alumni members displaying a laughing Santa Claus, the $\Phi\Delta\Theta$ crest, and a caption "I'm going! Are you?"

From all indications at the present time we are expecting to have a very fine turn out. A successful $\Phi\Delta\Theta$ banquet cannot be judged by the number that attend but by the spirit and enthusiasm that is shown and the true enjoyment that is derived from these affairs.—DON T. KAISER, *President*.

DALLAS

THE Dallas alumni are meeting regularly on the first and third Friday of every month at 12:15 on the balcony of the Golden Pheasant Restaurant.

We have been having a large crowd out for every luncheon, and among those who are in regular attendance are: Bently Young, *Kentucky '16*, the general manager of the National Casket Company; Tom Was-



BEN E. TATE, Vanderbilt '10
He managed the Cincinnati Christmas Party

sell, *S.M.U.* '34, attorney with the Employers Casualty Company; Walton Head, *Dartmouth* '29, head of claim department with the Employers Casualty Company; O'Hara Watts, *S.M.U.* '35, city agent in Employers Casualty Company; Al Dealey, *Texas* '37, with the *Dallas Morning News*; Ben Dechard, *Texas* '36, in the advertising department of the *Dallas Morning News*; Charles Seay, *Texas* '36, who has been setting sales records as the leading agent of the Southland Life Insurance Company; Bill Bowdry, *Cornell* '26, vice-president of the Dallas Foundry Company; James Holliday, *Texas* '36, in the investment department of the Life Insurance Company of Virginia; George Seay, *Texas* '32, member of the law firm of Malone, Lipscomb, White, and Seay; Wilson Higginbotham, *Texas* '20, associated with the large dry goods wholesale house of Higginbotham-Bailey-Loggan; Harvey Penland, *Texas* '36, in the law firm of Touchstone, Wight, Gorman, and Price; Dr. George Underwood, *Southwestern* '14, specializing in internal medicine; George Griffiths, *S.M.U.* '22, assistant manager of the Griffiths Lumber Company; Dr. George K. Wassel, *S.M.U.* '31, former professor in the Medical School of Michigan is now practicing surgery in Dallas; Jack Foxworth, *Texas* '30, with the Foxworth, Galbraith Lumber Company; James Collins, *S.M.U.* '37, with the Valley Broadcasting Company and the Fidelity Union Life Insurance Company; Bill Rembert, *Davidson* '31, *Texas* '34, attorney with Thompson, Knight, Baker, Harris and Wright; John Pace, *S.M.U.* '29, *Texas* '31, associated with Webster Atwell law offices; John Outland, *Kansas* '29, who is the aggressive young manager of the Sanger Hotel; Ayers Compton, *Southwestern* '29, *Texas* '31, who is director of Public Safety with the City of Dallas; Karl Kretlow, *Lawrence* '33, who is chief engineer with the prospering Pollock Paper and Box Company; Tad Adoue, *Texas* '32, National Bank of Commerce; Ben Boren, *Texas* '32, and Sam Boren, *Texas* '34, law partners in the firm of Boren and Boren; Dick Henderson, *Texas* '36, in the law office of Coke and Coke; Jack Maxson, *Texas* '35, with the Maxson Insurance Agency; Junie Rose, *Texas* '35, agent of the Southwestern Life Insurance Company; Dick Scurry, *Texas* '26, and Bill Scurry, *Texas* '29, law partners in the firm of Scurry and Scurry; Irion Worsham, *Texas* '33, an attorney with Worsham, Burrow and Worsham.—JAMES M. COLLINS, *Secretary*.

DETROIT

THE Annual Founders Day banquet and business meeting was held in the Downtown Club, October 17. Brother Russell Barnes, commentator and news writer for the *Detroit News* made an interesting talk on the war in Europe.

The following officers for the coming year were elected: president, F. W. Bob Marshall; vice-president, H. W. Pat Clarke, Jr.; secretary-treasurer, Charles R. Eckert.

On October 31 our new treasurer sent out the following letter which we feel worthy of publication: "Dear Brother Phi:

"Uncle Otis Jones of Greenfield, Ohio, was the champion cusser of Highland County. No one within a radius of twenty miles of my boyhood village could begin to match profanity with him whenever his vitriolic nature gave way to either a major or minor upset. Even when perfectly calm he could spot any corner six cusswords to one and still beat him hands down, purely by means of accent and voice inflection. When angered his language for sheer obscenity could never have been equaled by Chaucer, Boccaccio,

Rabelais, or Fanny Hill performing at their best.

"One day in 1918, Company 'G' our local unit of the Ohio National Guard, was leaving for the war. The entire population was gathered around the little red B & O station to see them off. Thirty minutes before train time, Uncle Otis was seen driving his team of grays up the hill leading to the station. It was evident to all that he was bringing a load of freshly dug potatoes to the local market. Just before he reached the top of the hill the end-gate of the wagon jostled loose and to the dismay of all assembled at the station every single potato trickled out and pummeled pell-mell down the curbing of the road. When Uncle Otis discovered his loss, his face became flushed; his eyes flashed fire; quietly he climbed down off the wagon.

"The station crowd started to form lines with Uncle Otis in the center. Some women ran for cover. Parents instructed the smaller children to put their fingers in their ears. Uncle Otis surveyed his vanishing potatoes. A hush fell upon his audience—then in a loud clear voice he said: 'Folks, I know what you are all expectin' but for once in my life, I just don't feel equal to the occasion.'

"That is exactly how your newly elected treasurer felt the other night following the alumni dinner when twenty-one loyal Phis each thrust upon him their \$3.00 in dues for the club year just then beginning. Within ten short minutes more money was placed in the treasury of our Alumni Association than was turned in all last year when dues were only a dollar. Like Uncle Otis, your Treasurer was speechless. He'll be even more speechless when the next group of twenty-one brothers send in their dues. If you want to make him completely inarticulate, all you need to do is put your check for \$3.00 in the enclosed return envelope.

"Yours for a treasury adequate to our needs. Cordially in the Bond, Charles R. Eckert."

The results of this letter were very satisfactory.

November 10 a good luncheon crowd heard Brother H. P. Holmes report on the four thousand dollar reconditioning program of the chapter house at Ann Arbor which he supervised last summer, and the recent Los Angeles Convention of the National Association of Real Estate Boards at which he lectured and where he was elected president of the National Institute of Real Estate Management of the National Association of Real Estate Boards.

November 18 Brother Ken Owens made an interesting talk on the effect embargo lifting will have on the market for stock and bonds.

The Michigan-Ohio State football luncheon was held in the Varsity Room of the Downtown Club on November 24. Michigan Alpha, Ohio Zeta, and the Columbus Alumni Club were invited to have lunch with us the day before the game and to hear Brother Harry G. Kipke, former player and coach at Ann Arbor who is now a Regent of the University of Michigan. Through the kindness of Brother Judge Bearden, those present were entertained by "the Wizard of Alpha and Zeta," otherwise known as Elmer Soncrant who showed the boys some clever stunts.

The luncheon on December 1 was devoted to a discussion of plans for the Christmas party.

On December 8 Brother Lewis Flint, head of the Citizens Committee of Detroit told of his recent activities in warring on the racketeers and strikers.

On December 16 in the Detroit Leland Hotel "the most gigantic, the most stupendous $\Phi\Delta\Theta$ Christmas party since 1928 will be held.

Great programs have been planned for the coming year.—F. W. MARSHALL, *President*.

FOX RIVER VALLEY

At the annual business meeting, Nathan H. Bergstrom, *Lawrence '16*, was chosen as President for the ensuing year, succeeding Roy H. Purdy, *Lawrence '11*. Hayward S. Biggers, '31, was chosen Secretary-Treasurer to succeed Russell C. Flom '24. The meeting was held at the home of Brother Purdy in Appleton, with forty-five members of the Fraternity in attendance. At the same time, a business meeting of the Theta Phi Corporation, householding body for Wisconsin Beta, was held, and full discussion of the proposed housing plan of Lawrence College was had. It was voted by the corporation to accept the terms of the college and thus, if the plan goes through, Wisconsin Beta will be assured of a new and beautiful fraternity house. Announcement of the plan will be made as soon as other fraternities at Lawrence give official sanction to the program, at which time we hope to have a full descriptive article for the SCROLL.—H. S. BIGGERS, *Secretary*.

HARRISBURG

THE Harrisburg Alumni Club swung into a rather late but vigorous opening of its fall and winter campaign with a resumption of its weekly luncheon meetings at the University Club every Tuesday noon, 9 North Front Street, this city. The attendance at the luncheon meetings has picked up encouragingly through the fall weeks, with many new faces of younger Phis, who have just joined the alumni body, in evidence. There is still a small group of veterans, who attend the luncheon meetings with religious devotion, and on the part of these few faithful and with the encouragement of the younger brothers a spirited effort is being made to arouse the interest of the well over one hundred Phis in this community to lend their presence in this weekly affair. With the recent change in dining room personnel, new and more attractive lunches have become available for the Phi diners and this alone should encourage a larger response by many of our absent brothers.

Howard Edwards and Fred Morgan, of this city, have both accepted legal positions with the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, as legal assistant and Deputy Attorney General, respectively. Brother Elliott, formerly an active leader in all Harrisburg Alumni events, has been transferred to Philadelphia by the Department of Labor and Industry, where he is in charge of important actuarial work of the State Workmen's Insurance Fund. Brother Pennell, formerly Orphans Court Judge in Dauphin County, has been prominently engaged in the past year as counsel for the defendants in three of the Commonwealth's searching inquiries into alleged irregularities on the part of many former important state officials and cabinet members.

The club has received reports to the effect that an unusually large number of local boys have been pledged to our adjacent chapters at Dickinson, Gettysburg, and Penn State. This means that we shall probably have as many $\Phi\Delta\Theta$ alumni in the Harrisburg area, in the near future, as three or four of the other most largely represented fraternities in this vicinity put together. All of which indicates the Founders Day banquet this March under the direction of President Syter should be an outstanding event, for which plans are being presently formulated.—Ed. C. First, Jr., *Secretary*.

NEW YORK

ACTIVITIES along the alumni front in New York are gaining their usual momentum in working up to another grand climax at the Hotel Commodore on Founders Day, March 15. The banquet held in connection with the Atlantic Regional Conference was one of the most inspiring Phi affairs ever held in New York as described elsewhere in the SCROLL.

November seems a long way back, but the men who attended the November dinner will not forget soon the fascinating illustrated lecture given by Brother Sam Binkley, *Oklahoma '30*, one of the foremost cancer specialists in the country. This program brought out many of our doctors, and made them "regulars."

The January dinner is to be held on the tenth at the Hotel Shelton and another exceptional treat is scheduled. President Phil Barbour went after Edwin B. George, *Pittsburgh '17*, economist and associate editor of *Dun's Review*, and Brother George will go after "1940 and the Factors Affecting the Outlook." Since there would seem to be plenty of these, one of the hottest of Phi forums is expected.

The Every Friday luncheon, 12:30 at the New York State Chamber of Commerce, 65 Liberty St., is a very successful institution. There are always at least twenty men there. Many attend every week and friendships are being formed in this circle which are coming to mean considerably more than the usual bond of brotherhood, as warm as that is.

Men who have been graduated recently are warned not to let shyness deprive them of the worth and pleasure of $\Phi\Delta\Theta$ after college. They are urged to telephone or write the Secretary of the New York club and connect once and for all. The Secretary is: Donald C. Hays, One Wall Street, New York; Telephone, Digby 4-0470.—Ed W. Goode, *Reporter*.

PHILADELPHIA

THE changing character of the college fraternity, particularly its business aspect, was emphasized by O. J. (Jake) Tallman, *Lafayette '24*, member of the General Council and erstwhile President of Rho Province, in a decidedly interesting summary of late $\Phi\Delta\Theta$ news and policy. His remarks were informal and pungent, appropriate to the occasion, which was the monthly "speaker" luncheon of the Philadelphia group, Wednesday, November 15, 1939.

Presided over by President W. W. Whetstone, the thirty assembled Phis also went into business session and selected Saturday, March 16, 1940, as the date for the Founders Day celebration. Brother Bill Bailey is working on the arrangements and promises a worthy speaker.

The business session also authorized a resolution expressing its disapproval of Hell Week as an outworn institution.

President Whetstone then introduced Brother Charles Alvin Jones, *Williams '09*. Brother Jones, recently appointed to the U. S. Circuit Court of Appeals, took his oath of office on August 5, 1939. In acknowledging the introduction, Judge Jones spoke entertainingly of some of his experiences in Pennsylvania's last gubernatorial election.

The luncheon was held at the Arcadia Restaurant, which has been reopened under Kugler management. The Arcadia will be the official meeting place for our Wednesday luncheons at 12:30 until further notice.

The business man has a problem, according to Guy H. Bloom, *Pennsylvania '14*, that used to be just

somebody's individual bard luck. Speaking at the noon luncheon at the Arcadia Restaurant on Wednesday, December 13, 1939, Brother Bloom pointed out that the support of the unemployed is a responsibility that cannot be evaded, and that it will be to the advantage of industry to stretch a point wherever possible to provide normal employment.

Opening with a reference to the history of relief efforts, Brother Bloom sketched the growth of efficient methods of handling new and changing problems. A barrage of questions from the floor brought out the political angle and racial problems, among others. Since his recent assumption of the duties of Executive Director of the Philadelphia County Board of assistance, Director Bloom has insisted on efficient supervision of relief problems in spite of the usual efforts to sacrifice efficiency for political considerations. He has built up a fine organization that holds down the cost of administration to 6 per cent of total relief costs.

Brother Walt Whetsone, President of the Alumni Club of Philadelphia, presided. A Phi who has just recently come to Philadelphia, David H. Sutherland, *Whitman '37*, was asked to thank the speaker in behalf of the club. As a specialist in social service problems, Brother Sutherland fulfilled his assignment with appropriate comments. He is pursuing graduate studies in his chosen field while getting first-hand contact with practical problems.—GEORGE T. STREET, Jr., *Reporter*.

PORTLAND

INCREASING in popularity, our luncheon crowds are growing, with more of the old gang returning and new faces showing each week. There's lots of fun there if you look for it. Each week a new argument presents itself—football, the war, politics, taxes, and even at times, *we talk sense*. The brothers who persistently miss these friendly conclaves are passing up a real opportunity to keep young and be happy. It's worth your while, brothers, to set aside an hour each week to relax and enjoy the association of Phis. Lunches are fifty cents—good food—good service, and a nice room in which to meet. Plan to get there.

Some of the good brothers seem to have the idea that they must pay dues before they can attend luncheons. That is not true. Come anyway—come often and be assured that no effort will be made to collect dues at the luncheons. This is one organization that *does not* need a large sack to keep our money in— all we need is enough to keep ahead of the hounds, and just at this time, we are out in front.

Interest in Founders Day is developing early. The song contest will be bigger and better. Your secretary has a letter from Washington Alpha assuring us that they will compete. Each chapter in the Northwest is invited to participate, and it is expected that all will come. A crowd of over three hundred will be on hand. Tell all your Phi friends about it. Mark the date on your calendar, March 16.—CHARLES L. STIDD, *Secretary*.

SAN FRANCISCO

ON Tuesday noon, November 21, some half-a-hundred Phis gathered for their annual Pre-Big-Game luncheon at the San Francisco Commercial Club. Both competing varsities were well represented by such members of the squads as Brothers Standlee, Johanson, Meinos, and Thompson from Stanford and Brothers Chapman, Hoberg, Folmer, and President Paul Eckley from California. Under the experienced guidance of Toastmaster Morrie Morrison, sports writer of the *San Francisco Chronicle*, the boys gave

a pretty clear picture of the situation, and a fine group of upstanding young men they are indeed. The speaker of the occasion, par excellence, of course, was Scotty Hendricks, who sounded the clarion call of $\Phi\Delta\Theta$ in a way which thrilled us all.

The finale consisted of trotting out the good old Bingo boards. In order to recoup President Sam Dunmire for his generous financial advances to the treasury, from time to time, it has been our practice at regular luncheons to play five games at ten cents a game, the club taking a dime out of each pot so that no one can win or lose more than fifty cents. But the brothers remained to test their luck far beyond the usual hour for adjournment, resulting in a real shot in the arm for the treasury.

Our Thursday luncheons will continue through the winter. Our next big party will be in February at my studio.—JOHN GARTH, *Secretary*.

SEATTLE

THREE successful meetings have marked the 1939 fall season of the Seattle Alumni Club. The first, held in October, gave the Club an opportunity to play host to the Pledge Class from Washington Alpha. At the close of the meeting comments from all sides were made that it had been one of the finest gatherings in the history of Seattle Phi activities. The main speaker was Brother Charles Martin, head of the political science department at the University of Washington. Brothers Art Lee and Newman Clark gave short talks to acquaint the new pledges with some of the fine things that $\Phi\Delta\Theta$ stands for. An attendance record for a regular meeting was smashed with over one hundred in attendance.

The meeting in December was marked by the attendance of the sophomore class from Washington Alpha. Shepherded by Chuck Garrett, the newly elected president of the chapter, the guest sophomores made a fine impression on the Alumni Club. George Earley, vice-president of the American Federation of Labor for the State of Washington, gave the main talk. Brother Charles Gaches came down from Mount Vernon to get the machinery started for putting Seattle in the running for the 1942 General Convention. Some definite plans were formulated, all of which will be announced at a later date. In passing, enough cannot be said regarding the fine manner in which Charley has been helping the Seattle Alumni Club. If the other Phi organizations in the Northwest are getting the same help, and we are sure they are, Charley Gaches will leave a record behind him that will stand as a pattern for others to follow.

A few short words about the new interest that has been shown in the Seattle Club. The increased attendance at the meeting, the more than doubling of our dues-paying members, the close co-operation going on with the active chapter at Washington, the healthy financial condition (we are in the black and have money in the bank), the gratifying attendance of many Phis from chapters other than Washington Alpha, the planned meetings, the publishing of a monthly news letter, these are some of the fine results that this new interest has brought about.—ROBERT MORT FRAYN, *Reporter*.

STATE OF WEST VIRGINIA

THE annual meeting of West Virginia Phis has been scheduled for May 4, 1940, at the Ruffner Hotel, Charleston, W.Va. There will be a district meeting at Bluefield, W.Va., during January. Regular monthly luncheons on the second Monday in each month are being held at Charleston at McKee's Cafeteria at 12 o'clock, noon.—DAVID G. LILLY, Jr., *Secretary*.



Chapter News in Brief



ALABAMA ALPHA, UNIVERSITY OF ALABAMA.—Intramural sports are in full swing and at the present time we are among the leaders. In football we reached the semi-finals, where we lost to the A.T.O.'s by a margin of 12 points. Previous to the semi-finals we had won our bracket by defeating seven other teams. We likewise reached the semi-finals in the golf tournament. The ΔKE's were on their game and managed to eke out a three and two victory. Burton Curry was recently tapped T.B.I.I. His average for the past three years has been straight A's. Cary Cox has been selected in *Who's Who in American Colleges*. Slemmons, who has been hampered by injuries for the past three years, played his best football in the last three games for Alabama. DeGraffenried is a member of Blackfriars and will take the lead in the next play. Our chapter has given two house dances and a Christmas party. In December we held a house party to which prospective rushees for next year were invited. Entertainment in the form of dances, dates, and games was given them throughout the week-end. Plans are under way for our annual mid-winter houseparty. Invitations have been extended to girls throughout the South. The alumni always turn out for this occasion. Kidd, Bowron, J. Butler, W. Snow, Ed. Snow, and Chichester have been selected to take the C.A.A. flight training course offered at Alabama.—**FREDERICK FERGUSON, Reporter.**

ALBERTA ALPHA, UNIVERSITY OF ALBERTA.—This chapter announces the forthcoming marriages in December, of Don McLaws to Miss Pauline Pittfield of Edmonton, and Lloyd Hutton to Miss Kathleen Beach of Gleichen. Bud Cheney and Doug Smith with Phikeia Stuart are fast proving themselves to be key men on the Alberta Golden Bear hockey team. Phikeia Simpson is playing left wing for the E.A.C.'s Alberta's Western Canada junior hockey champions. Phikeia Dixon has secured a berth on the varsity basketball team. Phikeia Harry Leggett was elected president of the junior class this year while Gore was elected secretary. The annual father and mother tea is expected to be held shortly after Christmas.—**H. MUNRO HOPE, Reporter.**

BRITISH COLUMBIA ALPHA, UNIVERSITY OF BRITISH COLUMBIA.—As a result of fall rushing the following men were pledged: H. Gray, N. Goode, and A. Hurst, Vancouver; J. MacDonald, Victoria; H. Poulson, Saanich; and J. Ryan, Nanaimo. Freshman rushing commenced at the opening of the spring term. Main talk among the brothers these days is the "Phi Delt Bungalow" we hope to build this summer. Plans are proudly displayed in the chapter house and a committee of alumni is hard at work completing arrangements. Hospins is business manager of the year book, *The Totem*. Ritchie is president and Phikeia Gardiner is athletic representative of Arts '41. Lynoit is treasurer of Science '41. Goode is on the Open House committee. McLellan, I.F.C. prexy, attended the Western Regional Interfraternity conference held in Seattle, November 24-26, as delegate from U.B.C. Hoskins arranged and McLellan was M.C. for a smoker sponsored by I.F.C. Doug Alexander and Phikeia Ryan are "hoopin' 'er up" with the senior basketball squad. Phikeia Gardiner, guard, Donegan, senior manager, Meredith and McBryde, as-

sociate managers, were members of the varsity football team which was undefeated and untied in league and intercollegiate play. The chapter rugby team was declared interfraternity champions. Homecoming festivities were featured by a parade through the business section of Vancouver, sponsored by the fraternities, the highlight of which was Joe Pearce and McBurney in a dog house, robed in pajamas, advertising the football game. An invitation from the Portland Alumni club to send a glee club to compete at its Founders Day banquet with the other chapters of the Northwest, was received with much enthusiasm and it is hoped we will be represented. Among recent visitors to the house have been Bruce Knowlton, Nova Scotia Alpha, and Bill Langford, Kentucky Epsilon.—**WILLIAM WALLACE, Reporter.**

CALIFORNIA ALPHA, UNIVERSITY OF CALIFORNIA.—Recapitulating events of the past semester, the annual duck dinner, with head football coach Stub Allison and assistant coaches Irv Uteritz and Walt Gordon being the chief speakers, together with the annual costume dance with its Barbary Coast theme, marked the high lights of a successful fall season. California, aided by three California Alpha men, Dick Folmer, Carl Hoberg, and Jack Chapman wound up the football season by defeating Stanford by a score of 32 to 14. All three are sophomores. Will Rogers and Hank Zacharias received Jay Vee letters for their efforts on the Rambler football squad. Similarly, Jack Sloan and Bob Shoemaker received their frosh numerals for participation with the freshman football team that lost but one game this year to Stanford. Bob Smith captained our freshman water polo team through a successful season. Bill Forney and Jim L'Hommedieu are representatives on the varsity ski team. Alden Peterson and Wayne Welcome looked good in freshman fall crew practice. Jack Lafitte, Chuck Hawkins, and Jim Nutting are running for the track squad, Dick David and Dick DeGolia will be out for varsity baseball and Bob DeGolia and Bob Innes for swimming. The improvements of the yard by the alumni club has led to the development of a combined basketball, volleyball, and badminton court which provides excellent recreation.—**WILLIAM BEAL, Reporter.**



HOMECOMING AT U.B.C.

CALIFORNIA BETA, STANFORD UNIVERSITY.—On the football team were Standlee, Coldiron, Johansen, Willard, Meiners, and Thompson, with Standlee and Coldiron candidates for All-Coast honors. Anderson, Oakford, and Smith represented the Phis in basketball. Stanford's successful soccer team enrolled Clark, Swafford, and Easton. Hoover and Burns played first-string water polo. The track team boasts of shotputter Alan Grey and Tom Dillon who shows promise of being one of Stanford's greatest distance men. Larry Dee is number one man on the tennis team in his first year of competition. Howard Adam, Far Western diving champion, promises to be the best intercollegiate on the Coast this year. MacDuffie is a returning letterman on the ski team. Other fields of endeavor found Weaver, Maino, Adamson, Gore, and Blackburn active members of the Stanford flying club. Hoover is secretary of the interfraternity council. Head yell-leader John Seamans kept the Stanford spirit at a high peak despite a poor season. Coldiron and Gore represented the Phis on the Axe Society. Stan Swafford is president of the Publications Council and manager of the *Chaparral*. Wyman is outstanding in debate and holds the office of president of the Stanford political union. Weaver and Oakford were elected to T. B. Seamans and Oakford were elected to $\Phi\Phi$.—WILSON CLARKE, *Reporter*.

CALIFORNIA GAMMA, UNIVERSITY OF CALIFORNIA AT LOS ANGELES.—Our fine pledge class has shown great possibilities for the future. McCallum and Fellows joined the active chapter several weeks ago and were feted at a formal dance. DeVere recently put on the largest Homecoming the school has ever witnessed. The *Class* under Hoag's leadership has become the foremost college picture magazine in the country. Hoag, McCallum, Simpson, and DeVere were initiated into $\Phi\Phi$, while Graf and Lakenan joined Scabbard and Blade. Graf was elected the first president of the new aviation society of the Student Training Pilot Course. Simpson has come along in late season to be the outstanding end on the U.C.L.A. undefeated team. Johns starts his first seasons as head basketball coach. We have spent a very active social season which will be climaxed by a formal dance to be given in co-operation with K. A. G. New Years Eve will find the brothers joining with $\Theta\Theta$ in the annual New Years party. Dec. 11 the younger alumni were toasted at a smoker given by the active chapter. They have expressed their desire to reciprocate in the near future, hence we are looking forward to a very active relation between alumni and the active chapter.—RICHARD ROCHE, *Reporter*.

COLORADO ALPHA, UNIVERSITY OF COLORADO.—Since the last issue of the SCROLL, Colorado Alpha has added three new Phikeias, bringing the pledge class to eighteen for the fall quarter: Robert Hepplewhite, of Walsenburg; Frank Scott, of Storm Lake, Iowa; and Leonard Lewis, of Cheyenne, Wyo. Seven men were initiated this quarter into active membership: John Eaton, of Boulder; John Forney, of Glenwood Springs; Arch McKeever, of Norwood; Frank Rose, of Grand Junction; Fred Fisher and Robert Adams, of Denver; and Merlin Mills, of Boulder. Jay Combs was the only Colorado Alpha man to win his varsity football letter this season, and George Belders numeralled for his work on the frosh team. The chapter is looking forward to a good intramural basketball season this year with Downing, Carbanati, and McCormick, three lads from Durango, forming the spearhead. New Xi Province president, Don D. Joslyn, is giving splendid co-operation to Colorado

Alpha, and we wish to extend our appreciation to him and the Denver Alumni Club.—WILLIAM L. PUTTY, *Reporter*.

COLORADO BETA, COLORADO COLLEGE.—In intramural sports, our team took second in touch football and at present we are leading the league in volleyball with four consecutive victories. In the finals of intramural boxing we have five men, three of whom are last year's champions. Our homecoming house decoration was given a unanimous first place. Van Wert was elected A.S.C.C. dance manager, and Harmston was in charge of the International Relations conference convention held here. Price, Van Wert, Leahy, and Harmston were four of the twelve men elected to Red Lantern Club, honorary senior men's organization. Our position in that club was made even stronger by Leahy's election as its president, and Harmston's election as secretary. The combined chapters of Xi Province in conjunction with the alumni of Denver are giving a dance in Denver on December 16.—SCOTT A. HOLMAN, *Reporter*.

FLORIDA ALPHA, UNIVERSITY OF FLORIDA.—Emmet Smith was tapped by Blue Key; Newton Heuberger was elected president of A. Φ Ω . John Crago is a charter member of Π Γ M . Harry Brown and Peter Manson are cadet captains in the Field Artillery Unit and both are members of the Florida chapter of Scabbard and Blade. At the present time we are in second place in intramurals, only 13 points behind the leaders, having won ping pong doubles and shuffleboard doubles, and placing second in swimming and ping pong singles. Florida Alpha lists seven varsity lettermen. Bud Walton, Hubie Houston, Bill Robinson, and Phikeia Jack Jones made a freshman football numeral. Oliver Simard is expected to be one of the mainstays on Florida's Southeastern Conference champion swimming team again this year. George Jackson is the only returning letterman in golf and Dick Mills is one of the outstanding candidates for varsity golf.—DARBY JONES, *Reporter*.

FLORIDA BETA, ROLLINS COLLEGE.—Eight pledges have been taken into the chapter: Thomas Knight, Orlando; Ninnian Bond, St. Petersburg; Clyde Jones, Asheville, N.C.; Sam Hardiman, Laddonia, Mo.; John Fleecker, Tulsa, Okla.; James Hoover, North Canton, Ohio; Egbert Hadley, Southport, Conn.; William House, West Hartford, Conn. These new men are falling in line with the active members very readily under the able guidance of pledge captain John



COLORADO ALPHA'S HOMECOMING

Giantonio. Brothers Davis, Giantonio, Bethea, Barker, Hardman, and Jones excelled in a championship team. These men with the exception of Giantonio will play against the University of Havana in Havana, Cuba on New Years Day. Brothers Giantonio and Hausman will row on the varsity crew against the New Orleans rowing club Dec. 28. Florida Beta has just finished a successful intramural football season, coming in second place. Morrison and Stanhope Casparis are doing a very good job of taking pictures for the year book and the publicity department. Levy, Harrington, and Hausman are taking prominent parts in a coming production, being put on by the student players. Wendell Davis, Morrison, Stanhope Casparis, and Bert Hadley are working as stage managers in the same play. Wendell Davis was elected to $\Theta \Delta \Phi$. Jones and W. Davis are already practicing with the varsity basketball team.—CLARENCE KRAUS, Reporter.

GEORGIA ALPHA, UNIVERSITY OF GEORGIA.—The chapter has completed the first quarter with successes in every field. In intramural football Georgia Alpha won the league championship and is now in second place in the contest for the Governor's Cup, a coveted intramural trophy. Bowen was elected to $\Phi \Delta \Sigma$ and to $\Theta \Delta \Sigma$ this quarter, while Owen, cadet colonel of the R.O.T.C. cavalry unit, is commander of Scabbard and Blade. Vandiver has been elected president of Phi Kappa literary society for the ensuing term. After several successful social functions this quarter, the chapter will entertain at a formal dance in January.—HARRY HORSEY, JR., Reporter.



PHIKEIAS AT EMORY

GEORGIA BETA, EMORY UNIVERSITY.—Tom Slade was appointed editor of a new chapter paper to be published as a memorial issue for the new chapter house which will be completed by January 15. In the inter-organization boxing competition, Enon Hopkins, Frank Hardeman, and Phikeia Randall Goldthwaite entered and Hardeman won the championship in his weight. Coleman King was selected on the All-Emory football team and Arthur Anderson, Clifford Thompson, and Eric Phillips were chosen athletic managers for the year. Phikeia Bob Mitchell was the only freshman whose story was published for the college magazine, the *Phoenix*. Plans for our formal initiation and dance have been completed and they will be held on January 26. Plans are now under way for a banquet and an open house celebrating the chapter's occupancy of the new chapter house.—ROBERT KILIAN, Reporter.

IDAHO ALPHA, UNIVERSITY OF IDAHO.—The chapter announces the initiation of John Small, Robert Angell, Moscow; James Yates, Parma; Richard Harland, Caldwell; Irvin Sinclair, Jerome; Jack Schreiner,

Yakima, Wash. We are publishing an issue of the *Idaho Phi*, especially for rushing purposes, and to organize our alumni. This has formerly been only an annual publication, put out in the spring, but we



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felt an issue at this particular time would greatly aid our program. We are now leading interfraternity sports in total number of points. Taken into various honoraries this fall were brothers Jack Love and John Brown, $\Delta \Sigma \Psi$; Robert Revelli, Blue Key, and James Rice, Scabbard and Blade. Bob Murray is acting in capacity of editor of the Administration department of the *Gem of the Mountains*, and Jack Ramsey is assistant business manager of the *Blue Sucker*. Rudy Franklin, Maynard Heinen, and Harold Durham are receiving their first, second, and third football awards respectively. Phikeias Duncan and Thompson are holding first-string positions on the freshman basketball squad. Revelli and Franklin are active members of Interfraternity Council, and Revelli is chairman of Blue Key committee for the collection of Christmas donations for the needy.—JAMES RICE, Reporter.

ILLINOIS ALPHA, NORTHWESTERN UNIVERSITY.—Phikeias for 1939-40 are as follows: Dick Baker, Donald Krause, Walter Steffan, Chicago; Roger Dalley, Gordon Fairman, Wilmette; Robert Aldrich, Galesburg; Ted Esser, Oak Park; Robert Lindquist, Rockford; John Mathews, Chillicothe; John Shumway, Evanston; John Sundine, Moline; Wilbur Johnson, Morrison Miller, Fort Wayne, Ind.; Frank Cowles, Green Bay, Wis.; James Spilman, Ottumwa, Iowa; Milton Haywood, Anchorage, Ky.; Harold Monson, St. Joseph, Mo.; John Pence, Kansas City, Mo.; Mark Shorts, Columbus, Neb.; Robert Kircher, Montreal, Que., Canada. Varsity football found Ryan, Hermann, Horton, and Purcell holding berths on the varsity squad, while Phikeia Lindquist was quarterbacking the frosh eleven. Intramural sports saw the chapter as runner-up in league football and among the leaders in golf, bowling, and tennis. Tim Hermann was voted most popular of all men in the university, winning renown and a trip to New Orleans. Ken Setterdahl, active in all class work, was named to the junior commission and selected as junior prom chairman. Ed Meditch was named president of the sophomore class, and Don Wingate was appointed business manager of the *Purple Parrot*. Crossman is leading the varsity debate squad, and Hoffrichter and French were pledged to Sextant, honorary naval fraternity. Ryan is presi-

dent of the interfraternity council. Exchange dinners and the planning of the winter formal dances mark our social season; while scholastically, the chapter is working to keep its place of third among twenty-two fraternities.—JIM JACKSON, Reporter.



ILLINOIS ALPHA PLEDGE CLASS

ILLINOIS BETA, UNIVERSITY OF CHICAGO.—Deferred rushing has prevented the announcing of freshman pledges. However, we announce the pledging of the following transfer students: Harry Beach, and Thomas Glamore, Chicago; Andrew Peterson, Normal; and our foreign exchange student Allan Smith, Southampton, England. Illinois Beta was especially prominent in freshman orientation this fall; Bigelow headed the orientation committee, and was assisted by Blackwell, Oakley, Geppinger, Hand, and Doolittle of the Student Publicity Board. Four Phis were members of honorary societies: Hand and Phikeia Stehney in Skull and Crescent, and Bex and Doolittle in Iron Mask. Another triumph was added to our long list of campus contest victories (pool table, 1937; ping-pong table, 1936; radio-phonograph, 1938; and Best Dressed Man on Campus, 1938) when Gordon Murray was voted the Most Representative Man on Campus and given a trip to Sun Valley, Idaho, during the Christmas holidays. Three Phis participated on the gridiron this fall: Phikeias Jensen, who won a major "C" and Stehney, A-student and minor "C" winner, and Brother Walker. Wilner, Blackwell, De Silva, and Bimson are working out with the track and cross-country teams, while Phikeias Beach and Teague are on the swimming team. Heavyweight wrestler, "Behemoth" Brown is back in the ring, and Walker and Browning expect to garner points for the gymnastic teams. Geppinger is a very promising basketball candidate and we expect to see him in plenty of action. Phi Delta Theta representation is on the upward trend in campus publications with Hand and Bex active on the *Daily Maroon*, and Bex also on the *Cap and Gown* business staff. Dramatic association patrons are conscious of the persistent efforts of Doolittle, business manager, and Tedrow, while Phikeia Williams assists in Mirror productions. Lawrence is our representative on the *Law Review*. Nine Phis march with the University Band: Wilner, Blackwell, Struch, Mohlman, Bigelow, Reker, Wochos, Yoder and Anderson.—GORDON L. MURRAY, Reporter.

ILLINOIS DELTA-ZETA, KNOX COLLEGE.—Bob Fender was one of the backfield stars of the conference football champions, and the freshman football squad had among its numeral winners "Minnie" Weitin, Howard Schewe, Bob Brewer, and Jack Long, all of whom played as regulars and should strengthen the varsity considerably next year. Homecoming was one of the high spots of the social season and saw the Phi win the house decoration cup. The Bowery Party was, as usual, the party of the year. Rhein-

frank, who, as social chairman, was responsible for the success of the party, has also originated a system of Open House nights; the men may bring their dates to the house for dancing and bridge under the chaperonage of alumni. Phikeia Landon has been attracting attention through his work in the *Knox Student* and the *Swasher*. In addition he and Phikeia Trevor seem headed for an intramural debate championship. Winter sports are also under way with Velde as captain of the varsity basketball squad and Efnor also playing on the first team, they have accounted for more than three-fourths of the total points scored so far by the varsity. Phikeias Burkett, Wright, Seifert, and Lillie are on the freshman basketball squad. Conference champion Wood and Fuller are headed for even greater honors on the swimming team. Monson, Bell, and Winkleman are on the freshman swimming team.—JOHN VAN TRIGT, Reporter.

ILLINOIS ETA, UNIVERSITY OF ILLINOIS.—Stealing the limelight of activities of Illinois Eta since our last SCROLL report was the chapter alumni meeting



GORDON L. MURRAY, Chicago '40
Voted Most Representative Man at Chicago

held following the Homecoming game with Michigan. Adviser George Tuttle announced that Illinois Eta is holding its own among the leading campus fraternities. The alumni treasurer, George S. Ward, reported the financial condition of the alumni association and the active chapter as excellent. Next in importance seems to have been the pledge dance under the direction of Social Chairman John Munson. Bob Bales was responsible for the dance decorations—a clever theme in the form of a zodiac. Woodward, chapter president, brought the chapter an honor, indeed, when he was chosen to be one of the first two students in the University's history to be placed on the University disciplinary board of control. Woodward and Schaefer have received the rank of cadet-major in the Infantry and Cavalry Units respectively of the University R.O.T.C. Schaefer was elected secretary-treasurer of the Cavalry Club. Dadant was chosen as junior basketball manager. Fultz was the only Phi who won his "I" in football this season. Duane won it as a reserve tackle; he could make the going plenty stiff for the opposition. Faria is fighting for a place on the varsity basketball squad; while Herb Ewing is out for varsity track as a dash man and broad-jumper. Fend won his freshman numerals in football. English, Wallin, Thomp-

son, Hayes, and Warmbold are competing for their basketball numerals. The intramural activities of the chapter are now shaping up well after having started the year with a rather cocky attitude because of past championship records. At the last tabulation of standings, we stood fifth with 79 points—43 points out of first, but since then our total has been increased to 115. The soccer team has won its division title, and the water-polo team is well on its way to winning its division. Even the bowling team is making a final spurt to foster precious points.—JOHN THISTLEWOOD, Jr., Reporter.

INDIANA ALPHA, INDIANA UNIVERSITY.—Ninety years ago the Indiana Alpha Chapter was founded by R. G. Elliott, S. S. Elliot, and John McMillian Wilson, the first chapter of $\Phi\Delta\Theta$ to be chartered, and the oldest chapter in continued existence. The chapter is planning a banquet to celebrate its ninetieth anniversary. Robert Weir, member of Acons, Union Board, Sphinx Club, Blue Key, $\Phi\H\Xi$, and $\Phi\Delta\Gamma$, has been chosen president of the invitations committee, the third ranking office of the senior class. J. D. Sharp, was elected to the Sphinx Club. Claude Spilman, has been appointed to the staff of the *Arbutus*. Dick Waggoner, was initiated into $\K\K\psi$. Walter Voss was elected as freshman member to the intercollegiate Chamber of Commerce. Under the leadership of Hal Bridge, and James Briggs, the chapter won the trophy awarded by the Y.M.C.A. for a membership drive. Dick Herd started the Quarterback Hour this fall; following each football game, motion pictures of the game are shown to the students. Brooks earned his letter in football this fall. He played an exceptional game, and is rated as an outstanding back for this year. In the Indiana-Purdue game, both touchdowns were scored by Phis. Brooks and Brock. Campbell Kane, 880 runner, has won his letter in cross country. He has been invited to the Sugar Bowl track meet. William Frey has been chosen as varsity member of the basketball team. Phikeias Robert Taylor and Earl Rich are active in freshman basketball, while Phikeias John Kennedy was out for freshman football. Ben Barr is a member of the varsity wrestling team. Dick Fowler and Robert Weir have taken charge of an activities chart, keeping full records of all activities of the members of the chapter. It was designed to stimu-

late interest in the various activities and honoraries. Indiana Alpha has initiated a new scholarship plan this year, under the direction of Gilbert Bailey. Realizing the importance of scholastic attainment, the chapter is endeavoring to raise its scholastic average of freshmen and upperclassmen. The program starts before rush week, when the high school grades of the prospective pledges are obtained. Following this the new pledge is guided in enrolling in his classes. Complete records of all the examination grades are kept to see how the pledge is progressing and to determine in which courses he needs help. Occasional tutoring classes and individual instruction are given. The chapter is giving an award to the student making the highest average.—DEAN J. GALL, Reporter.

INDIANA BETA, WABASH COLLEGE.—Formal initiation was held for Walter Clearwaters and William G. Moore, a second-generation Phi. James Tandy of Indianapolis has been pledged. Clawson represents the chapter on the varsity basketball team, and White and Berry are on the freshman squad. Clearwaters started in cross-country. White won his numeral in freshman cross-country, and Berry his in football. Burk, Denk, and Miner are in the glee club. Clearwaters, Denk, Joslin, and Scharf play in the college band. Denk is in the Wabash Ambassadors, a campus dance orchestra, and Joslin is saxophonist and manager of the Wabash Collegians. Joslin and Scharf are on the speakers' bureau. A special pledge dance was given. The freshmen and sophomores entertained the upperclassmen at the annual Christmas party.—WILLIAM BURK, Reporter.

INDIANA GAMMA, BUTLER UNIVERSITY.—At the conclusion of a very successful football season Bill Kreg was chosen as All-State fullback by both the United Press and Associated Press. Bob Connor, captain of the undefeated Bulldogs, was chosen as quarterback on both second team selections. In basketball, Jerome Steiner, midget captain, is now leading the team to defend its title as Indiana College champions. Others who have seen action and who will play are George Knobel, returning forward letterman, Earl Gibson, Dick Fruechtenicht, James Deputy, and Phikeias Norris and Anson. Representing $\Phi\Delta\Theta$ on the yearling squad are Phikeias MacDonald and Hardy. Connor, Kreg, Fruechtenicht, Abts, and Swager re-



HOMEcoming AT KNOX . . .



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ceived football letters and Phikeias Ellis and Christena received their freshman numerals. At the football banquet put on by Blue Key, Angelo Angelopolous served as general chairman and was assisted by Shiel,



INDIANA DELTA'S FOOTBALL SQUAD

Connor, and Steiner. The annual Christmas dinner dance was held at the Marrott Hotel, December 15. Frank Davidson, member of the Golden Legion, was principal speaker at the annual Founders Day banquet held November 21.—WILLIAM C. OSTLUND, Reporter.

INDIANA DELTA, FRANKLIN COLLEGE.—Actives and pledges of Indiana Delta were guests of the Mothers Club at the chapter house November 6. The annual Thanksgiving dinner-dance was held November 18. Actives, pledges, and their guests were entertained at a formal dinner-dance on November 8 at the Hotel Andlers in Indianapolis. Grefe, Frazell, Fell, Shanahan, and Rutan received major football awards, while Hamilton and Rider were awarded minor letters. Huffman, W. Hougland, and Rhoades received manager's awards. Fell, Frazell, Grefe, H. Hougland, Popejoy, and Mahin are on the basketball team. Reynolds is basketball manager. Shollenberger and W. Hougland starred in "Our Town," a college production. Rhoades was initiated into Wigs and Gues. Hamilton and Beardsley are in the orchestra while Noe and McClain are in the choir. Indiana Delta won the homecoming trophy which completes a group of fifty intramural cups and trophies.—PAUL McVEX, Reporter.

INDIANA EPSILON, HANOVER COLLEGE.—The five-week deferred rush season ended with twenty-one men wearing the Phikeia button: James Ellis, Richard McCarty, John Stewart, Shelbyville; John Aikin, Mitchell; James Abbott, Elkhart; Roy Benke, Mishawaka; Patrick Toomey, Madison; David Woodburn, Columbus; Chester McKamey, Jr., Indianapolis; Joseph Johnson, Oxford; James Ireland, Brownstown; Robert Hodell, Fort Wayne; Wendell Summers, La Porte; Robert Cowan, William Sharp, Cincinnati, Ohio; Robert Pottenger, Edgar Simonson, Harrison, Ohio; Elmer Kareth, Cheviot, Ohio; John Thompson, Louisville, Ky.; William Carter, Wilmington, Ill.; Eric Thurston, Gowanda, N.Y. Aikin and Cowan are brothers of Phi, Stewart is the son of a Phi, and McKamey is the grandson of a Phi. At the annual college football dinner Anders and Troy were awarded letters for varsity competition and Brown a manager letter. Achberger was elected secretary of the senior class and Brown was elected treasurer of the juniors. Moorhead appeared in the Hanover Theater production, "Double Door"; Purkhiser was production manager. Lowe will again hold a position on the varsity debate team. Anders, Blum, Warriner, and Phikeia Summers will be representing the chapter on the hardwood throughout the basket-

ball season. Purkhiser was pledged to APhi. The chapter house was the scene of our winter formal dance. We were honored with the visit of Russell Fitzgibbon, '23, past editor of the SCROLL and former professor of political science in the college. Unfortunately his visit came in vacation period, so the majority of the men did not meet him.—ROBERT S. MOORHEAD, Reporter.

INDIANA ZETA, DEPAUW UNIVERSITY.—The chapter has pledged two more new men, Tom Bair of Indianapolis, and Tom Murphy, Oak Park, Ill. Initiation for six men was held November 6, Askew, King, McDonald, Potter, Schwartzberg, and Thoe being added to the active list. George Pfisterer, formerly of Illinois Alpha, was formally affiliated with the chapter. Larry Buckley was pledged to Delta Xi and Thoe to Alpha Omega. Old Gold Day decorations under MacMahill and McDonald placed fourth in the awards this year. Many Phi were on hand on Homecoming Day, November 4. Phikeia Joe Weishar was elected



INDIANA THETA ADOPTS A NEW MASCOT

vice-president of the freshman class. The formal dance held November 17 was one of the most successful in recent years.—JAMES ISKR, Reporter.

INDIANA THETA, PURDUE UNIVERSITY.—The chapter announces the pledging of the following men: John Anderson, John Busch, Norman Hill, James Jackson, Indianapolis; Tom Hall, Seymour; Tom Hobbs, Plainfield; John Ettinger, Warsaw; James Brown, Greenwood; John Pfenninger, New Castle; Curt Noblitt, Columbus; Harold Kilburg, Oak Park, Ill.; Jake Davis, Louisville, Ky.; Bryan Brock, Stafford, Kan. Perrin has been pledged to Eta Kappa Nu. Wagner is a sophomore basketball manager. Lou Brock won his third major letter in football while Phikeia Hill was awarded his numerals. Butterfield and Perrin served on the military ball committee, Butterfield being chairman. At this dance, the pledging of Mulholland to Scabbard and Blade was announced. The chapter has procured a St. Bernard dog as a mascot. The annual Christmas formal was held on Dec. 16, 1939.—R. S. COLQUHOUN, Reporter.

IOWA ALPHA, IOWA WESLEYAN COLLEGE.—The chapter announces the pledging of Royce Chambers

of Red Oak, Iowa. With the closing of a successful football season, Hayward, McKinnon, Bergstrom, and Phikeia Chambers were letter winners. At the opening of basketball, Huebner and Nihart are out. Iowa Alpha is well represented in the forthcoming A & G production "The Fool," with Brown, McCormick, McCarty, Huebner, Wilson, Nihart, and Phikeias Whipple, Severis, Alexander, and Huston in the cast. Wilson and McCormick and Phikeias Alexander and Severis are on the debating team. Brown won third in the state oratorical contest. Wustrow is president of the student council. The chapter held its annual Christmas party December 8 at the Brazelton Hotel.—DON LANER, Reporter.

IOWA BETA, UNIVERSITY OF IOWA.—The chapter recently pledged three prominent men of the campus: William Sener, president of the Iowa Union board and head of the WSUI announcing staff, James Fox, editor of the *Daily Iowan*, president of the senior journalism class and president of $\Sigma \Delta X$, and Hilliard O'Dell, a high-ranking graduate student. Formal initiation rites were held for Hamilton and Hannon. Three men have enlisted for track practice: Noller, who ranked second in the state for high school shot put last year, Hamilton, and Carstens. O'Malley and Hamilton entered the advanced training section of the Army Air Corps flying school and are scheduled to solo soon. Phikeias Springer, Nollar, Collins, Schleuter, and Brother Carstens were initiated into $\Pi \epsilon \tau$. Gaylor conducted a campus-wide peace poll to determine the local attitude toward the international situation. He reported an overwhelming majority in favor of the "hands-off" policy. Great interest has been manifested by the chapter in a series of bi-monthly fireside talks. Many faculty guest speakers have been present to conduct the informal discussions. Latest of these speakers was Ethan Putnam Allen, author, commentator, and economist. His subject for discussion was the present situation in the world war. Promoting a spirit of unity and friendship, the newly organized Iowa City Alumni Club is holding regular monthly meetings with the chapter.—DEAN E. ROGERS, Reporter.

IOWA GAMMA, IOWA STATE COLLEGE.—The transition from fall to winter sports brought Jean Lange and Darrell Don Carlos out for the varsity basketball team. Captain Phillips is leading the Phi delegation, consisting of Munsell, Graves, and Heggen, out for the varsity winter track competition. Masters, Dunlap, Loonan, and Smith, the successors to last year's intramural handball champions, are well on

their way to another big year. Douglas Graves, Cherokee; Claude Hayes, Jefferson; Troy Deal, Cedar Rapids; and Edward Brown, Minneapolis, Minn. have recently been initiated. Recent pledges are: Joseph



IOWA GAMMA'S FOOTBALL TEAM

Harris, Batesville, Miss.; Richard Berner, Milwaukee, Wis.; and Ernest Adams, Des Moines. The annual Bowery Dance which is becoming a pleasant tradition for Iowa State Phis showed no signs of receding in action play this year; the house was decorated from swinging doors at the entrance to a make-believe gambling room in the rear. Iowa Gamma was very proud when four men from the chapter were pledged to $\tau \beta \eta$: Robert Strom, Charles Wm. Emarine, James Koenig, and Albert Munsell. Munsell was also pledged to the Knights of St. Patrick as were George Hargrove and Bradley Nelson. Norman Dunlap has been elected president of Science Council, and Morton Schumucker is the senior representative to the same organization. Many alumni were present for the annual meeting of the Iowa Gamma Householding Association on Oct. 28. Last year the burning of the mortgage on the present property was celebrated, so this year there was also time for discussion of future plans. On November 18, father and son sat side by side at Iowa Gamma's home as part of the annual occasion at which the chapter pays tribute to the fathers of members and pledges. After lunch the group attended the Iowa State-Kansas State football clash, followed by dinner and a smoker.—LEO ROBERT QUINN, Jr., Reporter.

KANSAS ALPHA, UNIVERSITY OF KANSAS.—Dewitt Potter of Lawrence is promising material on the brilliant basketball squad. Brother Ham of Atchison is out for varsity swimming. The new student board of intramural managers includes Brother Cheatani as junior manager and Phikeia McCarty as freshman



FIRESIDE DISCUSSION AT IOWA BETA LED BY DR. ETHAN ALLEN

manager. Waugh has recently been elected to Sachem. Ramsey is one of the five just elected to $\Phi E K$ on the basis of junior work. Prager is the new president of the freshman law class. Kanaga is writing the sport



WASHBURN PHIKEIAS

page of the university *Daily Kansan* and Stauffer is making numerous contributions to the *Jayhawker*. Phikeia Weir holds down a first chair in the university band. The intramural football teams have completed a successful season, the "A" team entering the play-offs and the "B" team losing only in the semi-finals.—JOHN D. RAMSEY, Reporter.

KANSAS BETA, WASHBURN COLLEGE.—Robert Altepeter, now president of Kansas Beta, will attend Washington State University the second semester of the current year. It is with profound regret that the chapter loses his active membership; his contributions to the functions of the Fraternity have been significant. Having tucked the touch football championship under its belt, Kansas Beta is now well out in front of all campus competitors for the coveted Studebaker Trophy awarded in token of superiority in all-round intramural activity. Phi at Washburn are grateful to what must be one of the finest and most active Mothers Clubs; the house has recently been presented with six new lamps of the indirect type as a gift from the mothers.—JUDG AUSTIN, Reporter.

KANSAS GAMMA, KANSAS STATE COLLEGE.—Kansas Gamma has made a fine start in intramurals, winning most of the football games and all the

basketball games to date. Joe Robertson, who was recently nominated to $\Phi E K$, *Who's Who in American Colleges*, and K-Club, is playing regular forward on the varsity basketball team. The freshman basketball team includes Phikeias Guy, Thompson, and Rogers. Phikeias Rogers was elected to the presidency of the freshman Y.M.C.A. The annual Biad, substitute for the Miami Triad since Kansas State has no $E X$ chapter, is to be held December 15 jointly with $B \Theta I I$. Plans for decorations and stag dinner have been made. The new house is two weeks ahead of schedule and we expect to be in possession by Feb. 1, 1940. In the next issue of the SCROLL we will have a picture and a good description. Two initiates have been added to the roll of Kansas Gamma: Glover Laird, Kansas City, Mo., and Don Jensen, Leavenworth, Kan. They were initiated Sept. 24, 1939.—FLOYD STRYKER, Reporter.

KENTUCKY ALPHA-DELTA, CENTRE COLLEGE.—

With the first semester well under way the chapter finds its pledges engaged in many varied activities upon the campus. Campbell Foster is president of the Pitkin Club, Thomas Stein and Frank Gilliam are on the freshman basketball squad, James Long was student manager of the freshman football team, and George Anderson is a member of the Players Club. William Duffy who was initiated on Nov. 8, 1939. Harsher, Burnett, and G. Ensminger are on the varsity basketball squad. Theodore Selin starred at the blocking back position on the varsity football squad. His work was noted throughout the season. Homecoming was observed on November 11 with a tea dance and a buffet dinner. We were glad to welcome back Harold Morton, Philip Simmons, John Brizendine, G. L. Turner, Steele Davis, W. T. Isaac, Maurice Royalty, Douglas Noonan, James Patton, Richard Brother, Gilbert Vansant and Gilbert Andrews.—FRANK S. ANDERSON, Reporter.

KENTUCKY EPSILON, UNIVERSITY OF KENTUCKY.

—Bill Duty has been chosen president of the student body, highest honor which University of Kentucky undergraduates may bestow. J. Caldwell is serving on the student legislature. Spratt has been tapped by $B \Gamma \Sigma$ and Caldwell by $A Z$. A very successful homecoming was observed, with a large number of alumni returning. The chapter entertained with an



KENTUCKY ALPHA-DELTA, 1939-40

open house and buffet supper. The chapter, after a disappointing season at touch football, is starting to practice basketball earlier than usual in an attempt to "come back" by having a well-drilled team in that sport. Phikeias Farris and H. Taylor received numerals in freshman football, and Phikeia Garner has made the first team in frosh basketball. Phikeia Coke has won all his matches thus far in intramural wrestling. Since our last newsletter, two pledges, Bill Marsteller of Richmond and Bill Penick of Lebanon have been added to our group.—JIM M. CALDWELL, Reporter.

LOUISIANA BETA, LOUISIANA STATE UNIVERSITY.—The chapter is now in second place in sports among twenty-two fraternities by only thirty points. Two second places have been won in the last two events and the chapter is now in the semi-finals of basketball competition. The cagemen include Tom Gurley, Don Siple, Jim Smith, Winston Rogers, Will Sherwood, Ted Stambaugh, Tom Moore, Paul Smith, Sunny Metcalf, George Sharpe, Clyde Jordan and Leon Fergus; they were coached by Felix Buchanan and freshman coaches Jack Bushman and Howard Jackson. Second place in touch football was due to the efforts of George Carroll, Winnie Rogers, Ted Stambaugh, Bob Smith, Bill Evans, Felix Buchanan, Howard Jackson, Johnny Vann, Don Siple, Benton Holt, Leon Fergus, Paul Smith, and Sunny Metcalf. The outstanding feature of the team was the bullet-like passes of Ted Stambaugh. The other runner-up position was gained in the cross-country relay, the team being composed of Jack Bushman, Paul Smith, Felix Buchanan, J. F. Ward Odenwald, Jr., Benton Holt, Leon Fergus, Clyde Jordan, and Bob Ednie. Rodney Belaire and Jack Sill, are beginning training for their second year of varsity boxing. Bill Evans is competing with the varsity rifle team for his first year. Will Sherwood and Paul Smith will represent the fraternity on the swimming team. Noah Jordan is the new freshman basketball manager. Jack Bushman has been invited by the Sugar Bowl in New Orleans to participate in the tennis tournament. George Sharpe and Sunny Metcalf were initiated into Samurai, and Howard Jackson and Felix Buchanan were initiated into Dagers, both organizations to promote better relations between fraternities. Winston Rogers and Jack Sill are members of the newly formulated flying school. Phikeia Leon Fergus has just completed a successful year as cheerleader. Phikeias Lemoyne and Magruder are members of the R.O.T.C. Honor Platoon. Jack Sill led the membership in scholastic standing with a straight "A" average for the first nine weeks. The first anniversary of Louisiana Beta December 10, was celebrated with an informal banquet.—LEW C. RAMSEL, Reporter.

MAINE ALPHA, COLBY COLLEGE.—On the eve of the 1939 Colby-Maine game, college students and alumni honored the late Paul "Ginger" Fraser, captain of the Colby team of 1914, and a loyal Phi. Just twenty-five years after Ginger led that memorable Colby team to victory, a Phi again. Captain Robert E. Bruce, led the 1939 team to victory. The Colby night celebration centered around the $\Phi\Delta\Theta$ house, where over seventy-five Phi alumni returned to be guests of the undergraduate chapter. Supporting Captain Bruce on this year's team was Joseph Francis O'Neil, stalwart sophomore center. At the end of the rushing period, Maine Alpha pledged its full quota of twelve freshmen: Edward Greeves, Portland; Ralph Hersey, Pittsfield; James Bateman,

Lawrence, Mass.; Leo Kavanaugh, Jr., New Bedford, Mass.; Ray Lindquist, Buzzard's Bay, Mass.; Paul J. Murphy, Melrose, Mass.; Thomas Pursley, Jr., Boston, Mass.; Harry Hicks, Jr., Manhattan, N.Y.; Philip Mezzulo, Rye, N.Y.; Arthur Brown, Montclair, N.J.; Charles Cross, Essex Fells, N.J.; Evan MacLraith, Wilmette, Ill. Phikeias Hersey, MacLraith, Brown, Greaves, and Murphy were on the freshman football squad. Brothers Kavanaugh, Conley, and Parker were varsity football assistant managers, while Phikeias Pursley and Kavanaugh were freshman managers. On the varsity basketball squad the Phis have Rimosukas, Stump, and Reed, while Phikeias Pursley, Greeves, and MacLraith are on the freshman squad. Wheelock and Dibble are on the varsity hockey squad. Maine Alpha held its annual fall dance as a pirate party.—ELMER L. BAXTER, Reporter.

MANITOBA ALPHA, UNIVERSITY OF MANITOBA.—On November 8, Manitoba Alpha was honored by a visit from Brothers Beam and Wilterding. A banquet and general meeting was held at the St. Charles hotel, during the course of which Brother Wilterding suggested that Manitoba Alpha end its house problem once and for all, by building clubrooms on the campus of the University. A lengthy discus-



COLBY RECALLS AN HONORED PHI AT HOMECOMING

sion followed. The meeting was attended by alumni, active brothers, and Phikeias. All brothers and pledges were called upon in turn to give their views on the question. When this had been done, a vote was taken, and Brother Wilterding's suggestion was carried unanimously. A committee was selected to investigate the leasing of land and the cost of building. The committee is to report its findings at a meeting to be held the first week in January. Should the committee's report prove satisfactory, the clubrooms will be completed sometime next summer, and the Phis at Manitoba will be the first fraternity to build on the Manitoba campus. It is hoped that the clubrooms will serve to create a closer bond between the members of Manitoba Alpha. Four men were initiated at Manitoba Alpha on November 26: Dewar, Brickenden, McKenzie, and Gabriel. The initiation was attended by alumni Brothers Carleton McDiamond, Percy, Wakefield and Hurst. A dance was held on November 27 in honor of the occasion. The Fraternity has suspended activities until after the mid-season exams. Operations will be resumed at New Year's, beginning with a New Year's Dance.—W. BLACK, Reporter.

MARYLAND ALPHA, UNIVERSITY OF MARYLAND.—New initiates of Maryland Alpha are Don Gillette, Bill Swann, and Bud Moran. Frank Davis, junior class president, was recently tapped for O.A.E. Gov-

error Herbert O'Connor of Maryland was tapped by Dick Lee, president of O Δ K. Ray Worthington is one of the new initiates of B Δ Ψ. Maryland Alpha lost only one game in the interfraternity football



DICK LEE TAPS MARYLAND'S GOVERNOR FOR O Δ K

league, and Phikeia Hare was named to the All-Fraternity team. Phikeia Ruppenberger, president of the freshman class, received his freshman football numerals. The basketball and volleyball teams opened the tournament with decisive wins. Varsity basketball begins with Ed Miller, Gene Ochsenreiter, and Phikeias McHale, Buddington, Woodward, Vannais, and Garrett on the squad. Jack Suit is junior manager, and Joe White is scrubbing for manager.—FRANK I. DAVIS, JR., Reporter.

MASSACHUSETTS BETA, AMHERST COLLEGE.—Fourteen freshmen and three upperclassmen were initiated this fall by Massachusetts Beta. Brothers from the class of '43 are as follows: Wallace R. Alexander, Larchmont, N.Y.; Richard S. Benson, Montclair, N.J.; Albert H. Dunn, III, Pelham, N.Y.; Stephen V. Hopkins, Englewood, N.J.; Mentor Louis Metaxes, Greenfield, Mass.; William C. Metz, Sioux City, Iowa; Lionel S. Peck, Macedonia, Ohio; John W. Price, Washington, D.C.; Samuel P. Price, Jamestown, N.Y.; Wallace S. Selkirk, Brooklyn, N.Y.; Herbert J. Tepper, Hudson, Ohio; Albert D. Van Nostrand, Babylon, N.Y. The three upperclassmen initiated were George T. Baird and Robert M. Baird, Rockville Centre, N.Y., and Harry B. Kuesel, Richmond Hill, N.Y. The initiation ceremonies were followed by a banquet at the Hotel Northampton; Brother Andrews was toastmaster for the evening; among the speakers were several faculty members, Brother Havighurst, Professor Packard, Professor Lumley, and Doctor Conn; Brother Beatty said a few words for the alumni. Bill Babcock spoke for the undergraduates and Al Van Nostrand, the freshman delegation leader, said a few words for his delegation. Among the social activities during the fall was the tea dance which followed immediately after the Amherst-Mass. State game on November 4. In fall sports Tobey received a letter in varsity cross country, while freshman numerals were received by Tepper in soccer and by Peck and Benson in football. Rosenberry, Skeel, Thomas, and Baird played on the varsity football squad, and the assistant manager was English, who becomes manager next year. Smith is playing varsity squash, while Johnson is on the basketball team. Delegates to the Atlantic Regional Conference in New York were King and Hanford, who reported on "Chapter Finances." Chapter Adviser Christ and Province President Packard were also present at the Convention, which was deemed very enjoyable and beneficial. Social activities during

the Winter will include a program of faculty smokers on Sunday evenings, and a tea dance during from weekend in February.—RICHARD C. KING, Reporter.

MASSACHUSETTS GAMMA, MASSACHUSETTS INSTITUTE OF TECHNOLOGY.—The latest development in Massachusetts Gamma was the establishment and subsequent incorporation of the "Mass. Gamma Central," a model railway. Bonds were floated among the members, and the necessary rolling stock was purchased. A Christmas party was held preceding the Christmas holiday and a buffet supper was served before an open fire. Afterward there was dancing and the train was set up beneath the Christmas tree. The weekend following the holiday was spent by the chapter as a group at Tech Cabin in the New Hampshire woods. On December 9 Vincent Bashore of Scarsdale, N.Y., and James Hollister Ferguson of Dallas, Tex., were formally initiated. Three members of this chapter, Ball, Macleod, and Bob Smith, received the distinction of being chosen by the Civil Aeronautics Authority for participation in the civilian flight training program. Seven juniors have entered the advanced R.O.T.C. Ball, Fyke, Mitchell, and Smith chose the Coast Artillery, Macleod, the Engineer Corps, Hayes, the Ordnance Department, and Potter, the Signal Corps. The following are members of the glee club; Bennett, Dunn, Ferguson, Gifford, Kelly, Potter, and Stout. The Technology Christian Association is also a very popular activity. Koesche,



PHIKEIAS OF MICHIGAN ALPHA

Miller, and Smith are doing boy's work, and Osborne and Potter are at the heads of individual departments. Bashore is on the staff of *Foo Doo*, and Talpey is working for the *Electrical Engineering News*. The recently developed Hobby Shop has a number of enthusiastic supporters in Bennett, Feick, Macnee, and Manger. Gifford, Manger, Smith, and Steele are out for squash, and Iams is a member of the team. Feick is out for fencing and Dunn and Kelly are out for track. Bennett is on the Pistol Team, and Macleod recently placed first in the breaststroke event in the All-Tech swimming meet. Bob Smith has done valuable work for the Dramashop.—J. H. MACLEOD, JR., Reporter.

MICHIGAN ALPHA, UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN.—In Brother Tom Adams, the chapter has an unusual leader, who, besides being senior track manager and president of the Michigan interfraternity council, was recently elected secretary-treasurer of the National Interfraternity Council. In Tom Harmon, Michigan Alpha's 1939 contribution to the All-American ranks, the chapter adds another man to the long list of its stars such as Harry Kipke and

"Whitey" Wistert. Tom will resume his athletic career on the basketball courts this winter. Fred Howarth was appointed senior football manager for the 1940 season after serving meritoriously on the lower staff for two years. Freshman gridgers George Hildebrandt and Bill Windell were among those to receive numerals for their work on the frosh squad. Head cheerleader Ted Spangler has now hung up his megaphone for good, having performed capably during the past season. Ted is also vice-president of the Men's Union and is on the central committee of the Union Opera. Bob Mix is in charge of the Opera. On the hockey sextet, Michigan Alpha has Charley Ross, a 60-minute defense man, while Bob Sager is a sophomore manager in the same sport. Jim Tobin and Dick Scherling are members of the Junior Hop and Sophomore Prom class committees respectively. John Shields is continuing as sophomore track manager, while Chuck Solar is sophomore basketball manager. George Banta is capably managing our intramural teams, receiving invaluable aid from Jack Meyer and Howard McHaffey. Dave Killins is directing the social activities; the chapter has had five dances to date, the latest being the annual Christmas Formal on December 8. Michigan Alpha was awarded a great honor when three of the ten men initiated into Sphinx honorary society were Phi: Fred Howarth, Charley Ross, and Jack Meyer.—RICHARD E. SCHERLING, Reporter.



PHIKELIAS OF MICHIGAN BETA

MICHIGAN BETA, MICHIGAN STATE COLLEGE.—The chapter led the fraternities at Michigan State by pledging thirty-four new men; Charles Bigelow, Roger Blackwood, Don Congdon, Bill McLaughlin, Alex Moore, Bob Stephenson, Dwight Wegener, Detroit; Al Conrad, Harry Dail, Rumsey Haynes, Herb Joslin, Bob Young, Lansing; Harvey McGinnis, Morgan Nims, Bill Searl, East Lansing; Howard Gentry, Neil Graham, Jackson; James Hook, Tom Straight, Grand Rapids; Bob Beukema, Holland; John Griffin, Fawlerville; Tom Johnston, Grand Haven; Herb Moore, Birmingham; James Nye, Warren Dalley, Pontiac; Roger Oeming, Saginaw; John Peterson, Grayling; Emerson Planck, Dearborn; Joe Goundie, Allentown, Pa.; Bob Howland, Dayton, Ohio; Tom Lynch, Glencoe, Ill.; Ed Roenstrater, Chicago, Ill.; Don Urquhart, Birmingham, Ala. Our touch football team was nosed out in the semi-finals. Basketball practice has started in earnest in the hopes of winning the interfraternity award again this year. The whole chapter has been burning the midnight oil, preparing for their final examinations. Graduating this term are good brothers Don Anderson, Wal-

lie Harner, Bob Pete, and George Stark, all of whom the chapter will miss very much.—ANDY HAYS, Reporter.

MINNESOTA ALPHA, UNIVERSITY OF MINNESOTA.—The climax of a very successful fall athletic program was the election of Bob Bjorklund and Bill Johnson as co-captains of the 1940 Minnesota football team. At the football convocation six Phis were awarded major varsity football letters: Leland Johnson, Bob Bjorklund, Bill Johnson, Bob Pafraath, George Franck, and Senior Manager Mel Peterson. After the $\Phi\Delta\Theta$ football team had reached the semi-finals in the intramural football league, DeLambert and Peterson were placed on the all-U team. The bowling team was a division winner. After a three-weeks informal rush period an open house, attended by eighty freshmen, closed fall quarter rushing. Formal rushing and pledging will take place the first week after Christmas. Advanced standing students who were pledged fall quarter were Wally and Paul Grassie of Rochester; Blaine Lindskog, Robert Lyken, Donald Dean of Minneapolis, and Gene Hickey of St. Paul. With co-operation of the Mothers Club and the Alumni Club, house improvements are under way. New beds have arrived, several rooms are being decorated, and new carpeting for the halls will be put in when the other improvements are completed. Minnesota Alpha was host at a smoker for $B\Theta\Pi$ and ΣX on the Monday evening before the traditional Thanksgiving Eve Miami Triad fall formal. We had the pleasure of a visit from Brother Beam and Province President Wilterding. Rogers, Drips, Gilles and Baden make up the committee of the active chapter to work with the alumni club in preparing for the 1940 General Convention. Chapter President Roberts was announced winner of twenty-five dollars for the best news story of the year printed in National College Newspapers, as selected by $\Pi\Delta E$ journalism fraternity. Ludtke and Wangerin were elected to $\Sigma Z\Gamma$. Marsden was appointed to Silver Spur.—STANLEY F. DRIPS, Reporter.

MISSISSIPPI ALPHA, UNIVERSITY OF MISSISSIPPI.—The high spot of the social calendar was the annual formal dance, December 1. Under the leadership of Candler Wiselogle the chapter is doing well in intramural sports, having reached the finals in volleyball and a top place in basketball. The start of varsity basketball at the University finds all four managementship positions filled by Phi: Sid Gillespie, Jr., senior manager; Tom Magruder, junior; Ben Owen, sophomore; and George Clayton of Memphis, Tenn., freshman. Frank Laney and Tom Hammond are among those selected to represent Ole Miss in *Who's Who in American Colleges and Universities*. Laney is



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president of five organizations on the campus, including $\Phi \Delta \Theta$, and Hammond is managing editor of the newspaper and editor of the freshman handbook. The Phikeias are continuing to make themselves



JOHN STONE, *Missouri Beta '42*
Westminster's Champion Debater

known in activities. Virgil Adkins of Clarksdale, Miss., played the xylophone and Drury Fisher of Memphis, Tenn., played the accordion on the freshman Stunt Night. Duane Forman has been elected to E T, of which Laney is president. A new project was started when the Phikeias printed their own newspaper, the *Ole Miss Phikeia*. Fred Nabers of Louisville, Miss., edited the publication. Bobby Wall was chosen Chairman of the Committee of 100, which is to have charge of Religious Emphasis Week on the campus. Ben Owen is acting as sports editor of the *Mississippi*. Publicity director for the Playmakers is Reginald Gray. Kenneth Haxton and Frank Laney have been chosen by the classical department to represent the University as speakers at a state convention. Haxton is editor of the *Papyrus*, publication of the Classical Club. A Christmas party was held in the house the night before the holidays began.—**TOM HAMMOND, Reporter.**

MISSOURI ALPHA, UNIVERSITY OF MISSOURI.—Mothers' weekend was held in October with thirty-six mothers attending the various social functions provided for them and the members of the chapter. Judge Kimbrough Stone of the United States Circuit Court of Appeals and President Middlebush of Missouri University were entertained by the chapter at a luncheon along with Brother Byron Spencer, chairman of the Centennial Alumni Meeting for Missouri University. The chapter was honored to entertain the returning alumni during Homecoming by opening the chapter house and its facilities to them. Missouri Alpha placed as runnerup in touch football and finished high in tennis and golf. At present preparation is being made for the basketball and wrestling campaigns, while handball is already under way. In football, Wager has seen considerable service at halfback for Missouri, while Logan has been senior manager. White and Flesch have been displaying dramatic talent to university audiences during the year, in the course of appearing in two plays. Nabors is preparing to undertake another track campaign with a bright outlook. Phikeia Potter has been elected vice-president of the freshman council. Many members of the chapter were guests of Kansas Alpha for the

Missouri-Kansas game, and have expressed great appreciation of the courtesies extended to them. Close co-operation with the university by the chapter has been evidenced during the year.—**JOSEPH F. HILDBRAND, JR., Reporter.**

MISSOURI BETA, WESTMINSTER COLLEGE.—At present, we of Missouri Beta are tied for the lead in intramurals. To date we have won swimming, tied for first in golf, come in second in softball, and third in tennis. John Stone won the Peace Oratorical Contest and the fifty-dollar prize of Dobyns Oratorical, with Phikeia Traff placing second. These two are leading members of the debate team; Stone debated against the Oxford team. Five of the eight members of the newly formed Honorable Order of Hereditary Marshals, an organization of students who are of the third generation at Westminster, are Phis: Ely, Robert and James Sharp, Barks, and Phikeia Rodes. Thomas is again playing varsity basketball and Phikeia Walsh was on the squad until he broke his ankle. A very successful tea for our new housemother, Mrs. I. N. Hargis, was held November 9. Barks is news editor of the *Columns* and Phikeia Durham is circulation manager.—**JOHN STAHLHUTH, Reporter.**

MISSOURI GAMMA, WASHINGTON UNIVERSITY.—This year's pledge class was increased to twenty-one by the pledging of three new men: E. G. Hamilton of Kennett, Charles Hodgson of East St. Louis, and Tommie Duncan. The Phikeias are entering into activities with great seriousness with Peat and Funk performing as freshman football managers, Simmons, Bubbs, and Rhodes working out on the freshman swimming team, with Peat and Jim Callaway on the freshman basketball squad, Rhodes as assistant cheer leader, and Duncan and Guernsey joining Brother Humphreville on the hockey squad. Phikeia Callaway received honorable mention for the Thyrsus acting award as did Brother Record. Root and Gory were letterman members of the football team which won the Missouri Valley championship, while Bosworth was senior manager with Smith and Humphreville as assistants. We are off to a flying start in intramurals under the leadership of Al Lee, winning three out of four sports. For the fifth straight year, we won the cross-country championship and have also added the golf and badminton cups to our collection. In the basketball season just starting we have three Phis, Des Lee, MacLean, and Callaway, on the team, and one squadman, Lyons. Bob Brereton, Harting, and Matthey are on the swimming team. Jack Brereton and Scott were elected to Thurteene, an organization of the thirteen most prominent juniors. Most encouraging news was the discovery, upon issuance of fraternity averages for last semester, that Missouri Gamma had jumped from fourteenth to fifth in scholarship and to first among the major fraternities.—**GUY CALLAWAY, JR., Reporter.**

MONTANA ALPHA, MONTANA STATE UNIVERSITY.—Representations on the gridiron were Nugent, Hoon, and Phikeias Bryan and Jones, with Nugent Montana's all-American choice. Freshman numeral winners were Phikeias R. H. Anderson and H. Hileman. Johnson is in line for managership for the 1940 season. Montana Alpha took first place for best decorated house at homecoming. M. Bourke gained the honor of sophomore delegate to Central Board. Haviland and W. Helm are president and secretary, respectively, of manager's club. Pierce directs the policies of T E A. Phikeia Fisher is editor of the *Forestry Seedling* and Phikeia Hammond was appointed advertising manager of the *Sentinel*. Mueller and Parker,

with Parker taking the leading male part, starred in the University's major fall dramatic production. Phi-kaias selected for the freshman rifle team include R. H. Anderson, Haas, and Delano. Ryan and Nugent are new additions in Scabbard and Blade. A look into the basketball future shows another group of Montana Alpha Phi and Phi-kaias. Varsity men are Captain Ryan, W. Hall, Nugent, Crowell, and Phi-kaias DeGroot, Jones, Buettner, and Bryan; freshmen are Phi-kaias Fleming, Nordgren, Olson, and Eigemman. Miller is freshman basketball coach with Haviland varsity manager and Phi-kaias R. Helm freshman manager. Two advantageous transfers this fall affiliating with this chapter are Sureson of Wyoming Alpha and Dahle of Utah Alpha.—BURKE THOMPSON, Reporter.

NEBRASKA ALPHA, UNIVERSITY OF NEBRASKA.—At long last Nebraska Alpha can truthfully boast that a noticeable improvement in scholarship has been made. The first six-weeks' reports showed that the improvement is a good 100 per cent. Credit for this betterment is largely due to a stricter supervision of freshman studies. George Abel has played varsity football this season, and is said to be one of the best



NEBRASKA ALPHA'S GOLF TEAM

running guards Nebraska has had. Hartman Goetze is in the starting line-up of Nebraska's basketball team; also on the squad are Lyle King and John Hay. Having placed second in golf and third in touch football, $\Phi\Delta\Theta$ has been well represented in interfraternity athletics. Phi-kaias Oldfather, who has come to us from Harvard, and Charles Harris, an Omaha boy, starred on the golf team. The success of the football team was largely due to Bill Ryan and his younger brother, Phi-kaias Joe Ryan. A campus political rally, which traditionally has been an excuse for a general brawl, sent Phi-kaias Charles Harris to the hospital. He recovered after spending three days in the hospital. The traditional $\Phi\Delta\Theta$ Christmas Party was held December 30.—FRED F. FAIRMAN, JR., Reporter.

NEW YORK ALPHA, CORNELL UNIVERSITY.—New York Alpha presents the following fourteen Phi-kaias: Barber Conable, Ned Smallwood, Warsaw; Walter Murphy, Robert Steele, Mount Vernon; Philip Works, Robert Bladergreen, Rochester; Frank Walkley, Castile; Jesse Dall, Ithaca; Julius King, Chautauque; Jerry Saunders, Great Neck, L.I.; Thomas Daffron, St. Petersburg, Fla.; Albert Bean, Kansas City, Mo.;

Robert Roshirt, Detroit, Mich.; Frank Stout, Winnetka, Ill. The start of the basketball season finds four men out for the Big Red teams—Wood and Phi-kaias Daffron, Roshirt, and Walkley. Antrim, aided by Bodnar, headed the Campus Chest this year and the goal of thirty-five hundred dollars was reached. Vreeland and Antrim were elected to Red Key; Antrim being elected president of the society. The house under the guidance of the new chapter adviser, Brother Peters, is being extensively remodeled. The rooms are being painted and new furniture and rugs are giving a new atmosphere. The chapter sent three men to the Atlantic Regional Conference—Brennan, Alliaume, and Hartering. They brought back timely suggestions and much praise for the Conference.—JAMES B. HARTGERING, Reporter.

NEW YORK BETA, UNION COLLEGE.—During the initiation period, December 7, 8, and 9, seven new brothers were added to the roll: Donald Abood, Champlain; Albert Babyak, Cahoes; Frederic Mueller, Ravens; Willis Trombley, Ticonderoga; Warren Rixon, White Plains; J. Gordon Stillson, Canaan, Conn. Following the initiation a banquet was held, attended by fifty-seven alumni and active brothers. At the completion of a successful fall sports season, which found the chapter just behind the leaders in total number of intramural points, the brothers turned their attention to winter sports. Larue Buchanan took up his accustomed position on the varsity basketball team; Paul Santee is swimming on the freshman team and Donald Roberts is manager of the varsity; Phi-kaias LaDue is acting as assistant coach of the ski team. At this point in the basketball league the Phi team is undefeated and has a good chance of winning. At the end of the first marking period the average of the house was raised materially, and the chapter was commended by the President of the College for its showing.—DICKINSON GRIFFITH, JR., Reporter.

NEW YORK EPSILON, SYRACUSE UNIVERSITY.—With the Christmas formal December 18, Phi ended social activities for the semester and began preparations for January final exams. Hacker was chairman of the dance. University alumni, to show appreciation for the grid-team's showing on its fiftieth anniversary, took top stars to Philadelphia to see the Army-Navy classic. Among them was halfback Dick Banger, whose passing, kicking, and running spurred the victory over traditional rival Colgate. Banger is also one of the Phi members of Orange



DICK BANGER, SENSATIONAL BACK AT SYRACUSE

Key. Aiken has been named to the fraternity box committee of the senior ball. Metz is a member of the class executive committee. Though a junior, Round, who recently completed publicity for the inter-



SEYMOUR EVANS, COLGATE FOOTBALL MANAGER

fraternity banquet, will handle newspaper coverage of the ball. Wyrick is on the varsity basketball squad, with Phikeias Noble and McLaughlin representing the Phis on the freshman team. Peck and Noble have just completed their season of varsity and freshman soccer respectively. Scabard and Blade has initiated Crossman and Hacker. Spangenberg was initiated by B A Ψ and Round by E Δ X. Phi members of the glee club include Root, Spangenberg, Fisher, and English. Hicks recently starred in "Bring on the Music," Tambourine and Bones musical comedy. Irvine is secretary of the intramural athletics council, while Lips has been named to the interfraternity scholarship committee. English is a staff member of the *Onondagan*.—HOWARD ROUND, Reporter.

NEW YORK ZETA, COLGATE UNIVERSITY.—Main, Mye, Metzler, George, Gehlen as well as Phikeias Ames, Ainly, and Blicher formed the bulwark of the football team. The same men held forth in soccer. Garvey and Caseria have played remarkably fine ball on the varsity football team. Cy Evans, assistant manager of football, has shown great promise in handling men as was evidenced by his work this fall. Phikeia Blicher is out for varsity basketball, having played promising freshman ball. Phikeias Ashmead and Craig are making intramural debate their hobby this fall, Ashmead being a member of the varsity team. Weed, manager of the Colgate Band has turned in a fine job this fall. Phikeia Lister will continue to bolster the hockey team, while Phikeia Stott scrubs winter track. The success of Φ Δ Θ fall season was made complete by a splendid fall house party.—FENN T. RALPH, Reporter.

NORTH CAROLINA ALPHA, DUKE UNIVERSITY.—The Duke chapter announces the initiation of Jack L. Bruckner, Jamaica, N.Y.; Robert R. Boehringer, Upper Darby, Pa.; Arthur C. Hoffman, Charleston, S.C.; Leonard J. Darnell, Winston-Salem; R. F. Long, Baltimore, Md.; Herbert V. Von Gal, Danbury, Conn. New pledges include Barnard L. Rhodes, Live Oak, Fla.; and Michael L. Karmazin, Irwin, Pa. Because of the deferred rushing system a full report of pledges is not available. Guy Pershing Berner, senior and president of A K Ψ, was recently elected to Φ B E and O A K. He is also a varsity letterman in golf, an

executive in the Duke Y.M.C.A., and present rushing chairman in the Fraternity. Campus homecoming activities for the Syracuse game were attended by many welcomed alumni, and a dance that night. The efficient social committee provided many open-house dates in the spacious new dormitory section, and the fall semester was climaxed with the annual Christmas party, December 14. The chapter gained two notches in the scholarship rating of the eighteen fraternities, now assuming the sixth place in the field. The pledge class of last year maintained the highest scholarship, and was awarded the handsome Φ H E cup. Kirsch, Talton, Eaves, Darnell, Karmazin, and Robb were on the football squad, the last four winning varsity awards. Long won his monogram in cross-country. Boehringer was a soccer team member. Flentye and Moyer are basketball candidates, while Kelly has won the senior managership of that sport. Bunce and Brooks are out for swimming, while Schausser and Collins are boxing prospects. A host of Phis represent the chapter in the publications. McNeilly, Kelly, and Latham are *Chanticleer* staff members; Davis is in the *Chronicle* business managership competition; while Bunce and Conlon are among the Duke 'n' *Duchess* editors.—ROBERT B. KUBER, Reporter.

NORTH CAROLINA BETA, UNIVERSITY OF NORTH CAROLINA.—The chapter announces the initiation of Richard Wharton, Robert Howard, Randolph Partridge, and John White, who were taken into the chapter on November 12. The initiation of these men brings the number of active members up to thirty-five and, including the pledges, we now have an enrollment of fifty-five members. During October an informal dinner party was given for the newly installed A Δ Π chapter. In intramural sports this year we have fallen somewhat below our usual status; we lost three games in tag football, and in swimming and wrestling we could get no more than third and fourth places respectively. Phikeia John Feuchtenberger was one of the individual stars of the swimming meet and Phikeia Bill Feuchtenberger captured the 126 pound wrestling championship. Carroll McGaughey, news editor of the *Daily Tar Heel*, was one of two students



GUY PERSHING BERNER, Duke '40
Scholar and Student Leader

chosen by the University to debate against the Oxford debating team recently. Brother W. B. Bankhead, Speaker of the House of Representatives, was guest speaker at an Institute of Government Conference here last month, and paid a short visit to the chapter.

Unfortunately, however, his visit came during our Thanksgiving holidays and few of the members had a chance to meet and talk with him. Our annual Christmas party, at which the brothers exchange



NORTH CAROLINA GAMMA FOOTBALL TEAM

gifts of toys, was held the night of December 8 and the spirit of the occasion was one of good fellowship and fun. The toys were collected later and placed in baskets of food which we distribute yearly to the needy families in Chapel Hill.—WALFORD GRAGG, Reporter.

NORTH CAROLINA GAMMA, DAVIDSON COLLEGE.—Phi Delta Theta has again won the Davidson interfraternity football championship, our third straight year as winner. Captain Jim Cowan is leading this year's Davidson basketball team with Turner, Carter, and Williams battling for positions on the quintet. Phikeias Hobbie, Simpson, and Lewis are working hard for positions on the freshman five, which is managed this year by Brother Kenyon. Beall and Mashburn were taken into the D Club. Brother Ludlam was selected to $\Phi B K$ and Cowan and Mashburn were tapped by $O \Delta K$. Withers has been elected to membership in $\Pi \Gamma M$, while Jo Robinson was bid into $\Delta \Phi A$. Brother Kenyon was initiated into ΣT , and Tenney, Verene, Robinson, and Rudolph have been active in various plays on the campus. Dick Stevenson has become a member of the newly organized Flying Club. Ludlam represented the chapter at the Atlantic Regional Convention in New York. At our Homecoming banquet of November 4, Brother Kenyon was presented with a gold president's gavel. We were happy to have several alumni with us for this occasion. Among the several guests at our Thanksgiving dinner were Brother C. K. Brown and Brother K. J. Forman of the Davidson faculty.—CHARLES MASHBURN, JR., Reporter.

NORTH DAKOTA ALPHA, UNIVERSITY OF NORTH DAKOTA.—The fall intramural sports, volley ball and touch ball, ended with the Phis runner-up in both, which piled up a number of points toward the Participation Trophy, which was won by North Dakota Alpha last year. North Dakota Alpha was well represented on the football team with Phikeias Monnes and Nostahl playing regular and reserve center respectively. Phikeias Caidis was a reserve back. On the freshman football team were Phikeias Jacobson, Boyum, Huntley, and Hagen. The basketball season finds Alger and Phikeias Monnes and Caidis holding down regular positions. Phikeias Huntley, Kelly, Hagen, and Boyum are on the freshman basketball squad. Phikeias Boyum and Thompson are on the junior cabinet of the Y.M.C.A. and Heen was elected to the senior cabinet. Phikeias Boyum and Thompson are members of Hesperia speech club. Phikeias Burke and Kelly are on the reportorial staff of the *Dakota*

Student. Boyum received a scholarship in History for outstanding work. Sutton and Smeby organized and are in charge of the R.O.T.C. crack drill squad.—CHAD McLEOD, Reporter.

NOVA SCOTIA ALPHA, DALHOUSIE UNIVERSITY.—Rushing continues unabated; to date seven men have been pledged: Robert Musset, William Harvey, Bob Wilcox, Cy Kempston, William Mead, and John Chappell of Halifax, and Roderick Black of Amherst, N.S. Two successful rushing parties were held—the always enjoyable party at the Saragony Country Club, which played so large a part in the success of other rushing years, and a novel masquerade house party at Halloween. Two additional Phis have been called up for military service. M. Macleod passed his initial exams in the Royal Canadian Air Force and has been selected for advanced training at Trenton, Ontario. Gordon Kinley left in early November for Winnipeg, there to receive ab initio training for his commission in the R.C.A.F. War is still leaving its mark on the activities of the majority of Phis on the campus. The C.O.T.C., of which virtually all the brothers are members, has increased its activities to the extent which now necessitates three nights of the week and Sunday being devoted to trench digging, rifle drill and practice, tactics, map-reading, organization, and many other phases of military activity. Because of the dominant part that Halifax will play in this war, as a prominent sea-base, it has become quite evident that time previously devoted to social activities will in future—for the duration—be now devoted to training of a military nature. It is quite definite at this writing that as best they can, the members of $\Phi \Delta \Theta$ on this coast will enter into the spirit of this war in the manner in which all Canadians feel obligated.—RICHARD J. F. MURPHY, Reporter.

OHIO BETA, OHIO WESLEYAN UNIVERSITY.—For recognition as leaders in activities, MacKichan, Neff, and B. Shippes were tapped into $O \Delta K$ at the fall tap day, raising the total members in the chapter to five. Zent was initiated into $\Phi M A$. Bausak has been named editor of the *Sulphurette*, published by the English Writers Club. Palmer was listed among



CHARLES MARE HOPKINS, Ohio Wesleyan '40
President of Ohio Beta

new members of the organization. Neff was chosen as one of two debaters to represent Ohio Wesleyan against two English debaters, as one of the outstanding debate activities of the year. Phikeias Gracely is working on the business staff of the *Transcript*, of which

Ferrell is sports editor and Bailey and Banasik are issue editors. Four Phikeias, Cary, Kitchen, Cunningham, and Webb, are members of the band, while Phikeias Hunter and Sperry are members of Singers club and glee club. F. Shipps and Zent are on the editorial staff of *Le Bijou*. In athletics the chapter is represented by Hartman and Leonard on the basketball team and Otis, McIntyre, and Phikeias Connor on the swimming team. Liggett has transferred his work as pep leader at the football games to the basketball floor. Phikeias Zent, Phillips, and Colton are on the freshman basketball team. In intramural cross-country the chapter finished in second place among the fifteen competing organizations, with Bailey and Close finishing among the first five for individual honors. Basketball season opened with a strong offensive team winning their first game. The team responded to Ohio Iota's invitation to a dinner and two basketball games on the Denison campus by winning both games. On the winter social calendar were an informal Christmas party just before vacation, and the annual winter formal dance at the house on January 13.—JAMES BAILEY, Reporter.

OHIO GAMMA, OHIO UNIVERSITY.—Ohio Gamma, winners of the intramural touch football championship for the past two years, was nosed out of another triumph by $\Delta T \Delta$ in a two-game play-off which saw the opposition stagger through to victory. Charles Furr, star field general, captain, and manager, was



COE, SHAFER, AND WHITE, OF OHIO GAMMA
They pass judgment on the first snow of the winter

injured in the first game and was unable to play but a few minutes of the final game. The pledge class has entertained four sororities at tea in the chapter house during the past two months. All arrangements have been in the hands of the Phikeias and the actives have even been excluded from the entertainment (and the food). Phikeias Smith of Bellefontaine drum-majored Ohio University's one hundred piece marching band this fall and found time to make arrangements and lead the $\Phi \Delta \Theta$ song group. Robert Coe has received his Varsity O as a result of his being head football manager this past season. Jay Nutt received his numerals for acting as Coe's assistant. Robert Finnie was recently elected treasurer of the Men's Union. Harry MacSherry, Sharon, Pa., a member of the varsity basketball team, and Jim Hall, Columbus, have been added to the Phikeias class since the last issue of the SCROLL. Phikeias Oflager and Grigg are associate editors of the college yearbook. Their fast promotion was due largely to their ability in the field of photography.—CARLTON R. ASHER, Reporter.

OHIO EPSILON, AKRON UNIVERSITY.—Ten men were taken into the active chapter on October 15: Raymond B. Watters, Ted Schoettel, Richard H. Mayfield, Garfield L. Hoff, Jr., William A. Kenyon, Robert E. Dine, Frank O. Enright, Berton Hickman, Charles E. McBride, and Jacques I. Burrell. Burrell was selected as the most outstanding Phikeia during his year as a pledge; he was instrumental in winning two trophies, the badminton and tennis trophies, last spring. For his fine work his name was placed on our freshman merit plaque. Richard C. Walter, Akron, a sophomore, was pledged on November 29. Phikeias Walter is a member of the university band, assistant circulation manager of the paper, first-sergeant of Pershing Rifles, and a member of the Engineer's Club. Also, on November 15, Mike J. Fernella, Akron, Ohio; a junior and varsity football and basketball player, became a member of our pledge class. Brothers Schoettel, Watters, Meszaros, and Phikeias Young, Litz, and Wingard were pledged to Pershing Rifles. Sipes was appointed captain-adjutant of the university R.O.T.C. Hutchinson, Witner, and Noel were selected as captains, while Myers was chosen as a first-lieutenant. Singer and Steele, juniors were made first-sergeants. In Scabbard and Blade are Hutchinson, Noel, Sipes, and Witner. Marquardt was initiated in O A E. Ayer was made associate editor in charge of promotions of the paper. Carroll and Lincks are the publicity managers of the Peace Club. Myers is again, for the fourth year, a cheer leader. On December 1, the actives entertained the rushees at the Ohio Eta chapter. Dinner was served at the house and later both chapters and rushees attended the Ice Carnival at Cleveland. A hayride in October proved popular to the chapter as an event on the year's social calendar.—GENE CAILEY, Reporter.

OHIO ZETA, OHIO STATE UNIVERSITY.—At this writing the activities of the chapter are giving way to the advent of finals. During the past month the chapter has initiated eight new brothers: William Bazler, John Paxton, and Robert P.ushing, Columbus; Edwin Bruckner, Sandusky; Eugene Dornbrook, Parma; Wilbur LeFeber, Cincinnati; Roland Miltz, Cleveland; and David Will, McArthur. Shortly after initiation, the Homecoming spirit hit the chapter and the Illinois game provided an occasion for a week-end of renewing old friendships, dances, and bull-sessions. Don Scott, Canton, who made several football all-American selections, has left the gridiron to return to the hardwood courts. On the frosh basketball roster the following Phikeias are showing well: Byron and Roger Jorgenson, Pittsburgh; George Scholl, Cincinnati; and Carl Hufford, Bremen. At the close of football season the following awards were received: Varsity "O" award—Don Scott, Canton; and Charles Maag and Leonard Thom, both of Sandusky. Numeral awards—Phikeias William Kennedy, Van Wert, and Ralph Morcroft, Pittsburgh. Recent elections of the Ohio Staters Incorporated found William Stanhope, Chillicothe, and Charles Maag, Sandusky, welcomed into the organization. This increases the membership from the chapter to five. Phikeias John Homan, member of the Camera Club, won first prize with one of his candid shots in a recent contest sponsored by the club. The pledge class participated in the interfraternity pledge sing.—KENT E. POOL, Reporter.

OHIO ETA, CASE SCHOOL OF APPLIED SCIENCE.—Climaxing a successful football season with a banquet, the members of the squad chose A. H. Schweitzer as the most valuable player on the team after which the Alumni Council presented him with the

"Les Bale Memorial Award." At this time, J. J. Vanas was elected captain. Other Phis receiving varsity letters were: Albrecht, Eichler, Greenleaf, Konker, Harley, Poremba, Shafer, Spangenberg, Taylor, Voss, and Walter. Leo Klingler won first place in all the dual meets held this season in cross-country. John Vanas, captain of the football team, was elected captain of the hockey squad at the beginning of the winter sports program. Other members of the squad are: Albrecht, Gibson, Hubbard, and Poremba. The Case Senate, student governing body which is presided over by Brother Spangenberg, recently elected Kenward Killian as recording secretary. The chapter was honored early in December by a visit from Harry M. Gerlach, Assistant Secretary, General Headquarters. Gerlach brought greetings from other chapters he had visited and gave Ohio Eta advice on some of the Fraternity's problems. In the first game of the basketball season the varsity was beaten by an alumni team composed entirely of Phis. The undergraduates were also well represented by the chapter, for the following men are on the basketball squad: Fischley, Flowers, Gildemeister, Konker, Melreit, Schweitzer, Shafer, Taylor, and Walter. Lew Hubbard, and Ray Mack, second baseman on Cleveland Indians' baseball team, starred for the alumni.—JACK EICHLER, Reporter.

OHIO THETA, UNIVERSITY OF CINCINNATI.—November 5 found the Phis of Ohio Theta host to Brother Parke R. Kolbe, President of Drexel Institute, who dined with the chapter while visiting the city to speak at the memorial services for Dean Herman F. Schneider. In celebration of Homecoming Day, the brothers decorated the chapter house in proper style. Two large signs, bearing the words "Welcome Alumni," extended from the house top to the ground floor. To further the spirit, a miniature football player, representing the "Praying Colonels" of Centre College, was made to pray to a mammoth red bearcat representative of the "Cincinnati Bearcats." Open house was in order for all alumni and Phi Delt parents. We won the intramural football championship for the fourth consecutive year. In honor of the football brothers all the Phis put on a real feed. Congratulations were tendered Daum, Bohrer, and O. Keichner, who played their last game for U.C. against Miami on Thanksgiving Day. An old clothes party was given by the Phikelas on November 24. This event was followed by a pledge parents' tea given by the Mothers Club. Finally, a pledge formal was given at the Cloverbrook Country



FORREST FORDHAM, OHIO ZETA'S TOP SCORER

Club on December 2. The feature of this dance was a skit used by the pledges to introduce themselves formally to the chapter. Ohio Theta is glad to announce the affiliation of Brother Kenneth Weiman from Virginia Beta.—CHARLES R. SCHULTZ, Reporter.



JACK WEETER, Cincinnati '40
The yearbook editor passes on illustrations

OHIO IOTA, DENISON UNIVERSITY.—The chapter was proud of its record in the fall intramural race. The volley ball team brought in a fourth place and showed a good fighting spirit through the season. Our track team brought home the trophy for the fall relays, scoring twenty-one points against the second place's fifteen. Phikela Joe Franczac won first place in the 1939-40 Decathlon race, and Don Hanna, a junior, took first place in two of the events. The intramural basketball teams for A and B leagues have been organized. November 29 the chapter had as guests twenty-five members of the Ohio Wesleyan chapter for dinner and a smoker after which two games of basketball were played. They won. Phikelas Tom Wuichet, Jim Lantz, and Joe Franczac have taken places on the freshman basketball squad. Don Hanna is president of Denison's intramural system. Willard Kibby has recently been initiated into O.A.K. Downs, Trautman, Bellar, and Kibby made their varsity D's this fall, the first three for football and the latter for cheerleading. Seth Norman and Joe Anstaett co-operate to manage the box office for the Masquer's productions. The weekend of December 10 we took great pleasure in initiating Robert McCarthy of Detroit, class of '42. The chapter enjoyed entertaining the alumni at the annual Homecoming festivities, October 28. We also welcomed a host of the fathers on their annual day, November 11. The pledge formal took place December 2 and our Christmas dinner dance was December 8.—DAVID TAYLOR, Reporter.

OKLAHOMA ALPHA, UNIVERSITY OF OKLAHOMA.—The following men were initiated at the beginning of the year: Harry Burkett, Oklahoma City; Frank Swan, Konawa; and Dolph Carmichael, Chickasha. Burkett represents the Fraternity on the Intramural Board. Cirmicheal is a member of the interfraternity council, vice-president of Men's Council, and a mem-



OKLAHOMA ALPHA AFTER THANKSGIVING DINNER

ber of the student discipline committee. At the annual Homecoming game between Oklahoma and Iowa State, the Phikeias, through the able leadership of Brothers Bedwell and Ben Hutchins, carried off first honors for the best float in the parade. A beautiful loving cup was the prize. Of interest to all brothers of Oklahoma Alpha was the marriage of Kenneth Carpenter of Ponca City and Jeane Vance, K A G, of Enid. They are now at home in Ponca City. The Miami Triad dance was held December 9, in the Union ballroom. Preceding the dance, on December 7, the chapter was host to ΣX and $B \Theta II$ at a smoker given in the chapter house. All Phis and their dates gathered at the chapter house on December 16, for their annual Christmas party given in honor of underprivileged children. This party has been given for the last three years and is enjoyed by the brothers and their dates as much as by the children.—**DAVID J. STONE, Reporter.**

ONTARIO ALPHA, UNIVERSITY OF TORONTO.—Introducing the new freshmen for this year: Taking applied science are Hamish McIntosh, Toronto, born in Scotland, and Dick Silverlock, a former Newfoundland. Pete Turner and Bill Spaulding, Toronto, and Alex McPherson from Blenheim in Western Ontario are taking medicine. More interested in business are Cliff Lee and Stuart Dean, both of Toronto and taking the commerce and finance course. Don Davidson has a deeper interest in life and is finding out about forestry, though his home is in Toronto. Jack Wilson, Toronto, is going through for a dentist, and Bill Watson, another fellow from Blenheim, Western Ontario's tobacco belt, is going to be a lawyer. With such widespread interests the freshman class should go far. The other day, plans of the proposed new fraternity house were passed around amongst the brothers. The house (on paper) had been so revamped that it wasn't recognizable. During the summer—a committee of the alumni had got into action and a firm of architects went over the present house and drew up plans for its rebuild-

ing. This was done for the basement and ground floors, with the other floors to come later when funds were sufficient. The most important changes were the placing of the chapter room in the basement and the creation of the present chapter room into a large living room. An addition on the east side of the house at the front gave a side entrance, and rounded out the front appearance very much, giving a balanced design and providing space for a card room and ground floor wash room. Unfortunately, for the duration of the war, the whole idea has to be shelved, but as soon as possible afterwards, the project will be completed. Every active man in the chapter or actively interested in it will see that this idea, so long in abeyance, goes through eventually.—**ROWED GREIG, Reporter.**

OREGON ALPHA, UNIVERSITY OF OREGON.—Roy "Tippy" Dyer, sophomore backfield sensation, in the varsity football squad, will find his way into various All-Coast selections. Freshman football included Phikeias Baumgardner, Ell, Davis, Olson, and Terry. Loss of All-Americans Wintermute and Gale by graduation leaves Jackson and Galbreath to carry on Phi casaba glory. Wintermute is playing pro ball for the Detroit Eagles, while Gale stars for an amateur club. Ken Shipley, aided by Manager Holmes, is leading Phi teams to another intramural championship, which has been held by $\Phi \Delta \Theta$ the last three out of five years. Representatives of varsity track include sophomores Luther, Adams, and Dickson, from the '38 undefeated freshman team. Mitchell, letterman miler, will again strengthen varsity distance events. Various local and national honoraries claim sixteen Phis.—**RAY DICKSON, Reporter.**

OREGON BETA, OREGON STATE COLLEGE.—The chapter finished high in all intramural sports, the football team being particularly outstanding. Jim Rogers was selected for the fullback position on the All-College team. Murch and Lowery were placed on the second team at the two end positions. Phikeias Don Frederickson gained all-star recognition in intra-

mural basketball. Phikeias George Zellick and Orville Zielaskowski received their numerals for freshman football, both being mainstays on the undefeated, untied, and unscored-upon yearlings. Sam Knox acted as manager of interclass sports for the junior class, whose football team won the College interclass football championship. Phikeia Dean Olson is coach of the freshman football and basketball teams. Olson, in his first term, has passed all but one of the tests for admittance to $\Sigma\Delta\psi$. The Oregon State football team, finishing its most successful season, with only a single loss to U.S.C. to mar an otherwise perfect record, boasted five Phis on the squad, Vic and Morris Kohler, Walt Jelsma, Tom Sommerville, Bud English, and Jim Busch. Don Rogers, Dick Nash, and Fred Peterson, now in Miami, Fla., send word that they have visited over thirty chapter houses during their trip across the country and were received and treated royally everywhere. If they should happen to see this SCROLL—Hil Hol and Happy New Year from the boys at home. Three men were initiated this month: Jack Dudley, Ned Seiberts, and Bill Schubel. Les Copenhagen is president of the local chapter of $\tau\beta\eta$. Davies is also a member. Hal Murch wound up fall intramurals by throwing 89 out of 100 baskets to win for the second straight year the foul-throwing award.—WILLIAM LOWERY, Reporter.

PENNSYLVANIA BETA, GETTYSBURG COLLEGE.—Homecoming Day at Gettysburg College was the occasion for the organization of the alumni of Pennsylvania Beta into a club known as the Phi-Delity Club of Pennsylvania Beta. The purpose of this club is to unite the Phis closer together in the true spirit of fraternity and to get the alumni to co-operate with the active chapter, and promote the interests and welfare of the General Fraternity. The first meeting of this organization was very successful, with the attendance of over forty alumni. The chapter was represented by nine brothers at the Atlantic Regional in New York. Pennsylvania Beta notes the addition of another trophy to its collection of Interfraternity cups; by winning the interfraternity touch football competition without a single set-back. The team was composed of Houtz, Davis, Armitage, Sweet, Kern, and Buyer. As basketball and wrestling get under way Pennsylvania Beta is well represented in these sports with Buyer, Sohnleitner, Levens, Murtoff, and Shoemaker vying for positions on the varsity; and Phikeias Kern, Fox, and Neely working for places on the freshman team. The wrestling team is represented by McCarty and Whetstone. The chapter is making a special effort to encourage more and better singing by the printing and learning of new songs which are practiced twice a week.—HOWARD MIZELL, Reporter.

PENNSYLVANIA GAMMA, WASHINGTON AND JEFFERSON COLLEGE.—The chapter won the Homecoming decorating contest again this year, for the second time in the three years since the scheme has been in existence. Much credit for the beautiful cup we won as the result of the contest goes to Donley and Dodds, who were in charge of the decorations. It is high time to give recognition to Pennsylvania Gamma's only regular on the varsity—Tom Moore, of Rochester, Pa. Moore was honored this season by several opponent teams and coaches, who proclaimed him one of the best guards they had faced all season. This year, as in the past, Pennsylvania Gamma will publish a newspaper to be sent to the alumni of the chapter. The paper will be published once a semester, with the first issue scheduled to appear

some time soon after the first of the year. Brothers Martin and Jordan, and Phikeia Wilkins have been placed in charge of publication. Since our last SCROLL letter, we have initiated Tom McHenry, of Ambridge, Pa., and have also pledged Bill Grunow, a junior.—WALTER E. JORDAN, Reporter.

PENNSYLVANIA DELTA, ALLEGHENY COLLEGE.—This year the chapter again took first place in touch football, the second year that this has happened. Howard Beebe won second place in the Wakefield Oratorical contest. Three Phis are on the varsity basketball squad: William Faloon, Robert Welday, and Frank McKnight. Paul Herre is representing the chapter on the swimming team. Scarpitti, right tackle for Allegheny, finished the season on the sidelines because of an injury received in practice; he closes his football career with his fourth award. Participating in the Playshop production, *Judgment Day*, are Snead, Arntzen, and Wood, and Phikeias Depp, Larson, Hanson and Dusenberry. The chapter announces the pledging of Bernard Dusenberry of Newell, Pa.; this makes the pledge class total seventeen. Homecoming was observed in its usual style with a good number of enthusiastic alumni back in the chapter house. One of the principal speakers was William P. Murray, class of 1886. The chapter house is undergoing changes in the nature of permanent improvement. Aside from the work done over the summer, all the rooms are being newly papered, new rugs are being placed in them, and needed repairs in general are being made.—EDGAR S. WOOD, Reporter.

PENNSYLVANIA EPSILON, DICKINSON COLLEGE.—On November 22, Pennsylvania Epsilon received a trophy, the annual interfraternity award in connection with the Dickinson-Gettysburg grid battle. This trophy is awarded to the fraternity having the most original and attractive display of slogans and decorations in front of their respective houses, relative to the Thanksgiving Day game between Dickinson and Gettysburg. Brothers Gorsuch and Hoffman attended the New York Regional. Brother Dean Swift,



BAILEY AND LEVENS, GETTYSBURG GUARDS

Associate Professor of English at Dickinson, was present as a guest speaker and led discussions on rushing. Brother Gorsuch, editor of the *Dickinsonian*, reports that it was one of the most successful and enjoyable conventions he has yet attended. At the present time the Phi basketball team is leading the Dickinson campus. Under the careful guidance of our coach, Phikeia Lochrie, we have four victories

and remain undefeated. Outstanding performers are Sutton, captain, and Dean Hoffman. Our team suffered a great loss when Phikeias McGee, Lochrie, Perry, and Davis were called for positions on the regular Dickinson freshman team, disqualifying them for intramural basketball. Phikeias Lochrie and McGee were both captains of their high school teams last year. Members of our team at present are: Sutton, Hoffman, Copeland, Alexander, Walter, Gorsuch, Hunt, Stamy, and Phikeia Copello. The Government Flying Program, C.A.A., was introduced at Dickinson this fall, and in spite of the fact that the class is limited to ten, there are five Phis taking the course: Williamson, Gorsuch, Boyer, Miller, and Washabaugh.—WILLIAM H. EASTMENT, *Reporter*.

PENNSYLVANIA ZETA, UNIVERSITY OF PENNSYLVANIA.—The chapter was fortunate in having Harry M. Gerlach, Assistant Executive Secretary of the Fraternity, pay it a visit over the weekend of November 25. Max Lester, chapter president, represented the University at the National Interfraternity Council held in New York on December 1 and 2. Alfred Hamilton, recently elected to membership in BΓE, represented the chapter at the Atlantic Regional Conference of ΦΔΘ in New York on the same days. Lennard Warner, first-string end on the football team, had the misfortune to break his ankle in the North Carolina game, and was out of action for the remainder of the season. Austin Milans and Jerry Carson were elected to ΦKB Junior Society in its fall meeting. Karl Kurz was elected manager of the Soccer team. Competing for the basketball and swimming managerialships respectively are George Roeder and Hans Christoph. The chapter looks forward to a successful rushing season beginning January 10.—HOOD SQUIRES MCHORD, *Reporter*.

PENNSYLVANIA ETA, LEHIGH UNIVERSITY.—With football season now history, the chapter football team remains unbeaten and untied for the second consecutive year. Ewing, H. Bashford, Gibson, and Lane were the outstanding stars. The hardest and best played game was with ΦΓΔ; the chapter team won it by only one point. Ewing, Lane, Fidler, and Palmer are on the varsity basketball team; R. Bashford and Berlin are out for freshman swimming team, and Mathias is out for the frosh rifle team. Harbaugh was initiated into TΒII, and Whiting into ΔKΨ. Metcalf was elected junior football manager for next football season. The chapter basketball team won their first game and appear to be on the road to many more victories. Gibson is high scorer thus far. The semi-annual Valentine Banquet was held November 28. All the members enjoyed a meal at the expense of the Phis who were deficient scholastically. Glen Harneson, Lehigh football coach, was present; he is a Phi from Purdue University.—J. FORNEY YOUNG, JR., *Reporter*.

PENNSYLVANIA THETA, PENNSYLVANIA STATE COLLEGE.—On the weekend of October 7 Dads Day was celebrated with the welcoming back of many parents. A highly successful pledge dance was held on the same date. The following week was enlivened by the return of a large number of brothers to participate in Alumni Homecoming day. House party, the outstanding social event of the season, was made even more enjoyable by the visit to our chapter house of a number of brothers from the University of Maryland. On November 25 the closing football game, with Pittsburgh, attracted a large group of Phis from the Pittsburgh chapter, as well as the return of many alumni. Grabam has been initiated into ΔΣII and Parsons into TΒII. Henrie and Phikeias Ziegenfus and

Henry are members of Druids, and Phikeia Seebold belongs to Friars. Albright and Wagner have been taken into Blue Key, and Cresswell is a member of Skull and Bones. Phikeia Bacon was elected chairman of the All-College Party. Phikeia Koser has a lead in the production of *Swing Pinafore*, while Darby and Dietrick are in the chorus. Many of the Phikeias are candidates for freshman teams. Phikeias Scott, Phillips, Hall, Roan, and Ridenour are out for the first-year wrestling team, Phikeias Pettigout, Steidle, and Sharp for freshman swimming, and Phikeias Kippax and Bacon for freshman track. Albright is a first assistant basketball manager, and Culp and Mahoney are second assistant managers in soccer and wrestling respectively, while Phikeia Mattern is a second assistant boxing manager.—H. EDWARD WAGNER, *Reporter*.

PENNSYLVANIA IOTA, UNIVERSITY OF PITTSBURGH.—After a successful rush season Pennsylvania Iota pledged these Phikeias: Kenneth Husler, Harry Kingan, Roy Ruane, Jack Cargo, Paul Folley, John Benz, George Allshouse, Pittsburgh; Robert Feightner, Robert Kimmel, Greensburg; Meryle Metzler, James Jacobs, Johnstown; Albert Morton, John Freed, James Bates, John Fullerton, Erie; Frank Robinson, New Castle; Robert Sell, Allentown. Judd Poffinberger was made president of the John Marshall Club, and John Dickinson was tapped OΔK. Paul Witherpoon and Robert Ferris were initiated into ΣT. The chapter recently received two more first-place cups to add to those earned last semester, one for the interfraternity outdoor track meet and the other for the interfraternity sweepstakes. The members of Pennsylvania Iota again enjoyed the annual Christmas party held by the Mothers Club.—ROBERT E. MILLER, *Reporter*.

PENNSYLVANIA KAPPA, SWARTHMORE COLLEGE.—The chapter presents nine new Phis all initiated on December 6: Edward Atkinson of Moorestown, N.J.; David Curtin of Webster Springs, W.Va.; William Demond, Greenfield, Mass.; Roderick Duncan, Washington, D.C.; John Hunter, Urbana, Ill.; Don Oleson, Washington, D.C.; Martin Pearce, Sparks, Md.; Carroll Poole, Wilmington, Del.; and David Way, Woodstown, N.J. For the first time in the history of Swarthmore College, the football team had an undefeated season; representing the chapter were the twins Art and Paul Snyder, who proved to be important cogs in the guard positions on the line. The Snyder boys played four years of football, and have distinguished themselves in lacrosse, tennis, and numerous other activities. Bill Dietz is playing varsity basketball this year and Bill Capron is a candidate for the managership. Ed Atkinson was elected co-captain of the freshman cross-country team in post-season elections. After a successful season Alexander and Hall proved stellar booters on the soccer squad. The swimming team is represented by Mardey, Darlington, Cavin, and Way, while Langston is senior manager. Sophomore manager-elect of football, George Bond, was elected to the managerial society of Kwink, the junior members of which are Cavin, Crowley, Mardey, and Wood. Wood was producer-director of the Kwink annual Hamburg show, succeeding in giving a good performance, a take-off on the current Broadway hit, "Hellzapoppin'." Participants in the show were Krom, Leich, Langston, Ferguson, Pirnie, Myers, Dietz, Capron, and Austin. Darlington is cheerleading for his second year and Crowley is preparing a band, which the college has lacked for some years, to play at basketball games. Leich, Ferguson, and Scott appeared in the presentation of Gil-

bert and Sullivan's "Patience." The chapter is inaugurating a policy of having teas in the lodge on Sunday afternoons, the first of which was held December 10, a sextet of the brothers rendering songs for the entertainment of the mixed group. Brother Harry M. Gerlach, Assistant Executive Secretary, paid the chapter a visit the last week-end in November. Green and Cavin attended the Atlantic Regional as Pennsylvania Kappa's representatives.—**JOHN C. CROWLEY, Reporter.**

QUEBEC ALPHA, MCGILL UNIVERSITY.—This year's freshman class set a new record for Quebec Alpha, sixteen men being initiated: Brands, Dowbiggan, McGibbon, Wang, P. A. Landry, Edmison, Swinton, Giddings, Strong, Allan, Kirkpatrick, P. C. Landry, T. Davies, Stohn, MacCallum, Chown. This was due, in no small part, to the unstinted efforts of Brothers Kelley and Bryant, but also to the wholehearted cooperation of the alumni. Brother F. Leckie is a recent affiliate from Manitoba Alpha. Morse and Stronach were members of the senior rugby team. G. Young was on the intermediate, and T. Davies and Phikeia Cullen on the frosh. Keyes, Chowan, and Dowbiggan managed these teams respectively. In track, Bryant successfully defended his high-jump crown, while Borsmann garnered valuable points to help regain the intercollegiate title. F. Davies again held down a position on the golf team. Phikeia Robinson was on the tennis team. Young, Macdonald, and Brands are stars on the senior hockey team. Drysdale is on the basketball team, managed by Borsmann and Retallack. G. Swinton, our Austrian freshman, has just been appointed honorary instructor of the McGill Ski Club, and is expected to be the outstanding performer of the ski team. In the classic "frosh-upper year" rugby game the old men again emerged victorious from the muddy battlefield. A number of the brothers are in reality training for the battle as members of the C.O.T.C. Besides sports, other activities also have their Phis. Smith, Boggs, and Dodd are president, vice-president, and treasurer of the Scarlet Key society and Bryant, McDonald, and Morse are members. Dodd is also president of the Engineering Society. McDonald is secretary of the Union and news editor of the *Daily*. Numerous other class and faculty offices are held by brothers. Festivities held the spotlight this term; the rushing dance and the rugby dance being the outstanding events.—**FRED DAVIES, Reporter.**

RHODE ISLAND ALPHA, BROWN UNIVERSITY.—The following men have been initiated since the opening of college: John Askmore Harman, '42, Rochester, N.Y.; Peter Richard Brown, '42, Spring Lake, N.J.; Sidney Bishop Congdon, Jr., '42, Shaker Heights, Ohio; Charles Folsom Jones, '42, Aberdeen, S.D.; Harry Kearns O'Melia, '41, Oak Park, Ill. Charles Horton Vivian, '40, Elizabeth, N.J., has been pledged. Vivian is at the head of his class scholastically. Marvin E. Boisseau, Jr., '41, was awarded the Abbey Wheaton Chase scholarship, annually awarded to the man at the head of his class. He is also a James Manning Scholar, which is the highest honorary academic distinction given by the University. Brothers G. Gould, Vivian, Boisseau, and O'Melia made the Dean's list. Several of the brothers are active in musical organizations on the campus. George Abraham is president of the orchestra and Tom Sloan is manager. Andy Sinclair did splendid work as leader of the band this fall. Football games were enlivened with unique musical arrangements and marching formations. Perry, K. Brown, Hackett, and Holt are members of the band.

P. R. Brown was one of the cheerleaders. A Scotch band in full regalia entertained at the Atlantic Regional Conference banquet in New York on December 1. Sinclair played bagpipes, Hackett the Scotch bass drum, and Armstrong snare drums. Bois-



ARTHUR AND PAUL SNYDER, *Swarthmore* '40 Guards on *Swarthmore's* undefeated team

seau discussed chapter house financing at the convention. George Abraham is president and founder of the Brown Network, the first collegiate broadcasting system in the world. Sloan, Niemitz, King, K. Brown, and Stuckert have their own daily or weekly programs, and Harman is on the technical board of the Network. Sinclair is editor-in-chief of the *Liber Brunensis*, college yearbook, Rohrdanz and Boisseau are co-junior editors, and sophomores Henning, Niemitz, Leahy, Stuckert, Jones, Congdon are scuttling for the editorial board. Don Smith is a junior editor of the *Brown Daily Herald*. Bob Hackett has done some excellent cover illustrations for *Sir Brown*, the college literary and humor magazine. Bill Leahy and Don Donahue are on the Faunce House Board of Governors, the body in charge of student relations with and activities in Faunce House, social center of the campus.—**MERTON C. BARTOW, Jr., Reporter.**

SOUTH DAKOTA ALPHA, UNIVERSITY OF SOUTH DAKOTA.—The chapter pledged twelve men last fall: Richard Pay, Bryant Caldwell, Sioux Falls; William Green, Donald Porter, Madison; Robert David, Rapid City; William Tiffany, Aberdeen; John Bauman, Oneca; Edward Pniak, Leonard Erickson, Sioux City, Iowa; Arthur Brown, Council Bluffs, Iowa; Adrian Kale, LeMars, Iowa; Donald Hanson, Worthington, Minn. Initiated during the fall term were: Al Livak, Lead; Robert MacLane, Chicago, Ill.; Gene Hagen and Dan Gaynor, Sioux City, Iowa. Brother Wernli was selected on the All-Conference football team. He also won high scoring honors in the conference. The chapter was well represented on the squad with Taplett and Phikeias Burns and Bond playing regular positions. Ptak and Taplett hold down regular berths on the basketball squad. Phikeias Burns and Bond are also on the squad. Touch football was introduced this year and $\Phi\Delta\Theta$ has a beautiful new trophy on the mantel, winning the round-robin schedule without a single defeat. Phikeia Bob David has recently been placed as assistant business manager of the *Coyote*. Magee and Phikeia Fell have been selected by Strollers, dramatic club.—**ERNEST McDONALD, Reporter.**

TENNESSEE ALPHA, VANDEBILT UNIVERSITY.—Bobby Pitts was elected to O.A.K. giving Tennessee

Alpha three members. Bill Kammerer made a varsity letter in football and Felix Smart was a member of the squad. Three Phikeias made freshman football letters: George Alder, Billy Cate, and Henry Holmes. Bobby Pitts and Tommy Brown were selected in *Who's Who in American Colleges*. In intramurals



TOM T. BROWN, Vanderbilt '40
President of Tennessee Alpha

Tennessee Alpha has been very successful, winning the touch football championship and being runner-up in the ping pong tournament. Phikeia Oscar Burris was the winner of the annual cross-country run. We now have out for varsity basketball Bobby Pitts, Bill Kammerer, Tommy Brown, Billy Hackett, Joe Davis, Felix Smart, Bill Chapman, John Milliken, and Sid Hailey. Milliken won his letter last year. Out for varsity wrestling are Charles Bray, who is captain, John Pellett, John Warren, Dayton Manier, and Barney Ireland. Bray and Pellett are returning lettermen. During our Thanksgiving holiday we were honored to have as our guests numerous alumni for whom were given a tea dance and a breakfast.—CHARLES BUD BRAY, *Reporter*.

TENNESSEE BETA, UNIVERSITY OF THE SOUTH.—We report the addition of another Phikeia to our pledge class since pledge week; Macon Kirkman of Helena, Ark., brings the total to seventeen. Of these seventeen three—John Yochem, Bob Marshburn, and Jack Wetzel—are on the first frosh basketball team. Phikeia Yochem is high-scorer on the team. Everyone has begun to get down to work again after having an excellent time over Thanksgiving at the dances. Barney Rapp, his "Rhapsodies by Rapp," and Doris Day were received in a big way. During the dances three men were initiated into the Blue Key, a honorary organization, and two of these were Brothers McGriff and Wright. We also had the pleasure of having Brother Rick Phillips at Springfield, Mo., for a couple of days. We aren't doing so well in the intramural sports, as we just can't seem to get in the groove; but when we do, watch the cups come in.—FLOYD C. MILLER, JR., *Reporter*.

TEXAS BETA, UNIVERSITY OF TEXAS.—The Phis have just barely had time to recover from their annual barn dance. With the members and their dates all dressed in a real country manner, and the inside of the "barn" duded up with sheaves of corn stalks, bales of hay, sacks of sawdust, and the punch drawn from an old oak barrel by means of a tap, the effect was realistic and absolutely rural. Music was supplied by an aggregation of music-lovers known

as Texas Slim and his Boys. The party was an overwhelming success. In intramurals Brother Joe Bart Moore succeeded in defeating Brother Clair Cannon for the championship of the 155 pound class while Russell Leonard won the 145 pound class to become its champion. C. C. Cates captained his football team to the finals of his league. This year produced a first-rate ball club for the Phis. Texas Beta is planning a new house to be built in the near future. The new building will replace the one erected a year following the chapter's founding some forty-six years ago. Despite its age the house is still in good condition.—JOE DEALLEY, *Reporter*.

TEXAS GAMMA, SOUTHWESTERN UNIVERSITY.—Brother Cox and Phikeia Anderson played the leading rôles in the Mask and Wig's production of the play, "Charley's Aunt." Under the able coaching of Sneed the Phis have forged ahead to a leading position in the intramural athletic contests. Henderson won in the ping pong matches by a wide margin. Sneed, Renfro, and Bland were elected to IΓM. Sneed was also initiated into the scholarship fraternity, ΔX and listed in the *Who's Who in American Colleges*. The chapter recently pledged another valuable man, John Childress of Fort Worth. Phikeia Childress is also a



JIMMY THOMAS, SEWANEE END

member of ΔX and was listed in the *Who's Who in American Colleges*. Ingram won his letter in football again this year, his third year on the varsity team as first string tackle. Plans are being made for reconditioning the house and work will soon begin on the outside. The chorister has been busy working with our newly organized chorus. The chapter is hoping to introduce the Interfraternity Sing contests on the campus this spring. At the present the chorus is specializing on ΔΔG songs but other songs will be included later.—ROY H. BLAND, *Reporter*.

TEXAS DELTA, SOUTHERN METHODIST UNIVERSITY.—The first honors accorded the Phis this year came as a result of the class elections. Keith Walker was elected president of the sophomore class, Jimmy Pierce is vice-president of the junior class, and Charles Galvin president of the senior class. Two Phikeias, Roger Hicks and Orville Johnson, played on the freshman football squad. Texas Delta has been notified by the administration that it is winner of the fraternity scholarship award for last year. The scarcity of initiates' mid-semester deficiency reports indicates that this year's scholarship record will be high. The chapter also won a cup for participation in homecoming activities. That weekend saw the re-

turn to the house of a number of Phis, who, with their ladies, were entertained with a buffet supper after the S.M.U.-Texas game. In intramural sports the Phi football and basketball teams were runners-up in their league; the swimming team, coached by Phil Montgomery, was league winner; and the volleyball team, coached by Bill Westmorland, seems a trophy winner as the season gets under way. The chapter's annual dinner and program dance was very successful.—CHARLES GALVIN, *Reporter*.

UTAH ALPHA, UNIVERSITY OF UTAH.—By winning first place in the float division and second in the skits, the Phis garnered second place in the competition for the grand prize in Homecoming week. Previous to the big homecoming game, the Salt Lake City Alumni Club entertained all Phis, active and alumni, at a luncheon in the Jade Room of the Hotel Utah. Utah Alpha showed up well in the recent football season, with Tom Pace being an almost unanimous choice as an All-Conference halfback, and Fred Kaul gaining honorable mention at his guard position. Frank Beams also showed up well at end. In the fall rush week, the Phis pledged the following men: Frank Beams, Robert Steele, Gerald Wadsworth, Alvaro Pratt, Frank Hoiick, and John Porter. Utah University has a de-



CHARLES INGRAM, SOUTHWESTERN TACKLE

ferred rush week, freshman not being allowed to be rushed until the winter quarter. In basketball, Robert Melroy returns as a letterman from last year's squad, and is expected to be a regular before the season ends. We are entering into intramurals very enthusiastically, with Charles Hosmer, Robert Melroy, William Emmel, and Paul Reynolds being elected presidents of the associations governing swimming, pool, tennis, and wrestling respectively. Utah Alpha's plan of pro-rationing the bills of delinquent members has been working successfully. Recently initiated were Robert Anderson and Charles Hosmer.—GEORGE DENTON, *Reporter*.

VERMONT ALPHA, UNIVERSITY OF VERMONT.—Vermont Phi took the lead in interfraternity competition, as they won the touch football title. A team composed of Pratt, Pache, Middleworth, Boucher, Cronin, Logan, Daniels, Phikeias Mott, Dennis and Godfrey, led by Pignona as coach, easily defeated opposition. Flynn and Spasyk played outstanding football for Vermont, as they won the state title. Spasyk was chosen on the All-State team. Phikeia Benoit had a good year as guard on the freshman squad. Ramsdell is varsity football manager. Eugene Gasperini, member of the interfraternity council, was elected presi-

dent for the winter term. The Christmas formal was efficiently run by a committee of Murphy, Foster, Pache and Miller. Boucher, a member of the glee club and choir, had a part in the fall play. Middle-



WILLIAM PHELPS, *Virginia Gamma '41*
Three-letter man at Randolph-Macon

worth was director of one of the group plays recently put on. He was our delegate to the Atlantic Conference. Cronin and Pratt are working on Kake Walk; Pache and Pratt will walk for Vermont. Pache is a member of the ski team. Two more pledges were added to our Phikeia group: David Tuholski, from Brockton, Mass., and Al Duque from the Republic of Panama. Brother Pignona is recovering from an appendix operation. Murphy and Cronin were in charge of the program for informal initiation. Cronin is also in charge of interfraternity basketball team. Sudbay and Pache are in charge of interfraternity bowling.—CLARK MILLER, *Reporter*.

VIRGINIA GAMMA, RANDOLPH-MACON COLLEGE.—Virginia Gamma captured the Panhellenic trophy, awarded in intramural football, for the second consecutive year, with three Phis placing on the all intramural team. Phis occupying berths on the varsity basketball squad are Phelps, Leggett, and Phikeias



AT THE TEXAS BETA BARN DANCE

Stephens and Kovar. In addition Phikeia McCormick manages the team. Thomas and Logan are on the swimming squad. Price, a veteran on the debating squad is vice-president of the Franklin Literary Society and a member of the Dramatic society. Winston and Smithy are directing the annual Christmas party sponsored by the Y.M.C.A. for underprivileged children. "Gamma," a white Eskimo canine, has accepted



THE TURNER BROTHERS, OF WHITMAN
Left to right: Dick, Bob, and Joe

the position of mascot of Virginia Gamma. The chapter gave a tea for the faculty on December 9. The annual pre-Christmas chapter party on December 15 featured a play performed by the Phikeias. Dick Little, *Illinois Epitaph '95*, was a recent visitor at the house.
—J. DOUGLAS STERRETT, *Reporter*.

VIRGINIA DELTA, UNIVERSITY OF RICHMOND.—Our Thanksgiving formal turned out to be the best dance we have ever given, and we were happy to welcome back at that time many of our distinguished alumni brothers and other Phis who came out to celebrate with us. Ed Bragg and Ned Butcher were important cogs in the wheel of fortune that gave the Spider football team a highly successful year. Bragg played his last game this year, but Butcher will be back in there in 1940. Phikeia Skinner led our freshmen in scholarship at mid-semester with 4 B's and an A; while Adams placed high among the upperclassmen. We announce the initiation of Brother Burkholder, who was a member of the local chapter. Graduates of last year report that working is fine, but they miss college and the Fraternity. Martin, Norvell, and Powers are working in Richmond, while Dodd is flying for Uncle Sam down at Pensacola.—**HAROLD G. OWENS, Reporter**.

VIRGINIA ZETA, WASHINGTON AND LEE UNIVERSITY.—The chapter announces the pledging of four additional Phikeias, bringing our total of new men up to thirteen: Cal East, Gary, Ind.; Hill Maury, Lexington, Ky.; Bill McCloud, St. Petersburg, Fla., and Paul Sanders, Little Rock, Ark. Foltz has been taken into O Δ K. Day, Henderson, and Lykes represented Virginia Zeta at the Regional Convention in New York City, where Day presided over the convention the second morning and Henderson presented a paper. Avery, Lykes, and Miller were varsity football cheerleaders. Hamilton is a candidate for the freshman basketball team. On November 25 Virginia Zeta was host at one of the most successful house dances in years. Some thirty damsels from near-by girls' schools were present as were many representatives from other fraternities on the campus.—**JOHN L. DAVIS, Reporter**.

WASHINGTON BETA, WHITMAN COLLEGE.—Washington Beta was awarded the Whitman College scholastic trophy for the second semester of last year. The chapter's average was greatly above the all-college

average for the period. Intramural football was concluded with Φ Δ Θ winning the title. Jack Edwards and Vernon Scholer were named to the all-star team and Bob Turner was placed on the second mythical squad. Honorable mention was given to Gil Goodman and Dick Turner and Phikeias Bob Kirkman and Bob Rhay. Varsity football awards were recently given, Φ Δ Θ being well represented. Receiving their letters were Jim Hamby, who received his fourth letter, Jim Morrill and Wes Price, receiving their third, Phil Graue, his second, and Tom Evenden, John Storie, and Joe Hughes, their first. In addition, Dick Winstead was given his third managerial award. Price, captain of the team this year, was named All-Conference for the second consecutive season, and Hamby was given honorable mention. Varsity basketball has gotten under way with Arnold Gentry captaining the team for the second year. Also included on the squad are Phis Harlan Sommerville, Ed Lowery, George Hershman, and Bruce Shaffer. Representing Whitman College at the annual debate met at Stockton, Calif., were Merlin Young, Lloyd Benedict, Ed Adams, and Jack Edwards. Adams won individual recognition when he tied for first place in oratory. Jeff Aschoff and Ted Sears have represented us capably in the college pep band throughout football season. Yell king this year is one of the liveliest Phis on the campus. Sandy Burns of Boise, Idaho. Assisting him has been Vernon Scholer. Jack Hood, chorister, has been working exceedingly hard these past weeks shaping the Phis into condition for a strenuous round of singing competition in the future.—**ROBERT McMULLEN, Reporter**.

WASHINGTON GAMMA, WASHINGTON STATE COLLEGE.—Varsity football letters were won by sophomores William Sewell, Joseph Beckman, and Herbert Godfrey. Sewell was instrumental in the Washington State victory over the University of Washington. Dale Gentry, Robert Olson, Raymond Mahoney, and Kirk Gebert are members of the varsity basketball team. To date Gebert is leading team scorer with Olson close behind. An exchange dance was held with Idaho Alpha, the entire chapter attending. A similar function is being planned with the Phis of Washington Beta. The Φ Δ Θ radio program was rated a success. Phikeias Chartier and Dodd, a unique piano team, are heard weekly over the college station. Dodd and Phikeia D. Hales are writing on the *Evergreen*. H. Hales and McPhee are basketball managers, and Owen Hunt is a regular of the freshman basketball squad. Phikeias Thomas Brannigan, James McKnight, and Roger Olson won numerals in football. Fredrick Wright was initiated into Scarab. The following were initiated into membership: Wayne Garceau, Yakima; Fred Wright, William Hughes, Elwood Carter, Logan Jorgans, John Bacon, Spokane; Jack Lindsay, Princeton, British Columbia; Richard Haley, Tacoma; Jack Nielsen, Longview, and Harold Lowery, Bellingham. Two serenades have taken place this fall, the latter being in the Christmas theme. Loren Logsdon was elected secretary of the senior class and Fred Wright was elected from his architectural class as the outstanding student and has been selected to do work for the State housing board.—**ROBERT GEBERT, Reporter**.

WEST VIRGINIA ALPHA, WEST VIRGINIA UNIVERSITY.—Under the direction of prep masters C. Cox and A. Klebe, the pledges have been getting acquainted with the duties about the chapter house and have also started to take part in some of the campus activities. Phikeia B. Smith was one of the freshmen cheerleaders and Phikeia Rhodes is out for manager of the freshman track team while Phikeia

M. Cox is competing for the same position on the basketball squad. Phikeia Rodgers and Brothers Church and Swager are members of the R.O.T.C. band. At the present time the chapter is in fourth place in the intramural athletic standing of the eighteen fraternity chapters. Byrum, Hockenbery, Steward, Reynolds, and H. Klebe make up the two bridge teams that are competing in the bridge tournament sponsored by the interfraternity council. Hackney is the senior representative in the interfraternity council and is serving as the treasurer of the organization. Bord is the junior representative in the group. Mountain, campus honorary of which Byrum and H. Klebe are members, recently initiated C. Cox. Ringer is enrolled in the flight school of the C.A.A. The chapter welcomes Brother Ed Connell, a transfer from Massachusetts Beta. Jones is out for the wrestling team. Ruch is on the varsity basketball squad, and Hicks is playing on the freshman team.—WILLIAM Y. KLETT, Reporter.

WISCONSIN ALPHA, UNIVERSITY OF WISCONSIN.—The Phis at Wisconsin were honored at homecoming time, November 18, with the return of Brother MacArthur, the oldest returning alumnus to the Wisconsin campus. On November 17, the chapter returned the courtesy of EAE which was extended to us in the form of a smoker the evening of October 27. At initiation ceremonies held November 5 eight new men entered the chapter: Albert Meier, R. Lee Hopkins, Marius Birkle, Clayton Ruth, Andrew Humieker, Roger Wurtz, Dan Christiansen, and Verdayne John. At chapter meeting the night of November 20 we affiliated Robert Hare, a junior from Indiana Zeta. Since formal pledging September 27, the chapter has pledged ten new men: James Gray, Kansas City Mo.; Fred Michaels, Oak Park, Ill.; Art Voss, Wauwatosa; Dudley Pfau, Wauwatosa; Byron Spiech, Wauwatosa; Stan O'Malley, Milwaukee; Fred Nause, Sheboygan; Rex Spiller, Sheboygan; Mark Hoskins, Lancaster; and Dave Schreiner, Lancaster. Phikeias Hoskins, Schreiner, and Michaels were picked for honors on the freshman football squad this fall. Hoskins is a halfback, Schreiner an end, and Michaels is a guard. Schreiner is boxing on the frosh squad in the heavyweight division. Brother Nelson is a member of the varsity basketball, playing at a forward position. The bowling team is tied for first place in the interfraternity matches. The volleyball team is now in the semi-final playoff for the All-University championship, and the football team reached the playoff before being eliminated from competition. The basketball team has played but two games, however, in the games it has looked good, winning both games by lopsided scores. This year the chapter has started issuing a chapter paper, the *Badger Phi*, the first issue appearing at Homecoming time. Dan Christiansen edits the paper, and it is to appear monthly. This is the first time the chapter has put out a paper since the early thirties. This year we have started a new program of inviting various faculty members to dinner each week, then after dinner they give a short speech upon any subject that they please, answering any questions the brothers may have. The evening of December 9, the chapter held its annual Christmas formal dinner-dance at the house.—JAMES MOSES, Reporter.

WISCONSIN BETA, LAWRENCE COLLEGE.—Topping all other events was the election of Ken Buesing, chapter president, to the presidency of the Lawrence student body by an overwhelming majority. He received further honors at the Lawrence football banquet when he was voted the trophy presented by the Lawrence Men's Club to the player considered most

valuable to the team. This was supplemented by his selection as a back on the All-Conference second team. Other Phis who received letters and sweaters were: Co-Captain Garvey, Everett, Florin, Kirchoff,



WASHINGTON GAMMA LOOKS HAPPY

Lingel, and Phikeia Spalding. Freshman numerals were awarded to Allen, W. Buesing, Cramer, Crossett, Wright, and Smith. At the homecoming parade, our float captured second place. Interest in sport is now turning to basketball. On the varsity squad are Buesing, Kirchoff, Lingel, and Morton. Those trying for places on the freshman team are W. Buesing, Crossett, Ewers, Harvey, Lalley, and Smith. The following Phis were selected as Honor Scholars by President Barrows: freshmen, Bergstrom, Elias, and Ewers; sophomores, Calkins and Garman; junior, Heinke. In the all-college theater production of the Gilbert and Sullivan operetta "Utopia Limited," leading rôles were portrayed by Garman, Gmeiner, Hogue, and Florin. Hogue was the tenor soloist for the annual Christmas presentation of Handel's "Messiah" by the Schola Cantorum. On the paper this year are Bill Hirst as dramatics editor, Joe Morton on the features staff, and Ken Buesing and Mel Heinke on the editorial board. Bob Noonan is acting as business manager of the year book.—RAY MILLER, Reporter.

WYOMING ALPHA, UNIVERSITY OF WYOMING.—Wyoming Alpha was thrown into mourning with the death of two brothers, Ben H. Thoeming and Richard H. Sheldon, who were killed in an automobile accident during Thanksgiving vacation. Both were highly respected and stalwart brothers and their deaths are an inestimable loss to the chapter and the Fraternity. Don Waller recently won the University ping-pong singles tournament. Bill Jernigan and Phikeia Perry Andrews are intramural 135 and 165 pound boxing champs. Phikeia Watt won the 135 pound wrestling title. W. C. Hatfield, conference swimming champion, was recently named to the position of swimming coach of the University. He is the second active member to be appointed to the coaching staff as John Winterholler is now assistant line coach. With the pledging of Bill Lehecka, Wyoming Alpha now has all three of the male cheerleaders for the University. The others are Bill Shutts and Phikeia Homer Grooman. The chapter placed second in the intramural basketball tourney, losing the title 21-20 in an overtime thriller. We are now in third place in the intramural race. Tom Proctor is one of the leading campus Thespians and played the lead in the stage production, "Double Door." Grant Lindell dropped school to accept a position with the social security board at Baltimore, Md.—CHARLES SMITH, Reporter

Chapter Grand

DWIGHT EDWIN BAUM, *Syracuse '09*, nationally known architect, died December 13, 1938, in New York City. He suffered a heart attack in front of the Astor Hotel, and died without regaining consciousness.

Dwight Baum designed many great buildings



DWIGHT EDWIN BAUM, *Syracuse '09*

and memorials but he never allowed this work to overshadow his love for a small, well-planned home. He had designed hundreds of homes, and in 1932 won the gold medal for the best designed small house of two stories built in America between 1926 and 1930.

The medal was given by Better Homes in America, an organization which was headed by former President Herbert Hoover and sponsored by the American Institute of Architects. Mr. Hoover himself presented the medal, which was one of many Mr. Baum had received for designing small and practical homes.

Of his other architectural accomplishments, there are the Columbus Memorial Monument, in Syracuse; the Great War Memorial Tower, in Riverdale; the \$3,000,000 West Side Young Men's Christian Association Building at 5 West Sixty-third Street, dedicated in 1930 and described as the "finest Y.M.C.A. building in the world," and many schools, hospitals and college buildings.

He was architect for Syracuse University and with the late John Russell Pope he mapped a fifty-year building plan for Syracuse University.

He was the architect for Hendricks Chapel, College of Medicine and Maxwell School of Citizenship, all buildings on the Syracuse campus. He also designed the Syracuse Memorial Hospital.

He was one of the architects for the New York World's Fair, 1939, and won honorable mention in World's Fair architectural competition. He won the contract to design the Fair's postoffice and also had designed a bungalow of ten rooms, known as "Homewood," at the Fair which he planned for Gas Exhibits, Inc. He had designed the Good Housekeeping Pavilion at the Century of Progress in Chicago.

Dwight Baum was born in Little Falls, N.Y., June 24, 1886, the son of Fayette and Alma Elizabeth Ackerman Baum. He was graduated from Syracuse University in 1909 and began the practice of architecture in New York in 1915.

Surviving are his wife, Mrs. Katharine Crouse Baum; three sons, Dwight Crouse Baum, *Cornell '36*, of Pittsburgh, a recent graduate of Harvard Business School; John Leach Baum of Franklin, N.J., also a Harvard graduate, and Peter Ackerman Baum, a student at Taft School, Watertown, Conn.

Dwight Baum was an active and loyal Phi; he took every possible occasion to be present at gatherings of the Fraternity, and his counsel was much sought in matters concerning its welfare. He conceived a great interest in the project of a building which would be a fitting memorial of the Centennial of $\Phi \Delta \Theta$, and had made numerous sketches to embody his ideas about it.

His funeral services were conducted in Hendricks Chapel, Syracuse University, which he designed a decade ago. At the close of the services a memorial poem by Professor A. E. Johnson was read, expressing the esteem and devotion of those with whom he had planned and labored:

If ever there were sermon writ in stone,
How eloquently here his praise is sung;
He will be present when we ourselves are gone;
Already is his timeless soul among
The unborn generations who shall come
Into this blessed place, and find their Home.

O Master Who all workmanship commends,
Whom, if we do not serve, we build in vain,
We need not here commit into Thy hands
Thy fine apprentice nor his works again;
He built immortally—Who then shall now
Receive him, O Arch-Builder, if not Thou?

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FREDERICK WILLIAM ROBERT, *Dartmouth '98*, aged 65, vice-president and comptroller of the United States Trust Company of New York, died of a heart attack at his office November 18, 1939.

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GEORGE W. PRINCE, Knox '78, former congressman from Illinois, died September 27, 1939, in Los Angeles, where he had resided the past twenty-five years. He was born March 4, 1854, in Tazewell County, Ill. Admitted to the bar in 1880, he began the practice of law in Galesburg, Ill., and during most of his life Galesburg was his home. He entered prominently into local and state Republican politics, served as city attorney and a term in the state legislature, and frequently was called upon to participate in public affairs. From 1895 to 1913 he was a member of the United States House of Representatives, elected from the Tenth Illinois District and later, following reapportionment, from the Fifteenth. When Benjamin Harrison visited Galesburg in 1890, Brother Prince was one of those who had part in the famous $\Phi \Delta \Theta$ banquet tendered the president, and delivered the address of welcome. While his four sons were in Knox College, the commodious and hospitable Prince home became almost a second $\Phi \Delta \Theta$ house and often was the scene of delightful Phi gatherings.

George W. Prince's four sons are Frederick Almyran Prince, Knox '06, a Colonel in active service of the Field Artillery, U. S. Army; George Washington Prince, Jr., Knox '08; Henry Ferris Prince, Knox '11; and Irving Hudson Prince, Knox '14. George, Henry, and Irving are all graduates of Harvard Law School and are successful lawyers in Los Angeles, Calif.

Colonel Fred Prince has two sons, both Phis: Frederick Seaton Prince, Utah '32; and Robert Ferris Prince, Pittsburgh '38, both of whom are graduates of Harvard Law School.

George Prince, Jr.'s son is a Phi, Charles Lewis Prince, Stanford '39, who entered Harvard Law School this fall.

Irving Prince has a son, Philip Prince. He has yet to enter college—but there seems to be no reason to think he will not continue in the family tradition.

And so, George Prince goes to his reward, sixty-five years a Phi, blessed with two generations of living Phis, a patriarch in $\Phi \Delta \Theta$.—R. F. P.

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DONALD LAWRENCE HURLBUT [Georgia Tech '14], well-known cotton broker of Chattanooga, died November 4, 1939, at Hollywood, Fla., after a short illness.

Mr. Hurlbut, the son of the late Oren L. Hurlbut and Mrs. Emma B. Hurlbut, was born on Lookout Mountain July 8, 1891. He is survived by his mother and a sister, Mrs. E. N. Woodbury. He was visiting at the home of his sister and brother-in-law, Lieut.-Col. E. N. Woodbury, at the time of his death.

An alumnus of Georgia Tech, where he studied engineering, Mr. Hurlbut was very active socially. He was a member of the Mountain City club, the Fairyland club, and the Chattanooga Golf and Country club.—Chattanooga Times.

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IRA BUGHER SHALLENBERGER, Washington and Jefferson '02, a resident of Wilmington, Del., died of a heart attack November 12, 1939, at Greensburg, Pa., aged 60 years. He and his wife had just returned from an extended tour of Europe, where he had been intensely interested in studying the background of the war.

After graduation from college, Ira B. Shallenberger joined in the formation of the Latrobe Trust Company, Latrobe, Pa., and later he became vice-president of that institution, a position



IRA B. SHALLENBERGER, W. and J. '02

he held for twenty-eight years. He was also secretary-treasurer of the Latrobe Electric Steel Company, and was director of numerous corporations allied with the steel industry.

He retired ten years ago, and he and his wife have spent much of the time since in travel. He did much fine, constructive work helping to reopen depression-ruined banks, wholly as a voluntary civic service. He had an extraordinary number of admiring friends in many parts of the United States, but particularly in Western Pennsylvania, where he had a reputation in civic and banking circles as a man whose judgment was sound and reliable and whose character was unimpeachable.

His brother is a Phi, Dr. William Farquhar Shallenberger, Washington and Jefferson '03; and three of his four sons: William Hugus Shallenberger, Stanford '34, a professor at the University of Southern California; Frank Kuhns Shallenberger, Stanford '35, instructor at Worcester Polytechnic Institute; and John Bugher Shallenberger, Stanford '39, a student at the Graduate School of Business Administration, Harvard University.

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JOHN FISHER GARR MILLER, *Purdue '03*, vice-president of the B. F. Sturtevant Company, Hyde Park, Mass., died suddenly of a heart attack at his home on December 9, 1939. He was 62 years



JOHN F. C. MILLER, *Purdue '03*

old. He was buried at Nineveh, Ind. He is survived by his widow, the former Helen B. May, member of K Δ Θ, whom he married in 1934; two brothers, Simon V. B. Miller, *Purdue '06*, and Hugh Th. Miller, *Butler '88*, P.P.G.C.

Long John Miller has been called *Purdue's* greatest all-time athlete. As an undergraduate he won nine "P's" and was captain of the football team. In football he played guard for two years and halfback for two years, winning four letters. He was a varsity basketball star for four years, winning two letters (for the first two years of his participation letters were not awarded in basketball).

A giant, six-foot-four center, Miller set up scoring records which are unexcelled at *Purdue* to this day. In a game against *Indiana Normal* he scored 36 points; in a game against *Indiana University* he scored 36 points; in a game against *Yale University* he counted 38 points; and he reached his peak scoring effort in another game against *Indiana University*, when he scored 47 points for *Purdue*.

Miller was born on a farm near *Nineveh, Ind.*, March 23, 1877. He did not attend school before entering *Purdue* in 1899, receiving all of his primary instruction from his father, John C. Miller, *Indiana '55*. His interest in *Indiana Theta* was intense, and he was an active member until his death. In addition to his father and two brothers, Miller had three nephews who are members of Φ Δ Θ—Murray S. Kice, *Purdue '15*, Hugh M.

Kice, *Kentucky '16*, and John G. Miller, *Washington '34*.

At *Purdue* he not only was a great athlete, but he compiled an outstanding activity record. He was *Wilbur Scholar* of T B II, editor-in-chief of the 1903 *Debris*, class officer for two years, member of the *Irving Literary Society*. He held the office of reporter in *Indiana Theta*.

Upon his graduation he took a position as special machinist apprentice for the *Chicago and Eastern Illinois railroad*. At the same time, he coached football at *Earlham College*. He worked for the railroad for two years until 1905, when he became a sales engineer apprentice with the *American Blower Company* in *Detroit*. His new connection made it necessary for him to drop his coaching activities, but not until he had won the state college football championship for *Earlham*, with no team except *Indiana University* scoring against *Miller's* team.

He became manager of the *Detroit office* of the *American Blower Company* in 1906, manager of the *St. Louis office* in 1908, manager of the south-west district later that year. In 1916 he became general sales manager and assistant treasurer of this corporation, and in 1917 he became vice-president, director, and treasurer. In 1933 he was made vice-president of the *B. F. Sturtevant Company*, manufacturer's of air conditioning and fan equipment.

COLONEL JOHN WESLEY HANNER, *Vanderbilt '96*, died at *Burlingame, Calif.*, October 1, 1939. He was my roommate at *Vanderbilt 1892-96*. Both at the *University* and in later years he distinguished himself. If I should write about him as I feel, it would sound fulsome.

Jack Hanner was one of the youngest boys of



JOHN WESLEY HANNER, *Vanderbilt '96*

the class, shy to the point of being considered aloof, but mentally as sharp as a razor's edge. He absorbed what he learned as a sponge takes up water, rapidly and thoroughly. He came to Vanderbilt from Wall and Mooneys school at Franklin, was well prepared to hold his own in competition with other good students, which he did. He won his $\Phi\Delta\Theta$ key in his junior year. Roommates were never more congenial or closer friends. After leaving the University, he taught school for two years at Covington to earn money for his medical course. He wanted to be a surgeon in the Navy. He took the medical course at Vanderbilt from 1898 to 1901, carrying off Founders Medal. He was assistant for several years to Dr. Richard Douglas, collaborating in the preparation of the latter's work on abdominal surgery. He entered the U. S. Army medical school in 1902 and received a commission as surgeon for duty in the Philippines, where he remained for several years. Somehow the Navy got away from him. In the Jolo Insurrection he was cited for gallantry in action. He returned to the United States in 1906 and was stationed at West Point, attaining his captaincy in 1907. During the following years, he was on duty as surgeon at San Francisco and other army posts. He was commissioned a Major in 1916, Lieutenant-Colonel in 1917, Colonel in 1930. He organized and took overseas the first regular Army Base Hospital. He was with the Army of Occupation in Germany until May, 1919. He was awarded the Distinguished Service Medal for his work overseas. After the War, he was on duty at Washington and at the General Hospital at San Francisco as Chief of Surgical Service. He retired in 1922, establishing his home in Burlingame where he engaged in private practice. He was married November 9, 1931 to Mrs. Wynn Martin Pond.—DEVEREUX LAKE, Vanderbilt '96.

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WILLIAM JASPER TRAMMELL, Emory '32, Waycross, Ga., died March 31 in Atlanta at a private hospital. Mr. Trammell was formerly in the insurance business in Waycross and was well-known throughout the state. He retired from active business several years ago. He is survived by his son, Niles Trammell, of New York, a vice-president of the National Broadcasting Company, and four sisters.—Emory Alumnus.

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DOUGLAS MCKAY, JR., Oregon State '42, was instantly killed in an automobile accident near Albany, Ore., November 22, 1939. Donald Blaisdell, Oregon State '41, who was driving with him, was seriously injured. Brother McKay was the son of James Douglas McKay, a charter member of Oregon Beta.

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ALEXANDER INNES, California '40, a member of the active chapter, died March 10, 1939, only one year after his initiation.

Sandy, as he was known to the active chapter,



ALEXANDER INNES, California '40

had been ill for some time prior to his death and was forced to drop out of college the fall semester of 1938. He received his high school education in Eureka, Calif., and later with his family moved to Berkeley where he enrolled in the University. He was initiated into California Alpha in February, 1938, during which time he was a junior studying for a business career in the College of Commerce. In his sophomore year he was active in extracurricular affairs being a manager of the football team. In the Fraternity, Sandy was never too busy to help with any house function and was recognized as an outstanding leader and an active participant in all the chapter's affairs. His loss to his friends and his Fraternity was profoundly grieved by all and virtually the entire active chapter attended the funeral service March 13, 1939, at the Little Chapel of the Flowers in Berkeley.

Sandy's brother, Robert Innes, is at present a member of the active chapter, acting in capacity of rushing chairman.—WILLIAM BEAL, California '41.

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ALBERT G. MUELLER, Butler '22, manager of the Hook Drug Co., Indianapolis, for the past four years, died December 25, 1939, at Indianapolis.

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Only within the fraternity, it seems to me, do college campus class lines disappear. Every now and then we think of the caste systems as being social antiques; but, as soon as you manage to kill one type, somehow you develop another type. Within the fraternity you have the finest expression that I know of real democracy.

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You don't have elective courses after graduation. You punch time clocks. In the fraternity house, young gentlemen, don't overlook the fact that the man who does his work faithfully as a student is the man who is prepared to do his work faithfully as a citizen. It is very important that clear thinking be promoted, that the classroom be taken not as a necessary evil, but as the heart and soul of real collegiate undergraduate success.—*Excerpts from an address of PRESIDENT HENRY W. A. HANSON, of Gettysburg College, at the National Interfraternity Conference, 1939.*

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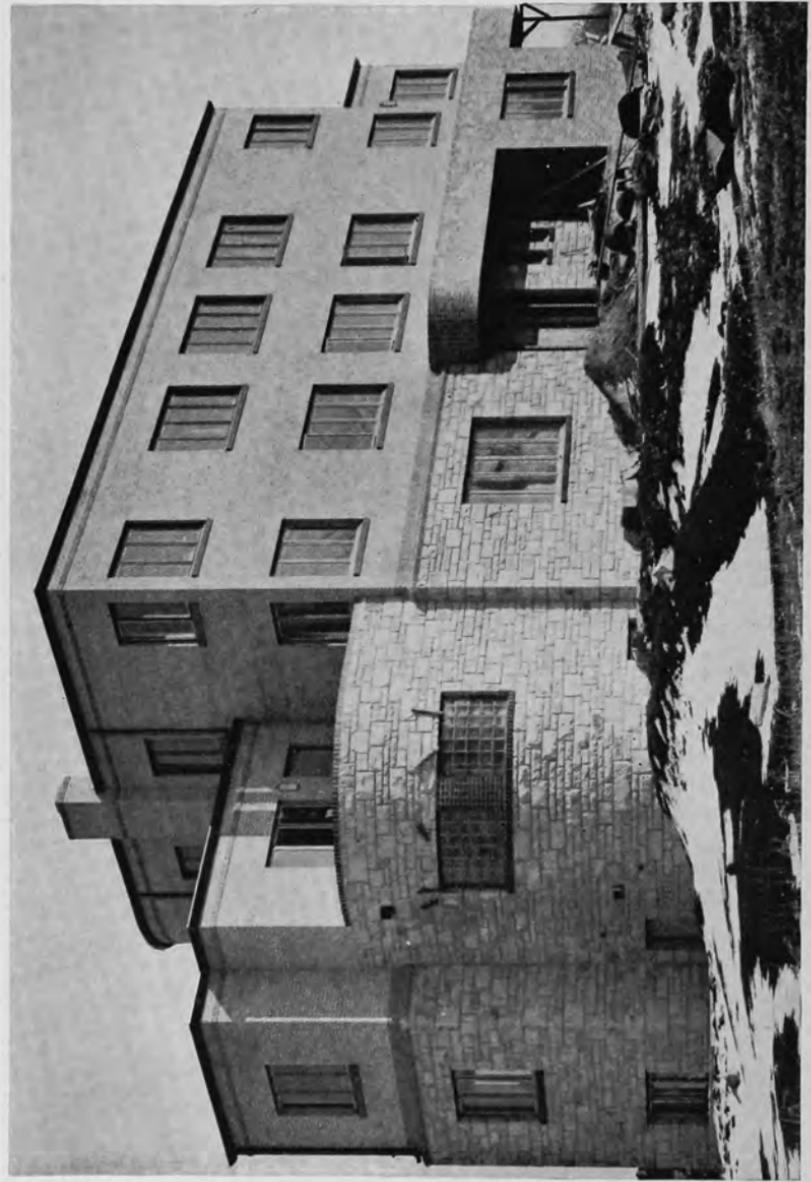
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A New Home for Kansas Gamma

By FLOYD STRYKER, *Kansas State '42*

ON March 1, 1940, Kansas Gamma moved into the new house overlooking the broad and beautiful campus of Kansas State College. This house is the result of the united efforts of every alumnus and undergraduate of Kansas Gamma, and shows, not the work of a few months' planning, but years of vision on the part of a few men who kept the idea alive from year to year and finally were able to realize it with the aid of many Phis both from this chapter and from others.

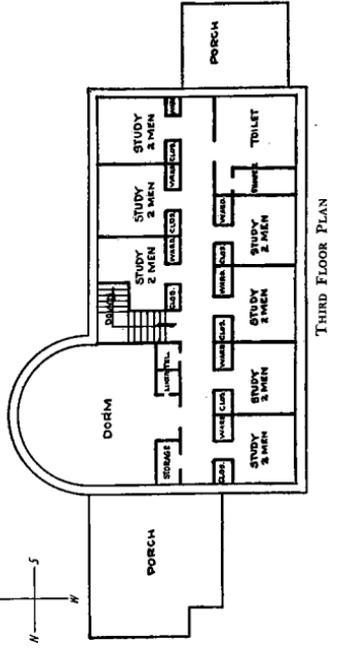
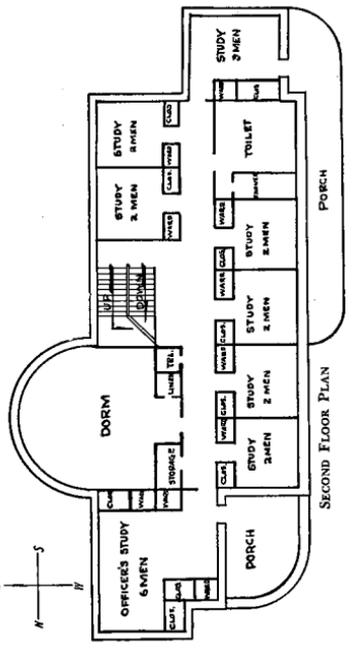
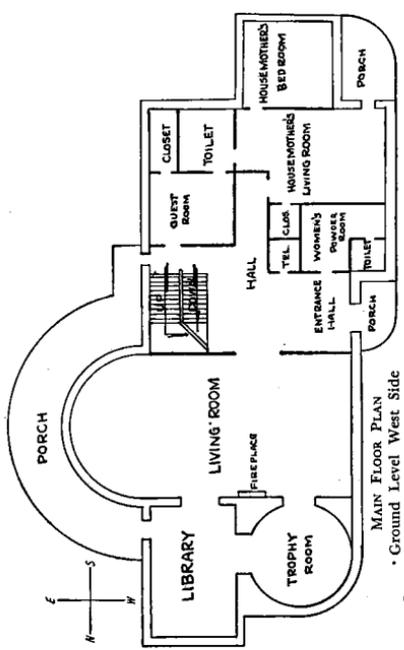
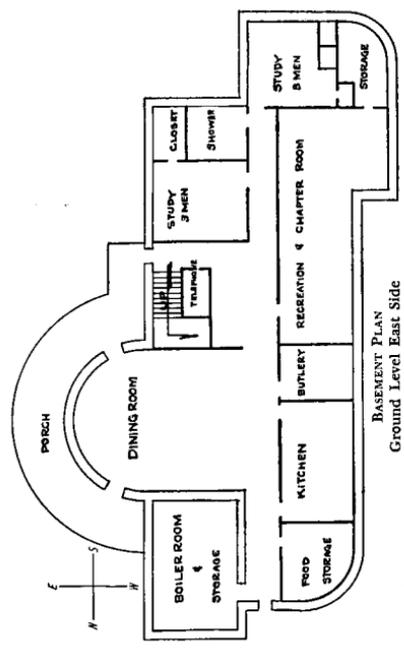
On December 24, 1920, Kansas Gamma received its charter and on February 25, 1921, representatives from the General Council, Kansas Alpha, Kansas Beta, Colorado Alpha, Colorado Beta, Idaho Alpha, and Indiana Beta performed the initiation rites for thirty-two men who were at that time members of $\Sigma \Phi \Delta$. The next day Kansas Gamma was formally installed and became the one hundred twelfth chapter of $\Phi \Delta \Theta$.

The first $\Phi \Delta \Theta$ house was purchased on or about March 25, 1921, a month after the establishment of the chapter. At that time the house was very appropriate for the new chapter's needs. It was situated near other fraternity houses, and its accommodations were adequate for the members who lived in it. But as the chapter grew, and as other fraternities moved closer to the college, the house lost some of its attractiveness, and ten years later it was clear that a new and larger house would have to be secured nearer the

campus to meet the changed conditions.

Committees were formed and arrangements made for the location of the new house, and the project advanced far enough to purchase the building lots. But by this time the nationwide depression was at its worst; no way could be seen to go ahead with the building, and so the plans were laid aside for a while. Each year the plans were picked up and each year they led into blind alleys. And yet all that time the way was growing clearer, for with each effort new and stronger determination sought the way out and the experience and advice of those before served as stepping stones. On occasions the house could have been built if the chapter had been willing to sacrifice some of the things that everyone wants in a new house. But Kansas Gamma wanted something to be proud of.

The Manhattan alumni had been bending every effort for the new house, and it was Fred O'Malley who was finally able to give the executive push that made the project a reality. Alumni gave services, money, time, and counsel to the utmost of their ability and resources, and when the plans were finally submitted to the General Fraternity the administration was willing to recommend to the Palmer Fund Trustees that we be loaned the money necessary to make the deal secure. Grateful acknowledgment is made to officers of the General Fraternity and of our province for their support, which was indispensable.



FLOOR PLANS OF THE KANSAS GAMMA HOUSE

About September 1, 1939, ground was broken and construction was under way on the \$45,000 house of Kansas Gamma. Now it stands complete on its commanding site. The grounds will be landscaped in the spring, as soon as weather permits. The house is completely surrounded by fraternity and sorority houses, nine in all. The area is the center of Kansas State student life.

The house is a stone structure for the first two floors, with white brick in the upper two floors trimmed with rust brick and glass brick at various points.

The first floor is open on only one side, the house being situated on a slope. On this floor are the dining room, kitchen, heating plant, chapter room, and two study rooms. The dining room is furnished with a U-shaped table of natural walnut, with upholstered chairs to match. An indirect lighting system is employed. The room is finished in two-tone colors and has an asphalt brick floor. The kitchen is an example of modern efficiency in space and time-saving devices; it is connected with a butlery, which keeps the kitchen from being overcrowded with extra workers.

The chapter room has a twofold purpose; the equipment can be easily stored in an anteroom and the room can be

made into a recreation room. It is furnished with leather upholstered chairs and divans, and is completely sound-resistant.

On the second floor are the living room, library, trophy room, powder room, housemother's apartment, and guest room. This floor opens at the ground level on the west front, and on the east front is a circular porch. The living room is finished in light ivory with green furnishings. It will contain a grand piano. One wall centers about a huge fireplace; this will no doubt be the most popular spot on wintry days. The living room measurements are approximately 35 by 22 feet.

All rooms on the third and fourth floors are study rooms, dormitories, and shower rooms. The study rooms have built-in wardrobes, mirrors, and closets. All lights for study rooms are from desk lamps or wall brackets; there are no overhead lamps in the rooms. Each dormitory is capable of accommodating twenty-five men with single beds.

Needless to say we are proud of our new home. Surely, with the success we have enjoyed in our old home with all its disadvantages, $\Phi \Delta \Theta$ in its new situation can look forward to greater days than it has ever seen in its twenty-year history at Kansas State.



THE EAST FRONT

Security, American Style

By PAUL WILLARD GARRETT, *Whitman '13, Columbia '14*

TO anyone who has occasion frequently to talk with college men, who is interested in their problems, opinions, and ambitions, one conclusion seems almost inescapable: a great many of these young people are doubtful about their chances for economic security once they have earned their degree. Indeed, their attitude often seems to reflect hardly more than a vague hope that somehow, by luck or some odd chance, everything will come out for the best.

True, recent times have brought discouraging experiences to many able and willing youths. Some had to start their careers in a way that did not fit into their preconceived scheme of things. Others found that even jobs where brawn rather than brain is the prime requisite were none too easy to get. Young men who either experienced these disappointments at first hand, or know of others who did, feel that things ahead look none too bright.

On the other hand, men who are in a position to judge, rather than guess at, the future, do not seem very pessimistic about it. William S. Knudsen, for instance, who started in the automobile business as a mechanic and now is President of General Motors, recently had this to say: "From my knowledge of American industry, it is my conviction that the development in this country is going to be greater in the next fifty years than it was in the last fifty. . . . As we readjust and get back into balance there are going to be greater opportunities than ever before. *The boy who assumes otherwise, who is not ready for the opportunities as they come, is going to miss the boat.*"

Wherefore then this shrugging of shoulders at the future in a gesture of "What can I do?" This kind of spirit does not at all seem characteristic of the average American college man, for on the football field and in athletic contests he shows himself to be made of altogether

different stuff. Here he recognizes that achievement is based on energy and staying power. Nor does failure discourage him from new tries. Success, he well knows, will be his solely through his own perseverance. These rules he accepts and asks no further odds.

Why then is his attitude so different in regard to post-curriculum problems?

In his puzzlement the undergraduate does not stand alone. Millions of his elders, from pretty nearly every walk of life, share his apprehension about what is ahead, his doubts of the road to be followed. One is almost tempted to speak of the spirit of our times as *the great indecision*.

Our thoughts are shaped by what we see, hear, read, and experience; by what goes on about us. Our impressions jell up from the day's routine. There is nothing mysterious about this. Take Jack Smith, typical undergraduate and earnest student. In his daily contacts with those about him he comes across a variety of ideas, some quite disturbing.

For instance: quite a few of his classmates take it easy with their studies, on the cynical theory that "It's *whom* you know and not *what* you know" that counts. He wonders if he is being foolish working as hard as he does. Then, too, there are those dreamers, sincere and usually likeable chaps, who always "know" just what is wrong with our "system" and how to set it right. Their answer is, economic security for everybody through some vaguely defined process they call "socialization of enterprise." Jack thinks ahead to graduation day and that idea of "economic security" has a pleasant ring in his ears.

Now it happens that economic security is inseparably associated with that institution we know as democracy. It has never appeared long anywhere else. Here in America a century and a half of democracy has brought economic security to

more people, and to a degree unapproached by far, than have twenty centuries of various other types of politico-economic systems elsewhere in the world. The virility of our civilization derives from the union of two great forces working together, our form of representative government and our form of private enterprise. One would not stand alone. Each depends upon the other. Each imparts strength to the other.

Now what does Jack Smith, typical undergraduate, want from his democracy? His main concern right now is to prepare himself thoroughly for a career in business, or in one of the professions. He would like to believe that his wholehearted efforts in that direction will in time bring success in the world beyond the campus. He hopes for more than a safe niche in life, a mere chance to carve out an existence. He hopes, and rightly so, for the opportunity to grow as he gains in ability and experience.

So often we limit our concept of democracy to a formula of government or to ideals of man's rights. Yet a democracy is the most dynamic force in the world. Rooted in the will and the intelligence, not of one, of millions of men, it accords all the freedoms: freedom to think, to speak, to worship, to dream, and, above all, freedom to accomplish.

The essence of democracy at work is man at work to satisfy his own wants. Here, where the source of our liberties and of our opportunities is identical, we have the finest expression of such a democracy. It is no accident that in the United States, where man enjoys the greatest freedoms, we have in a bare 150 years passed civilizations centuries older. America has become rich, not in yachts and palaces, not in old names and family traditions, but in the opportunity of man—any man—to enjoy the life of a king in his use of everyday comforts.

Our American democracy is strong because it promotes individuals. To us the herd psychology concept that it is the group that matters, that the individual is but here to serve the state, is wholly

alien. Well we know that every contribution to better living and better thinking has come from the labors and sacrifices of some devoted individual. Instead of con-



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centrating opportunity on a few, our economy works continuously in the direction of spreading them. Every instance of economic progress represents the efforts of some Jack Smith to get ahead. Destroy man's urge to improve his own position and you destroy the spark that creates wealth, culture, happiness.

True, a democracy appears inefficient. Our own employment curve still bogs down. Only dictators claim infallibility. But judge an economy by its achievements rather than by its pretensions. The very errors of democracy, its awkwardness and its ineptitudes, are by-products of its strength. Dictators cannot afford to cut and try. Through trial and error, through the interplay of efforts is developed resilience, comes growth. This persistent pursuit of new outlets is what keeps democracy perpetually young.

These truths are familiar to us all,

Yet, and perhaps precisely because they are so familiar to us, ideas diametrically opposed to them, shot at us assiduously from many directions, find our minds receptive. And there is the very real danger of partaking too freely of the type of food for thought predominantly flavored with pessimism and cynicism. A faulty diet harms the human organism and may eventually wreck it. The current state of affairs in Europe is a terrible illustration of the effect of a faulty *mental* diet upon the body politic. To Jack Smith, typical undergraduate, these things are of tremendous importance in regard to his future.

The future, Charles F. Kettering, inventor of the self-starter, has said, is going to be what we *think* it will be. Before we can build and accomplish we must have the idea—straight thinking as the building material.

The college man is in a preferred position to become a builder of the future. His mind, trained to get at the core of a particular problem in the shortest possible time, can be a rich source of the essential building material—straight thinking. Nor need we wait until graduation day to begin building. Within his own circle, be it large or small, he can, if he will, become a force for the kind of mental reorientation needed to make crystal-clear once again what 150 years of nationhood has revealed to be the only right road to follow, the only sound set of guide rules to adhere to. Some of these are worthy of a few brief lines:

First: *that the principles laid down in our American conception of democracy, notwithstanding any defects of ours in making them always work, present the only demonstrated formula by which man may govern his own growth spiritually, socially, materially.* Why do so many men abroad long to come to America? It is not resources that makes us different—Russia has resources, too—it is opportunity. That is what fires men's ambitions, the zeal for accomplishment.

Second: *that the only way to enable more people to get more things is for us to go through the laborious process of creating more things that people will buy.* It is the laborious process of making things in which everybody participates that distributes the benefits. More research begets more products. More products beget lower prices. Lower prices beget more customers. More customers beget more jobs. Wealth is a perishable commodity and, to become abundant enough to go around, must be abundantly, and constantly, created.

Third: *that it is the simple economics of the profit system, with all its incentives, that spurs men to greater individual effort.* The "profit system," sometimes misinterpreted to suggest greed, perhaps needs a new name: "hope of reward." As Abraham Lincoln described it: "This is the just, and generous, and prosperous system, which opens the way to all, giving hope to all, and consequent energy, and progress, and improvement of condition to all."

Finally, and most important of all: *that faith in belief itself is essential, to give man hope.*

The problems confronting us today are formidable indeed, and multifaceted. Youth has its own particular problems, and they are important. Other groups have theirs. Arbitrary measures looking to a solution of any of these may, for a time, relieve the symptoms. But the surest, and the only permanent, cure of all our difficulties will come about as we succeed once again in effectively working our formula of 150 years' standing.

And herein lies our basis for belief, for hope. We need not imitate autocratic systems to compete with them. We know that in our democracy are the things needed to carry us on. In endeavoring faithfully to preserve it, youth may work for a greater measure of our own American brand of security—security that comes with the opportunity for man to create for himself and enjoy opportunity.

Pennsylvania Kappa's 22 Years

By JOHN CROWLEY, *Swarthmore '41*, and THOMAS CUSTER, *Swarthmore '40*

PENNSYLVANIA KAPPA chapter of $\Phi \Delta \Theta$ is the youngest of the five Greek-letter fraternities at the Quaker college of Swarthmore. April 9 will mark the twenty-second anniversary of the installation of a chapter whose active and alumni members are proud of a record of achievements during this period.

The inception and early development of what is now Pennsylvania Kappa was gradual. In 1906 an informal eating club called I H II was formed, with purely epicurean purposes. However, the club contained fraternity as well as non-fraternity men, and their discussions soon included fraternity life, and the evils of the fraternity politics, which was then prevalent at Swarthmore. When I H II disbanded a year later, several of the non-fraternity members organized a group called the Elites for the avowed purpose of breaking up the domination of the fraternities in the running of campus organizations, and in this they were quite successful. The Elites had the benefit of strong and inspired leadership, and the group grew rapidly in size and influence, at the same time gradually acquiring a more formal organization and ritual.

In 1910 a new constitution was drawn up, and Elite became a full-fledged fraternity, T A O. During the next eight years T A O achieved for itself a place at Swarthmore on a par with the four national fraternities, and was consistently first or second in interfraternity scholastic rating. The desirability of joining a national fraternity became evident early in the life of T A O. Several bids from other national groups had been turned down when $\Phi \Delta \Theta$ was first suggested in 1912. Petitions were presented at the Chicago National Convention that year and at the Province Convention in Williamstown, Mass., the following year. Opposition was encountered on the part of other chapters in the province, and the next several years were

devoted to a campaign to convince nearby chapters and influential men in the Fraternity of the desirability of having a chapter of $\Phi \Delta \Theta$ at Swarthmore. The effort also was aimed at improvement of its prestige on the campus against the day when the petition would be granted. In 1917 the necessary three-fourths vote of the province chapters was obtained, and finally, six years' earnest effort was rewarded when the petition of T A O was granted at the Indianapolis National Convention in December of that year.

The first years of Pennsylvania Kappa were difficult ones. The wartime draft took many of its members, four of whom gave their lives in the conflict. In December 1919 a fire in the building which housed the chapter rooms destroyed most of its records and left the chapter without a home. Three of the other four fraternities were also left without quarters by the fire, and as a result a plan was formulated for the construction of a group of fraternity lodges. The plan was finally adopted and after a long hard



THE LODGE IN AUTUMN



SWARTHMORE COLLEGE

Upper: *Clothier Memorial Tower and Auditorium; Cloisters of Clothier Memorial; Lower: Worth Dormitory*

lodge has a large studio-living-room with a large fireplace and a library on the first floor; circular stairs lead up to the living quarters of two men living in the building and a balcony running the length of the main room. Downstairs there are a kitchen and a game room and chapter room.

campaign to raise the necessary funds by a bond issue, construction was begun on the $\Phi\Delta\Theta$ lodge, the last to be built, in October 1926. The structure was completed and occupied the following year.

The five lodges are all in a group of similar design, located in close proximity to the dormitories and are yet isolated sufficiently from the main college buildings which are situated at the top of a sloping lawn overlooking the countryside. They are built of stone in old English style, with low slate roofs. The $\Phi\Delta\Theta$

The place of fraternal organizations in the college life of Swarthmore is unique in some respects. The system of living in dormitories eliminates to a great extent the cliques likely to form. The fraternity lodges are used for dances and other recreation and for meetings. All resident men and women eat in one main dining room, and the dormitories allow wider interest and acquaintances. There is a free mingling of fraternity and non-fraternity men, the latter comprising about three-eighths of the male enrollment. Two men of each of the five fraternities live in their lodges during the year. In $\Phi\Delta\Theta$ this privilege allows a reduction in expense and is awarded

each year to the two men judged the most deserving on the basis of financial need and interest in the Fraternity.

The social activities carried on by fraternities are many and varied, and constitute the greatest proportion of the organizations' activities. The $\Phi \Delta \Theta$ lodge is used for weekly informal dances as well as occasional teas and smokers and a formal affair is held off campus each semester. Alumni participation in these events runs high, particularly at the annual spring banquet. Fraternal companionship is still highly regarded as the essence of fraternity life. The benefits of the experience, advice, and assistance of the upper-classmen is given the lower-class and new men by means of a system of "big and little brothers." Fraternal unity and co-operation are maintained despite the fact that the members are not so constantly thrown together.

The fact that the students of the college are thrown together in almost every activity allows literal continuation of the tradition of Quaker congeniality. The

Quaker institution of Swarthmore College was founded in 1864 by the Religious Society of Friends for the purpose of providing further education along the lines of liberal Quaker policies. The college is non-sectarian and educational and has a limited evenly divided student-body of about seven hundred. The endowment amounts to almost eight million dollars.

One of the best-known features of Swarthmore is its Honors system of study instituted in 1922 by President Frank

SWARTHMORE COLLEGE

Upper: *The College Library; Lower: Bond Memorial; Clothier Memorial from the Fraternity Lodges*



Aydelotte, who plans to resign shortly to become head of the Institute for Advanced Study at Princeton. Under this system of study, students of above-average scholastic achievement are permitted to work individually during their junior and senior years for graduation with honors. Seminars in each of two subjects are held each week in which a small group of students participate. The work is highly individual and more advanced and specialized than that of the regular course system. Rigorous examinations by outside examiners are held at the conclusion of the two years of study. Similar plans have since been adopted by many other colleges and universities.

The policies of the college administration include many features which are facilitated by the Quaker interest and assistance. Prominent speakers and programs of cultural value are the rule rather than the exception and enable the students to acquire a well-rounded college life while at Swarthmore. A highly organized social system provides frequent diversion from the serious concentration necessitated by the course and Honors system of study.

In the history of Swarthmore College there have been ten Rhodes Scholars. Of these ten men, four have been Phis; in a period of seven years from 1930 to 1937 Pennsylvania Kappa brought forth all of these on about an average of every other year, setting some sort of record. They were William Poole of the class of '30, William Jones of '31, George Cuttino who graduated in '35, and James Gardner in '37. These men were all outstanding in activities and scholarship during their years at Swarthmore. In complying with and exceeding the requirements of Rhodes Trust, these Phis proved themselves leaders on the campus and have honorably carried the $\Phi\Delta\Theta$ and Quaker traditions throughout all their post-graduate endeavors.

Rivalry between the chapters of the five national fraternities naturally reaches its height during the month of rushing. Intramural athletics is but one phase of

friendly competition between the groups. Phi Delta Theta is very well represented in athletics and in the other fields of extra-curricular activities, but the principal achievements lie in the scholastic field. In the past, the general average of college and fraternity grade points have been about equal. Phi Delta Theta has fairly consistently maintained a top position in scholastic average over the other chapters; in eight out of the past nine semesters the chapter has been awarded both the all-class and the freshman cups for top fraternity ranking in scholarship.

In its comparatively short career, Pennsylvania Kappa has produced a number of men who have achieved distinction in various fields. Frederick J. Blatz, '10, holds the position of general manager of the Amalgamated Leather Corporation in Wilmington, Del., while also in Wilmington are Charles Darlington, '15 and Herbert Way, '16, top chemists in the DuPont organization. Claude C. Smith '14, is a well-known Philadelphia lawyer and a prominent Quaker on the Board of Managers of Swarthmore College. Jess Halsted, class of '18 was formerly in the important position of Secretary of the Chicago Stock Exchange and is now a lawyer with Scott, McLeish, and Falk of Chicago. Gilson Blake, also '18, is United States Consul in Rome, Italy. Richard Slocum, '22, former prominent Philadelphia lawyer, is now associated with the *Philadelphia Bulletin* and has held the position of managing editor on that paper. He is a noted authority on labor problems. Frederick Redefer, '26, is well known as the Executive Secretary of the Progressive Education Association and was recently featured in *Time*, weekly news magazine. Avery Blake, '28, was coach of the All-American lacrosse team which won one hundred per cent of its games over England's best in 1937. Robert Kintner, most recent graduate of distinction, is a widely read political columnist associated with the North American Newspaper alliance and recently participated in the writing of a series of articles in the *Saturday Evening Post*.

A Vital Chapter in Our History

By CARROLL PHILLIPS BASSETT, *Lafayette '83*, P.P.G.C.

IN September 1879 I entered Lafayette College in the Class of 1883. In December 1879 I was initiated into Pennsylvania Alpha of $\Phi\Delta\Theta$. The chapter had been chartered in 1873 so that it had no great body of tradition in the College, but in the classes of 1880, and especially in the class of 1881, its membership included some outstanding men who inspired men of lower classes with love and ambition for the Fraternity and who embodied its high precepts and purposes.

In 1882 I was sent as a delegate of Pennsylvania Alpha to the National Convention at Richmond, Virginia.

Not long after the convention adjourned, I was appointed President of Alpha Province. After my graduation from Lafayette College in 1883 with the degree of C.E., I returned to the college for another year of post-graduate work and then began to study the Fraternity's situation and plan for a definite campaign for new chapters in Alpha Province.

It is difficult to realize now that we then had only one active chapter in all New England. Vermont Alpha, chartered in 1879, was there isolated, and in close touch with no chapter of the Fraternity. There was no active chapter in New York State, New York Alpha having suspended in 1876. In Pennsylvania, chapters at the University of Pennsylvania and at Lehigh had suspended. In all the province we had no chapter in any of the larger, long-established and conservative institutions, where in order to enter successfully we should have to cope with fraternities with much local prestige and with numerous and influential alumni. Our strength was in the West and South. Furthermore, until numerous chapters were established in reasonable proximity, newly established chapters would miss the advantages of co-operation, neighborliness, and enthusiasm which comes from

occasional contact with others fighting the same battle. These were some of the obstacles to be overcome in 1883 in Alpha Province.

However, the work progressed steadily.



CARROLL PHILLIPS BASSETT, *Lafayette '83*

On November 22, 1883, the charter for Pennsylvania Zeta was reissued and I had the pleasure of personally initiating the chapter at University of Pennsylvania. Five days later, a charter was issued for New York Beta at Union College. On February 16, 1884, a charter was issued for New York Gamma at the College of the City of New York, where I initiated a small group of fine men, but after a successful career for a few years, changing conditions at the institution caused a suspension of the chapter. On March 22, 1884, a charter for Maine Alpha at Colby College was issued, and somewhat later I had the pleasure of there personally initiating a fine body of New Englanders into the Fraternity. This moved our frontier well to the East, and the history of

the chapter and its alumni has been consistently gratifying through the years. On April 15, 1884, a charter was issued to New York Delta at Columbia University and on October 25, 1884, a charter was issued to New Hampshire Alpha at Dartmouth College.

The Nashville National Convention was held November 11-14, 1884. I was unfortunately unable to attend, but I was then elected Secretary of the General Council, and during my term of office I had the great pleasure of association with and help from those two fine Phis, Hilton U. Brown, *Butler '80*, President of the General Council, and Arthur A. Stearns, *Akron '79*, Historian of the General Council.

The expansion in Alpha Province continued. New York Alpha at Cornell University was rechartered early in 1886 and a few days later, on February 1, 1886, Massachusetts Alpha's charter at Williams was granted.

So greatly had the picture changed in the East since 1883, that the Phis of Alpha Province felt sufficiently strong in 1886 to invite, on short notice, the Fraternity to hold its National Convention in New York City October 18-22, 1886. The invitation was accepted and the convention was a notable success. One of the Fraternity's founders, Robert Morrison, was present as invited guest. At this convention I was elected President of the General Council with J. E. Brown, Secretary, S. G. Gilbert as Treasurer, and Eugene H. L. Randolph, Historian. Two of these men were later to become Presidents of the General Council.

This General Council worked with fine harmony and gratifying results; securing efficient province presidents, consolidating the work in the newer chapters, and continuing the expansion program. In Alpha Province a charter was issued February 7, 1887, for New York Epsilon at Syracuse University. In the same year Pennsylvania Eta at Lehigh University was actively revived and has since substantially developed. On May 5, 1888, a charter was issued to

Massachusetts Beta at Amherst College, and on January 18, 1889, a charter was issued to Rhode Island Alpha at Brown University.

At Bloomington, Ill., October 14-18 at the National Convention of 1889, I ended my official service to the Fraternity. During the six years of this service I had seen the Fraternity establish or revive twelve chapters in many of the strongest educational institutions in Alpha Province. Two of these chapters, because of special conditions, have suspended, and one for a short interval suspended but has been actively revived. All the others have been continuously active, I believe.

Meanwhile we had not been idle elsewhere. During the same period fourteen new or revived chapters had been established in the South and West;* so that at the end of 1889 we could justly claim to be a National Fraternity.

It is well to recall that the reorganization of the government of the Fraternity, devised in 1880, when a General Council was first elected and the country divided into provinces presided over by appointed province presidents in contact with and responsible to the General Council, was of an importance that hardly can be exaggerated. The expansion of this policy into the present system with its personal supervisory contacts with chapters, its excellent publicity, and emphasis on higher standards, bespeak a greater usefulness and a grander future.

* The southern and western chapters established 1883-89: *Tennessee Beta*, University of the South, chartered March 21, 1883; *Nebraska Alpha*, University of Nebraska, rechartered December 1883; *Alabama Alpha*, revived October 1883; *Ohio Zeta*, Ohio State University, chartered October 6, 1883; *Texas Beta*, University of Texas, chartered October 15, 1883; *Illinois Delta*, Knox College, revived 1884; *North Carolina Beta*, University of North Carolina, chartered March 29, 1885; *Texas Gamma*, Southwestern University, chartered March 20, 1886; *Illinois Alpha*, Northwestern University, rechartered December 16, 1886; *California Alpha*, rechartered February 6, 1886; *Virginia Zeta*, Washington and Lee University, chartered February 21, 1887; *Alabama Gamma*, Southern University, chartered March 5, 1887, suspended 1896; *Michigan Alpha*, University of Michigan, rechartered December 9, 1887; *Louisiana Alpha*, Tulane University, chartered October 15, 1889.

West Point Training

By LIEUT. WALKER W. MILNER, C.E., U.S.A., *Whitman* '28

Interest in the Government academies is widespread among the Phis in the active chapters. With this in mind, the Editor asked Lieutenant Milner to prepare this sketch for the SCROLL. After two years in Whitman College, Brother Milner entered West Point, graduated with distinction in 1931, and was commissioned in the Corps of Engineers, U. S. Army. He has had assignments at Seattle, University of Iowa, Fort Belvoir, Va., and Schofield Barracks, Hawaii, and has been on duty at West Point since 1937.—EDITOR.

IN a time turbulent with trouble and in a period when there are many different shades of patriotism, it is interesting to take note of the West Point system of training Army officers and of the traditions of the Military Academy. Of the officers assigned to the Academy in an administrative or teaching capacity there are found generally several members of $\Phi \Delta \Theta$. Within the last two years, in addition to the present writer, the following Phis have been detailed to the Point:

Capt. Church M. Matthews, *Kentucky* '26; Capt. Richard D. Wentworth, *Kansas* '25; Lieut. Donald C. Little, *Kansas* '29; Lieut. Julian J. Ewell, *Duke* '36; and recently assigned is Lieutenant Robert Finkenbauer, *Washington University* '31. Also, there are a dozen or more younger Phis attending this institution, three-fifths of the cadets having previously been to a college or university. Hence, each year additions are made to the long line of Phis who are serving the country as officers of the regular army.

The United States Military Academy traces its origin to the struggles and formative time of the Revolution, deriving from George Washington the initial impulse of its existence. Early in the Revolutionary War, General Washington perceived a desperate need in his forces for trained officers, and later, as President, he recommended the establishment of a training school for prospective officers. In 1802, the Military Academy was founded by act of Congress as a school for military engineers. The site selected



THE CHAPEL, WEST POINT

was West Point, N.Y., a location surrounded by rocky hills and dominating the Hudson River. Since 1812 to the present time, the Academy has trained officers for all branches of the Army.



WALKER WILSON MILNER, *Whitman '28*

West Point differs from most other institutions of learning in that all of its activities are addressed to a particular end. The definite purpose of the Military Academy is the theoretical and practical training of young men for commissions in the military service. Its cadets are given a general education of collegiate grade and a sufficient basic military training to enable them to pursue careers as officers of the Army. The authorized enrolment of the Academy is 1960, with about 1600 of the appointments being made upon recommendations of the Senators and Representatives in Congress. Candidates to be admitted must be between the ages of seventeen and twenty-two, must pass a rigid physical examination, and must show their mental qualifications. While at the Academy, cadets receive about \$1050 per year, which is sufficient to meet their normal expenses. After a four-year course, they are graduated with the degree of Bachelor of Science

and are commissioned as second lieutenants in one of the branches of the Army.

An account of the West Point training system is conveniently divided into four parts: academic, military, physical, and moral.

The main part of the Academic structure is made up of the exact sciences and technical subjects. Mathematics is the cornerstone of these subjects, which include mechanical and civil engineering in the fourth year. The liberal courses include English, French, Spanish, economics, government, history, and law. Less emphasis is placed upon a cadet acquiring a sum of positive knowledge than upon his developing powers of analysis so that he may reason to a logical conclusion.

Some of the West Point methods of teaching are unique. All cadets pursue the same four-year course, without elective studies, regardless of their previous experience. Classes are small, being divided into sections of from twelve to fifteen men under one instructor. Each cadet recites and is graded at each attendance, requiring unremitting preparation of lessons. Marks are published weekly, and the student rises or falls in his subjects by a monthly transfer from one section to another according to the general average of his marks. In this way each student works in a group of approximately his own mental capacity in each course. In addition, the higher sections in some subjects proceed faster, taking advanced work beyond that covered by the lower sections. A cadet's graduation standing, which determines his order of choice of branch in the Army, is computed upon the total of his marks in all courses of instruction. Graded recitations at each attendance, the natural incentive to be in the upper sections, and the order of graduation standing are powerful stimuli to conscientious studying.

The West Point system of military training is based on the principle that an officer is more efficient in any branch of the Army if he has a fundamental knowledge of all the branches of his profes-

sion. Therefore, the Academy's training is general and basic, educating for all arms of the service. The military phase of a cadet's instruction is in the hands of the Department of Tactics, which is charged also with the administration and discipline of the Corps of Cadets.

New cadets report the first of July, and in their first summer period are given intensive infantry recruit instruction and a course for physical upbuilding. They are also taught military courtesy and respect for authority and obedience. During the academic year, from September until June, tactical instruction for all classes is carried on in a lesser degree, utilizing mainly an hour or two in the afternoons. The second summer is spent in camp, at which time instruction is given in weapons and practice maneuvers are held. Also, instruction in equitation is commenced and continues until graduation. A furlough of ten weeks breaks the routine the third summer, this being the only extended vacation, except the last three Christmas holidays. The fourth and last summer is also spent in camp, with trips for special training in field artillery, coast artillery, and aviation. This final year is devoted mainly to giving a general grasp of the military profession, showing the interdependent relationships of the different branches and the

conception of an army functioning as a combat team. Emphasis is especially placed upon developing qualities of command and leadership in the future officers.

After graduation and a few years of experience in the Army, young officers are sent to special service schools which exist for each separate branch. The primary purpose of these schools is to give training in the tactics and technique of their particular arms.

So much for military training. The next prime requisite is physical fitness.

Moral courage may be regarded higher than physical courage, but in hostile combat, physical courage is certainly essential. To develop alert, vigorous bodies, the Military Academy has a comprehensive system of physical training and athletics. Cadets in their first year take regular gymnasium instruction, receiving training in boxing, wrestling, fencing, swimming, track, and gymnastics. This results in each plebe gaining an average of ten pounds in weight and one-third of an inch in chest expansion. After their first year, cadets are eligible to participate in intercollegiate athletics. Under the direction of the Army Athletic Association, West Point is represented in intercollegiate competition by eighteen teams in practically every major



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and minor sport. About one-fourth of the cadets in the upper three classes are on these teams. Those who are not members of intercollegiate squads are required to participate in intramural ath-



THE ARMY MULE IS PROMINENT AT
FOOTBALL GAMES

letics under the direction of the Master of the Sword. There are ten different intramural sports, contests being arranged between the twelve companies of the Corps of Cadets. In order to turn out a man of diversified accomplishments, cadets must engage in a different intramural sport each season.

For those who wish to pursue certain sports for recreation and exercise, there is an excellent athletic plant built and equipped both by Government and by Army Athletic Association funds. There are facilities for golf, tennis, indoor and outdoor swimming, ice skating, skiing, indoor and outdoor polo, riding, squash, and handball.

And now for the last, but most important, feature of West Point training—character development.

As human nature faces its severest test on the battlefield, where men must face death, it is necessary to impress those who follow the military profession with a moral fiber unexcelled by that found in any other calling. The motto of the Military Academy "Duty, Honor, Coun-

try," is therefore the philosophy of a cadet's life. The standards by which they follow this formula are distinctive and rigid.

Here, performance of one's duty implies far more than mere obedience to the letter of the law. A cadet is expected to give a conscientious and cheerful performance of every task imposed upon him. When an order is given, it is his duty to obey not only the letter of the order but also its spirit. He must assume responsibility for doing not just the job, but for doing the best job possible.

Honor is the beacon which guides everyone during his stay at the Military Academy and throughout his career in the Army. The honor system applies in the classroom, the barracks, and in every walk of cadet life. There is no compromise with dishonesty or half-truths. Everyone is bound to report any breach of honor which comes to his attention. Offenders of the code of honor are never granted immunity. Quibbling or evasive statements to shield guilt or to defeat the ends of justice are not tolerated, for a soldier's code demands fearless honesty in setting forth the truth, regardless of consequences. The Corps of Cadets itself is the custodian and executive of the honor system, and in this tradition lies its strength.

"Country" requires no amplification. It is "Our Country, right or wrong." And it is noteworthy that West Pointers have efficiently served the nation in time of peace as well as in time of war. Frequently this peace-time service results from the employment of the Army against the domestic foes of disaster or distress. To perform well his "Duty," keep bright his "Honor," and serve faithfully his "Country" is the hereditary ideal of every graduate.

For those who are interested in reading more about the Military Academy, *West Point Today*, a recent book by Kendall Banning, Dartmouth '02, is recommended. This informative volume recounts the life of a cadet from the day of his entrance until his graduation.

He Sizes up the Capital Parade

By GEORGE CLINE BOND, *Swarthmore '42*

NOT yet ten years out of college, Robert E. Kintner, *Swarthmore '31*, has become one of the nation's most widely read political commentators. Through the daily syndicated column, "The Capital Parade," in the writing of which he collaborates with Joseph Alsop, and by articles which the team write for the *Saturday Evening Post*, *Life*, and other magazines, Kintner has fulfilled the prophecy of success that his brothers made in the chapter paper while he was still an undergraduate in the little Quaker college.

Brother Kintner's college activities show that such a prophecy was well founded, for he amassed a string of honors that still stand as an unofficial college record. Bob entered Swarthmore from Stroudsburg High School where he had been paper editor and class president, and immediately distinguished himself as an orator by being a member of the winning team of the freshman-sophomore debate in each of his first two years. For two successive years he won the Delta Upsilon Speaking Contest and in his senior year was elected by his class to be Ivy Orator and chosen by a faculty committee as winner of the \$250 Potter Prize for a speech defending an original thesis.

A major in political science, Brother Kintner is the hero of an anecdote that the head of that department tells each year to his students. It concerns a paper that Bob wrote for him on the administration of the Volstead Act during the dry era, in which Bob had interviewed the bartenders in dozens of undercover saloons. In spite of his academic interests (he graduated with high honors), Bob was classed as a prom trotter and ran a dance orchestra agency.

In the time that he had free, Brother Kintner was manager of the lacrosse team, editor-in-chief of the *Swarthmore*

Phoenix, editor of the freshman handbook, and a member of the glee club, Kwink, honorary managerial society, $\Delta \Sigma \rho$, the Men's Student Government Association, and the Forum, the last two



ROBERT EDMONDS KINTNER, *Swarthmore '31*

of which he was secretary. The climax to his college career, however, came when he was one of seven tapped for Book and Key, senior men's honorary society.

Harvard Law School was Bob's aim after graduation, but he landed instead in the financial department of the *New York Herald-Tribune* and began combing Wall Street for news. In 1935 he was sent to Washington to specialize in New Deal economics, but was soon switched to covering Congress and the President. In this work he met Alsop and quit the *Trib* to join him in writing a column for the North American Newspaper Alliance and do free-lance writing about politicians for the popular magazines. The team also have a book to their credit, *Men Around the President*.

Minnesota Welcomes the Convention

By LAWRENCE A. MARSDEN, *Minnesota '40*

WE of the University of Minnesota extend a cordial welcome to the delegates of the 1940 Convention of $\Phi \Delta \Theta$. We learned of your coming with a feeling of pride, and hope that we can make your stay as pleasant and profitable as possible.

Almost all travelers find that the primary requisite to enjoying an unfamiliar city or country is to learn ahead of time of its places of interest and of its recreational facilities. Minneapolis, with its Mississippi River show-boats, its crystal-clear lakes, its theaters, its hotels and night clubs, its wine gardens, its golf courses, and its outdoor concerts rightfully claims the title as the foremost amusement and cultural center of the Northwest. Cool nights and sunny days are an added inducement to the summer visitor.

Despite the fine facilities offered by the Twin Cities, it is our hope that you as delegates can find some time to visit our University of Minnesota.

Established in 1851 on the banks of the Mississippi river, the one-building prairie school has grown in its brief life of eighty-nine years to the point where it is one of the three largest schools in

the world. Built to accommodate over 30,000 students and faculty members, the school has spread from its small beginning until it now possesses campuses in both Minneapolis and St. Paul. The agricultural school located in St. Paul has been patterned after the ivy-covered colleges of the East, while the main campus in Minneapolis has assumed the immense proportions of a modernistic city. The uniform, modified-classic architecture of the impressive Mall is relieved by the soft and varied architecture of the older portions of the institution.

The departmentalization of the University, made necessary by its increasing size, gives to the earnest sightseer an added advantage. Inspection of the various departments is made easy by the outlined groupings of the buildings. Those interested primarily in medicine, dentistry, chemistry, business, art, or music will find their particular center both easily and rapidly.

As fraternity convention members, naturally your interest will center around fraternity affairs, ideas, and policies.

Since the inauguration of the "Minnesota Plan" of fraternity administration,



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PILLARS OF NORTHROP MEMORIAL AUDITORIUM

the fraternity system at Minnesota has received wide acclaim from educators and national fraternity officers alike.

Its basis in a strong undergraduate Interfraternity Council, the social groups have been striving for a unity of purpose necessary for complete co-operation with the university and administration. A graduate counsellor association was formed to guide the scholastic progress of the fraternity members; a house-managers' association was created to achieve uniformity in collection systems and to offer the benefits of collective buying; a public relations bureau was set up to

counteract the ill effects of anti-fraternity publicity—in fact, the Council has endeavored to erase all the factors that tend to down the fraternity system.

The Administration has offered a great deal of aid to the Greek-letter organizations. The immense amount of clerical work necessary to carry on the business-like fraternity system is taken care of by the Student Affairs Office. Mr. Carroll S. Geddes, adviser to the Council and Student Financial Director, provides the members of the Council an efficient and uniform system of accounting. The formal rushing system used to such good effect at Minnesota is carried out primarily through the agencies of the Student Affairs Office and the adviser to the Council.

Fraternities are strong here at Minnesota. Instead of feeling that they are waging a losing battle, the social organizations are imbued with a spirit of progress. Fraternities do have their place under the sun; and the Minnesota groups are earnest in their desire to find that place.

If the delegates to the 1940 Convention feel that they would care to examine more minutely the Minnesota Plan of fraternity, Mr. Carroll S. Geddes, adviser to the Council, will be glad to interview any and all visitors. Information on Fraternity Week, the Minnesota Plan, and the Interfraternity Council will be made available. Mr. Geddes may be contacted in the Student Affairs Office.



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Another New Province President

By CLAUDE M. MARRIOTT, *Syracuse '01*

ROBERT LINCOLN TRESCHER, *Pennsylvania '34*, was appointed President of the new Gamma Province last December. His appointment brings to the service of the Fraternity a new type and a new spirit. Less than three



ROBERT LINCOLN TRESCHER, *Pennsylvania '34*

years out of law school and not yet six years away from an active chapter, Brother Trescher still has the student's view and thinks in terms of the undergraduates and talks their language. He is, therefore, particularly well qualified to deal with their problems and perform the duties of a liaison officer for the Fraternity. His youthful enthusiasm, his legal training, and his intense Fraternity zeal make him unusually well fitted to do the work for which he has been chosen.

When Brother Tallman was advanced to the General Council a vacancy was created at the head of Rho Province. The territories of Gamma and Rho Provinces were then combined and the new Gamma Province now covers Eastern,

Central, and Southern Pennsylvania, together with the States of New Jersey and Delaware. Supervision of this new province with new boundaries is the work assigned to Brother Trescher. There are seven active chapters in the district and an equal number of alumni clubs and associated alumni groups.

Bob Trescher left a brilliant record at the University of Pennsylvania. He spent four years in the Wharton School and three in the Law School. Many who are now seniors remember him as a law student and refer to his records with great respect and admiration. He entered the university in the fall of 1930 and became a popular member of the Class of '34. He served as president of his class for three years, was an associate editor of the *Daily Pennsylvanian* and chairman of the undergraduate council. He was prominent in many lines of student activities, in all of which he displayed qualities of leadership. He was a member of the light-weight crew, associate manager of the Mask and Wig show, and head cheer-leader. He was elected to various honorary societies during his course, including the Sphinx Senior Society, the Φ K B Society, and the famous Mask and Wig Club. Above all, Bob became a Phi in his freshman year and served the Pennsylvania Zeta chapter with devotion and marked distinction throughout his four years. Upon his graduation he received the Spoon Award, which is the highest honor bestowed on a member of the graduating class of the undergraduate school of the university.

In the Law School he became an active member of the class of '37. He was an honor man, and served as president of his law class for three years, and as president of his law club for one year. He was a member of the editorial staff of the University of Pennsylvania *Law Review* and contributed much to the

continued success of this journal. He became a member of the Order of Coif.

Following his graduation and his admission to the bar, Brother Trescher made a fine legal connection with the well-known Philadelphia law firm of Montgomery and McCracken, of which firm Justice Owen J. Roberts was a member before his appointment to the United States Supreme Court. Since engaging upon the practice of law he has taken an active part in the alumni affairs of the University, in the Philadelphia $\Phi\Delta\Theta$ Alumni Club, and in the civic interests of Philadelphia as a member of the Committee of Seventy which is a non-partisan organization having much to do with civic betterment and municipal government improvement. During the college year of 1938-39 he conducted a course on "The New American Government and Its Work" in the political science department of the university un-

der Dr. James T. Young, head of that department.

Jeannette, Westmoreland County, Pennsylvania, was Bob Trescher's boyhood home. Here he was born in 1912 and here he received his elementary education, completing his preparatory work with one year at the Kiski Springs Preparatory School at Saltsburg, Pa. His early school days may be of little moment, but this is known, that he has always been a lover of the outdoors. He enjoys a month's vacation touring the country with a "pal" of kindred spirit. Last summer with such a friend he made a trip to Montana and the Canadian Rockies, then sold the car, and flew back.

As he becomes better known in his province and throughout the Fraternity Brother Trescher's qualities of mind and heart will endear him to his brothers and open to him great avenues of service for $\Phi\Delta\Theta$.

One Alumnus Who Stayed Active

By PAUL ALEXANDER WAGNER, Chicago '38

EARLY this year, a New York businessman deserted the canyons of lower Manhattan to become a "student-at-large" on the campus of the University of Chicago. He took a room in one of the dormitories, attended classes and bull-sessions with the undergraduates, and once again became an active member of Illinois Beta. To his business associates on Broad Street, he may be Mister Quantrell, but to his many campus friends he is more familiarly known as Ernie Quantrell, '05, a trustee of Chicago who believes in identifying himself with the activities and interests of the younger generation in order more intelligently to aid in directing the program of the great midwestern university.

He feels it is important for an older person to retain a youthful outlook on life, and that a good way to do is to contact undergraduate affairs.

No better proof of a theory could be offered than the speaker himself. Nothing about the alert, friendly eyes, the broad smile, or the hearty handshake of the former president of Illinois Beta would suggest the phrase "older person." He sits behind his desk with the cordial air of a room-mate on the opposite side of a lunch table. Behind him and some thirty-five floors below, spreads out the harbor of New York with tugs and ferries passing by the Statue of Liberty. One forgets this is a "business" office; it is more like the den in the chapter house back home. And as the owner continues to chat about mutual Phi acquaintances, one comes to realize why this man seems so different from the many stolid individuals who occupy similar chairs of business throughout the country. Unlike them, he has never lost the sophomore enthusiasm for this business of living.

In fact, this enthusiasm has been a characteristic of Ernest Quantrell all through an active and many-sided career. During his prep school days he captained three different teams as well



ERNEST EUGENE QUANTRELL, Chicago '05

as holding his own as a member of the debating squad! Football and baseball were second only to his love of track as a competitive sport. Breaking the county high jump record, he next decided to aim even higher and set a new state record in the pole vault. By 1901, the Quantrell mantel boasted a collection of trophies, and the young athlete turned his attention to the choice of a college.

Chicago was not yet ten years old, but it boasted a national championship football team and a remarkable faculty gathered by the brilliant President Harper. Besides, there was a strong $\Phi \Delta \Theta$ chapter and two of Ernie's former school mates, Herbert Ahlswede and Fred Feil, had been initiated two years before. So the athletic career was continued under Maroon colors, with a major letter coming to the youthful high jumper at the end of his freshman year. The chapter, founded a few years before, became his major interest, and in 1904 he was

elected president. His closest friend during these years was Frederick Speik, a former high school chum and captain of the Chicago football team in 1904, and the third in a dynasty of five All-American Phis. Other actives included Walter Steffens, I. D. Hook, Oliver Wyman, Austin Hoy, Chet and Huber Ellsworth, Bill Nowels, and Carl Miner.

But there was still time for other activities, such as the Reynolds Club, an organization still providing the undergraduate men of today with adequate facilities for leisure-time activities. Here he served as treasurer and later as president. Of course, there was also a good bit of singing to be done in the university glee club, as well as duties in three honor societies.

It is not surprising that such an enterprising young man should have found an immediate place in the business world. Serving an apprenticeship in the Chicago Savings Bank, in 1908 he entered the employ of Halsey, Stuart and Co. Later he became a member of the firm and in 1919 moved to New York in charge of the eastern offices, a position he held until 1928, when he retired to manage his own business.

Again, it would not be like Phi Delta Quantrell to allow any one field of interest to monopolize his time. He found art an interesting balance to the business activities of Wall Street, and soon began building an enviable collection of American prints and paintings.

"Art," the genial collector likes to observe, "has taught me tolerance. In few fields is there a greater range of likes and dislikes than in art. I suppose my taste would be described as conservative and academic as contrasted with ultra-modern schools of art, but I have great respect for the man who enjoys modern art. In particular, art has made me observe and appreciate the many beautiful things in nature—things that are available to most of us, but are unfortunately so easy to overlook. So I buy my pictures primarily for the joy of looking at them and living with them, and not from the

monetary standpoint some collectors adopt."

For years he has been the friend of many important artists, aiding them through his position as trustee and Secretary-treasurer of the Grand Central Art Galleries, a non-profit organization formed to promote interest in American art. Portrait painters Louis Betts and Sidney Dickinson, seascape artist Frederick Waugh, and former presidents of the National Academy are among his friends. He has a fine collection of Currier & Ives prints some of which, together with various paintings, he has loaned the Reynolds Club. The paintings in his home are excellent examples of the work of established American artists, who find in him an ardent champion. Since comparing their work with examples of contemporary artists abroad, he has strengthened his early confidence in native brush-wielders.

"It is a marvelous hobby," says Brother Quantrell, "as it opens up a new and wonderful world to anyone interested in beauty. If one cannot buy originals he can at least buy inexpensive but good reproductions and live with them and study them."

This artistic businessman is also quite in demand as a college trustee. Besides the University of Chicago, he serves on

the boards of three southern institutions—Atlanta University, Spelman College, and Morehouse College. The problem of negro education is one of the challenging social questions to receive his attention.

But when the pressure of all these activities allows, Brother Quantrell enjoys travelling with his family. Sometimes it is with his wife (formerly Lulu Morton of the University of Chicago) and two daughters, Jane and Virginia, for a cruise to Rio; sometimes a hunting trip with son Morton in the Lake St. John area north of Quebec. In short, he believes in carrying out his theory of youthful living by sharing the outdoor sports program of his college-age children.

"I would like to see every alumnus contact his active chapter and associate himself intimately with a group of young men ranging in age from 18 to 25," said he. "If Mr. Oldtimer thinks his generation was better than the present one, he owes it to himself to gain a modern viewpoint from these young fraternity men. They are more alive to the issues of the day than the youngsters of thirty years ago, and whenever I have the chance to listen to their conversations I come away with a lot of assurance that the future of the country isn't in such grave danger after all!"

Graham, Pioneer in Surgery

By ROBERT LYLE OBOURN, *Washington University '41*

FEW men of medical science have, during their lifetimes, been accorded the honor that came last fall to Brother Evarts Ambrose Graham, *Chicago '05*. For two days medical men trained by Dr. Graham during twenty years as professor of surgery at the Washington University School of Medicine in St. Louis, gathered in St. Louis from all over the world to pay tribute to their teacher. The two-day celebration ended with a dinner at the Hotel Chase. Here former students

and colleagues expressed the high esteem in which they held Brother Graham and his wife, Dr. Helen Treadway Graham, who is associate professor of pharmacology in the School of Medicine.

Perhaps *Who's Who in America* best reflects Brother Graham's steady rise in his chosen field. Some of the entries are: surgeon-in-chief, Barnes and St. Louis Children's hospitals; co-editor, *Archives of Surgery* since 1920; editor, *Journal of Thoracic Surgery*, since 1931; appointed

by Rockefeller Foundation to investigate teaching of Surgery in British Medical Schools, 1922; author of several books and numerous papers on surgery; developed idea of lymphatic origin of inflammation of the gallbladder; gave exposition of disturbed mechanics of respiration and circulation when normal intrathoracic



DR. EVARTS AMBROSE GRAHAM, Chicago '05

pressures are altered; new treatment for chronic abscess of the lung; explanation of particular toxicity of chloroform and similar anaesthetic agents.

Awards for his work include the Gross Prize for Surgery in 1920, the Gold Medal of the American Radiology Society in 1925, the Gold and Silver Medal of the St. Louis Medical Society in 1927, the Gold Medal of the Southern Medical Society in 1933, and the John Scott Medal given by the City of Philadelphia in 1937.

Not listed in *Who's Who* are three other honors recently bestowed on Brother Graham. Last summer he was offered the honorary position of Professor of Surgery at the 815-year-old St. Bartholomew Hospital in London. This was the first time the honor was ever given to an American. At a recent meet-

ing of the American College of Surgeons, Dr. Graham was elected president of the organization, one of the highest honors that can be accorded a surgeon in the United States. Washington University has established a lectureship in his honor, known as the Graham Lecture Foundation, which will bring annually to St. Louis a distinguished lecturer on medicine and surgery.

Aside from practical surgery, Brother Graham has won world-wide fame for the perfection of a dye which brings out the shadow of the gallbladder under x-ray. This allows the condition of the gallbladder to be studied without operation, a thing which was not possible before. This discovery was preceded by years of disappointing research. But when asked about a statement that the perfection of this dye had saved more lives than were lost in the World War, Brother Graham brushed it aside as "a bit of an exaggeration."

Brother Graham is the personification of the popular conception of an accomplished surgeon; his tall, well-built figure, cool eyes, and easy manner are enough to put the most nervous patient at ease. The confidence he inspires is nowhere more apparent than in the operating room. One can sense the confidence inspired in the attendants by the tall surgeon as he works over the operating table, explaining, in an easy, conversational tone, the reason for every precise move he makes.

In private life Brother Graham is as distinguished as in the field of medicine. A leading citizen of St. Louis, he lives in a low English-type house, in the rolling country to the west of the city. Most of the year, however, the house seems empty, for his two sons, David and Evarts, Jr., are away at school. David is studying pre-medical work at Princeton, while Evarts is at Harvard studying for the foreign service. Brother Graham has little spare time, but such as he has is spent playing golf or listening to symphonic music, for which he has a deep appreciation.

Elmer Davis Turns Radio News Analyst

By EDWARD W. GOODE, *Colgate '26*

ONE of the most illustrious of our brothers is becoming even more illustrious by the minute. Elmer Davis, star newspaper man, current affairs writer, and author of 127 fiction stories, is now one of the foremost radio commentators. His careful, keen analysis of both mazes, national and international, is attracting millions of listeners to his programs "on the air" with the Columbia Broadcasting System.

Elmer Davis is one of the top products of that Hoosier State of Indiana whose proudest output is an unusual number of brilliant men. He radiates that unique and amusing philosophy of American things which Indiana seems to breed. He was born at Aurora, Ind., not so long ago, initiated into $\Phi \Delta \Theta$, Indiana Delta Chapter at Franklin College, was graduated from Franklin in 1910, and received the A.M. degree in 1911.

He went to Queens College, Oxford University, England, as a Rhodes Scholar and received his B.A. there in 1912. His study abroad terminated a brief but promising teaching career, for at the time he received the Rhodes Scholarship, Brother Davis had been teaching for two years at Franklin High School.

When he returned to the United States, he joined the editorial staff of *Adventure* and started his writing career. He joined the *New York Times* in 1914, became a star reporter and a well-known special writer, and then became one of the *Times's* chief editorial writers whose work was famous.

During his career with the *Times* he started his special writing for other publications and was so successful that he came to devote all of his time to this independent writing. He has been a contributor of leading feature articles and stories to *Collier's*, *Harper's*, the *Saturday Evening Post*, *Saturday Review of Literature*; and the 127 fiction stories

have endeared him to readers of many other important publications.

His books include: *The Princess Cecilia* (1915), *History of the New York*



ELMER DAVIS, *Franklin '10*

Times (1921), *Times Have Changed* (1923), *I'll Show You the Town* (1924), *The Keys of the City* (1925), *Friends of Mr. Sweeney* (1925), *Strange Woman* (1927), *Show Window* (essays, 1927), *Giant Killer* (1928), *Morals for Moderns* (short stories, 1930), *White Pants Willie* (1932), *Bare Living* (in collaboration, 1933), *Love Among the Ruins* (short stories, 1935).

It was in "pinch-hitting" for H. V. Kaltenborn last August when Mr. Kaltenborn departed for Europe to cover the crisis and then the war, that Elmer Davis got his opportunity to "cut loose" on the American public. It was a "natural" from the start. As to the writing, his style is famous and his many years of inside experience in handling world events, plus his scholarly, calm principles

have enabled him to plough through the propaganda and to interpret the great trends of the present moment in a way which the American public understands. As to the delivery, Elmer Davis has a rich baritone voice which is, at the same time, crisp and friendly, with a wide range of intonations and a nice register for humor. When it comes to television, Brother Davis will be in the front rank; tall, distinguished, crackling eyes, and all that it takes.

He has reverted to his original vocation of teaching also in handling the new method of teaching history by phonograph records. Elmer Davis was selected by the World Book Company to edit the script and do the running interpretative commentary on the first records consisting of three double-faced

discs entitled "The Sound of History" and sub-titled "Then Came War."

Elmer Davis has always been a good, working Phi whose pride and loyalty in the Fraternity have been constantly in evidence throughout his busy career. Several times during the past year he has dropped in at the monthly dinners of the Phi Delta Theta Club of New York and he always responds graciously with a few remarks which are good for a thought and a chuckle while shaving.

He says: "Tell the SCROLL that I have been a devoted reader for thirty-three years and still find it my favorite reading matter, considering all that it means to me in associations past and present. It has the bad habit, however, of admitting that my contemporaries are not so young as they used to be."

Canada's First Air Casualty

By A. V. GABRIEL, Manitoba '40

HORACE GEORGE YELLAND, *Manitoba '36*, is the first Canadian airman to make the supreme sacrifice in



HORACE GEORGE YELLAND, *Manitoba '36*

the present war. He had been flying for the Trans-Canada Air Service and in January, 1939 he was one of fifteen Canadian youths chosen for service in the Royal Air Force in Great Britain. He was a Pilot Officer in Scotland, where on December 1, 1939 he was killed when his bomber crashed while on duty in a reconnaissance flight.

Horace Yelland was born twenty-six years ago in Minaki, Ontario, where his father is manager of the Hudson's Bay Company store. He attended St. John's College, Winnipeg, and later spent two years studying engineering at the University of Manitoba. He was a young man of outstanding character and scholastic ability, and he excelled in such sports as hockey and baseball. The news of his death has been received with great sorrow by his former university comrades and by his Fraternity brothers to whom he was a regular fellow, beloved by all.

"He wins eternal peace, who gives his life for his fellowmen."

Phi Files for the Senate

By ROBERT HOLTON BULL, *Buller '26*

FORMER Governor Herman Guy Kump, *Virginia '05*, on February 15 announced his candidacy for the senatorship from West Virginia on the Democratic ticket.

Brother Kump is a native West Virginian, born at Capon Springs. He received the degree of LL.B. from the University of Virginia in 1905. The University of West Virginia conferred on him the honorary degree of LL.D. During the World War he served in the United States Army, attaining the rank of captain. He is president of the Citizens National Bank of Elkins, where he still maintains his home.

He served as mayor of Elkins and as prosecuting attorney of Randolph County. He was elected Judge of the twentieth judicial circuit, which embraces Randolph County, and he resigned that position, after a brilliant service, upon receiving the Democratic nomination for Governor of West Virginia.

He was elected Governor in 1932 and served four years. His administration was responsible for a completely changed fiscal policy—West Virginia, thanks to his efforts, is very much in the black, and its credit is spotless. No governor can succeed himself in this state. Brother Kump retired to private practice as a lawyer, and has spent his time between Elkins and Charleston, where he also maintains an office.

In spite of a very busy life, Brother Kump finds time to maintain his interest in $\Phi \Delta \Theta$. He is devoted to young people

and finds the Fraternity a potent agency in maintaining contacts with youth. While he was Governor he entertained



HERMAN GUY KUMP, *Virginia '05*

the Phis at a party in the executive mansion, and he and Mrs. Kump attend the parties given by the alumni when they are in Charleston. He is an active member of the board of directors of the West Virginia State Association of $\Phi \Delta \Theta$.

Brother Kump has long been a conspicuously capable and efficient public servant, known and loved as a fearless fighter for the right. His brothers in the Bond wish him all success in his candidacy.

Bear in Mind—

The General Convention of Phi Delta Theta
Minneapolis, Minnesota, August 27-30, 1940
Headquarters at Nicollet Hotel

The Alumni Firing Line

FRANK CRUMIT, Ohio '12, $\Phi\Delta\Theta$'s famous radio artist and his equally famous wife, Julia Sanderson, are the subject of a close-up sketch in a recent issue of the *New York Post*. It features Miss Sanderson's amiable personality and her famous giggle, "which sounds like Lily Pons' little bells in 'Lakme.'"

Her silvery giggle rang out when she was asked, point-blank, how she and Frank Crumit,



FRANK CRUMIT, Ohio '12, AND MRS. CRUMIT
(JULIA SANDERSON)

her husband and professional teammate, had managed to keep their marriage an example of harmony for all of show business to admire and envy.

"It's easy enough to be happily married," she said, "if your husband happens to be a perfect lamb like Frank."

"None of that now, Miss Sanderson."
Tinkle-tinkle-tinkle.

"All right," she said. "If you don't want me to rave I'll be factual. When Frank and I were married twelve years ago, we thought we'd retire from the stage; we both had long and hard careers behind us. Frank tried to be a stockbroker and I tried to be a housewife."

"My parents lived in Springfield, so Frank bought me a house near them. But I was bored to death and Frank turned out to be a poor broker. I can't cook, I know nothing about gardening, I hate every kind of housework, I don't

like bridge and women's civic doings. The truth is that I'm interested only in my work.

"After about a year, when things had become so dull for me that I'd almost forgotten how to smile and Frank had dropped enough money in the market, we decided to go back to work. We went into radio; we've been on the air just eleven years.

"I'm an old-fashioned person and I get embarrassed when I talk about affection. . . . I'd rather say that Frank and I have got along so well because we're both friendly people.

"But we do have our spats. The tiffs are always about work. I consider Frank a great recording and radio artist but the stage is my field. When we work in radio, everything is smooth, for then I bow to my lord's better judgment. But when we're on the stage and he tells me what to do, he treads on my toes.

"Oh, yes, we do make personal appearances now and then, especially in and around Boston. When we're in the theatre, I am the boss and Frank has to listen to me. Sometimes he forgets it, and then I get cross. Only the other evening, we did a television show here in New York and I had to tell him to watch his P's and Q's."

Miss Sanderson had scarcely finished that last sentence when Mr. Crumit, who had been busy at a recording audition, entered the apartment. Seeing the stout, bland-faced balladeer and ukulele player, it was hard to imagine him unsuccessful as a broker; he seemed born for the part.

"Well, Judy, my dear," he asked, "what have you two been talking about?"

"I was just telling him," she said, "how we manage to get along as well as we do."

"It's an easy trick," he said, "if you're lucky or smart enough to marry a darling like Julia."

"None of that now, Mr. Crumit."

Tinkle-tinkle-tinkle.

"O.K.," he said, grinning. "If you must know the real secret, here it is: Julia and I both feel that recording and radio are my departments and that, when it comes to the stage, she's in full charge."

Tinkle-tinkle-tinkle.

"In the theatre," he went on, "she can give me cards and spades and big and little casino. Naturally, I wouldn't think of arguing with her or attempting to interfere with anything she does, and so we never have any trouble."

Tinkle-tinkle-tinkle. Tinkle-tinkle-tinkle.

"What's the matter, darling?" he asked. "What's so funny?"

"Excuse me, Frank," she said. "I guess I've just got the giggles."

WALTER RICE SHARP [Wabash '17], professor of political science at the University of Wisconsin, has been appointed head of the department of government at the College of the City of New York. He will assume his new duties September 1.

Professor Sharp, now doing research in Washington on a Guggenheim fellowship, replaces Dr. William B. Guthrie, who will retire at the end of the month. Dr. Sharp's appointment takes effect on Sept. 1 and until then the department will be administered by an acting chairman elected by the personnel of the department. The new Department of Sociology will also elect its own acting chairman.

Dr. Sharp, 44 years old, was born in Indiana and received his college training at Wabash College, Yale University, the University of Strasbourg, the London School of Economics and the University of Bordeaux. During 1922 and 1923 he was an assistant professor of history at Washington and Lee University and the following year he joined the political science faculty at the University of Wisconsin, where he has been ever since.

He is author of numerous books, monographs and articles.—*New York Times*.

JOHN JOSEPH LINCOLN, Lehigh '89, one of the charter members of the Pennsylvania Eta Chapter at Lehigh University, is vice-president and general manager of the Crozer Coal and Coke Company of Elkhorn, W.Va. Brother Lincoln is a Golden Legionnaire and keenly interested in alumni matters. He became the first president of the West Virginia State Alumni Association of $\Phi\Delta\Theta$ which was organized and installed at Charleston, W.Va. May 6, 1939. During one of his business trips to Philadelphia last fall, Brother Lincoln saw the $\Phi\Delta\Theta$ Plaque, and was so pleased with the idea that he at once ordered a plaque for the Lehigh Chapter. He also ordered a special bronze plate listing the names of the ten charter members of the chapter. Installation of the plaque and special plate was made just before the opening of college.

WILLIAM CALLOWAY GRANT, S.M.U. '28, is president of Grant Advertising, Inc., which has offices in Dallas, Chicago, and New York. Although the company was originally started in Dallas, the national scope of the accounts has now made it necessary for Will to spend most of his time in the Chicago office. Grant Advertising, Inc. handles the advertising of Mars Milky Way candy and their NBC Dr. I.Q. program. Among its other leading national accounts are Vannette Hosiery, Willard Hat Company, Frito Company, and the Direct Mattress Company. The agency handles a total of thirty-eight active accounts. While Will Grant was in S.M.U., he was president of $\Phi\Delta\Theta$ and was head cheer leader. He began his advertising career as a student and has followed through in his chosen profession.—JIM COLLINS.

FORMATION of the firm of Hunter and Williams to act as financial agents to investors was announced early in February by WILLIAM T. HUNTER and W. EMORY WILLIAMS, JR. Both Hunter and Williams are alumni of Georgia Beta at Emory University, and were graduated in the same year, 1932. The new firm will specialize in investment research, purchase and disposal of securities for clients, and investment supervision.

Brother Hunter is a certified public accountant, a member of the Georgia bar, and was for a number of years engaged in accounting and security analysis work here. His brother is Joel Hunter, Emory '26.

Brother Williams has been for the past seven



NEW FIRM IN ATLANTA

William Emory Williams, Jr., Emory '32, and William Theophilus Hunter, Emory '33

years connected with Sears, Roebuck and Co. from which he resigned to enter the new firm. He has been prominent in civic and fraternity affairs, and served as a member of the alumni executive committee which has recently completed the campaign for erection of a new home for the Georgia Beta Chapter. His brother is Lucien Williams, Georgia Tech '38.

ROBERT FREDERICK NELSON [Montana '30], became executive secretary of the Indianapolis Family Welfare Society on February 21.

Mr. Nelson is 32 years old, married and has two children. He has been executive secretary of the Social Service Bureau of Chattanooga, Tenn., since 1937. Earlier he was a member of the staff of the Associated Charities of Cleveland, Ohio, an organization comparable to the Family Welfare Society here.

Mr. Nelson was born in Milbank, S.D., and was reared in Montana. He received the A.B. degree from the University of Montana and the M.S. degree from the Western Reserve University school of applied social service in Cleveland. He is a member of the American Association of Social Workers, the Family Welfare Association of America and $\Phi\Delta\Theta$ Fraternity.—*Indianapolis Star*.

DR. LEON HUGH WARREN, Colby '25, is the author of *A Handbook of Skin Diseases*, just off the press of Paul B. Hoeber, Inc., New York.

Since December 1938, Doctor Warren has been on the staff of the National Institute of Health, where he is engaged in research work in occupational and industrial skin diseases.



DR. LEON HUGH WARREN, Colby '25

After being graduated from Colby College in the class of 1926, Brother Warren studied medicine at Yale and the University of Pennsylvania. Upon receiving his M.D. degree from Pennsylvania in June 1931, he was commissioned Lieutenant, junior grade, in the U. S. Naval Medical Corps and entered upon active duty as intern at the League Island Naval Hospital in Philadelphia.

In February 1933, he was ordered to duty on the Asiatic Station. Throughout the two years on Asiatic duty he served as ship's surgeon on the U.S.S. *Tulsa* on patrol duty on the rivers and coast of China. While attached to this vessel he saw service during the Chinese rebellion in Fukien Province in 1934. His wife and son were held captive for two days by pirates during the piracy of the S. S. *Shuntien* in North China in June 1934.

In October 1936, he resigned from the Naval Medical Corps and after a year in the office of Dr. Carroll S. Wright of Philadelphia, professor of dermatology at Temple University, and another year in the Graduate School of the University of Pennsylvania, he received the degree of Master of Medical Science for graduate work in dermatology and syphilology.

In addition to his present duties with the United States Public Health Service in the

National Institute of Health, Dr. Warren is special lecturer in dermatology in the school of medicine of Georgetown University and associate in syphilology at the Garfield Memorial Hospital in Washington, D.C. Many articles by Dr. Warren on industrial and occupational skin diseases have appeared in the medical journals.

Dr. and Mrs. Warren reside in Bethesda, Maryland, a suburb of Washington, D.C. They have two children, a son and a daughter.

FRANK ALFRED DE BOOS, *Purdue* '08, *Wisconsin* '09, is a practicing civil engineer, with offices at 739 Penobscot Building, Detroit, Mich.

JAMES WALTER LANTZ, *Illinois* '38 of Shelbyville, Ill., is one of the fourteen salesmen of the Penn Mutual Life Insurance Company who received honors at the home office in Philadelphia Feb. 8. In number of sales during his first year in the business Lantz led all the company's first-year salesmen in the entire country. With four others who completed similar records during recent months, he was made a member of the company's President's Club. The fourteen came from New York, Denver, Peoria, Little Rock, Bethlehem, Chicago, Pittsburgh, Birmingham. President John A. Stevenson welcomed and congratulated them, and entertained them at a luncheon at which were present all the executive officers, including William H. Kingsley, chairman of the board. Lantz was given a diploma showing his outstanding first-year record. He is a member of the Frederick A. Schnell Agency, which operates for the Penn Mutual from Peoria the entire State of Illinois outside Chicago.—*Penn Mutual press release.*



JAMES WALTER LANTZ, *Illinois* '38

WILBUR CARROLL JOHNS, [U.C.L.A. '25], basketball coach for his alma mater, seems to have headed the U.C.L.A. team on the comeback trail just as Babe Horrell, Jim Blewett, and Ray Richards lifted the Bruins into the front ranks in Coast Conference football circles last year.

Johns, who took over the basketball reins from Caddy Works, unquestionably has the most material to work with in the Southern Division, but his Bruins came through to end a 31-game losing streak to defeat the Berkeley Bears, 34-32. The Bruins hadn't won a conference cage clash since 1937, so that victory over the Bears should be cause for a celebration out in Westwood.—*Los Angeles Times*.

CARL NETTLES REYNOLDS, *Southwestern '26*, the veteran outfielder of the major leagues, has signed as a member of the managerial staff of the Los Angeles Club, of the Coast League.

JAMES SERENO LOVE, *West Virginia '32*, advertising manager of the Wofford Oil Company of Georgia, has joined the staff of the Leo Burnett Company, Inc., Chicago advertising agency. He will handle the southern territory of the Pure Oil account for the agency, establishing his headquarters in Atlanta and continuing to direct the advertising and public relations department of the Wofford Oil Company. In addition to the Pure Oil Company, other national accounts served by the Burnett Company include the Minnesota Valley Canning Company; the Standard Milling Company, makers of Heckers' and Aristos Flour, the Brown Shoe Company of St. Louis, makers of Buster Brown, Roblee, Air Step and Naturalizer shoes, the Hoover Company, Realsilk Hosiery Mills, and A. B. Dick Company,



JAMES SERENO LOVE, *West Virginia '31*

SIDNEY OSLIN SMITH, *Georgia '08*, president of the National Association of Insurance Agents, was born in Gainesville, Ga., July 3, 1887. He entered the University of Georgia in 1905 where he was initiated into the $\Phi\Delta\Theta$ Fraternity, graduating with the A.B. degree in 1908.

He entered the local insurance agency business



SIDNEY OSLIN SMITH, *Georgia '08*

in 1916 at Gainesville, and served his State Association by successive rounds in office, including the presidency and national councillor. He held the latter office until 1933 when he was appointed as a member of the Executive Committee of the National Association of Insurance Agents. In that capacity he spent much time in Washington, D.C., in the interests of the National Association as well as in New York assisting in the formation of the business development office, a joint enterprise of companies and agents. He also served the Association as Chairman of Membership Committee. He retired from the executive committee in 1936; was reappointed in 1937; was elected its Chairman in 1939 and National President at Boston in 1939.

He has always taken an active part in the affairs of his home city, serving as president of Chamber of Commerce, Rotary Club, and trustee of Brenau College (an endowed woman's college) as well as a trustee of the First Methodist Church. In 1914 he married Miss Isabelle Charters and is the father of three daughters and one son. His oldest daughter is married, another is attending a secretarial school in New York City, the youngest enrolled in Hollins College, Va., and his son and namesake is completing his third year at the Middlesex School, Concord, Mass.—THOMAS C. CHENEY, *Vermont '91*.

HAROLD ERLING FINSSNESS, *Manitoba '33*, writes the Editor as follows:

"I should like to go on record as an enthusiastic unofficial delegate from Bermuda to the Convention in Minneapolis this summer. For some time I have been on the lookout for Phi



HAROLD ERLING FINSSNESS, *Manitoba '33*

here, but as yet have been unable to locate any in Bermuda, so I guess I must be the sole representative. Amongst the thousands of university men who visit Bermuda each year there must be a great many of the brothers and I should like very much to meet them.

"Perhaps it is a far cry from electrical engineering in Canada to buying men's and women's sportswear in Bermuda, but that is what I find myself doing—and liking it. With the depression era of 1933-34 it was necessary to adapt myself to other fields. Postgraduate study in mathematics opened the way to a position with the Prudential Life Insurance Company in Newark, N.J.; but a year's work in the actuarial department showed that this was not to be the vocation. So, across the street to L. Bamberger and Co., where a year of selling, teaching new extra help, and being subjected to the Macy system of training resulted in an assistant buyership.

"Bermuda accidentally entered the picture in the fall of 1936, when I met Mr. Edmund Gibbons, a Bermudian, in New York. December found me aboard the *Monarch of Bermuda*, and at Hamilton I took over the duties of manager of Mr. Gibbon's largest store. Gibbons Company has seven stores in Hamilton and at present I am buying for two of them. We feature fine imported English sportswear. Last year we had cash sales of over a half million pounds.

"Our annual buying trip to London found

us still there at the outbreak of the war. Cancellation of British ships made returning difficult, but finally, after many tentative bookings, including one on the *Athenia*, I sailed for New York on the *Manhattan* with other refugees. The Clipper landed me in Bermuda in five hours and I found conditions little changed by the war, except that most of the tourists had left.

"Strangely enough, I first heard of Bermuda in connection with a proposed $\Phi\Delta\Theta$ convention in 1932. This and the fact that I was born in St. Paul definitely point to my attendance at the 1940 Convention in Minneapolis. So, after a slight detour in Mississippi, I shall be there!"

FRED LEWIS FOSTER, *California '76*, is the oldest living member of California Alpha. He was initiated in 1873, shortly after the establishment of the chapter. He was an honored guest last September at the Pacific Regional Conference at Berkeley. On his return to his home at Alma, Calif., he wrote the following letter to William O. Morgan, *California '87*, who had entertained him during his stay at the Conference.

"It seems rather odd, calling you brother, considering that we met for the first time only recently, but you certainly have been a brother, and a good one, to me, and I can use the word with sincerity and genuine feeling. And as I have thought of you and your continuous kindness every day since you drove out of your way to come here on that hot day, you will perhaps overlook my tardiness in writing you my thanks for your visit, and my full appreciation of your zeal in seeing that I was comfortably housed, and in making me acquainted with the members of the Berkeley chapter of Phi and the many alumni from California and the other several states represented at the Conference. I enjoyed every minute while in Berkeley, and at the banquet across the bay, and I am further indebted to you for placing at my service your car and chauffeur to take me over the bridge on my departure. I was greatly impressed with the manly and the intellectual qualities of the Berkeley brothers, the alumni, and the officers, as evidenced by all of them, and so long as the universities throughout the United States continue to turn out so large a proportion of picked men there is little danger of this country being absorbed by Fascism, Hiderism, Communism, or any other ism that may threaten the existence of Americanism.

"Again, my gratitude.—FRED L. FOSTER."

RALPH WALDO BEESON, *Emory '20*, secretary and member of the board of the Liberty National Life Insurance Company, of Birmingham, Ala., was married January 27, 1940, to Miss Orlean Bullard, at the bride's home, Meridian, Miss.

MARSHALL HARROLD, *Purdue '31*, is an engineer with the Frigidaire division of General Motors at Dayton, Ohio.

LEE WELLING SQUIER, *Ohio Wesleyan '81*, is dean of Golden Legionnaires in the Philadelphia district. Notwithstanding the fact that he is well past 80 years old still he is more alert and active than many others who are many years his junior. Nearly every business day he may be found at his office on the twelfth floor of the Commercial Trust Building, Fifteenth and South Penn Square, Philadelphia, where he manages the Office Central Service Co., an idea which he originated, providing desk room and office space with stenographic and telephone service.

Brother Squier was initiated at the Ohio Beta Chapter on November 15, 1877 and was graduated with the Class of 1881 receiving an A.B. degree. For nine years following his graduation he was in the United States Consular Service located at Hakodate and other cities in Japan. He served as trustee of an Anglo-Japanese College in Tokio for several years and was Japanese correspondent for the *Cleveland Leader* and the *Cincinnati Commercial Gazette*. Upon his return to his homeland about 1890 he did much writing and also became active in corporation welfare engineering work. He was one of the first to suggest and to work out plans for old age pensions and group life insurance. In 1912 he published some of his ideas in a book entitled *Old Age Pensions*, through Macmillan Co. Later he developed the first group life insurance department for the Connecticut General Life Insurance Co. and the Metropolitan Life Insurance Co. and for a number of years was employed by the latter company in charge of this new department.

It is most interesting and cheering to drop in for a chat with Brother Squier. During present unstable conditions throughout the world and particularly as regards our relations with Japan he has a very clear way of getting at the base of the difficulties from his own personal acquaintance with Japanese views and the Japanese people.

ON NOVEMBER 12, 1939, the United Chapters of $\Phi B K$ sponsored a radio program with the theme "How Can We Begin Now to Organize for Peace?" The speakers were six college presidents, all members of $\Phi B K$, and two of the six were members of $\Phi \Delta \Theta$: GORDON KEITH CHALMERS, of Kenyon College, and JOHN J. TIGERT, of the University of Florida.

As a memorial to her husband, HARRY ALVIN PARRIN, *Knox '00*, former Chicago attorney and referee in bankruptcy for the Northern District of Illinois, who died in 1933, a scholarship was recently established at Knox by Mrs. Parkin. Of late gifts to the college, this is the fifth associated with Knox Phis, the others in memory of Frederick R. Jelliff, '78, Jacob H. Hopkins, '87, Lysander Cassidy, '89, and Clyde A. Finley, '99.

WILLIAM HOWARD (Biff) GLASSFORD, *Pittsburgh '36*, for three years star guard at Pitt, has been named line coach of the Carnegie Tech squad. The 24-year-old coach captained the Pitt Panthers in their Rose Bowl victory over the University of Washington in 1937. For the last two



JAMES WILLIAM GLASSFORD, *Pittsburgh '36*

years he has been assistant coach at Manhattan College, New York.

GEORGE THORNLEY STREET, JR., *Denison '18*, reporter of the Philadelphia Alumni Club, whose facile pencil keeps the Phi world informed on the activities and doings of Philadelphia Phis, is carving out a niche for himself in the field of pedagogy. Since teaching at Denison University, where he received his master's degree in 1918, he has been in the advertising business in Philadelphia and has been a member of the Poor Richard Club which is one of the outstanding advertising clubs in the country.

The Poor Richard Club sponsored a school for specialized education known as the Charles Morris Price School of Advertising and Journalism. It was founded in 1920 in recognition of an obligation to those who seek practical training in the various phases of advertising, marketing, merchandising, journalism, and selling. In 1924 it was endowed as a memorial by the parents of Charles Morris Price for whom it was named and is run on a non-profit basis. Now in its twentieth year the school is recognized as a technical institution of college rank. It offers a curriculum of day and evening courses directed by a faculty of experienced business men and women whose special qualification is long experience in the subject taught and demonstrated teaching ability.

Brother Street is one of the faculty of nineteen members and conducts a course in advertising principles which brings the student face to face with the fundamentals of advertising. He imparts to his classes a practical knowledge obtained through his years of experience in contact with all phases of advertising.

HERBERT FITZPATRICK [Washington and Lee '92], chairman of the board of the Chesapeake and Ohio railway company and one time head of the vast railroad and real estate empire formerly controlled by the late O. P. and M. J. Van



HERBERT FITZPATRICK, Washington and Lee '92

Sweringen, will retire as C. & O. chairman on April 15, 1940.

He will also retire as vice president, but will retain his membership on the board of directors. A company spokesman said the retirement was requested by the sixty-seven year old executive, who has been connected with the C. & O. for forty-five years—*Chicago Daily News*.

Brother Fitzpatrick has always been a most loyal and devoted Phi. He has been a consistent help to his chapter, Virginia Zeta, both in counsel and in material gifts. The building and furnishing of the beautiful chapter house at Washington and Lee was a project in which he took a deep and personal interest.

EDWARD MUSGRAVE DEALEY, Texas '13, on February 1, 1940, was elected president of the Belo Corporation, publishers of the *Dallas Morning News*, one of America's really great newspapers. He succeeds his father, who becomes chairman of the board after a service of more than sixty years. Following is a condensed story of Brother Dealey's career published in the *News* the morning following his election:

"Ted Dealey inherits his newspaper instincts from both sides of his family. On his mother's side he represents the fifth generation, in one line, and the fourth in another, of newspapermen in direct unbroken descent. His father recently completed sixty-five years of continuous service with one newspaper, covering all phases of the business and, based upon that unique record, is now the dean of American newspaper publishers.

"Native of Dallas, the younger Dealey began to prepare himself for his profession in his early

youth. Educated in the public schools of Dallas he was graduated with high honors from Terrill School for Boys. He entered the University of Texas in 1910 where he won his Bachelor of Arts degree in 1913. The Master of Arts degree was conferred upon him by Harvard in 1914 where he took a year's postgraduate work.

"In 1926 he became a director of the A. H. Belo Corporation and in 1928, after thirteen years' service in the editorial and news departments, he was transferred to the executive offices as assistant to the publisher.

"In 1932 he became vice-president, assisting his father in supervising the publication of the *News*, the *Journal*, the *Semi-Weekly Farm News* and the *Texas Almanac and State Industrial Guide*.

"Perhaps no other man has been more active in the movement that culminated in the establishment of the first plant ever to make newsprint from Texas pine. The first shipment of paper from this mill at Lufkin was used to print last Tuesday's editions of the *News*. He is a director in that company.

"Mr. Dealey is one of the founders of the Dallas Historical Society, of the University Club of Dallas, and of the Book Club of Texas. He is a member of the English Speaking Union, of the American Academy of Political and Social Sciences, of the Texas Folklore Society, of the National Association of Audubon Societies, of the Dallas Athletic Club, the Dallas Country Club, the New York Advertising Club, and the Skeet and Gun Club of Dallas.

"He is a 32-degree Mason, a member of the First Presbyterian Church of Dallas, an independent Democrat and a contributor of fiction in the past to the *Saturday Evening Post* and other national magazines.

"On March 1, 1916, he married Clara Patricia MacDonald. They have two children, Joseph MacDonald [Texas '41] and Clara Patricia MacDonald."

Brother Dealey is a loyal alumnus of $\Phi\Delta\Theta$. He takes an active interest in the Dallas Alumni Club. Joe Dealey is the present reporter of Texas Beta; his letters to the SCROLL reveal an inherited taste for writing and reporting.

HERBERT ELLISON BRADLEY, McGill '19, is considering opening an American branch factory of the Canadian company of which he is an officer. Brother Bradley has been manufacturing large power-driven industrial knives under Canadian patent rights. These knives are used in large plants where heavy material has to be cut in large quantities and there is a demand for a factory somewhere along the Atlantic coast to meet the needs of the many customers in this territory. Philadelphia Phis are co-operating with Brother Bradley in hopes that he will decide upon Philadelphia as the location for his American factory.

ROWLAND BROOKE PORCH, *Dickinson* '36, expounds good $\Phi\Delta\Theta$ doctrine in the following letter to Executive Secretary Beam:

"You might be interested to know that at the annual convention of $\Phi\Delta\Phi$, my legal fraternity, at Mackinac Island last summer, there were no less than nine others present who were also 'twice Phis' ($\Phi\Delta\Theta$ and $\Phi\Delta\Phi$). At that convention Brother Bill Prosser, of the University of Minnesota Law School, was elected to the council of $\Phi\Delta\Phi$. But what I started out to say was that there were more Phis at that $\Phi\Delta\Phi$ Convention than members of any other college fraternity.

"It is my observation that no one can really appreciate a fraternity fully until he attends a convention. I feel that way about $\Phi\Delta\Phi$ and am sure the same is true of $\Phi\Delta\Theta$, although it has never been my good fortune, as yet, to attend a national convention of $\Phi\Delta\Theta$. But I did get some of the spirit at a Tri-Province Convention at Pennsylvania Gamma in 1935, when Brother Jake Tallman was just an ordinary province president. Since I am now in my last year at Temple University Law School and expect to take the New Jersey bars in October, I do not expect to be able to make the Minneapolis Convention, but am anticipating the next one. Fortunately, $\Phi\Delta\Theta$ meets on the even years and $\Phi\Delta\Phi$ on the odd years, but if there should ever be a conflict, my choice would unhesitatingly be $\Phi\Delta\Theta$, if for no other reason than to see again that grandest of all Phis that I know—Brother Dean Hoffman."

MARION EDWARD STANLEY, *Nebraska* '26, for many years employed by the Associated Press, has taken charge of the "McNutt for President" headquarters in Washington, D.C.

Stanley left a position with a New York research group making plans for a new metropolitan daily newspaper to join the campaign to win Democratic presidential honors for Paul V. McNutt, federal security administrator.

In ten years with the news service he held posts in Denver, as bureau chief, in London, in Kansas City, as division news editor, and in New York, in charge first of the membership-promotion department and later of the news-photo service.

LEROY MITCHELL MILES, *Kentucky* '28, banker and president of the Lexington Public Forum, was presented with a golden key by the Junior Chamber of Commerce on January 25, 1940, after he had been selected as the young man who had performed the most distinguished service to the community in the last year.

DR. HARRY SLADE HOWELL, *Emory* '27, practicing physician and surgeon of Lake City, Fla., was married to Miss Rocena Augusta Edwards at St. Augustine, Fla., January 21, 1940.

THOMAS DARTNELL TAGGART, *Dickinson* '23, member for Atlantic City in the New Jersey State Senate, was appointed to the Senate's three most important committees—appropriations, judiciary, and highway—at the organization of the 1940 legislature.

Taggart's committee appointments place him in a key position in the 1940 legislature. The appropriations committee controls all expenditures of the State, while all appointments must pass through the judiciary committee.

The Highway Department, it is reported, will spend nearly three-quarters of a million dollars in Atlantic County during the year.

In addition to those committees, Taggart was named to the banking and insurance committee, the public health committee, and the transportation committee, being chairman of the latter two.

The transportation committee will handle the railroad tax situation this year.

Taggart also was named chairman of the joint committee on the treasurer's report and the joint sinking fund commission.—*Atlantic City Press*.

JAMES T. F. SCHULZ, *Pennsylvania* '21, is a member of the staff-commercial department of the Bell Telephone Company of Pennsylvania with offices at 1835 Arch Street, Philadelphia. Brother Schultz is an ardent amateur photographer and always has some interesting pictures in his pocket when he drops in at the weekly luncheons of the Philadelphia Alumni Club. He is an officer in the Bell Telephone Camera Club made up of employees of the company who are, like himself, addicts of the film and floodlight. During the month of January the Camera Club held an exhibit at the Franklin Institute which attracted much attention and received very favorable comment by those who visited it. Brother Schultz exhibited many of his pictures and received many prizes.

SAMUEL ARTHUR WHORTON, JR., *Westminster* '39, is a member of the Otto Agency of the Mutual Benefit Life Insurance Company in St. Louis with offices at 418 Olive Street. Brother Whorton spent several months in the accounting department of the Bell Telephone Co. following his graduation last June. During his senior year at Westminster he was president of the student council and was also elected to Skulls of Seven and O.K. In his position with the Mutual Benefit he will be closely associated with Brother Laurance W. McDougall, *Washington* (St. Louis) '35, who is Supervisor of the Otto Agency.

JAMES RICHARD WILKINSON, *Auburn* '27, was married to Miss Kathleen Shearer Asher March 9, 1940, at the First Presbyterian Church of Atlanta. Brother Wilkinson is associated with the architectural firm of Burge and Stevens, of Atlanta.

THOMAS GERVES BECKETT, JR., *S.M.U.* '32, heads Beckett, Gilbert Company, Inc. in Texas, dealing in investments and securities. Beckett-Gilbert has its offices in Dallas and is recognized as one of the leading bond firms of the Southwest.

Tom graduated from S.M.U. in 1932 and went to the Harvard Graduate Business School where he received his Master's of Business Administration in 1934. Immediately after returning to Dallas, he joined another young local business man—Bob Gilbert—and formed the firm of Beckett & Gilbert. In the past six years this firm has grown rapidly and now Tom's position as president of it places him in an enviable place of recognition among men in financial circles of the Southwest.—JIM COLLINS.

HIRAM HARPEL KELLER, *Gettysburg* '01, was re-elected for a second ten-year term as President Judge of the Seventh Judicial District, Bucks County, Pennsylvania, at the general election last November. The Court is in Doylestown, Pa. Having been a sitting Judge, Brother Keller was re-elected without opposition, which is generally the accepted practice in the Keystone State. A Phi always receives a warm welcome by Judge Keller when off the Bench. Brother Keller is a Trustee of the Pennsylvania Beta Alumni Association and recently stated that they plan a celebration at the Gettysburg Chapter next June when the mortgage is paid off under the generous provisions of the will of Samuel B. Meisenhelder, *Gettysburg* '04.

EMORY WOOD BROCKMAN, *Vanderbilt* '25, director of the Tapadero Ranch near Springerville, Ariz., reports a most successful season to his many Phi friends. At the holiday season he sent greetings from Arizona to his friends in the form of an attractive 1940 calendar, bearing a picture of a Hopi Indian "Stick Dancer" in a very colorful costume.

RAE WELLS BRANCH, *Illinois* '19, was married February 2, 1940, to Miss Margery Roberts. The ceremony took place in the Church of the Ascension, Denver. Two of the bridegroom's brothers, Lester M. Branch, *Illinois* '22, and Marshall Branch, *Illinois* '23, were members of the wedding party.

JOSEPH HENRY DAVIS, *Indiana* '21, is president of the National Association of Public School Boards, having been elected to that office at the association's national convention in Knoxville in September. Brother Davis is a lawyer and resides in Muncie, Ind.

CHARLES ALLEN PROSSER, *DePauw* '97, Director of the Dunwoody Institute, Minneapolis, and formerly head of the Federal Board for Industrial Education, has been appointed consultant on vocational work in the National Youth Administration.

WILLIAM RODMAN VAN LOAN, *Virginia* '37, graduated last May from the special training courses of Dr. Frederick V. Martin at Bristol, R.I., for the correction of speech defects and arrested mental development. Dr. Martin is a world authority on speech disorders and was formerly Director of the Speech Department of the New York City Public Schools, lecturer at Post Graduate Medical College, Columbia University, and invitation lecturer to the University of France.

Brother Van Loan is now Director of Fairfield Hall at Stamford, Connecticut, which is a school for the correction of speech and voice defects in children and adults.

EDWARD PERRY II, *Lehigh* '16, is manager of the Perry Building at the S. E. Corner of Sixteenth and Chestnut Streets, Philadelphia. This is one of the older of the centrally located buildings in the city. It was built some thirty years ago by Brother Perry's father and two uncles and the first and second floors were occupied until their deaths a few years ago as a retail clothing store under the name of Perry & Company. The building has been completely remodeled and modernized recently and is being operated by the Perry Estate of which Brother Perry represents the third generation.

CHARLES HERBERT BEYER, *Pennsylvania* '12, of the Paret Agency of the Provident Mutual Life Insurance Co., Philadelphia, has been receiving congratulations from his many Phi friends upon his son's pledging to $\Phi\Delta\Theta$ at the North Carolina Beta Chapter of the University of North Carolina. Brother Beyer has made several trips to Chapel Hill since the boy entered college and upon his return tells of the fine group of Phis in the chapter of which his son is a Phi-keia.—C. M. M.

BRENTON GREENE WALLACE, *Pennsylvania* '13, is president of the building firm of Wallace and Warner, Inc., located in the Girard Trust Building, Broad and South Penn Square, Philadelphia. This firm specializes in individual homes and estates in the suburban sections along the Main Line. His home is in Rosemont, Pa.

FRANK HARRY RICKETSON, *Kentucky* '17, manager of Fox-Intermountain Theatres, with offices in Denver, has been elected president of the Rocky Mountain Screen Club, a professional organization composed of film exchange and theatre men of the region. He is characterized as a "swell Phi."

HAROLD MEDILL SARRISIAN, *Colorado College* '32, of Denver, was married to Miss Ethel Graves Henshaw, on December 20, 1939. They sailed a few days later for China where Brother Sarrisian has an appointment for educational work for the Chinese government.

The Alumni Club Activities

AKRON

THE bonds of fellowship were tightened again December 26, 1939, at the University Club, when Z Δ E and its successor in the life at Akron University, Φ Δ Θ, celebrated the thirty-ninth annual "Love Feast." One hundred and thirty-five Phis from Ohio Epsilon and other chapters were in attendance.

Begun at the turn of the century by Z Δ E then a local fraternity on the Buchtel college campus, the "Love Feast" has been held without interruption ever since. It continued to live when Buchtel college gave way to the present municipal university and later when the Zetas became Ohio Epsilon chapter of Φ Δ Θ. True to tradition, the banquet is held the night after Christmas.

Highlight of the program was announcement of Golden Legion awards to Clyde F. Beery, *Ohio '88*, Charles C. Wyandt, *Akron '82*, Henry F. Holloway *Akron '75*, James E. Cole, *Akron '88*, Charles A. Stillman, *Alabama '89*, and Leroy C. Eberhard, *Akron '89*. Clinton Miller presided, turning the meeting over to Ted Cook as toastmaster. Among the guests was Province President A. B. Whitney, who spoke briefly.

At the election of trustees, Curtis Harwick, Clinton Miller and Ray Shaffer were chosen.

During the banquet a parchment was passed through the assemblage and the brothers asked to sign as a permanent record of the event.—PHILIP J. DIETRICH, *General Chairman*.

ON February 15, fifty loyal Phis, representing more than a score of chapters, met at the University Club for the first dinner-meeting of the Club. After dinner, Chairman Ray Shaffer called the meeting to order. It was voted that the club meet for dinner the second Thursday of each month at the University Club and that the cost of the meal be limited to a dollar a plate.

Eldred Wortman was elected permanent chairman, and the undersigned, secretary.—RICHARD HOFF, *Secretary*.

ATLANTA

THE Atlanta Alumni Club held its regular monthly meeting February 6, at Davison's Tea Room and was

attended by forty-six brothers, one of the largest turn-outs for the past year. Present for this occasion was Province President, Roland B. Parker, who delivered a timely and interesting address concerning the functioning of an efficient Alumni Club.

Our group has its regular business meeting the first Tuesday of each month and in addition to that, those brothers that can do so, gather informally every Tuesday for lunch at the same place. We feel that these impromptu meetings are doing much to promote the welfare of and instill interest into the club, and more brothers are urged to join each other for a bite every Tuesday at noon.

The club has also tried to inject more interest into its activities by forming a bowling league composed of teams from the various chapters represented in the club. At this date we have bowled on three occasions and the Emory and Davidson teams are leading the league; we take this to be proof of their extra-curricular activities during their undergraduate days, while the rest of us were more academically inclined (note, Tech and Georgia Alumni). Plans are being executed at the present time by our social committee for the Founders Day Dinner Dance, to be held on March 15, at the Piedmont Driving Club. All brothers, alumni and undergraduate, are invited, and requested to make their reservations NOW.—HAMMOND DEAN, *Secretary*.

BARTLESVILLE, OKLAHOMA

SINCE this new addition to Φ Δ Θ alumni clubs was organized early last spring, the Bartlesville organization has been active under the leadership of Warren L. Felton, *Oklahoma '20*. The last regular dinner meeting was held Friday evening, February 9, in the Jane Phillips Sorority rooms; fifteen Phis were present. Plans have been made to observe Founders Day with a dinner meeting Friday, March 15.—DEWITT SHUCK, *Secretary*.

BLUEFIELD

IN response to an invitation extended by a committee composed of John J. Lincoln, State Alumni Chairman, W. E. E. Koepfer, and John G. O'Keefe, a general



THE ORGANIZERS OF THE BLUEFIELD ALUMNI CLUB

meeting of Phi in the vicinity of Bluefield, W.Va., was held at the University Club, Bluefield, January 6, 1940. The following twenty-three brothers responded to the call: John J. Lincoln, *Lehigh '89*; David G. Lilly, *West Virginia '31*; Walter E. E. Koep-



CHICAGO ALUMNI CLUB

Their honor guest was Elmer Henderson, P.P.G.C.

ler, *Westminster '06*; Hartley P. Saunders, *Randolph-Macon '33*; Richard A. Frantz, *West Virginia '36*; Milo W. Summers, *Lehigh '20*; William T. Hancock, *Davidson '32*; Humphrey D. Smith, *Lehigh '08*; Robert A. Sheffey, *Randolph-Macon '14*; Herbert W. Richardson, *West Virginia '35*; Hardy Clinging Smith, *Pennsylvania '20*; Newton T. Roberts, *Pennsylvania '13*; Zan Campbell, *Washington and Lee '35*; Carroll C. Goodwin, *Rollins '37*; Charles H. Goodykoontz, *Davidson '31*; Alva J. Tyree, *Washington and Lee '24*; George S. Strader, Jr., *Randolph-Macon '24*; Harold F. Porterfield, *West Virginia '28*; William A. Tissue, *West Virginia '26*; Raymond E. Tissue, *West Virginia '29*; Lloyd D. Feuchtenberger, *Davidson '37*; Richard J. Wood, *Auburn '38*; John G. O'Keefe, *Davidson '34*.

A beautiful turkey dinner was served, after which, acting as toastmaster, Brother Koepfer called the meeting to order and proposed a toast to John J. Lincoln, expressing the hope that he will long continue his leadership for the Fraternity. In his response, Brother Lincoln spoke with feeling of his affection for $\Phi \Delta \Theta$, his long service in the Fraternity, and his zeal for its growth and prosperity. He dwelt upon the situation in West Virginia, urging more frequent meetings of the alumni, and told of the plans for the State convention at Charleston, May 4, 1940.

Extended remarks were made by Brothers David Lilly, Jr., Hartley Saunders, Milo Summers, and others.

The proposal to organize an alumni club was canvassed thoroughly, every Phi present being invited to express himself. When the question was put, the vote was unanimous and enthusiastic that an organization be formed and a petition be filed with the General Council for a charter of Bluefield Alumni Club.

Officers for the proposed club were elected, as follows: President, Walter E. E. Koepfer; First Vice-President, Robert Sheffey; Second Vice-President, William Tissue; Secretary-Treasurer, William T. Hancock; Reporter, John G. O'Keefe; Executive Board, Lincoln, Summers, Vermillion, Wood, and Nugent.

The brothers parted with expressions of pleasure at the meeting and the belief that it marked important progress for the Fraternity in the region.—JOHN G. O'KEEFE, Reporter.

BUFFALO

At the January luncheon of the Buffalo Alumni Club preliminary plans for the Founders Day celebration

and banquet were discussed and the decision reached to hold the banquet on March 15 at the Buffalo Athletic Club.

The speakers will be Burdette S. Wright, *Purdue '15*, Vice-President and General Manager of the Curtis Aeroplane Division, Curtiss-Wright Corporation, and Roswell P. Rosengren, *Colgate '24*, noted after dinner speaker and Past-President of the Junior Chamber of Commerce of the United States.—MELVILLE T. HUBER, Secretary.

CHICAGO

If more Chicago Phi realized the full extent of the enjoyment of attending our Friday noon luncheons it would be necessary to hire a stadium. By that statement we are expressing no degree of disappointment in our present attendance. Not by a great deal.

The fellows who now attend are "regular attenders" who wouldn't miss the meeting for the world. By not allowing you fellows who don't attend to know about the fun in our weekly meetings we are being mighty selfish. Neither you nor we can allow that. So—you are all invited next Friday and every Friday till the devil's sanctuary freezes over. Don't miss the boat or you may be left up the river without any locomotion.—PAUL H. WHITNEY, Secretary.

DALLAS

PHI DELTA THETA is making plans now for the big Founders Day Banquet which will be observed in Dallas on March 15. It will again be held this year in the banquet room of the Dallas Country Club and as March 15 comes on Friday, we should have a large crowd. Every indication points toward Dallas going over two hundred again this year in attendance.

The new officers for 1940 are: President, Charles Seay, *Texas '36*; Vice-President, Jack Foxworth, *Texas '30*; Secretary, Jim Collins, *S.M.U. '37*; Treasurer, Ben Dechard, *Texas '36*.

The recent marriages of young Dallas Phi include: Doss Echols, *Georgia Tech '37*, to Carolyn Potter on January 6; Wilson Germany, *S.M.U. '37*, to Margaret Blackman on January 17; Jim Wilcox, *S.M.U. '38*, to Mary Alice Ward in late December.

Tom Carpenter, *S.M.U. '29*, is among the new papas; he has a daughter named Shirley Allison Carpenter, who was born in late December, 1939.—JAMES M. COLLINS, Secretary.

DETROIT

THE Detroit Alumni Club Christmas Party was held December 16, 1939, in the Detroit Leland Hotel. The din is still echoing and the white hairs of the hotel people are mute evidence of the life displayed by those present, which included besides Phi, live ducks and one very much alive pig.

January 12, 1940, the Detroit alumni were fortunate to have as guest speaker, Carl Bradt, Secretary of the Detroit Housing Commission, whose talk, which concerned the findings of the Real Property Survey made by the Detroit Housing Commission for the United States Housing Authority, was very well received.

The Fourth Annual mid-winter $\Phi \Delta \Theta$ dinner dance was held at the Detroit Athletic Club on January 31, 1940.

February 9, 1940, those present at the regular weekly Friday luncheon in the Downtown Club, thirteenth floor, Penobscot Building at 12:15 heard Don Paul, Special Agent for the Loyalty Group of Insurance Companies, bring out many important facts about the risks you run when you drive an automobile and the financial responsibility that is now required in most states.—F. W. MARSHALL, President.

GRAND RAPIDS

The Grand Rapids Club is meeting regularly the first Monday of each month at the University Club. New officers for the year are Donald Berles, *Michigan State '33*, President; and the undersigned, Secretary-Treasurer, *Michigan '30*.—PAUL F. SYKETEET.

HARRISBURG

The plans for the Central Pennsylvania Founders Day Banquet, sponsored by the Harrisburg Alumni Club, have been completed and arrangements made to hold this event at the Colonial Country Club, Harrisburg, on the evening of Thursday, March 7, 1940.

With 280 Phis in this area, approximately 150 are expected to be present with a goodly representation of the active brothers from the chapters at Gettysburg, Dickinson and Penn State. The principal speaker will be Brother Charles Swift, head of the English Department at Dickinson College, himself an active Phi who even now maintains his residence in the Dickinson chapter house. Dean Swift is also a most versatile and attractive speaker. Of course, our own Dean Hoffman, Past President of the General Council, will be much in attendance.—EDWARD C. FRST, JR., Secretary.

HOUSTON

We shall have our Founders Day dinner at 7:00 P.M., Thursday, March 14, at the Rice Hotel, of which Brother R. Bruce Carter is manager. Brother Joseph W. Evans, *Hanover '98*, Director of the United States Chamber of Commerce, will be our toastmaster, and Brother Walter A. Parish, *Texas '10*, will be the principal speaker. Golden Legion certificates will be awarded to Brothers Edward Benjamin Holman, *Mississippi '87*, Robert White Knox, *Centre '80*, and William Lewis Moody, Jr., *Virginia Military Institute '86*. The Bond of $\Phi \Delta \Theta$ will be read by an active member of either Texas Beta or Texas Gamma. A quartet will lead in the singing of Fraternity songs.—TOM C. SHARP, JR., Secretary.

INDIANA, PENNSYLVANIA

ON December 28, 1939, fifteen Phis who live in and around Indiana, Pa., held a dinner meeting at Hotel Indiana. Heretofore there had never been an official Phi gathering in Indiana County. Harry Burton Boyd, *Centre '08*, was in charge of arrangements. The following men were present: Hart B. Daugherty, *Lehigh '06*; Walter M. Whitmyre, *Syracuse '09*; L. Steele Clark, *Penn State '11*; Harry Burton Boyd, *Centre '08*; Lester W. Tuck, *Penn State '25*; Earl Hewitt, Jr., *Penn State '28*; Peter Zavarlis, *Duke '41*; William Pierce, *Allegheny '43*; L. R. Stephens, *W. and J. '39*; Al Clark, *Penn State '42*; C. Paul Reed, Jr., *W. and L. '38*; Douglas White, *W. and J. '40*; W. W. St. Clair, *Lafayette '38*; F. Burton Stevenson, Jr., *W. and J. '41*; Leslie R. Boyd, *Centre '36*. Michael Von Krenitsky, *W. and J. '39*, of Duquesne, Pa., was a visitor.—LESLIE R. BOYD.

MINOT

IN spite of the small number of Phis in this territory we nevertheless have had a group meeting and luncheon the first Thursday of each month and we have now set the date for our Founders Day banquet for Saturday evening at six o'clock, March 16 at the Palm Room of the Grand Hotel Cafe in Minot.

Our reason for selecting Saturday was so that if any of our members should find it possible to attend the Founders Day dinner at Grand Forks where the only chapter in the state is located, they might do so and still get back to Minot in the afternoon

of the sixteenth and in ample time for the banquet.

We are hoping that some of the alumni from nearby towns will meet with us and while the banqueters will be few in comparison with those of the cities in the central and eastern parts of our country, nevertheless I am sure that the spirit will be as fine as at the best of them.—R. A. NESTOS, *North Dakota '04*.

NEW YORK

By the time this SCROLL is distributed another Founders Day will be history. Although this is written considerably in advance of the dinner, there is enough evidence to state now that the Founders Day dinner in New York is to be a huge success worthy to rank with the three great Founders Day dinners which preceded it in 1937, 1938 and 1939. Rather than an all-star variety show, the 1940 Dinner moves fellowship and the good time into the headline spots and keeps them there throughout the evening. The advance roll of those who will have something to say includes the Honorable Tom Connally, Senator from Texas, brother from University of Texas; Robert P. Patterson, Judge of U. S. Circuit Court of Appeals, *Union '12*; Paul F. Cadman, Economic Adviser to the American Bankers Association, *University of the South '10*; John Ballou, President of the General Council; Dean Hoffman, Alumni Commissioner; and Paul Beam, Executive Secretary. Phillips T. Barbour, President of the New York Club will preside and Oscar W. Ehrhorn, *Columbia '98* is the toastmaster.

The February monthly dinner was held on February 14. Although this was a good night not to go straight home without a St. Valentine's offering, it turned out to be the stormiest evening of the winter in New York. In spite of this, some thirty-five brothers heard Special Agent H. B. Gill of the Federal Bureau of Investigation give one of the most interesting talks of the season. Present also was Brother Albert B. Hines, *Allegheny '10*, president of the Madison Square Boys Club of New York, who has a new \$450,000 building and twenty-seven years of highly successful experience in making East Side kids into valuable citizens rather than cases for Mr. Gill and other FBI agents.

The January dinner heard a splendid talk by Brother Edwin B. George, *Pittsburgh '17* who is Associate Editor of *Dun's Review*. Brother George's talk was exceptionally timely and worth while and featured an enjoyable evening.

The Downtown Luncheon which is held EVERY FRIDAY in the New York State Chamber of Commerce dining room at 65 Cortlandt Street at 12:30 is going stronger by the week, and is highly recommended. The impression held by some that too much lunching time is required in order to enjoy this group is false. All who attend are very busy men, and few take more than an hour.—ED W. GOODE, Reporter.

PHILADELPHIA

SUBCONSCIOUSLY, the mind's eye turns toward the scene in Europe. What goes on there? What is the really true situation? Behind the censored news, what is in the minds of the leaders? What are the real objectives?

There is a man in our town who knows all the answers. If we could only get him to speak for us. Ever since September we tried to have Dr. Vittorini as a guest speaker. In addition to a professorship in the Romance Language Department of the University of Pennsylvania, he is a keen historian. Last summer he walked over much of the ground and

talked with many of the personages who have made the front pages since the declaration of war.

For an hour and ten minutes on January 19, Dr. Vittorini gave forth the considered accumulation of his fine thought and held his audience's rapt attention. Does history repeat? He proved it did, drawing a perfect parallel to the European conditions of 1520.

Founders Day banquet will be held at the Midway Club, Saturday 6:30 P.M., March 16, 1940. Admiral Cluverius will be the principal speaker. Seating will be by chapters. Four active chapters have been asked to join with us. Golden Legion certificates will be presented to ten 50-year veterans. Provisions have been made for the Reading of the Bond at 6:15 in a private room of the Club. Come early and enjoy this unusual feature.—GEORGE STREET, *Reporter*.

PITTSBURGH

PITTSBURGH Alumni Club will hold its Founders Day banquet Saturday, March 30, 1940, at the Pittsburgh Athletic Club Annex. Brother Joseph A. Langfit, *W. and J.* '11, will be toastmaster, and Colonel William A. Ganoe, *Dickinson* '02, of the United States Army, will be the principal speaker. The active chapters at W. and J., Allegheny, Pittsburgh, and West Virginia will attend the dinner practically in a body. The Pittsburgh Club is proud to record that each of these four chapters has installed the $\Phi\Delta\Theta$ plaque in their house, a record of one hundred per cent for the province. The Pittsburgh Club went fifty-fifty with the chapters in securing the plaques.—ROBERT W. LINDSAY.

ROCHESTER

WITH the exception of holidays, the Rochester Phis have met every Thursday noon for the past year at the Chamber of Commerce for luncheon. Brothers Schuman, Works, MacAmmond, Smith, Jones, Miller, Hatch, Coulton, Emerson, Kern, and Kron have been at nearly all of the luncheons. It is hoped that the number of Phis attending these luncheons will continue to increase as it has the past year.

The dilemma of selecting an engineering curricula was the subject of Brother Fred Hovde, *Minnesota* '29, who spoke before a recent meeting of TBI alumni. Brother Hovde is assistant to the President of the University of Rochester.

Bill Emerson, *Syracuse* '16, is serving as corporation counsel for the city of Rochester and is constantly in the limelight of local civic activities preparing and interpreting new ordinances and bills.

The Miami Triad is planning a meeting some time during the coming summer. Tentative plans call for a golf meet between the three fraternities.

It is hoped that any Phis passing through Rochester will be able to attend the Thursday luncheons and that Rochester Phis who have not yet attended will be able to do so in the near future.—ADDISON E. FISCHER, *Secretary*.

SEATTLE

THE active chapter at the University of Washington took over the February monthly dinner activities of the Seattle Alumni Club. It was the occasion for their annual smoker, and some seventy-five alumni turned out to watch the active battle each other into submission. A fine dinner was served prior to the assault and battery, and the many warm thanks given to Sam Baker, who was in charge of the party, proved its success. It was a real pleasure to see a number of faces at the smoker who have been absent from Seattle activities for some time. We hope that this is a forerunner of their continued at-

tendance. Thanks again from the Seattle Alumni Club to the Washington Alpha chapter for a very pleasant evening.

The next big date of the Seattle Calendar is the Founders Day banquet. It will be held this year at the Olympic Hotel, in the Spanish Ball Room—with the date selected Friday evening March 29. Following last year's successful plan of bringing in representatives of the active chapters throughout Washington, Oregon, Idaho, and British Columbia, the committee have issued invitations for these chapters to send delegations. Tickets will be \$2.00. Reservations can be made through Bill Montgomery, A.S.U.W. office, University of Washington, Seattle.—ROBERT MORT FRAYN, *Reporter*.

TOLEDO

ON Wednesday evening, December 27, 1939, at the Toledo Club, the alumni of Toledo met for their annual Christmas Party. The purpose of this party is to entertain all the active men in colleges, the pledges, and some high school boys who are about to go to college. For the last two years, this meeting has been very successful. We have informed some twenty colleges where these boys were about to enter, and from this information, the results have been very satisfactory.

Through the co-operation of Brother Banta of the Michigan Alpha and Brother Babcock of Ohio Zeta, a very fine program was arranged. There were fifty-six in attendance and thirty-three were guests. Brother Fred J. Milligan, *Ohio State* '28, former Traveling Secretary of the Fraternity, was the principal speaker of the evening, and he gave a very instructive and interesting history of the Fraternity. Brothers Magg, Leonard, and Bruckner from Ohio Zeta showed the pictures of the Ohio State-Minnesota Game, and this certainly was pleasing to the high school men as well as to many of the older members.

Our monthly meetings are very interesting and we are now making our plans for Founders Day, which we expect to hold on or about the fifteenth of March. The Program Committee is working very hard to have as good a meeting as we had last year.—FRED A. HUNT, *Secretary*.

TULSA

The club is now holding meetings at noon on the first and third Tuesdays at the University Club and a good representative group are attending.

The 1940 officers have been placed in office; they are Charles T. Klein, Kansas Alpha, President; F. S. De Bernardi, Missouri Beta, Vice-President; and J. S. Bottler, Secretary-Treasurer, Colorado Beta.—JOSEPH S. BOTTLER, *Secretary*.

STATE OF WEST VIRGINIA

THE meeting for the organization of the Bluefield Alumni Club is reported above.

A committee, consisting of Dr. Cecil G. McCoy, *Allegheny* '15, Dr. John Gaynor, *West Virginia* '31, Austin V. Wood, *Ohio* '15, and William F. Dalzell, *Allegheny* '12, are making active preparations for a celebration of Founders Day at Wheeling during the month of March.

The Bluefield and Wheeling meetings are to be climaxed by the annual State Alumni convention, which will be held May 4, 1940, at the Hotel Ruffner, Charleston. All Phis in West Virginia, and all others, for that matter, are invited to this convention. A large representation from the active chapter at West Virginia University will be in attendance.—DAVID G. LILLY, JR., *Secretary, West Virginia Alumni Association*.



Chapter News in Brief



ALABAMA ALPHA, UNIVERSITY OF ALABAMA.—The tenth annual houseparty was held February 1, 2, and 3. As this is the main social event of the year, we did our best to make it a memorable event. Thirty girls from various parts of the South accepted our invitations. Varied entertainment in the form of formal dances, a morning house dance, and a buffet supper in honor of the visiting orchestra, was given our guests. Friends from other fraternities dropped in to help us celebrate the occasion. The older members will be sorry to hear of the death of Brother John Lee Horne of the class of 1886. Brother Horne, who was one of the oldest living members of Alabama Alpha, lived in Coatopia, Ala. It is such men as he who have helped carry on the fine tradition of ΦΔΘ. In intramural sports we are in fourth place, 31 points behind the leader. Formal initiation for our freshman class will be held in March. Our chapter wishes to express its thanks to the many alumni who congratulated us on the January issue of the SCROLL; we wish to thank the staff of the SCROLL for their co-operation. We were glad to see Brothers Pete Lanier, Bob Kilgore, Billy Johnston, Cary Cox, Craig Bade, Cox Webb and John T. Foreman at the houseparty.—**FREDERICK FERGUSON, Reporter.**

ALABAMA BETA, ALABAMA POLYTECHNIC INSTITUTE.—Outstanding fall and winter social functions of the chapter were the open house held during Homecoming day when many alumni and brothers visited us among whom was John J. Tigert, president of Florida University, our Homecoming opponent; the house party held during midterm dances; and the Phi formal and house party held March 2. Men initiated December 13 were Ben Craig, Robertson Allen, Fleet Hardy, and Charles Baumhauer. Since rush week the following men have been pledged: Scott Vance, Gadsden; Jack Tankersley, Decatur; Douglas Wingo and Jack Greagan, Birmingham.—**J. B. STRATFORD, JR., Reporter.**

ALBERTA ALPHA, UNIVERSITY OF ALBERTA.—The annual dance and banquet will be held the first weekend in March, the dance on Friday and the banquet on Saturday. Brother Housser has communicated to us his intention to be with us for the banquet. We were disappointed to hear that Brother Gaches would be unable to attend owing to other previous engagements. However, we are expecting a record-breaking attendance this year. Dave French has been called for training in the R.C.A.F. He left the University to take up quarters in Calgary where he will be for an indefinite time. He is the first active Phi to be called from this chapter. The annual mothers' and fathers' tea was held at the house on Sunday, February 11. Our pledges are to be congratulated for their showing in the Christmas exams. Out of more than twenty pledges, only two did not return to the University after the holiday. The chapter as a whole received a very high average. The annual in-house, out-house, pledge hockey game is to be added to this year by a team from the Edmonton alumni. This four-way bout is attracting great interest within the chapter and the alumni should have a strong team with Pete Rule and Ken Clark on defense. Several letters have been received from the Calgary alumni club, to the effect that the club is forging ahead so rapidly that

it now has a membership nearly as large as the Edmonton alumni club which has been such a great help to the active chapter in past years. For the benefit of those who graduated last year we would like to add that Brother Bill Howard passed the last examination in C.O.T.C. with a good standing.—**H. MUNRO HOFFE, Reporter.**

ARIZONA ALPHA, UNIVERSITY OF ARIZONA.—The chapter is proud to report a grade average of 2.8 for the fall semester. This, we think, will lead the fraternities. As intramural bowling nears its end, ΦΔΘ still maintains a safe lead. Although we did not repeat this year by winning the basketball tournament, we did place third which does enhance our intramural standing. Ed Held was chosen as first string end for the border conference team. Creswell is playing varsity ball again this year. Upon graduation, our retiring president, Tom Knight, received his traditional pooling in the Pi Phi fish pond. Our formal dinner dance was held on February 16. Even the chaperons said it was the best they had attended. New pledges include: Mac Lovitt, Memphis, Tenn., John Quinn, Phoenix, Ariz., Bill Riesmeyer, St. Louis, Mo., Pete Narton, Cleveland, Ohio, and Elmer Yoe-man, Glendale, Ariz. We are again well represented in basketball by Westfall, center, and Hood, guard.—**GEORGE B. MERCHANT, Reporter.**

BRITISH COLUMBIA ALPHA, UNIVERSITY OF BRITISH COLUMBIA.—Spring rushing of freshmen resulted in the pledging of D. W. McLean, brother of J. Beattie McLean, A. W. Shore, cousin of Don Parham, and W. H. K. MacDonald all of Vancouver; D. C. McCarter, Victoria, nephew of J. Y. McCarter; C. H. Baker, Nanaimo; and J. D. Annand to increase the ranks of "New Westminster Beta." Lowe has been promoted to the rank of Corporal in the C.O.T.C. Annand is trainer of the basketball team. Phikeia MacDonald is in the chorus of the Musical Society's spring production, "The Gondoliers." Don McLean is carving a name for himself in sport as goalkeeper of the varsity soccer team. Socially the chapter has



AFTER-DINNER CHATTING AT BRITISH COLUMBIA



ANNUAL FROLIC AT COLORADO
The egg-fight between Phi Delta Theta and
Beta Theta Pi

been extremely active attending a banquet put on by the alumni at Jericho Country Club, January 15, with Bowman as toastmaster; the spring tea sponsored by our very enthusiastic Mothers Club, held at the home of Brother Fred Bogardus, February 11; and the annual formal, in the form of a birthday party commemorating the chapter's tenth year of affiliation with $\Phi\Delta\Theta$, at the Royal Vancouver Yacht Club, March 8. Speakers at the banquet were Bob Smith, Beattie McLean, Dr. Jack Berry and Dr. Wallace Wilson. The university may have its homecoming in October, but B. C. Alpha had such an affair during the Christmas holidays when brothers from distant schools, home for the festivities, gathered at the chapter house one evening to exchange greetings and renew fond memories of college days here. The prodigals were George Robson, Osgoode Hall, Toronto; Eric Robertson, University of Toronto Medical School; Jack Vance, Wycliffe College, Toronto; Bob Dent, Portland Dental College; and Dave Carey, Oxford. Another visitor was George Swinton, Quebec Alpha. —WILLIAM WALLACE, Jr., Reporter.

CALIFORNIA ALPHA, UNIVERSITY OF CALIFORNIA. —With plans for the Big C Sirkus rapidly taking shape, California Alpha with a concession under the big top, will also enter a float in the parade. Every four years this event, with virtually all campus organizations taking part, marks the high light of university activities. Various prizes and awards are given for outstanding participation and California Alpha will strive, in this respect, to win recognition. Rushing activities for the spring resulted in pledging of the following men: Dick Elliot, John Norris, Hooper O'Sullivan, Bob Wisecarver and Ed Radtke. Added also to our ranks were Herb Tenny, Arizona Alpha and Bill Swisher, California Gamma, who were affiliated. Hank Zacharias was initiated into Triune, a sophomore men's honor society. Intramural spring sports are under way with the chapter's athletes keeping the Phis up near the top of the ladder. The chapter is well represented in competitive spring sports with two of our football men, Will Rogers and Dick Folmer, out for rugby. Carl Hoberg, Dick David and Dick DeGolia are on the varsity baseball squad. Bill Beal, Wayne Welcome, and Alden Peterson, crew; Pete Peterson, soccer; Chuck Hawkins, basketball; Jim Nutting, track; Bob Smith and John Norris, swimming; and Jim L'Hommedieu is a member of the ski team that won the intercollegiate ski meet held at Reno, Nev., this winter. Don Richards, Bob Johnson, and Bob Cotes are rugby managers while Bob Casey

and Terril Knight are active as sophomore baseball managers. On February 7, the chapter gave a dinner in honor of Brother W. O. Morgan, '86, celebrating his fifty-fourth anniversary as a member of $\Phi\Delta\Theta$. —WILLIAM BEAL, Reporter.

CALIFORNIA BETA, STANFORD UNIVERSITY.—California Beta closed the 1939-40 rushing season by pledging fifteen men: John Burris and Jack Grey, Glendale; Bayard Colyear, Long Beach; Clark Guinan, Richmond; Edward Huff, San Mateo; John Hemphill, Fresno; Ralph Bjorklund, George Campbell, William Furbush, Clark Graham, and James Nelson, Portland, Ore.; Bud Agnew and James F. Sullivan, Seattle, Wash.; Dick Palmer, Oklahoma City, Okla.; Bud Scheel, Des Moines, Iowa. Palmer was the outstanding lineman on a highly successful freshman football eleven; Graham is the bright spot of an as yet untied yearling baseball team. Huff, a transfer from San Mateo Junior College, was for two years all-Northern California halfback; Sullivan and Agnew are members of a winning freshman hoop team. Colyear is back stroking to many victories for the frosh swimming team, and in the spring Hemphill will be tossing the shot for the frosh. Grey is a towering varsity tackle



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prospect; Scheel a promising golfer who is flirting with the seventies on the tough Stanford course. The winter quarter athletic program is keeping several Phis busy. Oakford fought his way to the finals of the all-university championships; Smith is a member of the basketball squad; and Grey is whipping into shape for some more 50-foot shot putting. Thompson and Easton are starring in rugby; Adams is undefeated in diving this year and promises to gain national honors despite the fact that he is only a sophomore. Dee, another sophomore, is first man on the tennis team and has already gained national recognition. Blackburn sustained a broken leg competing for the ski team, but McDuffie, who placed in the Intercollegiate at Sun Valley, is still carrying on for the Phis in this sport. Dillon is continuing to cut down his time in the mile, and Johansen anchors a potential conference championship swimming relay team. In other activities, Hoover has returned from a three-weeks trip touching New York and New Orleans for national interfraternity conventions. Woolston, who recently took over the gavel as president

of California Beta, is also active on the campus Finnish relief committee. Wyman was elected president of the Students' Political Union.—JOHN BLACKBURN, *Reporter*.

COLORADO ALPHA, UNIVERSITY OF COLORADO.—Topping Colorado Alpha's activities for winter quarter is its intramural basketball team. Leading the scoring is Bill Carbanati, with Downing, Eaton, McCormick, Adler, Mills, Stewart, and Rose dropping them through. The team is scheduled to go into the finals for the championship. Scholarship at the chapter is in number four position among fraternities. Since the January issue of the SCROLL, Colorado Alpha has pledged two Phikeias: Haines Bigum, of Glenwood Springs, who is a promising frosh diver, and Glen Stanley, of Excelsior, Minn., an ace track man and winner of the intercollegiate slalom race at Sun Valley, Idaho, during Christmas vacation. Heading social activities for this year was the party given by the Denver Alumni Club for Colorado Alpha, Colorado Beta, and Wyoming Alpha. It was held at Denver's Cosmopolitan Hotel, December 18.—WILLIAM L. PUETT, *Reporter*.

COLORADO BETA, COLORADO COLLEGE.—On February 18 we initiated the following men: Marshall Zirkle, Melvin Balzer, Robert Tritt, and William Turnock, all of Colorado Springs; Merton Manning of Grand Junction, Colo.; Norman Nesterode, Barrington, Ill.; Vernon Edler, Hollywood, Calif.; and Gordon Folsom, Minneapolis, Minn. Brother Gerlach was here for the initiation ceremonies and during his brief visit we acquired many helpful suggestions. We recently pledged the following second semester students: George Ewanus, Saskatoon, Sask.; Jim Haskell and Ray Anderson of Denver; and Hugh Teason of Colorado Springs. Phikeia Ewanus will be a very helpful addition to the undefeated varsity hockey team and already has made a place for himself on the first line. We are now leading the field in intramural basketball and bid fair to take our third straight championship in this sport. Intramural cups already won so far this year include boxing, house decoration, and volleyball. In the latter competition George Price, Gordon Harmston, Chuck Friend, and Barney Boysen were four of the six men picked on the all intramural volleyball team.—S. A. HOLMAN, JR., *Reporter*.

FLORIDA ALPHA, UNIVERSITY OF FLORIDA.—The fourteenth annual charity game under a 99-year contract with the Z N's was the most successful week-end

of its kind to date, although we lost 7-6. The chapter took top military honors on campus, Manson being appointed colonel, Rickett, Hassett, Leonard, and Brown holding captaincies, and fifteen others holding key positions in advanced military. Walton is playing varsity basketball and Harvey Long has a berth on the boxing team. Out for spring football are Robinson, Houston, Walton, and Phikeias Horner and Jones. The chapter regrets the loss of Neil Smith who was graduated at midyear and Jack Long and Tom Watson who left college to take over positions in business. On the debating front, Tench, Paul Rogers, Nanis, and Roberts and Morris are holding their own, Paul Rogers also invading the field of dramatics.—NATHAN BEDELL, *Reporter*.

FLORIDA BETA, ROLLINS COLLEGE.—Florida Beta takes the pleasure of announcing the initiation of John Fleezer, Clyde Jones, Sam Hardman, Egbert Hadley, Thomas Knight. Clyde Jones is in the midst of a very successful basketball season. W. Davis, R. Davis, O. Barker, S. Casparis are holding important positions on the varsity tennis team. W. Hausman, J. Giantonio, R. Hickok, C. Kraus are working out in expectation of a successful crew season. In intramural golf Florida Beta placed first, the finals being played off by brother M. Casparis and Phikeia W. House. The chapter won first prize for having the best decorated house in the Founders Day display. President Edward Levy has recently been purchased from the Newark Bears by the Philadelphia Phillies. Ed. Levy and Ralph Harrington took leading parts in the current play "You Can't Take It With You." By the time this goes to press, varsity baseball will be well under way with C. Jones and S. Hardman holding prominent positions.—CLARENCE KRAUS, *Reporter*.

GEORGIA ALPHA, UNIVERSITY OF GEORGIA.—Newly initiated brothers are Laurier Hackett, George Braungart, Clem Brown, Lennon Bowen, Douglas Cunningham, Frank Puckett, Frank Clark, Ben Howell, Denmark Groover. Perry made $\Phi K \Phi$, and Vandiver, who is president of the freshman law class, has been initiated by $\Phi \Delta \Phi$. Bowen, a member of the golf team, was recently initiated by Blue Key and Gridiron, while Howell, Clark, Hackett, Groover, and Phikeia Montgomery are members of the freshman Y.M.C.A. Commission. Phikeia Williams is President of the Freshman Y. Council and Clark is a recent member of the Forestry Club. Freeman and Woodruff are mainstays on the boxing team; Grace is on



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the track team; Howell and Phikeia Montgomery are members of the freshman cross-country team. Groover is an outstanding member of the freshman debating team. Ex-Governor Talmadge and Vice-President Mitchell of the Georgia Power Co. were



INITIATION AT MERGER

Bayne Barfield, retiring President, welcomes Initiate Charlie Davis

recent visitors of Georgia Alpha. The University of Georgia staged her first Winter Carnival in January with the credit going mainly to Brother Horsey, who originated the idea. Georgia Alpha put on the biggest formal dance of the year. At present we are second in the intramural contest for the Governor's Cup.—CALHOUN BOWEN, Reporter.

GEORGIA BETA, EMORY UNIVERSITY.—At its seventieth annual formal dinner-dance January 26, Georgia Beta welcomed twelve new initiates into the active chapter: Melvin Tinsley, Hubert Veal, and Robert Mitchell, Atlanta; William Day, Canton; Rhodes Hardeman, Louisville; Martin Worthy, Columbus; John Bates, Quincy, Fla.; Robert Worland, Miami, Fla.; Randall Goldthwaite, Dothan, Ala.; Herbert Arnold and Ned McMillan, Meridian, Miss.; William McKinney, Owensboro, Ky. Dr. Haywood J. Pearce, toastmaster at the dinner, introduced the guest speaker of the evening, Rear Admiral Wat T. Claverius, Reporter of the General Council, who gave the chapter a very inspiring speech. Other speakers included Brothers G. Ward Wight and Robert S. Wiggins, both alumni of Georgia Beta. The initiation represented the first chapter activity held in the new house and, although the house is not completely finished, it had advanced far enough to prove a suitable setting for the initiation. The chapter had two guests in February: Brother Roland B. Parker, President of the Epsilon Province, and Brother John Balou, President of the General Council. The bowling team has reached third place in the interfraternity league. Henry Finch was elected Representative for the Emory Law School on the student governing board. Completion of the new chapter house has been delayed for one month because of unfavorable weather, but the dedication is scheduled for March 10.—ROBERT KILIAN, Reporter.

GEORGIA GAMMA, MERCER UNIVERSITY.—The chapter announces the initiation of William McAfee, Wallace Armstrong, Osgood Clark, Jr., all of Macon. Clark is the son of Osgood Clark, Sr., Mercer '91, and nephew of Anderson Clark, Mercer '93. On February 2 Georgia Gamma held its formal initiation,

banquet, and dance; Robert J. Smith, Lee Coney, Jr., Charles Davis, Macon; William Preston, Monroe; Guy Cobb, Cordele; Albert Henderson, Canton were initiated. At a colorful banquet honoring the new brothers, Brother Henry Rogers, Penn State '33 and former chapter adviser addressed the group. Among the seven fraternities, $\Phi\Delta\Theta$ led in scholastic standing for the fall quarter. It was announced by the intramural athletic committee that $\Phi\Delta\Theta$ led in the recent volleyball tournament and a cup will be awarded. Willis Conger, William McAfee, Bob Dillard, Willis Hollingsworth, Bob Darby, Harry Smith, Wallace Armstrong, Clyde Calhoun, and Lee Wood, have made their solo flights in the C.A.A. flying course.—ROY M. LILLY, Reporter.

GEORGIA DELTA, GEORGIA SCHOOL OF TECHNOLOGY.—The chapter has made a fine start in the current intramural athletic program, with the bowling and basketball teams in the thick of the competition. Robert Ison, Georgia Tech's All-American, All-Southeastern end, was recently elected to Anak, the highest honor society on the Tech campus. Roane Beard has been named to the local chapter of $\Theta\Delta\epsilon$. Brother Morris Bryan and Phikeia Robin Gunter represent the chapter on the varsity basketball team. Phikeias Jack Hancock and Walter Logan were awarded freshman football numerals at the conclusion of the past season. Roy Goree and Bill Turner are members of this year's swimming team. Plans for our new house are making rapid strides and we plan to move in by the beginning of next year. On February 24, 1940 seventeen Phikeias were initiated. The new brothers are Buck Coppock, David Lewis, and Bill Turner from Columbus; Brand Lasseter, Jack Cline, and George Sargent from Atlanta; John Dennis and Richard Maddux from Macon; Byron Long and Leroy McCarty from Tupelo, Miss.; John Corry and Bill Lanford from Tifton; Joe Walker from Birmingham; Bob English from Washington, D.C.; Dick Hudson from Paris, Tenn.; Banard Murphy from Trion; and Tom Nutt from Jackson. Floyd Mitchell from Tullahoma, Tenn., is a recent addition to our pledge class, making the total for the year thirty-six.—J. C. MERRILL, Jr., Reporter.

IDAHO ALPHA, UNIVERSITY OF IDAHO.—Phikeias pledged at the semester are Cecil Jones, and Clarence Wurster, Twin Falls; William Taylor, Sandpoint; and Harrison Jordan, Fayetteville, Ark. We are leading in interfraternity sports, having recently won our division of basketball competition. This graduating from Idaho Alpha at the semester are Dale Lawrence, Spokane, Wash; and Irvin Rauw, Portland, Ore. Phikeias Don Duncan and Ted Thompson are turning in fine work on the frosh basketball squad. Thompson is high scorer for the team so far this year. Bob Revelli is in competition on the varsity swimming team, having competed in several meets this year.—JACI RAMSEY, Reporter.

ILLINOIS ALPHA, NORTHWESTERN UNIVERSITY.—Intramural sports are holding the limelight and the chapter is making an excellent showing in them. The basketball squad is engaged in the play-offs to determine the all-university champions, and with breaks and the stellar performances of Coulter, Connolly, and Herrmann, should bring home a nice trophy. In the upper bracket in the interfraternity sweepstakes race, the $\Phi\Delta\Theta$'s point total is being bolstered by the advancement of a crack table tennis team, and an admirable bowling record. In varsity and major university athletics, the chapter is well represented. Phikeias Esser and Lindquist are the two

mainstays of the freshman basketball squad. Zehr, Hoffrichter, Smith, and French are garnering team points in varsity swimming, and in indoor track, Finch and Horton are setting the pace in the sticks events the former one of the ace high-hurdle men of the conference. Croessmann is leading the varsity debate team and Setterdahl won acclaim as chairman of the Junior Prom. Recent social events were the winter formal held in the Casino of the Congress Hotel and a get-together sponsored for the chapter by the North Shore alumni. Plans are under way for the joint initiation-Founders Day banquet to be held at the Edgewater Beach Hotel in March.—JIM JACKSON, Reporter.

ILLINOIS BETA, UNIVERSITY OF CHICAGO.—Illinois Beta is proud to present the following Phikeias: Kenneth Axelson, Robert Erickson, John F. Gustafson, Orville Kanouse, Donald McKnight, Robert Nye, Ray Randall, James Trow, Harry Beach, Chicago; Eugene Humphreville, Robert Mustaine, Maywood; Albert Dabbert, Park Ridge; Richard Finney, Wilmette; A. D. Van Meter, Williamsville; Richard Hull, Zanesville, Ohio; William Godsave, Seattle, Wash. All of these have splendid high school records and are already well represented in major activities. They are represented on the *Daily Maroon* staff, Mirror show, Blackfriars show, *Courteir* publication staff, *Cap and Gown* staff, and on the freshman track and wrestling teams. We are now engaged in one of the closest intramural races known to the chapter. Winding up last quarter in third place, we are now making rapid strides to first honors via the splendid basketball team, which has progressed from a "dark horse," to one of the major contenders for the university title by winning its league championship and gaining the right to enter the playoffs. The mainstays on the team are Anderson, Williams, Brown, Peterson, and Wilcox, with Oakley and Baumgart substituting. The annual $\Phi\Delta\Theta$ winter formal was held this year at the Belmont Hotel in Chicago and was traditionally well attended and gay. The month of January has seen several improvements made in the chapter house. A new refrigerator has been purchased and also new dining room furniture. The Phikeias are engaged in a general house-cleaning along with the many other activities. It is largely the efficiency of the present

management, represented by Bates, treasurer, Anderson, house manager, and Bigelow, president, and the co-operation of the brothers that these improvements are made possible. Already Chorister Wochos is rehearsing the chapter in songs for the Interfraternity



GEORGE HARRY DUNN, Illinois '40
President of Illinois Eta

Sing to be held in June. This event, which climaxes every school year will be especially important this year as the chapter is marking its seventy-fifth anniversary.—GORDON L. MURRAY, Reporter.

ILLINOIS DELTA-ZETA, KNOX COLLEGE.—Through the good work of Phikeias Landon and Trevor, the intramural debate trophy was added to our collection. The first formal event of the year is March 9, and will be celebrated by a dinner dance. The date set for our annual Founders Day banquet is March 13, and the speaker will be Brother Sveinbjorn Johnson, *North Dakota Alpha '06*, now of the University of Illinois. No official word has been received as to our grade index for the first semester, but from the latest reports it will be considerably higher than in the past. Frank Fabbri, Park Ridge, was initiated on January 22. From the latest releases in the Midwest Conference we find Sam Efnor in top spot and Moe Velde in ninth place. The first game was dropped by a margin of two points, but a strong comeback won the second. In the first swimming meet of the season both varsity and freshman teams were led by Phis, with Fulle starring for the varsity and Phikeias Bell, Dunkel, and Monson for the Frosh.—RICHARD HARTLEY, Reporter.

ILLINOIS ETA, UNIVERSITY OF ILLINOIS.—To start 1940 off for Illinois Eta is the news that the chapter was awarded the Harvard Trophy for its achievements during the school year of 1938-39. Again, for the third consecutive year, the soccer championship has been won by the Phis. The final game was won over $\Sigma\Xi$ 1 to 0 on a penalty kick by Friese who has been our chief offensive threat for the past two years. In the most recent tabulation of intramural standings, $\Phi\Delta\Theta$ stands only 20 points behind the first place ΣX 's, thus gradually closing the gap in our battle for the top. In volleyball we have won our division, but our water polo team has been eliminated from the race. Four Phis—Bowen, Fisher, Spencer, and Porter—were recently initiated into the Band of X, a commerce honorary. Two Phikeias failed to return for the second semester, Jack English—scholastic difficulties, and John Knight—low finances. Brother



ILLINOIS DELTA-ZETA MAKES A BASKET

Ed Davis also was forced to drop out because of low grades. The annual Founders Day Banquet is scheduled for our March calendar of events. The annual Illinois Union minstrel show was packed with Phi entertainment. Bud Good and Bob Bales composed one of the two pairs of end men. The Bales brothers, Jack and Bob, put on their specialty act of colored jitterbugs. Also three Phikeias, Grigsby, Pilkenton, and Ely made a big hit with their "jig" swing band.—JOHN THISTLEWOOD, Jr., Reporter.

INDIANA ALPHA, INDIANA UNIVERSITY.—The Miami Triad dance was held February 10 along with the other two members, Σ X and Β Θ Π. Formal dinner was served to fifty couples at the house. The dance was decorated following a valentine theme. Alumni Austin Seward, John Mee, Glen Curry, and R. G. Gesters were chaperons for the dance. A substantial raise in scholarship was attained this semester under the guidance of Gilbert Bailey, scholarship chairman. Campbell Kane, brilliant sophomore runner, won the 880 meter race at the Sugar Bowl meet and has placed high in invitational track meets in Boston, New York, and Pittsburgh this month. Edward Williams, Knightstown, Ind., and William McCurdy of Olney, Ill., were pledged. Plans and preparations are being furthered for the Ninetieth Anniversary Banquet which is going to be held on April 20.—CLAUDE SPILMAN, Reporter.

INDIANA BETA, WABASH COLLEGE.—Wabash Phi were dumbfounded when they returned to school after the Christmas holidays to find their house unfit for occupancy. Bitter cold and an oversight were responsible for considerable damage to the plumbing



THE LATE GREAT BIG BEN V
Indiana Beta's lamented mascot

and heating systems. Water from burst pipes contributed to the disaster which made the maintenance of proper living conditions impossible. The alumni have rallied to the situation with definite plans for complete rebuilding of the chapter house by next fall. In the meantime, the members have surmounted the obstacles of an interrupted routine, placing at the head of the fraternity scholarship list in unofficial computation, and sticking together remarkably well. McConnell is a member of Blue Key. Big Ben V, the Indiana Beta mascot, is dead. The chapter blames

a broken heart for the loss of the affectionate St. Bernard. Sent to board at some distance from his many masters, who would not let even a dog stay in their damaged house, Ben lost all interest in life. May his bones rest in peace—even those that he interred in the neighbors' gardens.—WILLIAM BURK, Reporter.

INDIANA GAMMA, BUTLER UNIVERSITY.—Butler's outstanding basketball team has seen the services of Brothers Knobel, Deputy, and Steiner. Steiner has been praised for his ability as a likely candidate



INDIANA DELTA'S HOMECOMING
Franklin sinks Hanover

for All-American honors. Phikeias on the freshman squad are MacDonald, Merrill, Hardy, Hardy is expected to fill Steiner's shoes after the latter's graduation in June. Phi members of the baseball team are grooming themselves for the spring sport. Herrmann, Bill Ostlund, Hack, Steiner, and Deputy are seeking first-rate honors on the team. The chapter scholastic record took a sharp up-turn at the conclusion of the past semester. The intramural team is in the middle of their basketball season and are as yet undefeated.—FORREST E. DUKES, Reporter.

INDIANA DELTA, FRANKLIN COLLEGE.—Indiana Delta has taken a forward step by abolishing hell week through a vote of the active chapter. Instead, a work week for cleaning the house will be held late in the spring. Initiation was held February 11 for three men. The Sword and Shield was pinned on Mahin, Dugger, and C. McVey. Fell and Reynolds, juniors, were tapped for Blue Key. Fell has been outstanding in football and basketball. He is a major letter man, a member of the interfraternity council, and a member of Lances. Reynolds is basketball manager, has been assistant manager of football and basketball, is circulation manager of the *Franklin*, is a member of the interfraternity council, and Lances. Rinker has replaced Lauchner as sports editor of the *Almanack*. Lauchner has transferred to the University of Alabama. Indiana Delta won the intramural ping-pong cup. We are now defending the intramural basketball title. We have won our first two games. De Haven is playing a part in the Holy Week play, "The Terrible Meek." Shollenberger and Doss have been selected for parts in "Murray Hill," another college production.—PAUL F. McVEY, Reporter.

INDIANA EPSILON, HANOVER COLLEGE.—The first semester closed with Indiana Epsilon ranking

second in scholarship among the fraternities. We are fortunate in having seventeen Phikeias eligible for initiation, the largest class in the history of the chapter. Lowe and Brunner are representing the chapter on the varsity debate team, which is having a very active season. The intramural basketball race is under way, with the chapter maintaining a position in the top half of the league. Intramural ping-pong has offered close competition among the fraternities with Brother Tolen, and Phikeias Summers and Behnke representing $\Phi \Delta \Theta$. In a recent college musical comedy production, the "Sketch-Book Revels" the Phis were prominent. Purkhiser was co-author of the production. The $\Phi \Delta \Theta$ octette composed of Achberger, Moore, Cowan, Hartley, Barnett, Wolf, and Phikeias Summers and Cowan made a decided impression. The "Can-Can Chorus" was the hit of the show. Brother Paul Beam visited with us recently, and was very helpful in suggesting new techniques for chapter management and for Phikeia training. The chapter house was the scene of a Valentine radio dance, Saturday, February 10. The well-known annual Boat Dance on the Ohio will be held Friday, May 10.—ROBERT S. MOORHEAD, Reporter.

INDIANA ZETA, DEPAUW UNIVERSITY.—Indiana Zeta has pledged two new men, Bill Turner, Evanston, Ill., and Paul Harter, Crystal City, Mo. Mrs. Gertrude Cox celebrated her fourteenth anniversary as house mother for Indiana Zeta last month. Lawrence Buckley has been elected rush chairman for the coming year; all alumni are urged to cooperate with him in spring rush. Phikeia James Bittles, Greencastle, was elected to $\Phi \Delta \Theta$ for outstanding scholarship. Ray E. Smith, '21; and Robert Gipson, '22, are publishing the *Indiana Zeta Alumni News*, the first issue being printed in February and to be issued bi-monthly in the future. Headquarters for the publication are at 210 Claypool Hotel, Indianapolis, and all alumni of Indiana Zeta are urged to send information concerning alumni activities to that address.—JIM ISKE, Reporter.

INDIANA THETA, PURDUE UNIVERSITY.—The month of January was spent in concentrated study, so that the chapter might retain its present scholarship rating. With the opening of the new semester, the military department announced new rankings for the cadet officers. Butterfield attained the rank of colonel and Berg and Perrin were made lieutenant colonels. Ferrin is chairman of the Scabbard and Blade dance to be given the latter part of February. Ward is a second lieutenant in the Zouaves, crack drill organization. On February 2 the annual Miami Triad dance was held in the Memorial Union. On the evening following the Triad the members of the chapter entertained their dates at a radio dance in the chapter house. The chapter announces the pledging of Warren McConnell, Birmingham, Mich. Lou Brock played a brilliant game in the East-West football game on January 1, 1940. B. Brock is a candidate for the freshman track squad. The chapter is doing well in intramural sports, having just advanced to the semi-finals in the bowling tournament.—R. S. COLQUHOUN, Reporter.

IOWA ALPHA, IOWA WESLEYAN COLLEGE.—The chapter closed the semester well pleased with the scholastic standing and with high hopes of retaining the scholarship cup which they won last year. Nihart and Mojonniar and Phikeias Little, Whipple, and Hall are participating in the government flying program. Huebner is a regular on the basketball squad. Brown and Shipley write for the *Tiger*, while Phikeia Trump serves on the advertising staff. Iowa Alpha is musically inclined as attested by the fact that McCarty, Brown,

Weir, and Phikeia Trump sing in the choir and Wilson, McCarty, and Phikeias Wittmer and Chambers play in the band. Nihart and Wilson were initiated into $\Psi \Omega$ in which Brown, Wustrow, and McCormick are already members. Most of our Phikeias made their required grades and will be initiated in the near future.—JACK MCCORMICK, Reporter.

IOWA GAMMA, IOWA STATE COLLEGE.—The chapter demonstrated its strength on the varsity football squad by claiming seven major letter winners in Moody, Taylor, Vinsel, Heggen, Lange, Graves, and Fuller. In addition, Grundman and Adams, two freshmen, captured numeral sweaters on the first year squad. The active chapter walked off with the championship in intramural handball, and the pledge class retaliated by bringing home the trophies emblematical of freshman track and swimming championships. As a result of these championships and active participation in all sports, $\Phi \Delta \Theta$ led all other fraternities in intramural athletics for fall quarter. In a ceremony at the annual Engineers Ball, Munsell, Nelson, and Hargrove were made Knights of St. Patrick for their service as undergraduate engineers. Nelson is carrying a heavy load as business manager for Veishea, and Radcliffe is working in the same position for the *Bomb*. Hargrove and Hargeshimer are representing $\Phi \Delta \Theta$ on Iowa State's Big Six championship swimming team. Don Carlos and Lange are on the varsity basketball squad; and Graves, Heggen, and Phillips are members of the varsity track squad. Neitge has been



ROBERT CHARLES STRUBLE, Iowa State '40
Silhouetted in the arch of the Campanile

elected the representative of the Engineering Council to Cardinal Guild, student governing body. On January 28, the chapter was host to the sisters of Iowa Gamma alumni, pledges, and actives. The chapter lost Dude Roy, Evanston, Ill.; Bill Taylor, Cynthiana, Ky., and Jim Koenig, Le Mars, because of graduation. Ernest Adams, Des Moines, and Milton M. Miletich, Albia, have been pledged.—LEO ROBERT QUINN, JR.—Reporter.

KANSAS ALPHA, UNIVERSITY OF KANSAS.—Jack O'Hara, who specializes in the pole-vault, and Grant

Hatfield, who is famous for his half mile, will compete in the track meet with the University of Nebraska. Phikeias Jim Walker and John Wells are making splendid headway on the freshman track team. Brother Harry Ham and Phikeia Ed Moses are out for swim-



GEORGE ARLON WILSON, *Kansas Beta '40*
Student leader at Washburn

ming. Bob Jesse and Dave Prager, both of whom will be initiated shortly into $\Delta\Phi\Theta$, are on the Law School honor roll for last semester. Burr Sifers, who has served on the Relays Committee for the past three years has been selected as senior manager for the famous Kansas Relays to be held in April. John Ramsey has recently been elected student director of the university men's glee club, the position previously held by Robertson and Laffer for the past five years. Charles Walker is now contributing regularly to the *Kansas Engineer*. All but three of the pledges of this year will be initiated early in March.—JOHN D. RAMSEY, *Reporter*.

KANSAS BETA, WASHBURN COLLEGE.—Kansas Beta announces the pledging of Robert Gutting and Clark Gray, both of Topeka. Washburn College is celebrating its seventy-fifth anniversary during the present academic year and several Phis have significant parts to play in the commemoration. W. D. Miller was elected president of the Washburn College Young Democrats at a recent meeting of that organization. The annual dinner honoring Kansas Beta mothers was held February 18 at the chapter house. The chapter was honored by a visit from Assistant Executive Secretary Gerlach over the week-end of February 16 and 17. John P. Sherwood has transferred to the University of Kansas.—JUDD A. AUSTIN, *Reporter*.

KANSAS GAMMA, KANSAS STATE COLLEGE.—February is the big month for Kansas Gamma. We shall be living in our new house. A description of the house will be found at another place in the SCROLL. Kansas Gamma was very glad to receive the annual visit from Brother Beam February 11 and 12. We also expect visits from Brother Junge and Brother Barnes later this spring. Joe Robertson was this year chosen the most outstanding student in agriculture division. It is a singular honor in that he is the first milling student ever chosen to represent the agriculture division. Floyd Stryker has been elected vice-president of senior men's interfraternity council for the spring semester. James Barger received his B.S. degree and is now working on his master's degree. Don Jensen is holding a place on the K.S. track team in the broad jump. The intramural basketball team went to the semi-

finals. We have played above average in intramural sports so far this year.—FLOYD STRYKER, *Reporter*.

KENTUCKY ALPHA-DELTA, CENTRE COLLEGE.—During the last month we of Kentucky Alpha-Delta have gained two more offices, the new business managers for both the annual and the college newspaper, the *Centio*; they are Nickolas Dosker, and Owayle Rochester. Plans are being made for a Founders Day banquet which will be held in Lexington on March 16 in conjunction with Kentucky Epsilon. We are expecting to have a large delegation of both alumni and actives present at this celebration. We introduce five new Phis: Campbell Foster, and Thomas Stein of Louisville; Dick Johnson, Harrodsburg; Frank Gilliam, Danville; and George Anderson, Ballston Spa, N.Y. This year our formal will come on April 6.—THEODORE SELIN, *Reporter*.

KENTUCKY EPSILON, UNIVERSITY OF KENTUCKY.—The chapter is looking forward to its second annual Founders Day banquet, which is to be held in Lexington March 16. This year, the banquet will be given in co-operation with Kentucky Alpha-Delta. We are having as speaker and honor guest Governor Prentice Cooper of Tennessee, alumnus of Tennessee Alpha. The following were initiated March 2: Lynn Allen and William Floyd, Eminence; Robert Hillenmeyer and W. Atlee Wilson, Lexington; David Collins and Thomas Marshall, Frankfort; Thomas Walker and Carl Garner, Louisville; Rodes Burnam, Richmond; Jack Farris, Ravenna; David Kinnaird, Lancaster; Beattie DeLong, Silver Grove; William Penick, Lebanon; William Marsteller, Akron, Ohio; Frank Hutchinson, Houston, Texas. We have two groups, of twelve players, each, composing the A and B squads, practicing for intramural basketball, the final tournament of which is held the latter part of March. Since both the teams stayed in the running until the latter brackets last year, the squads are being put through even stiffer practice sessions with the intent of reaching the finals in one or both classes. Riddell and Hillenmeyer toured the southern states on the swimming team. Riddell is a letterman, while Hillenmeyer is experiencing his first intercollegiate swimming. Courtney and Wood have been inducted into Scabbard and Blade. Caldwell has been initiated into $\Delta\Xi\chi$.—JIM CALDWELL, *Reporter*.

LOUISIANA ALPHA, TULANE UNIVERSITY.—Louisiana Alpha is accruing its yearly honors in the following way: Thomas V. Finch won an internship in the Philadelphia General Hospital by virtue of placing fourth in a competitive examination with students throughout the nation; Frank Linderman was elected president of the freshman medical class for the 1939-40 session; Woodley C. Campbell was one of six boys chosen by $\Theta\Delta\epsilon$. The chapter has shown improvement under a new budget system of management. Donations of furniture by the Mothers Club added to the appearance of the chapter house, and the chapter is planning to extend their social interest by a series of tea dances, after entertaining several out-of-town visitors from other chapters during the Carnival season. Many of the Louisiana Alphas attended the formal dance given by the Louisiana Beta chapter.—STEWART J. KEPPEL, *Reporter*.

LOUISIANA BETA, LOUISIANA STATE UNIVERSITY.—Our two crack aquatic stars, Will Sherwood and Paul Smith, competed in the S.A.A.U. Paul holds the following records: S.A.A.U. senior 220 and 440 yard free style, junior 100 yard breast stroke, Southern senior 150 yard individual medley, and high point man last year in four events. Will Sherwood is S.A.A.U. senior 100 yard breast stroke champion, and also holds South-



OFFICERS OF LOUISIANA BETA

Left to right: Remsel, President; Smith, Reporter; Ednie, Secretary; Sharpe, Treasurer

eastern breast stroke. Our first formal of the school year was held in the Gym. Armory January 13. Bucky Buchanan, varsity cager, just returned from the basketball trip on which we played De Paul in Chicago and Southwestern in Memphis. Lee Remsel and George Sharpe, varsity golfers, have begun spring trials. Jack Bushman went to quarter finals in Sugar Bowl tennis tournament. He was beaten by Riggs who participated in the final play-off with Don McNeil. Philo N. French, formerly of Springfield, Ill., and now a resident of Baton Rouge, was pledged recently. Jim Smith was the fifth member of $\Phi\Delta\Theta$ to be chosen by Corps d'Amis. Don Scarborough, formerly of Sewanee, was affiliated in February. We now lead in interfraternity sports. Next competition is to be handball, wherein our title will be very adequately defended by Winston Rogers, last year's runner-up. Phikeias to be initiated soon are: Ted Stambaugh, Bill Evans, Tom Gurley, John Vann, Bill Canty, T. L. Huber, Bert Darby, Bob Gangstad, John Gordon, Tom Moore, Ward Odenwald, and Clyde Jordan.—**JIM SMITH, Reporter.**

MAINE ALPHA, COLBY COLLEGE.—At the beginning of the second semester, six brothers were initiated into the chapter: Evan J. MacLraith, Wilmette, Ill.; Harry L. Hicks, Jr., Manhasset, N.Y.; Charles V. Cross, Essex Fells, N.J.; Arthur K. Brown, Montclair, N.Y.; Leo F. Kavanaugh, New Bedford, Mass.; N. Richard Johnson, Queens Village, N.Y. In basketball, the Phis have been represented by Rimosukas, leading scorer in New England, and Malins, outstanding guard. On the freshman squad were Brother MacLraith, Phikeias Pursley and Greaves. Wheelock and Dibble were on the varsity hockey squad, while Brother Cross and Phikeia Lindquist aided the freshmen to victory. Every freshman was in some sport or activity. The $\Phi\Delta\Theta$ ski team represented Colby in the state meet. On the team were Barta, Thompson, and Brown. Phikeia Bateman is considered by track coach Perkins as the most promising prospect in years; he tied the college record for 300 yards. In baseball, Norman Jones, outstanding frosh last year, will play open positions in the infield this season. On February 26 and 27 Colby held its annual College Embassy. The Rev. George Cadigan, of Portland, Me., stayed at the $\Phi\Delta\Theta$ house for two nights of interesting and instructive bull-sessions. Bruce was on the executive committee for the embassy. Bruce is outstanding in public speaking, having taken third place in the Hallowell

prize speaking contest, and having debated with the Colby team against Amherst, Williams, Rhode Island, and Providence. On the Dean's list for the second semester 1939-40 were Bright, Dibble, East, Stumpp, Baxter, Conley, and Pejko. In the class of '41 the Phis on the list outnumber any other fraternity.—**ELMER L. BAXTER, Reporter.**

MANITOBA ALPHA, UNIVERSITY OF MANITOBA.—Since the visit of Brothers Beam and Wilterding the chapter has been progressing at a more lively pace. Four men received their pins last November and four new pledges are going to be initiated at the end of February. The chapter is taking an active part in interfraternity hockey and won the last game with the $\Phi\Sigma\Sigma$, score 15-3. The Phis playing were: Dwyer, Black, Gee, Beverly, Smith, Dewar, Ringer, Carlton, and Trewhitt. A smoker and bridge party was held at the house February 8, and was well attended by the alumni, the actives, and the pledges. The actives en bloc took the pledges and their lady friends to see a performance of "You Can't Beat Fun" an original musical comedy presented by the U.M.S.U. dramatic society. Rushing teas are going over big on Sunday afternoons and the boys are really getting a lot out of the chapter this year. The following boys are in the C.O.T.C.: McSweyn, Dewar, McLean, Martin, Trewhitt, Steinoff, Irving Keith, and Norm Bergman. Dewar is news editor of the *Manitobian*, and is also on the staff of the year book the *Brown and Gold*. Brickenden is chairman of the social committee at United College.—**A. V. GABRIEL, Reporter.**

MARYLAND ALPHA, UNIVERSITY OF MARYLAND.—With the annual mock wedding and party, Maryland Alpha began its social activities for the current semester. On February 9, the chapter was the guest of the pledge class at an orchestra dance at the house. Between semesters, the junior class of the university held the prom at the Willard Hotel in Washington. Leading the promenade were Brothers Frank Davis, junior class president, and Gene Ochsenreiter, chairman of the dance. The chapter placed second in the interfraternity volleyball league, Hayman and Trimble being the outstanding participants. Jim Jones and Bud Shaw have been named to the sophomore prom committee, while Buck Guyther and Bill Brendle served on the junior prom committee. In debate, Frank Davis has been active with the varsity team. Phikeia Phil Vannais is a member of the freshman basketball team and Phikeia Mattix has been boxing with the

freshmen. We are fortunate to have secured Mrs. Frank Fisher of New York as housemother. Mrs. Fisher succeeds Mrs. Guy Earle who was unable to return the second semester.—FRANK I. DAVIS, JR., Reporter.

MASSACHUSETTS BETA, AMHERST COLLEGE.—The Phis won the trophy for intramural basketball, being



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Minnesota Alpha's new Mascot

undefeated in both leagues. In varsity basketball Johnson is on the first team, while Jack Price occupies a position on the undefeated freshman first team. In swimming, the chapter is represented by Goelitz on the varsity and VanNostrand, Dunn, and Sam Price on the freshman team. Good and Zoboli are active in varsity wrestling, and Peck, Metaxes, and Alexander are on the freshman team. Basse has become president of the Amherst debating council. English was a member of the dance committee for the Junior Prom; Baker and VanNostrand are members of the glee club. Active on *Touchstone* are Babcock, editor; King, business manager; Hawkins and Schmid, advertising managers. Babcock is also a member of the Amherst Press. In Masquers, Hanford is in charge of lighting effects and is aided by Hawkins, while King is business manager. Smith is publicity manager for the glee club, and Ramsey is now competing for the managership. Clayton and Baker are competing for positions on the *Olio*. Cole is assistant manager of intramural athletics. Skeel is manager of winter track. Professor Zeigler was the guest of the chapter at the first Sunday evening smoker held this winter; this was the first of a series of such smokers during which different members of the faculty lead the house in informal discussion. The Christian Association Embassy began February 12, at which time the chapter entertained the Reverend MacLeod.—RICHARD C. KING, Reporter.

MASSACHUSETTS GAMMA, MASSACHUSETTS INSTITUTE OF TECHNOLOGY.—Formal initiation rites were held on February 10 for Albert John Kelly, Jr., Patchogue, N.Y.; Edgar Wallace Dunn, Wilmington, Del.; Warren Paul Manger, Eggertsville, N.Y.; Gustavus Hindman Miller Smith, Lookout Mount, Tenn.; George Feick III, Sandusky, Ohio; Frank Kenneth Bennett, Akron, Ohio; and Kenneth Roy Gifford, Wilton, Me. At the initiation banquet following the ceremony the speakers were Brothers Vail and Fassett, the latter being chapter adviser. Following the dinner

the entire chapter attended a play. The social season began with a very successful record dance on February 16, and the chapter spent the following weekend at Tech Cabin. The annual Miami Triad in co-operation with E X and the B Θ II is planned for March 15. Scholastically the Φ Δ Θ freshmen received the highest mid-term class rating in the history of this chapter, and also the highest freshman rating of any fraternity at M.I.T. The latest project of the highly ingenious freshmen is the installation of an individual electric alarm system whereby each brother is assured of a prompt and efficient awakening at the time desired each morning.—JOHN H. MACLEOD, Reporter.

MICHIGAN ALPHA, UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN.—During the first semester, the chapter was honored several times through the activities of some of its more illustrious members. Fred Howarth was awarded the post of varsity football manager, being selected over three other aspirants because of his capable service during a period of three years. Howarth, along with Jack Meyer and Charley Ross, was tapped into Sphinx at the fall initiation ceremonies. Meyer is a player of note who was forced to retire from the gridiron for a year because of a knee injury, while Ross is the foremost man on the Wolverine hockey sextet with his brilliant work at defense. Howarth, Meyer, and Ross joined All-American Tom Harmon and Jim Tobin, Michigan Alpha men who were already in the Sphinx ranks. Tobin was a member of the junior class J-Hop committee, in conjunction with which a house party was held over the weekend of February 10-12. More than twenty Phis brought their dates to the house party, which was proclaimed the best social event in several years. In intramural sports, Michigan Alpha, in second place, is hot on the heels of Ψ T, which is holding down first place by a small margin. Under the leadership of George Banta, the boys are being organized for the spring events with a view towards overtaking the present leader. In the field of dramatics, Bob Mix did a fine job as general chairman of the Union Opera, "Four Out of Five," with an all-male cast. Initiation will take place soon, and it is encouraging to report that the pledge class, which has taken hold remarkably well in campus and fraternity activities, is almost one hundred per cent scholastically eligible.—RICHARD E. SCHERLING, Reporter.

MICHIGAN BETA, MICHIGAN STATE COLLEGE.—The chapter announces the initiation of Joe Goundie, Allentown, Pa.; Herb Joslin, Lansing; Rog Oeming, Saginaw; John Barzin, Grand Rapids; Huntley Johnson, Gross Isle; Jim Cunningham, East Lansing; Roger Blackwood, Detroit; Bill Searl, East Lansing; Emerson Planck, Dearborn; Jim Hook, Tom Straight, E. Grand Rapids; Harry Dail, Lansing; Don Congdon, Chicago, Ill.; Chuck Bigelow, Detroit; Bob Buckema Holland; Tom Lynch, Glencoe, Ill. Joe Goundie, one of the newly initiated, is treasurer of the junior class and is also chairman of Michigan State College's annual snow train. Andy Hays was recently elected to the Liberal Arts council and was also publicity chairman for the J-Hop. Don Ladd was elected captain of the varsity swimming squad. On the indoor track, Captain Roy Fehr won two firsts at the meet with Notre Dame, at which time M.S.C.'s new fieldhouse was dedicated. Michigan Beta's basketball team has not been too successful this season, having won two games and dropped two. Chuck Bigelow has broken the pool record in the breast stroke. Bill Searl is on the pistol team. Our winter formal was held on March 1 and was a fitting climax to our formal season at State.—ANDY HAYS, Reporter.

MINNESOTA ALPHA, UNIVERSITY OF MINNESOTA.—The chapter announces a pledge class of nineteen

members: William J. Armstrong of Lancaster, Pa.; Dick Wildung of Luverne; John Esbjornsen, Litchfield; Orley J. Tart, Alexandria; Jim Trost, Rochester; Fred Klawon and Gene Hickey of St. Paul; John Bleecker, Yale Smiley, Bob Weber, Bob Kincaid, Bernie Nelson, and Blaine Lindskog of Minneapolis. The new pledges were introduced at an informal party at the Francis Drake Hotel attended by seventy-five couples. On the last Sunday in January the Mothers Club entertained the mothers of the new pledges at a tea given at the chapter house. Two men were initiated on the first Monday of February: Don Frenz of Mankato, brother of Herb Frenz, *Minnesota '39* and Roy Frenz, *Northwestern '34*; Don Dean of Hopkins, Minn., son of our chapter adviser, Perry L. Dean, *Minnesota '16* and brother of Perry O. Dean, *Minnesota '41*. In intramural sports our two basketball teams completed a fairly successful season, with one a division winner. The hockey team began the season successfully with a win against $\Sigma A E$. Our fall quarter bowling team won the all-university title and was selected to represent the university in an inter-sectional match against a picked team of Syracuse University. Three teams are division winners at the present time. In varsity sports George Franck and Bill Benn were high scorers in the first indoor track meet against Carleton College. Reed King is on the varsity basketball squad.—STANLEY F. DAIRS, *Reporter*.

MISSISSIPPI ALPHA, UNIVERSITY OF MISSISSIPPI.—In the midst of various other chapter activities, members of Mississippi Alpha are looking forward to this semester to the gathering together here of notables and alumni for the exercises to be held about March 15 to dedicate the new chapter house. Speaker of the House Bankhead, Bishop Hoyt M. Dobbs, Representative Ross Collins, among other outstanding Phis, have been invited to attend the exercises and have a part in the two-day dedicatory program. Alumni from all over Mississippi and the surrounding territory are planning to be present. Built in 1936, Mississippi Alpha's lodge will have been completely paid for by the

time of the dedication. Varsity tryouts for the university debating team have been held, and Lee Catching and Billy Wally Pearson won places on the squad. Pearson is also competing in the freshman declamation contest. Phikeias Billy Noel of Greenville, J. D. Cuyton of Kosciusko, and Henry Fair of Louisville won membership in $\Phi H \Sigma$ by their high scholastic records for the first semester. When the University held its annual Religious Emphasis Week, Bobby Wall was in charge and Brent Forman and Tom Hammond were chairmen of sub committees. Billy Baker was selected to lead the second semester finance drive for the Ole Miss Y.M.C.A. Joe Blythe was among those accepted to participate in the flying course offered by the Civil Aeronautics Authority. Kenneth Haxton is a member of the cast of the Ole Miss varsity show and Hammond is staff photographer. In the R.O.T.C. infantry unit, Stevens, Candler Wiselogle, Allie Wing, and Hammond are sergeants, while among the corporals are Roger Landrum, Pearson, Riddell, Harry Hoffman, Owen, Bobby Sharp, and Lewis Barksdale.—TOM HAMMOND, *Reporter*.

MISSOURI ALPHA, UNIVERSITY OF MISSOURI.—On February 25 the following men were initiated into the chapter: George Hereford Wood, Joseph Campbell Williams, Jr., and William Henry Launder, Jr., Kansas City; Carol Ashby Potter, St. Joseph; Will Ben Sims, Moberly; Harry Robert Gilbert, Clinton; Charles Faris McKee, Brookfield; John Hawksley Meletio, University City; Sam Carter Capps, Columbia; Roy Meyers, Jr., Chillicothe; Frank Lee Williams, Leavenworth, Kan.; Joe L. Stephens, Pittsburg, Kan.; James Martin Lilly, Paris, Tenn.; Theodore David Burger, Jr., Spokane, Wash. A banquet, honoring the initiates, was held in the chapter house in the evening. The speakers were Frank G. Harris, Jr., an alumnus of the chapter, John Logan, Jack Himmelberger, and Caryl Potter. At the present time Missouri Alpha is near the top in intramural sports. We were defeated in the finals of our division in basketball, but are looking forward to better results in boxing and wrestling.



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which are to be started soon. The chapter is looking forward to a brilliant social season and plans are now being made for the annual initiation dance, which is to be held March 8, and the annual spring formal, which climaxes the social activity for the year. On



NEW HAMPSHIRE ALPHA'S WINNING SNOW SCULPTURE

February 13 and 14, the chapter was honored to be host to Brother Harry M. Gerlach, assistant executive secretary, and received many helpful suggestions from him.—JOHN S. DAVIS, Reporter.

MISSOURI BETA, WESTMINSTER COLLEGE.—Seventeen Phikeias will be inducted into $\Phi\Delta\Theta$ at Missouri Beta's annual initiation which will take place at the end of February. These men include William Collett, St. Joseph; Garrett Dean, Clayton; Herbert Elliott, Keytesville; Robert Fisher, Foley; Robert Hawkins, Monroe City; John Johnson, Belleville; Edward Matthews, Sikeston; Nicky McDaniel, Springfield; Sam Walsh, Maplewood; Edwin Miller, University City; Richard Noack, East St. Louis, Ill.; Ned Rodas, Mexico; Bob Souther, Lee McElroy, and Howard Blattner, Fulton; Ogden Confer, Robert Traff, Minneapolis, Minn. Of these men, three are the sons of Phis and five have other relatives in the Fraternity. Rodas will be the first third-generation member of Missouri Beta. Our intramural basketball squad, winners of last year's plaque, has won both of its first two games. The squad is composed of Brothers Howell, McCord, Harper, Branham, Merrell, and Hoffmeister, and Phikeias Walsh, Rodas, and Hawkins. John Stone, leading Westminster orator and debater, was elected chairman of the Student Republican Party and Stahlhuth was selected as a member of the committee. Stone has introduced several prominent speakers including Senator S. Bridges of New Hampshire, and John D. Hamilton, chairman of the national Republican party, to student political forums. Brothers Ely and Thomas are members of the student Democratic committee. Stone and Phikeia Traff are continuing their splendid work as members of the varsity debate team. Barks was selected as Westminster's delegate to the national convention of $\Pi\kappa\Delta$. Ekern, Graybill, and McElroy are soloists in the glee club. Tootle, Johnson, and Miller are members of the varsity swimming team.—JOHN STAHLHUTH, Reporter.

MISSOURI GAMMA, WASHINGTON UNIVERSITY.—On February 18, we initiated sixteen men: Don Burton, Frank Bubb, James Callaway, Jack Conrades, Thomas Duncan, Carter Ellis, Joe Funk, E. G. Hamilton, Charles Hodgson, Russell Matson, Charles Nicolai, George Owen, Jack Peat, Ed Rhodes, and John Sim-

mons. Jack Brereton is associate editor of *Hatchet*, the yearbook, and is assisted by staff-members Coleman, Ellis, and Rhodes. Embree and Obourn are on the *Elliott* staff. Smiley is in the glee club and Missouri Gamma, as usual, has many important parts in the Quad Show, both in production and in the acting rôles. Matthey, Bob Brereton, and Harting are important members of the swimming squad, which is expected to repeat as Missouri Valley Champions. Des Lee is high among the leaders of the conference basketball race in scoring. He, MacLean, and Callaway have been seeing lots of action in the games this year. At this writing we are second in intramurals, having won golf, cross-country, and badminton.—GUY CALLAWAY, Jr., Reporter.

MONTANA ALPHA, MONTANA STATE UNIVERSITY.—Climaxing fall quarter, Montana Alpha seized first place in interfraternity swimming contest. Opening of the winter quarter two men were pledged, John Webber and Peter Nelson. On the university varsity basketball team Montana Alpha is amply represented by Captain Ryan, Nugent, Hall, Phikeias Bryan, DeGroot, and Jones, coach Dahlberg and manager Hayiland. It is not uncommon to have a team composed solely of Phis during games. Ryan, Hall, and Phikeias Jones and DeGroot so far lead in total high scoring honors. The first Northwestern Montana Snow Carnival was held in Missoula and Montana Alpha garnered first place in fraternity snow sculpturing; a crouching lion, carved by Phikeia Dan Scott, former national soap carving champion. A successful ski party was given by the pledges in which the entire chapter and dates participated in that sport for a Saturday at the Double Arrow dude ranch. Represented on the university's first varsity skiing team are Walters, Hall, and Hay. Interfraternity bowling is well under way with Montana Alpha in first place with a comfortable lead. Brother Millar received the Herb Vitt award, a jeweled pin given to this chapter's most outstanding junior.—BURKE C. THOMPSON, Reporter.

NEBRASKA ALPHA, UNIVERSITY OF NEBRASKA.—The traditional $\Phi\Delta\Theta$ Christmas party was held December 20. This party marked the beginning of the two-weeks Christmas vacation. After vacation, study was the key word about the house, with only a month to the end of the semester which included the final exams. Sports are well represented by Phis, with Hartman Goetze, John Hay, and Lyle King on the basketball squad with an assurance of a major and two minor letters respectively. In swimming this year are Fred F. Fairman and Charles Roberts in line for minor letters. George Abel, the Nebraska guard, is now out for track, running the sprints and is looked to for many victories. Brandon Backlund was recently elected president of the Progressive political party, he is also a member of the junior-senior Prom committee and in many other activities. The annual spring party, the first on the campus, will be held March 8.—CHARLES A. ROBERTS, Reporter.

NEW HAMPSHIRE ALPHA, DARTMOUTH COLLEGE.—Winter Carnival house party was the usual success, made even more entertaining through the excellent work of social chairman Chuck Haskell. Johnny Bowers designed and managed the building of the prize-winning snow sculpture pictured here. The chapter entered the finals in interfraternity play competition last year, and under the able direction of Monk Laison this year hopes to carry off first-place honors. Dick Babcock has been chosen to lead the Dartmouth delegation in the tri-college conference on "Making Democracy Work," made up of Dartmouth, Cornell, and Pennsylvania.

Watson and Bowers have been working hard on the chapter's annual publication, the *Philum*, and it is now ready to go to press. Kramer won the interfraternity wrestling championship in the 145-lb. class, and Brower followed right in line by carrying off the same honors in boxing in the 125-lb. class. The results of first semester grades show New Hampshire Alpha maintaining its usual high scholastic standing.—L. K. NORTON, Reporter.

NEW YORK ALPHA, CORNELL UNIVERSITY.—The chapter wishes to thank Mrs. H. W. Peters, wife of our chapter adviser for her work in redecorating the alumni suite and the glassery. Junior Week this year was highly successful. Thirty-five girls moved in for the three-day party. Many good words go to Robert Ray, social chairman and his committee, for the smoothness of the party. The chapter presents Phikeia Barry Thomas, Pittsburgh. We also wish to welcome Cedric Johnson, who transferred from Nebraska Alpha, and Bill Brennan, and Phikeia Robert Eckert who have returned after a short absence. Jim Brown was back for a few days prior to his enlistment in the Air Corps. He will be stationed in Texas for the next nine months. Henry Henline is a member of the Cornell Early Birds, which is a group of student pilots who take a trip every Sunday morning. He now has his solo license and will soon be able to take the brothers up for rides.—JAMES B. HARTGERING, Reporter.

NEW YORK BETA, UNION COLLEGE.—At the recent mid-year election of chapter officers Charles Brockner was chosen as president for the spring term. He succeeds LaRue Buchanan, who has been president for the past two terms. Paul Santee of Teaneck, N. J., has been chosen as rushing chairman. A recent initiate to our chapter was James Keays, of Troy. In the intramural competition the chapter is in second place in basketball with five wins and one loss, and third in bowling, with a total not far behind the leaders. It is quite possible to reach the play-offs in both these winter sports.—DICKERSON GRIFFITH, JR., Reporter.

NEW YORK EPSILON, SYRACUSE UNIVERSITY.—Apparently ready to cap last year's record of two wins and a second in the three major campus display contests, New York Epsilon modeled in its front yard a 35-foot Dinny dinosaur straddled by comic-strip character Alley Oop to win the snow sculpturing contest held in conjunction with the annual winter carnival. Syracuse

freshman basketballers have been undefeated for three years. This season's quintet includes three Phikeias—Kelly, McLaughlin, and Noble. Phikeia Fraser earned numerals with the yearling soccer squad. Aiken was a member of the senior ball committee and is now working on the band committee for the interfraternity ball. Spangenberg and Jones are training the chapter in preparation for the interfraternity sing contest held in connection with the interfraternity ball. Spangenberg and Root are conducting a campus investigation for the civil service department of the men's student government. Spangenberg is a special junior investigator, while Root is a sophomore apprentice with the department. Hacker and Round were awarded Daily Orange service keys at the recent Publications banquet. English, a sophomore on the *Onondagan* staff, will receive his key next year along with a junior editorship post on the annual.—HOWARD ROUND, Reporter.

NEW YORK ZETA, COLGATE UNIVERSITY.—Formal initiation was given to William Ainley, Warren Ashmead, Harry Barouth, John Craig, William Bleicher, Thomas Bishop, Douglas LaPierre, Stuart Lister, Charles Monks, Robert Nichols, Richard Sprague, and Donald Stott during the month of December. These new members brought with them many activities such as glee club, lacrosse, debating, swimming and basketball. The Phi basketball team composed of Main, Metzler, Case, Ainley, Bleicher; and others stand very high in the intramural league standings, while the hockey team, composed of Saunders, Harrison, Lister, LaPierre, Harris and Mye, are at the top of the division. In the scholastic standing of the fraternities, $\Phi \Delta \Theta$ lost a little ground from last year. We no longer lead the list but still rate very high. Steve Perakas has been pledged by this chapter and brings an intramural fencing championship along with him. Steve is also a member of the varsity fencing team. Jim Saunders has won a letter in wrestling this season and is also a mainstay of the cross-country team. John Craig has been elected assistant manager of the soccer team. One of the outstanding events in this year's string of honors is the election of Jim Garvey to the captainship of the 1940 Colgate football team. Jim is a veteran tackle and was one of the mainstays of the last two football teams. Army Caeseria, varsity quarterback, was nominated for the first team of the All Italo-American team even though injuries kept him



DINNY, NEW YORK EPSILON'S FIRST-PRIZE SNOW SCULPTURE

on the sidelines throughout most of last season's games. Sy Evans was raised from the position of assistant manager of football, to that of manager of golf. Stars of this golf team are Phis Morrell and George. The baseball team can look forward to a



ATHLETIC MANAGERS AT DUKE
McNeilly, baseball, and Kelly, basketball

successful season with Phis Case, Barouth, and Ainley holding down key positions. To round out the athletic abilities of New York Zeta, Ed Kaye is a member of the varsity swimming team and has scored the highest number of points in the meets. He was invited to participate in the intercollegiate swimming meet held at Fort Lauderdale, Fla.—FENN T. RALPH, Reporter.

NORTH CAROLINA ALPHA, DUKE UNIVERSITY.—The chapter announces the initiation on March 2 of Jasper D. Davis, H. Grady Hedrick, Jr., Winston T. Siegfried, and Robert A. Wilson. The following were pledged under the deferred rushing system: Randolph R. Few, Durham, N.C.; Elliot McMorries, Meridian, Miss.; Frank Bond and William McGehee, Washington, D.C.; Richard B. Smith, Westmoreland Hills, Md.; John G. Wells, Baltimore, Md.; Howard T. Galt, Glenmore, Pa.; H. W. Treleaven, Jr., Summit, N.J.; Strouse Campbell, Jr., Columbus, Ohio; R. Burton Dodd, Zanesville, Ohio; Arthur F. Meyer and John W. Paten, Cleveland Heights, Ohio; David O. Porterfield, St. Clairsville, Ohio; Charles H. Oestmann, Youngstown, Ohio; James Smith, Hamilton, Ohio; Ralph W. Starr, Kenilworth, Ill. Two coveted varsity managerships are held by Duke senior Phis. Converse B. Kelly and John J. McNeilly hold the basketball and baseball managerships respectively. They also hold key spots as assistant editors on the yearbook staff. Kelly has been chapter treasurer for two years while McNeilly is a past $\Phi\Delta\Theta$ president and now is secretary of $\Lambda\K\psi$. Spring sports contestants include Mickelberry, Moyer and Long in track, Wilson in tennis, and Brooks in swimming. Spring football claims Darnell, Karmazin, Davis, Kirsch, Talton, and Siegfried. Under Flenty's able direction, the intramural teams recently added three new trophies. Latham recently won second prize in an oratorical contest given by the Duke speech classes. Duke Phis who made the Dean's List, which requires a B average or better, were Bunn, Bunce, Moyer, Haas, Rogers, Berner, P. Davis, and Phikeias Fischer and Ochseneiter, the latter attaining a straight A average. North Carolina Alpha was honored to have the presence of Brother John B. Ballou for a short visit in January.—ROBERT B. KUBEK, Reporter.

NORTH CAROLINA BETA, UNIVERSITY OF NORTH CAROLINA.—The chapter started off the new quarter with a slightly advanced scholastic standing. While some improvement has been shown, there is still room for more. Brother McGaughey has further distinguished himself by becoming head announcer on the first radio programs ever sponsored by and broadcast from the new university studios. He was also responsible for the highly successful entertainment and jamboree which was featured on student-faculty day, and which has been acclaimed by the entire university. On February 6, the chapter was honored by a visit from President John B. Ballou. Fortunately, he arrived on Student-Faculty day, thus enabling many of the faculty Phis, who were visiting the house, to meet him. The chapter entertained the pledges in early February, at the annual pledge dance at the Carolina Inn ballroom. The following night, the actives and pledges enjoyed the rollicking informality of the colorful Bowery Ball. In varsity sports, Gennett is again a stand-out on the boxing team. Andy, undefeated in dual meets, and finalist in last year's Southern Conference tournament in the 127-pound division, is so far undefeated this year in the 135-pound weight. He has recently been named by Coach Ronman on the all-time Carolina boxing team. Richardson, a letterman, is participating in winter football, while Lane and French are on the indoor track team, and Thompson is on the swimming team. Our intramural basketball team, led by Phikeia Walker, is undefeated to date, while the handball team is playing in the finals of that event at this time. With the success of these two teams, our intramural standing is rising day by day.—FRED JONES, Reporter.

NORTH CAROLINA GAMMA, DAVIDSON COLLEGE.—Since January 1, A. A. McLean, Jr., of Lenoir, N.C.; H. D. McIntosh of West Palm Beach, Fla.; D. T. Maloney, Jr., of Washington, D.C.; and W. S. Conner, Jr., of Rock Hill, S.C.; have been pledged. North Carolina Gamma has won the Davidson interfraternity basketball championship, which increases our lead over the other fraternities on the campus in the race for the interfraternity cup. The play of Brothers Tenney, Hunter, Glenn, Terrell, Sproull, Dale, and Phikeia Lewis was responsible for our basketball championship. Captain Jim Cowan, leading this year's Davidson basketball championship, which increases our lead over in the Southern Conference, while Dave Maloney is starring on the freshman five. Harper Beall, Jo Robinson, and Victor Hollis have been featured in several musical presentations during the fall and winter months, and Dick Kenyon and Warren Ludlum have won places on the Davidson debating team. Andy Dale has been initiated into $\Sigma\Gamma$, and Victor Hollis has become a member of $B\Gamma\Phi$. John Withers has been promoted from 2nd Lieutenant to 1st Lieutenant and Mashburn promoted from 1st Lieutenant to Captain in the R.O.T.C. unit. Sixty persons attended the chapter's banquet held in Charlotte on the night of February 3, during Davidson's mid-winter dances.—CHARLES MASHBURN, JR., Reporter.

NOVA SCOTIA ALPHA, DALHOUSIE UNIVERSITY.—The Post-Christmas term started with the chapter having an excellent record behind it in midterm examinations. Only two members showed results which could be considered serious. At a formal meeting held just previous to Christmas, Chapter Adviser Kevin Meagher presented the John E. Read Scholarship Trophy to Frank Hazen for the session 1938-39. This is awarded to the brother showing the greatest improvement in spring examinations over Christmas exams. The Phis

are taking their usual active interest in the winter sports. Black and Dickie are starring for the senior hockey team, with Dickie the leading scorer on the team and Black well up with the leaders. Lawson along with his A.A.C. activities is managing both basketball teams and Merchant is managing the boxing team. In the interfraternity hockey series the Phis came out with a brilliant victory, 3-1 over Φ K K. Bagg, Black, and Dickie were the stars. On February 9 the chapter entertained at a Valentine party at the chapter house. Plans are well under way for the annual Formal Dance which will be held March 9 at the Lord Nelson Hotel.—R. J. F. MURPHY, Reporter.

NORTH DAKOTA ALPHA, UNIVERSITY OF NORTH DAKOTA.—The second semester opened with Φ Δ Θ leading in points toward the Participation Trophy. The hockey and basketball teams are leading their leagues. Alger and Phikeia Monnes are playing regular basketball with Phikeia Caidis a reserve. Vaughan has been elected vice-president of Blue Key. Kelly has been appointed sports editor of the *Dakota*. Heen has been elected to the senior council of the Y.M.C.A. and Phikeias Boyum and Thompson are on the junior council. Also, Phikeias Boyum and Thompson have been elected to Hesperia speech club. Phikeia Kelly is a sports writer for the *Dakota Student*. The annual Christmas party was held December 19 in the chapter house and comic presents were presented to the fellows and their dates. Rushing activities have been carried on but to date we have only one new pledge to announce, Phikeia Johnson.—CHAD McLEOD, Reporter.

OHIO ALPHA, MIAMI UNIVERSITY.—Freshman rushing, deferred at Miami until the second semester, closed with Φ Δ Θ pledging 13 men: David Prugh, Eugene Shannon, and Edward Weber, Dayton; Douglas Birch and Robert Blayne, Elyria; Richard Campbell, Ashland; James Hieronimus, London; Henry Johnson, Cleveland; George Wertenberger, Wooster; William Rogers, Steubenville; Don Hayes, Mattoon, Ill.; Howard Hinrichs, Winnetka, Ill.; Earl Martin, Chicago, Ill. Richard Graves reached the finals of the annual Fisk oratorical contest and divided second and third place prize when the judges declared a tie for second position. Whittington, Lehman, and Storms finished their first semester with straight A's for a perfect semester scholarship record. The new pledge class has an average of approximately 2.80 for their first semester scholarship. In basketball the first division cage squad has lost two games, while the second division squad is upholding Φ Δ Θ basketball prestige by scoring their sixteenth consecutive victory in as many starts. Winning two games this season they are at the top of the competitive rankings. In bowling the last year champions started slowly but have now gathered and have climbed to a position only two games away from first place. The team has promised the chapter the trophy inside of three weeks. The Phi squad has been breaking records to make this rapid comeback. They now hold the highest individual score record, the highest game score record, and the highest team score record on the campus. Howard Gilbert set the highest individual score having set up a 283 for three games. Nine pledges were initiated at the start of the second semester by Ohio Alpha. Entered in the Bond are Bill Sneed, Frank Phipps, Tom McGinley, Bill Boykin, James Kraus, George Snyder, William Cannon, R. James Hall, and Paul Gundling.—F. K. KAHLER, Reporter.

OHIO BETA, OHIO WESLEYAN UNIVERSITY.—Initiation February 25 saw thirteen new members added to the roll. They are: Gordon Sperry, Mt. Vernon; James

Cary, Hartford, Conn.; Joseph Colton, Twin Lakes; Herbert J. Cunningham, St. Clairesville; John E. Gracely, Marion; Robert L. Hunter and Calvin Kitchen, Delaware; Paul H. Zent, Huntington, Ind.; William T. Lewis, Rochester, N.Y.; John A. Piper,



THOMAS MANN VISITS OHIO WESLEYAN

Left to right: Dr. Mann, Mrs. Mann, Theodore C. Dunham, Chapter Adviser, and Charles Hopkins, Chapter President

Chicago, Ill.; Frank Thullen, Poland; Carl J. Vogt, Webster Groves, Mo.; Hugh Webb, Nelsonville. Of this number three were recently named to Phi society, underclass scholastic honorary: Calvin Kitchen, James Cary, and Herbert Cunningham. Case and MacKichan have been assigned roles in the annual Θ Δ Φ play. Thomas Mann, foremost living writer, was entertained at the house when he was at O.W.U. in February for a college lecture program number. The chapter also was host to Ohio Eta for a dinner and basketball game late in January. In addition to the initiation banquet, the social calendar included the Miami Triad dance on March 9. With the closing of the winter sports program, Hartman for basketball, and Otis, McIntyre, and Connor for swimming, are eligible for their varsity awards. In intramurals, the chapter is still among the leaders with basketball season nearing the end. With two games remaining, the record stands with only one loss in league play.—JAMES E. BAILEY, Reporter.

OHIO EPSILON, UNIVERSITY OF AKRON.—Twelve men were pledged on December 11, after three weeks of concentrated rushing: Walter H. Cahill, Thomas R. Broge, Robert R. Broadbent, William F. Flower, Irvin R. Heller, Dave W. Judson, Robert S. Tillett, James W. Titmas, William H. Turney, Stanley D. Myers, William F. Wright, Jr., and Charles R. Teter. Six of the twelve new Phikeias were pledged to Pershing Rifles: Cahill, Flower, Myers, Judson, Titmas, and Tillett. Broadbent is out for freshman basketball. Phikeia Mike Fernella was elected captain of the 1940 grid team. Fernella is also on the varsity basketball



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squad and is considered as one of the best players on the team. Russell and Furst were pledged to Scabbard and Blade at the military ball of which Noel was chairman. Noel was selected as one of the ten young men and women named as "outstanding Akron college students of 1939." The ten were honored during intermission of the university alumni New Year's dance. Social activities during the winter included the informal pledge dance, and the winter formal dance on January 29. The annual Love Feast in December proved to be very successful and was attended by several alumni and actives of other chapters.—GENE CAULLET, Reporter.

OHIO ZETA, OHIO STATE UNIVERSITY.—First and foremost is the coming Founders Day banquet, which will coincide with the meeting of the General Council in Columbus. The banquet will be held on March 2 and it is hoped that this from all over Ohio will be in attendance. Many surprises are in store for those attending. Another event that is now in the planning stages is an exchange dinner and basketball game with Ohio Beta. February 9 marks the date of the winter formal dinner dance. The Phikeias have been carrying on an extensive social program with the various sorority pledge classes and have made a real hit by a quarter composed of Larry Goeller, Marion Fiegert, Jim Potterf, and Fred Steele. The swimming team recently elected John Higgins as co-captain for this season. It is expected that John will have his best season this year. Both Higgins and Curley Stanhope are on the All-American swimming team. Intramural sports are going well as usual under the guidance of Conrad Hilbinger. Recently the chapter pledged James Smith of Columbus. Harry Evans has been elected house manager to fill the vacancy caused by the graduation of Harold Devine. At graduation time the chapter also lost Robert Fellows. Ralston Russell received his doctor's degree in ceramic engineering.—KENT E. POOL, Reporter.

OHIO ETA, CASE SCHOOL OF APPLIED SCIENCE.—Starting the new year with election of officers, Ohio Eta elected Jack Eichler as president, relieving Bob Spangenberg. Following a successful father-son banquet to which Brother Denison brought news of a possible near-future mortgage burning, the Phikeias began a short but thorough training period. At writing time, seventeen men are eligible for initiation, after which will be held the annual initiation formal dance. These men are: Howard Brehm, Bob Keidel, William Lloyd, William Wade, Bruce Clark, Dick Flowers, Edward Durkee, Ted Coan, Prescott Cole, Arthur Heinze, Robert Schutte, Robert Allen, Cleveland; Wibur Hankes, Jack Neiderhauser, Canton; Don Taylor, Elyria; John Zinzmaster, Massillon, and Art Schwartz, Bay City, Mich. This chapter continues to lead the Case fraternities in members prominent in athletics, holding a large majority of the varsity teams in four of the five major winter sports, football, basketball, hockey, and wrestling, excluding fencing. This

year's basketball team is playing over .500 ball with four Phis out of five on the first string, Shafer, Schweitzer, Fischley, and Walter. Outstanding on the wrestling team are Lease, Killian, and Rupp, sophomores, and Green, a junior. The dean was pleased to announce that the '43 class of Phikeias lead the campus in scholarship, this being somewhat of a novelty at Ohio Eta.—K. P. HORSBURGH, Reporter.

OHIO THETA, UNIVERSITY OF CINCINNATI.—March 20 will find the brothers of Ohio Alpha, Ohio Theta, and the alumni of Cincinnati gathered at the University Club in Cincinnati to celebrate the founding of $\Phi \Delta \Theta$. Brother Don T. Kaiser, president of the local alumni, is busily engaged in making the necessary arrangements for this get-together. Ohio Theta took a leading part in the recently held interfraternity dance. Robert Zepf is representing us in making the arrangements for a Miami Triad dance to be held at the Hyde Park Country Club, May 4. With four of seventeen sports on the intramural program completed, Ohio Theta is in second place. At present with basketball and bowling in full swing, the brothers under the able leadership and management of Robert Hiener are putting forth every effort to carry away first places. Misfortune was ours when we lost the volleyball finals to the Deltas. Bob Dalton is playing varsity forward on the basketball squad, William Dalton is a member of the tank team, and White is working to place again on the track team. Dale Lloyd won first place in a contest sponsored by the Cincinnati Landscape Association. This is indeed an honor, for the competition was city wide and the talent represented was of the best. Ohio Theta has abandoned hell week, and have instituted in its stead a week of fraternity instruction. The Phikeias were subjected to a rigorous program of fraternity history and administration. This type of training definitely proved to be more fruitful and successful. Plague stalked the house the first week of liberal arts examinations, and left ten of our brothers quarantined as a result of scarlet fever. The fellows amused themselves with card games, record playing, and pacing up and down the rooms. It was a happy



OHIO ZETA'S PHIKEIA QUARTETTE

Left to right: Fiegert, Goeller, Steele, Potterf



TOWNSEND TELLS A GOOD ONE AT TORONTO

gang when the quarantine was lifted at the end of ten days.—CHARLES R. SHULTZ, *Reporter*.

OHIO IOTA, DENISON UNIVERSITY.—Charles Oxley, a senior, won the Woodland Chemistry Prize. Willard Kibby, president of the junior class, is organizing the Prom, while Dave Taylor is heading the decoration committee and John Nelms, Jack Downs, Don Hanna, and Bob Macomber will assist on various other committees for the Prom. The annual spring $\Phi \Delta \Theta$, $B \Theta \Pi$, and ΣX Triad dance will be held at the Granville Inn on March 8. Both the A and B basketball teams are making a good showing and with the season only half over we are hoping for top honors in both leagues. The chapter is looking forward to the Founders Day banquet to be held in Columbus and plans to attend one hundred per cent.—DAVE TAYLOR, *Reporter*.

OKLAHOMA ALPHA, UNIVERSITY OF OKLAHOMA.—The annual mid-semester formal given by the chapter was acclaimed as the best dance of the season. It was held in the popular University Club, and attended by almost two hundred Phis and their dates, rushees, and alumni. The marriage of Elizabeth Phillips and Jack Burns, former treasurer, was solemnized February 3. Sports columns tell us that Bill Martin and Tee Connolly are doing some outstanding playing for Phillips 66 and Denver Nuggets basketball teams. Jim McNatt is, as usual, leading the scoring in Big-Six basketball play. We expect another all-American for Phi honors this year. Phikeia Nash is ping pong champion of the campus. Phikeia Haberlein won his freshman football numerals. Litchfield is a member of the tennis team and Phikeia Bailey is on the freshman basketball squad. Bob Klapruba is president of $\Sigma \Gamma E$ and Francis Stewart a new member. Dolph Carmichael was honored by being selected as a member of the President's Class, Johnson received the ΣT award. We are to be honored by a visit from Paul C. Beam on February 9 to 11.—FRED L. THOMPSON, JR., *Reporter*.

ONTARIO ALPHA, UNIVERSITY OF TORONTO.—Our picture shows a scene at the annual Fraternity banquet where the alumni get together every year with the active chapter. We like meeting the alumni at this affair and when they happen to drop into the chapter house. One can marvel at the variety of reasons causing alumni to come see us. For instance, Spike Irwin, former chapter adviser, always happened along to those meetings where he was just in time to squelch a torrid uprising threatening to alienate the alumni forever or to split the chapter wide open. His sound advice calmed things down. Then Jack Brunke comes in and scatters his calendars to all and sundry so that there isn't a chance of your forgetting the day, month, and year, and least of all the Mutual Life. Stan Biggs wants to see who is in the running for the Biggs Squash Trophy; Bill Jeffries comes regularly in an effort to nab off the said trophy this year. Mike Dugan, chairman of the banquet for the past two years, has his interest in getting final details straight for this function. Jack Kingsmill is one of the best known of the alumni and most interested in the place. He frequently has the fellows up to his place and comes in to lunch or dinner and knows most everyone by their first name. There is Meredith Fleming calling in, and he cannot get a girl any place, and could he have yours for the evening? The Millar brothers pull themselves up the last weary flight of stairs late at night to grab a free bed, as home is away on the edge of the city. Don McLaren and Jim Renwick are seeing if they can ever get used to the new bridge table, and where the heck can you put your legs; J. R. Millar used to come around before he got married. Oh well, give him time. Len Sharpe is in again to see if everything is under control, but he can't stay as he's just on the point of going some place. Harold Ball visits the house once in a long, long, while to see if "Oh God the Freshmen" is still around. To get a little bit of organization among the graduate classes and everybody generally, Fred Green drops into town. Summing it all up in order of rank, the five most urgent reasons why young alumni visit the house are: (1) for a free bed and breakfast; (2) to borrow something such as your girl, skis, or razor, maybe all; (3) as a place to leave this or that temporarily; (4) to make stirring speeches about usually the life outside in the cold world, at our most informal of parties, the Christmas banquet; (5) to see if the chapter is getting any better generally or any worse. May more alumni come around!—ROWED GREIG, *Reporter*.

OREGON ALPHA, UNIVERSITY OF OREGON.—In the intramural competition, $\Phi \Delta \Theta$ is seen still leading the field, and with luck and work, should win the Grand Cup at the end of the college year. In the past two semesters the chapter's scholastic standards have shown a definite improvement. The chapter has left its once



OKLAHOMA ALPHA'S SEMESTER FORMAL PARTY

low spot on the list of campus grades and now ranks fourth from the top in the highest grades made by all fraternities. At the military ball eighteen men were selected by the Scabbard and Blade, and in this group five Phis received the distinction. In addition to this notable achievement we find that the present



OHIO IOTA'S SPEEDBALL TEAM

leader of the honorary is HARRY MILNE, senior in this year's graduating class of $\Phi\Delta\Theta$.—MARTIN LUTHER, Reporter.

OREGON BETA, OREGON STATE COLLEGE.—A dinner, honoring the faculty Phis and their wives, was held January 28 as the first social function of the term. The fellows are looking forward to the Founders Day Banquet to be held March 16 in Portland. The chapter won the singing contest held at the banquet last year and we intend to retain this cup this year in the competition which will include singing teams from both Oregon chapters and from three Washington chapters. A marked improvement in the chapter's grades and standing was noted in the official grade report put out by the college. We are proud of our standing and intend to maintain or better our position this term. Phikeia Don Frederickson is gaining more and more recognition for his fine play on the freshman basketball team. He is the leading scorer and has sparked the team to victory in several important games. The winter intramural program is well under way, with Phi teams entered in volleyball and swimming. Both teams are undefeated; the swimming team having won its first meet by a shut-out score of 32-0. Initiation was held in February and Bob Dorman, Bob Maria, Dean Olson, Ed Saunders, Keat White, and Bill Garnjost were welcomed into the chapter.—HAL MURCH, Reporter.

PENNSYLVANIA ALPHA, LAFAYETTE COLLEGE.—Pennsylvania Alpha celebrated Washington's Birthday by holding their annual initiation banquet. Those recently initiated are: George Smith Moyer, Phillipsburg, N.J.; William Porter Page, Hartford, Conn.; Arthur R. Rogers, Phillipsburg, N.J.; John Knight Steckel, Allentown, Pa.; Ronald Dennis Cullen, West Newton, Mass.; Curt T. Pearson, Huntington, L.I.; Charles Edward Ensko Jr., New York City. About sixty attended the banquet, and our chapter was very happy to welcome back Brothers Richard O. West '33, C. S. Stabley '35, William M. Smith '03, Clinton C. Hemmings '32, John McAbee '31, and Richard L. Rhodes '28. We appreciate the loyal attitude of the alumni and we welcome the new Phis into the fellowship of $\Phi\Delta\Theta$.—JAMES H. FISCHER, Reporter.

PENNSYLVANIA BETA, GETTYSBURG COLLEGE.—With the first semester just ended, Pennsylvania Beta has definitely made an improvement in its scholastic standing, largely due to the splendid help and encouragement of Brothers Earl Zeigler, faculty adviser, and John Livingood. George W. Crossmire recently pledged to the chapter, bringing the total number of Phikeias to twelve. Pennsylvania Beta finished fourth in the interfraternity competition in volleyball, and are second in the basketball competition, with the season about half over. Three Phis well represent Gettysburg college on the varsity basketball five. Phikeia Buyer, with his splendid shooting and fast breaking, is high scorer for the team and third high scorer in the Eastern Pennsylvania College League. Sohnleitner and Murtoff are outstanding on the court; any of these boys has an excellent chance of making the All-Conference team. The chapter is now active with preparations for the interfraternity week-end, March 8 and 9 when all the fraternities initiate their pledges. The chapter will participate in two elaborate banquets during this period and wishes to welcome all of its alumni back for this occasion. Pennsylvania Beta just completed its pledge training week, which has taken the place of hell week this year. During this week the freshmen were drilled on the Phikeia Manual, besides carrying out the annual house clean-up campaign. Although this plan was only established this year, its results were satisfactorily accomplished; and no doubt Pledge Training week will permanently take the place of hell week here at Gettysburg.—H. W. MIZELL, Reporter.

PENNSYLVANIA GAMMA, WASHINGTON AND JEFFERSON COLLEGE.—At the opening of the second half of the college year, the chapter goes forward under new leadership following the election and reelection of its officers. *Gamma Gub*, the semi-annual publication of the chapter, has been sent to the alumni. Brother Jordan, who has recently transferred to the University of Oklahoma, edited the magazine and was assisted by Brother Martin and Phikeia Wilkens. In the intramural struggle, the Phi volleyball team, with but one remaining opponent, advances undefeated. Outstanding among individual accomplishments, to the good name of the chapter, are those of Miller in his attaining first place in the scholastic rating of the junior class, and of Dodds in his recent poetic contributions to the college quarterly. Expansion of dining room facilities, necessitated by the large pledge class, is now completed.—GEORGE F. FULTON, JR., Reporter.

PENNSYLVANIA DELTA, ALLEGHENY COLLEGE.—On February 11, the chapter initiated twelve men into the fraternity: Walter Morris, William Pierce, Philipp Africa, Warren Winkler, Robert Thomas, Walter Klein, Walter Klüngensmith, Paul Jones, Bernard Dusenberry, Donald Henry, Wallace Hanson, and Philipp Depp. These men are all from the class of '43 except Brother Morris '42. It was pleasant news for the chapter to hear that it was runner-up in the competition for the Cleveland Trophy which it had won the year before. The chapter is represented by an outstanding member on the varsity basketball team. Faloon, the six-foot-four boy from New Kensington, is high scorer for the present season and every game seems to indicate that he will remain so. He is a junior and this is his second year of varsity competition. The Allegheny speaker's bureau is well under way, with Robert Oberlin taking a leading part in the speeches that are being made and the programs that are being presented. Other Phis in the

organization are Brothers Miller, Robertson, Schneck, and Wood. The names of Robert Wright and Robert Appleyard were selected for listing in *Who's Who in the American Colleges*.—EDGAR S. WOOD, *Reporter*.

PENNSYLVANIA EPSILON, DICKINSON COLLEGE.—Eight Phikeias have been initiated: Henry McKinnon, Williamsport; William Haak, Lebanon; John Oyster, Newville; Palmer McGee, Roaring Springs; Richard Perry, Harrisburg; William Patterson, Clearfield; Wilmer Lochrie, Central City; Antonio Cappello, Dover, N.J. Paul Gorsuch has been recently named for *Who's Who in American Colleges*. Among activities in which he has gained prominence are treasurer of O A K copy editor of *Microcosm*, editor-in-chief of *Dickinsonian*, president of intercollegiate newspaper association, A E T, and T E A. The intramural program still finds Pennsylvania Epsilon among the leaders. The chapter is in second place among the fraternities in the basketball league, with Sutton, Copeland, Hoffman, Lochrie, Alexander, Cappello, and Phikeia Hassler upholding the honor of the chapter. In handball the chapter is in top position with no defeat to mar their record, Marotte, Copeland, Hoffman, and Stamy have been pacing the other fraternities. Varsity sports have obtained three brothers from the chapter. Hunt is the leading scorer on the swimming team, while McGee and Perry are the mainstays on the freshman basketball team. Preparations for the Miami Triad are rapidly being formed; this year $\Phi \Delta \Theta$ is playing host to $\Sigma \chi$ and $\Sigma \Theta \Pi$.—DEAN M. HOFFMAN, *Reporter*.

PENNSYLVANIA ZETA, UNIVERSITY OF PENNSYLVANIA.—The annual Christmas Party was held on December 21 as usual at the chapter house. Twenty under-privileged children were entertained at dinner, after which Evans Buchanan, acting as Santa Claus, had an appropriate rhyme and present for each brother. At the end of the recent competition for places on the 1940 *Record* staff, Kurz and Milburn were elected to the editorial board, Conwell to the business board, and Stahl to the photographic board. Hans Christoph was elected to the Mask and Wig Club, and Harry Teets earned a place on the *Daily Pennsylvanian* business board. Next year's soccer team will be managed by Karl Kurz. McChord was elected under graduate business manager of the Mask and

Wig show. Max Leister, chapter president, and president of the interfraternity council, is completing plans for the interfraternity ball to be held February 23.—HOOD S. MCGHORD, *Reporter*.

PENNSYLVANIA ETA, LEHIGH UNIVERSITY.—The chapter basketball team has beaten all opponents



WILLIAM GARNJOST, Oregon State '48
On the receiving end

thus far and has now entered in the finals for the university championship. K. Fiedler has captained his team excellently. In the last game, Ewing, D. Fidler, S. Powers, and F. Weise starred with the help of the rest of their teammates: K. Fiedler, Collins, Conover, Morgal, and Gould. We pledged two sophomores recently: Joseph Gould of Watertown, N.Y., and Joseph Evald of Woodbury, N.J. Palmer and Lane, both sophomores, are seeing action with the varsity basketball team. Morgal is playing with the freshman basketball squad and shows promise of being good material for the varsity next year. Collins, Conover, and Eastlake were letter men on the varsity football team. Mueller won his letter in soccer. Phikeias Morgal and Bashford were initiated on February 9. Our three A E Ψ 's, Powers, Collins and Whiting, entertained their chapter at dinner on February 16. Everybody seemed to enjoy the banquet.—J. FORNEY YOUNG, *Reporter*.

PENNSYLVANIA THETA, PENNSYLVANIA STATE COLLEGE.—President Harold Fry is enrolled in the school of Physical Education, has been a mainstay on chapter intramural teams, and is a member of interfraternity council. The chapter has just received news that Howard John Lamady, '42, has been appointed a trustee of the Pennsylvania State College by Governor James. Brother Lamady is secretary and business manager of Grit Publishing Company, Williamsport, Pa. Merlin Troy, '38, who visits the chapter house frequently, is employed under Brother Lamady at the Grit Publishing Company. The brothers have also



PAUL GORSUCH, Dickinson '40
President of Pennsylvania Epsilon

been notified of the election of James Grove Fulton, '24, from this chapter, to the lower house of the Pennsylvania State legislature. After graduation, Brother Fulton went to Harvard Law School, where he was coach of the University Debate team in 1926-27.



SWARTHMORE PHIKIAS

He is a member of $\Phi K \Phi$ and in 1938 he was selected as one of the 3000 outstanding "Young Men of America." Fred Lininger has received his degree at mid-year commencement, and will enroll at George Washington University, where he will study law. Hayes Darby is a member of the varsity quartet. Donald Scheuer returned from Christmas vacation to inform the chapter that he is the father of a seven-pound baby girl. Plans are being formed to send a large delegation to the Founders Day Banquet in Harrisburg, in March. Stew Quailey is a member of $\Phi E K$. Smith and Wagner are members of $\Phi M A$ and $\Pi \Gamma M$ respectively.—H. EDWARD WAGNER, Reporter.

PENNSYLVANIA IOTA, UNIVERSITY OF PITTSBURGH.—Highlighting the recent activities of this chapter was a very successful alumni-brother get-together, held the first week of January. Featured during the evening were various Pitt football moving pictures, commented on by Brother Bowser, head Pitt football coach. With the recent appointment of Curly Stebbins and Biff Glassford to the coaching staffs of Pitt and Carnegie Tech respectively, the total Phi's now coaching at these two schools numbers six—Bowser, Hoel, and Stebbins at Pitt, and Baker, Glassford, and Hanum at Carnegie Tech. Judd Poffenberger was recently tapped into $\Pi E A$. On February 7 the active and brothers of this chapter enjoyed a very successful social event at the Chatterbox of Hotel William Penn. In the near future this chapter is entertaining the faculty advisers of all the fraternities. Problems pertaining to fraternities in general will be the topic under discussion. The recent issuance of mid-semester grades disclosed that Poffenberger and Hodges had attained perfect marks for the first semester, a fine achievement of which the rest of the chapter can strive to duplicate. At the present writing the Phi's are not quite up to their usual standard in intramural athletics. Their standings are, first in handball, second in volleyball and ping pong, fourth in basketball, and fifth in bowling. The opening of baseball practice finds Bob Black as head manager and Brother Hughes as a strong contender for the second

base position of the Pitt varsity.—RAEFORD YOUNG, Reporter.

PENNSYLVANIA KAPPA, SWARTHMORE COLLEGE.—Newly affiliated with the chapter is Benson Bowditch, transfer from Michigan State. Ed Cavin has been selected as lacrosse manager for this year and candidate managers for spring sports include John Leich, tennis, Phikeas Rowland Dietz, baseball, and LeRoy Darlington, track. Berton Marley was elected president of the Society of Kwink. Bill Timmis, who dropped for the first semester, has returned to the fold to resume "work." Through the effort of Paul Snyder the lodge acquired an excellent rug for the library, augmenting the general improvements done by the alumni during the summer. Bill Dietz represents $\Phi \Delta \Theta$ on the varsity basketball squad, while Ed Cavin, Bert Marley, and Roy Darlington are on the varsity swimming team, with Dave Way swimming for the freshmen. In the interfraternity basketball competition the chapter is represented by a strong quintet of Phis. After the Christmas vacation a "wash-day" dance and party was held in the lodge and proved to be a great success, novel prizes and refreshments highlighting the evening. Numerous Phis were present at the Buck Hill winter house-party, annual college post-exam celebration attended by undergraduates and alumni alike.—JOHN C. CROWLEY, Reporter.

RHODE ISLAND ALPHA, BROWN UNIVERSITY.—The chapter pledged the following first-year men in December at the end of a successful rushing season: Jarvis H. Alger, Montreal, P.Q., Canada; James G. Anderson, Jr., West Medway, Mass.; Philander S. Bradford, Jr., Columbus, Ohio; Richard H. Colwell, West Barrington, R.I.; Spero T. Constantine, New London, Conn.; Howard L. Gobeille, Stonington, Conn.; Charles F. Hanisch, S. Attleboro, Mass.; William M. Kaiser, Jr., Evanston, Ill.; Joseph J. LeGros, Jr., Oak Park, Ill.; Earle A. Nason, Jr., Cranston, R.I.; Flint Ricketson, Nutley, N.J.; Stratton C. Walling, Barrington, R.I.; and Donald J. Werden, Jenkintown, Pa. Jack E. Chartier, '42, of Province was also pledged in December, and Charles H. Vivian, '40, of Elizabeth, N.J. was initiated. A number of the Phikeias are already actively participating in campus affairs: Kaiser is working on the *Brown Daily Herald*, Hanisch and Nason have their own programs on the Brown Network, Walling and Bradford play leading roles in Sock and Buskin productions, while Werden and Constantine design and paint sets, and Anderson is out for track. This hold key positions in all musical organizations at Brown, Sinclair is leader of the band, Abraham is president of the orchestra and Sloan is manager, and Perry is secretary-treasurer of the glee club. The chapter has given two successful formal dances so far this year, one of which was a party for the local alumni. Sinclair is taking the C.A.A. course offered at Brown.—MERTON C. BARSTOW, JR. Reporter.

TENNESSEE ALPHA, VANDERBILT UNIVERSITY.—In intramural basketball our team is showing up well, having won its first game. Milliken, Davis, and Hackett are on the varsity basketball team and Bray and Pellett are on the varsity wrestling team, with Bray the captain. Our freshman class is entering into many activities in all phases of the university. Of these, Alder, McCullough, Shands, Burris, Robinson, and O'Neil are members of the freshman wrestling team. Phikeias Hutton, Alder, Anderson, Nelson, Cate, Shands, Burris, Linton, Dobson, O'Neil, Robinson, Stahlman, and Connor were recently initiated into Tennessee Alpha. The last two week-ends have been

socially enlightened by our joint presentation of the Miami Triad dance, always one of the highlights of the social season, and the Phi Kid Party. We were very happy to be informed that we had again won the Founders Trophy, marking the ninth time in its eleven years of competition that it has rested on our mantel-piece.—**BILL CHAPMAN, Reporter.**

TENNESSEE BETA, UNIVERSITY OF THE SOUTH.—The Phis ended the social activities of the first semester with a party given by the pledge class during the mid-winter dances which was a tremendous success. At the dance Clendon Lee and Sandy Juban joined McGRIE and Wright in Blue Key. Eyster was elected to IΓM. On February 15 we expect to initiate thirteen Phikeias. In intramural basketball, Thomas is doing a fine job of coaching the team, and chances for our coming out on top look bright.—**JOHN LONGNECKER, Jr. Reporter.**

TEXAS BETA, UNIVERSITY OF TEXAS.—Russell Leonard and Bill Lang were recently elected to the Cowboys, honorary men's fraternity. Frank Smith was elected student president of the Law School. Ex-President Charles Sharp was presented a gavel for his fine work as head officer with this chapter. The Phis entertained their dates at the house with a dinner and a dance afterwards. The annual spring formal will be given some time in the middle of April. Chester Kilpatrick and George Meriwether are working diligently on the Phi Boat to be exhibited in the annual round-up parade in April. Howard Williams graduated at mid-term. The Phis suffered a drop in intramural standing owing to some bad breaks in basketball, but the volleyball team looks as if it will place them in the upper brackets before long. The literary exercises were a howling success. Besides hearing well-known and famous works of various authors, the boys enjoyed the not-so-routine event.—**JOE DEALEY, Reporter.**

TEXAS GAMMA, SOUTHWESTERN UNIVERSITY.—At the opening of the spring semester, Texas Gamma added three new men to the pledge class: Evans Holland, Happy; Fred O. Roquemore, Palestine; James E. Colbert, Granger. Plans are being made to initiate nine men into the chapter: Carl Berquist, Rodney Meyer, John Cluck, of Georgetown; Julian Pitts, Conroe; Sam Tyson, Cameron; Gene Burris, Beaumont; John Childress, Fort Worth; Frank Scholastic, Conroe; Mickey Stone, Houston. The chapter's scholastic rank for the fall semester was well above the average. Hal Anderson was elected to the office of business manager of the *Southwestern Magazine*. Charles Ingram has been singing over a local broadcasting network, as the first tenor with the varsity quartet. Joe Sneed, the chapter's president, was awarded high honors in a recent intercollegiate debate tournament. Sneed is also president of the local chapter of IΓKΔ. Our formal, held in January, was declared to be the highlight of the social season. Other dances and parties are planned for throughout the spring. One of Texas Gamma's distinguished alumni, Cameron Fairchild '24 of Houston, has been awarded the contract for designing the university's new gymnasium. Brother Fairchild is also the architect of the Cody Memorial Library building, recently erected on the Southwestern campus.—**R. H. BLAND, Reporter.**

TEXAS DELTA, SOUTHERN METHODIST UNIVERSITY.—First semester exams at S.M.U. brought to an end a successful first half-year for Texas Deltas, and again verified the chapter's high scholastic standing. Last year the chapter ranked top scholastically among ΦΔΘ chapters and held a 88 per cent lead over the

fraternity average at S.M.U. To date, first semester averages have not been computed, but the chapter has five all-A students: Charles Galvin, Ed Bearden, Bob Smith, Bill Davenport, and Phikeia Bill Crook, and a great number of B or above averages. Phikeia Crook



JOHN DOUGLAS STERRETT, *Randolph-Macon '40*
President of Virginia Gamma

will join Brother Jack Wilson to make a total of seven men in ΦHΣ, requiring a 2.8 average during one semester of the freshman year. On February 7 and 8, the chapter had the pleasure of having Brother Paul C. Beam visit. Brother Beam made several fine suggestions, and his talks were especially valuable to initiates as well as pledges as we entered the second semester. At this writing, three men have been selected from the new group of freshmen and pledged. These Phikeias, Brooks Keller, Frank Wright, and Bill Wilson are all from Dallas high schools, where they made exceptionally high scholastic records.—**LYNN L. NORTHRUP, Reporter.**

UTAH ALPHA, UNIVERSITY OF UTAH.—The chapter held a successful rush party at the Newhouse Hotel on January 6. A dinner dance was given in honor of twenty-five rushees, under a plan wherein the university allowed each fraternity one party during the holidays. The members elected a "Plain Jane," who was given recognition by having her picture appearing in newspapers, accompanied by write-ups. Pledged during the last release were the following men: Raymon Bowman, Joseph Beeson, Loren Allen, Keith Fowler, Robert Spratt, Kenneth Olson, Bud Brown, Ralph Stringham, George Sullivan, Wilbur Peck, Robert Daynes, Gordon Hurst, Ned Gulford, Bob Wright, Kent McDonald, and Arthur Maxwell. A party was given in honor of the new pledges at the chapter house, with a "forty-niner" theme. In intramurals, three of the ΦΔΘ teams gained the finals in their respective brackets in basketball. Wayne Clark has been appointed director of the carnival for this year. Tom Pace, all-conference tailback from the Utah football team this past year, has gained additional recognition by signing a contract to play professional football with the Chicago Bears. It is gratifying to note that the house has been filled with permanent boarders, plus several additional men on a waiting list. This assures us of having the house filled to capacity for the coming year. The Phis were recently invited to participate in a radio program, in which they commented on some phases of fraternity life. Recently initiated were Robert Jessen, Gerald

Wadsworth, Al Pratt, and Robert Steele.—GEORGE DENTON, Reporter.

VERMONT ALPHA, UNIVERSITY OF VERMONT.—The beginning of the second semester found Vermont Alpha in the midst of a busy season of interfraternity activity. The hockey squad composed of Pine, Preston, Boucher, Shortle, Nutter, and Phikeias Nestler, Benoit, and Johnson led by Murphy, have been successful in defeating fraternity rivals. Boucher, Gasperini, Middleworth, Spasyk, Pratt, Pache, Logan, Daniels, and Murphy, captained by Brother Cronin are fighting for the basketball title. Pache and Pratt are walking for Vermont Alpha in Kake Walk. Ranny and Ramsdell are in charge of the stunt for Stunt Night. We have already survived the preliminary elimination of stunts for this event. The bowling team led by Pache and Sudbay are in a fast tournament for the bowling cup. We have adopted a mascot, a four-months-old puppy. The Phis of Vermont have been quick to take advantage of the best skiing conditions in the East prevailing at Mt. Mansfield, the winter playground for thousands of enthusiastic ski fans.—CLARKE G. MILLER, Reporter.

VIRGINIA BETA, UNIVERSITY OF VIRGINIA.—On Pledge Day we opened the door for seventeen fine pledges: David Grant, Jr., Richmond; Don Niklason, Arlington; Thomas Brooks, Jr., Farmville; John Clark, Jr., Bedford; Howard Kympton, Danville; Henry Hanna, Salisbury, Md.; P. K. Hensel, Camp Hill, Pa.; George Scott, Philadelphia, Pa.; Edward Neilson, Jr., Malvern, Pa.; William Hodill, Pittsburgh, Pa.; Howard Tuthill, Marlboro, N.Y.; Robert Nickolson, Decatur, Ill.; John Tibbets, Lake Forest, Ill.; Charles Goodrich, Winnetka, Ill.; Thomas O'Connell, Jr., Chicago, Ill.; Norman Pitcairn, Jr., St. Louis, Mo.; John Thomason, III, San Diego, Calif. We also affiliated Dan Terry and Bill Saunders of Randolph-Macon, Hollis Chenery of Arizona, and Pat Thorington of Auburn. Bill Roughen was a sophomore flash in the varsity backfield this fall until an unfortunate injury put him on the sidelines, but it didn't stop him from a bid to A II and the german society. Ted Ayers, our hard-working rushing chairman, found time to get his letter on the cross-country harriers along with a place on the interfraternity council. Jim Putnam captained the cross-country team this fall. Dick Scott, our indoor 440 man, made Skull and Keys. Basketball this term is the big sport, and the chapter five has advanced to the play-offs after seven consecutive victories. We have high hopes of capturing the title. Led by Hack Wilson, our bowlers are leading their division while Hack leads the university in single line and three-line sets with 153 and 400 respectively. Phikeias Niklason and Hensel are on the freshman boxing team while Pitcairn and Hodill were on the frosh soccer team. George Scott was a luminary on the freshman football squad until he was benched by a leg injury. Niklason also shone as a first-year gridder.—BILL BELL, Reporter.

VIRGINIA GAMMA, RANDOLPH-MACON COLLEGE.

—The brothers continued their usual policy of participating in student activities. Price is the newly elected president of the Franklin Literary Society. Reeves and Phikeia McCormick have been elected to ΣT honorary literary fraternity; Phelps, Leggett, and Phikeia Steph-



THE WHITMAN VARSITY DEBATE TEAM

Seated: Coach Ackley, Benedict; standing: Adams, Edwards, Young. All except the Coach are Phis

cus are on the starting five in basketball. Plans are nearing completion for the annual $\Phi \Delta \Theta$ dance to be given this spring. McDowell and Miller, who left the chapter to accept business positions in Danville and Norfolk respectively, are doing well. Recent alumni to visit the chapter are Hamil Jones, E. V. Register and H. G. Balthis.—DAVID L. BALTHIS, Reporter.

VIRGINIA ZETA, WASHINGTON AND LEE UNIVERSITY.—At the time of publication the following men will have been initiated: Bates Bryan, Chattanooga, Tenn.; Calvin H. East, Gary, Ind.; Robert L. Garges, who is preceded here by his senior brother Herbert Garges, Atlanta, Ga.; James C. Hamilton Jr., Richmond, Ind.; Hill Murray, Versailles, Ky.; F. Witcher McCullough, Jr., Huntington, W.Va.; W. Guthrie McCullough, Huntington, W.Va.; William J. McLeod, St. Petersburg, Fla.; John H. McMillan, a second generation Phi from New Orleans, Fred T. Miller, Huntington, W.Va.; Robert Neal, Jr., Houston, Tex.; Paul E. Sanders, Little Rock, Ark.; and Phillip Sellers, Montgomery, Ala. Preceding Christmas vacation, Brother Lupton Avery proposed that the chapter take care of some needy family in Lexington. His suggestion was adopted; and besides ourselves preparing a basket, the chapter voted to have our representative and president of the Interfraternity, Herbert Garges introduce a measure there that all fraternities at Washington and Lee do likewise. The council adopted our suggestion and other houses followed our leadership. In the intramural program several men have



WHEN VIRGINIA BETA SCALPED THE DEKES

progressed to the third flight in handball and should continue through to the finals. The basketball team led by Jack Gillespie got off to a good start by defeating the Deltas. The $\Phi \Delta \Theta$ house was a scene of great activity during the week-end of Fancy Dress.



STARS AT WASHINGTON STATE
Robert Olson and Dale Gentry

Following the ball the chapter entertained with a breakfast Friday morning. The band leader Kay Kyser and his vocalist Ginny Sims were guests at this breakfast.—THOMAS S. BRIZENDINE, *Reporter*.

WASHINGTON ALPHA, UNIVERSITY OF WASHINGTON.—At the beginning of the year Bob Calland, president of Oval Club, initiated two Phi brothers, Sam Baker and Don Thompson, into the organization. Baker is a two-year baseball letterman and Thompson has rowed three years at Poughkeepsie with Washington crews, while Calland has just completed his season as senior football manager. At the annual varsity football banquet held in January, two Phis were appointed to new positions on the 1940 managerial staff.—Keith Shortall as senior-troop manager and Phikeia Sam Brace as sophomore manager. Washington Alpha added another link to its political chain when Paul Pederson was elected to the student Board of Control in the last All-University election, bringing our record to twenty-four consecutive $\Phi \Delta \Theta$ officeholders in the last fifteen years of ASUW elections. In this year's Sun Valley Meet, Carl Neu successfully defended his title as national intercollegiate slalom champion, and is joined on the university ski team by Paul Sceva, Connor Gray, and Frank Buhler.

While they were skiing at Sun Valley, Arnold Groth was qualifying in the all-university golf tournament. Groth was medalist in the qualifying round. Our pledge class is living up to expectations, already participating splendidly in campus activities. Bob Van Druff was awarded numerals as center on the frosh football team. Webb Brown and Ernie Jacobs are high scorers for the undefeated freshman basketball team. Bob Paisley is on the freshman swimming team, while John Lichtenwalner captains the yearling volleyball squad.—FRED MCFARLAND, *Reporter*.

WASHINGTON BETA, WHITMAN COLLEGE.—Brother William R. Davis, former chapter adviser and dean of the division of letters and arts, is acting as president of Whitman college while the president is away indefinitely. Recent election of officers of the Press club finds Jim Miller now in the capacity of president and Bob McMullen vice-president. George Dambacher was the retiring head of the journalism organization. Jack Ballard was recently elected president of the ski club. Others doing outstanding work in this group include Charles Hoffman, Frank Freeman, and Vernon Scholer. Intramural basketball is under way. Outstanding team members are Gil Goodman, Bob Shaw, and Frank Davis. Coach of the team is Phil Graue. Definitely headed for all-conference honors in varsity basketball is Arnel Gentry, captain and center. His work this year has been exceptional. It is also the second straight season that he has captained the Missionaries. Between semesters, several Phis went to the mountains and partook in skiing activities there. Winning some of the events and looking good in others were Jack Ballard, John Storie, Vernon Scholer, Charles Hoffman, Eddie Adams, and Brice Smith. Grades just issued show that fourteen pledges recorded grades over three-point or the "B" average. Living up to the high standards set by the active members and heading the freshman ranks were Ken Ghormley, Mason Carlson, Dave Judd, and Bob Adams. Pledged into $\Phi \Delta \Theta$ recently were Bill Steel and Harold Gradwohl, Walla Walla, and Lambert Snow, Portland. The final results and list of pledges will be contained in the next letter. Debaters Adams, Young, Benedict, and Edwards are busily engaged in practicing for a coming tournament at which they will constitute the team representing Whitman college.—ROBERT McMULLEN, *Reporter*.

WASHINGTON GAMMA, WASHINGTON STATE COLLEGE.—Outstanding men in activities are William Aya national collegiate radio guild; Stanley Dodson, $\Lambda \kappa \Psi$; Bill Sewell, Herb Godfrey, and Joe Beckman varsity lettermen in football. Phiketas Thamas Brannigan and Roger Olson were awarded numerals in fresh-



WEST VIRGINIA ALPHA, 1939-40

man football. Kirk Gebert was awarded a merit certificate for good scholarship in his freshman year by $\Phi\Delta\Theta$. Frank G. Jones, class of 1915, visited the chapter recently. Brother Jones was a member of the Delta club prior to the granting of a charter to



WYOMING ALPHA'S CHAMPION HOCKEY TEAM

Washington Gamma. He is now employed by the United States government as a civil engineer of highway construction. The chapter enjoyed its formal winter dinner dance recently at the Washington Hotel. President Gebert has for his main aim this semester the raising of our scholastic average. On this fine aim, as well as any other which he will present, the chapter is one hundred per cent behind him.—CHARLES MCKENNELLY, *Reporter*.

WEST VIRGINIA ALPHA, WEST VIRGINIA UNIVERSITY.—James Stewart was elected by the chapter to take over the duties of the presidency for the second semester. Under his direction rushing for the second period was started. At the end of the examinations it was found that Brother Hackney had a straight A average for the second consecutive semester which makes him eligible for $\Phi\Delta\Theta$. In addition to this accomplishment Hackney is assistant track manager for the coming season. Phikeias B. Smith and Rhodes are candidate managers for the same sport. Ruch and Hicks are holding down regular positions on the varsity basketball team, while White is the assistant manager. Jones recently gained a berth on the varsity wrestling team and will make his letter this year. C. Cox and Ashworth hold membership in Scabbard and Blade. The chapter recently voted that it would travel in a body to attend the state alumni meeting at Charleston this spring. It has also been noted with pleasure that the Wheeling alumni are organizing a club in the near future. West Virginia Alpha has long felt the need of such clubs and the active members are anxious to co-operate with such organization in any way possible.—WILLIAM Y. KLETT, *Reporter*.

WISCONSIN ALPHA, UNIVERSITY OF WISCONSIN.—On January 8, the chapter was honored by a visit from our Province President, Brother Wilterding. Born has been chosen on the Student Court; Wurtz is the business manager of the *Octopus*, and Moses is a member of the staff. Fourness has joined the *Daily Cardinal* sports staff. Jacob works on the Union Assisting staff, is the sport editor of the *Badger*, and in the coming spring is expected to be the mainstay of the Wisconsin golf team. Kaul is a member of the Apprentice Players. Mangold has just become a member

of $\Delta Z\Phi$, works with the Union Workshop committee, and is chairman of the Spring Hobby Craft show. This year Wisconsin Alpha has revived its chapter newspaper, the *Badger Phi*, to be edited by Brother Christenson. Ted Cahill is the latest pledge of Wisconsin Alpha. Phikeia Oberly is a member of $\Phi\Xi\Sigma$; he has also started to work on the Union Assistance staff, and is an assistant basketball manager. Phikeia Ben Jones has joined the *Badger* staff; while Phikeia Gray is working on the *Daily Cardinal*. Wisconsin Alpha still has hopes of successfully defending the *Badger Bowl*. Our volleyball team won a division championship and continued on to the semi-finals before defeated. The bowling team won its division and has a great start toward the championship. The badminton and track teams have started practice, and great things are expected from both in the way of points in defense of our prize trophy.—RALPH GOODING, *Reporter*.

WISCONSIN BETA, LAWRENCE COLLEGE.—Dwarfing all other news of this period was the receipt of the official announcement on New Year's Day of the winning by this chapter of the coveted Cleveland Trophy, emblematic of general superiority among chapters at colleges enrolling less than eight hundred male students. An improved scholarship record for the college year 1938-39, together with a well-rounded list of merit points in all phases of college activities combined to make the chapter total highest for the last term, during which time the chapter was presided over by Bob Van Nostrand and Bill Hatten for the first and second semesters respectively. Formal presentation is to be made at a joint meeting of the Fox River Valley Alumni Club and of the active chapter with John H. Wilterding, '32, acting officially for the Fraternity in his capacity of province president. In sports, the volleyball team ended in second place in the interfraternity league Donahue, Everett, and Oliver were outstanding for the team. The chapter basketball squad, with MacRae and Donahue listed among the leading scorers, stands in second place at the end of the first half of the race. Of the six most handsome men on the campus selected by popular vote of the coeds, four are members of this chapter. The charming Beau Brummels are Everett, Garman, Garvey, and Hogue.—RAY MILLER, *Reporter*.

WYOMING ALPHA, UNIVERSITY OF WYOMING.—Six men were initiated into Wyoming Alpha, February 17: Glenn Harvey, Jack Moses, Jack Shuts, Elmer Brown, Robert Kimball, and Jesse Frost. Six men were pledged at the beginning of this quarter: Basil Cole, Jack Rhodes, Tye Moore, David Crum, Chester Jones, and Harry Davis. Seven of the twenty-two members recently initiated into Scabbard and Blade were members of Wyoming Alpha: Correll, Phil Winterholler, Black, Richardson, Best, Harvey, and Clare. Floyd Gorrell was recently elected president of $\Delta\Xi\Phi$ and Jack Shuts is the new president of $\Phi\Xi\Phi$. Fred Hart is head of collegiate chapter of the FFA. Wyoming Alpha forged into the lead in the race for the intramural plaque by annexing the hockey title for the second consecutive year. Waller, Gorrell, and Grooman were chosen to the all-star team. McGee and Lehecka were placed on the second team. Wyoming Alpha was in second place in scholarship for the fall quarter. John Winterholler was named cadet colonel, highest officer in the local R.O.T.C., at the beginning of winter quarter. Editor Smith and Sports Editor Jernigan represented the *Branding Iron* and the University at the recent intercollegiate press convention.—CHARLES SMITH, *Reporter*.

Chapter Grand

JOHN POTTER TORIAN, *Sewanee '33*, *North Carolina '34*, was killed in an automobile accident near Martin Springs, Tennessee, December 10, 1939. At the time of his death he was in the actuarial department of the Provident Life and Accident Insurance Company in Chattanooga.

Jack, the son of Dr. Oscar Noel Torian, *Sewanee '96*, and Sarah Hodgson Torian, was born in Indianapolis, Ind., May 26, 1912. He secured his early education in the public schools of Indianapolis, and completed his secondary education at the Mesa Ranch School, Arizona, in 1929. He entered the University of the South in 1929, and was initiated into Tennessee Beta in 1930.

Jack spent the year 1931-32 at the University of North Carolina where he affiliated with North Carolina Beta. Returning to *Sewanee* in 1932, he added to his impressive honors list by serving as alumni editor of his school paper and was chosen to the Blue Key leadership society. Among his other honors was membership in $\Phi B K$. Jack then returned to North Carolina as a teaching fellow. He served as preceptor for North Carolina Beta and also won his M.A. degree. He continued his graduate work at Columbia University. In 1936 he joined the Provident Life and Accident Company which he served with distinction. His company's chief spoke in highest terms of Jack's character, ability, and great promise.

Jack Torian was a scion of the noblest in the social, religious, and cultural life of the South. He was an aristocrat in all the higher implications of that word. His family has long been one of the cornerstones of that unique and superb institution, the University of the South. The Episcopal Church has long numbered his forebears on its roll of leaders. $\Phi \Delta \Theta$ has been enriched by three generations of his clan. His father, Dr. Oscar Torian, has found time in the midst of his professional life, to serve on the Board of Trustees of *Sewanee* and to lead in every worthwhile project of Tennessee Beta. His uncle, Dr. John Hamilton Potter Hodgson, was one of the charter members of Tennessee Beta. His grandfather, Dr. Telfair Hodgson, vice-chancellor of the University of the South, gave a part and lent the rest of the funds for the construction of the original Tennessee Beta house, the first fraternity house built by any fraternity in the South and the first chapter house owned by $\Phi \Delta \Theta$. Jack's elder brother, Telfair Hodgson Torian, *Sewanee '29*, died during his junior year. His parents gave Tennessee Beta a beautiful memorial room in his name.

Jack Torian believed in only a few institutions and ideals. But these were of superb quality.

His devotion to them was intense, deep, and sacrificial. The University of the South and the Episcopal Church were close to his heart. But next to honor, and his family, and intellectual aspiration towards truth, he loved $\Phi \Delta \Theta$.



JOHN POTTER TORIAN, *Sewanee '33*

A Phi by heritage, environment, and temperament, he gave to his Fraternity the fruits of a magnificent mind, a sacrificial capacity for loyalty, a driving, dynamic, never-waning devotion. Every phase of its life, every chapter in its farflung ranks was the object of his interest and labor.

His father and mother plan to complete and furnish the chapter room of Tennessee Beta as a memorial. This is beautifully appropriate because Jack was one of those who staunchly believe that the ritual of $\Phi \Delta \Theta$ should be preserved and practiced in its original dignity and beauty so that the spirit of the Bond should not languish.

His eternal memorial will be in the hearts of all those who revere him for his myriad services to the Fraternity as well as in the spirits of the host of those, Phis and others, who were inspired by his brilliance, character, and ideals of true aristocracy, enriched by his unselfish friendship, touched by the glory of his devotion to $\Phi \Delta \Theta$.—ROLAND B. PARKER.

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DANIEL BUSSIER SHUMWAY, *Pennsylvania '89*, died after an operation on January 11, 1940, after a long and distinguished career at the University of Pennsylvania. Born in Philadelphia, in May 1868, the son of Lowell and Anna Bussier Shum-



DANIEL BUSSIER SHUMWAY, *Pennsylvania '89*

way, he graduated from the Central High School in 1886 and from the University of Pennsylvania in the class of 1889. He was Instructor in English at his alma mater for two years, and then went to Germany on leave and studied in Göttingen, Berlin, and Munich, receiving the degree of Ph.D. in Germanic Philology in 1894. Returning to the University he was made an instructor in German; he was advanced to assistant professor, and in 1908 was made professor of German Philology. For many years he was head of the German department, doing mostly post-graduate teaching.

At the beginning of the past summer he became emeritus professor and special lecturer. At the time of his retirement he was given a dinner at the University Club in Philadelphia, which was attended by many of his former graduate students, members of the faculty, and colleagues from other Eastern universities. He was a member of ΦΒΚ fraternity, and active in the University chapter. He was also a member of the Franklin Inn Club in Philadelphia, of the Modern Language Association of America, the Pennsylvania Folk-Lore Society and the Pennsylvania German Society, acting as chairman of the Library Committee of the German Society for many years. At the University he is remembered as a fine scholar, skillful administrator, and beloved teacher.

Dr. Shumway wrote many philological articles,

and for years wrote the critical German bibliography of the Publications of the Modern Language Association of America. While in Germany he married Elsbeth Lotze, who died in 1913, and in 1921 married Mary Quimby, who with two daughters survives him. His brother, Dr. Edward A. Shumway, practices medicine in Philadelphia, and is also a member of Pennsylvania Zeta, class of '91. * * *

FRANK MOORE, [*Dickinson '91*], for twenty years superintendent of the New Jersey State Reformatory, died December 27, 1939, at Rahway, New Jersey. He was seventy-one years old.

Before his retirement, Dr. Moore was considered an authority on penology and he instituted many reforms which have been copied by other institutions. The New Jersey Reformatory was one of the first penal institutions to introduce motion pictures for the inmates.

Dr. Moore was one of the first to institute psychological examination of prisoners in this country. He abolished the dungeons which were used at Rahway for solitary confinement and also did away with the custom of making prisoners eat with their faces turned toward the wall. The custom of handcuffing prisoners to center bars in their cells was also discontinued by him.

When he came to the reformatory it had been the custom for the young prisoners to work all day and go to school at night. Dr. Moore decreed that students should work half the day and go to school the other half. He introduced baseball to the prison. One of his most novel innovations was the custom of allowing inmates to attend the funerals of either of their parents "on their honor." Only one prisoner in twenty years failed to return. He was recaptured.

Dr. Moore was born in Chester, England. He came to this country as a child and passed the rest of his life in various parts of New Jersey. He studied for the ministry in the Pennington, N.J., Seminary and was graduated from Dickinson College. He held pastorates at Methodist churches in Spring Lake, Moorestown, Woodbridge, and Little Shoulder, all in New Jersey, before becoming superintendent of the reformatory in 1909.

In 1925, President Calvin Coolidge appointed him as one of two delegates to the International Prison conference in London in August of that year. He served a term as president of the National Prison Congress in this country and was known as an author and lecturer on prison reform.—*New York Herald Tribune*.

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JOHN JUNIOR MACKEY, *Lombard '90*, died September 30, 1939, at his home in Williamsfield, Ill. He was born October 24, 1859, in Jackson County, Md., of Scotch parents. For fully half a century Brother Mackey had engaged in general farming, only in late years having retired from its more active duties. He is survived by his widow, a daughter, and two sons.

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AUGUSTUS TABER SWIFT, [Brown '89], aged 72, a Brown University graduate and Providence high school teacher for more than thirty years, died Nov. 4, 1939, at Providence R.I.

Before beginning his teaching career, Dr. Swift worked as a reporter and served as private secretary to the late Governor Charles Warren Lippitt, both during and after his term of office.

Dr. Swift was a native of New Bedford and the son of the late John F. and Helen T. Swift. He graduated from Brown in 1889, received his Master's degree the following year and was awarded the degree of Doctor of Philosophy in 1896. He was a member of $\Phi\beta\kappa$, was one of the organizers and first president of Alpha Chapter of $\Phi\Delta\theta$ fraternity, and last spring took an active part in the fiftieth anniversary of the local chapter.

Dr. Swift was an instructor in German at Brown from 1890 to 1892 and an instructor in French in 1894 and 1895. From 1892 to 1894 he served as master in modern languages at Hotchkiss School, Lakeville, Conn.

He became a teacher in English high school here in 1897, continuing there until 1923, when he was transferred to Commercial high school. He was retired in 1929. For a number of years he was in charge of job placement of high school pupils and graduates, being named director of the employment bureau when it was established in 1918, and was instrumental in obtaining positions for about 1500 boys and girls.

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GEORGE FUERLE SCHLESINGER [Ohio State '07], chief engineer and managing director of the National Paving Brick Association, died of a heart attack December 1, 1939, at Washington, D.C.

A native of Xenia, Ohio, he was graduated in civil engineering from Ohio State University in 1907. After six years in private engineering practice he returned to the university in 1913 as a member of the faculty of the civil engineering department.

During the World War, he was engineer on Government construction projects at the Columbus Reserve Depot, later joining the staff of the chief engineer, Ohio State Highway Department.

Mr. Schlesinger was director of the Ohio State Department of Highways and Public Works from 1925 until 1928, when he was named chief engineer and managing director of the National Paving Brick Association.

He was a member of many professional engineering societies, and of the Ohio State Faculty Club, the Congressional Country Club, the National Press Club, and the $\Phi\Delta\theta$ Fraternity. He was a Shriner and the thirty-second degree Mason.—*Washington Post*.

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WILLIAM SMITH MURRAY, Syracuse '88, a charter member of New York Epsilon, died at Lakeland, Fla., May 9, 1939.

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EDWARD LINCOLN SUTTON, Allegheny '05, died January 25, 1940, at his home in Bellevue, Pa.

Brother Sutton was the kind of Phi of whom we are all proud; he was not only a professed brother in the Bond, but he worked at his



EDWARD LINCOLN SUTTON, Allegheny '05

brotherhood and friendship among the older members of the Fraternity and the men in the chapters. It was a familiar sight at the home-coming banquets of Pennsylvania Delta to have this good brother present to the active chapter the pennies, nickels, and dimes that he had placed in the container throughout the preceding year for the benefit of the active chapter. This indicated that he had the chapter on his mind every time he placed a coin in that container, and when he presented his savings to the chapter he did it with as much glee and pleasure as any boy would have in presenting his mother or his father with a gift. Not only did he save these coins but out of a busy physician's life he took time to come back to the chapter very regularly in recent years and the boys came to look upon him as their real friend.

Not only did Brother Sutton act as a brother to Pennsylvania Delta, but he was one of the largest subscribers to the chapter at the University of Pittsburgh when their chapter house was under construction and repair.

Brother Sutton was sixty years old at the time of his decease; he had served as a member of the staff of the Suburban General Hospital in Bellevue and had practiced medicine in Bellevue and adjoining boroughs ever since graduating from the Medical School of Maryland, thirty-three years ago.—A. D. P. MILLER, Allegheny, '08.

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RHODES SEMMES BAKER, [Texas '96], aged 66, died Feb. 6, 1940, at his home in Dallas. He was regarded as one of the foremost lawyers in Texas.

Accepted as a colleague by art collectors, Bible students, officers and directors of industrial firms and the state's ablest lawyers, Mr. Baker was largely a self-educated man.

He was born in Duckhill, Miss., May 30, 1874. The family moved to San Angelo, when Rhodes Baker was 10. As a boy, he worked in his father's hardware store there during the daytime and read law at night. He entered the University of Texas without benefit of an academic course in 1894 at the age of 20.

Two years later he took his degree, first honor man of his class and that year he began his law practice in Dallas. He made an immediate success. On April 23, 1901, he was admitted to practice before the United States Supreme Court, and he began the long parade of cases that were to have a decisive effect on Texas.

More than a decade ago he started preparing his most famous case, an income tax suit, Hopkins, the Collector of Internal Revenue, vs. Bacon. In it Mr. Baker and his client sought to deny the right of the Federal Government to force husband and wife to file a joint income tax return in Texas and seven other states with similar community property laws. In October, 1930, the Supreme Court handed down a decision upholding Mr. Baker's contention that husband and wife might file separate tax returns, thus avoiding the taxes of the higher brackets.

At the time of his death he was a member of the firm of Thompson, Knight, Baker, and Harris.

He found his outside interests in the Bible class he taught at the First Presbyterian Church for thirty-seven years, in reading, and in art collecting. He was an avid student of the Bible, and the long hours he spent with books in the fine library at his home had made him acquainted with wide literature.

Mr. Baker was a member of the Dallas, Texas, and American Bar Associations, the Dallas Chamber of Commerce, the Dallas Historical Society, the Dallas Country Club, the Dallas Athletic Club, and $\Phi \Delta \Theta$. He was a past president of the University of Texas Ex-Students Association.—*Dallas Morning News*.

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BENJAMIN HENRY THOEMING, JR., Wyoming '40, and RICHARD HARRIS SHELDON, Wyoming '43, were killed in an automobile accident which occurred November 26, 1939, near Lingle, Wyo. They were in a party of five University of Wyoming students returning from the Thanksgiving holiday. Two others of the party suffered minor injuries.

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CHESTER HEWES KIRK, Pennsylvania '91, a well-known architect, died August 27, 1939, at San Mateo, Calif., aged 70 years.

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BENJAMIN STALKER BUCKMASTER, Wisconsin '16, died suddenly December 24, 1939, at his home at Highland Park, Illinois, of cerebral hemorrhage. He was born March 8, 1893, the son of Albert E. and Nellie Stalker Buckmaster. His early home was at Kenosha, Wisconsin. He entered University of Wisconsin, became a member of Wisconsin Alpha, and was graduated in Mechanical Engineering in the class of 1916.

At the beginning of the World War he enlisted in the United States Navy, was given a rating of chief petty officer, and detailed to a submarine chaser on which he served as chief engineer, his base being New Haven, Conn. After some months he was commissioned an Ensign and later Lieutenant, junior grade. His last station was at the Columbia Naval Gas Engine School, New York City.

At the time of his death he was general manager of the Pfanstiel Chemical Company, of Waukegan, Illinois. He is survived by his widow, Lila Taylor Buckmaster, a daughter, Lila Jean, now a freshman at Beloit College, and a son, Albert Taylor Buckmaster. His father, the late Albert Ellsworth Buckmaster, and his two brothers, Dean A. Buckmaster, of Evanston, Ill., and Bruce M. Buckmaster, of Washington, D.C., are enrolled as Phis of Wisconsin Alpha, of the classes of '89, '21, and '25 respectively.

Funeral services were held December 27 at the Highland Park Presbyterian Church, of which he was a trustee, and interment was in Memorial Park, Evanston, Ill.—D. A. B.

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WILLIAM MARTIN GIBSON [Dartmouth '13], died suddenly on Oct. 19, 1939, in St. Johnsbury, Vt.

He was born on September 20, 1890, at East Ryegate, Vt., the son of Martin H. and Mary F. (Clark) Gibson, and prepared for college at St. Johnsbury Academy. He played two years on the varsity football team, was captain of the basketball team; president of the class his senior year; a member of Palaeopitus, $\Phi \Delta \Theta$, and Casque and Gauntlet. He graduated in 1913 and was in the Thayer School the greater part of the following year.

At first he was associated with his father in the lumber business at East Ryegate, and then became a farmer on his own 300-acre farm at Barnet, Vt. During the war he served with the Aviation Section of the Signal Corps. Later he entered the engineering division of the Vermont State Highway Department and has been an efficient district highway commissioner for the past six years. He made his home in St. Johnsbury until he recently moved to South Ryegate. His wife and one daughter survive him.—*Dartmouth Alumni Magazine*.

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DR. JOSEPH LEE KIRBY-SMITH, *Sewanee* '99, aged 57, died at his home in Jacksonville, Fla., Nov. 5, 1939. He was a widely known dermatologist and pioneer in tropical medicine.

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ROY CARLETON BRISTOL [*Michigan State '93*], former president of the Parker Rust Proof Co., died December 11, 1939, at his home at Royal Oak, Mich. He was 70 years old. He graduated from Michigan State College in 1893.

A pioneer in the development of the gasoline motor, Roy Bristol was president and general manager of the Alamo Gas Engine Co., of Hillsdale. He joined the Parker Rust Proof Co. soon after its formation and served as sales manager and later on the board of directors before being elected president. He headed the concern for five years until 1928, when he was chosen chairman of the board. Upon his retirement he was named vice-president.

He was credited with interesting the United States Government in rust-proofing processes in the World War. This process was acclaimed by officials as saving the nation millions of dollars.

Mr. Bristol was a Mason and a member of $\Phi\Delta\Theta$ Fraternity and the Pine Lake Country Club.—*Detroit Free Press*.

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WILLIAM BOOTHBY KUGLER, *Cornell '02*, internationally known restaurateur of Philadelphia, was found shot to death in his apartment November 28, 1939. The coroner pronounced it a clear case of suicide, the motive being overwork and worry caused by ill health; he had recently discovered that he had a heart ailment.

William Kugler was the best-known representative of the family which has been identified with the cafe business since the first Kugler restaurant was established in Vienna three generations ago. The Philadelphia Kugler's was opened in 1876, shortly before the Centennial Exposition, by Clarence B. Kugler, father of the brothers, William and Clarence, who succeeded him in the business. For more than sixty years Kugler's has been a traditional Philadelphia institution, famous for its fine food and its fine service. Until a few weeks ago there were four Phis closely connected with the business: William Kugler, president; Clarence B. Kulger, Jr., *Cornell '03*, his brother, treasurer; Clarence B. Kugler, III, *Cornell '25*, his son; and his nephew, Clarence K. Gundaker, *Cornell '24*.

Brother Kugler a few weeks ago retired from the presidency of the old establishment to become proprietor of the closed Arcadia Restaurant, another well-known Philadelphia cafe. It was overwork in connection with the new enterprise which led to his suicide.

He was devoted to $\Phi\Delta\Theta$, and for some years served on the board of directors of the Philadelphia Alumni Club. He had a rare capacity for making close friends, and his place among Philadelphia Phis will be hard to fill.

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FREDERICK ROLLIN KAUTZ, *Butler '87*, president of the Kautz Stationery Company, of Indianapolis, died April 24, 1939.

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ROBERT BEACH PHILLIPS, *Columbia '14*, journalist and short story writer, died January 6, 1940, at Gary, Indiana, at the age of 48. For many years he had been the advertising manager of the *Gary Post-Tribune*, and executive secretary of the Retail Merchants Bureau of Gary.

Phillips was born at Alexandria, Indiana, where his father was president of the community's leading bank. He received his high school training at Alexandria and Shortridge High, Indianapolis, and spent his freshman year at Earlham College, Richmond. From Earlham, the young man, who then seemed destined for a career in letters, went to Columbia University and graduated from the school of journalism. Here he became a Phi, a member of New York Delta. He served for a time as reporter on the *New York Herald*, and other papers in New York State.

Following his graduation from Columbia, he felt his preparation had been somehow incomplete. Scraping together a "stake," he went to England where, for a time, he took post-graduate studies in London, later going to Paris and Berlin, where he worked alternately as a foreign correspondent and as a collaborator and independent writer of fiction.

After three sojourns in England and continental Europe, Phillips returned to the United States and for a time turned out fiction.

However, the call of the newspaper finally overcame his yen for fictioneering, and in early 1915 he returned to Indiana to join the news staff of the *Anderson Herald*. Subsequently he was editor of the *Columbus Ledger*, and finally associated himself with the *Gary Post*; after the *Post* merged with the *Tribune* he became advertising manager.

A brilliant and cultured conversationalist, Robert Phillips had a rare gift of making friends, and he was recognized throughout the state as one of the most gifted and successful publicity men.

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DR. DAVID WILLIAM VAN CAMP [*Gettysburg '94*], 67, former president of the Cumberland County and Cumberland Valley Medical societies, died December 30, 1938, at his home in Plainfield, near Carlisle. For forty years prior to his death he had served as a physician. Dr. Van Camp received his pre-medical training at Gettysburg College where he was salutatorian of his class. In 1898 he was graduated from the University of Pennsylvania Medical School.—*Gettysburg College Bulletin*.

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PAUL MOORE TAYLOR, *Northwestern '09*, banker and publisher of the *Indiana Farmers' Guide*, died April 23, 1938, at Huntington, Ind.

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VINCENT EATON TOMLINSON, *Akron '80*, pastor of the First Universalist Church of Worcester, Mass., died June 16, 1938.

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CARL CHRISTIAN BLOCK, *Pennsylvania* '07, aged 55, died October 30, 1930, at Peoria, Ill., which had been his home all his life.

He was educated at Bradley Polytechnic, Garnier Institute in Germany, and the University of Pennsylvania, from which he was graduated in 1907. He was an enthusiastic member of Pennsylvania Zeta, and was active in many undergraduate pursuits, including football, boxing, swimming, and dramatics. He was a member of Mask and Wig and took part in many of their productions.

Immediately leaving college he returned to Peoria to enter business in the Block and Kuhl Co., the leading mercantile concern of the town, and he continued with the firm the rest of his life, latterly serving as its president and chairman of its board.

A successful business man, he was also a leader in the civic and social life of his city. He was active in the Masonic order and was a trustee of the Congregational Church. He was an early aviation enthusiast, earning his transport pilot's license in 1933.

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EDWARD WELLS DEWOLFE, *Purdue* '25, B.S. M.E., aged 38, died suddenly August 15, 1939, from a heart attack in his home at Chicago, Ill. He was associated with his father in the DeWolfe Advertising Co. at 608 S. Dearborn St., Chicago, Ill. He had had heart attacks since 1927, but they were not given much consideration and he continued to work until 1936, when they became more frequent. In the last year, he was much better and began to enjoy himself again. He was well liked by everyone who knew him. Burial was in Mount Emblem Cemetery.

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LAWRENCE BROOKS BASSETT, *Case* '01, died suddenly of a heart attack at his home at Cleveland, Ohio, August 12, 1939, two days after he had celebrated his sixtieth birthday. A native of Cleveland, Brother Bassett attended Case School of Applied Science and was graduated from the Michigan College of Mines, Houghton.

He worked several years as a mining engineer before returning to Cleveland as an associate of his father in the Forman-Bassett Co. On the death of his father he became president of the Bassett Lithographing Co., which later became the Bassett Co.

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ARTHUR GROGAN SHANKLE, *Emory* '94, retired minister of the Methodist Episcopal Church, died at Oxford, Ga., June 21, 1939. In the forty years of his ministry he had served churches in Augusta, Rome, Carrollton, and Atlanta.

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ABDON HOLT, *Southwestern* '87, for many years a Federal appraiser at Abilene, Tex., died there February 9, 1938. He was a charter member of Texas Gamma.

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HAROLD EARL SEAMANS, *Union* '10, died March 4, 1939, in Marathon, N.Y. He was born in Cortland, N.Y., December 4, 1888, the son of W. Earle and Addie R. Seamans. In 1906 he entered Union College from the Marathon High School, and was graduated in 1910 with the degree of Bachelor of Engineering.

After graduation he was associated with his father in the firm of W. E. Seamans & Son; but for the past twenty-five years he had been in the automobile business, most of that time as a representative of the Ford Motor Co. His garage and workshop, which he had built, was destroyed by the flood of 1935, and he at once built a new plant.

Brother Seamans was active in public affairs, was one of the founders of the Marathon Country Club and of the Marathon Chamber of Commerce; and one of his services for the community was the purchase of property which had fallen into disuse and the construction of usable buildings on it.

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GAILERD WILLIAM GREER, *Lombard* '17, died suddenly June 20, 1939, in Evanston, Ill., following a heart attack. He was born October 15, 1894, in Orion, Ill. Since young manhood and for almost thirty years his home had been in Galesburg, Ill., and here over an extended period he had worked and met with success in the insurance field. He was prominently identified with the city's social and civic activities, and had served as president of the Galesburg Club. Brother Greer had two years of military service during the World War. His widow survives him.—HAROLD M. HOLLAND.

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PHILIP ORVILLE POTTER [*Lawrence* '39], of the U. S. Army Air Corps, was killed during a training flight at Balboa, Canal Zone, November 17, 1939.

The son of Mr. and Mrs. Byron S. Potter of Chicago, he was born in London, England, and grew up in Sao Paulo, Brazil, where his father was a representative of the Armour Packing Company.

He came to the United States to enter St. John's academy and after his graduation from that school entered Lawrence College. After enrolling in the air corps, he was sent to the Canal Zone because of his ability to speak Spanish and Portuguese.

Potter's plane, flying in a formation, had its tail torn off by a plane immediately behind. Potter was killed instantly, the other damaged plane landing safely.

The funeral was held in Madison, Wis. Members of the $\Phi\Delta\Theta$ Fraternity of which both he and his brother were members, were bearers.—*Appleton Post-Crescent*.

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HENRY McDONNELL, *Auburn* '04, manufacturer, of El Paso, Tex., died March 13, 1936.

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WILLIAM MAHON TOMLINSON [Knox '15], aged 45, prominent business man and civic leader, died November 23, 1939, at Blackfoot, Idaho.

He was born at Alexis, Ill., on July 4, 1894, a son of Margaret J. Mahon and Walter Scott Tomlinson. On May 5, 1917, he married Celestine West at Salt Lake City, Utah. He was a graduate of Knox College at Galesburg, Ill., and a member of the $\Phi\Delta\Theta$ Fraternity.

Mr. Tomlinson had been an employee of the Tri State Lumber Company twenty-three years and for sixteen years was manager of the Blackfoot branch. Less than a year ago he retired because of ill health. He had been a member of the Blackfoot city council the past thirteen years and was also a member of the Blackfoot Elks lodge and of St. Bernard's Catholic Church.

Surviving are his widow, two sons and a daughter, William Mahon Tomlinson, a student at the University of Idaho at Moscow; Margaret Tomlinson, St. Anthony, and Edmund Eugene Tomlinson, Blackfoot.—*Salt Lake Tribune*.

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DR. ARTHUR GODFREY FORT [Emory '99], died suddenly September 22, 1939, at Atlanta. He was recognized as one of the most eminent ophthalmologists and otologists in the South, and did notable work as an epidemiologist on the staff of the Rockefeller Foundation. He was a member of the medical faculty of Emory University and of the staff of Grady Hospital. He was a devoted Phi, and members of the Fraternity were an honorary escort at his funeral. He was buried at his native town of Lumpkin, Ga.

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THOMAS BERTRAM CAVANAUGH [Emory '03], of Bradenton, Fla., died October 18, 1938. Mr. Cavanaugh received his A.B. degree in 1905 from Princeton. A native of Savannah, Ga., he was at one time president of the Knickerbocker Ice company there. He moved from Savannah to Bradenton about 15 years ago where he was engaged in real estate and accounting. He is survived by his widow, a son, and a daughter.—*Emory Alumnus*.

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ALBERT WELLMAN PRATT, Auburn '03, died of cancer in a hospital at Wrangell, Alaska, Jan. 23, 1940. He had been a resident of the territory since 1900. An interesting sketch of this interesting man appeared in the SCROLL for December, 1938, page 178.

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EMBREE MUNSEY SLACK, Franklin '99, aged 61, president of the Bristol Publishing Co., Bristol, Virginia-Tennessee, publishers of the *Bristol*

Herald-Courier and the *Bristol News-Bulletin*, died December 7, 1939, at Abingdon, Va.

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DONALD REAM GRAYBILL, *Westminster* '40, died after a long illness December 10, 1939, at his home in Lebanon, Pennsylvania. He was born May 29, 1918, at Ashland, Ky. His high school work was completed at Webster Groves, Mo., and he entered Westminster College in the fall of 1936. He was forced to give up his college work in his sophomore year. He was an active participant in all college activities, and his genial and happy disposition made him a general favorite. His heart was with $\Phi\Delta\Theta$ and Westminster, and through his long illness his constant thought was with his college mates. He was active in church work and took deep interest in the Boy Scout movement. His two brothers are Phis: Gilbert Graybill, *Westminster* '37, now a student in the Washington University School of Medicine, and Ray Graybill, *Westminster* '42, a sophomore in Missouri Beta.

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CHARLES DANIEL DUFF, *Washburn* '37, 24 years old and in his last year in college, a popular and respected student, died April 30, 1939, in Christ's hospital from chest and head injuries received in a motor car accident south of Topeka. He had recently purchased a camera and had expressed a desire to take a night photograph of a train. He left the fraternity house late the night of April 29, presumably to take a photograph of a Santa Fe train that left Topeka at midnight. He was returning from his mission when the accident occurred.

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DARIUS SIDNEY HUNKINS, *Cornell* '02, of St. Louis, Mo., died September 24, 1939, of a heart attack following an illness of several months. Brother Hunkins, 59, was president of the Peerless White Lime Co. and vice-president of the Hunkins-Willis Lime and Cement Co. He was active in Masonic organizations and was a thirty-second degree Mason. He leaves his wife Flora T., and two sons, D. S. Jr., and Fred Franklin Hunkins, *Washington* '36.

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DR. REGINALD HENRY JACKSON [Wisconsin '96], founder of the Jackson Clinic and chief of staff of the Methodist Hospital, Madison, died September 6, 1939, at Madison, Wis., aged sixty-three years. He was president of the Western Surgeons Association in 1935 and was formerly on the board of governors of the American College of Surgeons.—*New York Times*.

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- TENNESSEE BETA** (1883), UNIVERSITY OF THE SOUTH, Sewanee, Tenn. *President*, Lee McGriff, Jr.; *Reporter*, John Longenecker, Jr., $\Phi \Delta \Theta$ House; *Advisers*, H. M. Gass and Telfair Hodgson.
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- TEXAS GAMMA** (1886), SOUTHWESTERN UNIVERSITY, Georgetown, Tex. *President*, Joe Sneed; *Reporter*, Roy Bland, $\Phi \Delta \Theta$ House, 915 Pine St.; *Adviser*, Judge Sam Stone, 1509 Olive St.
- TEXAS DELTA** (1922), SOUTHERN METHODIST UNIVERSITY, Dallas, Tex. *President*, James K. Wilson, Jr.; *Reporter*, Lynn L. Northrup, Jr., $\Phi \Delta \Theta$ House, S.M.U. Campus; *Adviser*, Prof. W. M. Longnecker, 3512 Lindenwood St.
- UTAH ALPHA** (1914), UNIVERSITY OF UTAH, Salt Lake City, Utah. *President*, Fred Kaul; *Reporter*, George Denton, $\Phi \Delta \Theta$ House, 1371 E. South Temple St.; *Adviser*, Oscar Moyle, First Natl. Bank.
- VERMONT ALPHA** (1879), UNIVERSITY OF VERMONT, Burlington, Vt. *President*, Martin J. Boucher, Jr.; *Reporter*, Clark Miller, $\Phi \Delta \Theta$ House, 439 College St.; *Advisers*, Olney W. Hill, 491 S. Union St., and Kenneth H. Gurney, 79 Spruce St.
- VIRGINIA BETA** (1873), UNIVERSITY OF VIRGINIA, University, Va. *President*, Richard D. Moore; *Reporter*, William Bell, Jr., $\Phi \Delta \Theta$ House, *Advisers*, Daniel H. Terry, $\Phi \Delta \Theta$ House, and M. M. Pence, People's Nat. Bank, Charlottesville.
- VIRGINIA GAMMA** (1874), RANDOLPH-MACON COLLEGE, Ashland, Va. *President*, Douglas Stettett; *Reporter*, David L. Balthis, $\Phi \Delta \Theta$ House, Clay St.; *Adviser*, Greljet Simpson, Henry Clay Hotel.
- VIRGINIA DELTA** (1875), UNIVERSITY OF RICHMOND, Richmond, Va. *President*, Edward Bragg; *Reporter*, Harold G. Owens; *Advisers*, Fred Caylor, University of Richmond; Robert H. Morrison, c/o C. & O. Ry.
- VIRGINIA ZETA** (1887), WASHINGTON AND LEE UNIVERSITY, Lexington, Va. *President*, Richard Day; *Reporter*, Thomas S. Briendine, $\Phi \Delta \Theta$ House, 5 W. Henry St.; *Adviser*, Earl S. Mattingly, Washington and Lee Univ.
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WASHINGTON GAMMA (1918), WASHINGTON STATE COLLEGE, Pullman, Wash. *President*, Robert Gebert; *Reporter*, Charles McNelly, $\Phi \Delta \Theta$ House, 600 Campus Ave.; *Adviser*, George T. Blakkob, 1212 Maiden Lane.

WEST VIRGINIA ALPHA (1926), WEST VIRGINIA UNIVERSITY, Morgantown, W.Va. *President*, James Stewart; *Reporter*, William Y. Klett, $\Phi \Delta \Theta$ House, 480 Spruce St.; *Adviser*, Paul Topper, 221 Hight St.

WISCONSIN ALPHA (1837), UNIVERSITY OF WISCONSIN, Madison, Wis. *President*, John DeWitt; *Reporter*, Ralph

Gooding, $\Phi \Delta \Theta$ House, 620 N. Lake St.; *Adviser*, Randolph Conners, 121 W. Doty.

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WYOMING ALPHA (1934), UNIVERSITY OF WYOMING, Laramie, Wyo. *President*, Don H. Waller; *Reporter*, Charles Smith, $\Phi \Delta \Theta$ House, 610 Iverson Ave.; *Adviser*, Prof. A. F. Vass, University of Wyoming.

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ALABAMA

BIRMINGHAM.—Irvine C. Porter, 203 Comer Bldg.
MOBILE.—C. A. L. Johnstone, Jr., 20 Blacklawn.
MONTGOMERY.—V. Bonneau Murray, Jr., 1505 S. Perry St.

ARIZONA

PHOENIX.—George Erhardt, 15 E. Buchanan St. Wednesday, at noon, San Carlos French Cafe.
TUCSON.—Fred Nave, Valley Nat. Bldg.

CALIFORNIA

HOLLYWOOD-BEVERLY HILLS.—Hollywood Athletic Club.
LONG BEACH.—Chas. S. Pitcairn, 502 Insurance Exchange Bldg. Second Tuesday at noon, Lord & Taylor Grill, 24 Pacific Ave.
LOS ANGELES.—Alan C. Macaulay, 614 S. Hope St. Wednesday, at noon, University Club.
OAKLAND (EAST BAY).—Dudley H. Nebeker, 1419 Broadway. Luncheon, Friday, 12:10 P.M., Hotel Coit, Fifteenth and Harrison Sts.
PASADENA.—R. L. Rogers, 4419 Commonwealth Ave. First Thursday, 7:00 P.M., Flintbridge Country Club.
SAN DIEGO.—Arnold Fleet, 1787 Guy St. Third Thursday, San Diego Club.
SAN FRANCISCO.—John Garth, 535 Sacramento St. Luncheon, Thursday, Commercial Club, 465 California St.

COLORADO

DENVER.—Vernon J. Heckman, 333 Colorado Nat. Bank Bldg. Thursday, 12:15 P.M., Denver Dry Goods Tea Room.
FORT COLLINS.—S. Avery Bice, 1001 Mathews St. First and third Mondays, 7:45 P.M., 1011 Remington St.

CONNECTICUT

BRIDGEPORT.—
NEW HAVEN.—Harry B. Kaffer, 280 Elm St. Last Thursday, 7:00 P.M., Hofbrau Restaurant.

DELAWARE

WILMINGTON.—W. George Bowles, 3 N. Clifton Ave.

DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA

WASHINGTON.—Everett Flood, 4221 Connecticut Ave. Luncheon, Thursday, 12:30 P.M., Hamilton Hotel.

FLORIDA

GAINESVILLE.—Calvert Pepper, 1434 Cherokee Ave.
JACKSONVILLE.—J. Harold Trammell, 912 Graham Bldg.
MIAMI.—R. Van Dorn Post, 2222 N.W. Second St. Wednesday, 12:30 P.M., Walgreen's. Third floor.
ST. PETERSBURG.—Paul Morton Brown, Suwanee Hotel.

TAMPA.—Chester H. Ferguson, Maas Office Bldg.

GEORGIA

ATLANTA.—Hammond Dean, care Travelers Ins. Co., 10 Pryor St. Bldg. Second Tuesday, 12:30 P.M., Atlanta Athletic Club.
GAINESVILLE.—M. C. Brown, Jr.
MACON.—Tom Flournoy, Jr., 629 Adams St.
ROME.—Harry Boss, Tubize Chatillon Co. Third Tuesday, 6:30 P.M., Hotel General Forrest.
WAYNESBORO.—John J. Jones, Box 77.

HAWAII

HONOLULU.—Second Wednesday, Commercial Club.

IDAHO

BOISE.—C. J. Powell, 804 Jefferson St. Third Wednesday, 12:15 P.M., Hotel Boise.

ILLINOIS

CHAMPAIGN-URBANA.—Dr. E. L. Draper, 306 S. Mathews St., Urbana.
CHICAGO.—Paul H. Whitney, Room 1433, 1 N. LaSalle St. Friday, at noon, Hardings Fair Store, Adams and Dearborn.
EVANSTON (NORTH SHORE).—John S. Fields, Lunt Administration Building, Northwestern Univ.
GALESBURG.—Richard R. Larson, Custer Hotel. Five meetings a year: Sept., Oct., Feb., Mar. 15, June, $\Phi \Delta \Theta$ House.
QUINCY.—Second Thursday, at noon, Hotel Quincy.

INDIANA

COLUMBUS.—Yandell C. Cline.
CRAWFORDSVILLE.—B. C. Evans, Ben Hur Bldg.
FORT WAYNE.—Maurice A. Cook, Lincoln Nat. Life Foundation.
FRANKLIN.—John Sellers.
INDIANAPOLIS.—George W. Horst, 2962 Princeton Pl. Friday, at noon. Canary Cottage, 46 Monument Circle.
KOKOMO.—Charles Rose, 911 W. Walnut St.
LAFAYETTE.—Kenneth R. Snyder, Sharp Bldg.
SHELBYVILLE.—Richard Schneider, St. Mary's St. Quarterly by notice, 6:15 P.M., Golden Glow Tea Room.
SULLIVAN.—Clem J. Hux. Quarterly by notice, Black Bat Tea Room.
TERRE HAUTE.—Phil C. Brown, 237 Hudson Ave.
VINCENNES.—William D. Murray, Bicknell, Ind.

IOWA

DES MOINES.—Albert P. Diehl, 225 Insurance Exchange Bldg. Saturday noon, Hermits Club, 707 Locust.
IOWA CITY.—Albert D. Annis, C-106 East Hall. Wednesday, at noon, Triangle Club.
MT. PLEASANT.—Second Wednesday evening, Brazelton Hotel.

KANSAS

ARKANSAS CITY.—Robert A. Brown, Home Nat. Bank.
HUTCHINSON.—Whitley Austin, Hutchinson Pub. Co.
MANHATTAN.—C. W. Colver, 1635 Fairchild Ave.
Meetings on call, Φ Δ Θ House.
TOPEKA.—Merrill S. Rutter, 1025 Kansas Ave. First
Monday, 6:30 P.M., Φ Δ Θ House.
WICHITA.—Robert S. Campbell, Beacon Bldg.

KENTUCKY

LEXINGTON.—Hal H. Tanner, 121 Woodland Ave.
LOUISVILLE.—Truman Jones, 1701 Dixie Hgwy. Friday,
at noon, Seelbach Hotel.

LOUISIANA

NEW ORLEANS.—George D. Tessier, 1523 Soniat St.
Third Monday, 2514 State St.
SHREVEPORT.—Tom W. Bridges, Jr., 607 Stoner Ave.
Second Tuesday, 12:15 P.M., Washington Hotel Coffee
Shop.

MAINE

PORTLAND.—Ralph M. Somerville, 70 Forest Ave.
WATERVILLE.—Gordon K. Fuller, 44 Burleigh St. Sec-
ond Wednesday evening, Φ Δ Θ House.

MARYLAND

BALTIMORE.—John E. Jacob, Jr., 1109 N. Charles St.
Third Thursday, 6:30 P.M., Stafford Hotel.
HAGERSTOWN.—D. K. McLaughlin, Forest Dr. Second
Tuesday, 6:30 P.M., Dagmar Hotel.
SALISBURY (Del-Mar-Va).—Nelson H. Fritz, Box 1106.

MASSACHUSETTS

BOSTON.—E. Curtis Mower, Jr., 161 Devonshire St.
Thursday, at noon, Chamber of Commerce, 14th floor,
80 Federal St.

MICHIGAN

DETROIT.—Harold D. Love, 1300 Union Guardian Bldg.
Friday, 12:15 P.M., Intercollegiate Club, Penobscot
Bldg.
GRAND RAPIDS.—Paul F. Steketee, Jr., 506 Sherman St.
S.E. First Monday, University Club Rooms, Michigan
Trust Bldg.
LANSING.—Richard K. Ammerson, Capital Savings and
Loan Bldg. Monday, 12:15 P.M., Hotel Olds.

MINNESOTA

MINNEAPOLIS.—Marshall B. Taft, 1140 Rand Tower.
Wednesday, 12:10 P.M., Room E, Nicollet Hotel.
ST. PAUL.—Robert E. Withy, Jr., 231 E. Sixth St.

MISSISSIPPI

CLARKSDALE.—Thack Grant Hughes, Jr., Box 365.
GREENWOOD.—C. M. Barrett, Jr., 517 Bell Ave.
JACKSON.—Edward S. Lewis, Lamar Bldg.
MERIDIAN.—Sam T. Watts, Jr., 2409 24th Ave.
TUPELO.—J. M. Thomas, Jr.

MISSOURI

FULTON.—Elmer C. Henderson, Box 232.
KANSAS CITY.—Jack McCall, 415-1016 Baltimore Bldg.
Friday, at noon, Wachter's Sandwich Shop, 1112 Balti-
more; 6:30 P.M., first Monday, Bavarian Rathskeller,
Amour at Forest.
ST. JOSEPH.—Marshall L. Carder, 4th and Angelique
Sts. Thursday, at noon, Pennant Cafeteria, 7th and
Felix Sts.
ST. LOUIS.—Lawrence McDougall, 6641 San Bonita St.
Friday, 12:15 P.M., Struggs-Vandervoort and Barney,
Tea Room, Ninth and Olive Sts.

NEBRASKA

LINCOLN.—Charles T. Stuart, 625 Stuart Bldg. First
Thursday, Lincoln University Club.
OMAHA.—Robert L. Smith, Byron Reed Co. Thursday,
at noon, Aquila Court Tea Room.

NEW JERSEY

ATLANTIC CITY.—Charles A. Bartlett, Jr., 3910 Win-
chester Ave. Normandy Grill.

NEW YORK

ALBANY.—Fred M. Alexander, 44 Terrace Ave.
BINGHAMTON.—Gerald F. Smith, 27 Bennett Ave.
BUFFALO.—Melville T. Huber, 1240 Delaware Ave.
Monthly dinners as announced.
ELMIRA.—Harvey J. Couch, 143 Church St., Odessa,
N.Y. Fifteenth of each month.
GLENS FALLS.—Alternate Saturdays, 12:50, Queensbury
Hotel.
NEW YORK.—Donald C. Hays, 1 Wall St., Phone Digby
4-0470. Friday, 12:30 P.M., New York State Chamber
of Commerce, 65 Liberty St.
POUGHKEEPSIE.—Samuel A. Moore, 231 Main St. First
Friday, 7:00 P.M., Hotel Campbell, Camon St.
ROCHESTER.—Addison E. Fischer, 36 Continental Dr.
Thursday Luncheon, Chamber of Commerce, 55 St.
Paul St.
SCHENECTADY.—Thomas McLaughlin, 209 Cannon
Bldg., Troy, N.Y.
SYRACUSE.—W. T. Harper, 210 Robineau Rd. Monday,
12:15 P.M., University Club.
UTICA.—Richard H. Balch, 20 Whitesboro St.
WATERTOWN.—Charles D. Griffith, 127 Paddock St.

NORTH CAROLINA

CHARLOTTE.—Ernest W. Ewbank, Jr., 831 E. More-
head St. Second and fourth Mondays, Efrid's Dept.
Store Grill.
DURHAM.—B. G. Childs, Duke University.
GREENSBORO.—E. Earl Rives, Municipal Court. Second
Friday, 6:30 P.M., O. Henry Hotel.
WINSTON-SALEM.—C. Frank Watson, Gladstone Apts.,
601 Brookstown Ave.

NORTH DAKOTA

FARGO.—W. R. Haggart, 108 8th St. S. First Friday,
luncheon, Chamber of Commerce.
GRAND FORKS.—S. Theodore Rex, 21 O'Connor Bldg.
First Thursday, 12:15 P.M., Decotah Hotel.
MINOT.—J. T. Blaisdell, Blaisdell Motor Co., First
Thursday.

OHIO

AKRON.—Richard Hoff, 140 Portage Dr. Luncheon,
Thursday, City Club, Ohio Bldg.; dinner, second Thurs-
day, 6:30 P.M., University Club.
CANTON.—Robert M. Wallace, 949 Beiner Pl. N.E.,
Massillon, Ohio. Luncheon, first Tuesday; dinner, sec-
ond Monday, 6:30 P.M., Hotel Onesto.
CINCINNATI.—Robert Nau, Pugh Bldg., 400 Pike St.
Monday, at noon, Governor's Room, University Club,
Fourth and Broadway.
CLEVELAND.—Friday, at noon, Berwin's Restaurant,
Union Trust Bldg.
COLUMBUS.—Fred J. Milligan, 16 E. Broad. Tuesday,
at noon, University Club.
DAYTON.—Richard Swartzel, 1315 Grand Ave. Monday,
at noon, Rike Kurler Dining Room.
ELYRIA.—Lawrence Webber, 700 Elyria Savings and
Trust Bldg. Second Tuesday, April and October.
HAMILTON.—Robert W. Wolfenden, Estate Stove Co.
MANSFIELD.—F. B. Thompson, 310 Lexington Ave.
NEWARK.—George J. McDonald, 402 Trust Bldg.
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TOLEDO.—Fred A. Hunt, 719 Spitzer Bldg. Third Tues-
day, 6:30 P.M., Old Collingswood Club.
YOUNGSTOWN.—J. R. Herrick, 162 Bridge St., Struth-
ers, Ohio.

OKLAHOMA

BARTLESVILLE.—DeWitt Shuck, Phillips Petroleum Co.
Last Friday, 6:00 P.M., Maire Hotel.
BLACKWELL.—Lawrence A. Cullison, First Nat. Bank
Bldg. Last Friday, 7:00 P.M., Larkin Hotel.

ENID.—J. Glifford Robinson, 1516 W. Cherokee St.
 OKLAHOMA CITY.—James R. Henley, Equitable Life,
 Perrine Bldg.
 TULSA.—Joseph S. Bottler, 1010 Hunt Bldg. Third
 Thursday, at noon, University Club.

OREGON

EUGENE.—First Monday evening, $\Phi \Delta \Theta$ House; third
 Monday, at noon, Seymour's Restaurant.
 PORTLAND.—Charles L. Stidd, 423 S.W. Broadway.
 Friday noon, Portland Rose Tea Room, Alderway
 Bldg., third Wednesday dinner, Hilaire Restaurant.

PENNSYLVANIA

ALLENTOWN.—Warren W. Grube, 54 W. Elizabeth
 Ave., Bethlehem, Pa.
 CARLSLE.—Meetings on notice, $\Phi \Delta \Theta$ House, West and
 Dickinson Sts.
 DU BOIS.—W. Albert Ramey, Clearfield, Pa.
 ERIE.—Willis E. Pratt, 616 Oakmont Ave.
 FRANKLIN COUNTY.—James P. Wolff, Clayton Ave.,
 Waynesboro, Pa.
 GREENSBURG.—Adam Bortz, 566 N. Maple Ave.
 HARRISBURG.—Edward C. First, Jr., 708 Green St.
 Tuesday, 12:15 P.M., University Club, 9 N. Front St.
 JOHNSTOWN.—Frank King, Atherton St., State Col., Pa.
 PHILADELPHIA.—Ralph W. Collie, 260 S. Broad St.
 The Arcadia, Broad and Chestnut Sts.
 PITTSBURGH.—R. W. Lindsay, 10 Grant St. Friday,
 12:15 P.M., Smithfield Grill, Oliver Bldg.
 READING.—Henry Koch, 29 N. Sixth St. First Wednes-
 day, at noon, American House, 4th and Penn Sts.
 SCRANTON.—Frank C. Wetzel, 148 Adams St. First
 Monday, 12:15 P.M., Scranton Club, Mulberry and N.
 Washington Ave.
 WASHINGTON.—Reynol Ullom, 262 N. Franklin St.
 Second Tuesday, 7:30 P.M., 209 North Ave.
 YORK.—Homer Crist, York New Salem, Pa. Second Tues-
 day, Golden Glow Cafe.

RHODE ISLAND

PROVIDENCE.—Phi-Del-Ity Club.—Nelson Jones, Union
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SOUTH DAKOTA

SIoux FALLS.—Clifford Pay.

TENNESSEE

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 MEMPHIS.—R. W. Bailey, Jr., 550 Commerce Title Bldg.
 First Friday, 12:15 P.M., Lowenstein's.
 NASHVILLE.—Laird Smith, 404 Union St. First and
 Third Fridays, 12:15 P.M., University Club.

TEXAS

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 BEAUMONT.—Ralph Huit, Y.M.C.A.
 DALLAS.—James Collins, Fidelity Union Life Ins. First
 and third Fridays, 12:15 P.M., Private balcony, Golden
 Pheasant Restaurant.
 FORT WORTH.—Prof. F. W. Hogan, Texas Christian
 University. First Wednesday, at noon, Blackstone Hotel.

HOUSTON.—Tom Sharp, Great Southern Life Co. First
 Tuesday, 12:15 P.M., Rice Hotel.
 SAN ANTONIO.—Glenn H. Alvey, Uvalde Rock Asphalt
 Co., Frost Nat. Bank Bldg. First Monday, 12:15 P.M.,
 Grill Room, Gunter Hotel.

UTAH

SALT LAKE CITY.—Richard Weiler, 169 First Ave. Sec-
 ond and fourth Mondays, 12:15 P.M., 268 S. Main St.

VERMONT

BARRE.—Raymond S. Gates, 16 Park St.
 BURLINGTON.—Olney W. Hill, Union Central Life
 Ins. Co., 86 Church St. First Thursday, 6:30 P.M.,
 $\Phi \Delta \Theta$ House.

VIRGINIA

LYNCHBURG.—John Horner, *News and Advance*.
 RICHMOND.—Terry Turner, 1101 E. Main St.

WASHINGTON

SEATTLE.—Valmer M. Cameron, 1033 36th Ave. N.W.
 First Thursday, 6:30 P.M., College Club.
 SPOKANE.—Third Monday, 6:30 P.M., Antone's Res-
 taurant.

WEST VIRGINIA

CHARLESTON.—State Alumni Association Headquarters,
 Box 234, David G. Lilly, Jr., State Secretary. Second
 Monday, noon, McKee's Cafeteria, Annual State meet-
 ing, Ruffner Hotel, Charleston, May 4, 1940, district
 meetings on call.

WISCONSIN

FOX RIVER VALLEY.—Hayward S. Biggers, Banta
 Publishing Co., Menasha, Wis.
 MADISON.—Dr. Everett Johnson, 334 W. Main St.
 MILWAUKEE.—John Lehnberg, 210 E. Michigan St.
 Wednesday, 12:00 P.M., Medford Hotel, Third and
 Michigan Sts.

CANADA

Alberta

EDMONTON.—First Tuesday, Corona Hotel.

British Columbia

VANCOUVER.—E. J. C. Stewart, 5550 Blenheim, Wednes-
 day, 8:00 P.M., $\Phi \Delta \Theta$ House.

Manitoba

WINNIPEG.—Neil K. Brown, 488 Henderson Highway,
 East Kildonan. Second Wednesday, 6:30 P.M., St.
 Charles Hotel.

Ontario

OTTAWA.—W. G. Masson, 3 Sparks St.
 TORONTO.—John A. Kingsmill, 24 King St. W. Second
 Wednesday, 12:30 P.M., Arcadian Court, Robert Simp-
 son Co.

Quebec

MONTREAL.—John P. Rowat, 507 Place d'Armes, Bi-
 monthly, $\Phi \Delta \Theta$ House.
 SHANGHAI.—H. A. Shaw, Box 498, Founders Day,
 March 15; Alumni Day, October 15.

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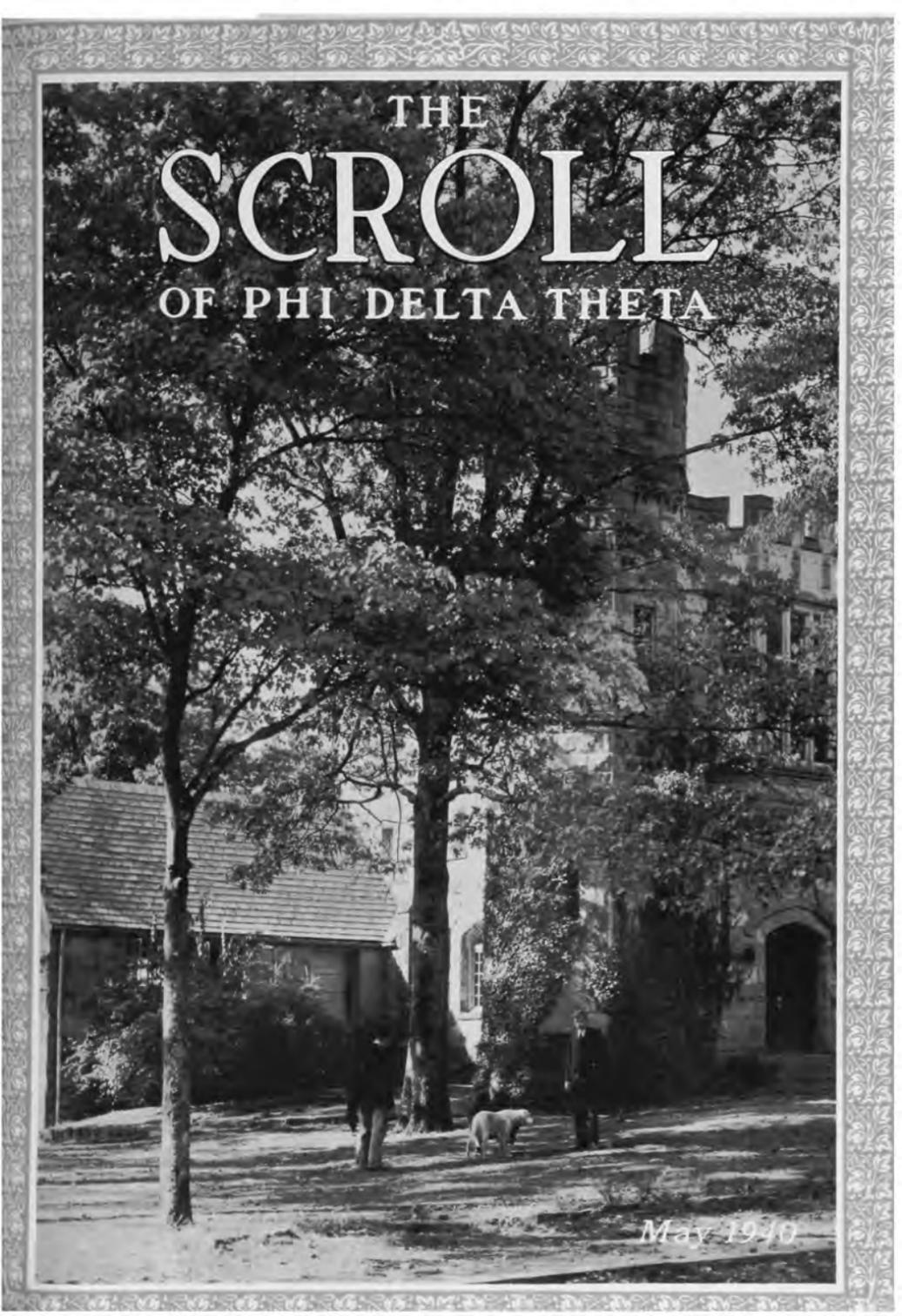
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Founders Day Reflections . . .

. . . Was there ever a time when we were in greater need of friendship?—the intimate personal friendship with men of common ideals and purposes? For we live in a time when we are asked to extend the concept of brotherhood to the entire world. But the doctrine of the brotherhood of man is an easy generality, dangerously theoretical in its content.

A good many centuries ago, Jean Bodin in his famous books of the Republic said, "If every man is my brother, then I have no brother." The point then and now is that if we are going to have good-will toward all men, it must spring from our intimate friendships and confidence with the few men whose lives and thoughts inspire us. For world friendship stems from human friendships which, in the very nature of man, cannot be numerous.

Edwin Markham puts this beautifully in a little verse:

Let me be brother to the meanest clod
Knowing he, too, bears on the dream of God,
Yet be fastidious—and have such friends
That when I think of them, my soul ascends.

Were we ever in need of sound learning as we are at this moment? In what is perhaps the darkest hour since liberalism was born, in a time when there is a confusion of voices and a blur over understanding, at a moment when the calls of the political and economic hucksters ring in the air, in the midst of the turgid dogmatism of the reformers, how greatly we need sound learning!

There is no need to define it. It is evident in its restraints, in its documentation, in its logic, and in the confirmation of experience. But what high moment of inspiration taught us that sound learning must be completed by a moral sanction! In great wisdom our founders did not attempt to interpret God, for they knew that religion is a personal experience. But in every lofty conception of divine influence, there is inevitably present the moral law.

It is now ninety-two years since the founding of our Fraternity. Most of us in this room will live to celebrate its centennial; but I venture the thought that in its fourscore and twelve years at no time has the Fraternity had greater meaning to those who wish to comprehend it.—*Excerpts from the address of PAUL F. CADMAN, Sewanee and California '15, Economist of the American Bankers Association, at the Founders Day Dinner, New York, March 15, 1940.*

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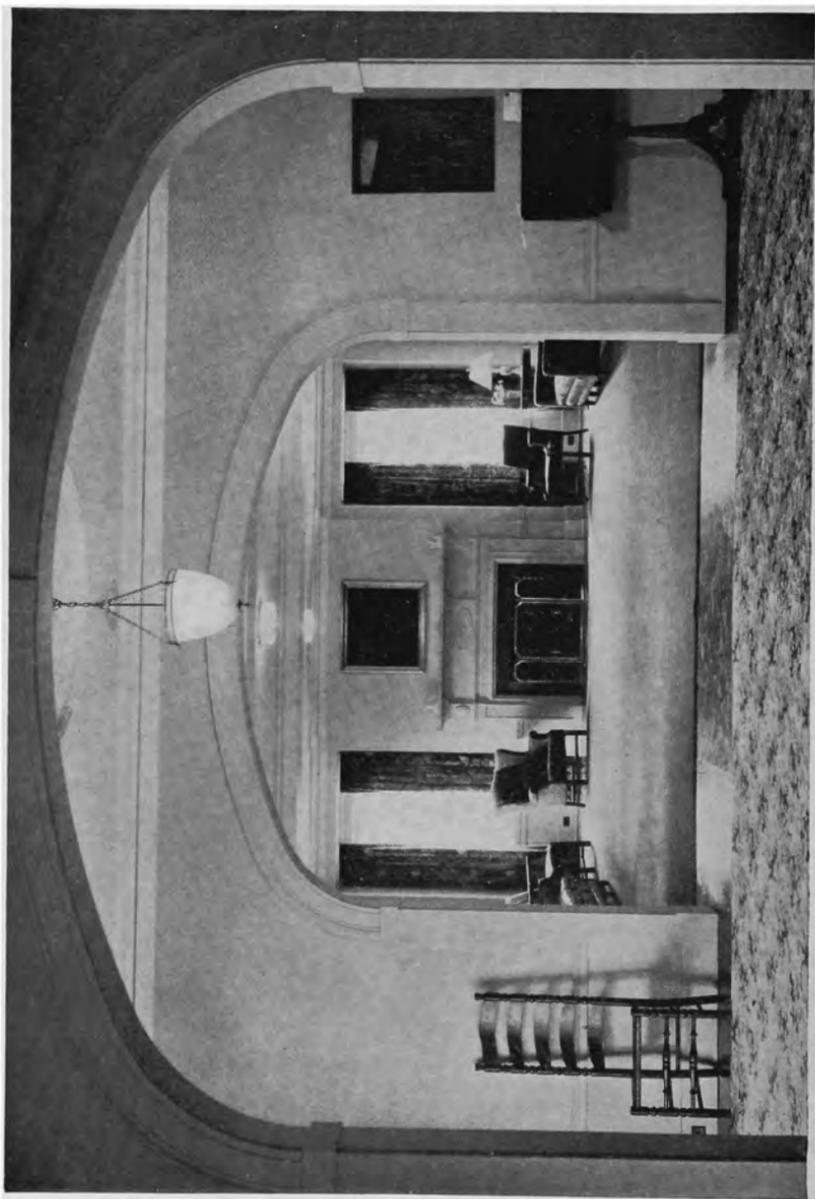
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DRAWING ROOM IN THE GEORGIA BETA CHAPTER HOUSE

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Georgia Beta Acquires a New Home

By VINCENT E. DANIEL, *Randolph-Macon '38*

ON March 1, 1940, historic old Georgia Beta moved into its beautiful new home at Number Eight Fraternity Row. The house is the largest and best adapted of the many beautiful houses on the Row, justly famed for its beauty, and stands as a fitting memorial to two of Georgia Beta's most distinguished alumni, and as a lasting monument to the untiring interest and loyalty of the chapter's alumni, actives, and many Phis from other chapters.

Officially named the Palmer-Speer Memorial, the new house is dedicated to the memory of Walter B. Palmer, *Emory*

'77, Vanderbilt '80, and William A. Speer, Emory '88. The name and works of Brother Palmer are familiar to every member of $\Phi \Delta \Theta$. He and Brother George Banta have been aptly called "the second founders of $\Phi \Delta \Theta$," and Edward E. Ruby, editor of the *SCROLL* and *Palladium*, says of him in the current edition of the *Manual of Phi Delta Theta*, "Walter B. Palmer (1857-1920) probably contributed more to the upbuilding of the Fraternity as a nation-wide brotherhood than any other." Georgia Beta is proud to claim Brother Palmer as an alumnus, and glad of the opportunity to dedicate its new



FRONT VIEW OF THE EMORY HOUSE



NORTH VIEW OF THE HOUSE

home to his memory. Brother Speer has been to Georgia Beta what Brother Palmer was to $\Phi \Delta \Theta$ nationally. His record of continuous activity in Fraternity life at Emory over the last sixty years resulted in his being presented with a gold medal for excellent service by the chapter a short time ago. It is fitting that "Father" Speer be further honored by having his name ever attached to the Fraternity's new home.

From its beginning on June 9, 1871,

when C. R. Gaskill of the old Oglethorpe University chapter, initiated B. E. Anderson, '72, G. B. Battle, '72, T. A. Means, '72, W. R. Foote, '73, G. J. Martin, '73, A. F. Barnett, students at Emory College, then located at Oxford, Georgia, in a deserted log cabin near the village, Georgia Beta has proved itself to be especially imbued with the spirit of $\Phi \Delta \Theta$, and this fact has been reflected in the close attachment which has always existed between the chapter and its alumni and the readiness with which the alumni have always co-operated with the chapter in its problems, especially its housing problems. For the first thirty years the Emory chapter was not particularly worried with the matter of housing, chapter houses being more the exception than the rule in those days, and the college furnished the chapter a room in the dormitory for its meetings; but history records that in the spring of 1899 the chapter occupied its first house, renting the home of a deceased member, Dr. Morgan Calloway.

In August 1905, the chapter, with the aid of its alumni, purchased its first house, located one square from the campus. This served adequately until 1914,



THE GEORGIA BETA HOUSE HONORS THEIR MEMORY

Walter B. Palmer, *Emory* '77

William A. Speer, *Emory* '88



GEORGIA BETA, 1939-40

when Emory College was moved to Atlanta to form a part of the new Emory University. This move put the chapter in the need of a house, and the ever-loyal alumni immediately began to lay plans for building on the location which the university had, at that time, designated for its fraternity row. The war forced a temporary suspension of these plans, but in 1922 the new house was completed and occupied.

The chapter flourished in its new quarters, and during the 1920's it attained a position of leadership in all phases of activities on the campus. However, in the meantime the university had changed the location of its proposed fraternity row, and a number of the other fraternities on the campus, already in need of new quarters, had begun building on this more central location. This fact, along with the fact that the chapter was expanding rapidly in size, was already making the need felt for a new house on the Row, and the alumni began laying long-range plans for fulfilling this need. Then on January 12, 1931, fire completely destroyed the chapter house. The fire was disastrous in that it destroyed many of the chapter records, and a number of invaluable memoirs of Walter B. Palmer, including the Walter

B. Palmer Memorial Library, one of the most complete fraternity libraries in the country. It also faced the chapter with a real problem as regards a house. Plans were not sufficiently advanced for building on the Row, the ultimate aim, and yet the chapter must have a house. The alumni once again solved the problem by building a brick house of the residential type on the same location as the one that burned, with the idea that it could be readily sold, without too great sacrifice, when the chapter was in position to build on the Row. This house was occupied during the academic year 1932-33.

Because of the depression and various other reasons, plans for building on the Row were in a state of stagnation for the next few years. In May 1934, John Goddard, '34, in his valedictory on leaving the active chapter, threw out the challenge which was accepted by alumni and actives alike, and which resulted in a slow, but sure, six-year drive which was culminated so successfully on March 1.

Numerous brothers, both actives and alumni, were instrumental in keeping this final drive going. Among the active brothers there were Ed Parker, '37, John Slade, '38, Warren Williams, '37, Robert Wiggins, Duke '35, Emory '39, Henry



1922-31. THE HOUSE WHICH BURNED JANUARY 12, 1931

Finch, '37, Jack Branch, *Davidson* '37, *Emory* '40, Robert Kilian, '40, and William Gignilliat, '40. Alumni support was headed by Dr. Grady Clay, '10, Dr. Arthur G. Fort, '99 (now deceased), Dr. Ben Carter, '08, G. Ward Wight, '10, and H. Y. McCord, Jr., '09, who formed the alumni building committee. These brothers were assisted by others who gave generously both of time and money.

Through the energetic efforts of Brothers Kilian and Gignilliat of the active chapter, the drive began to take definite shape during the first months of 1939. On March 1, 1939, the Clifton Road house was sold to the ΦX medical fraternity for a good price. Plans were drawn up by Kennon Perry, *Auburn* '11, who has designed many fraternity houses in the South, and a building lot was selected on Fraternity Row. By July, all financial arrangements had been made, and the contract was let to be followed closely by the breaking of ground. Originally scheduled for completion about the middle of January, the unusually bad winter slowed up construction to such an extent that it was March 1 before the house was ready to be occupied. And so, from the seed planted some six years previously by Brother Goddard, there had slowly

grown before the eyes of six classes of Georgia Beta the most complete and beautiful fraternity house on the Emory campus, a house which definitely challenges any other fraternity house in the South.

The house is an imposing three-and-a-half-story structure which will provide facilities for every fraternity requirement. It is of semi-Georgian architecture, with tall white columns which are beautifully set off by its red brick construction. Facing in a northeast direction, the house is located on a hill some twenty-five yards from the roadway, which passes in front of and around the right side of the structure. A spacious porch on the northwest end adds much to the outside appearance.

A fully developed basement floor is an important feature of the house. The sloping lot gives this floor ground level on the southeast. Accommodations on this floor include a large dining room, with a butlery and commodious kitchen adjoining. On the right front is the game room, fitted with a pool table, two ping pong tables, and bridge tables. Behind the game room are the servants' quarters, the furnace room, and storage rooms.

Two large living rooms opening off an

entrance hall through arches occupy the entire front of the main floor, and provide adequate accommodations for social functions. On the left rear a spacious library and study opens into the left living room. The house mother's quarters and a guest room occupy the right rear of the main floor. Behind the library is the chapter office.

On the third floor are twelve sound-proof double bedrooms with individual closets, adequately furnished with double-deck beds, study desks, and dressers. A master bath, a telephone room, and linen closets complete the third floor.

The fourth floor has not as yet been completed. It provides ample room for a large chapter hall and reserve sleeping quarters and it is hoped that these developments can be made in the near future. The house is completely and tastefully furnished throughout.

Alumni have been honored by the dedication of various rooms. The right living room on the main floor will be known as the Norman C. Miller Room in memory of Norman C. Miller, '93, who served as a trustee of the university, and was otherwise prominent in business and civic circles. Likewise, the library will be

dedicated to the late Isaac S. Hopkins, '01, another prominent alumnus. His widow will furnish and maintain a complete fraternity library. The guest room will be known as the McCord Alumni Room in honor of the five members of the McCord family who have been members of Georgia Beta and who have contributed so much to its progress through the years.

The house was formally dedicated on Saturday and Sunday, April 12 and 13, with a banquet in honor of the alumni and their wives on Saturday night, and a reception and open house on Sunday.

Georgia Beta is justly proud of its new home, and is grateful to its alumni, their wives, the mothers of the actives, the Palmer Fund, and to all others who directly or indirectly aided in the culmination of the dream which all Georgia Beta men have dreamed for many years. In the new house, however, the chapter has been given a charge, and that is to maintain the position of leadership on its campus that every Phi wants to see every chapter hold. And Georgia Beta accepts that charge with the boldness, loyalty, and sincerity which has been typical of its men down through its sixty-nine years.



1932-1939. THE HOUSE WAS SOLD IN 1939

On a Student's Choice of Electives

By WILLIAM C. BAGLEY, *Michigan State '95*

ONE of the perennial perplexities of the college man, especially in the earlier years of his course, is the selection of a curriculum which will best equip him for his work in future years. The following article was written for the SCROLL by Brother Bagley in the hope that a clear statement of the problem may help in its solution.

Few men speak on this subject with greater authority than the author of this article; for more than forty years he has been a recognized leader in education and especially a student of the processes of learning. A graduate of Michigan State College, he has advanced degrees from Wisconsin and Cornell and has spent years of study in foreign countries. He was professor of Education and director of the School of Education at the University of Illinois for nine years, and for the last twenty-four years has been professor of Education in Teachers College, Columbia University. He has conducted educational surveys in many states and foreign countries. He is the author of many books on education and psychology and has been for long periods editor of leading American educational journals. At present he is editor-in-chief of *School and Society*.—EDITOR.

IN what I shall say in this paper I shall have in mind the problem of choosing among elective courses in college as this problem confronts students who wish to use their time and energy to best advantage in obtaining a truly liberal education. Let me consider a student who has not as yet decided upon his life work or can reasonably look forward to a later period of specialized preparation for a vocation already chosen, and who consequently in either case can devote a relatively large part of his undergraduate work to building up a substantial background of understandings, insights, and interests. I shall assume that the student is of college caliber mentally—that he is competent to undertake, and with reasonable diligence and application to gain an initial mastery of, any one of the subjects commonly included in the undergraduate offerings. What advice would I give to such a person on the basis of my experience of more than forty years as a

teacher and as a student of educational problems?

In the first place, I would try to impress him with the probability that the opportunity for a broad and comprehensive study of many fields of knowledge will never come to him again in the degree in which it is afforded by his undergraduate work. It is scarcely too much to say that it is "now or never," for full maturity will bring its problems of gaining a livelihood, supporting a family, and discharging the duties of citizenship. With good fortune, he will have some leisure for broad study, but it is likely to be a limited leisure, especially if his work is in a profession that demands time and effort, not only in applying one's specialized knowledge and skill, but also in keeping up through study with the technical advances in one's professional field. As an undergraduate he is, for four of the very best years of life, free from these specific responsibilities, and furthermore he has opportunities for receiving, through direct, personal contact with competent teachers and scholars, the instruction, stimulation, counsel, and guidance that most persons need in the initial study of any field of knowledge. These opportunities are not likely to come again.

In the second place I would urge him to have his program "cross section" the major trunk lines of human understandings, insights, and interests. These are fairly well classified as: languages and literatures; the social sciences (history, sociology, economics, political science, and certain areas of psychology, ethnology, and anthropology); mathematics; the physical sciences (astronomy, physics, chemistry, geology); the biological sciences; the fine arts; and philosophy.

The student's secondary-school work will probably have provided an initial

acquaintance with some of these fields and thus make unnecessary a further consideration of them in arranging a college program, but one should not be too certain of this. Many students now enter college from high schools in which, for many reasons that cannot be discussed here, the instruction in recent years has been increasingly superficial from the point of view of laying firm foundations.

A third suggestion to my hypothetical undergraduate is one that many of my colleagues among professional students of education would not indorse. They would lay large emphasis upon the interest or attractiveness of a subject as a guide to the student in making a choice. I should say, better keep what you think to be a real interest in the background. With regard to certain subjects, indeed, I would go further and say, take work in certain subjects although you are sure that you will not like them or, beyond this, even if you are fearful that you will fail in them.

When I say "certain subjects," I have in mind those that are "exact and exacting"—especially mathematics, the physical sciences, and foreign languages. I should particularly emphasize mathematics, for the difficulties in the mastering of the physical sciences are due largely to the fact that they are based largely on mathematics. If there is any one branch of learning that should be regarded as a "fundamental" on the collegiate level it is mathematics, for mathematical analysis lies at the basis not only of the physical sciences but of the technologies that have grown out of them, the technologies that are responsible for the outstanding achievements of present-day civilization. As the biological sciences and the social sciences (especially psychology and economics) have developed, they, too, have become increasingly mathematical in their methods. Even if one is not to become an engineer or a statistician, one should know something of the basis upon which the technologists have built. I would go so far as to say to the undergraduate, study

mathematics as far up the scale as you can go.

And I would have a try, if I were he, at the other exact and exacting studies. He may fail in mathematics, in physics, in chemistry, in Latin, in Greek, in French, in German. But I would not give up without a struggle.

And while I am on the subject of fail-



WILLIAM CHANDLER BAGLEY, *Michigan State '95*

ure, a bit of optimism may be in point. There is a proverb, "Not failure but low aim is crime." It is trite but it is still a sterling motto for youth. The trouble is that most Americans deify Success and by the same token stigmatize Failure. Now most people are likely to fail in certain areas of intellectual endeavor and in attempts to master certain intricate skills. The higher reaches of mathematics, physics, and astronomy, the more adroit skills of tennis and golf, the finer techniques of the piano and the violin, are doubtless beyond the minds and muscles of all but a very few specially gifted persons. But, as a friend of mine always says to his students, "you can tell by trying." And to this I would add the caution, "do not let initial failure defeat you." There is a long list of men of marked achievement

who failed lamentably at the outset. It includes the illustrious names of Pasteur and Einstein—the latter, indeed, is said to have failed repeatedly in the most elementary mathematical courses of the secondary school.

Do not let failure discourage you, then. The story of Robert Bruce and the spider may be a myth, but its essential lesson is a fundamental truth confirmed in every generation by the repeated discouragements and final triumphs of tens of thousands of men and women.

It is important to study in college the exact and exacting subjects because most of us need in difficult intellectual work the guidance and stimulation of the teacher, the regular recurrence of the class appointment, and the fellowship of the class group in order to keep us to the task, at least until we have lived through what someone has called "the agony of getting started." To reach the point when the fascination of the work itself will carry us over long stretches of sustained effort usually takes a fairly long time.

Other subjects of study are intrinsically interesting even in fairly early stages of mastery. The guidance of the teacher and especially the stimulation that may come from his insight are often powerful aids to the study of history and of literature. The important factor in such subjects, however, is prolonged and systematic reading in the quiet of the library or of one's own room.

It has often been remarked that fifteen minutes given day after day to systematic reading will enable one to cover, not superficially, but understandingly, thousands of printed pages in the course of a year. For acquainting one's self with the best in literature, a program of this sort carried out faithfully over the four college years would work almost a miracle. Some persons in this way have read the books of the great masters, taking one writer at a time and reading everything he wrote that has endured. It is largely

a matter of determination and persistence. Like most masteries that are worth time and effort it is hard to start, but once under way it quickly acquires a momentum of its own that carries one along with a minimum of conscious effort and with an increasing sense of worthy accomplishment.

There is some danger that individuals may overtax their strength in tasks that are hard and repetitive and for a time distasteful in the extreme. But few people are injured by hard work, provided that they sleep and eat and exercise in appropriate measure and amount and provided that they do not worry. While much has been said by members of my own profession against overemphasizing the importance of a mastery of knowledge, I wish to say frankly that I have never known anyone who really knew too much. I have known persons who "knew" too many things that weren't so. I have heard, too, of persons of whom it was said that they knew so much that their knowledge got in the way of effective action. When I have met such persons, however, I have quickly decided that they would not have acted any better had they known any less. It was not their knowledge that was at fault.

The truth is that the steadfast, systematic mastery of knowledge is to most people hard work, almost always in the initial stages and not infrequently at intervals as one progresses. Most people are only too glad to have an excuse for not putting forth systematic effort. To belittle the importance of knowledge is a convenient rationalization of an inherent impulse toward indolence. A rare genius may perhaps attain to great achievement without doing anything that he does not find interesting at the time. But most of us are far from the status and stature of genius, and there are many acknowledged geniuses—Carlyle and George Eliot, for example—who have left eloquent descriptions of the agonies of getting started and sticking to it.

Plans for the Minneapolis Convention

The P.G.C. Issues the Call

NO Phi's education is complete until he has attended a General Convention. An individual may have a good working knowledge of his chapter and of his Fraternity in a limited area, but the Convention is the mountain-top from which he views $\Phi\Delta\Theta$ as a whole. Here he gets a vision of a strong international organization seriously and sincerely engaged in a united effort to enrich the lives of its members, intellectually and culturally. He meets the representatives of 106 active chapters who are trying to regulate their lives and conduct in conformity to the precepts of the Bond. He sees the men who bring qualities of leadership to so many of our colleges. He meets the representatives of alumni clubs whose interest in the welfare and progress of the Fraternity is in every way as keen as his own.

The program of the Minneapolis Convention includes matters of serious business import, but there will be ample time for fellowship and recreation. The number of committees has been materially reduced so that the reading of long and

occasionally dry reports will be reduced to a minimum. Many of these reports will be printed in the Convention proceedings as a matter of record and for the information of those who are interested in the subject-matter involved. But only those reports will be read which are essential to the development of the aims and purposes of the organization. As a result, it is hoped that the undergraduate delegates will take a more conspicuous part in the deliberations than heretofore, and that a more extended discussion of individual and chapter problems will result.

Each chapter will benefit in direct proportion to the number of its members who are able to be present. Any sacrifice involved in attendance at the Convention on the part of undergraduates and alumni alike will be more than compensated by the pleasures and inspiration which they will receive from contacts with those who are building $\Phi\Delta\Theta$ into an organization of constantly increasing influence and accomplishment.—JOHN B. BALLOU, *President, General Council.*

Lambda Province Invites You

ALTHOUGH $\Phi\Delta\Theta$ entered the boundaries of the present Lambda Province within nine years after its founding at Miami, and although two of the first ten chapters chartered by the Fraternity are located in this Province, never once in the long history of $\Phi\Delta\Theta$ has a general convention of the Fraternity been held in this district. Naturally, we in Lambda Province are eager that the Forty-fourth General Convention be the best of all, for truly we have waited long enough to have the opportunity of playing host to $\Phi\Delta\Theta$.

Five fine undergraduate chapters are doing thriving business in Lambda Province, and they are backed by seven active alumni clubs. While not so thickly popu-

lated with Phi's as many other regions, it is not difficult to find loyal and enthusiastic brothers in all sections of the territory.

Two presidents of the General Council have been Wisconsin men. A Minnesota man acted for a number of years as Secretary of the General Council. Another man entered the national service of the Fraternity during his residence in Minnesota and became treasurer of the General Council. Two editors of the *SCROLL* have lived in this Province. So, in the conduct of the affairs of the Fraternity, Lambda has played a significant part.

Now, we hope that by a widespread and general representation of attendance

at the Minneapolis Convention we shall have opportunity to show our $\Phi\Delta\Theta$ brothers what a really fine section of the country this is.

Drop in to see us on your way to or from Convention. Wisconsin Alpha is on the direct path between Chicago and Minneapolis. Wisconsin Beta is at the gateway to the great north lakes district of Wisconsin. Minnesota Alpha, the host chapter, is in the gateway to the great Northwest. North Dakota Alpha, in the famous Red River Valley, can be the

goal of a trip from Minneapolis through the famous lake district of Minnesota. And Manitoba Alpha can show the best of Canadian good-fellowship to any and all visiting Phis.

Above all, come to Convention. This was to be our beloved Peck Moore's convention. While he is not living to have the thrill of it all, we are sure that by making it a big success, somehow he will know and understand that $\Phi\Delta\Theta$ has given him a real testimonial.—JOHN H. WILTERDING, *President, Lambda Province*

The Program

DURING the days of August 27-30, when the rank and file of our citizenry will be submitting to the disagree-



able humdrum of those late summer dog-days, hundreds of Phis will foregather in Minneapolis for the Forty-fourth Biennial Convention of the Fraternity. Minneapolis, the land of that legendary figure Paul Bunyan, should be an ideal Convention city with its beautiful lakes and park system and its pleasant summer climate. Winding its leisurely way through the Twin Cities flows the Father of Waters, the Mississippi, with the imposing Minneapolis skyline on the west bank and the panorama of the University of Minnesota buildings spread out on the opposite bank.

We'll leave it to the Twin City Phis to dwell upon the scenic values of this great gateway to the Northwest country and confine these remarks to the wonderful $\Phi\Delta\Theta$ meeting which has been arranged for your edification and entertainment. Every last detail has been arranged, even at this early date, so let's go right through

the carefully scheduled order of events.

First of all, it is appropriate that some mention should be made of Brother Ed Neal, and his Twin City committeemen who have been doing yeoman service in collaboration with General Headquarters. Ed Neal, who spends his spare moments earning a living in the slate roofing business, had his Convention executive committee organized nearly a year in advance of the Convention.

But let's draw back the curtains for a preview of what is in prospect for the Phis who check in at the Nicollet on the morning of Tuesday, August 27. By the way, the excellently managed Nicollet with its superb cuisine has provided special rates of \$6.00 per day (board and lodging) to all Convention goers. These rates apply, not only for the duration of the Convention, but for additional days you may want to spend in Minneapolis either before or after the Convention.

If you travel via Chicago you will undoubtedly want to join the "jolly crew of Phis" at the Union Station the night of August 26 and travel to Minneapolis on the Burlington Railroad's Convention Special. She departs at about 11:00 P.M., giving you plenty of time for a pleasant evening in the Windy City after which you can get a full and comfortable night's rest before arriving in Minneapolis the following morning.

After the morning's registration and orientation have been disposed of, the

Convention will officially assemble at 2:00 P.M. When the gavel of Brother John Ballou falls, the Phis will be treated to some brilliant singing by the Wisconsin Beta choir who will lead the singing throughout the Convention, and hear words of greeting from Governor Stassen of Minnesota, President Ford and Dean Nicholson of the University of Minnesota, and then all of Phi Delta Theta will bow heads in tribute to a great and good departed Phi, Bernard V. Moore, as President Ballou presides over services conducted in his memory.

Business sessions will begin in earnest on Wednesday after the delegates have been treated to a sight-seeing tour of the Twin Cities Tuesday afternoon and the model initiation ceremony and re-enactment of the founding of the Fraternity on Tuesday evening. By all means, try and get a front-row seat for this beautiful bit of dramatization, because a group of undergraduate Phis from our Mother Chapter at Miami are prepared to relive for you those memorable days of nearly ninety-two years ago, when Robert Morrison and John McMillan Wilson made fraternity history by the founding of our Brotherhood. You will see, not only the steps which preceded the founding and the founding itself, but you will see Morton Williams, the first member, sign the Bond of Phi Delta Theta, and you will witness the pledging of a future President of the United States, Benjamin

Harrison. What a fitting opening day for our Convention!

Regular business sessions follow all day Wednesday and on Wednesday night a super-thriller has been arranged when the Convention party is to be transported to the St. Paul Civic Auditorium for a memorable evening of entertainment. Dozens of the north country's most talented ice-skaters—all members of the St. Paul Figure Skating Club—will thrill the visiting Phis with a beautiful performance of skating numbers to the accompaniment of a selected group of the Minneapolis Symphony Orchestra. Gorgeously costumed ensembles, ludicrously wobbly clowns, and barrel-jumping acrobats, all these and much more will be included in the repertoire of this world-famous group of artists. Then what fun we'll all have after the feature performance, for the auditorium is ours for the evening and we'll take advantage of the ice for a broom hockey match between our Canadian and American delegates after which the rink will be opened to the entire party for skating. The second night of the Convention promises to be a real spine-tingler and we'll guarantee a thrill when the Minneapolis Symphony plays for us some of our $\Phi \Delta \Theta$ tunes.

Thursday will find the delegates hard at work all day in business sessions and it is worthy of comment that additional time will be given this year to the Sessions of the Pyx, when the undergraduate



FIGURE SKATING AT ST. PAUL AUDITORIUM

delegates have full sway to discuss chapter problems common to all. Thursday night brings the traditional Convention feature, the banquet. The program this year is truly a "four-star" attraction. Dean Hoffman, the Alumni Commissioner, will fill the role of toastmaster in his own inimitable style. The toastmaster will have the privilege of introducing a triumvirate of $\Phi \Delta \Theta$'s most eloquent speakers. Imagine, if you can, a banquet program with three such orators as Dr. Paul F. Cadman, *Sewanee and California '15*, Dr. William Mather Lewis, *Knox '00*, and Dr. Ralph W. Sockman, *Ohio Wesleyan '11*. These men are all leaders in their chosen professions, Dr. Cadman having recently resigned from his academic duties at the Univer-

sity of California to become Economist for the American Bankers Association; Dr. Lewis is the distinguished President of Lafayette College in Easton, Pennsylvania, and Dr. Sockman is a nationally famous minister whose messages are broadcast weekly from the pulpit of his Christ Church in New York City. Need it be said that this promises to be the finest banquet in all our Convention history?

Business is again the order of the day on Friday, but this day will not be without its great moments. Before our newly inducted President declares the Forty-fourth Biennial Convention adjourned sine die, the Phis will form the Delta in the traditional manner and bid one another farewell and Godspeed.—PAUL C. BEAM, *Executive Secretary*.

The Lure of Minnesota

MINNESOTA, host state for the Forty-fourth General Convention of $\Phi \Delta \Theta$, is far advanced already in its preparations for the great meeting, first that the Fraternity ever has held in its borders.

And thousands of Phis and their families, youngsters and oldsters, even now are planning not only to attend the Convention, but to see Minnesota this summer.

Because of war conditions everywhere else in the world, this is certain to be a great year for Americans to look over the home continent, and the general committee of the approaching convention through General Chairman W. Edwin Neal urges Convention-bound Phis to spend their whole vacation in the land of Ten Thousand Lakes.

Pierre Esprit Radisson, French explorer and fur trader, was the first white man to set foot in this great domain; that was in the winter of 1659. He never stopped to count the ten thousand lakes that are in its present boundaries. That was left for later-day vacationists, fishermen, hunters, for all the thousands who like the big woods and the silences of fir

and spruce and pine and balsam, the lap of lake water, the loon's cry, and the sound of breakers on a rocky headland.

Before giving you the inviting details of the convention to be held in Minneapolis, with its sister city of Saint Paul contributing importantly to the entertainment of visting Phis, remember the entertainment committee urges you to keep in mind that history leaps alive from Minnesota's landscape. You may ask, what if it does? Well, here's the answer: It provides a thrill everywhere you turn in a state that has not only ten thousand lakes but 11,000 miles of paved surfaced state trunk highways to reach them by.

You can drive your car to the source of the Mississippi River in Itasca state park (and if so minded can step across that mighty river). You can reach by motor the Superior National Forest, the greatest canoe country in the world. By the same means, you can visit thirty-seven state parks, nine Indian reservations and tribal settlements, 186 game refuges, and the only pipestone quarry in the world (Longfellow was its first press agent; he wrote about it in *Hiawatha*).

At Mendota, adjacent to the Twin Cities of Minneapolis and St. Paul, and at the watersmeet of the Mississippi and Minnesota Rivers, there still stands the limestone house built in 1836 by Henry H. Sibley, fur trader, governor, and member of Congress, the first stone building in the then "far west." In that same building Jean Nicollet, French savant, spent a winter, and the very hotel you will hold your $\Phi\Delta\Theta$ convention in is named after him.

Near Anoka, Minnesota, just a few miles north of Minneapolis, still may be seen the old trails of the Red River carts, bound from St. Paul to Pembina and Winnipeg in the fur trading days of long ago.

Near Alexandria, the center of a great summer resort district, there was found the famous Kensington rune stone, declared to have been placed there by Norsemen 130 years before Columbus "discovered" America.

You will discover when you visit Minnesota this summer that "ten thousand lakes" is not an advertising phrase: if anything, you will see that it's an understatement. These lakes vary in size from crystal clear pools that reflect the glory of blue summer skies, to mighty inland seas fifty miles in length. The total water area of Minnesota is 6,500 square miles. Mille Lac, for example, is so large you cannot see across it, and on the west shore of that same lake the Sioux and Chippewa fought the deadly battle of Kathio. Now, the site is marked by a white oak post, and nearby is an Indian village and trading post.

So, if it's history you like, history brought to life and made understandable and thrilling, then come to the $\Phi\Delta\Theta$ Convention this summer. If you like to loaf on broad verandas of spacious summer resort hotels, or sleep on pine boughs in the primeval forest, or if you like to fish or paddle illimitable miles through the wilderness in a canoe, then come to Minnesota this year. You will be glad that you came.—LUTHER WEAVER, *Chairman of Publicity*



TYPICAL OF MINNESOTA

Historic Sewanee and Tennessee Beta

By JOHN LONGENECKER, *Sewanee '41*

ON October 10, 1860, five thousand people gathered in the middle of the Cumberland Plateau, far from any city, for the purpose of breaking the ground where the University of the South now stands. Upon a grant of many thousands of acres given by the State of Tennessee, Sewanee has grown up—a retreat for scholars and gentlemen. It was the purpose of the founders to establish a university which would demand a high standard of mental cultivation accompanied by full physical development in an environment spiritualized by the influence of the Protestant Episcopal Church. The conviction that knowledge is of little value unless its use is directed by a moral sense was the guiding passion of these planters and churchmen, and the world seems to have borne out this belief strikingly as the years have passed.

The product of their dream is a fine school situated in an unexcelled natural setting; the many miles of mountain fastness owned by the University are the hunting and hiking province of Sewanee students. The high quality of its academic work is attested to by the numbers of leaders in literature, science, gov-

ernment, and religion who have learned at Sewanee.

Juniors and seniors are not required to attend class so that they may initiate their own projects for study. The



PHI DELTA THETA'S FIRST CHAPTER HOUSE

badge of this distinction is the academic gown which they wear to chapel, on the campus, and to other student functions. The concept of honor pervades all of Sewanee, and the honor code is one of the cherished traditions of the school.

There are eight national fraternities at Sewanee, all of which have had long and interesting careers. Tennessee Beta was founded in 1883 by William Allen, William Aylesworth, James Bailey, Alfred Hartridge, John Potter Hodgson, John Robinson, and Bridgeford Smith. On the site of the present house was erected the first fraternity house owned by $\Phi\Delta\Theta$, the first house owned by any fraternity in the South. The present baronial lodge was begun in 1906 when the large front room was built. Several additions were made to the lodge, and in 1929 a game room was built as a memorial to Telfair Hodgson Torian, the nephew of one of the founders of the chapter, by his parents, Dr. and Mrs. Oscar Noel Torian of Indianapolis. Last December the chapter was grief stricken at the death of John Potter Torian, and Dr. and Mrs. Torian have decided to complete and furnish



SEWANEE LODGE BY MOONLIGHT

the chapter room in his memory. Dr. Torian has long served the University as a member of the Board of Regents, and he has served the chapter as an alumnus with a devotion and a generosity that is unexcelled. Mrs. Torian, sister, wife, and mother of Phis, has for many years been the greatest personality in Tennessee Beta's life. The chapter is proud that it can honor John Torian by putting a plaque to his memory beside that of his brother. Thus the house has been built over a period of years and is the product of sacrifice and love.

Students at Sewanee have never lived in fraternity houses; the University has five beautiful dormitories which leave all the space in the fraternity houses free for lodge purposes. Tennessee Beta has enough floor space downstairs to accommodate the entire University community without being cramped, and it frequently gives social functions to which are invited the whole student body. The sharing of recreations and the common life in dormitories prevent the forming of selfish factions and help greatly in unifying student loyalty and in keeping alive the famous Sewanee spirit.

The central location of the house is one of the most valuable assets of Tennessee Beta. A couple of hundred feet separate us from the classroom buildings, and only half that much separates us from the dining hall, so the lodge is the most important gathering place for students before and after luncheon. Members of all fraternities are to be found playing bridge, pool, or ping-pong at the $\Phi \Delta \Theta$ house, and one of the first things a pledge learns to do is to bring some outsider to the house. Phi Delta Theta has open house every Sunday morning after chapel during the spring months, when we are always privileged to entertain faculty members as well as students.

The tradition of close personal relations between faculty and student body is one of the most delightful things in Sewanee. All professors have open house for students on Sunday nights, and dur-



VIEWS AT SEWANEE

Portal of the $\Phi \Delta \Theta$ Lodge; the University Library; Tuckaway Inn, a dormitory



VIEWS AT SEWanee

A dormitory; The Cloister; Science Hall

ing the week they are to be found in their respective fraternity houses in close touch with their students, or on the athletic field, or in conferences. Phi Delta Theta has been especially fortunate in this respect. Telfair Hodgson, treasurer of the University and brother of one of the founders, has been a very active and helpful alumnus. Our faculty adviser, Professor H. M. Gass, is a Rhodes Scholar and an alumnus of our chapter who returned to his alma mater to teach Greek and Latin. On many occasions his insight and experience have stood us in good stead, and the stimulus of his personality has been one of the reasons Tennessee Beta has maintained its high standing over such a long time.

A literary society formed many years ago in Sewanee became the mother chapter of the national creative writing fraternity ΣY . This has always been active in the life of this organization; they number more than a fourth of its members. The Sewanee chapter of $\Pi \Gamma M$, social science fraternity, has an even larger proportion of Phis, and the same is true of Blue Key, the service fraternity. When $\Omega \Delta K$ elected new members this year, all of the new men were Phi and a third of the new $\Phi B K$'s were Phi. But the interests of the chapter are more than simply intellectual; two years ago the football captain was a Phi, last year the alternate captain was a Phi, and at present there are several members of the "S" Club in the chapter. Four out of the last five yearbook editors have been members of the chapter, and three out of the last four of the presidents of the debate council have worn the Sword and Shield. The chapter is just as well represented in music and dramatics.

Tennessee Beta is proud of its alumni who have gone forth as men to lead the lives of scholars and gentlemen. Four bishops in the Episcopal Church, many clergymen, doctors, lawyers, and professors have become brothers in the Bond at Sewanee. We are proud to belong to the chapter that has produced them.

Mississippi Alpha Dedicates Lodge

By TOM HAMMOND, *Mississippi '41*

A hundred and fifty alumni and friends gathered on the University of Mississippi campus March 15 and 16 to take part in the dedication exercises of the new home of Mississippi Alpha.

The celebration was to mark the final payment of all debts incurred in the building of the house, making $\Phi \Delta \Theta$ the complete owner. Alumni, members of neighboring chapters, parents, University faculty and students, in addition to the chapter members, joined to make the note-burning a big occasion.

The program opened Saturday afternoon with an open house, giving alumni and all persons connected with the University a chance to inspect the new lodge and meet the chapter members. That night a smoker was held for the actives and alumni.

Sunday morning the chapter attended church in a group, and then gathered with the alumni and their wives for a banquet. W. T. (Billy) Wynn of Greenville, *Mississippi '12*, treasurer of the National Cotton Council of America, served as toastmaster and introduced the various distinguished alumni present.

Immediately following the banquet, the actual dedication was held in the house. Billy Mounger, '39, one of the leading workers in the financing of the house during his terms as treasurer and

president of the chapter, first outlined the history of the building of the house and how the project was financed.

A portrait of the late Bem Price, '02, architect for the house, was presented to the chapter by Albert Russell, '37, also a past chapter president and leader in the building of the house. The house was named Bem Price Lodge in recognition of the services of this alumnus.

As a representative of the General Fraternity, Robert N. Somerville, '07, President of Theta Province, presented the cancelled notes marking the final payment of the indebtedness to the Palmer Endowment Fund. He commended the chapter for its speedy payment of the debt and the business-like management of its financial affairs. The cancelled notes were received by Mr. W. N. Ethridge, '05, chapter adviser, who played a major role in directing the payment of

AT THE MISSISSIPPI DEDICATION



the debt and in putting the house finances on a sound basis.

The Reverend Dr. Edward S. Lewis, *Southern '94*, delivered the official dedication address, dedicating the new lodge to the alumni of Mississippi Alpha for their continued support and loyalty after leaving the University.

Built in the summer of 1936, Mississippi Alpha's home cost approximately seven thousand dollars. A University rule had previously prohibited fraternities from building, but when that regulation was revoked, the chapter immediately set about planning for the time when they could have a home. The alumni were very generous in their contributions, the Palmer Endowment Fund gave a loan of two thousand dollars, and J. M. Thomas, Jr., *Vanderbilt '23*, made a substantial loan.

The chapter regularly met all payments, so that by March of 1940 all indebtedness of any kind, including that to the Palmer Fund and to Brother Thomas, was completely paid. The final note was paid to the Palmer Fund this spring, eighteen months ahead of the

time it was due. In addition, the chapter has maintained during this time insurance policies of five thousand dollars on the house and one thousand dollars on the furniture. Thus Mississippi Alpha has, with the help of the Palmer Fund and loyal alumni, built, paid for, and insured a new house in the record time of less than four years.

It has been the policy of the chapter to set aside approximately \$850 a year, this amount being used to retire the outstanding indebtedness and pay insurance cost. The chapter has out of its regular budget cared for all upkeep on the house and property.

The house was the second fraternity house constructed at the University. It is located in the middle of fraternity row, where ten others have since been built. It is a two-story brick bungalow containing a large living room, chapter room, kitchen, baths, and bedrooms. Needless to say, it is a big improvement over former days, from the standpoints of both the active chapter and the alumni who now have a place to come on their visits at the University.

Some Rising Young Mississippians

By ALBERT R. RUSSELL, *Mississippi '37*

AMONG the more than four hundred Phis who have passed through the portals of Ole Miss, earning position and leadership in the South and the nation, no records are more imposing than those of two Mississippi Alpha men still in their twenties, Henry Minor Faser, Jr., '31, and Fred Marion Glass, Jr., '35.

Brother Faser of Jackson, Mississippi, only twenty-nine years of age, has been one of Penn Mutual's leading general agents for five years, three in New York and the last two in Boston. His agency in the latter city is the eighth largest of the company. As author of a book on recruiting, training, and supervising the college man, a Certified Life Underwriter, as former professor at Fordham

University, a post he held in New York, Henry Faser has established himself as a leader in his chosen profession, not only within his own company, but also throughout the entire insurance world.

At Mississippi University, Brother Faser exhibited rare talent as a journalist, athlete, and student leader. Excelling in baseball and proficient in other sports, editor of the student weekly, the *Mississippian*, sociable and popular, Mississippi Alpha's Henry Faser gave evidence in college of success which was soon to be his own.

A preview of Fred Glass of Winona, Mississippi, in 1930 as a promising Phikeia and again in 1935 as a law school graduate with two diplomas tucked un-

der his arm and every conceivable campus award penned to his name, may have given some indication of what this chapter president would do in the capitalistic world.

Ambitious, intelligent, with a sense of values far above the average, Brother Glass in college was Hall of Fame man, editor of the *Mississippian*, member of Blue Key, $\Phi \Delta \Phi$, $\Sigma \Upsilon$, $\Phi \Pi \Sigma$, and numerous other honoraries. And on graduating he immediately received a fellowship to Northwestern University in the field of aeronautical law. Before completing his courses there he was named to the legal staff of Ralston-Purina in St. Louis. Today, at twenty-five, Brother Glass is Chief Attorney-Examiner for the Civil Aeronautics Authority in Washington.

Two other names stand out on the honor roster of Mississippi Alpha's recent graduates: Frank Everett, of Indianola, graduate in law in 1934, and Chester Curtis, Clarksdale. Both are splendid examples of the responsibilities youth is carrying today. Everett, Hall of Fame man, president of the Student Body at Ole Miss (election without opposition), president of Young Men's Christian Association, on graduating from the

University, accepted a position with Gardner, Denman and Gardner of Greenwood, a legal firm famed over the entire South. Soon the shingle was to read Gardner, Denman, and Everett. Today Brother Everett, yet in his twenties, and only five years out of college, is Assistant Attorney General of Mississippi.

Brother Curtis, graduate in law in 1936, has already amassed a number of honors in his home county and region. Recently he was named District Commissioner of Boy Scouts of America. At Mississippi University, Chester Curtis was that rare combination of scholar and athlete which won for him honor after honor, culminated by selection to the Hall of Fame. He was winner of the coveted Norris Trophy, given each year to the foremost athlete-student; excelling in four sports, he still had time to make straight A's and edit the student yearbook, the *Old Miss*.

Outstanding leaders in college, all ardent Phis, these Mississippi brothers are proof once again that America remains the land of opportunity for men of insight, background, and appropriate training.

HENRY MINOR FASER, JR., *Mississippi '31*FRED MARION GLASS, JR., *Mississippi '35*

He Makes His Dreams Come True

By STANLEY EDWARD SEVERSON, *Lawrence '34*

FEW men have been privileged to realize in their later years so many of the dreams of their boyhood as Edward Avery McIlhenny, *Lehigh '94*, has brought to pass, through the application of patient study and plain hard work to the projects suggested by his lively imagination. A successful business man, conducting great enterprises which he himself has largely created, he has found the time and made the occasion to pursue a dozen avocations and hobbies that have given him joy and have turned out to be major artistic and scientific accomplishments. In the true sense a philanthropist, he has shared the results of his labors generously with his fellow-men and extended them even to the beasts and birds, which have always been the objects of his special interest.

Nature was kind to Brother McIlhenny from the start. He was first blessed by his place of birth, Avery Island, Louisiana. Avery Island is a geological phenomenon known as a salt hump; it is located on the lush, semi-tropic Gulf Coast about a hundred miles west of New Orleans. Here during his childhood and youth he learned the great outdoors at its most beautiful, and acquired early an intense interest and love for the animal and plant life which abound in this

region. He was also endowed with the physique of a giant, an inquiring, restless intellect, and a superabundance of energy, legacies of his enterprising ancestors.

Avery Island, his ancestral home, has been in the possession of the Avery and McIlhenny families for generations; the ownership was made possible through a royal land grant during the period when the Louisiana territory was Spanish soil. The original estate was about six thousand acres, and has been expanded to include eighteen square miles. Underground are vast salt deposits which are practically inexhaustible. These deposits, now on lease to the International Salt Company, cover an area of one thousand acres. The depth is not known, but has been estimated to reach down as far as eight miles! An average daily output is fifteen hundred tons of chemically pure salt. Even at this rate, the past forty-five years of extensive mining has worked only one level, five hundred feet below the surface, covering only sixty acres of the tract.

On the surface are grown commercially, paradoxically enough, quantities of some of the hottest peppers known to human taste. These peppers are processed in the McIlhenny factory and are served



EASTER LILIES *au naturel*



WILD DUCKS COMING HOME

to the world in a sauce which we all know as Tabasco. McIlhenny is uniquely the world's "salt-and-pepper king."

Added to his southern tradition was a northern education. He studied at Holbrook Academy, and Lehigh University, where he received the degree of Mechanical Engineer in the class of 1894. Leaving college, he plunged directly into his long life of adventure and achievement.

His first assignment was to accompany Admiral Peary in 1893 as a naturalist on an Arctic expedition. Four years later he set out on his own exploratory-scientific expedition to the Far North in search of the unknown.

During a breathing spell at home, the seed of probably his greatest achievement was germinated. It is a story that is epic in its scope, the story of the rescue from extinction of the snowy egret, one of the world's most exquisite birds.

In the 1890's the snowy egret was elected by Dame Fashion as the possessor of the choicest of all plumage for millinery trimming. As each bird netted the hunter forty dollars or more, the slaughter was swift and thorough. The tragic phase of this slaughter was that the valuable plumage (aigrettes) is a nuptial dress, produced only during the mating and nesting season, so that thousands of eggs were left unhatched, and countless fledglings, too young to scratch for themselves, starved in their nests. Shortly the egret disappeared. It was McIlhenny, dismayed and alarmed by this loss, who set out on an exhaustive search through Louisiana swamps to find any possible survivors. Eight young birds were finally located, and were brought back to Avery Island where they were caged on a pond. McIlhenny literally nursed his charges to maturity, and winning their trust, he released them, relying on the instincts of the migratory bird to return to its nesting grounds. That fall they flew off, heading instinctively towards their Central American winter quarters. Anxiously he waited for their return, and in the spring, six came back to resume housekeeping.

In the interim, McIlhenny clamored

for legal protection on his flock. He got the laws he asked for—laws with teeth in them—affording the six survivors a chance to re-establish the species.

The flock increased slowly but substantially. The offspring of the original foundlings returned each year to Avery Island to raise their young. In 1911, when the last official census was taken, over



EDWARD AVERY MCILHENNY, *Lehigh '94*

100,000 were counted. Today, a conservative estimate would number them well over the quarter-million mark.

The original pond has been enlarged many times to care for the increasing flock. Other species of migrant birds have adopted the McIlhenny sanctuary, now internationally known as Bird City. An interesting fact which illustrates the magnitude of the preserve, is that each nesting season, between thirty and forty truck-loads of twigs are brought in to provide nesting material. Huge double-deck egret apartments have been erected on piles over the lake, to provide nesting room for the thousands of egrets.

In the winter season, when the egrets fly south, their place is taken by the northern geese and ducks which winter on the Gulf Coast.



IN JUNGLE GARDENS

Brother McIlhenny has championed the cause of conservation in many other ways. Besides his efforts to obtain state and Federal laws to protect wild life, he has also interested other philanthropic conservationists in purchasing tracts of land to be set aside for game refuges.

Not content with being America's Number One conservationist, Brother McIlhenny is a botanist of reputation. On his vast estate in a three-hundred-acre tract is a huge botanical display called Jungle Gardens. Here are displayed over seven thousand species of plant life in their natural settings. For over thirty years naturalists have been combing the world for varieties capable of survival on the Gulf Coast. Jungle Gardens has a bamboo forest, containing more than sixty varieties, coffee and tea plants, an iris garden of several acres containing thousands of plants of over seventeen hundred different varieties. In the ponds and lagoons are found papyrus and lotus from the Nile. Another section holds most of the known varieties of azalea. One can see as many as forty thousand azalea plants in bloom at one time.

Probably the most unique specimen of the gardens is the Wasi orange tree. The tree is sacred to the Japanese and is a monopoly of the Emperor, who is the only being privileged to eat its fruit. Through the act of saving the lives of several high-born Japanese, McIlhenny was rewarded with a young sapling from the Emperor's own trees. Another unusual specimen found here is a living species of plant life which is found fossilized in our coal deposits. This survivor of the coal age was discovered by a botanist in a remote valley in Tibet.

Besides these interests, Brother McIlhenny has been author, lecturer, and big game hunter, and has had interests among many other scientific fields. His writings have been concerned with exportation, conservation, the study of migratory birds, and even one book on negro spirituals. His versatility is manifold; his most recent venture, still in the experimental stage, is the culture of the nutria, an Argentine muskrat whose fur is classified as ultra-luxurious. He believes the climate and conditions of the Avery Island locale are ideal for its development.



IN JUNGLE GARDENS

The accomplishments of this man, unknown but to a few until recently, are being given their full due. Two very interesting articles about him have been published in the *Saturday Evening Post* in recent years. These were concerned with his success in preserving the snowy egret and the wonders of his botanical gardens. Travel magazines are urging tourists to visit Avery Island to witness

the sheer beauty of the Jungle Gardens and the magnificence of Bird City. All who have been there insist that the wildest imagination cannot conceive the wonders of this spot.

The McIlhenny estate has been opened to the public, and by doing so, Brother McIlhenny is giving to the present and to posterity the fruits of his toil, the preservation and creation of beauty.

Resident Preceptors Wanted

A RECENT survey shows that $\Phi \Delta \Theta$ leads in the number of chapters having resident preceptors. Because of the encouragement given this plan by college administrators there is a constantly increasing demand for likely candidates among our chapters.

If you are contemplating graduate work or if you are on the teaching staff of an institution where there is a chapter of $\Phi \Delta \Theta$ and this sort of proposition interests you, please write to General Headquarters for further details. It is imperative that you have served your chapter in the more important offices and that you be prepared to provide guidance in all phases of chapter life. It is not scholarship tutors alone that we are seeking.

If you qualify and are interested, write to PAUL C. BEAM, Executive Secretary, General Headquarters, Oxford, Ohio.

Canada's University of Toronto

By ROWED GREIG, *Toronto* '40

WHAT is said to be the largest university in the British Empire and one of this Continent's great seats of learning is at Toronto, Ontario. This University of Toronto, registered with eight thousand undergraduates, is known particularly for its work in physics, applied science, medicine, and the faculty of music. The aerial view shows the extent of the buildings and grounds: from St. Michael's College on the left with its two hundred American students, to the heavily wooded Fraternity Row on the right, and from the science buildings at the south to the football stadium and hockey arena at the north. The university is a complete unit in itself, set right in the heart of the city with the business and government districts on the one side and the residential sections on the other.

One unique feature about the institution, making it different from most other Canadian and American universi-

ties is its modeling along the lines of Oxford and Cambridge. The university is a federation of colleges and professional schools. With such a system, the place has been called the most similar to an English university of any on this side.

Examining the history of the University of Toronto briefly, we can see how this system of colleges came about. The original college was founded by charter of the King through the Legislature of Ontario (then Upper Canada) as the Anglican "King's College" in 1827. It was state endowed and also existed on private endowments. After varying ups and downs, including doubt as to whether the charter founding the college would ever go through the legislature, the university finally came into being in 1850 as an institution of secular and non-sectarian higher education. The "godless" college, as it then became known by the theological colleges of Can-



AERIAL VIEW, UNIVERSITY OF TORONTO

ada, had now passed its first hurdles.

When the Confederation in Canada came into effect in 1867, the University of Toronto became the provincial university of the newly created province of Ontario. As the other important colleges were denominational, and privately supported by their respective churches, the demand for federation arose when these colleges began to find their financing difficult. Hence the Federation Act in 1887 resulted in the inclusion in the university of the theological colleges of Knox, Wycliffe, and St. Michael's, and the theological and arts Victoria College. Also the faculty of medicine was revived, and, in effect, the School of Practical Science became a faculty, thus arose the first of the professional schools, which later became so numerous. In 1904, Trinity University, an Anglican institution founded in opposition to Wycliffe College at one time, joined the federation as Trinity College. Thus there was grouped about University College, a collection of theological and arts colleges, and professional schools.

The federation of universities which was brought into effect in 1889 was an experiment and based on no familiar principles, and following no known model. Improvements had to be made, such as getting rid of direct state control, as the university was being used as a political football, and also the government grants for the support of the university were infrequent and irregular. Hence, in 1906, the control and management of the University were put in the hands of a Board of Governors appointed by the provincial government. The annual grant was fixed at a percentage of the province's succession duties. Later, the annual grant was set at a definite figure and additional money granted each year as the government saw fit. Purely academic policies were placed in the hands of the University Senate, which includes so many professors of the university and certain officials. The president was made the university's chief executive officer, and relieved of certain

of his former detail duties. The Senate and the president were made responsible to the Board of Governors. The institution has mastered sudden increases in registration as occurred after the Great War, and provided facilities for the large-



HOME OF ONTARIO ALPHA
It looks good enough to eat

scale athletics now carried on. New departments, those of graduate study and university extension, were created when the demand arose. Today, the federation is functioning in an admirable manner, with all colleges and schools, to most intents and purposes, of equal status within the university.

A unique feature of the University of Toronto, and one marvelled at by every visitor, is Hart House. This magnificent building was opened in 1919, the gift of the Massey Foundation, and is different from university buildings anywhere in the world. It serves to unify the male undergraduates of the different schools and colleges, and it comprises all their non-academic activities. Under one roof are found the common rooms, music room, library, theatre, art gallery, debates room, dining rooms, various means of

recreation, and the entire athletic department, including gymnasia and the swimming pool.

The system of control of Hart House is English. The appointed head is the Warden, an Oxford graduate, who supervises the entire House, with the aid of an administrative staff. Financial support comes from endowment and an annual fee levied on every male undergraduate during attendance at university. A picture of Hart House is shown with this article, including its Soldier's Tower, erected in memory of the university men killed in the Great War, and containing the carillon.

A university is judged today on the quality of its student body as well as its academic standing. The fraternities reflect the type of student body. At Toronto, the number of international fraternities today is over twenty, and they give leadership in undergraduate life. Since $Z\psi$ came along in 1879, the university's growth has also been the growth of the fraternities.

In 1906, Ontario Alpha came into being at the university. The present house at 143 Bloor West is the same old private house in which the chapter started, with

a few things stuck in here and a couple taken out there. Our article shows a line drawing picture, resembling a wedding cake, of our snow-covered pride and joy. It looks good enough to eat. The house is unique in its situation, for, as far as we know, it is the only fraternity house at Toronto located on university grounds and yet owned by the chapter alumni. This state of affairs gives us a saving in taxes.

The active chapter may be termed as having more interests in executive positions and scholarship than in athletics. This has sometimes been the other way around, though. Chapter policy always has laid down rushing so that the active chapter maintains a good cross-section of the men in the university. From the things the alumni finally end up doing and the places they get to, we think we get a good cross-section of the world as well. Consider men in business in California and Buenos Aires, practicing medicine in Vancouver, manufacturing in Montreal, sales work in London, insurance in Scotland, radio in New York City, and banking in Shanghai. Then there are the many alumni in all sorts of work in Toronto itself.



HART HOUSE, UNIVERSITY OF TORONTO

Whitman Phi Beta Kappas

By CAMERON SHERWOOD, President of Tau Province

THE year's elections to Φ B K at Whitman College include two members of Washington Beta, Richard Eells and Leonard Jansen, both of the class of 1940. Brothers Eells and Jansen have been prominent in student affairs throughout their college course. Both have been active in the International Relations Club and the Philosophical Society; Jansen has been active in dramatics and has served as manager of the college yearbook and president of his class in the junior year; Eells has been debate manager and president of the Student Advisory Council, and is now president of Washington Beta. Both have worked consistently to keep their chapter in the forefront in scholarship. Their election to Φ B K is a well-merited distinction.

The addition of these brothers to the old honorary society recalls the remarkable record of our Whitman chapter in relation to it. Beginning with the class of 1911, only five classes have failed to have at least one representative in Φ B K, and two of these years were 1918 and 1919, when practically the whole chapter were in military or naval service for their country. In the thirty years, thirty-six Phis have been chosen to wear the key. Several classes included two Phis each, and the classes of 1926, 1935, and 1938 distinguished themselves by contributing three Phis. Considering the small number of men elected annually, averaging only five or six, this is a notable achievement for Washington Beta. Perhaps the most significant thing about it is the consistency with which the chapter through the years has produced men of distinguished scholastic attainments. It is noteworthy, too, that the careers of these men

since graduation are fulfilling the promise of their student days.

Following are the Whitman Φ B K's by classes: 1911, Harold E. Crawford; 1912, Bayard Mushett; 1913, Ralph Reser, Paul W. Garrett; 1914, Walter C. Lee;



THEY CARRY ON A GOOD TRADITION
Leonard Jansen and Richard Eells, Whitman '40

1915, William E. Berney; 1916, Clarence C. Ludwig; 1917, Charles D. Yenney; 1920, Robert B. Hurd; 1921, Leo R. Etzkorn, Eugene Woodruff; 1922, Orion D. Starr, John A. Reisinger; 1923, Halbert Holmes, Mowbray Tate; 1924, Walker Bleakney; 1925, Marvin M. Williams; 1926, William R. Leonard, Lee M. McMurtrey, Wilbur R. Newman; 1928, Mark W. Bradford; 1929, Eugene Klise; 1930, Walter F. Ryan; 1931, Kenneth C. Davis; 1933, Wilfrid W. Newschwander, Jr.; 1935, Merrell Rees Davis, Lawrence Minnick, John D. Ifft; 1936, Jack W. Morrison; 1937, Enar B. Olson; 1938, Sidney R. Wolfe, Paul H. Wolfe, Mervin Butterfield; 1939, Harry Westerberg; 1940, Richard S. F. Eells, Leonard Jansen.

Remember, Minneapolis, August 27-30!

Paul Cadman Goes to the A.B.A.

By HARRY L. DUNN, *California '15*

PAUL F. CADMAN, *Sewanee and California '15*, has accepted appointment as Economist to the American Bankers Association and is now installed in his new offices at the national headquarters of the Association at 22 East 40th Street, New York City. The position of Economist is a new one and was created for Brother Cadman to give scope to his nationally recognized talent for analyzing and lucidly interpreting and presenting economic, social, and financial trends. As Economist to the American Bankers Association, Brother Cadman will head a research and statistical staff, and will continue on a national scale the advising, writing, and speaking activities which he has been conducting, on a professional basis, from his San Francisco headquarters, during the last five years.

Brother Cadman enrolled at the University of the South, Sewanee, Tennessee, in 1907, and in that year was initiated into Tennessee Beta of $\Phi \Delta \Theta$. Because of financial reasons he was required to leave Sewanee after one year and to return to California where he engaged in business for nearly three years before resuming his formal education. He entered the University of California in August, 1911, and was at once affiliated with the California Alpha chapter. While at Berkeley, Brother Cadman was a leader in both Fraternity and student body affairs. He was chairman of the committee which planned and constructed the new chapter house built at the end of his junior year, and then became president of the chapter. He was active in debating and many phases of committee work and in his senior year was elected permanent president of the 1915 University class.

After graduation from the University of California, Brother Cadman entered the General Theological Seminary of the Episcopal Church. His career there was

cut short by the war and he enlisted in 1916 in the American Field Service, the organization then furnishing and manning ambulances, on a voluntary basis, with the French Army. Soon after the declaration of war by the United States, he became a Captain in the Field Artillery of the American Expeditionary Force and in that capacity served with the Second Division through five major campaigns on the Western Front.

After his return to the United States in 1919, in December of that year he married Ethel Mills, a graduate of the University of California. He then returned to France for three years of study at the University of Paris and received his doctor's degree in economics and political science from the French Government in December 1922. In August 1923, he was appointed assistant professor of economics and assistant dean of men at the University of California, and in 1927, was promoted to the rank of associate professor of economics and dean of men. In 1929 he resigned from the University faculty to become executive secretary of the San Francisco Stock Exchange. In 1933 he returned to the University of California as professor of corporation finance and investments, and in 1936 again resigned from the University to establish and conduct a bureau of economic research in San Francisco.

Brother Cadman has from time to time conducted courses of advanced study for bankers and business men, and has traveled the length and breadth of the nation to address university and professional groups and conventions on economic, social, and financial questions. During all of this time he has developed a knowledge of public problems and an ability to simplify and present them, and to suggest solutions, that make it quite natural that he should be called by the principal financial association of the

United States to a position and opportunity which will enable him to be of the greatest service.

Brother Cadman's ever-widening circle of friends and acquaintances and his range of interests, together with his warm personality and quick and tolerant understanding, make him a welcome member or guest in all of the varied groups and places to which his interests have drawn him. His New York friends will not be surprised to learn that Brother Cadman is an experienced mountaineer and an expert fisherman, but they may be particularly interested to know that while a resident of San Francisco and Berkeley he became a distinguished exponent of the art of figure skating on ice. These are but a few of the many interests and hobbies which fill the days and years of his always active and enthusiastic life.

During all of his busy years Brother Cadman has maintained close contact with the Fraternity, and particularly with California Alpha chapter at Berkeley. For many years he was chapter adviser, and has always been a prominent figure, and often a speaker, at chapter and other Fraternity meetings, conferences, and re-

unions. Not only his career but also his personality and his friendship have been



PAUL FLETCHER CADMAN, *Sewanee and California '15*

an inspiration to his many friends and Fraternity brothers in California. They are sorry to lose him to New York.

A Toast to Phi Delta Theta

By JAMES BEATTIE MACLEAN, *British Columbia '27*

THIS toast was proposed at the banquet celebrating the tenth anniversary of British Columbia Alpha, at the Royal Vancouver Yacht Club, Vancouver, March 8, 1940.—EDITOR.

IF this were a dinner with only Phi present and I were to propose the toast, it would be an extremely simple task. I should say, "Brothers, to Phi Delta Theta." That is all that would be necessary. In a moment an upwelling of thought, memories, and feeling would fill the mind and heart of every brother with the significance of such a toast.

Tonight I cannot do just that, because we have the honor of guests, and my toast requires a little preface. What shall I say tonight? If I try to say something

funny, you will weep at it, no doubt; if I try to say something serious, you may laugh at me. The serious in fraternity sometimes comes perilously near to the sentimental when talked about, for each one of us does have a sentimental attachment for this Fraternity, as well as the deep and fine sentiment of brotherly affection. I am going to steer a middle course, if I can, in this toast. May I say first, that I am most happy to propose it—for two reasons. First and foremost, of course, because it is my Fraternity. Pleasure and honor combine to make it an easy task, therefore. Second (and I beg forgiveness for a personal allusion), because my brother is here as a guest. That

has had a very special value to me in thinking—over some things I might say to-night—through that contact with the rushee group, I realize poignantly what I want to say to each rushee personally, because I am anxious that he among you should see what $\Phi\Delta\Theta$ means to me.

I toast $\Phi\Delta\Theta$ for two eminent values: the Strength and Joy it has brought to me. Than these two abstract values I can think of no greater, especially when I pause to consider the far-reaching significance of each. Probably Joy comes through our Strength.

Strength and Joy in fraternity come from the organization of men in a common bond; that has been a natural inclination of man from the beginning; men have always banded together, at first for their mutual protection. And then they must have learned in little what we in $\Phi\Delta\Theta$ have found in abundance—the satisfying joy of companionship after trust had become deep-rooted. We know the Strength of our union in $\Phi\Delta\Theta$, and, because it is the largest of all such unions, I toast it with great respect, since in all things the greater the union, the greater the strength. That strength comes from diversity of character and interests of its membership. There is no room in $\Phi\Delta\Theta$ for snobbishness or type; it teaches tolerance and sympathy, and would make us broad-minded. Above all, with such an opportunity, we learn to know a good man when we see one. I think Huxley said that was the aim of all education.

That the Strength of this tremendous organization becomes a personal or individual Strength of men initiated into its mysteries is to me a kind of miracle. That strength, however, becomes great in proportion to the amount of time and interest a man devotes to his Fraternity. Will you think of that? In so far as your sincere efforts to do something for your Fraternity go, by just so much will you grow strong in the strength of your bond. A weak fibre leaves the stalk vulnerable.

I toast the Strength of $\Phi\Delta\Theta$ because

it is manifold and immeasurably far-reaching. Probably we all came to college—at least I know I did—with considerable timidity, almost a lack of self-assurance. Many of us have come without having learned to believe in ourselves. Phi Delta Theta has given us the fortitude we needed. At first, it gave us the strength of pride in belonging, as we believe, to the best organization of its kind. Then, it gave us strength, as we came to know its members, in the knowledge that always there was present and now always will be, the support and friendship of a group of men for whom we ourselves held high respect. I have had new realization of that in the letters from the brothers.

And through these things our Joy was found—the mystical joy of Brotherhood, that becomes our unflinching Loyalty. Sometimes the loyalty of that friendship astounds me. I am reminded of the instance of the wife, distressed at the lateness of her husband's return from a fraternity banquet. In desperation, she phoned five brothers' homes, and, finding none at home, she explained that she had merely called to find out if Harry was staying there for the night. Five minutes later, Harry came home; fifteen minutes later, she had five phone calls saying, "Yes, Harry is staying here for the night." Well, that may lay itself open to some moral questioning, but no one will deny that here was loyalty.

Then there is the joy of companionship in $\Phi\Delta\Theta$, because of its equality. Here no infusion of class, creed, or money are felt. We are already experiencing the Joy that poets and philosophers and economists have envisaged for a future state. What a privilege is ours! Joy is born of the original bond of strength.

The greatest joy, however, is an abstract experience. It is an amalgam of all these things material—of mental and physical courage, of respect for others, of equality, of loyalty. That is the great Fraternal Friendship of $\Phi\Delta\Theta$ that I ask you to toast with me.

Walter Havighurst's New Novel

Reviewed by RALPH J. MCGINNIS, Miami '19

WITH *Winds of Spring*, a gentle story of pioneer life, Walter Havighurst, *Ohio Wesleyan '23*, comes to full stature as a writer of fiction. Brother Havighurst cut his eye teeth on *Pier 17*, and then found his stride in *The Quiet Shore* and *Upper Mississippi*, both stories of how man reacts when he lives next the soil, and takes food for mind and body from the soil.

Winds of Spring is the story of Jan Carl Sorenson, Swedish aristocrat and scientist, and his peasant bride, Margretta, and their adventures as pioneers in Wisconsin in the 1840's and thirty years thereafter. Emerging from the story, like spokes from a wheel, are issues and conflicts which for the careful reader assume more interest and provoke more thought than the relatively simple plot.

The fundamental distrust of the man of the soil for culture and learning has never been better illustrated than in the downright persecution of Jan, the collector of birds' nests, by his more successful farmer neighbors. Brother Havighurst, with a far more penetrating knowledge of the American scene than is apparent to the casual reader, shows that the conquering of the wilderness is only a beginning of the conquest of a civilization. "Man can not live by bread alone" might head the chapters which tell the story of the sensitive naturalist as he pursues his dreams in a hostile world in which the least fearful thing is ridicule.

Not the least important conflict is that which involves Margretta, who understands the soil and what the soil demands in labor and courage, yet who also in the end comes to accept and find joy in Jan's pursuits. She saw in these pursuits something just as tangible as a fat pig or a granary full of wheat and although it "was beyond her understanding—it was not beyond her joy."

In these delicate contrasts of success

and failure, of the calmly materialistic Margretta and the visionary aristocrat, and of the values inherent in productive labor and idealistic thinking, we find the true greatness of the novel.

There is a story, too. The romantic rescue of Jan by Margretta, the flight from their native land when Jan's father refused to sanction the marriage, the long years of futile struggle in a new country, the justification of Jan's life when we are told that his pupil, young David Wick, is destined to be famous, are drawn with a sure and able hand.

Were not the descriptive passages so brilliant, the author's characterizations would seem superb. Peter Lund, the illiterate but shrewd land holder, David Wick, Jan's protege, Enoch Cloud, the peddler, and of course Jan—"Woodpecker Jan"—and Margretta, are consistently drawn and are real people. It is in the descriptive passages, however, that the author excels. The Wisconsin countryside in winter, the wild life, the homes of the settlers, are described in masterly fashion.

While critics, especially those of the professorial rank, insist that to be great a novel must bear a message, those of us who enjoy a good yarn are inclined to regard "Universal Truths" as necessary literary evils. Nevertheless, *Winds of Spring* does have a message, and a good one. We said earlier that the man of the soil has a profound distrust of learning and culture. Brother Havighurst believes he sees this distrust vanishing in America and rising in its place a new regard for cultural accomplishment. He sees a lessening or changing value placed on manual labor and a growing tendency to discount the sanctity of the sweat of the brow. Never again will America offer "so great reward for energy and dogged will or so little for imagination and devotion to truth."

Athletic Hits and Misses

By MURRAY S. SMITH, *Knox '25*

YOURS truly is again batting out his material and we are hopeful it will find more response than has been our experience in the past year. Aside from one or two contributors we have had no assistance in gathering this news and it is next to impossible to cover the activities of all Phis throughout the nation and Canada without the co-operation of the brothers. So, in the manner of the late Phi columnist, Harvey T. Woodruff, I ask for Help! Help!

Baseball is back with us and with the loss of Brother Lou Gehrig from the rôle of the Yanks captain and the transfer of Carl Reynolds to the Los Angeles team by the Cubs we have but three active players in the majors, to my knowledge. Thanks to W. E. Slabaugh, Jr., *Case '29* we have information about the new Cleveland star second baseman Ray Mack, *Case '38*. Ray played on all the Case teams and captained the football squad. Because Case did not have a baseball team Ray Mack learned his ball on the Cleveland sand lots. He is a real star on double plays and with better hitting will be a real standout. He was on the writer's second All-Phi football team.

The rejuvenated St. Louis Browns have a coming pitcher in Bill Kramer, sophomore southpaw. He had a fair year last season and has fine prospects ahead of him. Big Ed Levy is playing reserve first base for the Phillies. He is from the Florida Beta chapter at Rollins College. Connie Mack, Jr., from the Duke chapter, is assisting his famous father. Charlie Berry is on the coaching staff of the Washington Senators. Muddy Ruel trains the pitchers for the White Sox.

An exceptional suggestion has been sent in by Brother Frank W. Lewis, *Purdue '30*, 111 W. Jackson, Chicago, that might well have the attention of Phis who are interested in their brothers in football. The *Chicago Tribune* always

sponsors a charity all-star football game played by two teams of collegians who graduated the preceding year and who are given the most votes by readers of papers throughout the nation. Brother Lewis' idea is this: the SCROLL should list a team of Phi seniors and have the entire membership go out and canvass for votes in order to elect them to positions on the squad or team. For your approval we give you the following senior Phi team: ends: Ralph Wenzel, *Tulane*, and Robert Ison, *Georgia Tech*; Tackles: Walter Jelsma, *Oregon State*, and Bob Gargett, *Michigan State*; Guards: Tom Kaul, *Utah*, and Don Cory, *Washington, St. Louis*; Center: Cary Cox, *Alabama* (All-American); Backs: Jack Ryan, *Northwestern*, and Morrie Kohler, *Oregon State*; Lou Brock, *Purdue*, and Easy Eaves, *Duke*.

In the golfing field Phis are distinguishing themselves in the major tournaments. Chick Evans, Charlie Yates, Art Doering, Ed Goven, and Ed White continue to be among the leaders. Any information on coming tennis and golf stars will be appreciated for later columns.

Johnny Higgins and Bill Stanhope were winners on the fine Ohio State swimming team and they won places in the National Collegiate swim final meet. Higgins was first in his event.

Jerry Zehr, brother of the illustrious Danny, was elected captain of next year's water polo team at Northwestern.

Our most important business at hand is the selection of an all-star $\Phi \Delta \Theta$ basketball team and we are indeed in a quandary. Reports from chapters recommending their brothers for the teams and citing their records have been falling off recently but they just reached a new low. If you want the selections of all-star teams continued send in material on your chapter basketball players to the writer, 1490 Miner Street, Des Plaines, Ill.

Texas Delta's Tennis Ace

By JIM WILSON, JR., S.M.U. '40

NUMBERED among the foremost tennis players of the Southwest is Fred Higginbotham, '42, athlete and scholar of Texas Delta. Although only a sophomore, Fred is already number one on the S.M.U. tennis team and a conspicuous performer in the strong Southwest Conference. Not content with his intercollegiate laurels, Fred swept aside all competition last summer to win the Dallas men's municipal singles championship in an impressive manner. This victory, which places him in the ranking position in one of the most strongly competitive tennis centers of the country, climaxes a long list of Fred's victories and championships and is undoubtedly a mere stepping stone to a glorious future.

Fred began playing at the age of fifteen and found almost immediate success. Two years later, in 1935, Fred served warning on local tennis enthusiasts by mowing down all opposition to win the Dallas municipal junior singles championship and a month later took an encore by winning the *Times Herald* Junior singles title with even less difficulty.

From 1934 to 1937 Fred was the mainstay of the Highland Park high school team. During the 1937 campaign, he won the city, district, and regional high school championship in singles competition and went to the semi-finals in the state tournament.

During the summer of 1937, he journeyed to the tennis wars in California. He did not bring back any championship trophies from California, but gained valuable experience in several matches with some of the leaders of the sport.

In the summer of 1938, Fred again showed his ability to the people of Texas by winning the Arlington invitation singles title and paired with Gordon Reeder to take the doubles crown and make a clean sweep of the tournament.

He also won the Tyler invitation doubles championship during the summer and fought his way to the finals in the singles contest.

In the summer of 1939, Fred reached peak form and took the coveted Dallas



FRED HIGGINBOTHAM, *Southern Methodist* '42

men's municipal singles title and was a finalist in the men's doubles tournament.

Fred is not content, however, to be Dallas' amateur tennis star and has also proved himself to be adept at a number of other sports. He lettered on the Highland Park High School basketball team in 1936 and captained the team the following year. In 1937, he was the unanimous choice for first string guard on the all-district team. He was on the first team of the S.M.U. freshmen last year and is on the varsity squad this season.

In his spare time, Fred manages to make a B+ average in his studies and is the outstanding ping pong player for the Phis in intramurals as well as the star pitcher on the Phi softball team.

Phi Heads America's Oldest Art School

By *CLAUDE M. MARRIOTT, Syracuse '01*

THE Pennsylvania Academy of the Fine Arts, located in Philadelphia, is the oldest fine arts school in America. Originating in 1805, it has grown to be one of the greatest American galleries,



"LIGHTHOUSE," BY MORRIS KANTOR

Awarded 1940 Temple Medal and purchased for permanent collection

museums of art, and art schools. It offers the public an opportunity for appreciation and enjoyment of the fine arts, and at the same time provides artists with their technical foundation and esthetic background.

Soon after the Revolution a distinguished group of public-spirited citizens, headed by such noted Philadelphia artists as Charles Willson Peale, William Rush, and Rembrandt Peale, gathered in Independence Hall to prepare a petition for the formation of the Academy. Its aims, quaintly set forth were "to promote the cultivation of the Fine Arts in the United States of America . . . assisting the Studies and exciting the efforts of the Artists gradually to unfold, enlighten, and invigorate the talents of our Countrymen."

How well the Academy has succeeded in its aims is evidenced by the fact that many of the most noted American artists are listed as having studied here.

Joseph T. Fraser, Jr., *Pennsylvania '22*, became Secretary of its Board of Di-

rectors a little over a year ago, after having served as Curator of its Schools for five years. As Secretary, he is the directing head of its Schools, Gallery, and Museum.

The Academy has received much publicity and praise because of its many fine exhibitions which Brother Fraser assembles and directs. These exhibitions have come to be regarded as the foremost art shows in this country. They are open to students of the Academy, and they also attract contemporary artists from other American and foreign schools. Cash prizes, scholarships, and competitive awards encourage the students and enable those of superior ability and talent to continue their studies. The William Emlen Cresson Foundation, largest of its kind in this country, provides cash scholarships to successful competing students each year. The recipient of this award receives eleven hundred dollars, nine hundred dollars of which must be used in foreign travel, and he is required to return to the Academy for a full year of further study. The awards are divided among all departments of the School. At the outbreak of the present war in Europe there were seventeen Academy students in European countries supported by these scholarships. Brother Fraser was faced with the difficult problem of rounding up these students and getting them home safely. Another difficulty now pre-



"END OF THE DAY," BY CHARLES BURCHFIELD

From the 1940 Exhibition; purchased for the permanent collection

sents itself. What is to be done with the winners of these Cresson Memorial Traveling Scholarships during the unsettled European conditions, inasmuch as the Deed of Trust specifies that a certain part of the funds must be used in European travel and study? Court decision seems necessary.

The Academy conducts two main schools. A winter school of two terms is held in the Academy building in the heart of Philadelphia at Broad and Cherry Streets. The summer school, known as the Country School, is located at Chester Springs, Pennsylvania, thirty-five miles from Philadelphia in the beautiful Chester Valley. Sixteen weeks, from early June to late September, make up the summer school course. The total registration in the winter school this year is about two hundred students. These are from all parts of the United States and Canada.

In addition to its schools, the Academy functions as a gallery and museum of the fine arts. It possesses the greatest collection of Gilbert Stuart's works anywhere assembled. Stuart's "Lansdowne"

Washington, recognized as the best portrait of the Father of Our Country, is in this collection. Besides its permanent collections, there are special exhibitions which are constantly changing. Two major salons are held each winter. One



JOSEPH THOMPSON FRASER, *Pennsylvania '22*



GILBERT STUART'S "LANSDOWNE" WASHINGTON
In the Academy Collection

is the annual Oil and Sculpture Show, while the other is the annual display of Water Colors. They are perhaps the most important exhibitions of current art in the country.

A native Philadelphian, Brother Fraser studied architecture at the University of Pennsylvania in 1918 and was graduated in 1922 with a degree of Bachelor of Science in Architecture. Some time was spent in European travel and upon his return he entered the office of a prominent Philadelphia architect. He continued in the business of practical architecture for ten years. In early 1933 he became curator of summer schools of the Academy. This took him to Chester Springs, where he lived during the summer months for the next five years. Gradually he was assigned other duties until he became curator of all schools conducted by the corporation, and finally directing head of the Academy's activities.

Phi Builds Nation's Largest Land Plane

By EMMETT JUNGE, *Nebraska '26*

FROM editing a university yearbook to designing a thirty-two-ton airplane is a big jump to make in ten years. But William C. Mentzer, Jr., *Nebraska '29*, made that jump, having designed the



WILLIAM CYRUS MENTZER, JR., *Nebraska '29*

new Douglas Superliner, called the DC-4, for the United Air Lines.

Son of the late William C. Mentzer, *Nebraska '95*, he was graduated from the University of Nebraska in 1929 with a bachelor of arts degree and certificate in Journalism. During his senior year, he served as editor of the yearbook, *The Cornhusker*, and was chosen member of Innocents, senior men's honorary society.

After graduation, Mentzer returned to his home city, Cheyenne, Wyoming, and went to work as a mechanic apprentice in the shops of the Boeing Air Transport Company, then flying the mail from Chicago to San Francisco. After working here three months, he decided that he liked this new industry but realized the need for more training. That fall, he entered Massachusetts Institute of Tech-

nology for further study and in June of 1931, he was graduated with a degree in Aeronautical Engineering.

Then, back to Cheyenne for more practical work—in overalls as a mechanic again. The next year, he was sent to Seattle as an engineer in the factory. This led to an assignment to follow the construction of the new Boeing 247's, the nation's first twin-engined, low wing, three-mile-a-minute transports. After these new ships were placed in service, he was sent back to Cheyenne to represent the Boeing firm, who had taken over United Air Lines.

In March of 1934, Mentzer was sent to the Boeing main factory in Chicago as a designing engineer and after one short year, the big opportunity came. United realized the need for a huge, four-engined craft for transport use and he was given the job of preparing the specifications. This was a tremendous assignment, as the new plane had to be safe and carry about four times the passengers the transports of 1935 were carrying, plus a big pay load of freight, but still economical to operate and sufficiently maneuverable to land and take off from the present major airports.

After working out suggested plans for the kind of plane which seemed to be needed, Mentzer was sent to the Douglas Aircraft Company in Santa Monica, California, early in 1936 to work with the other four major airlines in construction of the plane. Because he drew the original specifications, he was named consulting engineer for all the airlines.

For the next two and a half years, it was live and dream the DC-4, as the superliner was called. President Douglas and Designer Raymond of the Douglas Company took Mentzer's general plans and turned them into an actual plane. First, the wooden replica was built. Then an eight-foot model constructed to go through all the tests. Finally, work began



THE DC-4 IN FLIGHT

on the real plane and in September 1938, the finished product came out on the runway, ready to fly, the largest American land plane ever made. It weighs 64,000 pounds; its wing spread is 138 feet; it is 93 feet long; and it carries four 1400-horsepower motors. With a top speed of 240 miles an hour and cruising

range of 2200 miles, this super liner carries 42 passengers and 6500 pounds of freight.

The reward to Mentzer for this accomplishment was his appointment as Chief Engineer of United Air Lines and at the age of thirty. It was a long way for a young man to go in less than eight years.

N.B.C. Honors Eugene Field

By GUY CALLAWAY, JR., *Washington '41*

ON Easter Sunday, the National Broadcasting Company paid homage to the memory of our beloved brother, Eugene Field, in a coast-to-coast broadcast from his boyhood home in St. Louis. The broadcast was one of a series of weekly programs, entitled "Pilgrimages of Poetry" and conducted by Ted Malone, who also has a daily program over the same network, "Between the Bookends." This Easter broadcast was sent throughout the nation from twelve to twelve-fifteen over the Blue Network.

Phi Delta Theta was represented at the broadcast by fifteen members of the Missouri Gamma chapter at Washington University at St. Louis. In the program Mr. Malone made mention of the fact that members of the Washington chapter

of $\Phi\Delta\Theta$ were present to help N.B.C. honor a brother, after he had included in his remarks about Brother Field's education the fact that he had been a Phi. This broke a long-standing, firm rule that no fraternity should be mentioned by name on any programs of the National Broadcasting Company.

In that quaint, two-story structure in St. Louis, Field was born on September 2, 1850, and in it he spent his early years until the death of his father. Now it is a museum and shrine dedicated to the memory of a poet dear to all children. Later, Field attended Williams College for a year and then went to Knox College in Galesburg, Illinois, where he was a member of Illinois Delta. After a year there, he went to Missouri University

where he concluded his formal education. He married his roommate's youngest sister in St. Joseph two years later. Near there is found the little lane, immortalized by his *Lovers' Lane* and site of a memorial to Brother Field. Still later, Field was on the staff of several newspapers, including the *Chicago Record*. On that newspaper, his column, *Sharps*

and *Flats*, became almost an institution. However, Field will always be remembered as the "Children's Poet," for at some time in his brief life he acquired a deep understanding of and love for children and children's things, that have made his *Little Boy Blue* and *Wynken, Blynken, and Nod* immortal in their appeal to children. May his memory linger.

"Now is the Time for Every Good Phi . . ."

Two years ago General Headquarters pioneered in a project which has paid generous dividends to the chapters. This project was that of establishing a central clearing house for rushing recommendations sent to us by alumni Phis throughout the country, yes, throughout the world, because we have even received a few from foreign lands. Hundreds of rushing recommendations sent to us by thoughtful Phis have found their respective way to the interested chapters. This is the season of the year when dates are being arranged and other rushing plans completed for the coming academic year. This is likewise the season of the

year when the high-school graduates in your community are making important decisions with regard to their college careers. The best possible service you can render your Fraternity is to help bring the outstanding young seniors in your community into contact with the active chapters of $\Phi\Delta\Theta$. The General Headquarters have greatly simplified the procedure for you. All you need do is send us the recommendation, no matter where your prospect may be going to college (just so there is a chapter of $\Phi\Delta\Theta$ there). We'll do the rest, so please act at once.—
PAUL C. BEAM, *Executive Secretary*, Phi Delta Theta Headquarters, Oxford, Ohio.

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Paul C. Beam, Executive Secretary

General Headquarters, Phi Delta Theta Fraternity, Oxford, Ohio

HERE is a good prospect for our Fraternity. I hope $\Phi\Delta\Theta$ is successful in pledging him. Please send me more blanks as I have additional recommendations to make.

Name of man recommended

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Preparatory school

College or university in which he will enroll

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Remarks

Signed Chapter and Class

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The Alumni Firing Line

CHARLES SLOAN VAUGHN, *Vanderbilt '28*, is the subject of the following Associated Press Con-fucius Say:

That this story may be understood by the occidental mind, it must be stated that when a Chinese is snatched from the jaws of death it is not uncommon for him to be stricken from the official rolls of the living.

So it was with the Chinese girl whom C. S. Vaughn, transport pilot, lifted dripping from the cold waters of the Yangtze river nearly four years ago. And so it is that Vaughn is still getting bills—and paying—for the board and lodging of a soul for whose rescue he was responsible.

In today's southbound air mail there flew a piece of parchment paper, inscribed in beautiful Chinese script, dunning Vaughn for the board and keep of a soul which is, paradoxically, still among the living.

Vaughn, who has paid these bills with growing protest, will receive the dun at Miami, Fla., when he returns from his Pan American Airways Clipper run to Rio de Janeiro.

The story goes back to that day when Vaughn brought his airplane to rest at Wahn-Sien. A strong wind whipped across the river. He called for help to weight down a pontoon and thereby control a wing which was tugging at its mooring. The first volunteer was a girl, eager to speed the progress of aviation. Men followed her, though, and in the *mélée* the girl went overboard.

No one moved. So Vaughn shed his coat and dived.

Nearly seven months passed before Vaughn returned to Wahn-Sien, and awaiting him was a constabulary officer. In his hand was a bill for \$1.59 "for board and lodging one rescued soul, responsibility Pilot Vaughn."

Vaughn argued with the officer. Officially the girl had quit this life. Vaughn had seen fit to bring her back. Therefore she was his charge until she got married. Vaughn paid and has been paying ever since.

WILLIAM WALLACE JUBSON, *Knox '13*, previously superintendent of its Rocky Mountain division, at Missoula, Mont., was promoted early in the year to become general manager of Northern Pacific lines between Livingston, Mont., and St. Paul, Minn., with headquarters in the latter city. Excepting duration of World War service, he has been with the Northern Pacific since 1914.

FRANK HARRIS BORDEN, *Pennsylvania '16*, is a patent lawyer with offices in the Lincoln-Liberty Building, Philadelphia. Much of his time is spent in Washington consulting with officials in the Patent Office and perusing patent files and records.

LAWRENCE ADAMS, *Mississippi '37*, reigned this spring as King of the Pilgrimage Court during the ninth annual Pilgrimage to Natchez, Miss., sponsored by the Natchez Garden Club March 24 through April 7. A leading young lawyer in



LAWRENCE ADAMS, *Mississippi '37*

the historic old city, Brother Adams held the place of honor in the festivities held each year for the benefit of thousands of visitors from all over the world. As King of the Court, he presided at the Confederate Ball and Tableaux. The Ball plays a major part in the gathering of tourists in the old southern town to see the beautiful ante-bellum homes and gardens and get a taste of the romantic South of "Gone with the Wind" days. Other Mississippi Phis who were members of Court were Tom Green, '40, and Tom Hammond, '41, and also in the Ball was Phikeia Charles Haile.

Brother Adams graduated from the University of Mississippi Law School with a remarkable record behind him. He was editor of the *Mississippi Law Journal*, captain of the varsity tennis team, an officer of the Y.M.C.A., member of O Δ K, and was elected to the Hall of Fame, highest honor attainable at the University. Since his graduation he has been making a name for himself as a lawyer in his home town of Natchez. —TOM HAMMOND, *Mississippi '41*.

ERNEST FELIX STOLPE, *Penn State '23*, is in the distribution department of the Philadelphia Gas Works. His office is at 1800 N. 9th St.

VERSATILITY is the word for JAMES ADAM PEASE [Franklin '36], a Franklin young man who is making his mark as a rising operatic singing star in the East.

Pease recently made his debut in the leading role of Alfio in Mascagni's "Cavalleria Rusticana" before an audience of two thousand and was acclaimed by the critics.

Wrote one newspaper reviewer: "We cannot recall hearing a voice of greater richness and power singing the role of Alfio."

He is the son of Dr. C. E. Pease, an Indianapolis dentist, and Mrs. Pease, who live on a large farm south of Franklin.

Pease's sparkling accomplishments began showing up when he entered Franklin College in 1932. While in Franklin he was a campus leader, won the national oratorical championship and completed a liberal arts course with honor grades.

After graduation at Franklin he entered Northwestern University law school and later transferred to the law school at Indiana University, where he was graduated last June. While on the Bloomington campus he decided to give his dormant musical talents a test and in his initial try he won the leading male role in the Jordan River Revue, campus musical show.

After leaving Indiana University, Pease decided to study voice and he became one of twenty persons chosen throughout the nation to compete for a \$5,000 voice scholarship at a Philadelphia school of music.

He was successful in his bid for the scholarship, but interrupted his voice studies long enough last October to rush back to Indianapolis to take the state bar examination, which he passed. He then returned to Philadelphia.

His first public appearance as a vocalist came while he was a student at Franklin College. He and a classmate wrote a comic opera, "Carmen—Through the Rye," and presented it as a chapel program. The effort proved such a hit that the management of a Franklin theater booked it for a one-night stand, for which Pease and four other members of the cast received \$1 each. That and his role in the Indiana University revue were his only efforts at public singing before he decided to pursue a vocal career.

He is appearing currently as baritone soloist in one of Philadelphia's largest churches, a spot once filled by the famous Nelson Eddy while he was a student at the same school Pease is attending. He also appears in a regular broadcast over a Philadelphia station.

Pease's voice, which has an extraordinary range of three octaves, is termed the Nordic type by instructors at the school. Most operatic singers qualify as either basses, baritones, or tenors with ranges averaging one and a half octaves.—*Indianapolis Star*.

DONALD JAMES BAKER, *Pittsburgh '18*, represents the I.T.E. Circuit Breaker Company in the Philadelphia district.

HIRAM PERRY HOLMES [*Michigan '17*], president-elect of the Institute of Real Estate Management, was born November 17, 1894, on a large dairy and fruit farm near Detroit, Mich., of which farm he assumed complete charge at the age of seventeen.

He attended the University of Michigan and the University of Chicago, receiving an A.B. degree with a certificate of Business Administration from the University of Michigan in 1917. Immediately upon graduation Mr. Holmes enlisted in the United States Army, served overseas with the American Expeditionary Forces for one year, and was discharged as First Lieutenant of Engineers in July, 1918, with a citation for meritorious and conspicuous services. He held a captain's commission in the Engineer Reserve Corps until 1937.

Mr. Holmes is President of H. P. Holmes, Inc., Detroit, engaged in property management, president of Stonewall Investments, Inc., and secretary-treasurer of Glynwood Apartments Company.

A member of the Detroit Real Estate Board, Mr. Holmes during the current year has served as president of the Michigan chapter of the Institute of Real Estate Management, as a member of the Institute's governing council, chairman of its education committee, and a member of the institute's faculty. He is an author and lecturer on subjects pertaining to property management and real estate in general. Horses are his hobby.

The foregoing is from the December, 1939, *Journal of Certified Property Managers*, the organ of the National Association of Real Estate Boards and the Institute of Real Estate Management. In that number Brother Holmes has a leading article entitled "Fundamentals of Real Estate Management."

ROBERT A. GANTT, *Nebraska '09*, and JAMES E. FULLAM, *Vermont '11*, are vice-presidents of the International Telephone and Telegraph Corporation. That their company trusts highly in their ability may be drawn from the fact that it has dispatched Brother Gantt to Rumania to supervise its interests there, which include the telephone system of the country and manufacturing property; and has assigned Brother Fullam to Shanghai, China, to supervise all of its interests in the Far East, which include the telephone system of the International Settlement and the French Concession of Shanghai and manufacturing properties in both Japan and China. Brother Gantt has been in Bucharest, Rumania, since last summer and Brother Fullam has been in Shanghai for the past several years.

CHARLES YATES ALLEN, *Dartmouth '33*, has been advanced to division manager for the Liggett and Myers Tobacco Company in charge of North Philadelphia and outlying suburban sections. His office is in the Beury Building at Broad St. above Erie Ave., Philadelphia.

IN the course of fifteen months two young alumni of Rollins College, members of $\Phi\Delta\Theta$, joined the National Broadcasting Company's guest relations staff. They are GEORGE FULLER, '39, and ALAN TAULBEE, '37. Good friends in college, their similar interests and ambitions have brought them together again at NBC. Both have ideas, talent, background and enthusiasm, and are headed for other departments in the company where they will be able to express themselves more adequately.

George Fuller, of Mobile, Ala., joined NBC in June, 1939, and has shown the same eager ambition in Rockefeller Center that made him popular leader on the campus. Fuller is a member of the discussion group of younger employees which each week meets with one of the department heads to talk over operation of that section of the company. He has turned in several program ideas and participated in NBC shows including the "It's Up to You" quiz on the air last summer. Fuller aims at the NBC Station Relations Department. He also is interested in all phases of production and in announcing and on February 26, 1940, passed the announcer's audition.

Fuller's career in college constitutes a good background for his present position and aims. He majored in business administration and managed the football, baseball, and fencing teams. He was vice-president of $\Phi\Delta\Theta$ and president of O.Δ.K. Active in dramatics, he also inherited from Alan Taulbee the job of announcing and producing college radio programs over a local station.

Alan Taulbee, tall, lean lad from Palm Beach, Fla., will some day be an announcer. He hopes to work in NBC's international division and comes well equipped for a trial in that department. Born in Puerto Rico, he speaks Spanish fluently, and in school acquired a knowledge of French. At Rollins he was prominent in organizing the Spanish Club and the Florida Spanish Fiesta, was active in dramatics, wrote for the college paper and announced and produced the college radio programs. He joined NBC in January, 1940, and, like Fuller, recently passed his announcer's audition. Apparently quiet and unassuming, the calibre of his work has nevertheless been recognized within the company.—NBC release.

ALBERT IRVIN LODWICK, *Iowa Wesleyan* '25, had the honor of representing the donor, Howard Hughes, ace flyer, in presenting to the Canadian Red Cross an ambulance for use in overseas service. The gift was accepted by Mayor LaGuardia of New York on behalf of the Red Cross. Brother Lodwick is an executive of the Aviation Corporation. It will be recalled that he managed the Howard Hughes round-the-world flight two years ago, and has had much to do with the arrangements for Admiral Byrd's Antarctic expeditions.

ERWIN COTHRAN BLACKSTONE, *Sewanee* '16, has become president of the E. C. Dilworth Company, Memphis, Tenn., and Vicksburg, Miss., manufacturers and dealers in machinery and mill supplies. Brother Blackstone exchanges places



ERWIN COTHRAN BLACKSTONE, *Sewanee* '16

with his former chief, Mr. E. C. Dilworth, founder of the company, who becomes vice-president in the hope of having more leisure to follow some of his hobbies, but will still maintain active connection with the business with less exacting responsibilities.

Brother Blackstone was initiated by Tennessee Beta, but transferred to the University of Mississippi during the period when all the fraternities were barred from the university by act of the state legislature. He was graduated in 1917 and got a job selling bonds for a New Orleans firm. At the entrance of the United States into the World War, he enlisted in the army and was successively promoted to captain of infantry, a rank which he held when he was honorably discharged from the service. Returning to New Orleans, he entered the employ of Woodward, Wight Company, dealers in machinery and mill supplies. In 1930, he joined the Dilworth organization as sales manager, and was later promoted to the post of vice-president and general manager. He now becomes president and directing head of the company.

CHARLES DICKSON FAIR, *Mississippi* '36, of Louisville, Miss., was married May 1, 1940, to Miss Margaret Sharp, of Jackson, Miss. The bride is a member of $\Xi\Omega$ at Millsaps College and the University of Mississippi.

MORRIS PURDY SHAWKEY [Ohio Wesleyan '94], is business manager of Morris Harvey college and lecturer on West Virginia history. He attended Oberlin College, received an A.B. and A.M. degree from Ohio Wesleyan University, and the LL.D. degree from West Virginia Wesleyan.

Dr. Shawkey's life has been devoted to the cause of education. From 1897 until 1905 he was assistant state superintendent of schools; member of the West Virginia House of Delegates, 1902-04; superintendent of schools of Kanawha county, 1907-08; state superintendent of schools, 1909-21; city superintendent of schools of Bluefield, 1921-23; president of Marshall College, 1923-35; and business manager of Morris Harvey college since 1935.

Author of *West Virginia and West Virginia in Life, Literature, Industry, and History*, Dr. Shawkey has also written many articles for encyclopedias and various publications. For a number of years he was editor of *West Virginia Journal and Educator*. He was president of the state board of education for a term, and received the high honor of being elected president of the American Association of School Administrators for the year 1915-16. He is a member of $\Phi \beta \kappa$, $\Delta \Pi$, and $\Phi \Delta \Theta$.

Dr. Shawkey reads widely, especially of current events, and constantly urges his students to read.

He has a keen sense of humor and is not above a practical joke, if the occasion warrants it. His chief diversion is travel and he has traveled widely in the interests of education.

"It has always been a keen disappointment to me that I am not a good swimmer," Dr. Shawkey says, and adds with a smile, "but I can swim in Salt Lake." He enjoys all sports. While in college he played football and baseball and is an enthusiastic fan of both games. He likes tennis, and while state superintendent of schools, had a tennis court back of the state house.—*West Virginia Review*.

J. F. T. O'CONNOR [North Dakota '07], formerly United States Comptroller of the Currency, has been appointed legal representative of the Globe Productions in Hollywood, of which James Roosevelt is president. Mr. O'Connor, long a friend of the Roosevelt family, is not new to the film industry, having represented legally many of the studios before he became Comptroller of the Currency. His new appointment will require most of his time, though not necessarily all of it.—*Los Angeles Times*.

TAYLOR BECHTOLD GLADING, *Pennsylvania '29*, chartered life underwriter with the Penn Mutual Life Insurance Company in Philadelphia enjoyed a two-weeks winter vacation to Havana the last of March. He went by boat to Cuba and returned to Miami by plane. After a few days on the Florida beaches he flew back to Philadelphia. At a recent Phi lunch gathering he described in detail his fine trip.

WALTER WARREN WHETSTONE, *Penn State '15*, retired as president of the Philadelphia Alumni Club at the annual meeting held at the Founders Day dinner on March 16. Before becoming president he had served the Club as secretary for about ten years. A retiring president always becomes one of the six members of the board of directors and so he will continue his active connection and interest in the club's activities.

Brother Whetstone is general agent for the Standard Life Insurance Company of America with offices at 1616 Walnut St., Philadelphia. He has been in the life insurance business in Philadelphia for about twenty years, having served as a supervisor for The Aetna, and as a special agent for the Connecticut Mutual for several years.

During his college days Brother Whetstone was active in the Y.M.C.A. and after his graduation entered upon Association work. At the outbreak of the World War he was sent to India in charge of Christian Association work by the International Committee. In this work he was with the British troops throughout the war. In making his farewell address to the Alumni Club at the Founders Day dinner he told of a meeting deep in India where he was sent to look after a sick American soldier. When he reached the small city after a hot all-night train ride he found the American he was sent to see was a Phi from his own Pennsylvania Theta chapter.

Brother Whetstone is a candid camera enthusiast. His office is hung with many of his fine pictures, and hardly a luncheon meeting passes that he does not compare some of his latest snaps with other Phi enthusiasts of whom there are always several.

JAMES GHORMLEY URQUHART, *Washington '32*, was married March 30 in Pasadena, Calif., to Miss Nancy Helen Bumpus, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Hermon Carey Bumpus, Jr., of Pasadena, Rochester, Minn., and Duxbury, Mass. He is a member of $\Phi \Delta \Theta$ families on both sides; his father, the late James Aubert Urquhart, having been a founder of Washington Alpha chapter at the University of Washington and his uncle, Rear Admiral Robert Lee Ghormley, being a founder of Idaho Alpha chapter. James Urquhart entered Yale as a freshman with the class of '33 and at Yale was elected to Torch, honorary society, the Colony, and Berzelius, and in his senior year he was captain of the varsity crew. Mrs. Urquhart, who was graduated from Smith College in the class of '39, was chosen queen of the Pasadena Tournament of Roses in 1937. Robert Urquhart is with the Kennecott Cooper Corporation at Ray, Ariz.

WILLIAM H. KEARNS, *Nebraska '28*, has been elected vice-president of the H. W. Kastor and Sons, Chicago advertising agency. His office is at 360 N. Michigan Ave., his residence, 73 E. Elm St., Chicago.

WILLIAM McCLUNG EVANS, *Wooster '79*, recently completed fifty-eight years in the ministry of the Presbyterian Church in Iowa. Upon graduation from Wooster he went to Iowa as a home missionary. He served as pastor of several churches, and in 1900 was called to the Central Park Presbyterian Church of Cedar Rapids, and this city has been his home for forty years. He was professor of Biblical literature in Coe College for twenty years and registrar of the college for fifteen years. He retired in 1926, but his retirement has been more or less nominal, for he has been called upon to serve as supply pastor in many Iowa churches, in several of them for long periods. He has been an officer in the home missionary board for thirty-five years and has served Iowa's synod seven times as commissioner to the General Assembly. Now in his eighty-fifth year, Dr. Evans still feels that he has work to do. He writes: "The paths grow lonely. Familiar faces are few. The day of life is far spent. We stand idle in the market-place. The eleventh hour is come. A voice is heard, 'Go work today in my vineyard. Man is immortal until his work is done.'"

SPENCER DISSTON WRIGHT, JR., *Pennsylvania '09*, became a senior partner in a new investment house in Philadelphia at the first of the year. The firm style is Wright, Wood and Company and they are located at 735 Fidelity-Philadelphia Building. The other members of the partnership are Richard D. Wood, II, and Alfred R. McBride, *Pennsylvania '29*. All were previously connected with the firm of Harrison and Company. Since his graduation from the University of Pennsylvania Brother Wright has been continuously with the Harrison firm and had advanced to one of its partners. The new firm of Wright, Wood and Company will deal in stocks, bonds and general market securities with membership in the Philadelphia Stock Exchange. Brother Wright occupies the seat on the Philadelphia Exchange where he is well known because of his thirty years' experience in the investment business.

JAMES WILLIAM MOFFITT, *Duke '28*, is secretary of the Oklahoma Historical Society, a state-supported department. His offices are in the State Historical Building, Oklahoma City. He received his master's degree at Duke in 1931. He is active in promoting historical research, especially in local American projects. In addition to the society of which he is the executive secretary, he belongs to the American, Mississippi Valley, and Southern Historical Societies, the Society of American Archivists, the American Association of Museums, and the Conference of the State and Local Historical Societies. At a joint meeting of the last named conference with the American Historical Society in December last, Brother Moffitt presented one of the leading professional papers entitled "A Suggested Program for the Conference of Historical Societies."

LAWRENCE S. WARREN, *Syracuse '25*, has been engaged in the investment banking business in Philadelphia for the past twelve years. On February 7 he became vice-president of the newly formed banking house of Rambo, Keen, Close and Kerner, Inc., with offices at 1518 Locust St., Philadelphia. This organization is made up of former members of the old Philadelphia firm of Battles and Company of which Brother Warren had been sales manager since 1934.

After leaving college Brother Warren was a sales manager a number of years for the well-known Philadelphia publishing house of the John C. Winston Company. In 1927 he entered the investment banking field with Halsey, Stuart and Company at their Philadelphia branch and after seven years connected with Battles and Company from which the present business originated.

Brother Warren has been active in Alumni Club affairs ever since coming to Philadelphia. He represented the club as its delegate at the Montreal Convention in 1926 and attended the Conventions at Syracuse and Old Point. He comes by his $\Phi\Delta\Theta$ devotion naturally, as his father was a member of New York Epsilon, class of '96. Rev. Dr. Warren, better known by old college pals as "U.G.," is now located in White Plains, New York. He was the star end on the famous Syracuse team of 1896.

DR. RALPH W. SOCKMAN, *Ohio Wesleyan '11*, minister of Christ Church on Park Ave., New York, and of the National Radio Pulpit from which he broadcasts a sermon every Sunday morning over WEA, a national hookup, has recently been honored by election to the presidency of the Ohio Society of New York. This is one of the largest and most influential of the native sons' societies in the metropolis. Brother Sockman is to be one of the banquet speakers at the General Convention of $\Phi\Delta\Theta$ at Minneapolis next summer.

BOISFEUILLET JONES, *Emory '34*, distinguished young alumnus of Georgia Beta is the new administrator of the National Youth Administration for Georgia. Nearly 30,000 young people of Georgia, between the ages of seventeen and twenty-five, come under the attention each year of the NYA in Georgia and it is a big job for anyone, but Brother Jones at the age of twenty-seven seems to be making an outstanding record. He was appointed early in 1940.

FREDERICK EDWARDS SEARLE, *Williams '93*, is one of the nominees for the office of alumni trustee of his alma mater for the term 1940-45. For the last twenty-three years Brother Searle has been superintendent of the Factory Schools conducted by the Ford Motor Company, Detroit. The school, designed to give needy boys a chance to help support themselves and to continue their education, has an enrolment of between five and six thousand boys.

The Alumni Club Activities

This Year's Founders Day Celebrations

WITH incomplete reports showing 58 dinners involving 95 clubs, $\Phi \Delta \Theta$ has completed one of its most widely observed Founders Day seasons. From late February until early May, the alumni and undergraduates gathered at dinners, large and small, to pay tribute to the Six Founders and the ideals for which they stand.

It is regrettable that complete returns are not available in all instances at this writing. It is almost certain that the number of dinners and likewise participants will be increased when full reports are made. Based, however, on actual reports and conservative estimates, there is ground for stating that close to ten thousand graduate and undergraduate Phis this year attended the Fraternity's traditional annual feast-day.

As has been the custom hitherto, there have been many instances in which neighbor clubs joined in the dinner celebration. Again this year, chapter delegations attended dinners of their nearest alumni clubs. The observance at Indianapolis, this as other years, was somewhat of a state-wide dinner with nearly a hundred per cent registration of all Indiana chapters, rolling up a total attendance of nearly five hundred. Something of the same trend occurred at Columbus, Ohio, where, in addition to nearby chapters, the General Council by virtue of a meeting in that city, attended. The celebration at Charleston, West Virginia, May 4, literally and officially was state-wide, it being the annual meeting of the West Virginia State Alumni Association, the only organization of that type.

No pattern was followed in the dinner programs, though more and more clubs emphasized as the evening's climax the presentation of Golden Legion certificates to men who were initiated fifty or

more years ago. More than one hundred Golden Legionnaires were created at dinners or *in absentia* this year, increasing the Legion to 1473 members. It was widely predicted that in the years to come, these presentations will become more and more an impressive rite of the Founders Day dinners.

Another trend was the de-emphasis of professional theatrical entertainment. The New York club which for several years staged a stupendous extravaganza of high-class entertainment turned completely away from it this year and put the accent on the message of the occasion. In an increasing number of instances undergraduates as individuals or as chapter groups put on singing numbers.

The Washington club staged its customary glamour dinner, including among the guests Phis distinguished in Federal governmental affairs, as participants, among them three United States Senators, one former Senator, judges of the courts, members of Commissions and Authorities.

Some very effective promotion methods were used to stimulate attendance. The Denver club had a striking mimeograph sheet that was irresistible. Clubs with regular monthly news-letters used these media successfully. In Pittsburgh, the club did honor to Col. William A. Gano, *Dickinson '02*, its principal speaker, by using his portrait on the front cover of the dinner card. More and more clubs recognized the white carnation as an appropriate symbol of Founders Day.

The careful estimate of a total attendance of ten thousand Phis at the dinners this year carries an impressive significance. Official records show that there are about thirty-two thousand Phis with known addresses. They are scattered all over the world. Just how many of them

are outside alumni zones it is not possible to say—probably a very large number. But with all included, it is apparent that this year perhaps a third of all available alumni found it possible to register their

interest in the Fraternity by participating in the observance of Founders Day.
—DEAN M. HOFFMAN, *Alumni Commissioner*.

AKRON

ONE HUNDRED AND NINE members of $\Phi\Delta\Theta$ living in the Akron area, including 77 alumni and 32 representatives from the Ohio Epsilon chapter, were present at the Founders Day banquet held March 14 at the Akron City Club. They represented fifteen different colleges.

Rev. Sidney A. Mayer, *Ohio Wesleyan '19*, pastor of the Cuyahoga Falls Methodist Church, as the principal speaker delivered a splendid Founders Day address. In an interesting manner he traced in detail the founding and early history of $\Phi\Delta\Theta$, paid special and appropriate tribute to the six founders, and re-emphasized the paramount and enduring principles of the Bond.

Allen B. Whitney, president of Sigma Province, who served as chairman of the committee in charge of the Founders Day activities, was the toastmaster for the evening. E. Kenneth Hamlen, J. A. Jaques, E. G. Wortman, and C. R. Langdon were other members of the committee.

Using a list of questions and answers on $\Phi\Delta\Theta$ history which were prepared by Brothers Whitney and Hoff, John Rowley posed as "Professor Quiz" in selecting and quizzing two teams of contestants, and presented a novel, entertaining half-hour program.

A fifty-year certificate emblematic of his membership in the Golden Legion was presented to Dr. L. R. C. Eberhard, *Akron '95*. Brother C. A. Stillman, *Alabama '98*, a vice-president of the Goodyear Tire and Rubber Company, had also planned to be present to receive his fifty-year certificate but was prevented by illness from attending.

Music of the program was directed by J. A. Jaques. Members of the song team from the active chapter sang several Fraternity songs, including "Phi Delta Theta, We Love You" and "Phi Delt Bungalow," and also aided the singing of the entire group.—RICHARD C. HOFF.

BOSTON

THE Boston Alumni Club observed Founders Day with a dinner at the Hotel Sheraton on Friday evening, March 22. I. J. Vail, *Vermont '98*, president of the club, acted as toastmaster. He was assisted in arranging for the occasion by E. Curtis Mower, Jr., *Vermont '23*.

We were privileged to have with us Wat T. Cluverius, of the General Council, and Forrest Price, *Wooster '88*. Admiral Cluverius had just returned from a trip during which he addressed Founders Day meetings in various cities of the Middle West and East. He gave us an inspiring talk, and made a delightful presentation of the Golden Legion certificate to Brother Price, who was for many years, until his retirement, financial editor of the *Christian Science Monitor*. Brother Price responded with a beautiful tribute to $\Phi\Delta\Theta$.

A large delegation of actives from Massachusetts Gamma contributed notably to the success of the evening, and we were happy to welcome also a group

of Phi now attending the Harvard Graduate School of Business Administration. A dozen chapters were represented.

At the conclusion of the exercises, the meeting adjourned to the chapter house of Massachusetts Gamma, next door, where the actives held an informal open house for the alumni.

We are happy that Brother Cluverius has chosen to live in our neighboring city, Worcester, where he is President of the Worcester Polytechnic Institute, and look forward as a club to better days as a result of his activities and influence in this region.—MARK W. BRADFORD.

BUFFALO

THE Buffalo Alumni Club celebrated Founders Day with a banquet at the Buffalo Athletic Club, Friday, March 15. From 6 to 7 P.M. was designated as Fellowship Hour and was devoted to renewals of old friendships and the making of new ones, the members being the guests of Harold J. Adams. Fraternity songs were sung, incidents of undergraduate days were recalled, and so successful was this particular feature that we will make it a preliminary to all of our dinners hereafter.

President M. O. Cederquist, *Lafayette '12*, presided at the banquet and the business meeting which was held immediately after dessert. Golden Legionnaire certificates were presented to Brothers Floyd K. Smith, *Lehigh '93*, and Hubert E. V. Porter, *Dickinson '91*. Brother Cederquist then presented the toastmaster of the evening, Harold J. Adams, *Vermont '03*, who introduced the speaker of the evening, John B. Dixon, *Vermont '21*, whose subject was India-Japan-China and the Far East. He gave a very interesting talk on life in that section of the world, stressing particularly national unity and answered many questions asked by the brothers as to the life and customs of the people of the Far East. The final speaker was Roswell P. Rosengren, *Colgate '24*, co-president of Beta Province and past-president of the United States Junior Chamber of Commerce, whose subject was Alumni Responsibilities for Preservation of the Fraternity's Ideals. Brother Rosengren is a distinguished and experienced orator and his address was exceptionally inspiring.

The officers for the ensuing year are President, Louis C. Dodd, *Vermont '98*; Vice-President, Russell C. Harris, *Colgate '15*; Secretary and Treasurer, Melville T. Huber, *Gettysburg '01*.

It was decided to hold monthly dinners on the first Friday evening of each month. In order to start these off auspiciously, Brother Dodd invited the Club to be his guests at his home in 79 Windsor Ave., Buffalo, Friday evening, May 3. As an additional activity, joint meetings with Rochester and Toronto are being arranged for the summer months, with golf in the afternoon followed by dinner.

After adjournment the brothers gathered in groups for cards and general talk fest and so interesting were these activities that the party really did not break up until after one A.M. All agreed that the

evening had been most enjoyable and had renewed everyone's enthusiasm for $\Phi\Delta\Theta$.—MELVILLE T. HUBER, Secretary.

CHICAGO

Believe it or not—for it is a funny quirk: Illinois Beta is older than the University of Chicago where it is located. Yes, sir, by many years. That is significant of something or other, but more important is the fact that it is Illinois Beta's 75th Anniversary on June 8, 1940. The Chicago Alumni Club has pledged their support to make it a "stupendous, terrific, knock-out affair."

June 8, the Phis and Phikeias will start the day with golf in the luxury of a nearby country club. In the evening we will have a short exciting banquet, and at night is the Interfraternity Sing.

All Phis the world over are urged to contact the Chicago Alumni Club, for information on the low-cost day, with the best fellows in the world.

Contact the undersigned at Randolph 8440, One North LaSalle Street.—PAUL H. WHITNEY, Secretary.

CHICAGO, NORTH SHORE

ONE HUNDRED AND THIRTY Phis from Chicago's upper coastline gathered on April 11 at the Edgewater Beach Hotel for the North Shore Alumni Club's observance of Founders Day.

Featured speaker of the evening was Dean Hoffman, alumni commissioner. Other national alumni officers present included Paul Beam, national secretary, and Murray Smith, province president. Jack Ryan, president of the Northwestern undergraduate chapter, acted as toastmaster.

Combined with the Founders Day banquet were initiation ceremonies staged just before the dinner by the Northwestern chapter. Entertainment, arranged by Chuck Apley, who emcees college nights at the Marine Dining Room of the Beach, included stunts by a professional magician, tap-dancing, baton-twirling by the national champion junior twirler, and solo and group singing. Following the program, banqueteers were invited to witness the floor show in the Marine Room with Ted Weems.

Members of the committee in charge of arrangements included Julian Lambert, chairman, Ralph Albrecht, Clarence Barker, Bob Courter, Northwestern undergraduate, Jack Fields, DeWitt Gibson, and Robert Schott.—JOHN E. FIELDS, Secretary.

CLEVELAND

OUR Founders Day banquet was held at the Cleveland Athletic Club, Wednesday, March 13. There were eighty-one in attendance for the banquet, including

five undergraduates from the Case chapter and half a dozen more attended the talk given by Brother A. Allen Bates, *Ohio Wesleyan '23*. Brother Bates is manager of the chemical and metallurgical research department of the Westinghouse Electric and Manufacturing Company and gave a most interesting talk followed by a general discussion of his subject.

The following officers were elected for the coming year: President, Charles E. Peterman; Vice-President, John Bodwell; Treasurer, C. Dudley Foster; Secretary, Fred H. Fox. Luncheons will be held every Friday at 12:15 at the Cleveland Athletic Club and monthly evening meetings are planned, to be announced later.—FRED H. FOX, Secretary.

CINCINNATI

CINCINNATI Phis commemorated Founders Day with a banquet, held on March 20, at the University Club. Nearly eighty members attended, including an unusually large number from Ohio Theta.

Hon. Burton L. French, former Congressman from Idaho and now Professor of Civil Government at Miami University, was our guest speaker. Brother French delivered an inspiring address upon the subject of "Alumni Responsibility for Preservation of the Fraternity's Ideals." A brief talk concerning the "Prominent Phis of History" was next given by Brother W. Allen Stone, our Hamilton County Engineer. Brother Allen Fox, who is talented in the art of legerdemain, amused the gathering with a number of mystifying tricks.

General Headquarters was represented by Harry Gerlach, the Assistant Secretary of our Fraternity. An innovation at this celebration was the reading of the Bond by several members of the active chapter.

The annual election of officers of the Alumni Club was held, with the following results: Don T. Kaiser was re-elected President; W. Allen Stone was chosen Vice-President; Richard Morris, Treasurer; John Bacon, Chorister; and J. Robert Sagmeister, Secretary.

After the election, the active chapter entertained with several $\Phi\Delta\Theta$ songs. Their singing inspired the oldsters, who all joined in for a few more selections, accompanied by Brother Burt Robinson at the piano.

The meeting broke up shortly thereafter, whereupon the members separated into groups—some for playing cards and others for talking over old times.—J. ROBERT SAGMEISTER, Secretary.

COLUMBUS

THE Columbus Alumni Club sponsored its annual Founders Day banquet March 1. There were 278



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present, which was the largest attendance on record at a Founders Day banquet in Columbus.

All of the members of the General Council were present. In addition to President Ballou, Past Presidents of the General Council present were Dr. John Edwin Brown, Columbus; Charles Macauley, Detroit; and Dean Hoffman, Harrisburg, Pa. Honored at the banquet were President John B. Ballou and Dr. William McPherson, President Emeritus of Ohio State University.—FRED J. MILLIGAN.

DALLAS

The largest group in the history of Dallas Phis assembled at Dallas Country Club on March 15 for our annual alumni gathering. The food was good



DALLAS FOUNDERS DAY SPONSORS

Charles Seay and Allen Dealey, Texas '36 and '37

and the speeches were short, so over two hundred brothers had a fine time.

Charles Seay, Texas '36, president of the Dallas Alumni Club, acted as master of ceremonies throughout the evening. He called on the representatives of the various collegiate chapters in Texas and had them say a few words. Southwestern had sent up Phil McGee; Texas was represented by the president of the chapter, Stanley Neely, and S.M.U. had its president as representative, James K. Wilson, Jr. The entire chapter of Southern Methodist attended in a body, and Seay introduced each of the new initiates to the gathering. They had been Brother Phis for only two hours and were probably the most enthusiastic persons in attendance.

The S.M.U. chapter each year recognizes the alumnus who does the most to help the undergraduate chapter. They inscribe his name on a large silver cup. Tom Carpenter, S.M.U. '29, is the recipient for 1940. The complete list of those to whom the cup has been awarded include: Will Caruth, S.M.U. '33; Tom Carpenter, S.M.U. '29 (he has twice been recognized); Henry Bolanz, Texas '19; Bentley Young, Kentucky '16; and Mayne Longnecker, Iowa Wesleyan '20.

The Alumni Club of Fort Worth again came over to participate with us in the Founders Day celebration. This group was led by Bob Behrends, Westminster '30. Professor F. W. Hogan, Vanderbilt '11, spoke a friendly and sincere word in behalf of the group from Fort Worth. He discussed very effectively the part that alumni should take in building $\Phi\Delta\Theta$.

The Glee Club of the S.M.U. chapter led the group in singing Phi songs which every one enthusiastically joined in singing.

The congratulations for arranging the most successful Phi banquet in the history of the Southwest belong to Al Dealey, Texas '37. He was ably assisted by Ben Decherd, Texas '36, who managed all the financial matters. The fine program was arranged by Ralph Nimmons, Florida '28.

Any Phi who has moved to Dallas within the past five years is urged to get in touch with our alumni club president so that his name can be added to our membership rolls. We are preparing a roster of all the Phis in Dallas and hope to have this published as soon as possible.—JAMES M. COLLINS, Secretary.

FORT WAYNE

The annual Founders Day banquet of the Fort Wayne Alumni Club was held Friday evening March 30 at the Hotel Keenan, this date having been selected in order that the gathering might be honored by the presence of Brother Paul C. Beam, Executive Secretary. Approximately thirty Phis were in attendance and enjoyed an excellent dinner. A short business meeting was called to order by the President, Brother McMahon, and the following officers were elected for the coming year: Alan R. Chambers, President; R. J. Beck, Vice-President; Dale Redding, Treasurer; and J. H. Wright, Secretary. After a general discussion of activities of the club it was decided to hold another rushing party this spring similar to the one held on June 16, last. In an informal address, Brother Beam traced the progress being made by both active chapters and alumni clubs of the Fraternity and gave many interesting and stirring facts showing the high rating of $\Phi\Delta\Theta$ in various parts of the country. Brother Beam then discussed the aims and hopes of our Founders and gave interesting historical facts regarding the founding of $\Phi\Delta\Theta$. A congratulatory telegram received from Brother Dean Hoffman, Alumni Commissioner, was read by Brother M. A. Cook, retiring secretary.—J. H. WRIGHT, Secretary.

FORT WORTH

The Fort Worth Club accepted the generous invitation of the Dallas Club to be its guest. We met at the home of Brother Beers before setting out for



AT THE FOX RIVER FOUNDERS DAY
Dr. Albert A. Trevor, Lawrence '96, receives
a testimonial

Dallas. About one-fourth of the Fort Worth Club made the trip. We were most heartily received and most royally treated. We particularly enjoyed the fine singing of the chorists of the Texas Delta chapter of Southern Methodist University.

The entire assembly was very proud of the most excellent record of achievement as reported by the respective presidents of Texas Beta, Texas Gamma, and Texas Delta. These reports certainly should prove to the skeptics and the critics that fraternities are worth while.—F. W. HOGAN, *Secretary*.

FOX RIVER VALLEY

ABOUT eighty members of the Fox River Valley Alumni Club commemorated Founders Day at a banquet March 26. Highlighting the affair was the presentation of a testimonial to Dr. A. A. Trever in recognition of his years of work on behalf of the Lawrence College chapter, first as $\Phi\Theta\Phi$, and since 1934 as Wisconsin Beta of $\Phi\Delta\Theta$. Dr. Trever's affiliation dates back forty years, covering his long period of service as professor of ancient and European history at Lawrence. His untiring efforts toward the building up of a first-rate chapter culminated last year in Wisconsin Beta's winning of the Cleveland Trophy. The gift, in the form of a beautifully illuminated testimonial, was presented to Dr. Trever by George Banta, Jr., P.P.G.C., who also served as toastmaster at the banquet.

The principal speaker for the occasion was Edward E. Ruby, editor of the SCROLL and the *Palladium*. Brother Ruby spoke briefly but inspiringly on the alumnus' place in the Fraternity. Donald M. DuShane, dean of students at Lawrence, had spoken previously, directing his message primarily to the undergraduates.

Official presentation of the Cleveland Trophy was made by J. H. Wilterding, president of Lambda Province, and the chapter scholarships, awarded annually by the Alumni Club, were presented to Ben Ewers, '43; Richard Calkins, '48; and Robert Noonan, '40. Chapter President Joseph Morton introduced initiates, commenting on each briefly. Alumni also enjoyed watching John F. Owen, treasurer of the old Theta Phi Corporation, preside at the burning of the mortgage on the chapter house. Throughout the evening, alumni were entertained by the beautiful a cappella singing of $\Phi\Delta\Theta$ songs by the undergraduates. It is hoped that Phis from all parts of the country will have an opportunity to hear this outstanding choral work by Wisconsin Beta members at the Minneapolis convention.

Following the program, plans for the new Lawrence fraternity quadrangle were exhibited by President Thomas N. Barrows and Dean John S. Millis, who were guests of the Fraternity at the banquet.—HAYWARD S. BIGGERS, *Secretary*.

HARRISBURG

THE Alumni Club of Harrisburg, together with its guests, met on March 7, 1940, at the Colonial Country Club, Harrisburg, to honor the memory of the fathers of the Fraternity. That the annual banquet this year was a fitting tribute was evidenced by the fact that approximately 125 brothers and Phikeias from nearby alumni and active hodies gathered to make the 1940 affair the biggest in the history of the club.

The evening opened with the invocation by the Rt. Rev. Wyatt Brown, Bishop of Harrisburg, after which Rev. J. Kessler Shultz conducted the candlelighting ceremony in tribute to the founders of the Fraternity. One of the highlights of the evening was the

presentation of Golden Legion certificates to three men who have served the Fraternity for fifty years. This honor was bestowed upon Dr. A. S. Fasick, Dickinson '92, initiated September 21, 1888; Rev. J. W. Glover, Dickinson '92, initiated September 28, 1888; and Dr. H. E. Gettler, Gettysburg '93, initiated February 9, 1889.

Professor C. L. Swift, Dickinson College, delivered the principal speech of the evening, a highly amusing but meaningful dissertation on "Something I'm Learning from Other Men's Sons." After this, motion pictures of recent conventions and of different undergraduate chapters were shown, and then Brother Dean Hoffman introduced the Hon. O. J. Tallman, member of the General Council, who spoke briefly on the Fraternity and its ideals. The Atlantic Refining Company's sound pictures of the outstanding plays and games of the past football season served as an appropriate conclusion to a fine evening's entertainment.

The only routine business carried out during the evening was the election of new officers to serve for the ensuing year. These new officers are: President, George H. Wolford; First Vice-President, Edward C. First, Jr.; Second Vice-President, J. Calvin Frank; Secretary-Treasurer, Donald J. Wolford; Reporter, Charles R. Seeley, Jr.

The weekly luncheons of the Harrisburg Club are still held at the University Club, 7 N. Front St., every Tuesday noon, and a standing invitation is extended to all Phis in the vicinity to attend.—CHARLES R. SEELEY, JR., *Reporter*.

INDIANAPOLIS

MARCH 9 recorded the largest and most enthusiastic assembly of Phis in the long history of the Fraternity in Indiana, traditionally the center of $\Phi\Delta\Theta$ population. Founders Day in Indianapolis is always more than a local celebration; it is made the occasion for the seven active chapters and their alumni throughout the State to foregather to review past achievements and plan greater for the future. More than 500 Phis turned out this year for the banquet at the Columbia Club. Note this fact: there are 338 active Phis in the seven Indiana chapters; all but three of them were present at the banquet. Five of the seven chapters had every member present.

William P. Evans, *DePauw '07*, presided as toastmaster. A conspicuous feature of the program was the singing of Fraternity songs and songs of the several colleges. Several of the notables were called upon for impromptu remarks, and these were brief and pithy. The annual scholarship award was made to the Purdue chapter.

The speaker of the evening was Will H. Hays, *Wabash '00*, P.P.G.C., president of the Motion Picture Producers and Distributors of America. His address and a musical number by the *DePauw* chapter, were broadcast over WFBS. Brother Hays said in part:

"Primarily meeting to honor the Founders of the great Fraternity of $\Phi\Delta\Theta$, we pay tribute to the significance with which this organization has endowed the word 'fraternity.' Fortunate, indeed, is that boy who, leaving his first fraternity—the fraternity of home and those intangible personal relationships which transcend friendship—has found this spot, the spot where tradition has established bonds more nearly kindred to home than are found elsewhere in life.

"Broadly speaking, fraternity means common interest, mutual regard, common cause, one faith. It means a social conscience which goes beyond life and let live, to live and help live; no fraternity has

fulfilled its function unless it has instilled in its members their responsibilities to larger groups and, even more important, co-operative enterprises, taught them the basic values and fostered within them the ambition not merely to receive much from, but to give something to, others and to their country.



WILL H. HAYS, *Wabash '00*

"As fraternity men, in the larger sense, we work for the good of the human family. The most important thing in life is to see that better men come after us. Here is the tremendous importance of the right relationship between father and son. Every father knows that he can only go part of the way with his boy; poignantly, he wishes he could give him more to help him on his way. Yet, rich or poor, each father leaves his son the same legacy—the world to run if he is man enough to do it. It is no trite observation at any time, and certainly not today, to note that it is in the youth, in those who come after us, that the still unwritten history of this country lies. In their hands is the future of the broader brotherhood of man, the future of the world. To prepare or help prepare them for that task is the prime duty.

"It is with our assets and not our liabilities that we must build ever higher standards of living, better opportunities for our people, greater plenty to share, and the greater reserves which human security will require. There are no Christopher Columbuses among the prophets of gloom. Admitting all of our problems, we are not to become the victims of that strange astigmatism that considers every stop as the end of the road. A stop is the beginning of a step. We can and will meet the challenge, for today is a challenge, to the best of the brain, the heart, and the hand of America.

"The fact is that our richest, our indestructible asset is not the raw material resources, it is not the gold in the hills, it is the iron in the hearts of the people. I refer to our national heritage, the American spirit. I say it lives today as it did in the days of our fathers.

"And, as one Hoosier whose course has caused him to go about, I bring to my fellow-Hoosiers a report that all will be well with the Republic."

JACKSONVILLE

We celebrated Founders Day with a good representative group at a luncheon gathering on Thursday, March 21. Harold Trammell, *Florida '37*, the immediate past president of the local Alumni Club, gave a very interesting talk on the chosen subject of the occasion, "Alumni Responsibility for the Preservation of the Fraternity's Ideals." Bill Stark, *Florida '36*, gave a very good account of the celebration of Founders Day held at the new house at the University of Florida, on March 14. Several of the local brothers attended this celebration, and were very much impressed with the fine work being accomplished by Florida Alpha. Reverend Malcomb Lockhart made a very inspiring talk on the activities in the beginning by the Founders of $\Phi\Delta\Theta$.

We were all very much disappointed that the occasion lacked the presence of any brothers eligible for the Golden Legion award.—RICHARD K. WURTS, *President*.

KANSAS CITY

On Tuesday, March 19, the Kansas City Alumni Club honored the Founders at a dinner given at the Hotel President. The entire top floor was reserved for a record attendance of approximately 125 members.

George Banta, Jr., of Menasha, Wis., was the principal speaker. Brother Banta remarked on the great store of character possessed by the Founders, and the heritage enjoyed by the Fraternity because of this strength. The Fraternity is peculiarly fortunate, he said, in having its great ideals embodied in the Bond. Brother Banta complimented the club on its sustained interest in Fraternity matters and made the point that because of lack of continuity of personnel in undergraduate chapters, the continued success of those chapters depended in a large measure on active alumni support.

Edward A. Enright, *Vermont '79*, had the distinction of being the oldest member at the dinner. Others introduced were J. R. Dominick, *Mississippi '84*, and Clarence Capell, *Iowa '96*. Caleb Ritter, *Indiana '76*, was not able to attend because of illness, but sent his best wishes.

Reports on the state of affairs in Missouri Alpha and Kansas Alpha were made by the active members of those chapters. As those giving the reports mentioned the favorable things and members of the audience shouted questions in regard to things not so favorable, it is felt that a comprehensive picture of undergraduate activity was presented. The reports were satisfactory in every way. At the end of the meeting, after President Spencer and those who have assisted him in the past year were given a rising vote of thanks for their assistance, the meeting proceeded to an election of officers. The following officers were elected: President, Henley Blair; First Vice-President, Harry Darby; Second Vice-President, Dwight Brantley; Treasurer, John T. Ready; and MENEFEZ D. BLACKWELL, *Secretary*.

MADISON

On March 20, the members of the Wisconsin Alpha chapter and Madison alumni celebrated Founders Day with a banquet at the chapter house. Brother Mangold was the head of a committee of active members in planning a program for the occasion.

The chapter took this celebration as an opportunity to show their appreciation to Brother Randolph Conners, '25, for his work the last ten years as chapter

adviser. President DeWitt thanked him for his interest, time, and work in Wisconsin Alpha and presented him with a gift in recognition of outstanding work for his Fraternity. Brother Conners thanked the chapter and expressed the hope that he would be able to continue to serve the chapter in a satisfactory manner.

For the main speaker of the evening, we were fortunate in obtaining Judge Carroll from Minneapolis, former Province president. He praised Brother Conners for his aid to the active chapter and for his co-operation with the General Fraternity. His message told three fundamental qualities an individual needs for success, and how membership in $\Phi \Delta \Theta$ aids a boy in attaining these necessities. The three legs to the stool of success, as put forth by Judge Carroll, are: first, honesty; second, even temper; third, ability to see two sides of each question.

Many prominent men from the city and vicinity were present at the dinner to honor Brother Conners, to listen to Judge Carroll, and to pause in memory of the Founders of our great Fraternity.—RALPH GOODING.

MANSFIELD, OHIO

The Mansfield Alumni Club had the distinct pleasure of hearing Fred J. Milligan, Columbus, Ohio, attorney, at the annual Founders Day banquet which was held at Schwarz Tavern, Lexington Ave. Road, March 29, 1940.

After a most excellent dinner, Brother Milligan, who is a past province president, outlined for the club the objectives and advantages of organizing our alumni. He also pointed out the many services and constructive work that can be done by such a group. In closing, Brother Milligan touched upon the high type of personality which occupies our General Council; the Council having just held its meeting in Columbus, Ohio, the week before. A brief discussion followed this most enlightening speech, and we were all brought up to date as to the state of the Fraternity.

Paul Tappan, Case '09, President of the Tappan Stove Co., Mansfield, provided us with some unusual entertainment by showing movies of an extended South Sea Island Cruise which he and Mrs. Tappan took last year. These movies were in color for the most part, and the unique manner in which Brother Tappan added his comments as the pictures were shown made this part of the program most entertaining.

A short business meeting was held at which the following officers were elected for the new year: Nelson E. White, President; Edwin K. Bacon, Vice-President; and Perry Cook, Secretary and Treasurer.—F. B. THOMPSON, Secretary.



FATHERS AND SONS AT KANSAS CITY

Left to right: Lacy C. Haynes, Centre '09, and Lacy C. Haynes, Jr., Kansas '43; Robert S. Beachy, Jr., Missouri '33, and Robert S. Beachy, Gettysburg '03

MEMPHIS

SOME seventy brothers from Memphis and surrounding territory gathered around the banquet table at Hotel Claridge on April 6 to pay tribute to the founding of $\Phi \Delta \Theta$. Gathered with the alumni broth-



AT THE KANSAS CITY DINNER

Byron Spencer, Missouri, '15, Pres.; P.P.G.C. Geo Banta, Jr., speaker; J. T. Ready, Westminster '10, Treas. Standing, presidents of Missouri and Kansas Alpha

ers of Memphis were twenty actives of the Mississippi Alpha chapter located at the University of Mississippi, some seventy miles below the city.

Bill Bailey, Mississippi '14, president of the Memphis club, cleverly handled the duties of toastmaster and began the program by calling on the Mississippi actives for that rousing Fraternity song "Phi Delta Theta for Aye." The boys responded with good enthusiasm and soon the alumni too were humming and singing away, engrossed in the memories of their college days. With the refreshments and Fraternity spirit it was a lively party and the speeches had to be good and short to keep pace with the temper of the occasion.

Right from the start the brothers were reminded of their duties as alumni when the toastmaster called on one of the youngest members of the club, Bill Mounger, Mississippi '38, who in turn presented to Walter E. Miller, Ohio Wesleyan '87, the certificate of his membership in the Golden Legion of $\Phi \Delta \Theta$. Brother Miller, for fifty years a school man and now principal of the Snowden Junior High School of Memphis, was up to the occasion and gave some timely remarks. To the minds of those in attendance it was made known that Brother Miller, now a Phi for fifty-five years, not only regularly attended alumni meetings but was on hand each fall for the club's annual rush functions. His experience with the youth of Memphis has been a great help in the rushing activities of the club.

The illness of Billy Wynn, Mississippi '11, of Greenville, Miss., slated as principal speaker, was a disappointment; but Lovick Miles, Virginia '98, Memphis attorney and chairman of the Memphis Community Fund, presented an able substitute in the person of Earle King, Emory '06, also a distinguished member of the Memphis bar.

Up from the Mississippi delta came Kenneth Haxton, Mississippi '14, of Greenville, and Tom Trotter Ross, Mississippi '27, of Clarksdale, who is president

of the "All-Delta Alumni Club," along with a number of other enthusiastic Mississippi brothers.

The banquet was under the direction of J. Hunter Phillips, *Sewanee* '22, who with his committee arranged details so that the brothers not only had access to the music of the ballroom during the dinner but afterwards enjoyed dancing and further celebration.

From Dean Hoffman, Alumni Commissioner, Prentiss Cooper, Governor of Tennessee, Bob Somerville, president of Theta province, Billy Wynn, scheduled speaker of the evening, and many others came wires and letters of greetings that added to a great gathering of Mid-South Phis.—E. S. BLACKSTONE, *Secretary*.

MILWAUKEE

WITH approximately fifty Phis in attendance, despite extremely adverse weather conditions, the Founders Day dinner of the Milwaukee Alumni Club was held on March 15 at the Hotel Medford. Details of the affair were handled by Carl Moebius, *Wisconsin* '34, secretary of the Club, assisted by Dr. John J. Wright, *Wisconsin* '94, John J. Ryan, *Dartmouth* '11, and several others of the local alumni group.

Chairman for the evening was Frank Lennox, *Northwestern* '34. John H. Wilterding, *Lawrence* '23, president of Lambda Province, was present and gave an interesting talk on "The State of the Fraternity," after which a general round-table discussion of questions and answers was held.

Movies of the professional championship game between the Green Bay Packers and the New York Giants, which was held in Milwaukee last fall, were shown by Oliver Kuechle, of the *Milwaukee Journal*, who also showed some reels of other highlights in the 1939 college football season gleaned from newsreels taken at the various big games of the year.

The balance of the evening was filled in with bridge, bull sessions, and general fraternity gossip, making the affair a success in every way.—CARL MOEBIUS.

MINNEAPOLIS

THURSDAY evening, April 4, Minneapolis alumni held their fifty-eighth annual banquet, celebrating the ninety-first birthday of the founding of $\Phi\Delta\Theta$. Under the guiding hand of Cliff Sommer, banquet chairman, the 1940 convention spirit brought forth 138 Phis, the largest attendance in the fifty-eight years of Founders Day banquets.

Reverend Gerald Watkins gave the invocation, and

Clarence Gibson, former president of the Minneapolis Alumni Club, took over the program as toastmaster with his usual finesse, developed from years of experience, and bolstered by a seemingly endless supply of new stories. Brother Gibson also presented Golden Legion certificates to Brothers William Cruikshank, Duluth, *Miami* '91, and Thomas Fulton, St. Paul, *Cornell* '93.

The active chapter of Minnesota Alpha contributed their traditional part of the program when Stanley Dripps, *Minnesota* '41, as president of the active chapter, presented a summary of the year, which found Minnesota Alpha at the top of University of Minnesota fraternities in scholarship, intramural and varsity sports, and campus activities.

Dan Elmer, *Minnesota* '38, presented to Sheridan McCarthy the plaque which the Minneapolis Alumni Club presents each year to the active chapter member showing the finest spirit and sportsmanship in University athletics.

A slight variation in honor of the Chapter Grand was introduced when Paul Carroll spoke briefly in memory of the late Brothers B. V. Moore and H. C. Kneffer, two of Minneapolis' most loyal and active Phis, who have left a large gap, not only here, but throughout the $\Phi\Delta\Theta$ and fraternity world.

The committee in charge decided on a new procedure which eliminated any out of town speaker and called in a prominent local Phi for a short talk. Alan Briggs, *Wisconsin* '14, St. Paul attorney and State Commander of the V.F.W., was the principal speaker with some well-timed remarks on why America should not be involved in the present war. With Brother Briggs' practical knowledge of the subject and effective powers of speech we were left with a message not soon to be forgotten.

The greatest interest of the evening was reached when Brother Ed Neal, local chairman for the 1940 Convention, gave a short report on the preliminary plans for the Convention. From the plans he outlined, the 1940 convention should be one of the best, and his response indicated a strong and enthusiastic support among local Phis as shown when 65 Phis in attendance at the banquet signed advance registration blanks.—MARSHALL B. TAFT, *Secretary*.

MINOT

ELEVEN Phis, small in number, but great in their enthusiasm for the Brotherhood, met together for the first Founders Day dinner in this section, where



PART OF THE GUESTS AT NEW YORK FOUNDERS DAY DINNER

distances are great and the brothers are widely scattered. The evening was spent in reminiscence, and discussion of matters pertaining to the Fraternity as well as to the pressing problems of our national life. Every man present felt that it had been a delightful occasion, and every man left with a deeper sense of the value of $\Phi \Delta \Theta$ as an instrument for the effective training of young Americans.—R. A. NESTOS.

NEW YORK

THE New York Founders Day dinner for 1940 was slightly smaller than the attendance which came to enjoy the supper variety shows of the past three years, but it made up in $\Phi \Delta \Theta$ spirit several times over for any falling short as an extravaganza. Phil Barbour, President of the New York Club, promised that he would have an all-star line up of Phi speakers, and that every loyal Phi with the capacity for enjoying himself in the company of his brothers would be given the opportunity to do so. Brother Barbour and his committee made good on both promises generally.

The speakers did not attempt marathon performances. Each man had something to say and, since every man who talked is a Phi of the more enthusiastic stamp, the program was of the type which greatly stimulates pride in the Fraternity. The two general speakers were Judge Robert P. Patterson, *Union* '12, Judge, United States Circuit Court of Appeals, and Paul F. Cadman, *Sewanee and California* '15, Economic Adviser to the American Bankers Association. Representing the general organization of $\Phi \Delta \Theta$ were: John B. Ballou, *Wooster and Ohio State* '97, P.G.C., Dean M. Hoffman, *Dickinson* '02, Alumni Commissioner; and Paul C. Beam, *Indiana and Illinois* '25, Executive Secretary. Oscar W. Ehrhorn, *Columbia* '98, was toastmaster and Brother Barbour welcomed all of our distinguished out-of-towners including James E. Davidson, *Hillsdale* '87, Chairman of the Palmer Endowment Fund, who always makes the trip from Bay City, Mich., to New York for the Founders Day dinner. Charles G. Bond, *Ohio State* '99, later in the program responded for the entire membership of the New York Club in thanking Brother Barbour for the successful year.

These men who have been willing to spend heavily in time and energy as Presidents of the Club in the past several years have been responsible for its success. They are Robert A. Gantt, *Nebraska* '09, Barrett Herrick, *Washington* '15, and Phillips T. Barbour, *Centre* '04. They represent the Midlands, the Pacific Northwest, and the South respectively. All three have had what it takes in New York not only to succeed in business but to rally their brother Phis again around the standard of $\Phi \Delta \Theta$ which they have proved can mean as much to alumni in New York or any other large city as it does to undergraduates in the colleges.

The New York Club's good fortune in leadership carries on. And this time it is New England which gives us our leader. He is a Past President of the General Council, 1929-30, a distinguished attorney, chairman of the Founders Day dinner committee in 1939, and one of the most loyal and capable men in our entire national membership. Yes, Henry K. Urion, *Dartmouth* '12, is the new president in New York. Brother Phil Barbour has agreed to continue to arrange the programs of the monthly dinners in which he was particularly interested and notably successful, and Brother Barrett Herrick is, as usual, more than on the job and has agreed to put on one of those Herrick-directed dinners in May.

Brother Gantt is serving his company in Rumania where he has direct supervision of the telephone system of that country and also the communication manufacturing interests of the International Telephone and Telegraph Corporation, of which he is vice-president. A message from Brother Gantt read at the Founders Day dinner was cheered for several minutes.

Other officers elected to assist Brother Urion with the further rise of the Club in New York are: Chairman of the Board of Governors, Isaac F. Harris, *North Carolina* '00; Vice-Presidents, Matthew M. Campbell, *Vanderbilt* '18; Phillip M. McCullough, *Nebraska* '17, and J. Donald Kieffer, *Maryland* '30; Treasurer, Frederick L. Chapman, *Williams* '18; Secretary, Donald C. Hays, *Colorado* '32; Assistant Treasurer, William F. Mack, *Columbia* '10; Assistant Secretary, Henry A. Hopkins, *Georgia* '35; Historian, Henry K. Ruchmeyer, *Union* '32, and Reporter, Edward W. Goode, *Colgate* '26.

The New York Club will have another big outing in one of the two last weekends in June at Buckwood Inn in the Pocosinos. Douglas K. Porteous, *Tulane* '23, is Chairman of this Committee, which means that it will be quite a weekend.—EDWARD W. GOODE, Reporter.

OKLAHOMA CITY

"THE fraternity system has a definite mission and it is doing a pretty good job today in filling it," George Banta, Jr., *Wabash* '14, P.P.G.C., said in an address at the Oklahoma City Alumni Club's annual Founders Day banquet March 17. The banquet, held at the Oklahoma Club, was attended by 126 Phis, including the entire membership of Oklahoma Alpha chapter at the University of Oklahoma.

Brother Banta outlined the major changes which have taken place in the fraternity system since $\Phi \beta \kappa$ was founded in 1776. In explaining the work done by the National Interfraternity Conference, he pointed especially to the progress made in breaking down a feeling of rivalry which once existed among the various Greek-letter organizations. Other important developments, he said, were the promotion of closer harmony between fraternities and college administrators and the raising of fraternity grade averages above those of non-fraternity men. "The whole program has been helpful," Banta said, "and I'm sure that a lot of good will come out of it." He told of $\Phi \Delta \Theta$'s part in the program and recalled numerous records of achievement, including the fact $\Phi \Delta \Theta$ has more Rhodes scholars than any other fraternity. "But," he said, "one of the dangers of $\Phi \Delta \Theta$ must face is that they become involved in too much machinery. I think we have avoided it so far and I hope we can continue to do so." He issued a challenge to alumni to become more interested in the Fraternity and its undergraduates. "The fraternity system would die in five years if there was no alumni interest," Banta said. In beginning his address Banta congratulated Oklahoma Alpha on its record of placing first in scholarship among all the fraternities at the University of Oklahoma this year. The speaker was introduced by Major Herbert Peck, Oklahoma City, who served as master of ceremonies.

Fred Shields was named President of the Oklahoma City Alumni Club, succeeding Dave Price, in an election at the close of the meeting. Baron Houzel was elected Vice-President and Bert B. Barefoot, Jr., Secretary-Treasurer.

Jack Foster, Norman, was elected President of the Oklahoma Alpha Building Association and Bus Harrington, Oklahoma City, was chosen Secretary-Treasurer.



AT PHILADELPHIA FOUNDERS DAY

Upper: Six Golden Legionnaires; John Ballou in a serious moment; Lower: The Admiral makes a point; Argument at one of the tables

urer. Directors named were Junius Dyche, C. O. Burnside and David Price.—AUSTIN BEALMEAR.

PHOENIX

THE Phoenix Alumni Club held its annual Founders Day banquet March 15 and had fifty brothers present representing states from coast to coast. The main speaker of the evening, Mr. R. E. Dicus, *Seawanee '34*, gave a very fine address upon "Democracy as Associated with Fraternities." Plans were made for the spring and summer rush season in co-ordination with the Arizona Alpha chapter who sent several members to the banquet. The meeting closed with the election of officers for the coming year. Dr. M. H. Meade, *Missouri '25*, aptly swore in Ted Riggins, *Arizona '36*, as President; Herb E. Hodgson, *Wisconsin '17*, as Vice-President; and Lynn Hawkins, *Arizona '39*, as Secretary-Treasurer.—E. LYNN HAWKINS, Secretary.

PHILADELPHIA

THE hospitable quarters of Philadelphia's Middyay Club, atop the Fidelity-Philadelphia Building, were open to local Phis for their annual Founders Day banquet on March 16, 1940. Once safely past the uncompromising Stolpe, who presided at the portal, celebrants found themselves engulfed in a wave of geniality that swept the clubrooms. Promptly at 6:15, as announced, a large number of those assembled interrupted their gaiety to take advantage of a new feature of the annual affair, a reading of the Bond. With all due solemnity and impressiveness, Jim Schultz intoned the phrases while all who listened re-lived the days of their initiation ceremonies.

To the irresistible strains of Christy's accordion, the assembled host marched into the spacious dining room, where President Walt Whetstone escorted to the speakers' table our honored guests, Mr. E. A. Crenshaw, Jr. (guest of Admiral Cluverius), John Ballou, P.G.C., Rear Admiral Wat T. Cluverius, Reporter of the G.C., and Dr. D. Vittorini, Professor of Romance Languages at the University of Pennsylvania. At the speakers' table as escort to these guests were President Kolbe of Drexel Institute, Rollin C. Bortle, Robert William Baily, and Walt Whetstone presiding. The Phis assembled at tables arranged by chapters, and remained standing while Walt Whetstone offered the invocation and led the group in singing "1848."

President John Ballou then responded with a witty speech in which he paid tribute to Admiral Cluverius, then went on to tell of his recent observations while visiting undergraduate and alumni chapters.

Claude Marriott outlined the history of the "Golden Legion" custom by way of introduction, then presented eight local Phis as candidates for the "degree." Brother Ballou presented the certificates honoring these Phis of fifty years in the Bond, who made appropriate and interesting acknowledgments. The Golden Legionnaires so honored are: Frank Penrose Croft, *Pennsylvania '93*, initiated September 25, 1889; Dr. Edward Adams Shunway, *Pennsylvania '91*, initiated September 25, 1889; Rev. Thomas Hart Evans, *Dickinson '93*, initiated October 4, 1889; Edwin Stauffer Gault, *Pennsylvania '92*, initiated October 8, 1889; Harrison Wainwright Latta, *Pennsylvania '90*, initiated October 8, 1889; James Clark Moore, Jr., P.P.G.C., *Pennsylvania '93*, initiated February 15,

1890; Henry Paul Busch, *Pennsylvania '93*, initiated March 7, 1890; John Ervin Gensemer, *Pennsylvania '93*, initiated Wooster, May 10, 1890, affiliated *Pennsylvania 1893*. Of these eight, two were unable to attend and their certificates will be delivered by a representative of the local alumni chapter. Among those who witnessed this ceremony were five of the Legionnaires of last year: Gilbert A. Harvey, *Lafayette '91*; John C. Hinkson, *Lafayette '91*; Dr. George F. Levan, *Pennsylvania '91*; J. Charles Ziegler, *Pennsylvania '91*; and Alban Evenson, *Lehigh '91*.

Receiving the gavel from Walt Whetstone, Bill Baily assumed charge of the program for the banquet committee, introducing as speaker Dr. Dominico Vittorini, Professor of Romance Languages at the University of Pennsylvania, who addressed the assembly on recent European history and current developments in the remaking of Europe. Following a masterful assembling and correlating of significant facts, Dr. Vittorini emphasized the realities of nations, races, religions, and growth, closing with a reference to the Love that binds us all.

Rear Admiral Wat T. Cluverius, Reporter of the General Council, then addressed his brother Phi, assuring them that he was finding his new work no honorary job. He drew lessons from Dr. Vittorini's discussions, closing with the quotation from Jefferson: "Those who enjoy the rights and privileges of our citizenship must be prepared to preserve them."

Assuming the Chair, President Whetstone thanked the Banquet Committee and asked for the report of the Nominating Committee, who presented the following ticket: President, Dr. H. H. Parcher, *Pennsylvania '21*; Vice-President, Ernest F. Stolpe, *Penn State '23*; Secretary, Ralph W. Collie, *Wisconsin '06*; Treasurer, Herbert S. Havens, *Williams '15*; Reporter, George T. Street, Jr., *Denison '18*; Convention Delegate, R. William Baily, *Wisconsin '07*; Alternate Delegate, Rollin C. Bortle, *Pennsylvania '05*; Directors, W. W. Whetstone, *Penn State '15*; Boardman Hopper, *Penn State '11*; Samuel Kirkland, *Columbia '20*; Frank Hardt, *Pennsylvania '01*; Richard Slocum, *Swarthmore '22*; William R. Main, *Allegheny '07*. As there was no opposition to the ticket as presented, the above-named were elected by acclamation and will serve for the current year.—GEORGE I. STREET, JR., Reporter.

PITTSBURGH

On Saturday, March 30, the Pittsburgh Alumni Club, for the fifty-third year, held a Founders Day banquet. The usually large representation of active chapter members from Pitt, West Virginia, W. and J., and Allegheny was reduced to twenty because of spring vacations, but a good crowd of eighty-eight alumni attended. Colonel William A. Canoe, *Dickinson '08*, climaxed a banner meeting with a timely and in-

teresting address on "Threads of Fraternity."

The Colonel is Chief of Staff of the 99th Division, U. S. Army Reserves. He was introduced by the Judge Advocate of his division, Joseph W. Langfitt, Jr., *W. and J. '11*, who holds the rank of Lieutenant-Colonel.

Through his teaching and writing, Brother Canoe has earned recognition as the foremost authority on United States military history, but military history happens to be only a part of the historical field through which he has marched. To the fascination of his audience, he pointed out the landmarks in the development of the idea of fraternity. He concluded with some very pertinent observations on the place of $\Phi\Delta\Theta$ in a society in which the spirit of fraternity is meeting strong opposition. Not the least interesting features of his talk were the stories that illuminated it.

The trophy, awarded annually to the chapter with the best scholarship record in the province, this year went to Pennsylvania Delta at Allegheny.

Dr. William Robertson Farmer, *W. and J. '92*, who is Professor of Practical Theology at Western Theological Seminary, was presented with a Golden Legion certificate by Province President Harbaugh Miller, *Pitt '23*. With Dr. Farmer was Samuel H. McKee, *Monmouth '72*, who has been an active Phi for seventy-two years.

One whose picture should appear among the dignitaries is Dr. J. Clyde Markel, *Gettysburg '00*, who is missing because he was the photographer. For the past twenty-six years he has kept attendance records of the club's weekly luncheons, and a highlight of the evening was his always interesting report. During the past twenty-six years there have been 1343 luncheons with a total attendance of 24,630, an average of over 18 each luncheon. Of the 1343 luncheons, Dr. Markel has attended 1214 and R. W. Lindsay, *W. and J. '02*, 955. Last year there were 52 luncheons, a total attendance of 1004 (an average of 20), with 87 different members of the club attending.

President George G. Waters, *Illinois '19*, paid well-deserved tribute to Brother Lindsay, perennial secretary-treasurer, who, more than any other person, has been for many years responsible for the club's success.—SANFORD CORCORAN, Reporter.

PORTLAND

The Founders Day banquet was a tremendous success. The attendance, which exceeded that of any previous year, certainly bore testimony to the increasingly active interest of the alumni in Portland. Brother George E. Housser of Vancouver, B.C., and Brother Charles Gaches of the General Council were there. Also a delegation from Washington Alpha, Washington Beta, Oregon Alpha, and Oregon Beta attended.



PITTSBURGH FOUNDERS DAY DINNER

Only a part of the notables



PORTLAND ASSEMBLES FOR FOUNDERS DAY

The Wallace B. McCamant trophy was presented to the Washington Beta group from Whitman College in the song contest. They certainly did a wonderful job of singing, but though they won, the other chapters gave them stiff competition.

Upon the recommendation of the Committee for Nomination, the following officers were elected: Franz E. Wagner, President; Edward E. Ruby, Jr., Vice-President; Charles L. Stidd, Secretary; Russell Stearns, Treasurer; and Miles Standish, Chaplain.

Two Golden Legion Certificates were presented, in absentia, to Brother William C. Harding, *Wabash '87*, Secretary Chamber of Commerce, Roseburg, Ore., and to Brother Jefferson H. Irish, *Michigan State '8a*, retired attorney, Newport, Ore. Circumstances did not permit either of them to be present, but letters received from them in reply to our invitation were read. We also were favored with a telegram from Brother Dean M. Hoffman, Alumni Commissioner, sending us his good wishes for the occasion.—CHARLES L. STIDD, Secretary.

RICHMOND

FOUNDERS DAY was observed March 16 as a joint celebration of the Richmond Alumni Club and the active chapters in Delta Province, which met in Province convention in the afternoon. The banquet was held at Ewart's in the evening. Seventy-two Phis were present, including alumni from Richmond, Bristol, Lexington, Petersburg, Phoebus, Waverly, and Hopewell, and undergraduates from Virginia Beta, Gamma, Delta, and Zeta.

Dr. Clifton M. Miller, *Richmond '90*, presided as toastmaster. The guest speaker was that perpetually young Phi, Richard Henry Little, *Illinois Wesleyan '95*. He took the theme of his toast from the epitaph of a printer on an old tombstone in London: "Like a worm type he has returned to the founder in the hope that he may be recast in a newer and better mould." His was an inspiring $\Phi\Delta\Theta$ message, interlarded with the Dick Little wit and whimsical philosophy.

G. Thomas Taylor presented to the Virginia Delta Chapter a handsome trophy, to be known as the Robert Bryan Harris Memorial Scholarship Plaque, and to be awarded annually to those two members of the Richmond Chapter who respectively attain the highest scholarship and show the greatest measure of improvement in scholarship. The names first to be engraved upon it are Wilbur Skinner, for the most distinguished scholarship and Richard Adams, for the greatest improvement during the term.

Officers for the ensuing year were elected as follows: President, Dr. Greer Baughman, *Virginia '95*; First Vice-President, Verne Bickelhaupt, *Wisconsin '11*; Second Vice-President, G. Thomas Taylor, *Richmond '99*; Historian, George E. Booker, *Randolph-Macon '21*; Secretary-Treasurer, W. Roland Galvin, *Richmond '26*; Executive Committee, Lee F. Davis, *Duke '31*; Overton D. Dennis, *Richmond '15*; and Robert H. Morrison, *Cincinnati '11*—W. R. GALVIN, Secretary.

SAN FRANCISCO

ON Friday evening, March 1, 150 Phis foregathered in the Sky Lounge of the Clift Hotel in San Francisco for the most successful Founders Day banquet in this community in years.

Eight Golden Legionnaires were honored. Judge James D. Garibaldi, *Stanford '25*, speaker of the evening and the youngest Judge on our State Bench, delivered a stirring address pointing to the great National achievements of many of our famous brothers through the years, and emphasizing that, in politics and out, never in all our national history, was there a greater opportunity for young men with brains and determination to win high place than there is today.

Under the inspired generalship of Toastmaster Byron Bryant humorous short speeches by alumni officers and active chapter presidents, songs and stunts by the undergraduates, and special entertainment directed by Brothers Moore and Knorp, brought the evening to a hilarious conclusion somewhere in the wee sma's hours.

April 12 was the date this year when Artist Brother John Garth opened his studio doors to the actives and alumni of Northern California. Some fifty worthy brothers forgot their troubles in an evening of general Bohemian good fellowship. After much feasting and impromptu hilarity, a spicy spot of surprise entertainment brought the occasion to a colorful conclusion, although many brothers lingered around the piano to sing the good old songs till the first blush of dawn tinted the sky.—JOHN GARTH, Secretary.

SEATTLE

WITH close to three hundred Phis from the Pacific Northwest in attendance we celebrated Founders Day Friday, March 29. To start off the evening a social hour was held in the junior ballroom of the Olympic Hotel. Center Case, *Washington '36*, and his swing band put the brothers in the right frame of mind to enjoy themselves. Gathering in groups small and large they renewed old friendships and relived their



FOUNDERS DAY AT SALT LAKE CITY

active days all over again, with many a tall one being related.

The Toastmaster introduced the presidents from all of the northwest chapters, including British Columbia Alpha, Oregon Alpha, Oregon Beta, Washington Alpha, Washington Beta, and Washington Gamma. Each president gave a short résumé of his chapter's activities for the past year. Chuck Garrett, president of Washington Alpha, welcomed the out-of-town visitors. Brother Charles Gaches, of the General Council, was presented and gave a few well-chosen remarks. Brother George Houser, president of Pi Province, gave the brothers some idea of how important it is to have good chapter advisers and gave special praise to Ray Gardner for his work with Washington Alpha.

The address of the evening was given by Stephen Chadwick, Past Commander of the American Legion. Concerning World War II he urged that we mind our own affairs and let Europe mind hers. It was evident from the applause that the brothers were pretty much in sympathy with his ideas and thoroughly enjoyed his talk.

The banquet was brought to a close with the election of officers for the coming year. Unanimously elected were Malcolm Goodfellow, President; Boyd Stuht, Vice-President; Robert Squires, Secretary; Howard Ellis, Treasurer; and Val Cameron, Executive Secretary and Reporter.

Immediately following the dinner the brothers adjourned to the junior ballroom and were treated to some very fine entertainment furnished by Art Gerbel and Boyd Stuht, both of whom are prominent figures at the KOMO-KJR broadcasting studios.

Group singing was thoroughly enjoyed by a large body of the brothers.—VAL CAMERON, Reporter.

SCRANTON

THE Alumni Club of Scranton, Pa., now meets the first Monday of each month at 12:30 P.M. at the Scranton Club, corner Mulberry and N. Washington Ave. The newly elected Secretary is Frank C. Wenzel, 148 Adams Ave., Scranton.

A new and complete list of all brothers living in and about Scranton has been compiled and we are making every effort to increase the attendance at these meetings.—FRANK C. WENZEL, Secretary.

TOLEDO

FOUNDERS DAY held on March 4 at the Toledo Club will be one long to be remembered, as we had as our special guest, President John B. Ballou, who gave us a very interesting talk on $\Phi\Delta\Theta$. He renewed acquaintance with a great many of the older members of the Alumni Club with whom he founded the Toledo Alumni Club in 1900. The Gardner boys of Pennsylvania, Eversman of Michigan Alpha, and Dowd of Ohio Zeta were especially happy to renew old acquaintance with him. Golden Legionnaire John R. Calder, *Wooster '85*, was present and talked with Brother John about the old chapter. Some thirty-five alumni members were present.

The following day Brother Smith of Allegheny and the Secretary accompanied President Ballou on a visit to Michigan Alpha, over which President Ballou was one time Province President. At noon luncheon President Ballou talked to the active chapter. In the afternoon Brothers Adams and Tobin of Michigan Alpha took us on a sight-seeing trip over the campus.



TOLEDO FOUNDERS DAY DINNER

On March 10, Brother Smith of Allegheny and the Secretary attended the initiation at Michigan Alpha when twenty-one fine boys were taken into $\Phi\Delta\Theta$. It was a very happy occasion for Brother Smith and Brother Blanchard of Ohio Alpha, whose sons were initiated.—FRED A. HUNT, Secretary.

TORONTO

On the evening of Thursday, March 7, the chapter room at 145 Bloor Street West, echoed merry voices that those tried old walls have not heard for long years. Somehow, their seared countenances assumed a benevolent and pleased look as they listened to the old familiar stamping of approval, and, we hope, the somewhat less frequent dead silence of disapproval. Perhaps out of the shadow rose faces, now far distant, reflecting their youthful vigor and enthusiasm. Certain it is, that from many faces present, the aura of greying hair or no hair at all gave way to the thick growth of yesteryears. High blood pressure complexions changed hue and extended waistlines shifted upwards to the lofty chests of varsity status. Without statistics we would hazard the opinion that, pro rata, the alumni of the pre-war years, led by Harry Sprague, No. 6 in the Bond, were better represented than those of the post-war era.

In the unavoidable absence of Brother Carl Weber, President of the Alumni Club, the chair was taken by Brother Roly Harris who presented to the meeting the recommendations of the Committee, together with the premises upon which the recommendations were made. A brief summary follows.

"Most brothers are agreed that it is regrettable that alumni of Ontario Alpha and other Phis in the vicinity of Toronto should not have a more frequent opportunity to enjoy the society of each other, to perform some active service for the Fraternity, and to keep alive the older spirit of $\Phi\Delta\Theta$. Likewise it is desirable that an organization should exist in Toronto, where the majority reside, to keep in touch with out-of-town brothers. So the Committee decided to take steps to revive the Alumni Club.

"The Committee proposed, and the meeting subsequently approved, the following objectives and organization wherewith to give them substance: (1) That our prime purpose is to enjoy the society of each other. Therefore, a meeting should be held twice in the fall and twice in the spring. For each meeting a program should be arranged involving some variety. (2) That the Club would undertake the preparation of an up-to-date address list of alumni, and maintain it. (3) That a news letter would be published periodically, recounting the activities of the Club and its members, and matters of interesting Ontario Alpha. (4) That there should be as close association with Ontario Alpha as is possible. While we realize that there is an age gap between alumni and the active chapter that is not easily bridged and that accentuates difference in views, we should not be critical or attempt to foist our opinion on the active chapter unless the vital survival of the Fraternity is concerned. We can help them in ways such as these: rushing; securing summer jobs for active brothers; securing employment for new alumni brothers upon graduation; promoting dance and banquet attendance; seeing that the house is kept in proper repair. (5) To effect these things a Committee had been formed of a representative of each age group to act in liaison with the active chapter. (6) So that mailing costs would be covered a nominal fee of one dollar would be made."

Discussion followed in which many valuable suggestions were made for further strengthening the

Club. Brother Harris then introduced Harry Ebbs.

Harry Ebbs returned from England in 1938 after establishing a high reputation there in Paediatrics (children's doctoring to you). He now holds a post in the Faculty of Medicine on the staff of the Sick Children's Hospital and carries on private practice in paediatrics. Last summer he was retained by the Hudson's Bay Company to make a survey of nutritional standards of the Company's Arctic posts. He traveled six thousand miles by aeroplane. Luckily for us he took hundreds of colored photographs and complete moving pictures of his journey. So Brother Ebbs took us to the Arctic! For one hour and a quarter we shivered in the cold of the Arctic summer, traveled under the midnight sun, rubbed shoulders with Indians and Eskimos, flew over the barren lands, met post-factors who had not seen a white man for two years. The combination of excellent lantern slides and Brother Ebbs' realistic presentation made us feel as if we were taking this fascinating journey into a land unknown, a Canada completely foreign to us, peopled with Canadians who seemed to step out of an adventure story.

We hope that at some future meeting Brother Ebbs will tell us further of the findings of his trip. Certain it is that he set a difficult standard for his successors to maintain.—J. A. KINGSMILL, Secretary.

TULSA

The Tulsa Alumni Club celebrated Founders Day with a banquet on the Roof Garden of the Tulsa Club the evening of March 14. A very representative group was in attendance. William W. Michaels, University of Michigan, was toastmaster, and Judge N. A. Gibson, University of Tennessee, the Dean of our alumni, gave the principal address, ably assisted by Charles T. Klein, University of Michigan, our president.

All the brothers spent a very enjoyable evening renewing old friendships.—J. S. BOTTLE, Secretary.

WASHINGTON

ONE HUNDRED FORTY-SEVEN Phis representing fifty-five different chapters of $\Phi\Delta\Theta$ from coast to coast observed Founders Day at the Carlton Hotel on March 14. This was certainly a grand occasion and our attendance the best ever in spite of extremely bad weather. Of course other alumni clubs lead the way in attendance, but we claim the record for chapters represented. Thirty-two active members of Maryland Alpha were present with a good quartet. Maryland Alpha was best represented, but our Utah Alpha group



MILo C. SUMMERS AWARDS GOLDEN LEGION
Left to right: Milo C. Summers, Lombard '81, Senator Elmer Thomas, DePaul '00; Judge Israel M. Foster, Ohio '95; Senator Tom Connally, Texas '00; Judge D. Lawrence Croner, Washington and Lee '94



THE WASHINGTON FOUNDERS DAY BANQUET

of seven, including A. Harding Paul, made the most noise.

The most interesting event was the presentation of Golden Legion Certificates by Milo C. Summers, *Lombard '31*, the Dean of Phis in this vicinity, to I. M. Foster, *Ohio '95*, one of the finest and most enthusiastic members our great Fraternity can boast of; Marvin McLean, *Southwestern '88*; Rev. Chesteen Smith, *DePauw '93*; D. Lawrence Groner, *Washington and Lee '92*, Chief Justice of the United States Court of Appeals for the District of Columbia. Each of these distinguished Phis responded in admirable fashion.

Our toastmaster, Paul Shorb, *North Dakota '17*, introduced our distinguished members of Congress and Government bureaus. Tom Connally gave an off-the-record speech which convinced everyone present that at least one United States Senator has a sense of humor—if you want to add spark to a banquet and get some real laughs he can do it.

Wellington Barto, *Dartmouth '28*, was chairman of the Dinner Committee and followed the tradition of Dartmouth chairmen to bring out a record crowd. Ed Stafford, *Dartmouth '11*, did it first in 1938. The most popular Phi present was George S. Ward, *Illinois '10*; his good work year after year for the cause of our Fraternity is edifying to see. Dean Hoffman, Alumni Commissioner, represented the General Council. We regard Dean as our best non-resident attendant and look to him for information concerning the progress of $\Phi\Delta\Theta$.

Succeeding Carl A. Scheid, *Chicago '32*, as President, is Dr. Karl Corley, *Williams '33*. John Gleichman, *Maryland '34*, Vice-President, succeeds David Scrivener, *Maryland '35*, and Everett Flood, *Arizona '28*, continues as Secretary-Treasurer.—CARL A. SCHEID, *President*.

WEST VIRGINIA

On February 10, 1940, twenty-one Phis held a luncheon at the Hotel Windsor, Wheeling, and formed the Ohio Valley Alumni Club. Officers elected were: Dr. C. G. McCoy, *Allegheny '15*, President; Dr. R. A. Ashworth, *West Virginia '12*, Vice-President; A. E. Hennen, Jr., *Penn State '38*, Secretary and Treasurer; and A. V. Wood, *Ohio University '15*, Chairman, Social Committee.

At the Fort Henry Club on March 8, 1940, the Ohio Valley Alumni Club held its first Founders Day banquet. Dr. McCoy presided, and after a fine dinner, Brother A. V. Wood and others delighted the group of twenty-three Phis with tales of their college days. Brother Hennen read a telegram of greeting from Brother Dean Hoffman, David G. Lilly, Jr., *West Virginia '31*, Secretary of the State Association, and Duane Hill, *West Virginia '39*, both of Charleston,

attended.

On March 11, 1940, at the regular luncheon of Charleston Phis at McKee's Cafeteria, Charleston, Founders Day was celebrated. The honor guest, Brother A. V. Evans, who was initiated by Ohio Beta on June 14, 1886, was presented with his Golden Legion certificate. Bishop W. L. Gravatt, *Richmond '87*, another Golden Legionnaire, and twenty-four other Phis attended.

Practically the entire membership of West Virginia Alpha and delegations of Phis from the Ohio Valley Alumni Club and the Bluefield Alumni Club, in addition to Phis from Charleston and other parts of the State, attended the Eighth Annual State Convention of West Virginia Phi, held at the Ruffner Hotel, Charleston, on May 4.

Under the direction of the officers of the State Association, an enlarged program was available for the alumni and undergraduates, and included an informal luncheon at noon, a banquet and ball, following the afternoon business session.—DAVID G. LILLY, *Reporter*.

WINNIPEG

The alumni of Winnipeg and vicinity joined with the Manitoba Alpha undergraduate chapter for the celebration of Founders Day at the Fort Garry Hotel, Friday, March 15. A full account of the meeting will be found in the chapter correspondence of Manitoba Alpha, on page 388 of this issue. I should like to take this opportunity of thanking all those Phis at General Headquarters and at various alumni clubs who so kindly sent us in Winnipeg their hearty greetings and best wishes for a successful Founders Day celebration. I can assure them all that our meeting was a great success and was made so because we realized that, although we are but small in numbers, we are linked through the Bond to one great Fraternity whose ideals are the highest and shall always remain as a great inspiration to every Phi.—NEIL L. BROWN, *Secretary*.



WINNIPEG PHIS JOIN IN A SONG

ΦΔΘ Chapter News in Brief ΦΔΘ

ALABAMA ALPHA, UNIVERSITY OF ALABAMA.—The alumni will regret to learn of the death of Peyton. This faithful negro was finishing his twenty-third year of employment with Alabama Alpha. Peyton died of a heart attack at the estimated age of 68. The members, who went en masse to his funeral, will never forget the Sunday morning chant that called us to breakfast. In March, the following brothers were formally initiated: William Brooks, Albert Dozier, Eric Embry, John James, Doak Mudd, William Lary, David McGiffert, Jr., Alfred Sartain, and Bry Shields. After the ceremony a banquet was held in honor of the initiates. Alumni who were present for the occasion were William S. Mudd, Joseph P. Mudd, Birmingham; George H. Searcy, D. D. McGiffert, Tuscaloosa; and W. E. Brooks, Brewton. Two social functions have been held recently, a spring house dance in March and a picnic in April. In order to entertain prospective rushes who will enter the University next year the Fraternity invited boys from every section of the state to spend the weekend as our guests. A barbecue and dance were the highlights of the entertainment. Intramural sports finds us in fourth place. This makes the fifth straight year that Alabama Alpha has been within the top five in the point standing. William Marbury, Marshall Kocheman, and Frederick Ferguson will graduate in June. Tom Elgin has received an appointment to West Point. Brother Chichester will represent Alabama Alpha at the Convention.—**FREDERICK FERGUSON, Reporter.**

ALBERTA ALPHA, UNIVERSITY OF ALBERTA.—This past year has been probably the most successful in the history of this chapter. The rushing turned out extremely well, and the Phikeias were with few exceptions successful in the Christmas and following exams. The scholastic standing of the active chapter is higher than usual. Two of the brothers, Bud Chesney and Doug Smith, and also Phikeia George Stuart were selected for membership to the Big Block Club, and many Phis held important posts in various other University activities. The annual dance and banquet were very well attended. At the banquet, Brother Walker, Jr., proposed the toast to the University, while Brother Walker, Sr., replied to the toast. This is, I believe, the first father and son duet that Alberta has had. Brother Housser, President of Phi Province, replied to the toast to the Fraternity, touching on the development of the Fraternity along the West Coast.



ALBERTA ALPHA PHIKEIAS

J. Hart replied to the toast to the alumni. Several of the brothers think they will be able to get cars to go down to the Convention; if you wish to go, please get in touch with Bill Howard or Ted Bell during the summer. Dave French is now in the



DAVID T. FRENCH, Alberta '40, OF THE R.C.A.F.

R.C.A.F. and Phikeia Less Hunter is in the Royal Canadian Engineers.—**H. MUNRO HOPE, Reporter.**

CALIFORNIA GAMMA, UNIVERSITY OF CALIFORNIA AT LOS ANGELES.—The chapter entered the spring semester with a fine group of pledges: Gene Alder, Bill Pratt, Clarke Dalquist, Los Angeles; Bob Wilson, Jim Williams, Pasadena; Dale Stafford, Long Beach; Don Stalder, Riverside; Howard Fitzpatrick, Redwood City; Bill Godfrey, Chicago, Ill.; and Bill Drake, Marion, Ohio. Six newly initiated brothers, Bettcher, Dagggett, Eastman, Geyer, Toland, and Williams, joined the active chapter and the Los Angeles Alumni in celebrating the annual Founders Day banquet. James Devere is Cadet Colonel of the R.O.T.C., and recently was tapped Blue Key, along with Dick Roshe. Stanford as a sophomore is playing number one singles on the tennis team, and Dagggett on the frosh team. Hill is pitching for the varsity baseball team, while Geyer is holding down second on the frosh. The Bruin football team, undefeated in 1939, has started spring drills with Brother Simpson and Phikeia Alder on the first team, Toland and McCallum are on the squad. The singing group recently won an audition, and were chosen to sing on the radio. We have had a very active social year, and will celebrate the Miami Triad on April 20 with a dance. The semester will be terminated on May 25 by our annual formal dance.—**DICK ROSHE, Reporter.**

COLORADO ALPHA, UNIVERSITY OF COLORADO.—Seven men were initiated on April 7: Robert Downing and Bill Garbanati, Durango; Richard Hutton, Denver; Jack Landrum, Sterling; Frank Scott, Storm Lake, Iowa; John Lescher, Elgin, Ill.; Richard Adler,

Joliet, Ill. We had a great time at the Founders Day banquet held at the Brown Palace Hotel in Denver on March 30, and brought home the Scholarship Trophy donated by the Denver Alumni Club. We ranked sixth in intramurals at the end of winter



ROBERT DOWNING, Colorado '43
All-around intramural athlete

quarter, with Richard Adler placing on the first All-Intramural basketball team. Bill Puett was high point man at the Colorado Invitational Indoor Track Meet April 6 with two firsts and a second. He set a new record for the broad jump. Erie Boorman placed third in the high hurdles and Bud Arnold was second in the 440-yard run. We started working last week on our songs for the annual Song Festival. Our softball team is a strong contender for the title, led by Ken McCormick's work on the mound. We hope this sport climaxes our new drive for intramural dominance.—CHARLES H. STEWART, JR., Reporter.

FLORIDA ALPHA, UNIVERSITY OF FLORIDA.—Emmett Smith made an inspiring if not successful race for the presidency of the student body; Morris and Simard secured places on the board of student publications and athletic council respectively. Acosta is captain of the Southeastern championship swimming team; Simard is also a member of the swimming team. Houston and Horner hold berths on the varsity track team, while Enwright and Bedwell are off on a trip with the tennis team. Phi Delta Theta claims the distinction of having the only three-letter man in the University of Florida; Walton, who has letters in football, baseball, and basketball. Walton and Lowrie occupy key positions in baseball, and Mills and Jackson hold the number one and two positions on the golf team, Jackson being captain. Mills has further distinguished himself in this sport by winning the Tigert Trophy given by Brother John J. Tigert, President of the University, and a Past President of the General Council. On the freshman swimming team Houghton and Phikeita Triplett are holding their own, while Holland and Roberts are making a good showing on the freshman baseball squad. Pinkoson represents the chapter on the freshman track team. In intramurals, $\Phi\Delta\Theta$ is twenty-one points ahead of its nearest competitor, winning touch football, being runners-up in tennis doubles and track, and as yet being undefeated in diamond ball. Tench and Nans represent the chapter on the debating squad, Tench making the trip to the Southern Association debate tournament. Phi Delta Theta was honored by having

three men out of twelve in the University's Hall of Fame. Emmett Smith, chancellor of the honor court, Merle Wadsworth, business manager of the *Alligator*, and Harry Brown, who was honored on two counts; he was valedictorian of the graduating class and was prominent in student publications, being editor of the *Seminole*. Brown was also elected to $\Phi\beta\kappa$ and $\Phi\kappa\phi$. Clarke, Binnicker, and Simard were tapped by Scabbar and Blade.—NATHAN BEDELL, Reporter.

FLORIDA BETA, ROLLINS COLLEGE.—The chapter announces the initiation of Ninian Bond and William House, and the pledging of Henry Minor of Batavia, N.Y. Florida Beta has just completed a victorious volleyball season, winning the championship. We are now entering a highly competitive diamond-ball season, in which our chances for victory are also very promising. In varsity sports throughout the year Florida Beta has been well represented with two-thirds of the active members having positions on varsity teams. In intramurals this chapter holds an undisputed second place, and with a little luck we have a good chance of winning the Gary Cup which is presented to the fraternity having the highest number of intramural points. Clyde Jones has recently made a good name for himself by his outstanding achievement in a leading rôle in the current play "Sunup." Ray Hickok recently stroked the Rollins crew to victory over the famous Taber crew in one of the most beautiful races ever witnessed at Rollins. This chapter a few weeks ago was host to six Phis who rowed on the Washington and Lee crew. Florida Beta was honored by the visit of Province President Roland Parker. On May 4 we are looking forward to spending an enjoyable weekend with Florida Alpha. Scholastically this chapter has made a good showing for itself.—CLARENCE KRAUS, Reporter.

GEORGIA ALPHA, UNIVERSITY OF GEORGIA.—James Montgomery, Frank Clark, and John Beard are recent initiates; Bill McCord, of Atlanta, is a new pledge; while Brother Spence McClelland has just transferred from Georgia Beta. During the Southern intercollegiate golf tournament held in Athens, brothers from L.S.U., Georgia Tech, Duke, and Florida visited our chapter. Horsey has been elected to $\Phi\beta\kappa$ and Freeman has been selected for service in the Army Air Corps. L. E. Bowen is an outstanding member of the freshman golf team and was recently elected to $\Phi\beta\kappa$. Great interest is being taken in the conclave at which Georgia Alpha will be host to Georgia Beta, Georgia Gamma, and Georgia Delta on April 19-20. With Brothers Horsey, Griffith, Vandiver, Owen, Perry, McCall, J. Harris, Smith, Bowen, Williams, Freeman, Mathews, Wimberley, T. V. Beard, and Hattaway graduating this year, much serious thought is being given to rushing plans for the summer and next year. The chapter is very delighted that "Spunk" (our bulldog) has returned home after taking a one-year leave of absence.—CALHOUN BOWEN, Reporter.

GEORGIA BETA, EMORY UNIVERSITY.—All major publications on the campus, the freshman and varsity glee clubs, the debate forum, the student lecture association, and A $\kappa\psi$, commercial fraternity, have Phis as officers and members. Franklin Smith and Charlie Allen are members of the *Campus* editorial staff. Eric Phillips was elected business manager of the *Wheel*, and Martin Worthy and Tom Slade are members of the editorial staff of the *Wheel*. Bob Mitchell has written stories for the *Phoenix* and is a member of the editorial staff. Phillips was elected April 8 to serve this year as president of the student

lecture association, which has included in its 1939-40 schedule such notables as Cornelia Otis Skinner, the Roth Quartet, and Hugh Gibson. Randy Goldthwaite is manager of Emory's freshman glee club. Bill McKinney sings with the varsity glee club. In anticipation of dedicating the new chapter house April 14, the Emory chapter published a special edition of the *Sword and Shield*. The paper included stories of activities and the house, editorials, and features. The chapter expects to publish the *Sword and Shield* twice or four times a year in the future. The formal initiation of two pledges will be held April 16: Bob Morris, Decatur, and T. L. Johnson, Atlanta. A house dance will be held April 26, and the next day, Saturday, a hayride is scheduled, with a steak fry at Cliff Thompson's country place. These parties are planned for Junior College Weekend, and rushes are to be honored.—Tom B. SLADE, Reporter.

GEORGIA GAMMA, MERCER UNIVERSITY.—John Couric was elected editor of the *Mercer Cluster*. He will succeed Billy Geslin, present editor. Leon Garfield was chosen to edit the 1941 yearbook. Newly initiated Lee Coney was elected president of the 1940-41 sophomore class. Coney, who has been one of the most prominent freshmen this year, is president of the freshman class. A number of brothers of the active chapter attended a Founders Day dinner given by the Macon Alumni Association at the Dempsey Hotel. Seven Golden Legion certificates were awarded at the banquet. T. Wallace Armstrong is the first of the Mercer C.A.A. students to receive his private pilot's license. In intramural athletics $\Phi\Delta\Theta$ has been awarded a trophy in recognition of winning first place in volleyball. In the basketball tournament the Phi came out second best. Forty brothers and pledges attended a hayride and dance given by the freshmen and juniors to the sophomores and seniors, who won the chapter scholarship contest for the winter quarter. Among the fraternities on the campus the pledges of $\Phi\Delta\Theta$ were first in scholarship at the close of the winter quarter.

This have again this year taken a prominent place in the glee club. Offices include president, business manager, assistant business manager, stage manager, assistant stage manager, and orchestra director. Ten of the thirty-five members are Phi's.—ROY LILY, Reporter.

IDAHO ALPHA, UNIVERSITY OF IDAHO.—We are beginning to make arrangements for our Story Book Ball, which is to be held May 18. It is the most extensive social function sponsored by Idaho Alpha and comes only once in four years. In intramural swimming we are making a good showing. Phikeias Donald Duncan and Ted Thompson were numeral winners on the freshman basketball squad and accounted well for themselves throughout the season. Shortly after the first semester Idaho Alpha presented its new initiates in the annual initiation dance, held at the chapter house. April 14 is the date set for the annual Miami Triad dance. Rudy Franklin, Maynard Heien, and George Whitlock are reporting for spring football and promise to be mainstays on the squad next season. Brother William Castagneto returned after having been working during the winter as a contractor on construction work at Sun Valley resort. Robert Taylor also returned this semester after being out for half a year. Recently two distinguished alumni of Idaho Alpha visited us: Donald K. David, general manager of Maize Products Co. and a member of the board of directors of Macy's; and G. D. Turnbaw, general manager of Golden State Co. and recent professor in dairy school at the University of California. Phikeia Gordon Williamson is acting as freshman

baseball coach at Idaho. He has had semi-professional and professional baseball experience. Plans have been laid for our Founders Day banquet April 21, preceded by initiation of Phikeias Robert Kemp, Donald Duncan, Clark Smith, and Gordon Williamson.—JACK RAMSEY, Reporter.

ILLINOIS BETA, UNIVERSITY OF CHICAGO.—Many plans have been made for the celebration of our seventy-fifth anniversary at the annual Interfraternity Sing to be held on June 8. This event, one of the richest traditions of the University of Chicago, is a fitting occasion for the chapter to honor the hundreds of Phi's that have made our present chapter possible. With the close co-operation of the alumni, this celebration will be without a doubt, the biggest in Illinois Beta history. With the Quantity Cup practically in the bag, the chapter is 100 per cent behind Choriater Stander in its efforts to win the Quality Cup. With seconds in intramural basketball and wrestling and third in indoor track, the chapter entered the spring quarter holding third place in the all-University standings, only thirty points behind the leaders. With outdoor track, tennis, golf, and baseball already well under way, we have a good chance to overtake the leader. Our fine intramural record this year has been due to the efficient management of the teams by Brother Brown. On April 7, eleven Phikeias were initiated. The new brothers are: James Trow, Kenneth Axelson, Harry Beach, Donald McKnight, Ray Randall, and Robert Erickson, all of Chicago; Phillip Ollman, Dixon; Richard Finney, Wilmette; Richard Hull, Zanesville, Ohio; Albert Dabbert, Park Ridge; and William Godsave, Seattle, Wash. Two of these men, McKnight and Randall, were elected to Skull and Crescent, the sophomore honor society. The chapter was well represented in Blackfriars, the all-male musical show held in April. Bex was business manager, and Beach was active in publicity. McKnight, Godsave, Axelson, and Gustafson were members of the cast. Our annual open party, "The Silly Strut," was held April 20. The house was decorated from top to bottom to fit the theme—the San Francisco waterfront. Plans have already been made for the last major social function of the year, our annual spring formal.—JOHN DOOLITTLE, Reporter.

ILLINOIS DELTA-ZETA, KNOX COLLEGE.—The varsity golf team is composed of four Phi's, Ed Roberts, Chuck Mueller, George McManis, and Chuck Wood. The tennis team of five players has four Phi's as members: Bob Mariner, captain, Dean Lindstrom,



AT THE KNOX FIRESIDE

John Burns, and Duke McMullan. In varsity track we have George Olsen and Jack Gridley, manager. The Knox chapter is especially proud of Bob Mariner of Galesburg, for being one of the first four collegians in Illinois to receive a private pilot's license under the Civil Aeronautics Authority. Five other Phis are in the class and are well on their way to securing their license. The annual *Chicago Tribune* award for the outstanding military student at Knox was awarded to Bob Velde this year. Dale McMullan, John Bell, and Jim Rheinfrank were initiated into Scabbard and Blade. The annual Founders Day banquet went off in great style, with about eighty alumni and actives in attendance. At the end of the semester we welcomed into our chapter the following members: William Crawford, Pinkneyville, son of Wm. Crawford, Knox '14; Robert Brewer, Riverside; Paul Gibson, Aurora; Robert Hodge, River Forest; Robert Kemp, Ned Landon, Edward Seifert, Ralph Sharp, and Roy Sharp, Galesburg; Jack Lillie, Avon, son of Lewis Lillie, Knox '10, and brother of Merrill Lillie, Knox '37; Morton Monson, River Forest; Dixon McRaven, Macomb; Robert Peterson, Oak Park; Joseph Seckler, Cicero; Dean Trevor, Platte, S.D., son of Everett Trevor, Knox '17, and nephew of Dean Trevor, Knox '26, and Jim Trevor, Knox '38; Karl Vehe,



GEORGE SCHUMACHER ADDRESSES FOUNDERS DAY GUESTS AT ILLINOIS

Jr., Chicago, son of Dr. Karl Vehe, *Northwestern* '11; Kenneth Wright, Lombard; Charles Winkelman, Des Plaines; David Wingate, Gilson; and Arthur Draper, III, Chicago. We pledged Jim Harnest, Galesburg. When letters were awarded for the winter sports, $\Phi \Delta \Theta$ had its share with the following winning recognition. In swimming, Chuck Woods, co-captain, Floyd Fulle, and Dick Hartley, Freshman swimmers winning awards were Bob Bell, Bob Dunkel, Chas. Winkelman, Morton Monson, and Bob Brewer. In varsity basketball Bob Velde and Sam Efor and frosh numerals to Bill Crawford, Kenn Wright, and Ed Seifert. A cheer leader's letter was awarded to Jim Rheinfrank. Intramural baseball and track are in full swing and with our large freshman class we hope to return those two trophies to our mantel along with the swimming trophy which we won last month. Preparations are under way for our annual Mothers Day banquet on May 12.—RICHARD HARTLEY, Reporter.

ILLINOIS ETA, UNIVERSITY OF ILLINOIS.—With the final lap in the intramural race just beginning, the Phis and the ΣX 's are battling neck and neck for the lead. With handball almost completed, there

remain only horseshoes, tennis, golf, and softball from which are to come the deciding points. Although our "A" basketball team won its division title, we experienced hard luck in the semi-finals of the playoffs and were defeated by $\Phi \Gamma A$. Our volleyball team was defeated in the finals for the championship also. Bob Porter heads the list of individual scorers with 220 points at the present, with Payne close on his heels with 215. The annual Founders Day banquet was a complete success again, due largely to Brother George A. Schumacher, who consented to drive over from Butler University and speak for the occasion. Dean Turner, Dean of Men, and Dean Harno, of the Law School, also spoke very briefly. On February 11, the following Phikeias were initiated: Jim Campbell, Bruce Carpenter, Caton Cobb, Carl Dunn, Bill Frieser, Walter Griffith, Lewis Grigsby, John Harmon, John Hayes, Jim Meek, William Pilkenton, Roy Thompson, and Bob Wallin. The chapter's scholarship standing for the first semester took a slight dip to a 3.27 and dropped from eighteenth place to twenty-eighth. Bud Good, Jim Campbell, and John Harmon held minor rôles in the Women's League show, while John Martin was one of the stage managers. Darwin Kirby had a leading rôle in the Theater Guild play, "Murder in the Cathedral." Woodward was recently promoted to the rank of Lieutenant Colonel in the student R.O.T.C. unit. Meek is a member of the freshman business staff of the *Illio*. John Hayes is competing for a position on the freshman golf team; Phikeia Ely is out for freshman polo. Now that spring football has begun, we find Phikeias Fend and Busey and Wallin and Fultz hard at work on the gridiron. Two additions to our '45 numeral winners are Wallin for basketball and Cobb in gymnastics. Cobb placed second, .9 of a point out of first, in the all-round event in the Central A.A.U. gym meet held in Columbus, Ohio. Ewing won a second in the broad jump in a recent Central A.A.U. track meet held in Chicago. Duke Slater won his Varsity "I" in ice hockey.—JOHN THISTLEWOOD, JR., Reporter.

INDIANA ALPHA, INDIANA UNIVERSITY.—The chapter held initiation March 17 for seventeen men, the largest class of initiates of any of the fraternities at Indiana. They are Clyde Christiansen, Paul Ilg, Robert Yost, Ted Lewis, William Kerrigan, Earl Rich, Walter Voss, Robert Kirk, Robert Bosart, Robert Erdman, Joe Marquette, John Overshiner, William Miles, Richard Silvers, William Sobel, Warren Ardapple, and William Murchie. Campbell Kane won the sophomore position on the Union Board in an election held April 10. He is our second member on the Board; Robert Weir, '40, being secretary of the Board. Kane just finished a successful indoor track season. He won first in both the 880 and mile run in every collegiate meet in which he participated. Richard Waggoner was initiated in $\epsilon \epsilon \psi$. Walter Voss and William Kerrigan were chosen for Skull and Crescent. The spring Rush dance was held April 27. Thirty-five rushees were present and our rush prospects for next year appear to be very good.—CLAUDE SEILMAN, Reporter.

INDIANA BETA, WABASH COLLEGE.—The chapter has initiated John Berry, Max Brown, Louis Jones, Howard Miner, Joseph O'Rear, James Tandy, and Robert White. O'Rear is the son of Fred O'Rear, *Wabash* '04. A new Phikeia is John Ingram of Hammond, Ind. The chapter had one hundred per cent attendance at the Founders Day banquet in Indianapolis for the fourth consecutive year. Par-

ticipation in the Miami Triad ball was enjoyed by the members. Thomas has been initiated into $\Pi\Delta E$, Joslin into $T\&A$. Clawson has been pledged to the Sphinx Club. The Phis who took part in the recent Wabash Varsity Show, which played in Indianapolis,



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Left to right: Kane, track; Frey, basketball; Taubensee, golf; Brooks, football

Crawfordsville, and Jacksonville, Ill., are Clearwaters, Scharf, Burk, Miner, Denk, and Joslin. Clearwaters and Scharf play in the Crawfordsville symphony orchestra, and double in cinders for the Wabash track team. Scharf was awarded the activities prize at a splendid banquet given by the alumni, and Post took second place. The freshman award was taken by Jones. The alumni are drawing near the close of the drive for funds and Architect Charles K. Federman, *Wabash '15*, has drawn up plans for complete remodeling of the chapter house. Work will begin on the seventy-year-old structure this month so that a virtually new house will greet the chapter on its return this fall.—WILLIAM N. BURK, *Reporter*.

INDIANA DELTA, FRANKLIN COLLEGE.—Brother Kirkin was inadvertently omitted from the list of new initiates recently announced. The Mothers Club entertained the active chapter and the fathers with a banquet February 26. Phikeias were in charge of the program. W. Hougland was selected as a member of the student council to replace Shrum, who finished his course at mid-term. Shanahan is sports editor of the *Franklin* staff. Rinker was elected for $\Delta\Phi\Gamma$ on the basis of experience on publications. He is now managing editor of the *Franklin* and sports editor of the *Almanack*. Fell and Reynolds were initiated into Blue Key. Fell was selected as "Kampus King" by the co-eds at their annual Panhellenic dance. Major basketball awards were given to Grefe and Fell. Reynolds was awarded major manager's sweater. Phikeia Doss is manager of the varsity baseball squad and is capably assisted by Phikeia Alexander. Candidates for the varsity squad are Grefe, Reynolds, Shanahan, and McVey, and Phikeia McClain. The varsity golf squad is composed of four men of this chapter. Dugger is captain and Hougham and Phikeias Rider and Cravens complete the team. Indiana Delta successfully defended the intramural basketball title and is now leading in the number of points for the intramural trophy. We are defenders of the swimming, baseball, and track titles which are to be played soon.—PAUL F. McVEY, *Reporter*.

INDIANA EPSILON, HANOVER COLLEGE.—After five weeks of deferred rushing, twenty-one men signed $\Phi\Delta\theta$ preferences and the same number were ac-

cepted and pledged. In second semester pledging the following men were accepted: Samuel J. Copeland, Indianapolis; Hiram Judd, Austin; and Keith Miller, Newcastle. The men who saw action throughout the football season were Anders, Faith, and Troy. Anders, who was active on the hardwood last year, was unable to play this year because of a knee injury incurred in the latter part of the football season. However, Blum, Warriner, and Phikeia Summers were the netmen from the chapter. With the spring sports coming into their own, we have a fine representation on the baseball squad. Grigas, a veteran pitcher, will complete his services this year, Anders began the season at his old position in left field, but his knee injury made it necessary for him to relinquish his position. The new men on the squad from the chapter are Tolen and Phikeias Toomey, Woodburn, and Wolf. With the thinly-clad we have Troy in the hurdle events, Phikeia Wolf in the dashes, and Phikeia Hodell as distance man. Indiana Epsilon has adorned its mantel with a tall trophy as a reward for its efforts in the interfraternity basketball tournament. We won the tournament by defeating $B\theta\Pi$ in a close, hard-fought game. From the debate platform, the faces of Lowe and Brunner were very familiar. Lowe was awarded first prize in the Goodrich Oratorical Contest sponsored by a member of the board of trustees of the College. In scholarship the chapter moved up a step and placed second among the fraternities. Brother Montgomery, adviser of the chapter, has been a great help among the freshmen in introducing methods so that our scholarship can improve consistently. Those that have been inducted into the honoraries on the campus in the past year were Lowe, $\Gamma\Sigma\Pi$; and Purkhiser and Shirley, $\Delta\Phi\Gamma$. We were proud to be able to attend the Founders Day banquet at Indianapolis one hundred per cent strong for the third consecutive year. In conjunction with spring housecleaning many improvements and additions have been made in the chapter house. The first-floor floors were refinished, new fire-place equipment was purchased for two fireplaces, the chapter room has been redecorated, the outside of the house has been repainted, and new draperies were purchased for various rooms in the house.—ROBERT S. MOORHEAD, *Reporter*.

INDIANA ZETA, DEPAUW UNIVERSITY.—Since January 1939 the chapter has advanced in fraternity scholastic rating from twelfth to sixth place. The chapter this year was represented in both scholastic honoraries: John Darnall was elected to ΦBK and Jim Bittles was elected to ΦHE . At a formal initiation on March 3, the following received the pin: Jack Potter, Elroy Langill, Charles Schwartzberg, Warren Beem, Joe Weisbar, Tom Baer, John Wells, Scotty Wright, Tom Murphy, and Jim Bittles. Buckley was elected to ΔOX ; Gerking is president of the Zoology Club; and Ferris, Darnall, and Mitchell are members of Artus Club. Martin Kresge was chosen junior prom chair-



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man, and his fine work resulted in one of the most successful proms in recent years. Van Slyck was chairman of the freshman interfraternity council, and Schnackenberg was elected to the student executive board. In athletics, Thoe and Schnackenberg were members of the varsity football squad, and Van Slyck was one of the mainstays in the forward wall of the freshman team. Seddon won his letter in track, and Wright was on the freshman track team. The glee club, which is known throughout Indiana as one of the best vocal units in the state, was active all year, and made several public appearances. Under the leadership of Gene Pennington, who writes all the arrangements, it was featured at the State banquet, March 9, on the half-hour program over WFBM, Indianapolis, and on April 6 it featured a special fifteen-minute broadcast over the same station.—**HARRY MCAULEY, Reporter.**

INDIANA THETA, PURDUE UNIVERSITY.—Spring initiation was held for the following men: Warren McConnell, Tom Clennon, Jake Davis, Tom Hobbs, Jim Jackson, John Ettinger. The C. W. Nolan freshman honor pin was awarded to Tom Hobbs. Jake Davis was pledged to membership for the coming year in Skull and Crescent. The fellows are doing very well in campus athletics, with Jim Rush, Bryan Brock, and Norm Hill going through the spring workout for varsity football next fall. Doug McDaniel made the Southern tour with the golf team, and Bill Berg is a member of the tennis squad. Social Chairman Doug McDaniel has been busy this spring arranging trade dinners and radio dances and making plans for the annual spring dance. Bob von Buelow was recently pledged into Gimlet Club. This brings the chapter's membership up to six in the club. The chapter's achievements have certainly not been limited to extracurricular activities. Indiana Theta was again awarded the scholarship plaque by the Kappa Province. Don Jackson and Alan Ward were pledged to the mechanical engineering honorary, I.T.E. He was also pledged to Scabbard and Blade at their annual dance.—**JAMES E. WALLY, Reporter.**

IOWA ALPHA, IOWA WESLEYAN COLLEGE.—Burton, Severt, Alexander, Wittmer, Trump, Huston, and Chambers were initiated during the month of March. Huebner is a letter man in basketball. Huebner, McCarty, Shipley, and Huston are doing top work in tennis. Mojonier and Nihart, and Phikeias Whipple and Hall have soloed in the government aviation course and are now filling in hours to meet qualifications for their private pilot's license. Bob Wustrow has been chosen delegate to this year's national conven-

tion and Junior Nihart alternate delegate. The Founders Day banquet was held March 17 at the Brazelton Hotel. The newly organized Mothers Club is planning a buffet supper for the members of the chapter the first Monday in May. For many years it



HENRY GEERDES, Iowa '39, IS HONORED

has been customary for the brothers of Iowa Alpha to make an annual pilgrimage to the grave of Founder Ardivan Walker Rodgers. Our trip this year will long be remembered for two reasons. First, because Brother Harry Gerlach was our guest, and second, because of adverse conditions of the weather. Our trip was very similar to trips made by pilgrims on an earlier date when covered wagons were the main mode of travel. Like the wagons, our speed was very slow, and I am sure the roads had been traveled by nothing but wagons. Unlike the scouts of old, our guide led us to the middle of nowhere and then informed us that he did not know where we were. Snow, mud, and poor roads made it necessary for Brother Gerlach to wade in and help push a car. To those of us who are new members, and I am sure for Brother Gerlach, the trip was a very interesting and impressive one.—**ROYCE CHAMBERS, Reporter.**

IOWA BETA, STATE UNIVERSITY OF IOWA.—Two This occupied stellar rôles at a recent meeting of the Iowa Press Association: James Fox of Boone, editor of the *Daily Iowan* and newly elected president of Iowa Beta, making presentation to the *Anamosa Journal* of the first annual award for typographical excellence in a weekly or semi-weekly Iowa newspaper for a 1940 contest sponsored by the Iowa chapter of $\Sigma\Delta X$. On the receiving end was Brother Henry D. Geerdes, formerly of Wellsburg, now news editor of the *Journal*, shown center, receiving the plaque from Fox, president of the local $\Sigma\Delta X$ chapter. Shown on the left is Dr. Frank Luther Mott, director of the school of journalism of the University of Iowa, recent guest of the chapter in the series of bimonthly fire-side talks. Recently initiated into Iowa Beta were W. Hilgert Odell, Alexander G. Park, Hill, Wheelock, and Smylie. New pledges include Edward E. Mason, Jr., of Iowa City; Murrel Blount of Des Moines; and Kenneth Pettit of Logan. Pettit was one of the 1939 Hawkeyes' "Iron Men" and will return to the grid-iron this fall for his last season of play. University of Iowa President and Mrs. Eugene A. Gilmore were recently Sunday dinner guests at the chapter house. An informal discussion and get-acquainted



IOWA ALPHA AT FOUNDER ARDIVAN WALKER RODGERS' GRAVE

afternoon followed. Very successful was Iowa Beta's spring formal dance held March 30 in the River Room of Iowa Union, with approximately fifty couples in attendance. Dominant object in the spring decoration scheme was the huge lighted $\Phi\Delta\Theta$ crest. The preceding night the chapter was honored with a visit of Vincent Lopez for a short hour of his famous "Suave Swing," following a University party; still at the piano, the noted pianist accompanied the brothers in many of our good old Fraternity songs. Six of eight seniors will be lost through graduation this spring: Theodore Landsberg, Donald Gaylor, Hobart Mockridge, Daniel O'Malley, Roscoe P. Carney, Jr., and Dean Rogers. Graduating Fox and von Lackum will return to work on M.A. degrees in journalism.—**JOHN VON LACKUM, JR., Reporter.**

IOWA GAMMA, IOWA STATE COLLEGE.—Iowa State's fraternities nominated and pledged support to Darrell Don Carlos for president of the college student body. Lange, Fuller, Grundman, Adams, Deal, and Heggen are members of the spring football squad preparing for next year's varsity squad. Graves is a consistent point-winner for the varsity track squad. The varsity baseball squad includes Hays and Russell. Golfer Vifquain is again representing the Phis on the varsity squad which finished third in the National Intercollegiate Golf Tourney last year. Thirteen varsity "I" awards have been made to members of Iowa Gamma thus far this year and the prospects for more are good. The chapter is also leading the fraternities in intramurals. Bradley Nelson is arranging the business end of Iowa State's big spring show, Viesha. Neitge and Russell are chairman and co-chairman, respectively, of the Engineers Open House for Viesha. The business management of the *Bomb* is held by Raddiffe, Miletich and Neitge have sallied forth armed with the wooden sword of Scabbard and Blade. Schumcker and Dunlop are members of the Science Council as are Munsell and Neitge of the Engineering Council. Quinn, Emarine, and Nelson have been pledged to $\Phi K \Phi$. Emarine left at the end of winter quarter to accept a position with the International Harvester Co. Leonard Thomas, Virginia, Minn.; Charles Hudler, Battle Creek, Mich.; and Phillip Melroy, Eldora, Iowa, are new pledges. William Beers, John Bush, Foster Campbell, Richard Colvert, George Fuller, Wilfred Groves, Robert Knowles, Stuart Russell, John Sapousek, Earl Sorenson, Reece Stuart, Bill Walters, Robert Wilson, Richard Boerner, Ernest Adams, Wilton Miller, and Milton Miletich are new initiates of Iowa Gamma. The chapter is practicing diligently for defense of the title of Interfraternity sing champions for which a contest will be held in the spring.—**JOHN W. HEGGEN, Reporter.**

KANSAS ALPHA, UNIVERSITY OF KANSAS.—As the spring scholarship and honorary elections take place on the campus, Kansas Alpha is found with its usual high representation. Leilyn Young is the Cadet Colonel of the R.O.T.C. Parr was initiated into Scabbard and Blade. Prager is president of the freshman class of the law school, and was on the law school honor roll the first semester. Waugh was elected to $\Gamma \Sigma \Sigma$ of the business school. In the engineering school, Barkmann and Hirschler received election to $\Sigma \Gamma$. Three Phis, Ramsey, Alloway, and Robbins, were among the members of the university glee club, which recently toured the state of Kansas. In athletics, the chapter placed second among fraternities in the intramural swimming meet. Jack O'Hara established a new meet record for the pole vault in the indoor dual meet with Kansas State. The annual Mess was this year held

as a combination tea dance in the afternoon, and dinner dance in the evening, and was greatly enjoyed by all. Another highlight in the social activities for the spring was the Founders Day banquet in Kansas City at which a large number of the active brothers were generously entertained by Lacey Haynes, Sr., and Harry Darby, of Kansas City, Kan. The chapter was happy to have as its guest, during the first week in April, Latney Barnes, the president of Mu Province.—**J. D. RAMSEY, Reporter.**

KANSAS GAMMA, KANSAS STATE COLLEGE.—The first weekend in April was the most eventful of the year for Kansas Gamma. We held a formal banquet and our spring party Saturday evening. Sunday at one o'clock we dedicated our new home at our annual Founders Day dinner in the dining room of the new house. Brother Latney Barnes, president of the Mu Province, and Brother Emmett Junge, member of the General Council, were the principal speakers. Joe Robertson acted as toastmaster. Floyd Stryker was introduced as the new chapter president, and Russell Hammitt, the retiring president, delivered his farewell address. Fred O'Malley spoke in behalf of the Manhattan alumni club. About twenty-five alumni in addition to representatives of other chapters in the province and members of the local chapter were present. Brothers Charles Stuart of Lincoln, Neb., and Elmer Henderson, P.F.G.C., of Fulton, Mo., were honored guests. The formal dinner was held in the Crystal Dining Room of the Wareham Hotel. Each Phi presented his date with a $\Phi\Delta\Theta$ crested locket on a gold chain. After the dinner, the group danced in the Avalon ballroom. Glen West has recently been elected into $\Phi K \Phi$. Joe Robertson was elected into the organization last fall. Jim Barger received a letter in varsity wrestling, Tom Guy and Roy Thompson received freshman numerals in basketball, while Robertson received a varsity basketball letter. Rogers received a freshman numeral in track, while Jensen was given a varsity letter in the same sport.—**WILLIAM H. WILSON, Reporter.**

KENTUCKY EPSILON, UNIVERSITY OF KENTUCKY.—Kentucky held its annual Founders Day dinner on March 16 at Lexington. The attendance was 112, marking an increase of approximately forty over the previous year. This year for the first time the Centre chapter joined with Kentucky Epsilon in the celebration and the bond of brotherhood was strengthened considerably by the occasion. Brother Joseph Houlihan acted as toastmaster. Short addresses were given by Brother Gene Riddell, president of Kentucky Epsilon; Brother Shal Anderson, president of Kentucky Alpha-Delta; and by Brothers Logan Brown, Hal Tanner, and Dr. Virgil Kinnaird. The main address of the evening was delivered by Judge King Swope of Lexington, who traced the history of the Kentucky Epsilon chapter. Brother John R. Sanders of Campbellsville, who was initiated into Kentucky Delta at Central University in 1890, observed his fiftieth anniversary as a member of the Fraternity. Brother Sanders made a short talk in which he compared the habits of present day collegians with those of his generation. One interesting event of the evening was the noting of the fact that five different sets of fathers and sons were present at the banquet. Another interesting feature was a demonstration of tobacco-selling by Brother George Swinebraugh, a leaf auctioneer in the South Carolina markets. On Saturday, April 6, sixteen of the brothers went to Danville to attend the ninetieth anniversary celebration of the Kentucky Alpha-Delta chapter at Centre College. John

Courtney and Rollins Wood were recently initiated into Scabbard and Blade and Atlee Wilson was inducted into Pershing Rifles. Penick and Kinnaid, respectively, have been initiated into Lances and Keys, junior and sophomore honoraries. As the spring sports season opens, we have Penick trying out for the University baseball team and Scholtz for the track team.—JIM M. CALDWELL, *Reporter*.

LOUISIANA ALPHA, TULANE UNIVERSITY.—The chapter was fortunate in initiating more men than any other fraternity at Tulane. The seventeen new initiates are: J. T. Robinson, W. T. Coates, Jr., and Maurice T. Benedict, of New Orleans, La.; F. Collins, Henry K. Miller, J. B. White, Jr., J. Bruce Dorsay, of Shreveport, La.; John H. Sims, Jr., of Poughkeepsie, N.Y.; Sam B. Hutton, Jr., of Fort Smith, Ark.; Louis Champion, of Flint, Mich.; R. L. Gates, of Alexandria, La.; Henry M. Dismukes of Mobile, Ala.; Jack Ray, of Greenville, Ala.; Louis M. Williams, of Washington, D.C.; Miles L. Lewis, Jr., of Ada, Okla.; W. Binion Harmon, of Apopka, Fla.; and E. M. Kilgore, of Lisbon, La. Campbell has been elected to Φ B K and Ruggan and Williams were on the honor roll for the first semester. Daray is captain of the golf team and Goff is in the finals of moot court competition. Since the recent annual spring formal, which was the outstanding social function on the campus this year, the chapter has been buzzing with activity. Much time has been devoted to interfraternity competition and to spring rushing, for which Collins has prepared a varied program, including a series of picnics and tea dances. Scheduled improvements on the chapter house will begin soon. The close relationship with Louisiana Beta has continued and the brothers of both chapters are in constant company.—CHARLES C. FARRELL, Jr., *Reporter*.

LOUISIANA BETA, LOUISIANA STATE UNIVERSITY.—We are proud of our two aquatic performers, Paul Smith and Will Sherwood. In the Southeastern con-

ference meet held recently in Atlanta, Smith won the 220-yd. free style, was second in quarter-mile free style, and was a member of the 400-yd. record breaking relay team. Sherwood won second in 220-yd. breast stroke. Rodney Belaire, Southeastern 165-lb. fight champion, went to quarter finals in National



MANITOBA ALPHA INSTALLS PRESIDENT GEE.

Intercollegiate held in Sacramento, Calif. Lee Ramsel and George Sharpe competed in Southeastern golf tournament in Athens, Ga. Metcalf went to Shreveport to show his ability in Ark-La-Tex. tournament. Benton Holt is acting as instructor of senior life saving. Tom Gurley won the signal honor of being chosen the outstanding pledge. His name was inscribed on the award plaque. To date the chapter is second in interfraternity athletics. Bob Gangstad and Morse Magruder were chosen as charter members of Pershing Rifles. Both boys are members of Honor Platoon. George Carrall won the coveted moot court trial.—LEE RAMSEL, *Reporter*.

MANITOBA ALPHA, UNIVERSITY OF MANITOBA.—The undergraduate chapter joined with the alumni of Winnipeg and vicinity in celebration of Founders Day, March 15. After a hearty dinner, the seven new initiates of the chapter were severally introduced, and all were heartily welcomed into the Fraternity. In memory of our two brothers, Horace Yelland and Ralph Wheeler, who had lately joined the Chapter Grand, a period of a minute's silence was observed. The death of these two Phis marked the first bereavements of Manitoba Alpha, and the loss sustained by the chapter was keenly felt. Bob Martin, retiring president, briefly expressed his gratitude for the cooperation he had received during his term of office, and turned over the gavel to Edwin M. Gee, recently elected president for next year. President Gee then conducted the Alumni Day ceremony with the aid of the newly elected officers of the active chapter. A toast to the alumni was proposed by Walter Dewar and was responded to by R. W. C. Percy, who took as the subject for his address "Responsibility of the Alumni for the Preservation of Fraternity Ideals." Following this a toast was made to the graduating class by E. Bergman and was replied to by Art Gabriel. The singing of the Senior Song brought the meeting to a close after the usual round of dinner stories, and the brothers left to escort their ladies to a dancing party.—NEIL K. BROWN.

MARYLAND ALPHA, UNIVERSITY OF MARYLAND.—Vial, Garrett, and Ochseneiter played on the varsity football team, along with Phikeia MacKenzie. In basketball, Ochseneiter and Garrett, along with Phikeias



PHI MEETS PHI

Joseph Woodruff, Georgia '41, vs Rodney Belaire, Louisiana State '41

A. Woodward, McHale, and Vannais, helped make the university's team a success. Baseball takes the time of Garrett and C. Woodward, Phikeias McHale, MacKenzie and Vannais. In track Ochseneiter runs the quarter-mile, while in lacrosse Vial plays defense. All



SNOW SCULPTURE AT AMHERST

the Phis who scrubbed for managerships were successful, Suit and White being elevated to senior and junior managerships in basketball; Otten, freshman manager, and Jarboe and Worthington junior assistants helped with the baseball team. Lee manages lacrosse and Goller, track, with Brendle working for next year. Lee heads OAK and Shipe acts as secretary-treasurer. Beta Alpha Psi took Worthington into its fold, while T B II chose Purdum. Vial joined AXE. Davis headed the Debate Club, while Lee was president of the International Relations Club. Abell was vice-president of the Newman Club, while Brendle, Suit, and Haskins are recent initiates of Scabbard and Blade. The campus humor magazine has Suit as circulation manager, Shipe, advertising manager, and Kerwin, art editor. The chapter held its spring party April 5 and all the members and their dates agreed that it was the best party of the year. We are all looking forward to our coming costume party with much enthusiasm.—JOSEPH H. WHITE, Reporter.

MAINE ALPHA, COLBY COLLEGE.—The Colby Phis are ending up a year of successful participation in all phases of college life. Phikeias Bateman, Murphy, and Pursley are prominent track men; Cross and MacIlraith are active in baseball. Phikeia Pursley is an assistant baseball manager, and on the staff of the *White Mule*. Pejko is one of the baseball managers. During the past year Bruce and O'Neil were active in football, Bruce leading a championship team to

victory; Bruce, Baxter, Dibble, East, Cooley, Stump, Pejko, and Parker were scholastic leaders. Plans are going on apace for the chapter's new house on the new Mayflower Hill site, to which the college is moving in a few years. With the help of the Waterville Alumni Club, and other interested alumni, who have given financial help, the chapter will soon realize its goal in preparations for its new home.—ELMER L. BAXTER, Reporter.

MASSACHUSETTS BETA, AMHERST COLLEGE.—Bill Goelitz is new New England intercollegiate backstroke champion and received his letter for swimming. Bob Johnson received his letter for basketball. Jack Price received his numerals for freshman basketball. Harmon Hawkins received his letter for fencing. The chapter will be well represented in the various varsity and freshman sports. With spring football practice already under way, it is certain that Rosenberry will play first-string backfield next season. Skeel and Thomas are also showing up well in pre-season training. By winning the intramural basketball tournament and finishing in the semi-finals in the squash tournament $\Phi \Delta \Theta$ stands second in the interfraternity race for the trophy of trophies. The chapter was well represented at the junior prom this year and several brothers engaged in building a snow figure on the lawn to celebrate the occasion. On May 11 the house will give its annual spring dance. This is the climax of the social year and is always a popular, well-attended event.—ASHLEY COLE, Reporter.

MASSACHUSETTS GAMMA, MASSACHUSETTS INSTITUTE OF TECHNOLOGY.—Massachusetts Gamma now boasts a very complete workshop. Originally started by Alan Macnee, Jack Iams, and Frank Bennett, its membership has expanded until it now includes most of the chapter members. The machinery includes power tools and electrical engineering apparatus. A phonograph has been successfully constructed and at present a radio is nearing completion. Robert K. Osborne has been elected to the office of assistant treasurer of the Technology Christian Association. He was also elected to the honorary position of cabinet member of the association for his good work as director of the book exchange department last year. George Spies and William Kaesche are also working in the T.C.A. The Miami Triad dance, held annually by the institute chapters of $\Phi \Delta \Theta$, ΣX , and $\Theta \Pi$, was March 15. As usual, we held a banquet before the dance in a local hotel. Edgar Hayes is again on the varsity fifty-pound crew. Wallace Dunn, Kenneth Gifford, Jack Kelly, Alan Macnee, and Marvin Stephens are on the track team. Kelly and Gifford placed among the first ten in the All-Technology physical training competition. Macnee placed in the interclass track meet as a hurdler. Mario Conti, our latest pledge, is a junior in mechanical engineering. He is the coach of the freshman basketball team and an



THE MIAMI TRIAD DINNER AT M.I.T.

all-round athlete.—FRANK J. BALL, *Reporter*.

MICHIGAN ALPHA, UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN.—With one of its most successful years in the last decade nearly completed, Michigan Alpha proudly points to its achievements and looks forward to further im-



OUTGOING AND INCOMING PRESIDENTS
Thomas B. Adams and James B. Tobin,
Michigan '40 and '41

provements in the future. Early this spring the chapter initiated the following twenty-one men: Edward Aldworth, Grand Rapids; Robert Begle, Detroit; James Blanchard, Morenci; William Coole, Winnetka, Ill.; Parker Consaul, Toledo; Gerald Cummings, Poughkeepsie, N.Y.; Robert Edison, Grand Rapids; John Emmett, Bloomfield Hills; John Fletcher, Chelsea; John Gillis, Hibbing, Minn.; Ray Gripman, Pleasant Ridge; George Hildebrandt, Hamburg, N.Y.; Alden Johnson, Grand Rapids; Emil Lockwood, Beaverton; Frank McCabe, Wichita, Kan.; Edward Reichert, Ann Arbor; Pete Smith, Toledo; Marshall Strenger, Lake Forest, Ill.; Richard Tobin, Highland Park; Richard Walker, Ponte Verde, Fla.; Larry Wichter, Toledo. On May 4, $\Phi \Delta \Theta$, $\beta \Theta \Pi$, and $\Sigma \chi$ held the first of what will be the annual "Triad Formals" on the Michigan campus. Brother Ross was recently elected captain of next year's Wolverine hockey team, while football manager Fred Howarth was awarded the key of $\Phi \beta \kappa$.—RICHARD SCHERLING, *Reporter*.

MICHIGAN BETA, MICHIGAN STATE COLLEGE.—Brother Beam, National Executive Secretary, visited the chapter and together with our executive committee drafted a series of objectives for us to try to attain in the future. Among these was the proposal for the adoption of a guarantee fund to assimilate any delinquent bills outstanding at the end of the year. This idea was adopted immediately. Our chapter led the fraternities in the pledging of men. Captain Don Ladd and Huntley Johnson are on the varsity swimming team. Chuck Bigelow was cap-

tain of the frosh swimming team and Roy Fehr was captain of the track team. Harris was on the tennis team and Bill Searl was number three man on the pistol team. Stark, who graduated last year, was this year's captain of the baseball team. Politically we fared well. Goundie was treasurer of the junior class and student council representative, Roger Blackwood was general chairman of the frosh frolic and under his guidance the party was a great success. Hays was elected to the liberal arts council as representative from the junior class. Under the guiding hand of Scholarship Chairman Moran, Michigan Beta jumped up four places on the scholarship chart of the fraternities at Michigan State. Brothers George Harris, Moran, and Phikeia Young were initiated into Scabbard and Blade, and Jim Renno was elected president of the Astronomy Club. Brother Gerlach paid the chapter a visit and we enjoyed his stay very much. This June Brothers Cowdery, Paddeson, Baldwin, Baker, Galda, and Dawson will graduate. Our Parents Day dinner brought the year to a very fitting close.—ANDREW HAYS, *Reporter*.

MINNESOTA ALPHA, UNIVERSITY OF MINNESOTA.—On April 4, all the active members and pledges of Minnesota Alpha attended the annual Founders Day banquet held at the Radisson Hotel. An enthusiastic pre-convention spirit prevailed amongst the 170 members in attendance. On April 14, six members of the chapter will journey to Ames, Iowa, where they will be guests at the spring initiation of Iowa Gamma. The hope will be that by the experience gained, a better model initiation will be presented at the convention this summer. A dress rehearsal of the model initiation will be held at our regular initiation April 21. The all-university bowling trophy has been added to our mantel. Teams have been selected for participation in all intramural activities during the spring quarter. In varsity athletics Phi still reign supreme. Dashman Franck and Hurdler Benn, the leading point getters in the indoor season are eagerly awaiting the coming outdoor campaign. B. Johnson, co-captain of the 1940 football team with Bjorklund, has forsaken spring football practice to become catcher on the baseball team. Spring football practice finds Bjorklund, Johnson, Franck, and Phikeias Falfrath, Wildung, and Nelson on the first squad of fifteen. Ludtke and Wangerin are on the reserves. Marsden and Roberts are on the executive committee planning Minnesota's fourth annual fraternity week. Gran, sports editor of the *Daily* and B. Johnson were instrumental in the formation of an undergraduate "M" Club. Editor Roberts of the *Daily* is leading the student fight for student control of the dining facilities in the new student union.—STANLEY F. DRIES, *Acting Reporter*.

MISSISSIPPI ALPHA, UNIVERSITY OF MISSISSIPPI.—The year's social calendar has included numerous house parties, banquets, a Halloween party, and was climaxed by the annual formal dance. Among the year's distinguished visitors was Harry M. Gerlach, assistant executive secretary. The chapter has taken a leading part in the intramural sports competition in an effort to win another high point cup. First place has been won in volleyball, and the semifinals reached in basketball. When the boxing matches were held recently, Phikeia Robert Rogers won the 127-pound class, Paul Lockett reached the 155-pound finals, and Vergil Adkins fought in the quarter finals of the 120-pound division. Phi Delta Theta is now in third place in the total number of points scored. Tom Hammond was recently elected editor-in-chief of the

Mississippi, for next year, and Kenneth Haxton was elected managing editor. Ben Owen is sports editor and members of the staff include seven other Phis. On the *Rebel*, campus humor magazine, Reginald Gray is editor-in-chief, Ben Adams is circulation manager, Duane Forman is associate editor, and on the staff are seven more Phis. On the editorial staff of the *Ole Miss*, yearbook, are Adkins and Hammond. Haxton won first place in an essay contest open to all students in the University. In varsity sports the chapter has all four managers: Sid Gillespie, Tom Ma-gruder, Owen, and Clayton. Star hurdler on the varsity track team is Claude Woodward, and on the baseball diamond, letterman Ed Miller Stevens is holding his own. Max Pegram and Billy Baker are playing on the varsity tennis team; Billy Noel is number one and Reuben Boyett holds a place on the freshman tennis team. Baker is also president of the tennis club. Tom Green fires regularly on the rifle team. High scholastic standards have been maintained. On the honor roll first semester were: Frank Laney, Forman, D. A. Noel, Billy Noel, J. D. Guyton, and Hammond. Noel and Guyton made the average required for $\Phi \Delta \Theta$. Haxton won admission into $\Phi \Delta \Theta$, of which Laney is president. Owen Roberts was initiated into $\Phi \Delta$, making the fourth highest average in the freshman law class; and Billy Noel and Baker were elected to $\Delta \Sigma \Pi$. Billy Rust and Green were recently initiated into Scabbard and Blade. Bobby Wall was named to the Hall of Fame, highest honor attainable by a student at the University. He was given this honor for his work as editor of the annual, chairman of the committee sponsoring Religious Emphasis Week, past president of $\Phi \Delta \Theta$ and of Blue Key, and chairman of the Y.M.C.A. nominating committee. Initiation was held recently of seventeen new men. This was the largest group any campus fraternity had to pass the necessary initiation requirements, in spite of the fact that several had larger pledge groups. The initiates are: Billy Noel, Henry Fair, Paul Lockett, Cliff Bailey, J. D. Guyton, Hugh Lee Gowan, Paul Eason, Reuben Boyett, George Clayton, Drury Fisher, Millard Page, Virgil Adkins, Billy Wally Pearson, Harvey Henderson, Warner Currie, Louis Benoist, Harry Hoffman. Albert Russell, '37, was the speaker at the initiation banquet.—**TOM HAMMOND, Reporter.**

MISSOURI ALPHA, UNIVERSITY OF MISSOURI.—At the end of the first semester Missouri Alpha ranked high in scholarship. At the present time we have members in practically all student activities. Phikeias Davis, Greenwood, Jackson, and Stueber are playing spring football, and are considered by many to have a very good chance of breaking into the varsity lineup next fall. Phikeia Melitio is out for track and recently broke the freshman record in the pole vault. Oliver, Bentley, and Van Osdol are taking a prominent part in campus politics. In the near future Missouri Alpha is planning to be host to many high school boys at the annual high school week-end. Plans are now being laid for the annual spring formal which is to be held May 3. Missouri Alpha sent a delegation to both the St. Louis and Kansas City Founders Day banquets. The members reported that they had a very enjoyable time and recommended that more of the brothers attend them in the future.—**JOHN S. DAVIS, Reporter.**

MISSOURI BETA, WESTMINSTER COLLEGE.—The chapter started its social activities of the current semester with its annual Bowery Party. A number of alumni and visitors attended. This year we won the

scholarship cup for the second consecutive victory. At present we are in second place in intramurals, having won basketball for the fourth consecutive year and our star forward, Joe McGord, was high scorer of the league again. At this writing McDaniels and Eige have qualified for varsity golf and Hoffmeister has qualified for varsity tennis. On March 18 a large delegation from Missouri Beta went to the Founders Day Banquet in St. Louis and they reported an excellent time. Jones, one of our premedical students won the Jackson Johnson scholarship to Washington University in St. Louis.—**JOHN STAHLRUTH, Reporter.**

MISSOURI GAMMA, WASHINGTON UNIVERSITY.—The closing of the 1939-40 year finds Missouri Gamma retaining their all-around leadership on the campus. The intramural situation looks bright, for we are only a few points out of first place with some of our strong sports coming up. Four cups already grace our mantel, those for cross-country, golf, badminton, and ping pong. Linc Coleman wrestled his way to an easy championship in the recent school tournament. We have two football lettermen, Root and Cory, three basketball lettermen, Captain Des Lee, MacLean, and Callaway, swimming letterman Matthey, and Captain Curtis, mainstay of the fencing team. Bosworth, Humphreville, and Smith served as senior manager and junior managers, respectively, for the football squad. Throop and Gaebe were senior and junior managers of the basketball team. Duncan, Lee, and Boles are standouts on the Bear track team, and Coil, Hodgson, and Voges are on the varsity tennis squad. Six Phikeias earned numerals in various sports, while other neophytes worked industriously in Thyrsus. Campus Y, Glee Club, Hatchet, Quad Show, and other activities. Des Lee was co-chairman of the Campus Y cabinet and Scott, one of the members of that cabinet this year, has just been elected as next year's co-chairman. The campus annual musical production remained almost a $\Phi \Delta \Theta$ production, as a majority of the brothers found parts as principals and in production. The dramatic organization of the campus was presided over by Boles, who was assisted by Hardy. Compton was major of the local R.O.T.C. unit, with Dallmeyer, Hardy, and Obourn acting in other official capacities. Coleman was junior intramural manager. The recent Miami Triad was universally acclaimed the best dance of the year. On March 18, Phis from Missouri Alpha, Beta, and Gamma, assisted by the St. Louis Alumni Club, held a gala Founders Day celebration. Missouri Gamma



WALTER THOMAS, Westminster '41

also represented the national fraternity at a coast-to-coast broadcast from the Eugene Field home in St. Louis. For fuller account see page 359.—GUY GALLAWAY, Jr., Reporter.

MONTANA ALPHA, MONTANA STATE UNIVERSITY.—Fifteen new Phis were initiated into Montana Al-



MONTANA'S STARS

Left to right: Ryan, Bryan, Hall, Jones, Nugent

pha's chapter: W. Peterson, S. Hammond, W. Bauer, D. Bryan, J. Haas, R. Anderson, G. Nordgren, P. Galusha, J. Turner, O. Hauge, R. Helm, R. Fisher, Wm. Adam, J. Fleming, and E. Morris. In varsity basketball four of our members garnered the top places for total points amassed during the season; Captain Barney Ryan led with 221, Phikeia Jones, 219, Hall, 216, Phikeia DeGroot, 188, with Nugent and Bryan trailing close behind. The University will miss Ryan and Nugent next year. Biff Hall was elected co-captain by his teammates. Our bowling team has just about cinched the cup for fraternity championship. They hold the high team average 2819 pins and Hammond holds the high individual game with 997. Baseball season is underway with Montana Alpha represented by a strong nine. In the recent spring dramatic production, Parker played the lead and was supported by Stanton, David, Morris, and Phikeia Bennet. Fisher was selected business manager of the Forestry *Kaiman*. Millar is next year's editor of the *Sentinel*, Montana's yearbook. Hoon received one of the most honored positions attainable by a senior, that of Arbor Day manager. Campbell is the University publicity director and Stanton, graduate manager. Sanderson is the University golf coach and Ryan one of the tennis coaches. Our chapter room has just been redecorated.—BURKE THOMPSON, Reporter.

NEBRASKA ALPHA, UNIVERSITY OF NEBRASKA.—The annual $\Phi\Delta\Theta$ spring party was held March 8 at the Lincoln Hotel. A smoker was held at the chapter house in which the actives and pledges made more and renewed many acquaintances among the alumni for whom the smoker was held. The extracurricular activities increased this year over last year; there are seven men in R.O.T.C., George Abel, a varsity guard, is on the track squad, Nick Douvas is out for spring football, and Joe Ryan and Bud Kryger are out for baseball. Five men were recently awarded letters; in basketball, Hartman Goetze, a major letter, John Hay and Lyle King with minor letters; in swimming, Fred F. Fairman and Charles Roberts minor letters. Fred Craft is taking the C.A.A. flying course offered by the university and has made his solo. He is now working for his private pilot license. The annual Founders Day banquet was held April 13 at the

Cornhusker Hotel. George Abel was awarded a trophy for being the most improved Phi during the year and Charles Oldfather was honored with another trophy for having the highest average in the freshman class. In the intramural track meet which was run off April 4, the Phis missed first place just by inches. John Goetze and Bob Poe contributed very much to bringing us near the top. April 7, seven freshmen and one pledge were initiated: Cliff Meier, Prince Bolton, Nick Douvas, Jim Hewitt, Jack Lee, Walter Leurs, Charles Oldfather, and Jack Yoder.—CHARLES A. ROBERTS, Reporter.

NEW HAMPSHIRE ALPHA, DARTMOUTH COLLEGE.—The chapter announces the pledging of Herbert Morrison, '42, of Boston, Mass. Jim Harsh started in the diving events of the inter-fraternity swimming meet and came out with first place. Bill Gordon and Larry Norton went with the glee club on its spring tour, during which it gave concerts in most of the principal cities of the East and Middle West. Dan Rectanus, in his capacity of manager of the rowing club, accompanied the varsity and freshman crews on their spring training trip to New London, Conn. The Green Key Prom week-end was held on May 3 and 4 and as usual the chapter had an informal dance at the house on Friday night. Group picnics were the order of the day on Saturday, followed by the big Prom Saturday night. For the chapter it was a most successful climax to the social events of the year.—WILLIAM H. LOHMAN, Jr., Reporter.

NEW YORK ALPHA, CORNELL UNIVERSITY.—Saturday, March 9, saw the seventeenth annual initiation banquet with the following men as initiates: Frank A. Cuzzi, Thomas A. Daffron, Robert John Bladergreen, E. Thomas Devoe, Albert C. Bean, Barber B. Conable, Jes Dall, III, Julius King, Jr., Walter E. Murphy, Robert James Roshirt, Gerald Saunders, Edward M. Smallwood, Robert Steele, Frank Stout, and Frank A. Walkley. Toastmaster for the dinner was Heber W. Peters '14, and Barrett Herrick, *Washington* '15 told the initiates something of the history and present standing of $\Phi\Delta\Theta$. Peters, Robinson, and Antrim have been elected to Spring Day committees, while Brennan was elected to head the senior ball committee and Murphy was elected to head the freshman cap burning committee. Spring baseball finds the chapter represented in the inter-fraternity league by both hard and softball teams which are being whipped into shape by last year's pitcher, Bill Brennan. On April 21 the thirty-fifth annual faculty tea was held at the chapter house; this function was the high spot of the social season, with the chapter playing host to some three hundred members of the faculty. Wood, who is going to Cornell Medical School next year, is the head of the preparation for the Skulls pre-medical exhibit which will be held in Stimson Hall during Cornell Day Week-end, the third and fourth of May. Smallwood received his numerals in wrestling, while Roshirt and Walkley received theirs in basketball. Henline became the first member of the chapter to receive his pilot's license and now proudly wears his wings. If there are any alumni of the chapter who are not receiving their issues of the chapter quarterly, the *Gayagan*, a letter to the editor will correct this error at once. And for those that are receiving the *Gayagan*, let me remind them to return their questionnaires.—JAMES B. HARTGERING, Reporter.

NEW YORK BETA, UNION COLLEGE.—Spring sports are again led in large part by Phis. The baseball team is being formed about the nucleus of Captain Charles Brockner, first baseman and leading slugger,

Al Mould, number one pitcher of whom much is expected this season, and Charles Fiester, a capable pitcher. The team is being managed by Conrad Bechard, and Charles Royce. Another team captained by a Phi is lacrosse. Merlin Fay is back at his usual place on the attack and will lead the team from there. Others on the varsity team include Donald Haigh and Dick Griffith. Paul Santee and Donald Abood are candidates for the freshman lacrosse team, and Albert Babyak is assistant manager of the track team. The chapter basketball team finished the intramural league in the runner-up position, losing out in a play-off, and this high position, with our lead in total number of victories in 21, gives us a high ranking in the combined intramural standings. Conrad Bechard and Herbert Smith are singing in the spring concert of the glee club. George Clark, of Plattsburg, N.Y., has recently been made a Phikcia, and will join the chapter in the fall.—D. E. GRIFFITH, JR., *Reporter*.

NEW YORK ZETA, COLGATE UNIVERSITY.—Rushing is in full swing under Colgate's new system of deferred pledging. A good delegation is in definite prospect. Scholastically, the chapter is still leading all other fraternities. Many intramural advancements have been made, including the winning of the four-shooting championship. Army Caseria won the school 175-lb. boxing championship and Jim Garvey, captain of football, beat his opponent on time advantage to take the college unlimited class wrestling championship. James Sanders, 121-lb. wrestler, was recently elected captain for the coming season. Edward Kaye was active on the varsity swimming team throughout the season and chalked up over forty points for the team. Daily made his varsity letter in swimming. An active intramural bowling team has yet to meet defeat. A recent visitor at the chapter was Edward Rowe '19, President of the Alumni association. He entertained the junior class at dinner and also at a tunk in the evening. President Main, accompanied by Brothers Kaye and Mye attended the Founders Day banquet recently held in New York. New York Zeta had more alumni in attendance than any other chapter. The chapter announces the pledging of Howard Metzloff, '42, and Fay Moran, '41.—FREDERICK G. TURNER, *Reporter*.

NORTH CAROLINA ALPHA, DUKE UNIVERSITY.—Recently welcomed members into North Carolina Alpha are Few, McMorries, Bond, McGehee, R. Smith, J. Smith, Wells, Galt, Treleaven, Campbell, Dodd,

Meyer, Patten, Porterfield, Oestmann, and Starr. An alumni banquet on April 21 celebrated the occasion and the annual initiation dance under the capable direction of Davis proved its usual success. Bayne Sparks, in addition to working on the business staff of the *Chanticleer*, has been elected president of A.K.V. Moyer was elected vice-president of the Duke Men's Student Government in the recent elections. P. M. Davis is the newly chosen vice-president of the Panhellenic council. Senhauser also holds a S.G.A. position, while Conlon will work on the publications board. Guy Berner recently placed high in the annual North-South golf open, winning a handsome award; he also accompanied the golf team to the Southern Intercolligates with manager Liles. The intramural swimming team paced by Carl, McKibbin, Fleming, Ryan, and Moyer, was crowned University champions. Varsity lacrosse candidates include Bunn, Bunce, Carl and Von Gal. Haas has made the debate squad. Knupp, Kelly, and Rhodes near perfection in their flight course under the C.A.A. Boorman and Campbell made the New York glee club trip. McGehee and Bond are playing frosh baseball while Few and J. Smith have received numeral rewards in freshman sports. Treleaven is near the top of the freshman class with a straight A average.—ROBERT B. KUNKE, *Reporter*.

NORTH CAROLINA GAMMA, DAVIDSON COLLEGE.—The chapter seizes honors in activities, both academic and extracurricular. Tenney was initiated into Phi K and Kenyon, Mashburn, Ludlam, Tenney, and Withers represent the Phi on the Dean's list. Rudolph and Robinson were called by the Red and Black Masquers, dramatic group, and Delta E received Luther in recognition of his work as business manager of the yearbook. R. Stevenson shocked the fellows by his talent displayed in the recent art exhibit; his specialty is aeroplane design. A major honor goes to Andy Dale who sits at the editor's desk in the *Davidsonian* office. The Eumanean Literary Society bid Brothers Hobbie and Chapman, and Phikeias Connor and McIntosh. Owens has been elected vice-president of the Y.M.C.A. for the coming school term. John Withers was honored recently by membership in I.T.M. Our athletic teams remain on top in the race for the interfraternity trophy. The chapter's standing was further increased with points won in bowling by Verner, Dale, Carter, and Vereen. The Davidson tennis six, headed by co-captains Tenney and Hunter,



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returned from a successful spring tour, keeping a clean slate for the netters. The play of Turner and Sproull is to be commended for contributing much to the success of the racqueteers. Loy Lewis and Bill Howell showed up well in the freshman tennis tour-



CO-CAPTAINS AT DAVIDSON

Rea Coley Tenney and Lauchlin Smartt Hunter

namment, and Phikeia Maloney, rising sophomore, was promising in the backfield during spring football workouts despite injuries. Carter, Owens, Verner, and Reinhardt have turned in fine performances for the baseball nine, while Cowan handles the high-jumps for the tracksters.—JO NEWELL ROBINSON, *Reporter*.

NORTH DAKOTA ALPHA, UNIVERSITY OF NORTH DAKOTA.—Our chapter basketball team journeyed to Winnipeg to engage the Saint Andrews, Manitoba, champions, and the Toilers. The boys lost to Saint Andrews, but defeated the Toilers. Our traditional $\Phi \Delta \Theta$ spring formal will be combined with the $B \Theta \Pi$

spring formal. The date has not been set, but we expect to have the party sometime the last part of May. A new library will soon be completed. Within the next few weeks swimming will begin in our coulee in front of the house. We are still leading the race for the participation trophy which we had the honor of winning last year. Rice, Alger, and Osgard have been elected to Scabbard and Blade, and Phikeia Thompson to $\Phi \Pi \Sigma$. Osgard was manager of the junior-senior prom and the interfraternity ball.—LOUIS T. HAGAN, JR., *Reporter*.

NOVA SCOTIA ALPHA, DALHOUSIE UNIVERSITY.—With the year drawing to a close Nova Scotia Alpha has settled down to the serious work of examinations. The year closes with the termination of spring exams on May 8. There has been little news this past month. Outstanding was the visit of Paul Beam to the chapter on March 18-19 in which the Executive Secretary gave us various and helpful formulae for the successful running of a chapter. The final initiation of the year was held on March 5 when Bill Howe of Ottawa, Ont., was accepted into the chapter. Graduation this year will be painful for Nova Scotia Alpha. Four housemen and five of the active chapter in Halifax will be capped and gowned at the close of the session.—RICHARD J. F. MURPHY, *Reporter*.

OHIO ALPHA, MIAMI UNIVERSITY.—After a bad start the chapter bowling squad moved from the cellar position to first place and is headed for another championship and a trophy. The second division basketball team earned a trophy with their championship win. Sandy Peaslee of Defiance, Ohio, has been pledged, making a total of fourteen freshman pledges in our 1944 class. The outgoing officers and the new officers were feted at a banquet given for them by Dr. Burton L. French, chapter adviser. Ohio Alpha has placed two men on the varsity golf squad. Brown Miller is captain with Bill Adkins making the four man squad for his first year of varsity play. Dick Cook and Bill Nigut survived cuts



HOME OF NORTH DAKOTA ALPHA
swimming will begin in our coulee

on the *Miami Student* staff and are contenders for the editor's post for next year. Frank Phipps, elected chorister for the chapter, was recently made a desk editor on that same staff. Phipps has selected "I Love Life" as the chapter song to be sung by Ohio



ROBERT STANLEY SECREST, Akron '41

Alpha when we make our bid for first honors in the approaching interfraternity sing. James Hauser is busy with plans for the Miami Triad to be held May 4, the day after the senior ball. Miami University alumni will be interested to know that the time has been extended from seven to ten minutes for change of classes. As Brother Cook so ably remarked on this change "It gives a fellow a chance for a full smoke and puff from a brother's 'weed'."—FRANCIS K. KAHLER, *Reporter*.

OHIO BETA, OHIO WESLEYAN UNIVERSITY.—Spring rushing got under way with the pledging of Ross Burkhill from Detroit. McIntyre and Connor received their varsity awards in swimming, while Hartman was awarded his varsity letter in basketball. Leighton, Piper, Lewis, Vogt, Gracely, Colton, and Phillips, numeral winners on the freshman squad, are seeing plenty of action in spring football and will join the Phi veterans on the varsity next fall. Leonard and Ferrell are playing on the starting nine of the baseball squad. Leonard opened the season as starting pitcher against West Virginia University. Bailey, Close, Hartman, and Wallington will bolster the track team this year, while Haldeman will be playing on the tennis team. Thirty-five Phis from Ohio Beta were present at the Founders Day banquet in Columbus. The chapter's choral group sang two songs for the group during the evening's entertainment. The interfraternity race is extremely close. The chapter is in third place, with two of its strongest events, swimming and ping pong, coming up. Case, MacKichan, Liggett, and Gracely are working in "The Taming of the Shrew," which will be presented by Wesleyan Players soon.—JOHN WALLINGTON, *Reporter*.

OHIO GAMMA, OHIO UNIVERSITY.—The chapter initiated the second largest group of initiates in the history of the chapter when eighteen men signed the Bond March 17. Following the formal initiation, the chapter and alumni celebrated Founders Day at the Athens Country Club at a banquet with over one hundred actives, pledges, and alumni from Ohio Gamma in attendance. Dr. H. E. Le Fever, '22, was the principal speaker. The following men were welcomed into the Fraternity: John Price, Fred Lemr,

Cleveland; Dewayne Osborne, Jack Munde, Youngstown; William McEndree, Bloomington; James Hall, Columbus; Patrick White, Nelsonville; Richard Hayes, Twinsburg; William Brown, Medina; Robert Wheat, Cincinnati; Lee McDonald, Glouster; Robert Stansbury, Athens; Thomas Benham, Cleveland Heights; Donald Potter, Norman Oslager, Rochester, N.Y.; William Braster, Mineola, N.Y.; Kenneth Leighton, North Adams, Mass.; Charles Crawford, Tilton, N.H. Harry Gerlach, assistant executive secretary, attended the initiation. Socially the Phis have held up their end of it on the Ohio campus. Before Easter vacation the chapter packed the house to overflowing and danced to one of the campus bands. The second week-end of April the chapter held the other fraternities in celebrating Greek Week. Group meetings, dinners, open houses, and informal round tables were arranged, and the Greek men discussed their various problems and knit a closer relationship.—CARLTON ASHER, *Reporter*.

OHIO EPSILON, UNIVERSITY OF AKRON.—Spring football practice gets under way with four Phi lettermen out for the team: backs, Vince Cardarella and Wade Morrow; linemen, Captain Mike Fernella and Milt Christner. Phikeias Broge, Andreola, and Teter are also out for spring training. Phikeia Thomas Broge's high average of 2.96 tied him for first place among all-varsity freshman gridironers. Broadbent had a 2.71 average, placing second among the frosh basketball team. Track, for the last several years a rather dull major sport, promises to become a popular and successful athletic event at Akron University. Brother Meszaros, a junior, is a middle-distance man. Among the most promising new men out for the team is Fernella, who was rated as one of the best shot putters in the city, during his high school days. Phikeia Christner also displays great ability as sophomore weightman. Secrest was tapped to O Δ E and Furst and Russell were initiated to Scabbard and Blade. Noel is president of Φ Ξ Α, of which Phillips was recently made a member. The R.O.T.C. regiment at Akron was revamped to conform more nearly to the new setup under revised army regulations. Phis who were given promotions under these new changes were: Sipes promoted to major; Furst, supply sergeant, and Singer, first sergeant. In the basic course we have Godlove, McBride, and Staudt as guides. Hickman, Wingard, Ayer, Schoettel, Meszaros, and Young were made squad commanders. Sophomore platoon sergeants are Burrell, Dineer, Litz, Mayfield, and Walters.—GENE CALLET, *Reporter*.

OHIO ZETA, OHIO STATE UNIVERSITY.—First and foremost is the Founders Day banquet, which coin-



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closed with the meeting of the General Council in Columbus on March 1; it was well attended by Phis from all over Ohio. The high spot of the banquet was the recognition of Brothers John B. Ballou and William McPherson. The chapter had the privilege of having dinner with the members of the General Council at the chapter house during their short stay in Columbus. Phikeias John Myers and Don Sears were recently elected to Φ H. E. The chapter recently pledged Richard Wakefield, Columbus; Gordon Inskip, Bellefontaine; and Don Sears, Chillicothe. The chapter is well represented in competitive spring sports with Mark Kilmer, Gene Dornbrook, and Don Scott varsity baseballers; Phikeias Roger Jorgensen, Byron Jorgensen and George Scholl on the freshman baseball squad; Bill Bazler, track; Phikeias Dick Wakefield, Harold DeMunbun, and Fred Steele on the varsity golf team. Stanhope set a new record in the 1500-meter free-style and Co-captain John Higgins won the 200-yard breaststroke title at the N.C.A.A. swimming meet held at New Haven, Conn.—JOHN A. PAXTON, *Reporter*.

OHIO ETA, CASE SCHOOL OF APPLIED SCIENCE.—Interfraternity sports seem to be the chapter keynote at writing time and much enthusiasm is displayed for the retaining of the interfraternity athletic award won last season. The chapter leads the campus so far, having won the basketball and swimming titles. The swimming cup was won practically single-handed by freshman Keidel, and was clinched by the crack and makeshift team of Bennett, Greenleaf, Albrecht, and Davidson, which won the relay. The outlook is very promising for baseball and track titles, as the freshman class, upon which the team mostly depends, is unusually potent. We are defending last year's track cup. After a six-week tune-up under instruction, the chapter was nosed out of a position in the interfraternity song contest, but at any rate they gave a good performance, and are determined to do better next year. The Mothers Club donated new dining room chairs and they are appreciated as a fine improvement. Brother Allen has a sailboat now and, with it, many friends. The bargain is, no work, no sail, so quite a few of the brothers find time to help him in getting the boat in shape in hopes of some smooth summer sailing on Lake Erie. Ray Mack, *Case '38*, is playing first-string second baseman with the Cleveland Indians and hitting .345 in spring training. Jack Eichler, Bill Green, and Bob Curtis are up in the spring air quite a bit, taking advantage of the government's free flying course.—K. P. HORSBURGH, *Reporter*.

OHIO THETA, UNIVERSITY OF CINCINNATI.—February initiations found Ohio Theta with eight new brothers added to its active list: James Royer, William Herbies, Donald Schroeter, Wesley Ostendorf, Howard Zoellner, Carl Press, Edward Weust, Charles Brown. Royer was elected honor pledge for his outstanding work during instruction week. Our chapter is well represented in activities and honoraries for this period. Royer and Herbies and Phikeias Samsel made the Dean's list. Baker and Weeter are mainstays on the college annual; Boy and Baldwin are yell leaders. Our intramural team is at present in fourth place. The next sport coming up, and of which we have been champions for the past two years, is water basketball. Our basketball team was runner-up in the finals. The Phi bowling team, captained by Brother Hiener, is at present making a desperate effort to rate-first. Coming dances at Ohio Theta include the Miami Triad dance which is to

be held at the Cloverbrook Country Club in Cincinnati on May 4. Our spring formal will be held May 25. A large number of the actives of Ohio Theta and Ohio Alpha, together with a good representation of Cincinnati alumni, turned out for the Founders Day banquet on March 20. Speeches, entertainment, and songs followed the food. Ohio Theta had as its guest on Tuesday, March 19, Brother Wat T. Cluverius who was in Cincinnati to address the alumni of Worcester Tech. The admiral dined with the chapter at noon and spent the afternoon chatting with the brothers. We feel highly honored by his visit and hope that he will return soon again.—CHARLES R. SHULTZ, *Reporter*.

OHIO IOTA, DENISON UNIVERSITY.—The chapter announces the initiation of the following freshmen March 3, 1940: Philip Oxley and Byron Goodell, Granville; Thomas Trout, Findley; Homer Edwards, Ironton; James Lantz, Lancaster; Tom Wuichet, Columbus; William Anthony, Mansfield; Arnold Wigle and Richard Straith, Detroit, Mich.; Tom A. Mapes, Wheeling, W.Va.; Henry Slingerland, Jr., Chicago, Ill.; and Ford Wheeler, Pitts, Pa. Charles Oxley, a senior, and Reed Bryson, a junior, were initiated into Φ B K this month. Bud Troutman was elected into Blue Key and Jack Downs was elected treasurer of the "D" Association. Dick McBurney has advanced his position on the *Denisonian* to associate editor. Three freshmen, Lantz, Wuichet, and Fronczak have made their numerals in basketball and two freshmen, Edwards and Slingerland, in football. Bellar, Downs, McCarthey, Riley, Edwards, Slingerland, Troutman, Lantz, Wheeler, and Phikeia Dave Gibbs are out for spring football training. Grabner is playing on the baseball team and Hanna, Goux, Macomber, Riley, Bailey, and D. Taylor are holding up the chapter's end on the track team. Wigle and Crosman are working as trainers for spring track, and the freshman track squad has Fronczak, McCune, and Goodell on its list. The winter swimming meet was a tie between Φ Δ Θ and Φ Γ Δ , each scoring sixteen points. Riley, Joe Nelms, Grabner, McKenzie, Phil Oxley, Straith, and Crosman swam in the meet and did remarkably well. Chuck Wheeler, Ford Wheeler, Straith, Trout, and Musal went with the glee club on their annual spring concert tour. Straith has been initiated into Φ M A. Reed Bryson attended the American Association of Petroleum Geologists at Chicago and was elected president of the Geology Society of Denison this week. Charles Oxley, as a result of his excellent academic record, has received a substantial scholarship to continue his studies at Rochester University, New York. Willard Kibby did a bang-up job in arranging the junior prom and as president of the class presided over the ceremonies.—DAVE TAYLOR, *Reporter*.

OKLAHOMA ALPHA, OKLAHOMA UNIVERSITY.—We are proud to announce that we have placed first in scholarship for the first semester. During the current school year this chapter made an outstanding contribution to the roll of activity men. Bob Klapzuba and Dolph Carmichael were recently elected to Φ B K. This brings the total to four. Fred Thompson and George Howard joined T B II. Norman Stewart, Francis Stewart, and Fred Thompson were chosen to Σ Γ E . Louis Bailey and Allan Knox were elected to Φ H. E. The campus humor magazine has as advertising manager Eddie Bedwell. Montgomery and Wright led the law school in grades. Jimmy McNatt was a unanimous choice for All-Big-Six basketball. Litchfield is on the tennis team. Bailey and Haberlein won

freshman numerals for basketball and football. A brief review of Oklahoma Alpha's year shows that the Phis not only won first in scholarship, but pledged the largest number of men invited, won first for best homecoming float, are ranking sixth in present intramural standings, and have made extensive improvements on the house by entirely decorating the interior. The annual Founders Day banquet was held in the Oklahoma Club at Oklahoma City on the seventeenth of March. At that time we were honored to have as guest and speaker, Brother George Banta, Jr. His address was enjoyed by some 250 alumni and actives. Paul C. Beam visited the chapter on February 11. His short stay brought us in closer contact with General Headquarters, and his instructive criticism will certainly make a better chapter for Oklahoma Alpha. Eighteen men were initiated on March 10. Following the initiation, a buffet supper was held in honor of the new members.—FRED L. THOMPSON, JR., Reporter.

OREGON ALPHA, UNIVERSITY OF OREGON.—In reducing the number of pledges, the chapter has improved over the wholesale method of the past years and has taken time to select none but the finest material. The chapter has definitely raised scholarship achievements this year, and looks for more advancement during the next year. Struggling through bad weather and injuries to key men, $\Phi\Delta\Theta$ managed to lead the intramural field through fall and winter term and is now only four points behind at the start of the spring term. Numerous Phis hold down varsity and freshman athletic positions, and hold them down securely. The social calendar was jammed with gay occasions and the coming spring formal is already being talked about with anticipation. Phis are to be found in such men honoraries as Skull and Dagger, and Scabbard and Blade. The house was repainted and remodeled at the beginning of the year. In relation to the chapter's improvements, physically and internally, it gives the chapter a great deal of satisfaction to mention Chuck Phipps, house manager for the past two years. Chuck is a senior this year, but being a law student will be back next year. He was recently initiated into $\Phi\Delta\Theta$. Another man who will not be forgotten is the chapter's past president Ken Shipley. His great ability in intramural sports, and devotion to $\Phi\Delta\Theta$, will be greatly missed. Jim Nicholson, football star for four years has left us and is in

business with his father. Work has started on the *Webfoot Phi*, the yearbook, and great effort will be made to win again, the distinction of being voted the best chapter paper. Newly initiated members this Spring term are Bob Watson, Peter Riely, and Don Kirsch.—MARTIN LUTHER, Reporter.



PENNSYLVANIA ALPHA'S LETTERMEN

OREGON BETA, OREGON STATE COLLEGE.—Spring sports are taking up the time of many of the Phis this term. Rogers, Lowery, Dudrey, and Smith are all members of the varsity track squad. Dean Olson, Don Findlay, and Ed Saunders are showing a lot of speed on the freshman squad. Phikeia John Leovich, the sophomore football sensation, is a mainstay as catcher on the baseball team. Hal Murch is a member of the varsity golf team and Phikeia Ray Weston, state junior champion, is No. 1 for the rooks. Jerry Davies has been named as chairman of the military ball, one of the leading social events of the term sponsored by Scabbard and Blade. Again last term, Les Copenhagen made straight A grades. He is president of T B I, and for the past three years he has been a member of the football squad. Oregon Beta is now second in the race for the all-college intramural trophy, presented at the end of each year to the chapter participating in and winning most contests. We won the cup last year, and with a little work we'll have it again this spring. Initiation was held May 5, and Walter Holt, John Leovich, and Don Frederickson were welcomed into the chapter.—HAT MURCH, Reporter.

PENNSYLVANIA ALPHA, LAFAYETTE COLLEGE.—We find that we have exactly eleven major letter men this year. This means that almost one-third of the members have earned a major "L". Harold Bellis is captain, and Knute Gish is manager, of the baseball team. Frank Murphy is managing the frosh ball team. Sammy Moyer is captain-elect, and Duke Phelps is manager-elect, of the football team. James Farrel is captain-elect, and Pete Kain is manager-elect, of the baseball team. It is unusual this year to have three sets of brothers in the active chapter. They are the Sweeney twins, Bob and Dick; Harold and John Robinson; and Floyd and Walter Wermuth. Scholastically we have jumped from twelfth to sixth place in competing with other fraternities. The following seniors have been elected to the Knights of the Round Table: Harold Bellis, Frank Murphy, Joe Kernell, and James FitzPatrick. Several nights ago we were suddenly awakened from our precious sleep to discover that the house was afire; but we all escaped injury. The fire started in the cellar and was checked just in



PENNSYLVANIA BETA TRACK MEN

Left to right: H. Mizell, Wheatstone, Sohnleitner, F. Mizell, Ciel

time to prevent very serious damage. The loss, amounting to \$3500, is covered by insurance.—**WALTER WERMUTH, Reporter.**

PENNSYLVANIA BETA, GETTYSBURG COLLEGE.—At a recent initiation, Pennsylvania Beta received five men into the Fraternity: Robert James Buyer, Claud Winfield Beal, Bruce Gauker Hoch, Braum Seavey Hughes, and Robert Marvin Shaw. Eighteen



DAVID SHIELDS ROBERTSON, Allegheny '41
President of Pennsylvania Delta

brothers of the active chapter attended the annual Founders Day banquet held in Harrisburg. With spring sports under way, Pennsylvania Beta is represented in baseball by L. Yunaska, A. Murtoff, R. Buyer, H. Shoemaker, F. Mizell, W. Neely, W. Martin, and N. Whetstone. The track squad includes Whetstone, Ciell, Sohnleitner, H. Mizell, and F. Mizell. The chapter, last year's champion in softball, has gone undefeated thus far in the interfraternity competition, with high hopes of again obtaining first place trophy. M. Hartman, F. Hartman, Menoher, Miller, Shelly, and Armitage have been elected to membership in I A E.—**HOWARD W. MIZELL, Reporter.**

PENNSYLVANIA GAMMA, WASHINGTON AND JEFFERSON COLLEGE.—At the spring initiation the following six men became active members: Bill Grunow, Tarentum; Galley Murray, Bridgeville; Pat Rimer, New York City; Bill Shaffer, Kittanning; Herb Warden, Chicago; and Phil White, Canton, Ohio. A chapter officer's charm was presented to Dave Whitman in recognition of his three years as secretary. Wade Miller of Pittsburgh has been elected president for the coming year. The annual interfraternity sing was won by the $\Phi\Delta\Theta$ chorus, and its director, Chuck Donley, has made the chorus a permanent organization which has since appeared at business men's luncheons in Washington and Pittsburgh. The new issue of *Gamma Gab*, the semi-annual chapter publication, has been edited by Miller, assisted by Martin and Wilkins. In a hotly contested championship game, the $\Phi\Delta\Theta$ basketball team defeated the $\Phi\Kappa\Psi$ to win the victor's cup. Al Reece was runner-up to the high score man in the district collegiate basketball teams; and Jimmy Marshall won the championship in the individual's all-athletic intramural competition.—**GEORGE P. FULTON, Jr., Reporter.**

PENNSYLVANIA DELTA, ALLEGHENY COLLEGE.—For the coming year we garnered three representatives on Allegheny Undergraduate Council, the student governing body, by the election of Miller as president

of Philo-Franklin Speakers' Union, Robertson as president of next year's senior class, and Faloon as president of Block A Club, lettermen's organization. Robertson is one of two candidates for the presidency of Allegheny Undergraduate Council. Oberlin succeeds Appleyard as head of the Allegheny Christian Council. Named as managing editor of the *Campus* was Robert Brossman whose work as news editor caused the creation of the new office which he now holds. The scholarship report for the last semester shows Pennsylvania Delta leading the college with an average three points higher than the nearest rival. The Providence scholarship cup sponsored by the Pittsburgh Alumni Club was again awarded to us at the Founders Day banquet in March. Phi Delta Theta stands second in intramurals according to the last scores released by the intramural office and is within striking distance of first place as spring sports begin. On the track squad this spring we boast five men and on the tennis team, three. Starr returns to the high hurdles this spring, and in their first try for the team, George, Craig, Anger, and Brownell look promising. McVey returns to his second year of varsity tennis and from the freshman squad of last year Frank McKnight and Neil Wehr wield mean racquets. The freshman track men include Brother Pierce and Phikeia Barner while Larson, president of his class, and Phikeia Dearing are playing tennis with the frosh.—**WILLIAM W. FALOOD, Reporter.**

PENNSYLVANIA EPSILON, DIGKINSON COLLEGE.—The chapter, for the eighth consecutive semester, maintained its position of first in scholarship among the competitive fraternities, a record of which Pennsylvania Epsilon is proud. The Miami Triad was the latest social achievement. A formal dance was held in the college gymnasium on Friday night, followed by a tea dance and buffet supper Saturday afternoon and evening. During the various intervals, the chapter supplied varied forms of entertainment for the benefit of those present. Since $\Phi\Delta\Theta$ was, this year, host to $\Sigma\chi$ and $\beta\Theta\Gamma$, we felt great satisfaction in the success of the week-end. The effort to gain possession of the intramural athletic trophy is continuing to make the chapter a successful challenger. Recently, the swimming team added several points to the trophy by placing high in the annual intramural Aquacade. Lochrie, Perry, Hoffman, and McKinnon contributed to the success. We have entrenched ourselves in the athletic activities of the fraternities on our campus, as these records show: volleyball, third; basketball, third; ping pong, first; handball, first; swimming, fourth; and $\Phi\Delta\Theta$ is now leading in the



PENNSYLVANIA ZETA'S WINNING CREW

softball league. In addition, prospects for a victory in the coming intramural track meet are bright. Hunt was elected captain of the varsity swimming team. Both Hunt and Gordon have qualified for the varsity golf team, playing first and third positions respectively. Cappello is acting as relief pitcher for the varsity baseball team. Marotte and Copeland were elected to A. E. T. All but three of the brothers in the chapter attended the Harrisburg Founders Day dinner, and many of the new brothers received a new idea of what $\Phi\Delta\Theta$ means. Gayman, Hoffman, and Lochrie found time to attend the New York alumni banquet.—DEAN M. HOFFMAN, II, *Reporter*.

PENNSYLVANIA ZETA, UNIVERSITY OF PENNSYLVANIA.—Spring in Philadelphia means that the annual $\Phi\Delta\Theta$ vs. $\Phi\Gamma\Delta$ crew race is not far away. This year it will be held on May 19, and it is expected that the Phis will retain the trophy which we recaptured last year. In outside activities, Pennsylvania Zeta has been very successful lately. George Roeder was elected assistant manager of basketball; Karl Kurz, Frank Barry, and Tony Moore were elected to membership in the Franklin Society. Robert McEwen recently attained the position of junior business manager of the *Daily Pennsylvania*. At the same time Karl Kurz was elected production manager of the *Daily Pennsylvania* and Harry Teets was elected to the business board. Walt Milburn became a member of the editorial board of the paper, while Bill Stahl was elected to the business board of the *Punch Bowl*. Robert Brink was elected a member of the university bowling team to represent Pennsylvania at Columbia. The chapter is extremely grateful to the alumni for the new living room rug which has recently been installed.—HOOD SQUIRES MCHORD, *Reporter*.

PENNSYLVANIA THETA, PENNSYLVANIA STATE COLLEGE.—The chapter initiated the following men on March 3: Charles C. Seebold, Sunbury; Charles F. Mattern, Wilkes-Barre; John C. Henry, Port Matilda; David R. Sharp, Allentown; Warren W. Scott, Oakdale; James M. Hall, Jr., East Springfield; Donald W. Davis, Jr., State College; John T. Quailey, Pittsburgh; and Albert L. Dimling, Dormont. Of these nine men, four have near relatives who have also been initiated by this chapter. John Henry's brother and father are Phis. Jim Hall is another whose father preceded him at Pennsylvania Theta. Warren Scott is the brother of a Phi from this chapter. Jack Quailey's brother Stewart is a senior in the chapter at the present time. Pennsylvania Theta got off to an auspicious start this year by pledging nineteen men. Under a preference rushing system $\Phi\Delta\Theta$ received more preferences from rushees than any other of the forty-eight fraternities. These freshmen have lived up completely to the expectations of the chapter. Charlie Ridenour, Leo Roan, and Chuck Phillips have earned their numerals in wrestling, while numeral sweaters have been awarded to Dave Sharp and Ed Steidle in swimming. At the present time, Bob Bacon and Lynn Kippax are on the freshman track team, Dave Sharp and George Pettigout on the freshman lacrosse team, Don Davis on the freshman tennis team, and Jack Quailey and Jim Hall are out for spring football practice. Don Davis is also $\Phi\eta\Sigma$ and on the staff of the *Collegian*. The chapter stands sixteenth in scholarship, among the fraternities and has engaged in a well-rounded program of activities. Bob Koser had a lead in the fall Thespian show. Brothers Darby, Mahoney, and Dietrick, and Phikeias Koser and Holmes are members of the glee club and choir. Darby, Dietrick, and Holmes made the eastern

tour with the glee club, and on their return took part in the spring Thespian show. Darby is on the varsity quartette and a member of $\Delta\Delta\Sigma$. Cresswell joined Skull and Bones and is also a member of $\Delta\Delta\Sigma$. Albro Parsons is president of X E, president of the American Society of Military Engineers, regimental commander of Pershing Rifles, major in the R.O.T.C., and a member of $\Sigma\Gamma$ and T.B.II. John Stevens is a captain in the R.O.T.C., treasurer of $\Delta\Sigma\Gamma$, and a member of Scabbard and Blade. Chuck Albright was a first assistant basketball manager, and Charles Mattern vice-president of the sophomore class and a second assistant boxing manager. During the year Henrie, Ziegenfus, and Henry were initiated into Druids and Seebold into Friars. Fry is on interfraternity council. Albright and Wagner were elected to Blue Key. Jeter is on the business staff of the *Collegian*, and Liniger was on the debating team. In varsity sports, Crowell played basketball, Olmstead soccer, and John Henry wrestled. Stew Quailey is on the baseball team, Seebold on the golf team, and Ziegenfus is playing lacrosse.—H. EDWARD WAGNER, *Reporter*.

PENNSYLVANIA IOTA, UNIVERSITY OF PITTSBURGH.—At the recent initiation, the chapter welcomed into the Bond the following brothers: Val Foltz and Robert Feightner, Greensburg; Meryle Metzler, Johnstown; John Fullerton, Jack Freed, and James Bates, Erie; Louis Cox, Tyrone; Frank Robinson, New Castle; Mel Andrews, Jack Cargo, Jack Benz, and Kenneth Peifer, Pittsburgh; Robert Stodgell, Peru, Ind. The Founders Day banquet was held March 30 at the Pittsburgh Athletic Association Annex and a fine address was delivered by Colonel William Ganoe, Dickinson '02. Attendance at this annual affair was rather curtailed this year because the date fell during spring vacation. Final plans have been completed for our annual spring formal, to be held at the Shannopin Country Club on May 11. Midway in the baseball season finds Hughes second in the varsity batting averages with a percentage of .333. Black is doing a fine job in the varsity baseball management assisted by Phikeia Jacobs. Spring football practice finds a host of Phis and Phikeias in the running for the varsity positions. Dickinson and Fullerton were recently appointed to assist with the coaching of the varsity and junior varsity. A very successful progressive dance was recently held among the men's fraternities and $\Phi\Delta\Theta$ won first prize as the best decorated house. "Tuxedo Junction" was the theme of the decorations.—RAEFORD YOUNG, *Reporter*.

PENNSYLVANIA KAPPA, SWARTHMORE COLLEGE.—Celebrating the twenty-second anniversary, Pennsylvania Kappa held its annual banquet on April 6; features of the occasion were talks by Brother John Gensener, Wooster '93, on "Fifty Years a Phi," and Brother Bill Reilly, Swarthmore '18, on "How to Get Fired." Other features on the program were a freshman skit, a quartet composed of Crowley, Marclely, Oleson, and Hunter, and songs led by Bob Foster. The annual spring dinner-dance was held on Saturday, May 4, at the Merion Tribute House. During the college year numerous innovations have been instituted. Literary exercises have been given with the object of individual and fraternal improvement. A. Snyder started the current series with a discussion of etiquette, followed by a talk by Alexander on dress. P. Snyder devoted a dissertation to improvements of meetings. Marclely continued with a diatribe on personality, while Crowley presented a few hints on the art of traveling. The intention has been to establish

a precedent to devote a large part of meetings to literary exercises. The meeting room has been renovated with the object of making it available for recreation, augmenting the game room. Bond and Marley have been selected as next year's rushing



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heads under a revised and more comprehensive plan. The chapter again crashed through with the freshman and general fraternity scholarship cups, making the record five consecutive years with one semester exception. Heading the Little Theater Club is Wood, who played the lead in the spring production of "Petrified Forest." Alexander is chairman of the Men's Executive committee. Phis are active in all spring activities. In spring sports, Dietz is varsity short-stop on the baseball nine and C. Poole is on the freshman squad. P. Snyder, Krom, Troutman, Bowditch, and Pearce are on the lacrosse team. On the track squad are Oliver, Langston, Crowley, Bond, Duncan, and Atkinson. Alexander plays third on the golf team, while A. Snyder is the chapter's tennis star.—JOHN C. CROWLEY, Reporter.

QUEBEC ALPHA, MCGILL UNIVERSITY.—The annual formal and banquet for initiates were held respectively on the eighth and ninth of March. The formal showed a fine attendance with several delegates and alumni present. The dance committee executed such a fine bit of interior decorating that the dance was the best in years. The banquet saw the introduction of seventeen freshman brothers to the alumni. The active chapters as always were there in full force, but the alumni fell down this year in comparison to the last few. The latter part of March brought glory to the chapter in that two of the much-in-the-news brothers took highest honours in the campus elections. Gord Young was elected president of the Students' Society and George McDonald president of the McGill Union. Along the athletic line three Phis lead McGill teams into action next year: Bill MacDonald is captain of the hockey team, Hayden Bryant the track team, and Fred Davies the golfers. The chapter was paid a visit by Brother Paul Beam and his wife in the middle of March and we all hope they will be back again soon. Unfortunately they could only stay with us for one day. With the college term drawing to a close, the final meeting for the year was held March 30. The graduating brothers made their farewell speeches, passing along valuable words of wisdom to those remaining behind. The brothers to graduate are: I. Smith, K.

Wilson, R. Ramsay, D. Cameron, W. Boggs, J. Dodd, D. Kennedy, A. Keyes, and K. Brands. The chapter wishes these men every success and we hope that they will all remain active as alumni.—CLIFF MORSE, Reporter.

RHODE ISLAND ALPHA, BROWN UNIVERSITY.—Newly initiated members are: Jarvis H. Alger, Montreal, P.Q., Canada; Philander S. Bradford, Jr., Columbus, Ohio; Richard H. Colwell, W. Barrington, R.I.; Charles F. Hanisch, S. Attleboro, Mass.; William M. Kaiser, Jr., Evanston, Ill.; Joseph J. Le Cros, Jr., Oak Park, Ill.; Flint Ricketson, Nutley, N.J.; Stratton C. Walling, Barrington, R.I., all of the class of 1943; Eugene Francis Verdery, III, class of 1939, of Barrington, R.I.; and Jack E. Charlier, '42, of Providence, R.I. Bob Hackett is carrying on the musical tradition in the chapter, having been elected leader of the university band for the coming year. Charley Vivian sang the leading rôle in the Brown Gilbert and Sullivan Group's production of "Pirates of Penzance." Don Smith is associate editor of the *Brown Daily Herald*. Dick Brown was on the varsity swimming squad. A campaign this year, under the leadership of Scholarship Chairman Boisseau, is beginning to show results as our scholastic average begins a long and tedious uphill climb. Boisseau and Vivian are members of ΦΒΚ. Marc Morton, known as the Decms Taylor of the Brown Network, for his classical music hour, is doing fine work along with several other Phis on the network. Gabby Lou Siglock is first string catcher on the varsity nine.—MERTON C. BARSTOW, JR., Reporter.

SOUTH DAKOTA ALPHA, UNIVERSITY OF SOUTH DAKOTA.—Recently initiated into the Bond are John Bauman, Robert David, Leonard Ericson, Donald Laird, William Green, Richard Porter, Richard Pay, Edward Priak, Donald Hanson, and William Tiffany. New pledges are Irish O'Connor, John Johnson and Nathan Bond. Two Phis closed their basketball careers, Taplett and Ptak. Both were regulars on the varsity five. Brother Taplett was given all-Conference honor. As soon as track season is completed Taplett will be the first nine-major-letter winner at the University since Brother Adkins performed the feat back in 1929. The chapter has had great success in intramurals, winning championships in touch-football and basketball. With a veteran intramural baseball team and little opposition it looks like another championship. Wernli and McKillip, winners of the intramural golf tournament for the past two years, assure us of another trophy. Bauman and Priak and Phikeias Burns, Bond, and Johnson are out for spring football. Brothers Ptak and Taplett are the only returning lettermen in track. Shannon has been pledged to Scabbard and Blade. The Stroller vaudeville show was a great success, our act placed third in the rating. Livak won the middleweight boxing championship and Phikeias Burns won both the heavy-weight and light-heavyweight championships. Definite progress has been made in the scholastic average. Plans are now under way for a big spring party.—ROBERT TAPLETT, Reporter.

TENNESSEE ALPHA, VANDERBILT UNIVERSITY.—Phikeias McCullough and Holmes were initiated on April 1. Brown and Ireland are captains of the tennis and golf teams. Davis, Southeastern Conference champion, plays on the tennis team with Brown, while Parrott and Hailey round out the golf team. In baseball, Trotter, and Chapman hold down regular positions, while Pitts is a candidate for the pitching staff. Cornelius, Simpson, and Thompson are all

members of the track team. The tennis team is managed by Morgan, while Garner and Clark are assistant managers of the golf and track teams. Shand and Robinson are freshman managers of the track and baseball teams. Trotter is now the busiest man in the chapter, serving, in addition to regular short-stop on the baseball team, as manager of the football team and coach of the freshman baseball team. Anderson and Dobson are on the freshman tennis and baseball team, while Alder, Holmes, and Kammerer are now out for spring football. Milliken and Davis just received their varsity letters for basketball, and Anderson received his freshman numeral. Alder, McCullough, Robinson, Burris, and O'Neil received their numerals in wrestling, and McCullough was elected captain of that team as a result of his undefeated season in seven matches. Tennessee Alpha is justly proud of its scholarship record during the past term. Thirty-two students in the university made straight A grades and of these, five are Phis: Cate, Shands, Robinson, Hudgens, and Morrison. Cornelius and Davis were recently named business managers of the weekly paper and the annual respectively. Also, Cornelius was elected vice-president of the Student Christian Association. Anderson was elected president of the Ace Club. We celebrated Founders Day with our annual dinner and dance on April 17.—BILL CHAPMAN, Reporter.

TENNESSEE BETA, UNIVERSITY OF THE SOUTH—In March we initiated three Philkeias to bring our number of new men for the year to seventeen. We announce the pledging of Felix Dodd of Nashville. Clendon Lee has been elected vice-president and McGriff member of the executive committee of $\Phi B K$. The only men initiated into $\Omega \Delta K$ were Phis: Lee, McGriff, and Wright. The freshman basketball team starting lineup had three Phis: Wetzel, Marshburn, and Yochem. Gilbert Wright was varsity basketball manager and has been initiated into the "S" club. Lee's yearbook has been very well received, and it is probable that Spencer will edit it next year. Wright, Eyster, and Lee are varsity debaters; Lee is president of the debate council. Three Phis, Lee, McGriff, and Spencer, have been nominated for the office of president of the Order of Gownsmen. The beautiful $\Phi \Delta \theta$ yard is being worked on daily under the direction of the yard manager, Hilliard Miller, and it is getting into fine shape. Tennessee Beta plans to give a dance with the A T D's for the whole school May 11.—JOHN LONGENECKER, Reporter.

TEXAS BETA, UNIVERSITY OF TEXAS—Seven new men were welcomed into the ranks of membership of $\Phi \Delta \theta$: Julian La Roche, Dallas; Webster Bishop, Dallas; Johnny MacSeay, Dallas; Fred Gannon, Dallas; Rennie Baker, Houston; Wallace Pratt, Houston; and Buck Wynne, Wills Point. Under the careful supervision of Chester Kilpatrick and George Meriwether the men of this chapter built and exhibited a prize-winning float in the annual round-up parade. It was judged the most unique float of the entire parade consisting of seventy-odd entries. Bob Kemp, George Seay, Ben P. Monning, Sr., were visitors and ex-members during the busy Round-up weekend. June Morrill was elected to $\Sigma \Gamma E$. Will C. Perry took honors for the Phi in the law school when he was elected chancellor. This is a very distinct honor inasmuch as only twelve out of each senior law class are elected. Bill Lang, intramural manager, was forced to leave school to undergo an operation for a muscular injury received in intramural athletics. Recent reports have it that the operation was

successful and that Lang is resting easily at his home in Dallas. Texas Beta's spring formal was a rollicking success. The dance was held at the elite Austin Country Club. Carter Dudley's intramural baseball team has won decisive victories over every



CARRIES HIS OWN LEGEND

fraternity it has played; however, the water polo team was not so lucky, being put out of competition at the first game.—JOE DEALEY, Reporter.

TEXAS GAMMA, SOUTHWESTERN UNIVERSITY—Texas had two Founders Day celebrations this spring, one at Dallas, and the other at Houston. Texas Gamma had an excellent representation of active members and alumni at both. John McKinnon recently secured an appointment to study medicine at Vanderbilt University. Only three boys were chosen from the state of Texas and two of this number were Southwestern students. John Cluck was honored with an appointment to the United States Naval Academy at Annapolis, an award to be proud of. Dr. Herbert L. Gray, Emory '87, a professor at the University, was honored with a certificate of membership in the Golden Legion of Phis. Texas Gamma welcomed back its alumni in a grand reunion last April 13 and 14, the occasion being the celebration of Southwestern University's centennial year. Two days of gala events served to commemorate the memorial event. The annual reunion of actives and alumni is always looked forward to with eagerness. This year's was even better than expected. Joe Sneed attended the national debate tournament of $\Pi K \Delta$ as a member of the Southwestern debate team.—ROY H. BLAND, Reporter.

TEXAS DELTA, SOUTHERN METHODIST UNIVERSITY.—As the year closes, we look back with pride at the accomplishments of the individual members as well as the chapter as a whole. The year opened with Dick Loomis as vice-president of the student body; Bob Smith, editor of the *Rotunda*; Bill Ham and Connie Ryan on the student council; Charles Galvin, president of the student publishing board; Paul Deats, president of the student council of religious activities; Lynn Northrup, president of the commerce students association; Dick Loomis, president of the freshman law class; Charles Galvin, president of $\Phi H \Sigma$; Lynn Northrup, president of $A E \Psi$; George Loving, president of $\Sigma \Gamma E$; Bill Davenport, vice-president of the senior Y.M.C.A.; Webb DuBose, president of the freshman "Y," and a scholastic record 28 per cent above the all-men average at

S.M.U. and leading all 106 chapters of $\Phi\Delta\Theta$. The first big accomplishment of the year was the election of Phis to class offices. Those elected were: Charles Galvin, president of the senior class; Jimmy Pierce, vice-president of the junior class; and Keith Walker, president of the sophomore class. As the year progressed, Hammond Coffman was elected president of the Student Forum and $A\Phi\Omega$; Ed Bearden, president of $A\Phi T$; Jim Wilson, treasurer of Panjab; and Bill Ramsey, president of the American society of mechanical engineers. The chapter at present stands second in intramural athletics, top in scholarship.—LYNN L. NORTHRUP, JR., Reporter.

UTAH ALPHA, UNIVERSITY OF UTAH.—Phi Delta Theta won the University of Utah boxing title March 28 by chalking up four wins in the finals of the intramural tourney. William Emmel scored a technical knockout over Frank Cluff, independent, in the third round of the 147 pound bout, Claude Empey won in like fashion over Ray Brooks, independent, in the middleweight division, and Jack Shilling decisioned Alex Smith, a fellow-Phi, in the 175-pound clash. Wayne Clark won the heavyweight title by default of a fellow-Phi, Frank Beams. April 9, 1940, Utah Alpha won the university wrestling title. The Phis winning in their individual weights were Jack Shilling, 175 pounds; Charles Hosmer, 158 pounds; William Emmel, 147 pounds; and Al Pratt, 125 pounds. At a recent election of the student chapter of the American Society of Civil Engineers, Jerald Wadsworth was made president for the coming year. Our spring formal was held April 6 at the Rose Room of the Hotel Newhouse. March 30 a joint banquet was held between the alumni and student chapters in commemoration of Founders Day. Chairman of the banquet was Oscar Moyle and speakers included: Charles Ware, alumni president, Jack Shilling, Fred Kaul, and Joe Jones.—JERALD WADSWORTH, Reporter.

VERMONT ALPHA, UNIVERSITY OF VERMONT.—With the interfraternity football and hockey trophies resting securely in the $\Phi\Delta\Theta$ trophy room, Vermont Phis are eagerly looking forward to the softball tourney. Al Duque, a freshman from the Republic of Panama came out on top as the intramural fencing champion. Johnny Spasyk, one of Vermont's outstanding athletes, placed second in the hexathalon, breaking the record for points scored in this event.

Pache was a valuable member of the ski team. Boucher and Spasyk, varsity members of the baseball team as catcher and second baseman, returned to Vermont after a successful southern trip. Pratt, Mott, and Williams are out for track. Our mascot, Ratsas, a six-months-old puppy met an untimely death by the car of a faculty member. He died on the first day of spring without ever seeing the sight of anything but ice and snow. His passing was mourned by all the brothers. Vermont Alpha received honorable mention with their stunt at Kake Walk, the annual winter festival. Eight men have been taken into the active chapter thus far this year. The last initiation took place on Founders Day. At that time John Williams, Bertram Mott, William Murray, and Warren Nestler entered into the bond of $\Phi\Delta\Theta$. Among the guests present at the formal Initiation-Founders Day banquet were Brother Haegis of Indiana Beta, Brother Sabin, and Brother Lockwood of Vermont Alpha, and a sizable representation of the younger alumni.—CLARE G. MILLER, Reporter.

VIRGINIA GAMMA, RANDOLPH-MACON COLLEGE.—The chapter, by having a decisive lead for the past semester, has headed all other Greeks in scholarship for eight and one-half years. Reeves and Balthis were extended invitations to $\Phi B K$. Stephens, a junior and our newest initiate, was tapped for $O\Delta E$ in the spring ceremony. Sharing in a variety of activities his most important are: pitcher and co-captain of the baseball nine, vice-president of the junior class and student dean. Phelps is also a pitcher on the baseball team and was recently elected co-captain of next year's basketball squad. Leggett manages the baseball squad. Balthis, Phelps, and McCormick are members of $X B \Phi$. Six brothers sing in the glee club. Thomas and Phikeia Logan hold, respectively, high jumping and distance running positions on the track team. McCormick plays on the tennis team. Phikeias Murray and Loving are newly elected members of the Washington Literary Society. Phis will play an outstanding part in the commencement exercises this year. An alumnus of this chapter and editor of *Collier's*, William L. Cheney, '07, will deliver the commencement address. Balthis is valedictorian; Sterrett is prophet. Winston is to be chief marshal with Smithey as an assistant. Price is chairman of the literary exercises at Finals. William Briggs of Sebrell, Va., is our newest pledge. David Tatem is vice-presi-



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dent of the student Y.M.C.A.—DAVID L. BALTHIS, Reporter.

VIRGINIA DELTA, UNIVERSITY OF RICHMOND.—The highlight of activities during March was the Founders Day banquet held at Ewart's Cafeteria on March 16. Virginia Delta played host to the Rich-



MARTIN JAMES BOUCHER, JR., Vermont '40
Varsity catcher

mond Alumni Club and to representatives from the other three chapters in Virginia—Beta, Gamma, and Zeta. The banquet followed a joint meeting of the four chapters in the afternoon at which time various chapter problems were discussed. Brother Richard Henry Little, a veteran Phi, was the principal speaker and literally stole the show with his humorous relating of his many experiences throughout his years of loyal service to $\Phi\Delta\Theta$. Toastmaster Dr. Clifton Miller introduced speakers from the different chapters and also notable alumni who were present. A feature of the evening was the election of officers for the Richmond Alumni Club, and Dr. Grear Bowman became the new president, succeeding Robert H. Morrison. Tommy Taylor, alumnus of Virginia Delta, presented the president of the active chapter a scholarship plaque dedicated to the memory of Robert Harris, our brother in $\Phi\Delta\Theta$. The plaque will serve to recognize high scholarship attainment in Virginia Delta, and the first names to appear on it were those of Richard Adams and Wilbur Skinner. Virginia Delta continues to participate vigorously in campus activities. Eddie Bragg, star forward on Coach Pitt's successful five this winter, continues using his athletic ability by throwing the javelin on the varsity squad for his third season. A record breaker last year, he is looking forward to new laurels this year. Ned Butcher, major league prospect, is again starring on the Spider nine. When Ned isn't hurling them across the plate, he's out in the field catching them—for the coach just can't do without his stick work. Intramural softball season is almost here, and Virginia Delta expects a big year behind Eddie Bragg on the mound. Newest brothers in Virginia Delta are Wilbur Skinner and Floyd Jarvis of Richmond. Both are candidates for freshman baseball. Plans have been completed for Virginia Delta's annual house party at the end of college. It will be held this year at Wharton Grove on the Rappahannock River on June 8 and 9. We wish to invite, at this time, all of our alumni to come on down and celebrate with the active chapter on that week-end. If you plan to

come, please get in touch with the chapter before June 1.—HAROLD G. OWENS, Reporter.

VIRGINIA ZETA, WASHINGTON AND LEE UNIVERSITY.—During spring vacation, William Martin, Brad Dunson, Stewart Hunt, and W. O. Shopshire, as members of the varsity crew, went to Florida to row against Rollins College. Oscar Enniger, a veteran crew member, was unable to make the Florida trip. We are represented on the golf team this spring by Lupton Avery and Claude Walker. Calvin East is out for freshman baseball. Sherman Henderson is on the lacrosse team. Gregg Burger has been elected to alternate wrestling manager for next year. Last month, Jack McMillan, Witcher McCullough, Dick Day, and Claude Walker accompanied our faculty adviser Brother Earl S. Mattingly to the Virginia chapters' celebration of Founders Day in Richmond. The chapter was honored recently by a visit from one of our very loyal alumni, Brother Herbert Fitzpatrick. The chapter choir, led by our talented musician, Paul Thomas, is practicing for the interfraternity sing. Virginia Zeta finished second by only three points in intramural wrestling. William Martin and Joe Lykes grappled their way in the 165-pound class to meet in the finals. Martin emerged as 165-pound intramural wrestling champion. Cal East won the 175-pound class championship.—THOMAS S. BRIZENDINE, Reporter.

WASHINGTON ALPHA, UNIVERSITY OF WASHINGTON.—Nineteen new members have been initiated, as follows: Robert Van Druff, Paul Federsen, Sandy Mackie, Dixon Schively, John Lichtenwalner, Campbell McCullough, Karl Klopfenstein, Seattle; Robert Behnke, Dick Longbottom, Roger Williams, Yakima; Merrill Haagen, Eugene Magers, Ellensburg; Robert Paisley, Bill Cunningham, Spokane; Gene Huntley, St. John; Ernie Jacobs, Blaine; Les Endicott, Colfax; Webb Brown, Everett; Gordie Robson, New Westminster, B.C. The grade average of 2.5 for winter quarter was a fine improvement over fall quarter's



NEW $\Phi\Delta\Theta$ 'S OF VIRGINIA GAMMA
David Leonard Balthis and George Paul Reeves

grades. The Founders Day banquet was very successful, with representatives from many surrounding chapters. George Housser, president of Pi province, and Charles Gaches, member of the General Council, were among the many prominent brothers present.



TROPHIES OF WASHINGTON BETA

Numeral awards for freshman sports were won by Webb Brown and Ernie Jacobs in basketball; Bob Paisley for swimming; Merrill Haagen and Eugene Magers in track; Bob Van Druuff in football; and John Lichtenwalner in volley-ball. Ernie Jacobs, Campbell McCullough, and Bob Glaisyer are on the starting nine in frosh baseball. In varsity baseball Sam Baker is again the mainstay of the pitching staff. Again in spring football we are well represented with McAdams, Gleason, Dorman, and Van Druuff turning in fine performances. Haller Peterson is the third man on the varsity tennis team, and Arnie Groth is a varsity golfer. Don Thompson is rowing his fourth year with the crew and is again proving himself a valuable starboard man. Bryant Russell is a member of the swimming team, earning his big "W" in diving. Carl Neu and Paul Seva were awarded letters for skiing.—ARNIE GROTH, Reporter.

WASHINGTON BETA, WHITMAN COLLEGE.—Washington Beta's choral group won the Wallace McCamant trophy, which was donated by the Portland alumni, at the annual song contest in Portland, in connection with the Founders Day banquet. Later in the month the group went to Spokane and performed for the Spokane alumni at their Founders Day banquet. The choral group also placed second in the annual Whitman Choral Contest. Much of the success of the group must be attributed to Brother Jack Hood, song leader. At the recent Φ BK elections, Richard S. F. Eells and Leonard G. Jansen were chosen. At impressive initiation ceremonies ten men were admitted into the Brotherhood: Bob Adams, Mason Carlson, Dan Collins, Ed Davis, Bob Devine, Joe Hughes, Dave Judd, Bill Noser, Phil Platt, and Bruce Shaffer. Basketball letters were awarded recently to Bruce Shaffer, Captain Arnel Gentry, and George Hershman. On the varsity team, Captain Bob Shaw, catcher, and George Hershman, third baseman, are holding down regular positions. Outstanding Phis on the varsity track team are Captain Bob Turner, Frank Davis, Bob Rhay, Jack Edwards, and Arnel Gentry. On the tennis team are Captain George Dambacher and Jack Ballard. Jim Miller recently took over the editorship of the *Clocktower*, succeeding George Dambacher. Washington Beta is in second place in intramural standings with a good chance of winning out at the end of the

year. Swimming, baseball, and track are left on the schedule, with the Phis rated a more than equal chance to take these championships.—ROBERT McMULLAN, Reporter.

WASHINGTON GAMMA, WASHINGTON STATE COLLEGE.—In the latter part of the semester, Washington Gamma received into membership thirteen Phikeias: Bob Dodd, Chuck Dosskey, Joe Beckman, Roger Olson, Don Hales, Howard Hales, Warren Stimpert, Bob Swart, Bob Martini, Gene Youngman, Bud Morck, Ray Mahnkey, John McPhee. The chapter scholarship showing, under the guidance of Loren Logsdon, study chairman, made a marked improvement at midsemester. At the Founders Day banquet in Seattle on March 29, Washington Gamma had an attendance of twenty-seven men, surpassed only by the delegation from the active chapter in Seattle itself. As the year draws to a close, the chapter is looking forward to as many men as possible attending the national convention in Minneapolis this year.—CHARLES MCKNELLY, Reporter.

WEST VIRGINIA ALPHA, WEST VIRGINIA UNIVERSITY.—On May 4, the chapter will travel in a body to Charleston to attend the convention of the State Alumni Association. Here they will participate in the business sessions and be guests at the banquet and dance sponsored by the alumni. During the stay in Charleston, the chapter will sing a number of Fraternity songs in a broadcast of a local radio station. The following week, on Mothers Day, the chapter will compete in the interfraternity sing and try to repeat the honors won last year by taking first place. The winning fraternity is awarded the George Harris Healey Cup. Since Brother Healey, a graduate of West Virginia University, donated the cup in 1934, West Virginia Alpha has won it twice. At the present time the chapter stands in fifth place among the seventeen fraternities participating in intramural sports. Ruch is playing on the varsity baseball team in addition to being a member of the track squad. A. Klebe is holding down a berth on the tennis team and Klett, Hackney, and Rhodes are respectively head, assistant, and candidate track managers. Jones was recently initiated into Scabbard and Blade, of which Ashworth is also a member. The annual



WISCONSIN ALPHA SNOW SCULPTURE

spring formal of the chapter is to be held on April 30, and many of the alumni are expected to be here.—WILLIAM Y. KLETT, *Reporter*.

WISCONSIN ALPHA, UNIVERSITY OF WISCONSIN.—At the recent initiation, Wisconsin Alpha received twelve new members: Jay Hevener, Doug DeVoss, Ben Jones, Dick Oberly, William Young, Jim Gray, Stan O'Malley, Art Voss, Bud Nause, Rex Spiller, Had Koskins, Dave Schriener. Harry Kaul was chairman of a committee whose work in the snow sculpturing contest placed the Wisconsin Alpha entry in the victory column. Brother Kaul has also been taken into Scabbard and Blade. At the recent campus election, Jacobs was elected to the Badger board of control. Born has recently been taken into $\Phi\Delta\Theta$. Wright has been working on the Badger business staff. Judge Carroll, former president of our province, visited the chapter on March 20. He was the main speaker at the chapter's Founders Day banquet. Recently pledged are John DeMaster, Allan Godfrey, Dave Bugher, Dick Kurth, and Wally Black. Wisconsin Alpha's athletic activities have increased. Our bowling team won the championship. Fourness won the ping pong championship. Hoskins and Schriener have been receiving much attention in spring football practice. Young is one of the most promising wrestlers. Phikeia Kurth is a candidate for the swimming team, while Bugher is out for the freshman baseball team. DeWitt has recently pledged $\Phi\Delta\Theta$. He is also rushing chairman of that organization.—RALPH GOODING, *Reporter*.

WISCONSIN BETA, LAWRENCE COLLEGE.—The highlight of Wisconsin Beta's recent activities was the visit of Executive Secretary Paul C. Beam and his wife over the weekend of March 10. New pledges are Ed Doucet, Larry Henkes, Hazen Kaul, Bill Machie, Woodie Ohlsen, Boyden Supiano, and Carroll Zabel. Initiated on March 17 were John Brunell, Warren Buesing, John Bergstrom, James Chapelle, William Crossett, Tom Driscoll, Ben Ewers, Phil Harvey, William Hogue, Woodrow Ohlsen, and Loren Smith. Brother Edward E. Ruby, editor of the SCROLL and *Palladium* presided at the ceremony. Basketball letters were awarded to Buesing and Lingle. Spalding received an "L" for his work as heavyweight on the wrestling squad. Freshman basketball numerals were awarded to Warren Buesing, Bill Crossett, Ben Ewers, Phil Harvey, Larry Henkes, and Boyden Supiano. At times, the entire team on the floor was made up of Phikeias. In recognition of his fine work during the regular season, Bill Crossett was named honorary captain of the frosh squad by vote of his teammates. Loren Smith took the all-college boxing title in the 175-pound class. The interfraternity basketball title was taken by the Phis after the regular schedule ended in a tie and made a play-off necessary. This championship places the chapter on top in the race for the fraternity supremacy cup. Heinke and Fiske represented the International Relations Club at an intercollegiate meeting held at DePauw University over the spring vacation. Fiske showed well on the swimming squad, while Kaul and Zabel were fencers on the varsity team. We are again well represented on the track squad by Buesing, Calkins, Donahue, Fiske, Miller, Oliver, and Sattizahn. Ralph Digma has been appointed to a student assistantship in geology by the administration of the college.—RAY MILLER, *Reporter*.

WYOMING ALPHA, UNIVERSITY OF WYOMING.—All-Conference batting-champ John Winterholler is patrolling the center-field pastures for the varsity baseball team for the third year. John has been all-



FLOYD DAWSON CORRELL, Wyoming '41
President of Wyoming Alpha

Conference in baseball, basketball, and football during his college career. Wyoming Alpha leads in points toward the intramural plaque, with spring sports still to be played. Bill Shuts was recently chosen as editor of the University yearbook for the coming year. Jim Clare was elected captain of Scabbard and Blade and Glenn Harvey is sergeant of the same honorary for the next year. Shuts was also chosen as the most popular man on the campus, the fourth Phi to hold this honor in the past five years. He was preceded, since 1936, by Winterholler, Hatfield, and Sauter. Phikeia Merl Smith represented the University at the recent national intercollegiate wrestling meet, after winning the conference championship for the second consecutive year.—CHARLES SMITH, *Reporter*.

BRITISH COLUMBIA ALPHA, UNIVERSITY OF BRITISH COLUMBIA.—Wind-up of B.C. Alpha took place April 27 with a banquet at the Vancouver Hotel when officers for 1940-41 were installed and reports of the chapter's finances and activities were given. Speaker was Dean F. M. Clement, faculty of agriculture. C. R. "Dick" Asher, '28, has been appointed chapter adviser, succeeding Ross Wilson, McGill '24, who served us well and truly for the past seven years. H. Gray and Meredith have been appointed editor and business manager respectively for *The Totem*, for next year. The chapter placed second in the first interfraternity song contest held on this campus. To eliminate "transient" students from fraternities, that is, those who come to school for only one year, rushing rules have been revised, effective next fall, to limit rushing and pledging of only those undergraduates who have completed or attended one full year. Members on active service are Phil Griffin, '39, lieutenant, *The Black Watch*; Al Foster, '36, lieutenant, R.C.A.F.; Bill McKee, '41, naval officer, R.C.N.; Bogardus, '34, and Smith, '39, officers-in-training, R.C.N., Kingston.—WILLIAM WALLACE, JR., *Reporter*.

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RAYMOND VAIL INGERSOLL, *Amherst '97*, died February 24, 1940. The flag at half-mast over the dome of Borough Hall, Brooklyn, apprised the people of the borough as well as of the greater city of the loss of one of the foremost members



RAYMOND VAIL INGERSOLL, *Amherst '97*

of the city administration—a great leader and true public servant. He had recovered from an illness of several weeks and undergone what was supposed to be a relatively minor operation when without warning or anticipation the untimely end came.

It is impossible within reasonable compass to give more than a meager outline of the unusual and valuable contributions of Brother Ingersoll. He was a member of Massachusetts Beta '97. As a student at Amherst, he displayed marked ability and in his senior year was chosen class poet. Following graduation he was admitted to the Bar of the State of New York, and while he did not practice his profession for any considerable length of time he served briefly as a Magistrate. Following this he devoted his life almost exclusively to public service, at first in social welfare work, then as Park Commissioner of the Borough of Brooklyn, later upon appointment by the Governor, as Labor Conciliator and then as Arbitrator for the garment industry in the City of New York, with a membership of over thirty thousand. In 1933 Brother Ingersoll was elected Borough President of Brooklyn upon the ticket headed by Mayor LaGuardia. He was again

elected in 1937 for a term of four years to expire December 31, 1941. In 1934 he was appointed by the President to membership on the Mediation Board in connection with the textile strike of 1934 which affected a million workers.

Brother Ingersoll was universally recognized as a man of the finest character and unusual accomplishments. Endowed with a discriminating mind, imagination, and unflagging energy, it was natural that he should respond to the challenge of public service. Despite the manifold demands that were made upon him, he never lost his youthful affection for $\Phi\Delta\Theta$, and as time permitted took an active interest in the welfare of his chapter and the Fraternity at large.

No finer tribute could have been paid to his memory than that held at the Academy of Music on Wednesday afternoon, April 3, at which the leaders in the city's metropolitan life testified to his deep personal interest in the various phases of public service.

The *Brooklyn Daily Eagle* in an editorial in honor of Brother Ingersoll, in its issue of February 25, 1940, in the concluding paragraph thereof said: "Mr. Ingersoll's many contributions to the betterment of Brooklyn will furnish a memorial more enduring and more appropriate than any words which may be penned or uttered by his host of admirers desiring to pay him well-merited tribute."

To this, $\Phi\Delta\Theta$ may well add that in all aspects of his life, both public and private, Brother Ingersoll exemplified the teachings of the Bond. In coelo quies est.—WILLIAM R. BAYES, P.P.G.C.

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JAMES HUNTINGTON TURNER [*Wisconsin*, '92] a former Milwaukee attorney, died January 18, 1940, at his cottage at St. Petersburg Beach, Fla.

Mr. Turner, formerly a member of Turner, Hunter, Goff, Pease, and Turner, law firm here, lived in Paris, France, for a number of years after the World War. He served in Europe with the United States war industries board for a time, and then practiced law in France. He also served as an agent for the United States Steamship lines there.

For several years Mr. Turner had lived in Washington, D.C. He was a graduate of the University of Wisconsin.—*Milwaukee Journal*.

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JEREMIAH MILTON RHODES, *Indiana '94*, well-known educator and school administrator, died January 6, 1938. He had served as superintendent of schools at Pasadena, Calif., and San Antonio, Tex. At the time of his death he was Assistant State Superintendent of Schools of Texas.

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EDWARD GLEASON SPAULDING, Vermont '94, McCosh professor of philosophy at Princeton, died at Princeton, N.J., January 31, 1940, after an illness of several months.

He was born in Burlington, Vt., August 6, 1873. He received the B.S. degree at the University of Vermont in 1894 and the LL.D. in 1921. Columbia University conferred the A.M. degree upon him in 1896, and the University of Bonn, Germany, the Ph.D. in 1900.

For the next five years he was an instructor at the College of the City of New York, and then was called to Princeton by President Wilson as a preceptor in philosophy. Since 1905 he had been in continuous service on this faculty except for a year in the Chemical Warfare branch of the army during the War. He was made a professor in 1914 and in 1936 he became the McCosh professor of philosophy.

His activities, moreover, extended far beyond Princeton, and in fact few members of the faculty reached a larger audience than he. Besides teaching in the summer sessions of many other universities, including Harvard, Chicago, California, Michigan, Washington, and Oregon, he gave regular courses of public lectures at the Cooper Union, the Brooklyn Institute of Arts and Sciences, and the New York Public Library. Without stooping to undue popularization, he was able to interest large audiences in philosophical ideas through their respect for his scholarship and keen logical thinking; and his writings widened his influence still further, to an international range.

Early in his professional career he became one of a group of six young philosophers from Harvard, Columbia, Rutgers, and Princeton, who undertook to encourage a Realistic philosophy, by means of a co-operative investigation such as proved so successful in the sciences; and he remained throughout the rest of his life an ardent champion of the Realistic point of view. Closely connected with this position was his interest in the natural sciences and their philosophical interpretation; for many years he was associated as lecturer and investigator with the Marine Biological Laboratory at Woods Hole, and he gave courses to a long succession of both graduate and undergraduate students on the philosophy and history of modern science.

He was the author of *The New Rationalism*, 1918; *What Am I?* 1928; *A World of Chance*, 1936; and co-author of *The New Realism*, 1912; and *Roads to Knowledge*, 1932, as well as contributor to many philosophical and scientific periodicals.—ROBERT SCOON.

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FRANK SHACKLEFORD BOGGS, California '94, real estate dealer and formerly state senator, died at Stockton, Calif., September 14, 1939.

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ALBERT SHIELS [C.C.N.Y. '85, and charter member of old New York Gamma], died of a heart attack at Los Angeles, Calif., March 14, 1940.

He graduated from New York City College in 1886, served for a time as British Proconsul at Panama and later represented both the British and Mexican governments during a consular emergency created by a death at Panama City.

In this diplomatic service he thus followed for a time the careers of both his father and grandfather who were members of the British diplomatic corps.

Returning to New York in 1890, Dr. Shiels entered the public schools system as a teacher, became a principal ten years later and rose to the position of associate superintendent in 1912.

In 1915 the Los Angeles Board of Education asked the presidents of Chicago and Columbia universities to name a three-man commission to survey the city school system.

Among those named was Dr. Shiels, who subsequently accepted the post of superintendent of schools, a position in which he served from September 1, 1916, to October 31, 1919.

His reorganization of the local system to suit the changing situations created by the World War received generous recognition from Washington authorities.

Dr. Shiels' war work drew the attention of the National Council for Defense at New York, where authorities invited him to supervise organization of eastern councils and committees.

At the council's second request, which came after the war and involved postwar organization, Dr. Shiels left the superintendency here and returned to New York.

The educator was an associate director in the Institute of Educational Research of the Teachers College, a member of $\Phi\beta\kappa$ and $\Phi\Delta\theta$, a fellow of the American Association for the Advancement of Science, a member of the American Geological Society, the American Academy of Political and Social Science, the American History Teachers Association, the Masonic Lodge, the Scribes and the Sunset Club.—*Los Angeles Times*.

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WILFRED GEORGE GEIL, Cincinnati '19, professor of structural engineering in North Carolina State College, died of angina pectoris February 3, 1940, at his home in Raleigh, N.C.

Brother Geil received his engineering training at Cincinnati, Purdue, and Yale. He had an extensive experience as a contractor in structural work and was much sought as a consultant in engineering problems. He was largely responsible for the adoption of a state building code in North Carolina. During the World War he served with the 23rd Engineers in France. He was a member of the faculty of North Carolina State college from 1927 to the time of his death.

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ARTHUR HERMANN MARKWART [*California* '04] died January 25, 1940, at his home in Piedmont, Calif., after an illness of three months.

The record of Mr. Markwart's career is an inspiring chronicle of one who began life as a poor boy and climbed to high places in several fields. He won fame as a consulting engineer. From 1912 to 1915 he was chief of construction of the Panama Pacific International Exposition. As an officer of the Pacific Gas and Electric Company for the past twenty years, he had a major rôle in the planning and building of many of its largest electric projects, including those on the Pit and Mokelumne Rivers. He was a widely recognized authority on the economics and engineering practices of power development. And he was a director of several business enterprises and civic organizations.

Mr. Markwart was born in Illinois in 1880 and in his childhood was brought to San Francisco by his widowed mother. He worked his way through school and the University of California, from which he was graduated in 1903 as a civil engineer.

For nine years after leaving college he was a consulting engineer, in partnership with John D. Galloway. Then came his service with the Panama Pacific International Exposition and at its conclusion he returned to private practice. He joined the Pacific Gas and Electric Company in 1920 and became a vice-president two years later.

Mr. Markwart was a director of the Russ Building Company, the North American Investment Corporation, the Commonwealth Investment Company and the San Francisco Remedial Loan Association and was president of the California School of Mechanical Arts, which he attended in his youth. He was a member of the Bohemian, Olympic, Commonwealth, and Engineers Clubs and of many utility and engineering associations.—*P. G. and E. Progress.*

California Alpha enrolls five other members of Arthur Markwart's family: Earl H. Markwart, '10, and Irving G. Markwart, '11, his brothers; and Arthur H. Markwart, Jr., '32; Henry C. Markwart, '36; and Philip G. Markwart, '39, his sons.

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AMBROSE HOMER CARMICHAEL, JR., *Washington and Lee* '39, died December 27, 1939, at the home of his parents in Atlanta, Ga., after an extended illness. He was a graduate of the Boys High School, Atlanta, and of Washington and Lee University. Prior to his illness he had been associated with his father in the brokerage business. Funeral services were conducted at the North Avenue Presbyterian Church, of which he was a member.

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KENNETH HASSETT KURTZ, *Pennsylvania* '22, died suddenly of angina pectoris October 5, 1939, at Buffalo, N.Y. For many years he had been connected with the Travelers Insurance Company, with offices at Buffalo.

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LIBE WASHBURN, *Brown* '01, died at his home in Malone, N.Y., March 22, 1940. He had been in business at Malone for many years, and had served in many capacities of civic life. From his college days he was known far and wide for his love of sports and his success in them. Fishing, hunting, woodcraft, field sports, football, he excelled in all of them. But baseball was nearest to his heart. He had a nation-wide reputation as a southpaw pitcher on the Brown team, and after graduation he was signed to play on the New York Giant team, where he batted a better than .300 average. Later he transferred to the Philadelphia team and played there two seasons. At Brown he is still recalled as the man who earned three athletic letters in his senior year and at the same time was elected to Φ β κ for high scholarship during the four years of his college course.

The esteem in which he was held by his associates is indicated by a message sent to him recently on an anniversary, over the signatures of fellow-employees in the department, which described him as "ever cheerful, helpful, patient, loveable—the best friend anyone could have."

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JOHN MARVIN COLAW, *Dickinson* '82, charter member and first initiate of Pennsylvania Epsilon, died of a heart attack at his home at Monterey, Va., February 26, 1940, aged 79. For a half-century he had been a successful lawyer and banker and had been intimately connected with the public affairs of his community.

John M. Colaw as a boy manifested unusual intellectual gifts and a strong desire for study. He attended Monterey High School, did the work of the freshman year in Roanoke College, then entered Dickinson College in Pennsylvania, where he was graduated Bachelor of Arts in 1882, and in 1885 received the Master of Arts degree there. The following two years he was a student of law in the University of Virginia and was admitted to the bar. He had specialized in mathematics in college and in 1884 he and B. F. Finkel founded the *American Mathematical Monthly*, and for nine years he was co-editor.

He was the author of a dozen mathematical textbooks that have been widely used in the schools.

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ARNOLD DOUGLAS BRUINGTON, *Lombard* '93, died of a heart ailment January 12, 1940, at the family homestead near Cameron, Ill., where he was born March 13, 1868, and had resided throughout his life. From early manhood his activities were centered around extensive farming interests, while for years he had specialized in raising pure-bred cattle. Brother Bruington was typical of men under whose leadership agricultural communities thrive, who institute helpful neighborhood projects, and labor unsparingly in every worth-while endeavor. Surviving are a daughter and three sons.

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PROFESSOR ALBERT AUGUSTUS TREVOR, *Lawrence* '96, faculty adviser for thirty-five years to old $\Phi\Theta\Phi$ and lately to Wisconsin Beta, passed away at Appleton, Wisconsin, on April 25, at the age of 65. Phi Delta Theta in Wisconsin suffers a serious blow by his loss for he was easily one of the most enthusiastic Phis in that region. Brother Trevor would have retired from the professorship of history on the Lawrence faculty with the 1940 Commencement. He was born at Chilton, Wisconsin, on October 31, 1874.

After receiving his B.A. degree at Lawrence he studied for three years at Boston University School of Theology, earning the S.T.B. degree. Next he became an instructor in Biblical literature and history at DePauw University, followed by a year's study as a Jacob Sleeper Fellow at the Universities of Halle and Berlin in Germany. Dr. Trevor joined the Lawrence faculty in 1905. He was awarded the Ph.D. degree from the University of Chicago in 1912. In addition to his thirty-five years of work at Lawrence he taught at Cornell, Northwestern, Chicago, University of Washington, and the University of Southern California.

Dr. Trevor was a minister of the Methodist church and held pastorates in the Wisconsin conference from 1903 to 1905. Besides membership in $\Phi\Delta\Theta$ he also belonged to $\Phi\beta\kappa$, $\tau\kappa\alpha$, and the American Historical Association and the Classical Association of the Middle West and South. He was listed in "Who's Who in America" and was generally accepted as one of the foremost American authorities on ancient history. He was author of various magazine articles and of two books of outstanding merit: *The History of Greek Economic Thought* in 1916, and a two-volume work, *The History of Ancient Civilization*, the first volume of which appeared in 1936 and the second in 1939.

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MACK EVERETT GILLIS, *Knox* '13, died December 20, 1939, at his home in Scarsdale, N.Y., of coronary thrombosis following an illness of eight weeks. He was born January 24, 1891, in Bowen, Ill. Having been graduated from the University of Chicago law department in 1916, his practice began in Chicago was terminated for World War military service. Removing to New York in 1920, he entered the employ of finance companies and banking firms, with subsequent residence in Boston, Chicago, and for ten years in Philadelphia. Associated with the Commercial Investment and Trust Corporation as assistant vice-president, his headquarters had been in New York since 1938. Surviving are his widow and a daughter.

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COL. LAURENCE ALBERT CURTIS [*Wisconsin* '94], 67, U. S. Army retired, who served with American forces in the Philippines during the Spanish-American War died at San Diego, Calif., May 26, 1939, after a long illness.—*Humbolt Times*.

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CHARLES CARLTON GEORGE, *Knox* '85, one of Omaha's most influential citizens and widely known as a realtor, died in that city February 18, 1940. He was born March 21, 1863, in Knox County, Ill. Soon after leaving college he became associated with an Omaha realty firm, and a partnership formed a few years later was eventually followed by his own real estate, insurance, and property management companies. For half a century he was closely identified with the city's growth and development, and prominently active in its civic affairs. Some of its finest residential sections, their values estimated in millions of dollars, were the result of his foresight and planning. He had been president of the Omaha chamber of commerce, of which he was a charter member, as well as a director of the national body. In 1925 and 1927 he attended international business conferences in Brussels and London.

Brother George helped found Ak-Sar-Ben, Omaha's distinctive organization, and in 1925, in recognition of his loyal citizenship and years of accomplishment, he was acclaimed King of Ak-Sar-Ben. He was a director of the Omaha National Bank, the Conservative Savings and Loan Association, and the Omaha Community Chest. In 1935 Knox College, which he had served as a trustee from 1920 to 1930, conferred upon him the honorary degree of LL.D. He was a brother of John Edward George, *Knox* '92. Surviving are his widow and a daughter.—HAROLD M. HOLLAND.

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JONATHAN GUY LATIMER, *Knox* '97, for many years a prominent lawyer in Chicago, died in San Francisco last September after several months' illness caused by a streptococcus infection. He was born November 25, 1874, in Hopkins, Iowa. During his youth and college days the family home was in Abingdon, Ill. He received his law training at Northwestern University and Harvard. A year or so ago he retired from the Chicago firm, Latimer, Donovan and Brown, and moved to the Pacific coast, taking up residence in La Jolla, Calif. Brother Latimer served as federal appeal attorney for draft in 1917, and the next year engaged in welfare work in France. While the NRA functioned, in 1934, he was chairman of the general code authority and sectional counsel for that department of the government. His wife, and a son, Jonathan Wyatt Latimer, *Knox* '29, survive him.

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HIRAM RALPH SHOEMAKER, *Syracuse* '86, retired Methodist minister, died at Syracuse January 14, 1940, as a result of injuries suffered in a fall. He was 80 years old.

He had been a member of the Central New York Methodist conference more than half a century, but retired from the active ministry in 1917. He had served churches at Navarino, Mottville, Lysander, Euclid, Warners, Jamesville, Kirkville, Preble, and New Woodstock.

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HENDERSON HALLMAN [Emory '92], one of Atlanta's and Georgia's most indefatigable civic workers and a descendant of pioneers, died April 3, 1940.

A lawyer, historian, engineer, and developer, Mr. Hallman was closely associated with such diverse activities as supplanting Georgia's cotton-and-corn agronomy with diversified crops and livestock; the development of aviation, including establishment of Candler field and plotting a southern route to Europe via the Azores; the Stone Mountain memorial; a proposed group of traffic subways to relieve congested streets; a far-flung system of highways which he lived to see partly realized; using the state's natural resources to change Georgia from a raw material source to a prosperous site of manufactures; preservation of southern traditions and landmarks.

He was elected as "First Citizen of Atlanta" for the year 1928. Among the posts he had filled were those of Georgia governor, National Aeronautics Association; president Georgia State Automobile Association, local, state, and department commander Sons of Confederate Veterans, director Atlanta Chamber of Commerce, executive head Georgia State Chamber of Commerce, vice-president the Georgia association, director the Mississippi Valley Association, director Georgia Forestry Association and secretary Atlanta Bond Commission.

Henderson Hallman attended old Emory College at Oxford, and was graduated in 1892 with the degree of bachelor of arts. He was a member of $\Phi\Delta\Theta$ Fraternity.—*Atlanta Constitution*.

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HENRY BETHUNE PHILIPS, Emory '79, aged 82, died of a heart ailment at his home in Jacksonville, Fla., January 1, 1940. He was a brilliant lawyer, and was a judge for thirty years. He was perhaps best known as the pioneer proponent of good roads in Florida, and one of the projects for which he had fought for eighteen years was crowned with success on the day of his death—the toll-free bridge across the St. Johns River at Jacksonville was dedicated. Philips highway between Jacksonville and St. Augustine is named in his honor.

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ELLIOTT RITCHIE ALEXANDER, Columbia '07, consulting chemist of Orlando, Fla., died of a heart attack March 23, 1940. His brother and his son are Phis: William Austin Alexander, Columbia '08, of Rochester, N.Y., and Elliott Ritchie Alexander, Jr., Swarthmore '41, an undergraduate member of Pennsylvania Kappa.

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MORRIS BRANDON, Vanderbilt '84, widely known lawyer of Atlanta, Ga., died suddenly of a heart ailment at his home, February 13, 1940. He was head of the legal firm of Brandon and Hines, and took an active part in civic and state affairs. He was a member of the Board of Trust of Vanderbilt University.

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MARION ERNEST TOWNSEND, Colgate '12, died at Montclair, N.J., December 21, 1939. He had been president of the New Jersey State Teachers College of Newark since 1929 and was one of the most prominent authorities in the East on adult education. Brother Townsend was graduated from Colgate in 1912. He was a member of $\Sigma\Lambda$ local society which became New York Zeta of $\Phi\Delta\Theta$ and he was in the delegation which was initiated at the inauguration of that chapter on March 29, 1918.

In advancing to a top position in education, Brother Townsend was principal at Lyndonville, N.Y.; supervising principal at Brocton, N.Y.; Superintendent of Schools at Walden, N.Y., Boonton, N.J., Millville, N.J. and Assistant Superintendent at Trenton, N.J. He was Assistant Commissioner of Education, State of New Jersey in 1928-29 when he became President of New Jersey State Teachers College. He was a resident of Glen Ridge, N.J.

Brother Townsend had A.M. degrees from both Colgate and Columbia and the Ph.D. degree from Columbia.

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FRANCIS AUGUSTUS JOHNSON, Emory '87, died suddenly of a heart attack March 31, 1940, while leading his Bible class at the Park Street Methodist Church, Atlanta. He expired as he finished a prayer with the words, "Let the words of my mouth and the meditations of my heart be acceptable in Thy sight—Men, can you stand the test?" All his life he had interested himself in church work and service for others. For the last twenty years he had been deputy tax collector of Fulton County and before that was city warden of Atlanta.

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DR. ARTHUR HORTMAN CLEVELAND, Lafayette '86, died at his home at Chadds Ford, Pa., March 26, 1940, aged 75 years.

Dr. Cleveland practiced in Philadelphia for forty years before he retired. He was a graduate of Lafayette College and the University of Pennsylvania Medical School. Formerly he was on the staffs of the Presbyterian Hospital and the Pennsylvania School for the Deaf and was professor of laryngology at the old Medico-Chirurgical College, Philadelphia.—*Philadelphia Bulletin*.

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GAIL TROVINGER LANDRUM, Denison '20, died at his home in Columbus, Ohio, February 28, 1940, at the age of 42. Death was due to a heart attack following pneumonia. Brother Landrum was president of the General Clay Products Company. He was active in the Shrine, Columbus Chamber of Commerce, the Kiwanis Club, and other organizations.

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ELROY SUMNER BILLINGS, Vermont '05, electrical engineer of St. Louis, Mo., died September 26, 1937.

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GEORGE WILLIAM TOBIN [*Colorado College '24*] district attorney of Esmeralda County, died February 10, 1940, at Goldfield, Nev., of bronchial pneumonia.

Tobin was born in Denver, Colo., February 22, 1901, the son of the late W. J. Tobin and Mrs. Tobin. He was brought to Goldfield by his parents when a child of four years and spent his early childhood in Nevada, where his father was engaged in the mining business. Later, he was sent to Denver where he attended the public schools. He was graduated from Colorado College at Colorado Springs and the law school of Denver University with high honors. He was chosen a member of $\Phi \Delta \Phi$ law fraternity and $\Phi \Delta \Theta$ social fraternity. After successfully passing his bar examinations, he practiced law in Denver and later became deputy district attorney.

Upon the death of his father, which occurred in Las Vegas in 1935, Tobin came to this state to manage the business interests of the family, owners of the Pioneer and Mayflower mines located in the southern part of Nye county. He became a resident of Goldfield and established a law practice here. Upon the death of District Attorney John A. Houllahan in 1937, he was appointed district attorney of Esmeralda county to which office he was elected in the fall of 1938.—*Goldfield News.*

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DR. ALBERT ACHILLES OGLE, JR., *Franklin '90*, widely known physician of Indianapolis, died at his home October 31, 1939. He was born in 1867 at Alton, Ill., and received his education at Franklin College and the Chicago Homeopathic College.

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JOHN HOPKINS NOEL, *Vanderbilt '08*, prominent business man and sportsman, died Nov. 4, 1939, at Nashville, Tenn., after a heart attack. He was a member of the United States Olympic trapshooting team in 1923.

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LESTER JOHN KALEY, *Syracuse '10*, aged 53, died of a heart attack March 1, 1940, at Binghamton, N.Y. He was a successful architect and was widely known in Masonic and Kiwanis circles as a singer and composer of songs for these organizations.

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JOHN MILTON COWHERD, *Centre '81*, aged 80, died at his home in Kansas City, Mo., March 31, 1940. Before his retirement ten years ago he had been a real estate operator in Kansas City for many years.

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FRED TAYLOR SULLIVAN, *Ohio '03*, banker and insurance agent of Fayette, Ohio, died of a heart attack September 16, 1939.

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CLIFTON BENSON ENGLISH [*Dickinson and Cornell '01*], 62 years old, a construction engineer of Easton, Pa., died of a heart attack at the wheel of his automobile on January 7, 1940.

Born in Sheakleyville, Pa., he first attended Thiel College and entered Dickinson College in 1896. He withdrew in 1897 to enter Cornell University, from which he received an M.E. degree in 1901. He was a member of the $\Phi \Delta \Theta$ Fraternity and was a member of the Cornell crew.

The year he graduated from Cornell he married Miss Anna Laura Barker, of Clayton, N.Y., and entered the employ of a cement company in Canada. He later went to Easton, where he was employed in the engineering department of the Alpha Portland Cement Company. For several years he was with a coal company in Pittsburgh, but returned to Easton in 1920. For four years he was general manager of the Easton Car and Construction Company, and in 1926 he became plant manager of the Edison Portland Cement Company. At the time of his death he was construction engineer with the Kennedy-Van-Saum Company of New York City.

For fifteen years he was a vestryman of the Trinity Episcopal Church of Easton, chairman of the church property committee, and president of the laymen's association.—*Dickinson Alumnus.*

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JOHN STUART HELM, D.D., *Washington and Jefferson '78*, retired clergyman of Edgewood, Pa., died February 2, 1940. Brother Helm was a charter member of Pennsylvania Gamma and was one of the first two Phis to receive the Golden Legion certificate from the Pittsburgh Alumni Club.

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WILLIAM CARL HOLMES, *Pennsylvania '25*, aged 36, was instantly killed in an automobile collision December 10, 1939, at Cleveland, Ohio. He was manager of the Cottage Creamery Company, Orville, Ohio.

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SAMUEL EDWARD SPROLE, *Syracuse '82*, a charter member of New York Epsilon, died December 30, 1937, at Syracuse, N.Y. For many years he was on the staff of the United States Revenue Bureau.

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JOSEPH PETER MAUDRU, *Case '01*, general superintendent of the Great Western Sugar Company of Denver, died at his home January 12, 1940. He was recognized as one of the foremost sugar technologists of the United States.

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WILLIAM PARCELL BAIRD, *Ohio Wesleyan '02*, a minister of the Methodist Episcopal Church, formerly pastor at Covington, Ky., and Logan, W.Va., died April 15, 1939.

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- MASSACHUSETTS BETA (1888), AMHERST COLLEGE, Amherst, Mass. *President*, William H. Davidson; *Reporter*, Richard C. King, $\Phi\Delta\Theta$ House, Northampton Rd.; *Adviser*, Robert W. Christ, South Hadley, Mass.
- MASSACHUSETTS GAMMA (1938), MASSACHUSETTS INSTITUTE OF TECHNOLOGY, Cambridge, Mass. *President*, George H. Vineyard; *Reporter*, Frank J. Ball, $\Phi\Delta\Theta$ House, 97 Bay State Rd., Boston, Mass.; *Adviser*, Fred G. Fasset, 10 Shepard St.
- MICHIGAN ALPHA (1864), UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN, Ann Arbor, Mich. *President*, James Tobin; *Reporter*, Richard Scherling, $\Phi\Delta\Theta$ House, 1437 Washtenaw St.; *Advisers*, Dr. Hugh M. Beebe, 1717 S. University Ave., Ann Arbor, Mich., and Asher G. Work, 1300 Union Guardian Bldg., Detroit, Mich.
- MICHIGAN BETA (1873), MICHIGAN STATE COLLEGE, East Lansing, Mich. *President*, Stephen Cowdery; *Reporter*, Andrew Hays, $\Phi\Delta\Theta$ House; *Advisers*, Clifford McKibbin, 626 Rosewood Ave.; Ronald B. Garlock, 823 N. Logan St.
- MINNESOTA ALPHA (1881), UNIVERSITY OF MINNESOTA, Minneapolis, Minn. *President*, Stanley Drips; *Reporter*, Robert Bjorklund, $\Phi\Delta\Theta$ House, 1027 University Ave. S.E.; *Adviser*, Perry Dean, 200 Meadowbrook Rd., Interlachen Park, Hopkins, Minn.
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- MISSOURI ALPHA (1870), UNIVERSITY OF MISSOURI, Columbia, Mo. *President*, John Logan; *Reporter*, John S. Davis, $\Phi\Delta\Theta$ House, 606 College Ave.; *Adviser*, Hartley Banks, Columbia Savings Bank.
- MISSOURI BETA (1880), WESTMINSTER COLLEGE, Fulton, Mo. *President*, Walter Thomas; *Reporter*, John Stahlhuth, $\Phi\Delta\Theta$ House; *Adviser*, W. B. Whitlow, 306 W. Seventh St.
- MISSOURI GAMMA (1891), WASHINGTON UNIVERSITY, St. Louis, Mo. *President*, Thomas Stauffer; *Reporter*, Guy Calloway, Jr., $\Phi\Delta\Theta$ House, 7 Fraternity Row; *Adviser*, Lawrence McDougall, 418 Olive St.
- MONTANA ALPHA (1920), MONTANA STATE UNIVERSITY, Missoula, Mont. *President*, John Hoon; *Reporter*, Burke Thompson, $\Phi\Delta\Theta$ House, 500 University Ave.; *Adviser*, Morris McCollum, 112 University Ave.
- NEBRASKA ALPHA (1875), UNIVERSITY OF NEBRASKA, Lincoln, Neb. *President*, John Goetze; *Reporter*, Charles A. Roberts, $\Phi\Delta\Theta$ House, 16th and R Sts.; *Adviser*, William Bockes, 738 Stuart Bldg.
- NEW HAMPSHIRE ALPHA (1884), DARTMOUTH COLLEGE, Hanover, N.H. *President*, Arthur Larson; *Reporter*, William Lohman, $\Phi\Delta\Theta$ House, 6 Webster Ave.; *Adviser*, Albert L. Demaree, 9 Huntley St.
- NEW YORK ALPHA (1872), CORNELL UNIVERSITY, Ithaca, N.Y. *President*, Robert Camp Ray; *Reporter*, James B. Hartgering, $\Phi\Delta\Theta$ House, Ridgewood Rd.; *Adviser*, H. W. Peters, Provost, Cornell University.
- NEW YORK BETA (1883), UNION COLLEGE, Schenectady, N.Y. *President*, Charles Brockner; *Reporter*, Dickinson Griffith, Jr., $\Phi\Delta\Theta$ House, Lenox Rd.; *Adviser*, John H. Wittner, Union College.
- NEW YORK EPSILON (1887), SYRACUSE UNIVERSITY, Syracuse, N.Y. *President*, John Gage Aiken; *Reporter*, Howard Round, Jr., $\Phi\Delta\Theta$ House, 1001 Walnut Ave.; *Advisers*, Walter Wood, 207 Melbourne Ave., and A. C. Bickelhaup, Jr., 536 Allen St.
- NEW YORK ZETA (1918), COLGATE UNIVERSITY, Hamilton, N.Y. *President*, Robert Weiss; *Reporter*, Fred Turner, $\Phi\Delta\Theta$ House; *Adviser*, Dr. C. F. Phillips, 31 Madison St.
- NORTH CAROLINA ALPHA (1878), DUKE UNIVERSITY, Durham, N.C. *President*, Guy P. Berner; *Reporter*, Robert Kubek; *Adviser*, M. L. Black, Duke Station.
- NORTH CAROLINA BETA (1885), UNIVERSITY OF NORTH CAROLINA, Chapel Hill, N.C. *President*, Wilford Gragg; *Reporter*, Fred Jones, $\Phi\Delta\Theta$ House; *Adviser*, Professor T. F. Hickerson.
- NORTH CAROLINA GAMMA (1928), DAVIDSON COLLEGE, Davidson, N.C. *President*, Andrew Dale; *Reporter*, Jo Newell Robinson, $\Phi\Delta\Theta$ House; *Adviser*, Prof. Cecil K. Brown, Davidson College.
- NORTH DAKOTA ALPHA (1913), UNIVERSITY OF NORTH DAKOTA, Grand Forks, N.D. *President*, Stanley Voak; *Reporter*, Louis T. Hagen, Jr., $\Phi\Delta\Theta$ House, *Adviser*, Earl McFadden, 413 Fourth Ave.
- NOVA SCOTIA ALPHA (1930), DALHOUSIE UNIVERSITY, Halifax, N.S., Canada. *President*, Richard Murphy; *Reporter*, Robert Mussett, $\Phi\Delta\Theta$ House, 21 Edward St.; *Adviser*, Kevin J. N. Meagher, 18 Carleton St.
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- OHIO BETA (1860), OHIO WESLEYAN UNIVERSITY, Delaware, Ohio. *President*, John F. Loyd; *Reporter*, John Wellington, $\Phi\Delta\Theta$ House, 130 N. Washington St.; *Adviser*, Herman M. Shipp, Edgar Hall, O.W.U.

- OHIO GAMMA (1868), OHIO UNIVERSITY, Athens, Ohio. *President*, Martin L. Hecht; *Reporter*, Jack Rodgers, $\Phi \Delta \Theta$ House, 10 W. Mulberry St.; *Adviser*, Dr. Blaine Goldsber, 66 Elmwood St.
- OHIO EPSILON (1875), UNIVERSITY OF AKRON, Akron, Ohio. *President*, Richard R. Sipes; *Reporter*, Gene Caillet, $\Phi \Delta \Theta$ House, 194 Spicer St.; *Adviser*, Verlin P. Jenkins, 1170 W. Exchange St.
- OHIO ZETA (1885), OHIO STATE UNIVERSITY, Columbus, Ohio. *President*, William Stanhope; *Reporter*, John Paxton, $\Phi \Delta \Theta$ House, 1942 Juka Ave.; *Adviser*, Fred J. Milligan, 16 E. Broad St.
- OHIO ETA (1896), CASE SCHOOL OF APPLIED SCIENCE, Cleveland, Ohio. *President*, Jack H. Eichler; *Reporter*, Kenneth Horsburgh, $\Phi \Delta \Theta$ House, 2139 Abington Rd.; *Adviser*, John Bodwell, 1756 Chapman Ave.
- OHIO THETA (1898), UNIVERSITY OF CINCINNATI, Cincinnati, Ohio. *President*, William Mire; *Reporter*, Charles Schultz, $\Phi \Delta \Theta$ House, 176 W. McMillan St.; *Adviser*, James W. Pottenger, 3323 Orion Ave.
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- OKLAHOMA ALPHA (1918), UNIVERSITY OF OKLAHOMA, Norman, Okla. *President*, David J. Stone; *Reporter*, Fred L. Thompson, Jr., $\Phi \Delta \Theta$ House, 111 E. Boyd St.; *Adviser*, Hugh V. McDermott, 807 Ponca St.
- ONTARIO ALPHA (1906), UNIVERSITY OF TORONTO, Toronto, Ont., Canada. *President*, R. W. Hannaford; *Reporter*, D. M. Nicolson, $\Phi \Delta \Theta$ House, 143 Bloor St. W.; *Adviser*, Richard A. Irwin, 60 Front St. W. M. C. Weber, I. Eaton & Co.
- OREGON ALPHA (1912), UNIVERSITY OF OREGON, Eugene, Ore. *President*, Peter Igoc; *Reporter*, Martin Luther, $\Phi \Delta \Theta$ House, 15th and Kincaid Sts.; *Adviser*, C. A. Huntington, 333 Sunset Dr.
- OREGON BETA (1918), OREGON STATE COLLEGE, Corvallis, Ore. *President*, Herman G. Green; *Reporter*, Robert A. Schram, $\Phi \Delta \Theta$ House, 13th and Monroe Sts.; *Adviser*, Grant Swan, O.S.C.
- PENNSYLVANIA ALPHA (1873), LAFAYETTE COLLEGE, Easton, Pa. *President*, Anthony Giagliardi; *Reporter*, James Fischer, $\Phi \Delta \Theta$ House; *Adviser*, Charles Stabley, 301 Cattell St.
- PENNSYLVANIA BETA (1875), GETTYSBURG COLLEGE, Gettysburg, Pa. *President*, Ross Menoher, Jr.; *Reporter*, Howard W. Mizell, $\Phi \Delta \Theta$ House; *Adviser*, Earl E. Ziegler, 427 Baltimore St.
- PENNSYLVANIA GAMMA (1875), WASHINGTON AND JEFFERSON COLLEGE, Washington, Pa. *President*, James M. Marshall; *Reporter*, George P. Fulton, Jr., $\Phi \Delta \Theta$ House, 335 E. Wheeling St.; *Advisers*, Robert W. Lindsay, 110 Grant St., Pittsburgh; R. V. Ullom, 269 N. Main St.
- PENNSYLVANIA DELTA (1879), ALEGENHY COLLEGE, Meadville, Pa. *President*, David S. Roberson; *Reporter*, William W. Faloon, $\Phi \Delta \Theta$ House, 681 Terrace St.; *Advisers*, Dr. Julian Ross, North Park Ave.; John H. Bosc, Masonic Hall.
- PENNSYLVANIA EPSILON (1880), DICKINSON COLLEGE, Carlisle, Pa. *President*, Paul Gorsuch; *Reporter*, Dean M. Hoffman, II, $\Phi \Delta \Theta$ House, Dickinson and West Sts.; *Advisers*, Prof. William W. Landis, Prof. Charles L. Swift, Dickinson College.
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- PENNSYLVANIA ETA (1887), LEHIGH UNIVERSITY, Bethlehem, Pa. *President*, Chas. H. Conover; *Reporter*, Jas. H. Bashford, $\Phi \Delta \Theta$ House; *Advisers*, Edgar M. Faga, 510 High St.; A. T. Wilson, Snow Hill Rd.
- PENNSYLVANIA THETA (1904), PENNSYLVANIA STATE COLLEGE, State College, Pa. *President*, Harold Fry; *Reporter*, H. Edward Wagner, $\Phi \Delta \Theta$ House; *Adviser*, C. M. Lewis, 418 Ridge Ave.
- PENNSYLVANIA IOTA (1918), UNIVERSITY OF PITTSBURGH, Pittsburgh, Pa. *President*, Robert Miller; *Reporter*, Raeford Young, $\Phi \Delta \Theta$ House, 255 Dithridge St.; *Advisers*, B. A. Schauer, Penn Mutual Life Ins. Co., Clark Bldg.; Charles W. Wright, Jr., 6941 Penn. Ave.
- PENNSYLVANIA KAPPA (1918), SWARTHMORE COLLEGE, Swarthmore, Pa. *President*, Walter Isgrig; *Reporter*, John Crowley, $\Phi \Delta \Theta$ House; *Adviser*, Henry Hoot, 301 Lafayette Ave.
- QUEBEC ALPHA (1902), MCGILL UNIVERSITY, Montreal, Que., Canada. *President*, Donald Kennedy; *Reporter*, W. H. Bryant, $\Phi \Delta \Theta$ House, 3581 University St.; *Adviser*, D. H. Cross, Apt. 9, 3747 de l'Oratoire.
- RHODE ISLAND ALPHA (1889), BROWN UNIVERSITY, Providence, R.I., *President*, Andrew M. Sinclair; *Reporter*, Merton C. Barstow, $\Phi \Delta \Theta$ House, 62 College St.; *Adviser*, Watten R. Campbell, 111 Westminster Ave.
- SOUTH DAKOTA ALPHA (1906), UNIVERSITY OF SOUTH DAKOTA, Vermillion, S.D. *President*, Dick Walrath; *Reporter*, Robert Taplett, $\Phi \Delta \Theta$ House, 202 E. Clark St.; *Adviser*, Clark Gunderson, First National Bank.
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- TENNESSEE BETA (1889), UNIVERSITY OF THE SOUTH, Sewanee, Tenn. *President*, Lee McGriff, Jr.; *Reporter*, John Longenecker, Jr., $\Phi \Delta \Theta$ House; *Advisers*, H. M. Gass and Telfair Hodgson.
- TEXAS BETA (1889), UNIVERSITY OF TEXAS, Austin, Tex. *President*, Stanley Neeley; *Reporter*, Joe Dealey, $\Phi \Delta \Theta$ House, 411 W. 23rd St.; *Adviser*, Harwood Stacy, Littlefield Bldg.
- TEXAS GAMMA (1886), SOUTHWESTERN UNIVERSITY, Georgetown, Tex. *President*, Joe Sneed; *Reporter*, Roy Bland, $\Phi \Delta \Theta$ House, 915 Pine St.; *Adviser*, Judge Sam Stone, 1509 Olive St.
- TEXAS DELTA (1922), SOUTHERN METHODIST UNIVERSITY, Dallas, Tex. *President*, James K. Wilson, Jr.; *Reporter*, Lynn L. Northrup, Jr., $\Phi \Delta \Theta$ House, S.M.U. Campus; *Adviser*, Prof. W. M. Longnecker, 3512 Lindenwood St.
- UTAH ALPHA (1914), UNIVERSITY OF UTAH, Salt Lake City, Utah. *President*, John Shilling; *Reporter*, Gerald Wadsworth, $\Phi \Delta \Theta$ House, 1371 E. South Temple St.; *Adviser*, Oscar Moyle, First Natl. Bank.
- VERMONT ALPHA (1879), UNIVERSITY OF VERMONT, Burlington, Vt. *President*, Martin J. Boucher, Jr.; *Reporter*, Clark Miller, $\Phi \Delta \Theta$ House, 439 College St.; *Advisers*, Olney W. Hill, 491 S. Union St., and Kenneth H. Gurney, 79 Spruce St.
- VIRGINIA BETA (1873), UNIVERSITY OF VIRGINIA, University, Va. *President*, Richard D. Moore; *Reporter*, William Bell, Jr., $\Phi \Delta \Theta$ House, *Advisers*, Daniel H. Terry, 32 E. Lawn and M. M. Pence, People's Nat. Bank, Charlottesville.
- VIRGINIA GAMMA (1874), RANDOLPH-MACON COLLEGE, Ashland, Va. *President*, Douglas Stetter; *Reporter*, David L. Balthis, $\Phi \Delta \Theta$ House, Clay St.; *Adviser*, Grellet Simpson, Henry Clay Hotel.
- VIRGINIA DELTA (1875), UNIVERSITY OF RICHMOND, Richmond, Va. *President*, Thomas Jordan; *Reporter*, Harold C. Owens; *Advisers*, Fred Caylor, University of Richmond; Robert H. Mottison, c/o C. & O. Ry.
- VIRGINIA ZETA (1887), WASHINGTON AND LEE UNIVERSITY, Lexington, Va. *President*, Richard Day; *Reporter*, Thomas S. Brizendine, $\Phi \Delta \Theta$ House, 5 W. Henry St.; *Adviser*, Earl S. Mattingly, Washington and Lee Univ.
- WASHINGTON ALPHA (1900), UNIVERSITY OF WASHINGTON, Seattle, Wash. *President*, Herb Knudson, Jr.; *Reporter*, Armie Groth, $\Phi \Delta \Theta$ House, 2111 E. 47th St.; *Adviser*, Ray Gardner, 5730-64th Ave. N.E.
- WASHINGTON BETA (1914), WHITMAN COLLEGE, Walla Walla, Wash. *President*, Richard Ellis; *Reporter*, Robert McMullen, $\Phi \Delta \Theta$ House, 715 Estrella Ave.; *Adviser*, Lee McMurey, 513 Balm St.
- WASHINGTON GAMMA (1918), WASHINGTON STATE

COLLEGE, Pullman, Wash. *President*, William Aya; *Reporter*, Joseph Beckman, $\Phi\Delta\Theta$ House, 600 Campus Ave.; *Adviser*, George T. Blakkolb, 1212 Maiden Lane.
 WEST VIRGINIA ALPHA (1926), WEST VIRGINIA UNIVERSITY, Morgantown, W.Va. *President*, James Stewart; *Reporter*, William Y. Klett, $\Phi\Delta\Theta$ House, 480 Spruce St.; *Adviser*, Paul Topper, 221 Hight St.
 WISCONSIN ALPHA (1857), UNIVERSITY OF WISCONSIN, Madison, Wis. *President*, James M. Moses; *Reporter*, John Wright, $\Phi\Delta\Theta$ House, 620 N. Lake St.; *Adviser*,

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 WISCONSIN BETA (1859), LAWRENCE COLLEGE, Appleton, Wis. *President*, Joseph Morton; *Reporter*, Ray Miller, $\Phi\Delta\Theta$ House, 424 E. North St.; *Adviser*, H. S. Biggers, 776 Appleton Rd., Menasha, Wis.
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The Roll of Alumni Clubs

THE items in each entry are entered in this order: Name of the city; the Secretary of the Club, with his address; the time and place of the weekly luncheon or other stated meeting.

Changes should be reported immediately to General Headquarters, Oxford, Ohio

ALABAMA

BIRMINGHAM.—Irvine C. Porter, 203 Comer Bldg.
 MOBILE.—C. A. L. Johnstone, Jr., 20 Blacklawn.
 MONTGOMERY.—V. Bonneau Murray, Jr., 1505 S. Perry St.

ARIZONA

PHOENIX.—Lynn Hawkins, 25 W. Portland St. Wednesday, at noon, San Carlos French Cafe.
 TUCSON.—Fred Nave, Valley Nat. Bldg.

CALIFORNIA

HOLLYWOOD-BEVERLY HILLS.—Richard Hall, Columbia Broadcasting Corp. Second and fourth Mondays, 12:15 P.M. Brittingham's Cafe, Radio City Tower and Sunset Blvd.
 LONG BEACH.—Chas. S. Pitcairn, 502 Insurance Exchange Bldg. Second Tuesday at noon, Lord & Taylor Grill, 24 Pacific Ave.
 LOS ANGELES.—Donald P. Sternberg, 623 S. Hope St. Wednesday, at noon, University Club.
 OAKLAND (EAST BAY).—Dudley H. Nebeker, 1419 Broadway. Luncheon, Friday, 12:10 P.M., Hotel Coit, Fifteenth and Harrison Sts.
 PASADENA.—R. L. Rogers, 4419 Commonwealth Ave. First Thursday, 7:00 P.M., Flintridge Country Club.
 SAN DIEGO.—Arnold Fleet, 1787 Guy St. Third Thursday, San Diego Club.
 SAN FRANCISCO.—John Garth, 535 Sacramento St. Luncheon, Thursday, Commercial Club, 465 California St.
 COLORADO
 DENVER.—Robert Casey, McKesson Robbins Wholesale Drug Co. Thursday, 12:15 P.M., Denver Dry Goods Tea Room.
 FORT COLLINS.—S. Avery Bice, 1001 Mathews St. First and third Mondays, 7:45 P.M., 1011 Remington St.

CONNECTICUT

BRIDGEPORT.—
 NEW HAVEN.—Harry B. Keffer, 280 Elm St. Last Thursday, 7:00 P.M., Hofbrau Restaurant.

DELAWARE

WILMINGTON.—W. George Bowles, 3 N. Clifton Ave.

DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA

WASHINGTON.—Everett Flood, 4221 Connecticut Ave. Luncheon, Thursday, 12:30 P.M., Hamilton Hotel.

FLORIDA

GAINESVILLE.—Calvert Pepper, 1434 Cherokee Ave.
 JACKSONVILLE.—Richard K. White, 104 W. Bay St., 12:15 P.M., 1st & 9d Thursday, Mayflower Hotel.
 MIAMI.—R. Van Dorn Post, 2222 N.W. Second St. Wednesday, 12:30 P.M., Walgreen's, Third floor.

ST. PETERSBURG.—Paul Morton Brown, Suwanee Hotel.
 TAMPA.—Chester H. Ferguson, Maas Office Bldg.

GEORGIA

ATLANTA.—Hammond Dean, care Travelers Ins. Co., 10 Pryor St. Bldg. Second Tuesday, 12:30 P.M., Atlanta Athletic Club.
 GAINESVILLE.—M. C. Brown, Jr.
 MACON.—Tom Flournoy, Jr., New York Life Ins. Co.
 ROME.—Harry Boss, Tubize Chatillon Co. Third Tuesday, 6:30 P.M., Hotel General Forrest.
 WAYNESBORO.—John J. Jones, Box 77.

HAWAII

HONOLULU.—Second Wednesday, Commercial Club.

IDAHO

BOISE.—C. J. Powell, 804 Jefferson St. Third Wednesday, 12:15 P.M., Hotel Boise.

ILLINOIS

CHAMPAIGN-URBANA.—Dr. E. L. Draper, 306 S. Mathews St., Urbana.
 CHICAGO.—Paul H. Whitney, Room 1433, 1 N. LaSalle St. Friday, at noon, Hardings Fair Store, Adams and Dearborn.
 EVANSTON (NORTH SHORE).—John E. Fields, Lunt Administration Building, Northwestern Univ.
 GALESBURG.—Richard R. Larson, Custer Hotel. Five meetings a year: Sept., Oct., Feb., Mar. 15, June, $\Phi\Delta\Theta$ House.
 QUINCY.—Second Thursday, at noon, Hotel Quincy.

INDIANA

COLUMBUS.—Yandell C. Cline.
 CRAWFORDSVILLE.—B. C. Evans, Ben Hur Bldg.
 FORT WAYNE.—J. M. Wright.
 FRANKLIN.—John Sellers.
 INDIANAPOLIS.—N. F. Sumner, 424 Postal Station Bldg. Friday, at noon, Canary Cottage, 46 Monument Circle.

KOKOMO.—Charles Rose, 911 W. Walnut St.
 LAFAYETTE.—Kenneth R. Snyder, Sharp Bldg.
 SHELBYVILLE.—Richard Schneider, St. Mary's St. Quarterly by notice, 6:15 P.M., Golden Glow Tea Room.
 SULLIVAN.—Clem J. Hux. Quarterly by notice, Black Bat Tea Room.

TERRE HAUTE.—Phil C. Brown, 237 Hudson Ave.
 VINCENNES.—William D. Murray, Bicknell, Ind.

IOWA

DES MOINES.—Albert P. Diehl, 225 Insurance Exchange Bldg. Saturday noon, Hermits Club, 707 Locust.
 IOWA CITY.—Albert D. Annis, C-106 East Hall. Wednesday, at noon, Triangle Club.
 MT. PLEASANT.—

KANSAS

ARKANSAS CITY.—Robert A. Brown, Home Nat. Bank.
 HUTCHINSON.—Whitley Austin, Hutchinson Pub. Co.
 MANHATTAN.—C. W. Colver, 1635 Fairchild Ave.
 Meetings on call, $\Phi \Delta \Theta$ House.
 TOPEKA.—Merrill S. Rutter, 1025 Kansas Ave. First
 Monday, 6:30 P.M., $\Phi \Delta \Theta$ House.
 WICHITA.—Robert S. Campbell, Beacon Bldg.

KENTUCKY

LEXINGTON.—Hal H. Tanner, 121 Woodland Ave.
 LOUISVILLE.—Truman Jones, 1701 Dixie Hgwy. Friday,
 at noon, Seelbach Hotel.

LOUISIANA

NEW ORLEANS.—George D. Tessier, 1523 Soniat St.
 First Monday, 2514 State St.
 SHREVEPORT.—Tom W. Bridges, Jr., 607 Stoner Ave.
 Second Tuesday, 12:15 P.M., Washington Hotel Coffee
 Shop.

MAINE

PORTLAND.—Ralph M. Sommerville, 70 Forest Ave.
 WATERVILLE.—Gordon K. Fuller, 44 Burleigh St. Sec-
 ond Wednesday evening, $\Phi \Delta \Theta$ House.

MARYLAND

BALTIMORE.—John E. Jacob, Jr., c/o A. Lee Pollitt,
 R.D. 2, Salisbury, Md. Third Thursday, 6:30 P.M., The
 Mecca, 32 S. Calvert St.
 HAGERSTOWN.—D. K. McLaughlin, Forest Dr. Second
 Tuesday, 6:30 P.M., Dagmar Hotel.
 SALISBURY (Del-Mar-Va).—Nelson H. Fritz, Box 1106.

MASSACHUSETTS

BOSTON.—E. Curtis Mower, Jr., 161 Devonshire St.
 Thursday, at noon, Chamber of Commerce, 14th floor,
 80 Federal St.

MICHIGAN

DETROIT.—Harold D. Love, 1300 Union Guardian Bldg.
 Friday, 12:15 P.M., Intercollegiate Club, Penobscot
 Bldg.
 GRAND RAPIDS.—Paul F. Steteket, Jr., 506 Sherman St.
 S.E. First Monday, University Club Rooms, Michigan
 Trust Bldg.
 LANSING.—Richard K. Ammerson, Capital Savings and
 Loan Bldg. Monday, 12:15 P.M., Hotel Olds.

MINNESOTA

MINNEAPOLIS.—Marshall B. Taft, 1140 Rand Tower.
 Wednesday, 12:10 P.M., Room E, Nicollet Hotel.
 ST. PAUL.—Robert E. Withy, Jr., 231 E. Sixth St.

MISSISSIPPI

CLARKSDALE.—Thack Grant Hughes, Jr., Box 365.
 GREENWOOD.—G. M. Barrett, Jr., 517 Bell Ave.
 JACKSON.—Edward S. Lewis, Lamar Bldg.
 MERIDIAN.—Sam T. Watts, Jr., 2409 24th Ave.
 TUPELO.—J. M. Thomas, Jr.

MISSOURI

FULTON.—Ovid H. Bell, 1201 Bluff St.
 KANSAS CITY.—Menefee D. Blackwell, 2000 Fidelity
 Bldg. Friday, at noon, Wachter's Sandwich Shop, 1112
 Baltimore; 6:30 P.M., first Monday, Bavarian Rathskel-
 ler, Amour at Forest.
 ST. JOSEPH.—Marshall L. Carder, 4th and Angelique
 Sts. Thursday, at noon, Pennant Cafeteria, 7th and
 Felix Sts.
 ST. LOUIS.—Lawrence McDougall, 6641 San Bonita St.
 Friday, 12:15 P.M., Scruggs-Vandervoort and Barney,
 Tea Room, Ninth and Olive Sts.

NEBRASKA

LINCOLN.—Charles T. Stuart, 625 Stuart Bldg. First
 Thursday, Lincoln University Club.

OMAHA.—Robert L. Smith, Byron Reed Co. Thursday,
 at noon, Aquila Court Tea Room.

NEW JERSEY

ATLANTIC CITY.—Charles A. Bartlett, Jr., 3910 Win-
 chester Ave. Normandy Grill.

NEW YORK

ALBANY.—Fred M. Alexander, 44 Terrace Ave.
 BINGHAMTON.—Gerald F. Smith, 27 Bennett Ave.
 BUFFALO.—Melville T. Huber, 1240 Delaware Ave.
 Monthly dinners as announced.
 ELMIRA.—Harvey J. Couch, 143 Church St., Odessa,
 N.Y. Fifteenth of each month.
 GLENS FALLS.—Alternate Saturdays, 12:50, Queensbury
 Hotel.
 NEW YORK.—Donald C. Hays, 1 Wall St., Phone Digby
 4-070. Friday, 12:30 P.M., New York State Chamber
 of Commerce, 65 Liberty St.
 POUGHKEEPSIE.—Samuel A. Moore, 231 Main St. First
 Friday, 7:00 P.M., Hotel Campbell, Camon St.
 ROCHESTER.—Wm. D. Miller, 1386 Lake Ave. Thursday
 Luncheon, Chamber of Commerce, 55 St. Paul St.
 SCHEENECTADY.—Thomas McLaughlin, 209 Cannon
 Bldg., Troy, N.Y.
 SYRACUSE.—W. T. Harper, 210 Robineau Rd. Monday,
 12:15 P.M., University Club.
 UTICA.—Richard H. Balch, 20 Whitesboro St.
 WATERTOWN.—Charles D. Griffith, 127 Paddock St.

NORTH CAROLINA

CHARLOTTE.—Ernest W. Ewbank, Jr., 831 E. More-
 head St. Second and fourth Mondays, Efrid's Dept.
 Store Grill.
 DURHAM.—B. G. Childs, Duke University.
 GREENSBORO.—E. Earl Rives, Municipal Court. Second
 Friday, 6:30 P.M., O. Henry Hotel.
 WINSTON-SALEM.—C. Frank Watson, Gladstone Apts.,
 601 Brookstown Ave.

NORTH DAKOTA

FARGO.—W. R. Haggart, 108 8th St. S. First Friday,
 luncheon, Chamber of Commerce.
 GRAND FORKS.—S. Theodore Rex, 21 O'Connor Bldg.
 First Thursday, 12:15 P.M., Decotah Hotel.
 MINOT.—J. T. Blaisdell, Blaisdell Motor Co., First
 Thursday.

OHIO

AKRON.—Philip Dietrich, *Akron Beacon Journal*, 140
 Portage Dr. Luncheon, Thursday, City Club, Ohio
 Bldg.; dinner, second Thursday, 6:30 P.M., University
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 ers, Ohio.

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 BLACKWELL.—Lawrence A. Cullison, First Nat. Bank Bldg. Last Friday, 7:00 P.M., Larkin Hotel.
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 PORTLAND.—Charles L. Stidd, 423 S.W. Broadway. Friday noon, Portland Rose Tea Room, Alderway Bldg., third Wednesday dinner, Hilaires Restaurant.

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