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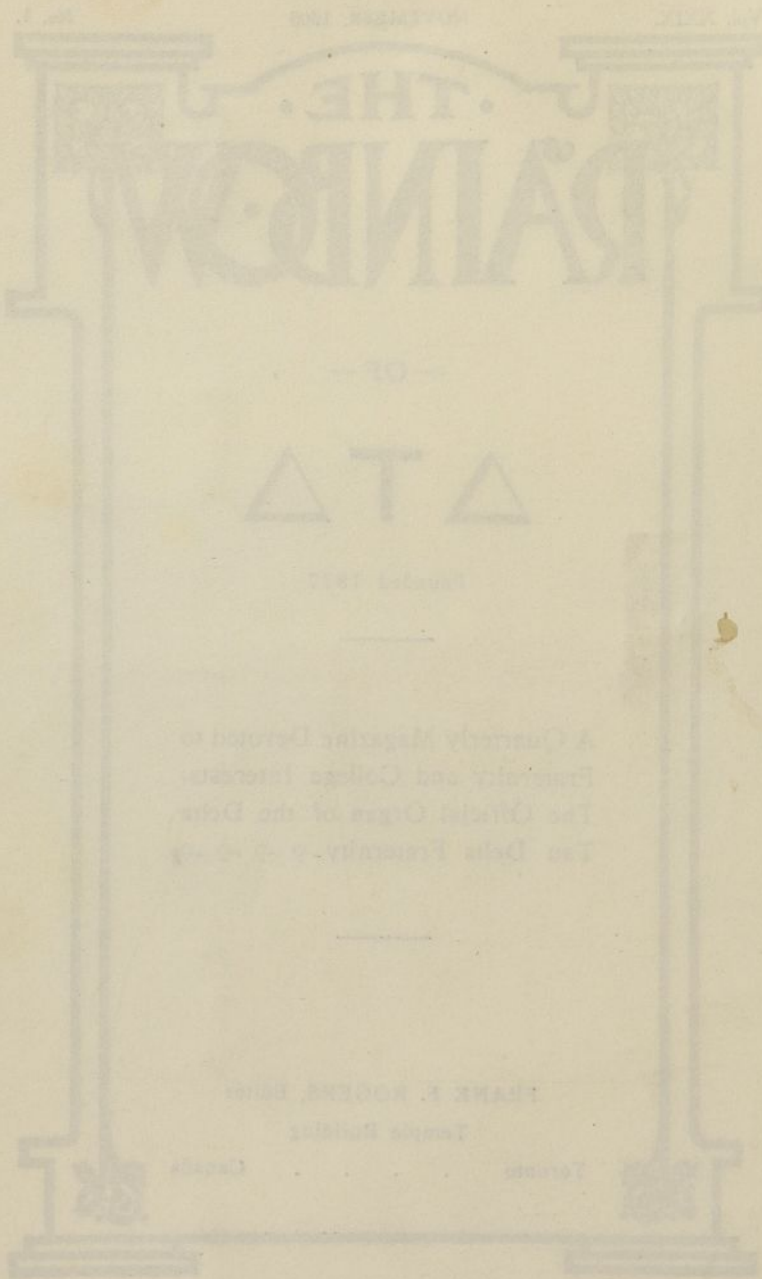
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THIRTY-EIGHTH KARNEA BANQUET



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## Thirty-Eighth Karnea

A Story of the Greatest Karnea in the History of the Fraternity.

The scattered remnants of the greatest Delta army that ever gathered, which stormed New York and then capitulated to its charms, from their far-dispersed homes and hamlets are winging a song. They are asking that their regards be given to Broadway and they would like to be especially remembered to Coney Island. If they only could, they would tell those of the faithful who may wander into the Hotel Astor, that they will soon be there. But most of all they want to give their regards, best wishes and remembrances to those premier Karnea hosts, the New York Alumni Association and their able assistants, Rho and Gamma Upsilon chapters. *New York papers please copy.*

Great is New York. Great is the New York Alumni Association. Great was the Thirty-Eighth Karnea. How regretfully one pens that "was," for the Karnea should never have ended. It was too good to die but the gods loved it.

Strange portents stirred Manhattan on the morning of Monday, August Twenty-First. The Statue of Liberty refused to welcome another imported American but turned deliberately around and extended her welcoming hand toward the Hotel Astor. The Flatiron shook visibly. Bunco

men, skippers of hansom cabs and similar Broadway craft, and other pirates of the metropolis arose early and, kissing their wives farewell, remarked that they had a hard week ahead of them. Upon the threshold of the city of our dreams, we scraped from our feet the good loam of Three Corners, Kan., shook from our garments the dust of Allagamazoo, Cal., and removed from our hair the hay seed of Squashville, Neb. At the doorstep of the metropolis we faltered and hesitated, stung for the first time with the consciousness of our reubicity. We hesitated. New York did not. New York took us in.

The delegate from Baldwin, Kan., who was assessed twenty-five cents per for two cups of coffee at the Hotel Astor, when he swears he could obtain a better article at his local lunch counters for a nickel, desires to present an affidavit as to the last statement.

Singly and in pairs, in parties large and small, wearing the unmistakable "rah-rah" cap and again, the sober headpiece of the alumnus, the representatives of Deltdom poured into that great town. Designing confidence men, disguised as small boys, sought to relieve you of your suit case, but you knew better. You lugged it till the Hotel Astor loomed up as a refuge. You dodged the bedizened flunkey at the door and stumbled in. In another moment, you were engulfed in a jostling, hand-shaking crowd which held reunions in the lobby, upsetting vastly the decorum of that hostelry and causing great alarm among the menials. Those menials! Do you remember the deprecating, apologetic manner in which they raised their pleading hands and rushed toward you every time you started a good, rousing yell? "If you please, sir." Nothing of the western, "Here, cut that out." Therefore the yells were generally concluded.

You were hustled to the elevator and chased into the reg-



istration room where you gazed for the first time upon the debonair Hodgdon and were given a number and a tag by Secretary Jones, just as New York does with its guests at its favorite institution of Sing Sing. Members of the Arch Chapter and Sherman Arter, who was found sitting on the doorstep when the hotel opened up for business in the morning, were quite chesty because they had low numbers and, if you were late and had a big number, you weren't in the social swim at all.

When you had been corralled and labelled, you stepped aside and the Karnea began for you. You dodged down the hallway, striving to elude the alluring raffles of the jewelry dealers, but you always failed. And the other man always won. If you were new to Karneas, you stood by and trod as if on air, as dignitary after dignitary was pointed out to you.

Chapter treasurers of recent remissness and unhealed scars, refused to believe without a struggle that this mild-mannered, smiling youth, who actually purred as he spoke in velvety accents, was the redoubtable Duerr. Their mental picture of the master of the cush was that of an ogre, bearing a large round-shouldered club all over blood, and having two large tusks for teeth, from between which fire was emitted. Duerr should have had a make-up for the occasion, or else remained at home. It is realized that his letters now will never have the same effect. So do our youthful illusions perish.

The modest and retiring Brück—Mr. Printer, please besprinkle that "u" with plenty of dots—strove to efface himself but he was frequently grabbed and hauled out into the great white light while Possum Trot, Mich., and other burgs took a good, long look at him. Brück is said to resemble King Edward but otherwise bears an excellent reputation.

Delegates who had confidently expected to see the old Roman, Bolard, appear in a toga, were disappointed. The pre-conceived idea that Editor Rogers was a stoop-shouldered, spectacled, literary gent with Browning hair, suffered a severe jolt when his stalwart form deployed into the hotel. Frank Rogers offset the disappointment among the literati, however, by holding literary levees in room 179 at which Scotch and Canadian articles were discussed as late as — a. m. on some occasions. It was on one of these occasions that "Sunny Jim" Wakefield, in the role of Lawson, began his campaign against the rapacious "system." More anon, as the Hoop-Pole township correspondent says.

It is reported that when the dudes of Broadway observing the cut of the clothes of President Wieland and, consumed with envy, asked his tailor, learned that he was from Chicago, they nearly died from mortification. Dr. Wieland was more natty than the nattiest of those who claimed Broadway as their habitat. He was more graceful and more courteous than the champion three-ply Chesterfields of the vaunted east. With a polish to his shoes and his manner, he buzzed all over the place. He held in loving clasp the grimy paw of the delegate from Painted Post, Ariz., while at the same time he listened in rapt attention while the advantages of establishing a chapter at the school for the deaf and dumb at Jacksonville, Ill., were painted. He was the *pluribus unum* and the *ne plus ultra* of 'em all. He out-easted the east on its own stamping grounds and the west shook hands with itself every time it saw him.

Modesty cannot overcome truth and it is the truth that the feature of Monday was the arrival of the western delegation from Chicago. Under the sheltering care of the great and only Scott, upwards of forty had taken two coaches from the city by the lake. As the president of the





# THE ARCH CHAPTER

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Chicago alumni association was afraid that his firm would install a new floorwalker in his place, he was only able to chaperon the party as far as Niagara Falls. It was just as well. Their conduct was noticeably improved after his defection. The Chicago party took boat at Albany and spent the day viewing the sights on the Hudson, using glasses with which the vessel was plentifully provided. The Pacific coast delegation, headed by McNair and Bonifield, had joined forces at Chicago. Three worn-out bartenders were removed from the boat when it reached New York. On those evil minded persons who will jump to see a connection between these sentences one can only look with scorn. There were brave spirits in that party. There was Malvern, once president of the Western Division, who was an eastener before he reformed; and there was Van Petten, the representative of the Chicago alumni association. There was some wonder as to why a native of Evanston was chosen for this task but all carping critics ceased when the representative began to represent. Judge Hewitt, president of the western clans, looked with a fatherly eye to the Beta Gamma men and modesty forbids even the bare mention of him who guarded Beta Upsilon's bevy of beauties while they slept. It was the hardest job I ever had. For Markham of Gamma Theta, Fields of Missouri and other unbridled spirits made the night ring with wild, petulant revelry. The train left Chicago at 3 o'clock Saturday afternoon, arriving at Niagara the next morning, where the westerners spent Sunday viewing the falls from every conceivable angle. When the falls palled, attention was devoted to couples on their honeymoons.

When this inspiring band landed, they were met by Moguls Duerr and Brück. At this moment also, many of the party had their first view of the Colossus of Cleveland, Sher-

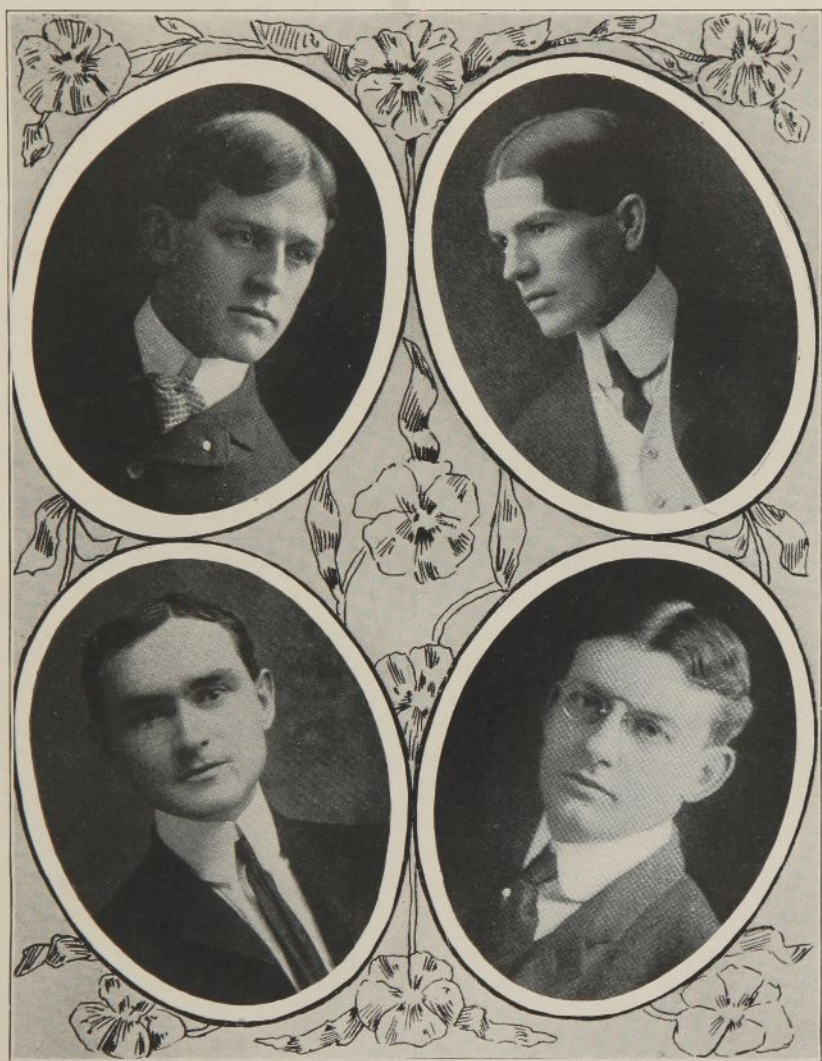
man Arter, who was likewise on hand. Cheering for the moguls, the delegation hustled for the hotel and the success of the Karnea was assured.

It had been scheduled to entertain the visiting Greeks at the famed New York Hippodrome but that institution firmly refused to hip, much to the dismay of Press Agent Hillegas, whose tome on the Boer war had been outdone by his siren picture of the joys that awaited the traveler in New York. Accordingly, the Wistaria roof garden was selected as a substitute. It was here that so many necks were made stiff, the result of craning to see the famous "King" Maas who was at his best in an ice cream suit and a death-dealing cigarette. So the roof garden proved a very acceptable substitute, for here you could talk and smoke and watch the show—if you wanted to. There was notably little smoking and talking when a fairy form in a pink domino evolved over the stage. And after the show, you talked and talked and met countless good fellows. Then you retired, for you were weary with your trip and there was Tuesday almost on you.

Tuesday there was a business session, of course. This chronicle has naught to do with that. Several alumni, who had no thought of their families, were discovered being photographed in a "seeing New York automobile," but the matter was hushed up. Before the eyes of every Delta there danced a vision of fairy vistas. Tuesday night—let me say it slowly—Tuesday night, we went to Coney Island.

Please pronounce this "Cooney" lest you should be taken as one lacking culture and the luster of the metropolis. Press Agent Hillegas had painted the glories of the place with a lavish hand. With flowers of speech, he had decked his bulletins, until we were fairly afraid that the lights toward which the steamer danced would dim ere we landed. They

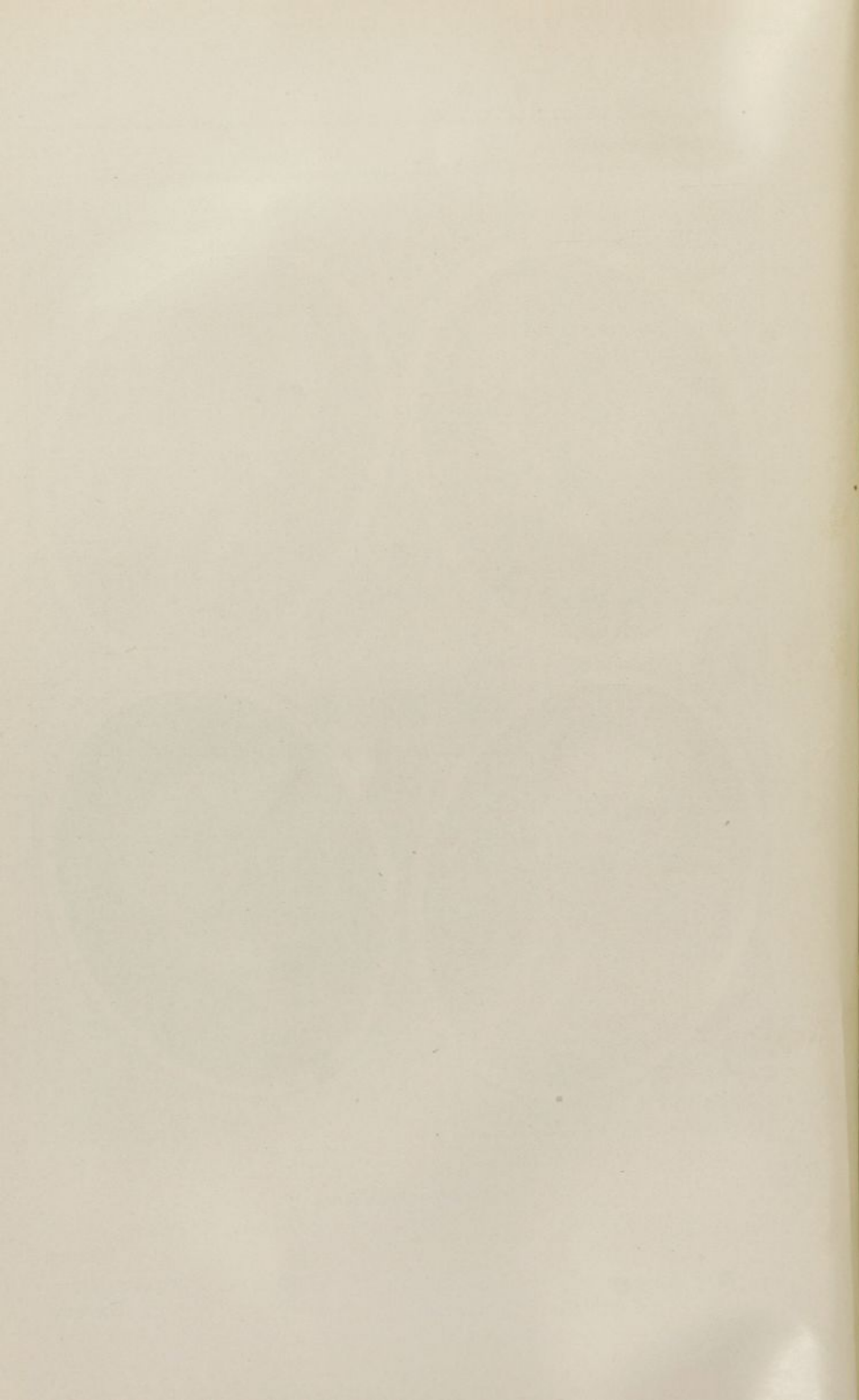




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Eastern



did not dim. This is a matter of history. The Delta legions rediscovered Coney Island. Was it Hillegas who wrote, imbued with a prophet's eye, that one might take the last boat back to New York, if he so desired? I think it was and he also added that the trolley cars ran all night. It was well that they did, else there had been foot-sore wearers of the square badge on Wednesday morn.

The beautiful thing about that trip was that it cost nothing. This is a remarkable statement to make about New York and it should be explained that the Karnea hosts footed the bills. It was a good and a gracious act. They placed you on a boat and they fed you at Dreamland. They gave you a book of tickets that admitted you to every amusement in Luna Park. They ushered you about. They watched over you. They rescued you when, like Adam of old, you were exiled, driven from the beautiful garden, not by an angel with a flaming sword, but by a policeman with a cockney accent and a brutal club. For such was the unhappy fate of Sawrie of Sewanee, whose sweetly southern slur was absurdly mistaken by said rough-neck, who imagined that he had been consigned to territory considerably warmer than even Coney was that Tuesday night. Hillegas, Kilpatrick and the rest hurriedly rushed to the assistance of the belated southron. Again he saw the lights of Luna. And the cop got a call down. Who shall give the New York alumni the credit that is due them?

Long tables waited, laden with lunch and "refreshments" and here after landing, that great party, which had stormed its way singing that the gang was all there and who cared, seated themselves two hundred and fifty strong. It is on record that they consumed countless quantities of food but just how they did it and kept up the continual yelling and singing, is a mystery that will myst its way down the ages.



Even Coney Island, which seldom notices, sat up and took a look. The Pennsylvania choristers wedged together for some close harmony. The yells of every large institution of learning and football in the United States echoed across the pavilion. When the last pitcher, I mean, when the last sandwich was eaten, we invaded the dancing floor, a huge space, and there, while a band accommodately played the air for "We gather round the banquet board," we walked around to the inspiring music. It was a grand sight. From the "Little Minister," Dr. Charles Henry Wells, whose taste in tobacco was the wonder and admiration of the delegate from Hickory Bend, Ia., to the humblest undergraduate, the spirit of unchecked jollity was rampant. In fact it ramped considerably ere the stars of the summer night got out of the silvern sky, the great sun came palpitating out of the east and "Sunny Jim" went to bed.

Everything you hymned about Coney was so, Hillegas. What boots it that the Hippodrome did not hip? What boots it? we ask and pause for a reply. For Coney is a goodly place but it is better when you visit it, yoked arm in arm with the best fellows on this footstool, the boys of Delta Tau.

In various clans and coteries, the Delta invaders saw the sights. Under the pilotage of Frank Rogers, Von Oven of Beta Upsilon, who used to be a right tackle and a champion hammer thrower, Barker of Beta Gamma and several other kindred spirits were convoyed; while the gentle Malvern led the untutored McNair into strange, winding ways. Members of the august Arch Chapter entered long on dignity but soon fell short. It was no place for dignity. Right here we drink a rousing health to Coney. What boots, again we repeat, what boots the unhipping hippodrome, Hillegas? We had Coney—pronounced "Cooney."

Several delegates were late at the post the next a. m. but

Dr. Wieland was not severe. Even about the Moguls themselves, there was a sort of morning-after appearance.

Who can paint the picture of that banquet Wednesday night, as it should be limned? Only a master hand and the masters are all dead, thank Heaven. (That's how we got a look in.) Judge, you unfortunates who made not the pilgrimage, with what pride and bumptiousness, with what a twinkle in his compelling eyes of jet, "King" Maas shook back his leonine locks and arose, only to blink his orbs at the dazzling light reflected back from that glittering expanse of 335—count 'em—335 brave shirt fronts. Festooned about the speakers' table were various Delta celebrities, excluding Sherman Arter, with J. Russell Thornton and Frank Rogers effectually draped at either end to keep the balance. This devolved extra labor on the part of the latter as Br'er Thornton staggered under the weight of a primitive badge of about the vintage of 1860. Dr. Wieland and Frederick Hodgdon occupied the seats of honor by the toastmaster, Founders Lowe, Hunt and Johnson and the other Moguls occupied seats.

The recent tumult and confusion of the erection of the Tower of Babel, described at some length by hack-writers of the period of about 4114 B. C., would have shut up like a clam before the bedlam that broke loose when the chapters were seated. They yelled for themselves. They yelled for rival institutions. It was a sort of Alphonse and Gaston arrangement. You yelled for the institution, which your alma mater hates worse than the devil is supposed to hate holy water. And they came back with a similar bouquet. Such is the influence of fraternity. The fact that the Wisconsin and Illinois delegations had their fingers crossed when they bellowed for Chicago, cuts no figure at all.

There were vociferous tributes. The middle-western chapters arose in their might and belched forth a lusty bat-



tle-cry for their president, Judge Hewitt. As a matter of course, the judge bought when next they met. And how the Pennsylvania chapter sang! They were there to sing. They knew it. They were slated to warble and they got away with the goods. But the best was when the whole assemblage sang the good old Delt songs, when they thundered out the fact that they "were the boys of Delta Tau. And every loyal fellow renewed the good, old vow." And they stood up to sing that hymn of hymns:

"O Delta Tau, thy sacred vow  
Binds us a band of brothers now."

There was no fun in their eyes when they squared away and sang that. It had always meant something, meant a great deal; but this night it meant the most.

You must not suppose that this was a Barmecide feast. I am not sure who old Barmecide was or what restaurant he kept, but the word looks good in type. They did not yell and sing because there was no other use for the large and sometimes unsightly orifice located directly south of the nose. They yelled and sang in spite of the repast that was spread. All good dinners are described as Lucullian so we will gently turn this down. We understood that dinner, even if we failed to establish diplomatic relations with the menu in the program, which was Greek to us. All over the country, from their perches at the lunch counters where they are browsing o'er a business man's lunch, Deltas are hankering for the fleshpots of the Hotel Astor. There wasn't much hankering at Cleveland, but why mention Cleveland? Let the dead past bury its dead. We are in New York. We—editorially speaking—will never be in Cleveland again, unless we are chloroformed.

Most novel and unique were the banquet programs, wherein again was displayed the fine Italian hand of Hillegas.



Cartoonists who receive salaries of \$100,000 per year, much of it in money, had been secured to draw thumb-nail sketches of celebrities and their doings. This made a souvenir to be preserved where the moth ball prevents the moth from corrupting.

Just before the speaking began, considerable excitement was created by shouts of "Great Scott" and it was hurriedly rumored that the Chicagoan was present. This was a canard. The party which eloped from the windy city under his chaperonage were merely remembering the absent.

The "King" was hailed and acclaimed, just as he always is when he leaned over the table and hypnotized the gang. According to his opening remarks, the Statue of Liberty was wearing the pansy in her corsage. At this last word there was considerable blushing in the ranks of Gamma Theta. The "King" asserted that the fossilization of geography had been overcome when this convention was brought to New York. And then he spoke, as he only can speak and he transfixed his hearers. "Go on, go on" they shouted when he explained that he was only a toastmaster. "To the Arch chapter" cried the "King" and the three hundred and thirty-five shirt-fronts crackled as the men behind them rose and quaffed a health to the Moguls—God bless 'em!

While "The King's" speech was hypnotism pure and simple and impossible to report, your scribe was fortunate enough to secure one of his majesty's cuffs and is able to reproduce two of the most brilliant flights.

"Go into the garden of American colleges and gather beautiful roses, each one representing a Delta chapter, bind them together with the strong ivy of our alumni—and you have the unsurpassed bouquet which our Fraternity has presented to the Goddess of Liberty who holds sway over our grand Atlantic harbor. The bouquet she proudly wears in her corsage to-night as her torch beckons to the nations in the cause of liberty, equality and world cleanliness."

"Gathered as we are to-night in this great metropolis, where triumphs of art and commerce are a splendid monument to the Divine Providence that has given this nation the light of Anglo-Saxon civilization, standing in this great twentieth century arena, glorified by its battles of brains, by its clashes of mighty intellects, the Delta Tau Delta Fraternity knows no locality, no section, no division. We eat of the golden fruit of California, we sail on the bosom of the mighty lakes, we climb the blue Berkshire hills of the North, our feet are caressed by the warm waters of the Gulf stream of the South, we revel in the historic Hudson of the East. We are indeed an *American* fraternity, great in its national strength, wonderful in its intellectual force, beautiful in its moral stability."

It was fitting that President Wieland be asked to break the oratorical ice. According to the program, Dr. Wieland is of Eta but this is the only place where it erred. It should have said "Eta and Beta Upsilon"; for, Eta being extinct, Dr. Wieland has been tendered a permanent home by Beta Upsilon. Down at Illinois, whenever a speaker arises he, from time immemorial, has been greeted with a barbaric chant, and thus was the leader of them all welcomed by his chapter-mates:

"Here's old Wieland, he's here too;  
He is a Beta Upsilon, tried and true.  
This is what the people say,  
When he goes to heaven, he'll go the other way.  
What's the matter with Wieland?  
He's all right!  
Who's all right?  
Wieland!

YOU BET HE IS!"

It might be explained, that on ordinary occasions, the word "drunkard" is substituted for "Beta Upsilon" while "You bet" is replaced with "the h—l." This was no or-



dinary occasion but there were plenty of occasions after the banquet when every celebrity was greeted with this chant.

Dr. Wieland wasted no time but got busy in a jiffy. Before the astonished assemblage, he mounted Pegasus and hung a Persian garland of poesy about the neck of John Bolard. He touched feelingly upon the exit of Rogers to Canada and then tossed several floral pieces at the arch chapter, who never dodged. The permanency of a college and its attractiveness for the class of young men wanted, were the criterions by which expansion was to be followed, he declared. It goes without saying that the courtly physician tossed a huge bouquet at New York, proving that Chicago isn't the whole hog or none it is accused of being.

And then he paid a tribute to the memory of that brave boy and brother, who died in the Iroquois fire—a tribute that was as noble as the deed by which it was evoked.

ENTER "Sunny Jim" Wakefield. He was not on the program but "King" Maas declared that he must be heard and the man who made Pittsburg famous arose while Alpha smiled proudly. There was some wonder as to what he would say. Delegate Parker from Indianapolis whom he had penned up in a hotel corridor until 3 a. m. the night before while he took several swats at the "system," looked alarmed. But this was a pacific "Jim"—a good Indian, and he was not a dead one, either. No one ever accused him of being this.

"Sunny Jim" had a duty. It was the presentation to Chairman Hodgdon of the New York alumni association committee of a silver loving cup. And he presented that in such a skillful fashion that one paled at the thought that perhaps some one else might have been selected for the task.



How he performed this pleasant duty will be best illustrated by our special phonographic record of the speech itself :

BROTHER TOASTMASTER AND BRETHREN:—For me to undertake to say anything after the burst of eloquence of our distinguished President must recall to you an incident that happened in Balaam's time. At least I feel like that member of the Holy Family shown in the famous picture by Reubens, having four feet and no halo around its head. It is customary on occasions of this kind, and especially so when your name does not appear on the printed list of speakers, to say you are not prepared. And whether you are or not your audience gives you little credit for sincerity. It can best be illustrated by the story of the young Irishman in want of a five-pound note who wrote to his Uncle as follows:—

"DEAR UNCLE:—If you could see how I blush for shame while I am writing this to you I know you would pity me. Do you know why? Because I am compelled to ask you for the loan of a few pounds and I do not know how to express myself. It is impossible for me to tell you, I would rather die. I send this by messenger who is instructed to wait for answer. Believe me, my dearest Uncle,

Your loving, loving Nephew,

TERRENCE MULCAHY.

"P. S. Overcome with shame for what I have written, I have been running after the messenger in order to take the letter from him, but I cannot catch up with him. Heaven grant that something may happen to stop him or that my letter may get lost. T. M."

The Uncle was naturally touched and deeply impressed with the sincerity of the letter and being equal to the emergency replied:—

"MY DEAR TERRY:—Console yourself and blush no longer for shame. Providence has been most kind to you and heard your prayers. The messenger lost your letter.

Your affectionate Uncle,

SHAMUS O'BRIAN."

I am always prepared to say something to my Delta Brethren. It is so easy to speak the truth in such a company. And the task assigned me, and of which I will speak later, is to the liking of my



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heart. I only regret that time was not given me to prepare and do, as nearly as I could, the subject justice. But before this pleasant duty let me say, as I look into the eyes of many of the founders, what must be the sensation of pride in their hearts to-night. Oh, the glory of it all. Each one of you looks like a Delta. When I was entered in the Fraternity Brotherly Love and Pure Devotion were our parental guides. Every countenance here bears this parental stamp and that is why our Society is so triumphant. Have you ever heard the story of the opal? Once there was a dew drop resting on a green leaf in a cool dell. A setting sun ray saw it there and being tired of the day's labor lay its head upon its bosom and went to sleep. A rising moon beam saw this setting sun ray sleeping there so calm and sweet and in an ecstasy of joy it kissed, embraced and loved that sun ray. And the child born of that love was the opal—bearing on its face the image of both its parents, the golden glory of the setting sun and the silver beauty of the rising moon. Sweeter far is the Delta legend. Away off on those barren bleak Virginia hills before the stony altar of the Allegheny Mountains, with the crescent moon and watchful stars as witness, Brotherly Love and Pure Devotion were joined in holy wedlock while the forest winds played the wedding march. And the child born of that union is this great and yet greater to be Delta Tau Delta Fraternity.

Meetings like this don't "Just happen." They represent the energy and hard work of some one. Most of us, while our loyalty is undoubted, when it comes to the bearing of the burden of the Karnea admit our membership in the seven W's. "We won't work! will we? We won't." This convention and this banquet is the outcome of the seven H's, viz: Hodgdon's hourly hurrying hustling heroically helps h'us. Brother Hodgdon, I have been selected by the Brethren to present to you this loving cup as a slight appreciation of your efforts in making this the most successful of Karnea's and Banquets and of the love and affection they unerringly bestow upon you. I am glad it is a loving cup for it augurs that in the future I may have a drink with you. It is not Rogers' triple plated (I am told he had nothing to do with it), but made of pure silver and given from pure love by your Brethren. And now, sir, as I hand it to you I beg to say that I am like the fellow who said he knew how to drink whiskey, it never hurt him; he just drank all he wanted and then quit. He had to.

Hodgdon, modest man that he is, mumbled something about his associates, when the cheering had ceased and "Sunny Jim" had handed over the junk. He was deeply affected and could say but little, so the gang cheered mightily again when he filled the cup and put it to his lips. It was a gracious gift to the man of all men whose unremitting labors made the Karnea the great success it was.

California went crazy when former president Kendric Charles Babock was introduced. He was the apostle of the far west and they knew and loved him. Gently he discoursed and those who heard rejoiced. H. J. Allen of Kansas, a Gamma Theta recruit, exploited the glories of his unterrified commonwealth and there was nothing the matter with Kansas in his opinion. Right here we would like to speak right out in meeting and inquire: Why wasn't Gamma Theta's man greeted with that musical Baker yell, which, most properly as Kansas is an agricultural state, begins with an appeal for a hoe for B. U.? We pause for a reply. Gamma Theta should have hoed with a vim for she had two representatives on the toast list, the other being W. M. Hudson, an undergraduate of the class of 1906. Bre'er Hudson spoke his piece most bravely, unterrified by his presence among such heavy oratorical artillery.

But the speech—put all the emphasis you can on that "the"—was that of Charles Krichbaum, Psi '83, of Ohio. He started down the stretch carrying weight, for it was reported that he had been recommended by Arter. Delegates who grow hungry for dinner at the plebeian hour of noon but were denied sustenance because of the frequent recommendations Sherm was making for that front row seat, where he was evidently lashed, were inclined to be wary and fear the Greeks, e'en though they bore gifts. But there was no danger in looking this gift-horse in the teeth. Some of us



knew. We had heard him at Cleveland—but why mention Cleveland? Krichbaum's words were an inspiration. They breathed the spirit of good-will and friendship. They beckoned his hearers to the paths of truth. Superlatives exhaust themselves to tell how this fine looking Ohioan, simply, quietly, but with all the effectiveness in the world, delivered himself of his message.

Congratulated afterward by young hearers, who told him that his words had done them a power of good, the speaker replied: "I'm glad. I meant every word of them." And he did.

For a fitting valedictory, there was Dr. Hunt's fine toast. And then "King" Maas explained the walk-around situation. It seemed that the indefatigable Hillegas, to swell the crowd, had declared in a Karnea bulletin that the chapter or alumni association which had the largest representation, considering its distance, would be allotted the glorious duty of leading the walk. At this Alpha unloosed its tomahawks and began ghost dances and dog-roasts, asserting that it was a tradition that Alpha must lead always. The New Yorkers consulted the sybils and found that there was no going behind the return. When the "King" announced this, the Alpha table, which had been visibly agitated, leaned back with a restful sigh. "But," continued the "King," "the honor of being second in the walk-around is no mean one. I am informed that the San Francisco alumni association is represented by seven men. Howard C. Hillegas of Tau, now extinct, by his personal efforts, has gathered here eleven of the seventy-five men that this chapter initiated before its death. The honor is between them."

Then came one of the most courtly incidents of the Karnea. Hillegas, from the old Tau table where he and his comrades had been holding a lively wake over the corpse of



the Franklin and Marshall chapter, in their behalf, gracefully surrendered all claim to the honor in favor of the men who came from the golden coast. It was a graceful deed.

So California was honored and well did she deserve that plume. Led by McNair and his fellow shepherd, Bonifield, numbering in her hand such stalwarts as the only Jeffress, musician, grand opera singer, literateur and raconteur, she fell into line behind John Bolard, who as Alpha's representative, took the van. It was a proud night for California—a "keen" night as those sprightly wits, "Stu" Chisholm of Berkley and "Runt" May of Stanford put it, as they stepped with pride. The greatest walk-around ever held!

Loath to leave the scene, in knots those Deltas clustered and sang and cheered. Looking for all the world like old Horace, for he wore a garland about his locks, "Sunny Jim" paraded the corridors. With gravity, he read the immortal Arter ballot which ended "For Sherman Arter, Sherman Arter" and the crowd went wild. But the persistent ones could not stay all night. One by one they faded away. Only the memory of the grandest Delta night in all history remained; but this memory will always linger.

So they wound up Thursday. There were officers to elect, but "Sunny Jim" had been pacified and the "system" was assured two more years of officialdom. Every member of the arch chapter was returned and man after man was cheered at the election. And the Karnea for 1907 was tendered to Chicago on a silver platter. Wherefore Chicago could scarcely refuse. One by one we drifted away and ere Saturday there were few left of that goodly Delt army that had invaded Manhattan. Vain regrets, what boots them? It was good to have lived, it was good to have been there.

Give our regards to Broadway again.

LOUIS M. TOBIN, Beta Upsilon, '01.



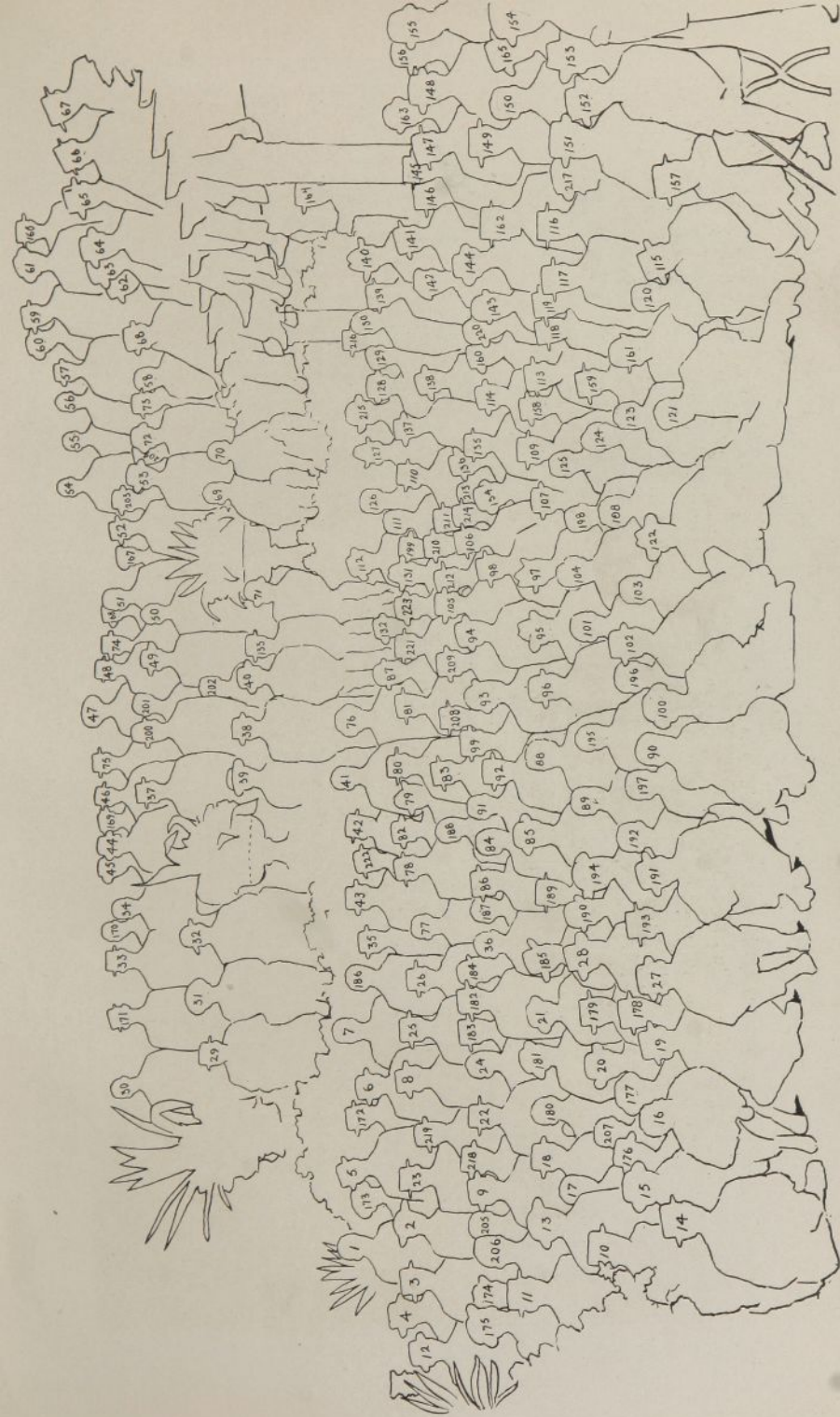


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# THE THIRTY-EIGHTH KARNEA

Group taken in Roof Garden of Hotel Astor, New York





KEY TO ROOF GARDEN GROUP: FOR NAMES SEE PAGES 21, 22 AND 23



# LIST OF MEN IN KARNEA GROUP

For Location Refer to Key

- 1 W. H. Calhoun, Gamma Alpha '08.
- 2 Stanley A. Webster, Beta Omicron '08.
- 3 George Carpenter, Beta Omicron '06.
- 4 Joseph T. Montfort, Theta '92.
- 5 Dallas G. Sutton, Gamma Eta '06.
- 6 Charles S. Loud, Gamma Eta '04.
- 7 Frederick R. Gillender, Omega '99.
- 8 Charles K. Carpenter, Beta Omicron '00.
- 9 Eugene G. Smith, Gamma Gamma '04.
- 10 T. F. O'Kelly, Beta Xi '06.
- 11 A. F. Smead, Beta Mu '06.
- 12 Clarence Pumphrey, Eta '74.
- 13 Guy E. Flagg, Beta Mu '08.
- 14 Bernard S. Pease, Beta Gamma '06.
- 15 G. D. Cooper, Beta Beta '97.
- 16 Arthur B. Grindell, Beta Gamma '02.
- 17
- 18 J. L. Suter, Beta Theta '01.
- 19 Charles F. Buck, Jr., Beta Xi '89.
- 20 Arthur S. Gaylord, Beta Chi '02.
- 21 F. S. Hemmick, Gamma Eta '07.
- 22 Merton W. Webster, Gamma Gamma '06.
- 23 Henry S. Otto, Beta Omicron '07.
- 24 Thomas B. Buell, Delta '02.
- 25 Stanley R. Allen, Delta '06.
- 26 Robert W. Sinclair, Delta '07.
- 27 Caswell P. Ellis, Jr., Beta Xi '01.
- 28 J. E. DeHoff, Tau '94.
- 29 George G. Worthen, Phi '04.
- 30 Wm. D. Morrell, Beta Chi '08.
- 31 S. C. Harrison, Jr., Phi '02.
- 32 J. N. Stone, Lambda '08.
- 33 Jas. Davies Lightbody, Gamma Alpha '07.
- 34 R. G. Holt, Beta Mu '04.
- 35 R. Y. Spare, Omega '05.
- 36 Dr. John A. Bolard, Alpha '78.
- 37 L. C. Marsh, Chi '97.
- 38 William P. Tracy, Beta Phi '08.
- 39 A. E. Shibley, Beta Pi '06.
- 40 Fred N. Burroughs, Zeta '06.
- 41 James Gillender, Jr., Omega '00.
- 42 Howard W. Fulweiler, Omega '08.
- 43 J. R. McCarthy, Gamma Alpha '07.
- 44 David Albert Bolard, Alpha '06.
- 45 Walter V. Towle, Beta Mu '03.
- 46 Ernest M. Watson, Beta Chi '07.
- 47 William L. Hogue, Phi '06.
- 48 L. P. Holland, Phi '06.
- 49 W. M. Stearns, Beta Rho '06.
- 50 N. J. Sawrie, Beta Theta '03.
- 51 Wm. Redfield Porter, Gamma Epsilon '06.
- 52 A. O. Todd, Beta Mu '07.
- 53 C. C. Olcott, Beta Upsilon '06.
- 54 William P. Earle, Jr., Beta Phi '07.
- 55 Stephen Sheldon, Beta Phi '04.
- 56 B. H. Kinney, Beta Phi '07.
- 57 Charles C. Herr, Tau '88.
- 58 Floyd Y. Keeler, Gamma Epsilon '06.
- 59 Clair W. Fairbank, Gamma Eta '04.
- 60 Charles R. Bennett, Beta Mu '08.
- 61 Royal Green, Beta Beta '03.
- 62 Earl Querbach, Gamma Kappa '05.
- 63 Robert H. Haskell, Gamma Epsilon '07.
- 64 Carl C. Tarbox, Beta Mu '00.
- 65 Harry Van Petten, Beta Pi '04.
- 66 Evert B. McCormick, Beta Upsilon '06.



- 67 Harry T. Merritt, Beta Mu '03.
- 68 K. B. Millett, Gamma Epsilon '07.
- 69 Stuart Chisholm, Beta Omega, '06.
- 70 H. Paul Greenwood, Beta Upsilon '05.
- 71 H. A. Brereton, Zeta '08.
- 72 O. P. Chisholm, Jr., Gamma Epsilon '07.
- 73 John L. Kind, Beta Tau '99.
- 74 Albert H. Cole, Beta Alpha '07.
- 75 E. J. Morgan, Zeta '01.
- 76 R. P. Devan, Omega '07.
- 77 Ferris N. Smith, Delta '07.
- 78 H. E. McPherson, Beta Omega '06.
- 79 E. M. Marvin, Beta Tau '06.
- 80 Oscar Storer, Beta Sigma '92.
- 81 C. S. Reeve, Omega '97.
- 82 Wayne S. Evans, Omega '07.
- 83 Lewis Thomas, Beta Lambda '07.
- 84 Dr. Frank Wieland, Eta '90.
- 85 Herbert S. Bonifield, Beta Omega '02.
- 86 Alvan E. Duerr, Sigma '93.
- 87 Bert C. Nelson, Beta Upsilon '04.
- 88 Charles O. Maas, Beta Xi '88.
- 89 Kendrick C. Babcock, Beta Eta '89.
- 90 Frederick C. Hodgdon, Beta Mu '94.
- 91 Edwin Elliot, Omega '99.
- 92 Henry T. Bruck, Rho '78.
- 93 J. D. M. Armistead, Phi '94.
- 94 Harry R. Hewitt, Beta Gamma '02.
- 95 Dr. J. L. N. Hunt, Theta '62.
- 96 William H. Kirk, Gamma '66.
- 97 Jacob S. Lowe, Theta '61.
- 98 Dr. Samuel McClary, III., Beta Omicron '00.
- 99 Thomas E. Rodman, Omega '06.
- 100 William L. McKay, Beta Tau '98.
- 101 Lorenzo B. Smith, Gamma Beta '07.
- 102 W. G. C. Merritt, Iota '93.
- 103 Chas. Wm. Fitzgerald, Beta Eta '08.
- 104 Edwin H. Ellett, Jr., Gamma Beta '07.
- 105 Jonathan Rowland, Beta Lambda '08.
- 106 Arthur S. Dayton, Gamma Delta '07.
- 107 A. H. Miller, Omega '01.
- 108 George W. Catt, Omega Prime '82.
- 109 H. A. Gibbons, Omega '02.
- 110 Ernest B. Wheeler, Gamma Zeta '06.
- 111 S. F. Holtzman, Beta Upsilon '95.
- 112 A. W. Errett, Jr., Beta Upsilon '04.
- 113 H. J. Botchford, Rho '01.
- 114 James R. Caskie, Phi '06.
- 115 Lester H. Nichols, Beta Chi '04.
- 116 H. V. H. Neefus, Rho '04.
- 117 Emerson O. Heyworth, Rho '06.
- 118 Robert L. Messimer, Rho '97.
- 119 H. C. Messimer, Rho '96.
- 120 J. W. Snead, Phi '07.
- 121 C. F. Fuller, Gamma Eta '06.
- 122 R. C. Carpenter, Delta '75.
- 123 Alfred D. Warner, Jr., Beta Omicron '00.
- 124 J. W. M. Drake, Phi '97.
- 125 Geo. W. Williamson, III., Omega '99.
- 126 L. F. Hamilton, Beta Upsilon '97.
- 127 Louis M. Tobin, Beta Upsilon '01.
- 128 M. C. Russell, Mu '06.
- 129 Howard W. Moore, Mu '06.
- 130 Vernon S. Rood, Beta Nu '07.
- 131 Sherman Arter, Zeta '86.
- 132 George T. Donohue, Beta Upsilon '06.
- 133 Wm. E. Talcott, Jr., Zeta '06.
- 134 E. G. Costello, Omega '07.
- 135 Richard D. Jack, Omega '08.
- 136 Samuel L. Irving, Omega '03.
- 137 Leonard J. Selden, Gamma Zeta '08.
- 138 F. Arthur Schultz, Beta Upsilon '06.
- 139 Edward H. Wing, Beta Nu '07.
- 140 R. J. Barber, Beta Nu '06.
- 141 Walter G. Pfeil, Beta Nu '08.
- 142 A. F. Bancroft, Beta Nu '07.
- 143 W. C. Markham, Gamma Theta.
- 144 Chas. S. McVeigh, Beta Iota '07.

- 145 Thos. P. McCutcheon, Jr., Omega '03.
- 146 J. N. Costello, Omega '07.
- 147 W. F. Keenan, Jr., Omega '08.
- 148 R. Corbin, Gamma Delta '01.
- 149 George A. Paddock, Beta Iota '06.
- 150 Colin M. Mackall, Beta Iota.
- 151 Alfred P. Trautwein, Rho '76.
- 152 F. A. Cundell, Beta Theta '98.
- 153 James B. Pierce, Rho '77.
- 154 F. W. von Oven, Beta Upsilon '98.
- 155 Arthur A. Willoughby, Kappa '07.
- 156 R. C. Woodworth, Kappa '07.
- 157 T. C. Hascall, Beta Chi '05.
- 158 C. R. Spare, Omega '01.
- 159 Alfred M. Vail, Rho '07.
- 160 F. I. Newhouse, Gamma Theta.
- 161 M. B. Marshall, Phi '05.
- 162 Francis Edw. Carter, Beta Iota '06.
- 163 John A. Clough, Beta Chi '99.
- 164 L. K. Malvern, Beta Omicron '92.
- 165 Harold J. Week, Beta Gamma '07.
- 166 Redman S. Cole, Gamma Kappa '05.
- 167 R. R. Munger, Chi '03.
- 168 Edwin A. Stevens, Jr., Rho '05.
- 169 Frederick W. Lane, Beta Chi.
- 170 E. S. Boice, Phi '05.
- 171 Raymond R. Russell, Alpha '08.
- 172 George H. Hart, Gamma Eta '08.
- 173 John M. Burkett, Gamma Eta '05.
- 174 G. F. Severin, Omicron '06.
- 175 G. W. Kluckehohn, Omicron '07.
- 176 J. A. Lee, Gamma Eta '05.
- 177 H. St. Clair Hathaway, Chi '96.
- 178 W. J. Anderson, Lambda '05.
- 179 Fred C. Sweeton, Tau '94.
- 180 James G. Holmes, Beta Theta '02.
- 181 E. J. Hamilton, Lambda '06.
- 182 Frank F. Rogers, Beta Rho '99.
- 183 John A. Laing, Gamma Gamma '05.
- 184 Noble H. Parker, Beta Zeta '07.
- 185 Charles Krichbaum, Psi '83.
- 186 Walter S. Cornell, Omega '97.
- 187 Frank L. Moorhead, Beta Kappa '07.
- 188 Clyde D. Wilson, Beta Tau '06.
- 189 J. Calvin Bolger, Tau '92.
- 190 D. H. Sensenig, Tau '88.
- 191 George A. Ferguson, Beta Omicron '01.
- 192 Howard C. Hillegas, Tau '94.
- 193 W. S. Walkley, Chi '92.
- 194 Eugene P. Skyles, Tau '92.
- 195 W. D. Cooke, Phi '02.
- 196 Milburn McCarty, Gamma Iota '04.
- 197 Ernest Merrick, Alpha '88.
- 198 Arthur J. Allyn, Gamma Beta '06.
- 199 A. E. Paterson, Gamma Zeta '06.
- 200 F. W. Proctor, Beta Mu '06.
- 201 Charles L. Williams, Gamma Epsilon '06.
- 202 Everett W. Rowe, Beta Mu '08.
- 203 Clarence T. Gordon, Gamma Epsilon '06.
- 204 Malcolm H. Dewey, Alpha '04.
- 205 Warner D. Orvis, Beta Omicron '06.
- 206 E. A. Ballou.
- 207 Frank E. Watson, Beta Chi '97.
- 208 Charles R. Peebles, Beta Lambda '04.
- 209 Seth A. Brumm, Omega.
- 210 Melvin G. Jeffress, Beta Omega '04.
- 211 H. A. West, Beta Omega '02.
- 212 J. F. Boyd, Gamma Zeta '05.
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- 214 Henry L. Fuller, Beta Zeta '03.
- 215 John M. Cooley, Beta '07.
- 216 H. L. Quick, Beta Omicron '02.
- 217 R. D. O'Neil, Rho '07.
- 218 A. Bruce Bielaski, Gamma Eta '04.
- 219 P. C. Adams, Beta Omicron '93.
- 220 W. M. Hudson, Gamma Theta.
- 221 Frederick E. MacMillan, Omega '07.
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- 223 W. H. Long, Gamma Zeta '06.

# ΕΔΕΣΜΑΤΟΛΟΓΙΟΝ

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Ὅστρακα ἠνεωγμένα.

Ζωμὸς ὀρνιθος μετὰ ζυμαρικῶν.

Πράσιναι ἐλαῖαι.

Ἀμύγδαλα ἰλατισμένα.

Ραφανίδες

Ἰχθύες ρύακος κεκαρυκευμένοι ἐν δουτύρῳ.

Σικυοὶ ἐν ὀξάλῃ. Γεώμηλα Πύργου.

Ὠμοπλάται βοῶς, κατὰ τοὺς οἰκονομολόγους.

Τομάται ὠνθυλευμένα.

Παγκρέατα ὑψηψημένα μετ' ἀμανιτῶν.

Πίσσα Γαλλικῇ τῷ τρόπῳ. Καρδινάλιον ἡμίπηγμα.

Νεόττιον ὑψηψμένον μετὰ καρδάμων.

Θρίδακες τῆς ἐποχῆς.

Ποικίλλον παγωτόν. Μικρὰ δίπτυρα.

Διάφοροι καρποί. Τυρός.

Ἀφέψημα καφέ.



## Dictator

CHARLES OSCAR MAAS, BETA XI '88

*Hear ye not the hum  
Of mighty workings?*  
—Keats.

*But thou art fair (hairf); and at thy birth, dear boy,  
Nature and fortune join'd to make thee great (freightf).*  
—King John.

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## Extemporaneous Post-Prandial Tid-Bits

BY

H. J. ALLEN, GAMMA THETA, OF KANSAS

*A glittering star is falling  
From its shining home in the air.*  
—Heine.

*Enslaved, illogical, elate,  
He greets th' embarrassed Gods, nor fears  
To shake the iron hand of fate  
Or match with Destiny for beers.*  
—Kipling.

KENDRIC CHARLES BABCOCK, BETA ETA '89, OF ARIZONA

*Before we proceed any further, hear me speak.*  
—Coriolanus.

*I would be loath to cast away my speech; for besides  
that it is excellently penn'd, I have taken great pains  
to con it.*  
—King John.

W. M. HUDSON, GAMMA THETA '06, OF KANSAS

*Rise, O youth, and wrestle.*  
—Longfellow.

*'Tis light translateth night; 'tis inspiration  
Expounds experience; 'tis the West explains  
The East; 'tis time unfolds eternity.*  
—Bailey, the Festus.

DR. JOHN L. N. HUNT, THETA '62, OF NEW YORK

*Age shakes Athena's tower, but spares gray Marathon.*  
—Byron.

*More years had made me love thee more.*  
—Tennyson.

CHARLES KRICHBAUM, PSI '83, OF OHIO

*The first thing we do, let's kill all the lawyers.*  
—Henry VI.

*I am climbing a difficult road; but the  
glory gives me strength.*  
—Propercius.

DR. FRANK WIELAND, ETA '90, OF ILLINOIS

*Hail to the chief who in triumph advances.*  
—Scott. (Not of Chicago.)

*I came, saw, and overcame.*  
—Henry IV.

*He doth, indeed, show some sparks that are like wit.*  
—Much Ado About Nothing.

## Karnea Impressions\*

Impressions? I have no impressions. They are convictions. There was never in the history of Delta Tau Delta anything like the Karnea of '05, and while the Karnea of '07 will be bigger, because the genius of Chicago is bigness, it won't be large enough to dim the glory of the Karnea in New York, or make me forgetful of the work of the committee of arrangements.

What were the dramatic incidents? There were many, each worthy of the lime light. I know that many of you will remember longest the great crowd. It was worthy of long remembrance. Many will rejoice, with the landlord of the hotel, that almost four hundred college boys under one roof could be so well behaved. That was worthy of comment. Many will recall the presentation speech of Sunny Jim, and wonder if ever again words will be wizarded into language so beautiful; many will recall the meeting of the four founders—a reunion after forty-five years of separation—will recall it with moist eyes—I think I shall never forget the words of Brother Hunt: "We, about to die, salute you." One thing after another will come to the mind of each of us to make the Karnea live again. But many of us missed the greatest psychological feature, the great moral victory, the one thing most dramatic at which no doubt the angels wept. I refer to the return by Erle Shibley of Runt May's overcoat. There may be those who will remember that there was a difference of about twelve inches in the height of those two gentlemen; some may even remember that the thermometer

\* An aim to present different phases of the Karnea as seen by various brothers.

was dangerously near one hundred, when an overcoat was not really necessary. But I despise such earthly suggestions. I like to think of the great moral struggle in Erle's manly breast, and the victory. Bring your overcoats in '07, brothers. Many souls may thereby be saved.

After all, however, for so few of us are impressed by the truly spiritual, the banquet was *the* feature of the Karnea. A banquet never means food. It means setting, and lights and college songs, and snappy speeches. I wonder if any other than the King could have brought to silence that immense crowd, and made speaking a delight. I wonder if any other would have resisted the temptation to call on Brother so-and-so for a few words, and thus have had a lot of horrible anti-climaxes.

From beginning to end the management of the Karnea was perfect. Three days are all too short for a Karnea, but our New York brothers made those three days count.

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No one who attended the thirty-eighth Karnea of Delta Tau Delta could fail to realize the strong and substantial progress of our Fraternity during the last ten years. I feel that no fraternity can show fewer mistakes and greater progress in that time than Delta Tau Delta. The spirit of the Fraternity is a growing one and must result in stronger bonds of union and sympathy between man and man. The Nation is stronger and the people more patriotic because of such good fellowship and I cannot help rejoicing in the noble work of Delta Tau Delta along these lines. It is indeed a fraternity without section—an organization whose aspect is National.

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The festivities at Coney Island left the impression that



the Fraternity has but one chapter whose hundreds of members have cultivated the grace of unselfish devotion to each other and have set up the standard that there is no joy like that which grows from the personal contact of scores of Deltas engaged in the same quest of happiness. College cries dominated in the early part of the evening but under the magic spell of the hour they were transformed into the "Rah Rah Delta" that held undisputed sway the remainder of the week. These greater or lesser manifestations, in my opinion, were the stepping-stones to that wonderful climax of the week, the demonstration at the banquet board when Brother Hunt, on behalf of his fellow founders, expressed so sympathetically the deep affection which they have for the Fraternity and for its members. Had there not been a thousand and one other memorable features, these two alone, the exquisite spirit of brotherhood and the fine tribute to those who nearly fifty years ago made it possible, would have made the Karnea notable and my love for the Fraternity more abiding.

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In his polished, masterful toast at the banquet Brother Charles Krichbaum revealed the secret of the Karnea's great success. He made clear that he came not as a professional man to New York. Law was laid aside for the time being by him and the sentimental side was given full sway that he might with a poet's spirit commingle with other men who shared his ideals of brotherhood.

Although no one else, perhaps, at Karnea expressed this thought as well as Brother Krichbaum, the idealist, the sentimentalist, was met everywhere. The tears of Brothers Lowe and Johnson and the other older men upon their reunion after more than half a century were inspiration to the young freshman. They showed him that life holds much



SOUVENIRS OF THE THIRTY-EIGHTH KARNEA.

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for him that he had not dreamed of. Hundreds of successful professional and business men giving themselves over to fraternity and abandoning for several days the rush of the commercial world, and this right in the center of the busiest city in the United States, proved that commercialism has not robbed American men of their finer feelings.

Geography, profession and religion did not stand as bars between the men of all ages who gathered to renew and make friendships among brothers who need no introduction. Lofty ideals are the common ground on which noble men have always met, and the Karnea demonstrated that Brother Krichbaum was one of nearly four hundred who allowed the poet in them to transcend.

After reaching home and thinking it all over can anyone who had the good fortune to be there say anything but "My! what a Karnea that was!"

To me, the great feature was the enthusiastic outpouring of the Alumni and their display of fraternity spirit. No wonder the poor mother grabbed her two diminutive offspring, as Bob Hall and I preceded the cheering crowd through the gates to Dreamland, and exclaimed, "Come here, children, there comes a mob of drunken men."

The man of years gone sung louder the praises of his college and chapter than did the active. Even Phumphrey let it be known that he was a founder of Brother Wieland's Chapter and Frank was one of the last of a chapter that lived for years and has been dead a generation. The best part of it is many of these alumni had never attended a Karnea and had an opportunity to be "born again" under the most glowing circumstances and now will "better Deltas prove."

Some were of the opinion that the city was too big for the occasion. That was in our favor; the city was so big that we were content to stay around our delightful city home

and mingle with one another. The greatness of the gathering impressed me most when gazing upon the row after row of brothers waiting to fall into line in the walk around. 'Twas like the societies that rendezvous up the side streets on St. Patrick's day and stand for hours after the head of the procession has moved.

For the New York Alumni Association and the two assisting chapters can we say more than that no body of men in the Fraternity could have done better.

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My first Karnea!—I am sure I shall never forget it. Altho' there have been two since I became a Delta I never before have been able to go. The good time started for me as soon as I boarded the train at Adrian, and found Elmer Scott and his loyal forty. The trip itself, if there had been nothing beyond it, was almost a Karnea. Our one regret was that Brother Elmer could not go all the way with us.

It is needless to say I enjoyed every minute of my stay in New York. I enjoyed the meetings, the reading and discussion of reports, the general good fellowship of the occasion, but when all else has gone from me, the memory of the banquet will still linger. Never have I witnessed such a scene of good feeling, loyalty and enthusiasm. At no other time have I realized so clearly the truly national character of Delta Tau Delta. To hear a succession of college yells from Stanford and Berkeley clear across the continent to Columbia would banish forever the idea that we are a local society.

Then to see and hear the brothers who have made our history and are making it for us, to hear the trembling words of our veteran founders and the exultant shouts of the under-graduates gives new life and inspiration to me. I hope I may never miss a Karnea.

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It was the high-tide of the Karnea, the crowning moment of the inspiration and hopes of far-flung years. It was more, It was the apotheosis of Deltaism.

Over that myriad-lighted banquet-hall the Spirit of Fraternity spread her wings, while, amid an august hush, a noble silence, a grand old man paid sweet tribute to his Fraternity—surely his—for had he not helped to lay its foundation stones away back in the wistful long ago?

History was being made that night; perhaps it was the largest meeting of any college fraternity ever held; beyond all doubt it was the greatest foregathering of the sons of the crescent in all the annals of Delta Tau Delta. And this last speech crowned it all; capped it with a garland of Truth, Love and Friendship that will ever live in memory. For you and I can never forget.

How eagerly they leaned forward that they might not miss one of those dear words that fell from his lips! Only once was the revered speaker interrupted. That was when he had paid the tribute of age to youth, had declared that he and those other pioneers, who sat by his side, might never live to attend another Karnea; had declared bravely, but with a pathos that almost broke the hearts of his listeners, "We, who are about to die, salute you."

Do you remember the answering shout that could not be checked; can you ever forget the "No! No! No!"—the shout in which grief, love, indignation and regret blended so strangely? "No! No!" they cried—the flower and chivalry of all the royal realm of Deltdom. They would not have it so. Their's was the protest of Youth, the defiance and gauge of strength. But the aged Founder smiled faintly as he stayed them with his hand—for he knew.

In sentences that were classic and sweet in their simplicity and purity, he spanned the long years. Every Delta in



that vast array recognized the pathos and the pride in his declaration: "We builded better than we knew." How every Delta heart went straight out to him as he paid his meed of love and praise to those fellow Founders who sat by his side! For Jacob Lowe choked in his throat, and, by his side, old "Grandad" Johnson covered his eyes that none might see; men whom he had loved with a love passing the love of women; men whom he had not seen for years that were long and old. Was it any wonder that their tears welled from the deep springs of the heart—this meeting, here, in all this glow and light, and then—the thought of that misty long ago and all that it had held? Was there any marvel that everyone who watched and listened felt within his soul the stirring clutch, the wonderful emotion of Fraternity and Friendship?

It was an inspiration for the young; a solace for the old. There will be Karneas and Karneas. The clans and cohorts of Delta Tau Delta will gather in the years to come in numbers countless and untold. But there will never be a sweeter, grander hour more pregnant with the compelling instinct of our dear Fraternity than when Dr. John L. N. Hunt, Founder, struck that beautiful chord, while there hovered close the Spirit of Fraternity.

It was the apotheosis of Deltaism. You and I can never forget it.

## ATTENDANCE AT THE KARNEA OF 1905, BY CHAPTERS.

Alpha .....	12	Brought forward .....	190
Beta .....	4	Beta Theta.....	7
Gamma .....	3	Beta Iota.....	8
Delta .....	11	Beta Iota prime.....	1
Epsilon .....	3	Phi prime.....	1
Zeta .....	4	Omega prime.....	1
Eta .....	7	Beta Kappa.....	3
Theta .....	4	Beta Lambda.....	7
Iota .....	1	Beta Mu.....	14
Kappa .....	3	Beta Nu.....	11
Lambda .....	3	Beta Xi.....	5
Mu .....	5	Beta Omicron.....	21
Xi .....	3	Beta Pi.....	2
Omicron .....	4	Beta Rho.....	4
Rho .....	29	Beta Sigma.....	1
Sigma .....	2	Beta Tau.....	6
Tau .....	11	Beta Upsilon.....	12
Gamma prime.....	1	Beta Phi.....	5
Delta prime.....	1	Beta Chi.....	8
Kappa prime.....	1	Beta Psi.....	2
Upsilon .....	7	Beta Omega.....	6
Phi .....	12	Gamma Alpha.....	6
Chi .....	6	Gamma Beta.....	4
Psi .....	2	Gamma Gamma.....	7
Omega .....	29	Gamma Delta.....	3
Beta Alpha.....	2	Gamma Epsilon.....	16
Beta Beta.....	3	Gamma Zeta.....	15
Beta Gamma.....	8	Gamma Eta.....	15
Beta Delta.....	2	Gamma Theta.....	4
Beta Zeta.....	2	Gamma Iota.....	1
Beta Eta.....	5	Gamma Kappa.....	3
Forward .....	190	Total .....	389
		Less counted twice.....	23
		Final total.....	366

## AUGUST ZIESING,

UPSILON PRIME '78.

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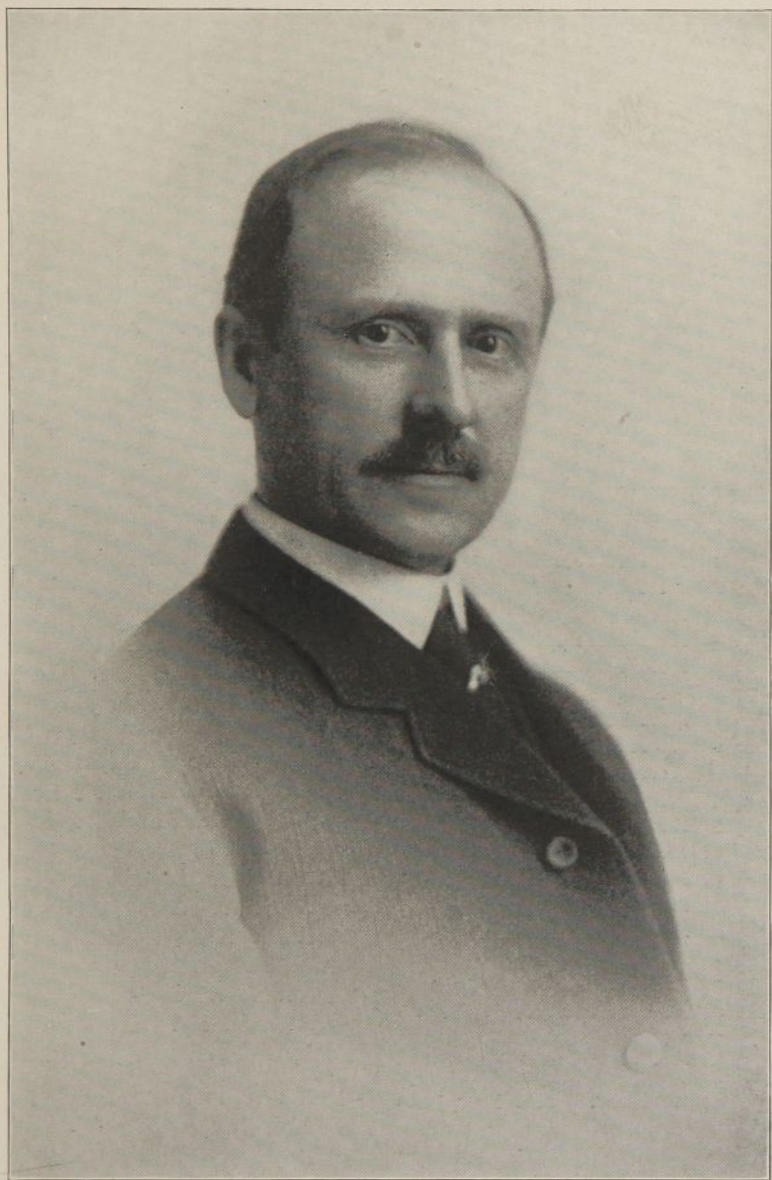
Honored by election to the Presidency of the American  
Bridge Co.

An engineering professor at the University of Illinois, in lecturing to a class, declared that August Ziesing, '78, was probably the most successful of the multitude of successful engineers graduated by the institution. Whereupon the several members of Beta Upsilon Chapter who heard this swelled up in mighty pride.

At that time Brother Ziesing was western manager for the American Bridge Company at Chicago, this company being an important constituent company of the United States Steel corporation. At a meeting of the board of directors of the bridge company, however, on September 21, Alfred J. Major, president, resigned and was succeeded by Brother Ziesing. According to report, the position carries with it a salary of \$50,000 a year.

Says the *Iron Trade Review*: "The selection of Mr. Ziesing meets with uniform commendation, owing to his wide popularity, sterling qualities and recognized attainments, his election providing ample assurance to the patrons of the company of a continuance of that high standard of business honor and excellence of product that have been the constant aim of this great concern."





AUGUST ZIESING



August Ziesing was a member of the old Epsilon Prime chapter at Illinois, and his interest in the Fraternity has never abated. He is a prominent member of the Chicago Alumni Association. A feature of the big Beta Upsilon banquet at Illinois last April was the presence of the noted engineer at the head of the table, while his son and heir occupied quarters with the Freshmen at the foot.

Nowhere has there been more rejoicing over the honor that has come to the Chicagoan than down at the State University Chapter, which he has always been willing to befriend.

He is forty-seven years of age, having been born in 1858 at Peru, Ill. He was employed as a draftsman for two years after graduation, and then was made assistant engineer, in charge of bridges and also given charge of some double tracking work in Ohio by the Pennsylvania Railroad Company. From 1883 to 1895 he was connected with the Lassig Bridge and Iron Works, in Chicago, first as engineer, and later as engineer and general manager. From 1895 to 1900 he practised as a consulting engineer in Chicago, making railroad structures a specialty. When the American Bridge Company was formed, his services were sought as western manager. He is a member of the American Society of Civil Engineers and the Western Society of Engineers, and is on the roster of several Chicago clubs, although he is a "home" man.



## Installation Gamma Kappa

It was four o'clock in the afternoon of Saturday, the twenty-ninth of July, nineteen hundred and five. In the midst of the sweltering, sweet midsummer, the vacation quiet of classic Columbia was broken and brightened by the parade of a wholesome jolly crowd of young men, filling a dashing wagonette, that was decorated with ribbons of purple, white and gold, and drawn by a spanking team of four high-stepping bays. The crowd was made up of college men, brought together by

"the loyalty they cherish  
For the good old Delta Tau."

The first stop was made at the residence of the writer, Beta, '64, sometimes known as The Good Gray Poet of Delta Tau Delta, who briskly shouldered his crutch, set his birthday forward a score of years, and joined his enthusiastic contemporaries. As the principal streets were traversed,

"Rah! rah! rah!  
Delta! Delta! Delta Tau Delta!  
Delta! Delta! Delta Tau Delta!  
Delta! Delta! Delta Tau!  
Gamma Kappa, Delta Tau!"

rang out clear, strong, and thrilling at close intervals; and now and then, by way of variation, the Big Injun war-cry woke the echoes:

"Hoopla! hoopla! hoopla-ree!  
Heap big Chapter, D T D!  
Delta Tau! Delta Tau!  
Every Delta loves his squaw!  
Tomahawk and big pappoose,  
Heap big Injun just let loose!  
Hoopla, hoopla, hoopla-ree!  
Gamma Kappa, D T D!"

The chapter houses of sister fraternities were most of them closed for the summer, but wherever even a solitary Greek was visible, or invisible and known to be in town, the Delta greeting was given with convincing vim. The residences of Dean J. C. Jones, Acting President of the University, Dean A. Ross Hill, and Dr. E. A. Allen were visited, and saluted with the slogan. The drive included the University farm, the slowly rising Gymnasium, Read Hall, the Campus, the golf links, Broadway, and Christian College; and by the time the rounds were made, everybody in town knew that a live fraternity had arrived at the University of Missouri, and was going to stay.

For Rho Chapter of Sigma Nu to tender the free and entire use of her House for our Installation service and for our occupancy over night was a generous Panhellenic action that Gamma Kappa takes to heart and commits to perpetual memory. As our arrangements were already matured, we could not avail ourselves of the hospitality of our friends of Sigma Nu; but it will be a long day when a chance comes for Delta Tau Delta to reciprocate this magnanimous act, and she fails to seize the opportunity.

At half past eight in the evening, the ceremonies of Initiation and Installation were held in Odd Fellows' hall, Columbia. The officers in charge were:

T. B. Buell, Delta, '02, A. A. Brooks, Gamma Theta, '06, J. E. Turner, Beta Rho, '03, Nelson C. Field, Xi, '90, John R. Scott, Beta, '64.

Also present were the following Fraters:

David C. Gamble, Jr., Upsilon, '97.  
William Patterson Borland, Delta, '92.  
Walter E. Fritsch, Beta Alpha, '96.

The following gentlemen, students of the University of Missouri, were impressively and solemnly initiated into the mysteries of our Fraternity after the form of our beautiful ritual, assumed the vow, and were hailed as Fraters in good and full standing of Delta Tau Delta :

Redmond Selecman Cole, '05 ;  
Harry Franklin Fore, '05 ;  
Eli Stuart Haynes, '05 ;  
George Arthur Underwood, '05 ;  
Lucius Franklin Childers, '06 ;  
Earl Querbach, '06 ;  
James Edward Craig, '07 ;  
Harold L. Welsh, '07 :

and Gamma Kappa Chapter of Delta Tau Delta was declared duly established at the University of Missouri.

It is a matter of great regret that nine gentlemen who are numbered with the above as charter members of the Chapter were not present at the Installation ; but they will be initiated early in the next semester.

The Installation Banquet was held at The Gordon, and the feast began at ten o'clock. Everybody was in a jocund mood. The food was ambrosia and the iced water was nectar. Brother Field, the foster-father of the baby Chapter, presided as Toastmaster. By this time Brother Scott had shed so many years that he was pronounced too young a prattler to make a speech, and was permitted to recite one of his favorites, "Pahdhrig Crohoore." Stories and talks were given by Brothers Borland, Buell, Fritsch, Gamble, Turner, and Brooks. The stories were all fresh and good, and the talks full of wise and serious counsel and cheerful prophecy. On the part of the new-born Chapter, Brother J. E. Craig spoke last, with joy and pride, loyalty and duty as his key-notes.



At the end of the first sma' hour after midnight, the day's duties and pleasures concluded with the grand Walk-around, headed by the youngest Frater present, Brother Scott, to the sweet and soothing strains of Delta's Lullaby,

"Wah-Ne-He! Wah-Ne-Ho!"

May the annals of Delta Tau Delta and of the University of Missouri hereafter mark the Twenty-Ninth of July, Nineteen Hundred and Five, as a Red-letter Day. May the Crescent and Stars shine ever auspiciously on the fortunes of Gamma Kappa; and may Gamma Kappa be neither the last nor the least Chapter in our Brotherhood of the Purple, White and Gold.

JNO. R. SCOTT.

"Saturday night Gamma Kappa chapter of the Delta Tau Delta fraternity was established at Missouri University. The installation ceremonies were followed by a sumptuous banquet at the Gordon hotel. The Missouri chapter is composed of about seventeen students, all of them strong in the institution. Six guests from out of town, all old Deltas, were present.

The installation ceremonies were held at the Odd Fellows and K. of P. hall. T. B. Buell of Chicago, a University of Michigan man, represented the national fraternity and installed the order.

The banquet at the Gordon was one of the leading social events of the year. The best that the house could afford was put at the disposal of the guests, and better could not have been provided anywhere. The courses were interspersed with songs and cheers of the fraternity and toasts were made and responded to with wit and eloquence.

"The new fraternity starts out auspiciously. It is composed of representative University students. Out of the

seventeen members three have won Phi Beta Kappa, one Sigma Xi, four Q E B H, two Tau Beta Pi, one is a member of the Asterisk, one represented the University on interstate debates for two years, two are members of the band, one of the Glee Club, three have won scholarships in the University other than Rollins scholarships, and two of them tied for the Rollins scholarship in the Engineering department last year; one has been awarded a fellowship in the University, two were on the track team last year, one is editor of the *Independent* and six of them are on the controlling board of the *Independent*. Besides these, many are interested in the various clubs and student enterprises around the University, and all rank well in their classes.

"The national body, of which this is a part, is one of the strongest, with forty-eight chapters in the best Universities and schools of the country. The members present from elsewhere were T. B. Buell of Chicago, W. A. Turner and W. P. Borland of Kansas City, Walter Fritsch and C. F. Gamble of St. Louis. The charter roll of Gamma Kappa chapter is Eli S. Haynes, Redmond S. Cole, George A. Underwood, J. H. Craig, J. E. Craig, Earl Querbach, Harry F. Fore, Frank Wiley, Floyd Freeman, Francis J. Bullivant, William Seitz, Luke Childers, Nelson C. Field, T. S. Railey, Tom Ingraham, Vernon Morthland, and Harold Welch."—*Columbia Statesman*, Aug. 4, 1905.

# EDITORIALS



## THE KARNEA

We hardly need to offer any excuse for the space in this number of *THE RAINBOW* devoted to the Thirty-eighth Karnea. The occasion was itself so important an episode that it deserves some permanent record in the Fraternity's history; and in the many-sided accounts reproduced we have tried to give the brothers who were not present some idea of what they missed and, at the same time, revive pleasant memories for those who participated.

We know from experience what may be expected of the Chicago brothers, and when we are advised that Elmer Scott will be at the head of the preparations for the Thirty-ninth Karnea we naturally expect even greater things of Chicago in 1907. But, for the intervening two years the Thirty-eighth Karnea will be without a peer in the annals of Delta Tau Delta. From its very nature any Karnea of Delta Tau Delta would be a most enjoyable experience and it could not help but accomplish much for the Fraternity's welfare from the mere fact of its bringing together so many brothers in such intimate and enjoyable intercourse. No matter how enthusiastic and loyal a man's service for his Fraternity may have been nor how



sincere and abiding his love, after a Karnea experience he will be a still better Delt. His knowledge of the Fraternity, her works and aims, should be a wider one and his pride in her and his brothers should be more intense than ever. What then may the Fraternity not expect from the four hundred Delts who enjoyed the Thirty-eighth Karnea and who have carried back to our active chapters and alumni strongholds the infection of its enthusiasm and loyalty to Delta Tau Delta.

The recent Karnea was "great" in many ways; from its size, the excellent provisions for the comfort and enjoyment of its visitors, the unsurpassed entertainment provided, and for countless other reasons that will occur to those who were there. But, perhaps, its most permanent value to the Fraternity was in the record it set for the preparation and management of such occasions. The labors of the Thirty-eighth Karnea committee are beyond computation. The volume of work done and its quality have never before been equalled in like circumstances in the Fraternity's history. Never has every detail of a Karnea been so carefully and intelligently thought out beforehand. The arrangements could well be called perfect. Especially worthy of mention were the comfortable and satisfactory rooms of the business sessions and banquet. This latter occasion, which should naturally be the crowning feature of a Karnea, was unexpectedly perfect in both its ensemble and minutest detail. The various entertainments provided were all worthy of note, but the complimentary Coney Island trip was an enterprise that could well stagger its managers by its magnitude. How successfully and enjoyably Brother Hall took care of this feature can be enthusiastically testified to by two hundred Delts.

New York itself did a great deal to assure the success of the Thirty-eighth Karnea—but hard and intelligent work did more. To mention by name all the brothers whose loyal labors contributed to the general enjoyment and success would occupy the entire space of this department. But the work of a few individuals deserves a word in passing. We have already mentioned Brother Hall's generalship of the Coney Island invasion. In the memory of us all will long linger the King's masterly and tactful handling of the banquet horde and the toast list. It is hard to do justice to the labors of Brother Hillegas as the Karnea's advance press agent, but they are well known and appreciated by the brothers at large. It would be difficult to specify any one department of the Karnea preparation or management in which Brother Hodgdon especially shone. He had his finger in about everything, and how untiring and capable a finger it was we who were there know. The Fraternity has just cause to be proud of the Thirty-eighth Karnea. But it is equally proud of the labor which secured its success and grateful to the brothers for the unselfish loyalty which inspired those labors.

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**THE NEW  
SONG  
BOOK**

The preparation of the new song book of the Fraternity, under the title of "Delta Tau Delta Songs," authorized by the Thirty-eighth Karnea, has been entrusted to Brother Stuart Maclean, Beta Theta, the University of the South, Sewanee, Tennessee.

It is now proposed to issue a book of perhaps eighty pages, or more, containing the more effective and popular songs of the Fraternity, both old and new. It is especially desired that these songs shall be singable. In order to collect in



the new book the best songs of every chapter, Brother Maclean has already addressed letters to every active and alumni chapter, asking for their songs, words and music. The Fraternity as a whole is requested to co-operate with the Song Book editor in selecting words and music from the old book which should be retained in the new,, and any member of the Fraternity, active or alumnus, who has any views of any kind whatsoever bearing upon the subject of songs and song books is hereby invited to take Brother Maclean into his confidence and give him all the advice the adviser may have lying around without any particular use for.

It is well known that throughout the ranks of the Fraternity there are numberless snatches of songs—odd bits of choruses, good Delta words set to the music of the day, four-line refrains, odds and ends the country over, that the college boy sings and whistles. These are wanted for the Song Book. It is not desired, says Brother Maclean, to fill up eighty or one hundred pages with music, or even with music and Delta words; but it is desired to have every song in the book one that some Deltas sing somewhere and that for the same reason all Deltas ought to sing everywhere. "Tell the boys," writes the editor, "not to be afraid because the songs are brief. Many a song has been forgotten because there was too much of it. Help me to get four lines of music that everybody remembers, and four lines of words that spell Delta Tau Delta, and I'll swap you ten meandering lyrics of seven verses each with a tune that nobody ever heard before and never wants to hear again. Of course we want good original music—if we can get it; but this Song Book is going to be a book to sing out of."

The book will be bound in purple and old gold, with a large Delta Tau Delta monogram in white on the cover, and beneath the word "Songs." The design has been prepared by



Brother Arthur Howard Noll, of Beta Theta, already rather well known for his artistic book plates. It is hoped that the entire edition can be issued in cloth at \$1.00 or \$1.25. Negotiations looking toward the mechanical end of the publication have elicited from the proposed publishers, one of the largest music publishing firms of the country, the opinion that mechanically the volume will be one of the handsomest ever issued in the line of college or fraternity song books.

If the various active and alumni chapters have not already replied in detail to Brother Maclean's letters asking information and co-operation, they are urged to do so at once.

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### OUR NEW CHAPTER

Gamma Kappa received a pretty thorough introduction to her sister chapters at the recent Karnea, and her delegates should have taken home to the rest of her members a pretty fair idea of the great Delt family of which she is the youngest member.

The new brothers have abundant cause to congratulate themselves upon their admission to the great brotherhood of Delta Tau Delta and the share in her privileges and benefits signified by their investment with her square badge.

The Fraternity can also congratulate itself upon this acquisition for its chapter roll. We have not only secured a fine, representative body of enlisted Delts who will be but the forerunners of many generations of loyal wearers of the square badge, but we have entered an institution which is an important link in our chain of national distribution and have occupied a field rich in Delt material.

In the January number we hope to present photographs and articles that will give the brothers at large more full

and intimate information in regard to the University of Missouri, the home of our baby chapter. To Gamma Kappa we can extend the warm fraternal welcome of the Fraternity and her sister chapters and express the hope that as she grows in strength and material prosperity her members may more and more appreciate the boon of their fraternity membership, the beauty of the Delt ideals and principles and the strong, real, heart-inspired fraternalism of a Delta brother's handclasp.

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#### **FOR THE ENDOW- MENT FUND**

The brothers who were present at the last business session of the Thirty-eighth Karnea will probably remember the handsome Fraternity pin donated by Brother Phumphrey for the benefit of the endowment fund. Its disposal has been placed in charge of Brother W. H. Calhoun, 5729 Monroe Avenue, Chicago. We will allow Brother Calhoun to explain in his own words:

"The pin is a beautiful diamond and emerald badge worth about fifty dollars, and was presented by Brother Clarence Phumphrey in behalf of the Cincinnati Alumni Chapter to be raffled off for the benefit of the endowment fund. The tickets, which I will place in the hands of the chapter treasurer, will be one dollar each, and to every chapter or individual selling twenty-five or more tickets a prize will be given. These prizes will be beautiful brass or copper castings of the Delt pin about eight inches square, finished in the antique green, which is so popular, and mounted on a heavy weathered oak shield. They would retail for about eight dollars, but we are fortunate enough to get them at cost."

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It is with pleasure—but no remaining illusions—that we enter upon our seventh year of service as editor of *THE RAINBOW*. We take it that our re-election meant that our labors and the lines along which we have conducted this journal in the past have met, at least, the mild approval of our brothers.

The work has been very pleasant to us, and any legitimate sacrifices it has demanded have been gladly given. We feel, though, that the negligent, slip-shod and careless work of so many of our chapter secretaries imposes an inexcusable amount of drudgery on this office. The amount of co-operation these officers are supposed to render the editor is not a personal favor to him, but a part of the regular duties of their office. There is always a large percentage of the chapter letters which reach us from three days to two weeks late, and several we never receive at all. The notices for a letter are sent the secretaries in plenty of time, and there is no excuse for tardiness. Hereafter, even if we have to go to press with only a third of the chapters represented, we shall not delay the appearance of any number for delinquent chapter letters.

Each time a chapter letter notice is sent a few plain directions for the preparation of the letter is enclosed. But fully three-fourths of the letters received calmly disregard some one, if not all, of these instructions. The extra labor such corrections impose on the editor seem to us an unreasonable demand upon time we can ill afford. When we send the chapter secretaries notices for their next letters we shall enclose their letters for this number with the corrections we have had to make to render their letters fit copy for the printer. Each man can then see where he has been at fault, and can reform accordingly—unless he wants his next letter



to be published in our waste basket instead of in the pages of THE RAINBOW.

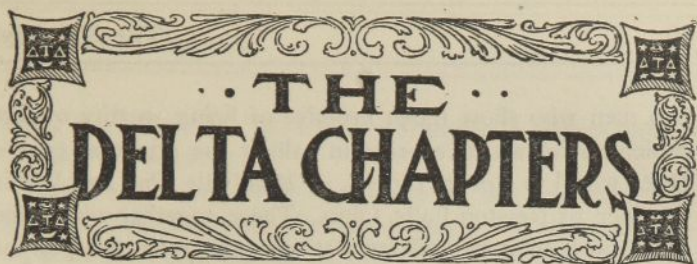
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We are very glad to announce that for the publication and business management of THE RAINBOW we have secured the efficient services of Brother Will L. McKay, of New York. Arrangements for the mechanical side of the production of THE RAINBOW have been made which we hope will assure a better journal and, especially, greater promptness in the appearance of each number.

All cuts, photographs for reproduction, subscriptions, or communications in regard to advertising and the mailing list should be addressed the Business Manager, Will L. McKay, 409 Pearl Street, New York City.

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Any one desiring copies of the Karnea Banquet or large group photograph with location key may obtain the same from Brother Will L. McKay, at the above address.



# THE DELTA CHAPTERS

ALPHA—ALLEGHENY COLLEGE.

Most cordial greetings are extended by Alpha to Deltas wherever they are, and especially to those with whom we were so closely associated for such a pleasant season, but who have left us to make new friends among the brothers of other chapters.

College opened with its usual rush, hurry and bustle, bringing with its opening one of the largest Freshman Classes in the history of the college. Almost immediately the Freshmen sought to win distinction by challenging the Sophomores to the annual cane rush. And only after fifteen minutes of fiercest struggle was it swept, defeated, from the field and completely annihilated.

Much to the added comfort and convenience of the student body, many marked improvements have been made about the college. Not to speak of the new Preparatory School and the tasteful remodeling of the interior of Bentley and Ruter Halls, Allegheny boasts the strongest and largest faculty of her history. These facts insure a prosperous year. But the increased student body shows in itself the steady advance of the college.

It was towards these new comers that Alpha and her rival Greeks turned their attention, and after a short, though sharp contest, each emerged with the men of their choice. The unpromising material from which to choose was generally noticed, but nevertheless we succeeded in pledging

two men who show much promise of being worthy of our choice. And we take pride in calling the attention of the Delta world to Robert Lippitt, of Meadville, Pa., and Willis Gardner, of Newton Falls, Ohio. These, together with three other pledged men and ten actives, constitute the present strength of our chapter.

Shortly after college opened we were the recipients of a blow which might have entailed very serious results. In some mysterious way fire broke out in one of the dormitories, but owing to the prompt action of the brothers, it was speedily put out with but slight damages, which were almost wholly covered by insurance. This was the direct cause of refurnishing two of the rooms in our home. Into one was placed a new piano to help gladden the spare hours of the boys. Our situation is truly comfortable, and had any casual observer peeped in upon us as we were gathered in our full strength, added to by a few invited guests, on the evening of October 13th, he would have declared Alpha in a prosperous condition. Brother Rickey, Mu '03, who is giving such splendid satisfaction in coaching our football eleven, adds much to the fellowship of our informal social gatherings.

The success of our spring banquet forbids it being omitted from the notice of our sister chapters. It was an occasion memorable in our history where were gathered about forty of our alumni with us, some of whom were those very men who gave to Delta her Choctaw and helped during those early days to infuse into the marrow and tissue of her being the spirit of the present day. Talk about Fraternity spirit! The old men of the seventies were boys again and gave us a glimpse of what Alpha was in her young days, and what Deltaism is destined to be. We regret the absence of many of our alumni, but their cheery telegrams of good wishes were received amid hearty applause. "Sunny Jim" Wake-



field, '90, attended. "Nuf ced." Everybody knows how he seasons a gathering.

Some of the boys who were with us last year and have gone to other fields are Malcolm Dewey, '04, assistant principal in the High School at Irwin, Pa.; Herbert Stockton, '04, teacher in the High School at Sharpsburg, Pa. H. L. Smith, now in Bellevue, Pa., will probably go to Butler, Pa., to assume the pastorate of the M. E. Church there.

Alpha joins to a man in extending a most cordial welcome and the "glad hand" to any Deltas who may come this way.

O. H. HOUSER.

#### BETA—OHIO UNIVERSITY.

Beta began the year with ten men in the house. Two of these were pledges from last term, but will soon be initiated having obtained Freshmen rank this term. This is the first time our house has been full at the beginning of the year. Several of the fellows were back early to prepare for the rushing.

We are glad to welcome Brother J. F. Hawk, Alpha '07, who has affiliated, and also Brother W. E. Cripps, Beta '08, who was with Alpha last year.

Rushing has been unusually strenuous at Ohio University this term. Delta Tau Delta has just pledged five men, all of whom are the best we could find in the University. Four of them have been rushed hard by the other fraternities, and the other we pledged before they had a chance at him. We are proud to say Beta did not lose a man whom she bid. We expect to have our initiation in the near future.

Prospects at Ohio University are brighter than ever for a successful year. We have a larger enrollment than during

any previous fall term. The beautiful Carnegie Library is finished and occupied. Our football team is stronger than last year, and with the good coaching it is receiving will make a showing before the season is over. Our first game was played with our old rival, Marietta College. Our team held them to a score of 0 to 0, and we hope to defeat them on our home ground, November 18th. Delta Tau Delta has four men on the team.

As the prospects for the University are bright so is the outlook for Beta Chapter. We have made a number of improvements to our house since last year, and are contemplating others. Our present number, increased by the Freshmen, whom we will soon initiate, will give us the strongest chapter we have had for several years.

Brother Gullum was recently elected president of the Junior Class, and Brother Curran is secretary of the Philomathean Literary Society. Brother Hoover, '05, is on the Faculty this year as instructor in History and Economics, and Brother Parks is instructor in Penmanship. Brother Connett, '05, has entered Johns Hopkins for a medical course.

In closing Beta extends greeting to her sister chapters, hoping they have had as successful a rushing season as she, and reminding them that the latchstring is always out at 30 N. College Street.

J. M. COOLEY.

#### GAMMA—WASHINGTON AND JEFFERSON.

Since the last issue of THE RAINBOW Gamma has lost a most loyal and true-hearted member, Brother John S. Blachly, '08, who was drowned at Jackson's Point, Lake Simcoe, Canada, July 4, 1905. We all feel his loss very

deeply, and realize that there is a vacant place in the Chapter which cannot be filled.

At the opening of the college year, September 13, all our men, with the exception of Brother John Blachly, returned to resume their studies. They all report a pleasant vacation and are prepared for another season of hard work.

We start in this year with nine actives, and take pleasure in introducing to the Delta world William J. Sherrard, of Vanderbilt, Pa.; W. Duane Morgan, Washington, Pa.; Fred Sharon, Cadiz, O.; William Stoakes, Crafton, Pa.; and Lawrence N. Beatty, Manning, W. Va.

These men were initiated into the mysteries of Delta Tau Delta on Friday evening, September 22, and following the initiation we held a banquet. The alumni present were Dr. McCleary, Joseph Paul, A. E. Moon, George List, T. A. Murphy, Robert Dongan and Chas. M. Reed.

Last spring six hardworking and loyal Delts left our ranks, but we feel that the above-named new men will fill their places.

All our attention at present is directed towards the football team. Brother Sutter is leading his braves to many a victory, and so far we have not been scored on except by Princeton, whose team we held down to twenty-three points. The team is unusually strong this year, and with Piekanski, the famous U. of P. guard, as coach, a winning team will certainly be the outcome.

Before this issue of THE RAINBOW reaches its readers the following men of the class of 1909, who have been pledged, will have been initiated into the Delta world. They are M. A. Dickie, Frank Hunter and John Carlisle.

We feel that we have secured a good portion of the fraternity material from the new class, and Gamma hopes that her sister Chapters have been equally successful.



We are officially informed that the Chapter of Sigma Phi Epsilon, located at this institution, has ceased to exist.

At a recent election of members of the athletic committee, Brother Smith was chosen as representative of the Junior Class.

Since the last issue of THE RAINBOW we have moved from 19 North Avenue to 141 South College Street. We have received visits from quite a number of our alumni, and as we are now located close to both railroad stations, we sincerely hope that all Deltas who happen to come to Washington will pay us a visit.

In closing Gamma extends a hearty greeting to her sister Chapters and wishes them all a successful year.

E. M. SNIDER.

#### DELTA—UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN.

What with the regular college work and the rushing of new men Delta finds herself nearly submerged under the press of requirements.

The opening of a new year has never seemed brighter than the present, and when it is time for the next number of THE RAINBOW to appear, we will have the pleasure of introducing as promising a bunch of Freshmen as ever sat up nights and howled for the purple, white and gold. Two of our pledged men are playing on the all-fresh football team—an honor ranking inferior only to the varsity team, and we expect greater things yet to come.

The most notable event in the year so far in connection with Delta, was the marriage on October 11th of Brother Upjohn Redpath to Miss May Sloneker, of Hamilton, Ohio. Brother Redpath was graduated from the medical department in the class of naughty-four, and then went to New

York to continue his study. If we may borrow the words of Brothers Tarbox, Willard, Dighton and Wagner, who acted as ushers at the wedding, it was by far the most brilliant affair of its kind in which Delta has been so directly connected. We unite in wishing them worlds of happiness.

The football prospects, although bright, are not as glaringly evident of success as they have been in the past three seasons. This year will see no 80, 90 and 128—0 scores as in the past, for "Willie" Heston, who made the all-American team, was responsible for about two-thirds of the ground gained by the backs, and such men are hard to find. We are to change from the phenomenal scoring "machine" of last year and year before to a standard more nearly equal to the opposing teams. While it is exceedingly uncomfortable for Michigan men to think of the possibility of a defeat, we are, on the other hand, directly in line for seeing a more interesting and exciting season than we have seen for years.

GERALD P. HALL.

#### EPSILON—ALBION COLLEGE.

Albion College and Epsilon Chapter have begun a year which promises to be one of the best in their history. The attendance at the college shows a marked increase over former years, and the students and faculty are enthusiastic.

The division of membership in Epsilon is peculiar, for with thirteen pledged men we have only four active members. We have had a successful rushing season, but have lost many of our last year's actives. Three of those were graduates, while Brother Raymond B. Gardner is attending George Washington University, at Washington, D. C., and Brother C. Sumner Porter is teaching in Sandwich, Ill.

As the result of our rushing season we are proud to introduce to Delta Tau Delta the following men as wearers of the purple, white and gold: Mr. Welles Bedford, of Grand Rapids, Mich.; Mr. Roy Sessions, also of Grand Rapids; Mr. Kenneth Hollinshead, of Port Clinton, Ohio; Mr. Jas. Latham, of Hanover, Mich.; Mr. Relis Barr, of Ludington, Mich.; Mr. Rex Bryan, of Charlotte, Mich.; and Mr. Earl Hayes, of DeLand, Ill. We are also glad to present Mr. Clifford Knickerbocker and Mr. Lawrence Foster, two Albion High School fellows, whom we secured at the opening of the year. Mr. Clifford Knickerbocker is a brother of Brother Lloyd Knickerbocker, who graduated last year; Mr. Rex Bryan is a brother of Brother Charles Bryan, of a few years ago; and Mr. Welles Bedford is a nephew of the late George L. Bailey, a charter member of Epsilon.

Two men whom we pledged in the High School two years ago are in college this year, and two of last year's pledge-men are back. The initiation of Mr. Fred Cook, the date of which was given in our June letter, was necessarily postponed, but several of our pledge-men will be made active members soon.

Epsilon completed during the summer the repairs in the Hall which we have long contemplated. The rooms were papered and painted, and in many ways were made the best rooms here.

Epsilon is actively engaged in all phases of life here. Our members are having good class-room standings, we have one member on the Y. M. C. A. Cabinet, and in athletics Epsilon is doing much for Albion.

The football team promises to be a winner. We have had one game, defeating the University of Michigan Freshmen eleven to nothing. In that game Brothers Black and



Hayes played half-backs, Brothers Frye and Bryan tackles, and Eslow guard. Epsilon is also represented on the football squad by Hough and Barr. Both the football and baseball teams last year were championship teams, and this year's team looks just as good.

Epsilon Chapter was established in Albion in the spring of 1876, and so this spring will be our thirtieth anniversary. We are making all plans to celebrate it justly. We are keeping in touch with our alumni and we hope to have a large number of them present. Prof. Charles H. Woolbert, of Beta Pi, has charge of the English department here again, and is taking an active interest in our progress.

Of the other fraternities here, the Sigma Nus and the Sigma Chis, especially the former, we consider worthy rivals, while Alpha Tau Omega is in better condition than last year. Sigma Nu pledged six men, Sigma Chi five, and Alpha Tau Omega five men in college and four in the High School. The sororities have set November 1st as bidding day, and are rushing hard.

The members of Epsilon were grieved on the ninth of this month to learn of the death, on the previous Saturday, of Brother E. B. Bancroft, D.D., one of our charter members. Further notice of this honored brother is given in another place.

Epsilon is always glad to see brother Deltas who pass through Albion. We want you to see our Hall and meet our fellows and have a good time with us.

We wish the best of success to all of our sister chapters and hope they may all make this their best year, as Epsilon hopes to do.

FRED L. FARLEY.

#### ZETA—ADELBERT COLLEGE.

College opened on the 19th of September with a slightly larger enrollment than last year. However, long before the

opening date work at Zeta had commenced along the various lines of house-cleaning, refurnishing, rushing of new men and the many other duties too numerous to mention.

Thirteen of the old men returned, and in addition to these we pledged five excellent Freshmen, who by the time this letter goes to press will also be members of our vast congregation. We take pleasure, therefore, in introducing to the fraternity at large Brothers Oldenburg, Hyre, E. Pratt, A. Pratt, of Cleveland, and Portmann, of Jackson, Minn. We lost by graduation Brothers Strong, Petty and Merrills. Brother Merrills, however, is in the law department, and to our good fortune is rooming with us.

As yet it is too early for predictions, but it is needless to say that before the year is at an end Zeta will claim her usual share of honors. We take pride, however, in the fact that Brothers Strong, '05, and Borroughs, '06, were elected to Phi Beta Kappa last June.

We still occupy the old quarters in the Dormitory, which have proven so satisfactory in the past and which are more comfortable and attractive than ever.

Football is the center of interest at present, and the prospects for a winning team were never better. With the return of nearly all the "old warriors," and with the help of the best new material seen upon the field for years, there is no reason why Old Reserve should not win many coveted honors during the present season. Brother Portmann, '09, will have no trouble in making the Varsity.

Brother Harold K. Showon, Beta Phi '05, and Brother Brown S. McClintic, Beta Alpha '05, who are attending our medical department, frequently visit us.

In closing Zeta desires to say that never before were our

prospects brighter, and we hope that a like condition of affairs exists among our sister Chapters. We wish success to every Delta for a prosperous new year.

EDWIN R. ANDREWS.

#### KAPPA—HILLSDALE COLLEGE.

College opened with a slightly increased enrollment over last year and everything looks bright and prosperous. Through the generosity of an alumnus the chapel will be remodeled at a cost of fifteen hundred dollars. The art department, since Miss Qually's arrival a year ago, has taken on a very extensive growth, and the other departments are in a prosperous condition. The Freshman class, while not as abundant in fraternity material as the class of last year, has furnished us with the men we need to promote Delta Tau Delta's upward growth, and we have now four new fellows wearing the purple, white and gold. We hope to present them to you soon as full fledged brothers. Ten of last year's actives returned to school this fall, together with brother C. H. Mann, who, after a year's absence, has re-entered to complete his course and graduate with the class of '07.

Owing to the leave of absence for one year granted to Brothers C. H. Gurney, K '73, and J. T. Ward, K '70, and the resignations of Miss Manning and Prof. McRae, the college prudential committee has elected R. W. Bailey, of Tonica, Ill., Professor of English Literature; Jesse P. Mack, of Oberlin College, Principal of the Preparatory Department; Miss A. E. Wright, of the University of Missouri, Woman's Dean; J. A. Dalrymple, of Joy, Ill., Physical Director.



The football prospects are brighter than they have been for some time past. Heavier material has shown up and things look favorable for a successful season. Brother Main is captain, and Brothers Rowe, Alger and Willoughby, and Van de Mark, a new pledge, are on the squad. Brother Smith, captain of the '05 basketball team, is working up a good schedule of games and several of the brothers will probably get places on the team.

E. M. Steimlee, pledge and captain-elect for the baseball team next spring, has not yet entered school. Twelve "H's" were awarded Kappa men for their work in athletics last year, and the captaincies of the football, basketball and baseball teams fell to our lot. Places on *The Collegian* staff are held by Brothers Walrath and Willoughby. Brother Smith is President of the Amphietyon Literary Society, and Brother Woodworth of the Alpha Kappa Phi. We will have our usual number of social functions during the year, including the banquet, which will be held in the latter part of February.

Kappa gave her quinquennial reunion dinner at the Smith House, June 13th. Between fifty and sixty loyal Choctaws assembled to renew once more the bonds of Deltaism so dear to us all. A joyous spirit pervaded the gathering, the "old boys" becoming very demonstrative in their expressions of love for their chapter, which has made such a record for the Fraternity. E. W. Adkinson, '70, acted as toastmaster on this happy occasion. Humor and brilliancy were rife in the "rapid fire" speeches. Space forbids us to quote from the remarks but suffice it to say that they partook of the Delta brand of enthusiasm.

The college family was pained to learn of the death of President Mauck's mother recently at the old home in Yorktown, Va.

Kappa extends best wishes to all sister Chapters and invites all visiting brothers to look us up.

A. A. WILLOUGHBY.

### LAMBDA—VANDERBILT UNIVERSITY.

When the University opened its doors on September 20th twelve of Lambda's old men had returned to participate in the affairs of Vanderbilt and of the Chapter. Brother Paul Campbell, third baseman of the baseball team last spring, and member of the glee club last year, has entered George Washington University to study law. Brother Leslie Hawkins, Beta Kappa, '05, entered the Vanderbilt Law School, but remained with us only a few days. He returned to the Colorado University on account of ill health. We are very sorry that he could not remain with us.

The new rule with regard to rushing, recently put into effect by the Pan-Hellenic Council, has made a great change in the fraternity life here during the first few weeks after the opening of the fall term. There is to be no spiking this year until February. It remains to be seen how the rule is going to hold. Lambda feels no uneasiness as a result of this move, but on the other hand we feel that we will be benefited by it.

The interest of the whole University, practically, is centered in football at present, especially in the game with Michigan, which will be history before this letter is published. Our hope is to make a better showing than did Texas against Chicago last year, and doubtless we will. Our prospects for a strong team are good, and our schedule is probably the hardest ever undertaken by a Southern team. Lambda is represented on the eleven by three men, Brother Morris Brown being captain.

*Jim's*

There is an unusually large number in the Freshman classes this year, and apparently a good number of promising men, though, of course, little can be told about these at present, as nothing has been done along these lines. It is sufficient to say that we expect to come in for our share when the rushing season is here.

We are always glad to be looked up by any Delts who happen through Nashville.

E. J. HAMILTON.

#### MU—OHIO WESLEYAN UNIVERSITY.

Mu began the year with thirteen of last year's men back. We are very glad to have with us again Brothers Dietrich and Custin, both of whom have been out for the last year. We are also very glad to welcome to Mu Brother P. B. Henderson, from Alpha. We have pledged four men and we consider them the pick of their class. They are: F. B. Compton, of Coshocton, Ohio; F. W. Rickey, of Lucasville, Ohio; B. K. Smith, of Arcanum, Ohio, and H. E. Griffith, of Mt. Gilead, Ohio.

We have fourteen men in the house this year. We occupy the same house at 110 N. Franklin. We have bought several new pieces of furniture and have the house in much better condition.

We have begun an active campaign on our house fund, and are meeting with good success, and with proper support of our alumni we expect to have our new house by next fall. Several of our alumni have visited us this year and all are very well pleased with our prospects.

Ohio Wesleyan's athletics are undergoing a rejuvenation and this year is probably the beginning of a much better and more extensive showing in athletics. Our new gymnasium



when completed will be one of the finest in the State. Basketball and track work will, in consequence, take a bound upward. The football team has every prospect of being one of the best in Wesleyan's history. We have two men on the squad.

Our gymnasium and new engineering building, with several other additions, will greatly improve our campus.

Beta Phi, Chi, and Mu will continue their same very close relations and will endeavor to make stronger these ties.

Mu wishes every chapter a prosperous and successful year.

R. S. VAN DEVERE.

### OMICRON—UNIVERSITY OF IOWA.

Chapter Omicron is starting out this year with all indications pointing toward a very successful year. Seventeen men returned to school, and to this nucleus we have added five more, whom we are glad to introduce as Deltas to the Fraternity at large. These men are Clyde Halton, Philip Philips, and Charles La Force, of Ottumwa, Iowa; Homer Lawson, of Wesley, Iowa, and Frank Cramer, of Belle Plaine, Iowa, all of whom are worthy of wearing the badge. The chapter house has been improved this last summer with new carpets, wall paper, etc., which give it a creditable appearance.

The University has this year the largest registration in its history, 1,800 students being enrolled. A number of new buildings are being built which, with the increased number of students to use them, seems to indicate a prosperous year for the whole University. It is still early to predict anything as to our standing in athletics.

October 28th will be the twenty-fifth anniversary of the founding of the chapter. We are arranging for a banquet

and smoker in honor of the event to which all Deltas are especially invited. A big time is anticipated. We wish to acknowledge the recent visits of E. B. Enoch, of Gamma Alpha, and George Morrissey, of Beta Rho.

J. W. JORDAN.

PI—*University not in Session.*

RHO—STEVENS INSTITUTE OF TECHNOLOGY.

Rho has entered upon another year, and all things point toward prosperity. It has five men pledged, and still others under consideration. There are now twelve actives, and after the pledged men are initiated there will be eleven living in the house, which number will just about fill it. Our new house has proven a success in every way. Its location upon the finest street of Hoboken, is within four or five minutes' walk of the Institute, much nearer than any other fraternity house, which of course greatly aids rushing.

The new chemical laboratory is rapidly nearing completion, and will probably be ready for occupancy about the beginning of next year. Work is well under way upon our new athletic field, which is to be ready for lacrosse in the spring. The number of men in the Institute has never been larger than at the present time, being considerable over four hundred. Rho extends to her sister Chapters every good wish for the coming year.

CLARENCE G. MICHALIS.

UPSILON—RENSSELAER POLYTECHNIC INSTITUTE.

It gives the members of Upsilon great pleasure to introduce to the Delta world Brothers Lambrause, of Highland

Milk, N. Y.; Burke, of Troy, N. Y.; Stull, of — — —; D. A. Russell Washborn, of Sidney, N. Y., all of the class of 1909. We also have four more men pledged who will be instructed in the mysteries of Deltaism by the time of this issue of *THE RAINBOW*.

The future for Upsilon this year is extremely bright, a first-class start having been made, and the prospects are that this year will be the banner year in the history of our Chapter. The spirit of enthusiasm pervades both old and new men, and all the men are bent upon having this Chapter take its place among the highest in the Fraternity.

The incoming class of the "Tute" is the largest in the history of the school, numbering over one hundred and seventy men.

The three new buildings are well under course of construction and will be ready for occupancy next April.

We are pleased to acknowledge very pleasant visits from Brothers Gattan, '03; Kline, '02; Showers, '00, and Frost, '00, also Brothers Mallory and Phillips, Beta Omega, and Klawan, Beta Gamma.

Our latchstring is always out, and we invite all Deltas who happen hereabouts to test our hospitality.

SHERWOOD B. GRANT.

### PHI—WASHINGTON AND LEE.

In this, her first letter for the term of '05-'06, Phi sends greetings and best wishes to her sister chapters of the Fraternity. Especially do we send hearty congratulations and good-will to our baby chapter at Missouri; may she find in Delta Tau Delta a fraternity of brotherly affection and interest—an ideal—such as we have found in it.

Though the session is but slightly advanced, Phi has



already added four goats to her seven old men, who have returned for the year, and takes pleasure in introducing to the Fraternity Brothers D. E. Pruitt and R. D. Pruitt, of Roswell, New Mex.; Brother R. A. Brown, of Wytheville, Va.; and Brother D. L. Anderson, of China. Brother D. E. Pruitt has been elected captain of the gymnasium team, and Brother Anderson is already doing star work as right half-back on the football team. It might be well to mention here that Phi is well represented on the team, having three other players besides Brother Anderson.

During the rushing season Phi was greatly benefited by the presence of Brother Pendleton, '03, Brother Boice, '05, and Brother Chafee, '05. All three are old stand-bys of Phi and did much towards securing such fine goats. Since college opened we have also had visits from Brothers Graham and Williams, of last year's chapter; the former has accepted a position in Norfolk, while the latter has gone to Poughkeepsie for a business course.

Pi Kappa Alpha has rented a house for this year and so has become a pioneer in the chapter house field at Washington and Lee. Phi Kappa Psi is also trying an experiment in getting together and rooming in the same house.

In closing Phi wishes to extend a cordial and hearty invitation for a visit from any Delts who can get to Lexington. If you take the train which comes to Lexington you will have to get off, as the train goes no further. This is the getting off place, so be sure to do it.

JAS. R. CASKIE.

#### CHI—KENYON COLLEGE.

College opened here at Kenyon on Wednesday, the 20th of September. Out of last year's chapter we had back with

us at the beginning the following brothers: Cable, Lee and Fischbach, of '06; Southward, Eddy and Marsh, of '07; and Tunks and Walcott, of '08. Brother Tunks has since been obliged to withdraw from school, but Brother Booth, of '06, has returned, leaving the total number of old men still eight.

The incoming class is one rich with good fraternity material, and all of the five chapters on "the Hill" have a larger number of pledged Freshmen than usual. Chi herself has seven pledged men, a large number for her, but we feel sure that every one of the seven is the man he should be. Our rivals here are Alpha Delta Phi, Psi Upsilon, Delta Kappa Epsilon, and Beta Theta Pi. All are in a very flourishing condition and have strong chapters for the coming year. We feel, however, that we need fear none of them.

One of our seniors is the president of the college assembly here, and we also have the president of the Junior and Freshman classes in our numbers. We have three men playing regularly on the football team, beside the manager. Two brothers represent us on the board of the College paper, *The Collegian*, and the manager of the junior annual, *The Reveille*, is one of us. The manager of the dramatic club and three of its members, besides three or four members of musical organizations, are Chi men.

With such an outlook we feel much encouraged for this year.

Our large numbers fill completely our quarters in the old dormitory known as the East Division. The rooms are divided into suites of two and are each occupied by two fellows. They have been fixed up very attractively, and together with our large chapter parlor form a very pleasant home. The dormitory in which we are located, known to

every Kenyon man as "Old Kenyon," is soon to be entirely remodeled. The outer walls of thick stone alone are to remain, as at present. It will doubtless be a matter of two years, however, before this is completely carried out. A new president's house, to cost twelve thousand dollars, has also been provided for by subscription. The work upon it will begin soon. Two other new houses for the use of professors will be built by the College sometime during the coming year.

The College has secured as football coach this fall "Dad" Gregory, of the University of Michigan. He is a pupil of Yost's and teaches the latter's system here. A squad consisting of much better material and more of it than for years past is what Gregory has to work with. His tactics, though strict, are very well liked by the team, and the best possible work from all the men is the result. Hopes run high for a winning team, and the results of the games so far have not in the least shattered those hopes.

Chapter Chi is better fixed this year than for some years past to entertain visitors. The fact that we are to be the hosts for the Division Conference has tended to place us in a hospitable mood. We sincerely hope, therefore, that every and all Delts who can possibly find their way to Gambier at any time during the year will most assuredly do so. We shall do our best to entertain them in any way we are able. Chi extends her heartiest wishes of good fortune and success to all her sister chapters in Delta Tau.

HAROLD M. EDDY.

#### OMEGA—UNIVERSITY OF PENNSYLVANIA.

11/05  
In the bell tower of old College Hall the tolling of chapel bell could be heard. Pennsylvania assembled to begin a



year filled with bright prospects. Never before in the history of this institution has such a large Freshman class entered, not only in the college, but also in the various other departments. There prevails throughout the entire University a spirit of combined unity and enthusiasm. This "Pennsy" spirit is especially noticeable in Omega's chapter house. With all the advantages possible to a Fraternity, backed by twenty-two faithful brothers (Brothers Piersol, Prime, Norris and Aldendifer leaving our fold, excepting the latter, through graduation), we hope to add to Delta's fame.

With the fond recollections of our last Karnea still in view, with the new things learned of that unknown power, Omega has made a good beginning. By the next number of THE RAINBOW we hope to introduce to the Delta world six worthy brothers. Our fall initiation will be held October 28. In our midst we have Brother Boice, of Phi, an affiliate. Of the older men Brothers F. Brumm and T. McCutcheon stay with us as guides.

In the last few years Pennsy has taken big strides, not only in expansion, but also in improvements. A new addition is being added to the "Dorms." This gives a total of about 900 men living in the dormitories. The new engineering building, equipped with all improved machinery and apparatuses, costing about \$800,000, is completed. It is considered one of the finest buildings of its kind in the country. Many other building projects are under consideration; when these "hatch out" we may say "it's in the learning."

The football Varsity team is gradually rounding into form, and with the closing of the season hope to duplicate last year's record. Although Omega is not represented on the "Varsity," several of the boys have made good on the squads. Their showing is encouraging, however, in the

other athletic sports, where we hope to be well represented.

The social side has as yet been overlooked (excepting the fussers at the football games), and the "rushing feeds," the results of which Omega has had the better half.

To the sister chapters Omega sends her best wishes for the coming year.

PAUL BOUCHERLE.

### BETA ALPHA—INDIANA UNIVERSITY.

With the opening of the fall term of the Indiana University, Beta Alpha commences what bids fair to be the most successful year in her history.

Several days before College opened thirteen men, only two of whom had been in the Chapter over two years, started into the rushing team with a system and vigor that netted us seven of the very best men that entered College this fall. Rushing at Indiana is, to say the least, strenuous; and it is with no small pride that we closed the season with two more men than our strongest rival. As a result, we introduce Brothers Kenneth Snyder and Howard Jackson, of Angola, Ind.; Harold Ruh, of Rochester, Ind.; Gearry Knight, of Zanesville, Ind.; Walter Perkins, of Lebanon, Ind.; Eugene Tappy, of Poneto, Ind.; Joseph Jackson, of Louisville, Ky.

These Freshmen are well up to the standard and are already realizing on Beta Alpha's first and last injunction: "Get to the front in college affairs." Brother Jackson J. has been elected to membership in the Press Club. Brother Knight has made University Band and Glee Club, and Goethe Gesellschaft. Brother Jackson H. plays left end on Freshman team and first clarionet in University Band. Brothers Snyder and Perkins hold down quarter and tackle position on Freshman team.

Although it is yet early, the older men are getting their share of the honors. Brother Buzzaird has been elected President of the Dramatic Club, Strut and Fret, and Brother Carr appointed student representative on Athletic Board and associate editor of *Daily Student*. Brother Buckley plays right half and Brother Boyle sub-quarter on Varsity. One-third of the staff of *Daily Student* is Delta Tau.

In the next issue of THE RAINBOW we hope to have a picture of our new \$15,000 house, the finest fraternity house in this State. It will be ready for occupancy in five weeks. Until that time we shall bend our energies toward impressing on our alumni the blessedness of charity.

Other crowds have also taken up the house question. Kappa Kappa Gamma and Kappa Alpha Theta are occupying new houses, and Sigma Chi is building. Phi Delta Theta expects to build in the near future. On the whole, fraternity feeling at Indiana is cordial, and the present term will see the customary Pan-Hellenic smokers and dances.

As with fraternities so with the University. Every prospect pleases. The football team, under the able coaching of "Jimmy" Sheldon, of Chicago, has made an unusually promising beginning. The new university club house, known as the Student Building, is rapidly nearing completion. Enrollment this fall is larger than ever before, and several departments have been materially strengthened.

With the return of Brother Benson, ex-'03, Beta Alpha starts the term with twenty-one men, and her happy beginning presages a successful year.

B. B. McCLASKEY.

#### BETA BETA—DE PAUW UNIVERSITY.

This issue of THE RAINBOW finds Beta Beta in better condition than she has been for several years, with excellent



prospects of a continuous growth in the future. Six old men returned for the spike: Brothers Shultz, Wheeler, Allison, Tucker, Bean and Markin. This was not enough to spike to the best advantage, but we went into it determined to win out if hard work would do it. To make matters better, Brother Halloway, Beta Zeta, stopped with us during the first four days of school and rendered very efficient help. We were the only Fraternity in the school without a Chapter house, few in number and most of us inexperienced in "rushing." But the result showed what hard work will do even in the face of adverse circumstances. We succeeded in pledging five good men. They are Merrill Cook, of Warsaw; John Diggs and Harry Evans, of Winchester; Paul Baldwin, of Oakland City, and Will Ripley, of Malden, Mass. These men are all good solid fellows who are in De Pauw strictly for business, and the kind whom we are glad to see wearing the square badge of Deltaism. They were initiated October 14. This raises our number to eleven. Brother Shepherd, '08, who was not expecting to return, came back for the initiation and concluded to remain in school. Thus we now number twelve active men, and we are expecting to pledge two other Freshmen soon and one or two in the academy.

We are rejoicing over the fact that we have another Delt in the Faculty. Prof. Watson, one of the charter members of Beta Chi, has charge of the zoology department. Brother Watson is very enthusiastic and has proven a source of encouragement and council.

We are handicapped by having no house. We were obliged to give up the house we occupied last year because it could not be well warmed in cold weather, and there was no other house for rent suitable for fraternity purposes. We are hoping to be able to own a house of our own in the

near future, and if this hope is realized Beta Beta, with her other advantages, will be one of the leading fraternities in the Institution. We have, however, solved the house problem to a certain extent, by part of us rooming together. This, and having an excellent hall and a "frat" table at one of the dormitories, help to bring us into a closer association with each other.

De Pauw is better than ever. We have an increase in attendance, and in the College of Liberal Arts the boys have a slight majority. There is not only an increase in enrollment but an increase in the per cent. of men suitable for fraternity purposes.

On the gridiron we are represented by Brother Shultz at right tackle and Tucker at left end. De Pauw has been defeated both by Rose Polytechnics and by the University of Cincinnati. However, by defeating State Normal 28—0 and Franklin College 69—0, the team has shown its ability to play the game. Brother Markin represents us on the staff of the college paper, and Brother Baldwin, one of our new men, will probably be the leader of the college band.

One thing that has proven a source of help to us is the attitude of the student body toward the Chapter. It has been true of some other fraternities that they have built up in numbers at the expenses of the quality of men taken and thus have lost very much of the esteem of the student body. But while our growth numerically has been slower, our standard has not been lowered, and we number some of the best people in the College among our friends.

We are expecting to have at least fifteen men by the close of the year, and will give all visiting Deltas the very best we have.

L. E. MARKIN.



## BETA GAMMA—WISCONSIN.

Beta Gamma has started out this year with every indication of success. Sixteen of last year's actives have returned, and with the assistance of Fred Brown, of George Washington, Isaac Dahle and Walter Darling, four men were pledged.

Brother Smith, of Gamma Beta, and Lawrence Paul, of Beta Tau, are rooming in the house. Brother John L. Kind is enrolled as an instructor in the German department of the University. Brother Kind is a Delt through and through, and we consider ourselves fortunate indeed to have him with us. Five men whom we expected back this year have disappointed us, but two of these, and possibly more, will return in February. Of these men, Brother Pease is employed as a civil engineer at Omaha, Neb.; Rollin Larson is in Seattle, Wash.; Barrett Linkey is employed as a civil engineer by the Union Pacific, with headquarters at Omaha, Neb.; William Schnorr is employed by the Council Bluffs Telephone Co., and Edward Hoffman by John Hoffman & Sons, wholesale grocers, Milwaukee, Wis. Brother Frank Barker was suddenly called away from college by the death of his father. There is no man in the Chapter whom we could miss more.

Our initiation and banquet was held October 13, and we have the pleasure to introduce four new members to the Fraternity: Arthur A. Michaud, of Duluth, Minn.; Andrew D. Shankland, of Chicago, Ill.; John D. Thomas, of Chicago, Ill., and Guerdon W. Price, of Waukegan, Ill. We have three seniors in the chapter, and six pledges coming to college next year seems to indicate future success as well as present.

There are seventeen fraternities and nine sororities at



Wisconsin. The local fraternity of Rho Delta Phi is prospering well, showing that there is still material to be found at U. W. Sigma Chi, Phi Delta Theta, Delta Gamma, Alpha Phi and Gamma Phi Beta all have new homes of their own. Besides these, several others own their houses. As a general statement, acknowledged by all fraternities, Wisconsin fraternities had a dearth of material this year, while the sororities had more than ever before.

In athletics Wisconsin looks like a sure winner. Our football team is composed of all old men and is being coached by Phil King, who was with us in our former great days, and Holt, the star tackle for Princeton. Kranzlein, who holds the world's record in both hurdles, and until recently also held the running broad jump, has been secured as trainer and track coach. Parsons, the California man, who defeated Blair, of Chicago, and Hahn, of Michigan, in the one-hundred-yard dash at Portland, is enrolled as a student. The old Wisconsin spirit, which has never died but which has been severely crippled in the past three years, has been stirred up by Phil King, and is stronger than ever. The student body, individually and collectively, have strong interest in athletics, and all are looking forward to the Chicago game.

The following Beta Gamma men are engaged in University activities: Brothers Kuehmsted and Fischer are on the football squad, with sure chances of a "W." Brother Nevins is leader of the Glee Club, and Walter Rehm made the Mandolin Club. Brother Rehm also won the tennis tournament here last spring and represented Wisconsin at Chicago. Brother Montgomery is a member of the Art Committee on *The Badger*, and chairman of *The Chronicle* committee. Hal Week is chairman of the reception committee of the Junior Promenade, and Arthur Kuehmsted is

president of the Senior Class. In the Commercial Club we have three members, and in the two Junior-Senior societies and the Sophomore society we are represented by at least two men in each. We hope other chapters may have as good success as has befallen us, and we extend a hearty invitation to all Deltas who may visit Wisconsin.

HARRY G. MONTGOMERY.

#### BETA EPSILON—EMORY COLLEGE.

This Chapter has not seen fit to favor us with a letter in response to our request and notification. But from the Emory College letter to *The Scroll* of Phi Delta Theta we reproduce the following:

"There are six other fraternities represented here, but the average number of members is not as it usually is, owing to the fact that Phi Delta Theta and Kappa Alpha returned so many men.

"The following shows the number in each fraternity as it now is: Phi Delta Theta, 15 returned, 8 new, total 23; Kappa Alpha, 9 returned, 8 new, total 17; Sigma Nu, 8 returned, 5 new, total 13; Chi Phi, 8 returned, 4 new, total 12; Alpha Tau Omega, 7 returned, 4 new, total 11; Sigma Alpha Epsilon, 6 returned, 4 new, total 10; Delta Tau Delta, 2 returned, 3 new, total 5."

BETA ZETA—*No Letter.*

#### BETA ETA—UNIVERSITY OF MINNESOTA.

Beta Eta starts this year with twelve men. We are located at 516 Fifteenth Avenue, S. E., and wish any one who is in the cities to look us up. School started a week later than usual this year, so we are just a week later in all our

doings than usual. We gave a little party to our pledges the first week in October, and then, to show them that we really meant business, gave them one of the warmest rough-house initiations in the history of the Chapter. Our formal comes Saturday evening, October 21, so in this letter we take great pleasure in introducing to the Fraternity at large Paul Marshall, of Minneapolis; Everett Morgan, of St. Paul; Isaac Hanks, of Minneapolis, and Harry Babst, of Fargo, N. D. Besides these men we have pledged one of the strongest men in the Freshmen class.

In athletics things are all up in the air this year. We have been badly handicapped by the new Freshman rule adopted by the Big Nine, and beside this we have lost five of our old team through the time limit. But we still think that, thanks to "Doc" and Gopher pluck, our opponents will hear from us on the gridiron this year.

We have had several pleasant little visits during the past month. Brother Hewitt is in the city almost every week and usually gets over to see us. Brother Bonifield, of Beta Omega, was in town for a couple of days and paid us quite a pleasant visit. Brother Nichols, of Beta Gamma, also stopped over a day on his way to Chicago. He goes to study at Rush. Brother Heyward, of Chi, who is teaching in town, comes over often and helps a lot in the rushing.

We hope to see quite a little of our sister chapters during the fall, as we play four colleges in which we have Chapters, and play all of them here.

Hoping that all her sister chapters will have the best of success in the fall rushing as she has done, Beta Eta says good-bye.

H. S. BLISS.



## BETA THETA— UNIVERSITY OF THE SOUTH.

While the greater number of our sister institutions throughout the country have only lately resumed the work of a new collegiate year, we, in Sewanee, have been plodding away all during the summer months at the daily regimen of classes. We have been busily engaged in the round of college activities at a time when the great body of college men were taking their summer outing and enjoying in divers ways the pleasures of the vacation period.

But the men of Beta Theta have by no means been confined entirely to the more strenuous duties of college life. The social season in Sewanee has been at its height. Crowds of summer visitors, especially the summer maiden, have sought the cool air of our mountain top. There have been dances and social functions galore, several of which have been given at the chapter house of Beta Theta. Particularly enjoyable was the dance given by Beta Theta in honor of the visiting brothers of Lambda on the Vanderbilt baseball team.

Since our last letter Beta Theta has been unfortunate in the loss of several of its best members. Brother Hanff we lost by graduation in June; Brothers Harry Breeden, Fowlkes and Ewing have left us only recently, Brother Breeden to enter the University of Texas, and the others to seek their fortunes in the business and professional world.

Along with our heavy losses, however, the Beta Theta goat has been quite in evidence. It gives me great pleasure to introduce to the Fraternity at large our recent initiates: Brothers James Charles Craft and Cyrus Dunlap Hogue, both of Wilmington, N. C. We have also had the pleasure of initiating into the mysteries of Delta Tau Delta an old RAINBOW man of the University of Mississippi, Mr. B. G.

Humphreys, now U. S. Congressman from Mississippi. Among the visitors to Beta Theta of late we had the good fortune of having with us for a few days Brother Bonifield, of the University of California.

Beta Theta still holds her high position of former years in the several spheres of college activity. At the commencement exercises of last July members of Beta Theta stood well in the honor list. Brother Holmes won the Knight Declamation Medal, and Brother Peak the South Carolina Medal for Essay. Brother Finlay was a prominent contestant in the commencement oratorical contest. Brothers Wheat and Selden have again won the tennis championship of the University, in doubles, which honor they have held for several years. Brother Peak is business manager of the *Sewanee Purple*, the college weekly, and of the *Cap and Gown*, the annual of the University.

On the football team the chapter is well represented by Brother Sawrie, who is showing up better than ever at his last year's position at fullback. Brother R. T. Phillips is also a promising candidate for tackle. In every department of University life, in fact, the men of Beta Theta maintain a high standard. This external strength is only exceeded by the strong bonds of fellowship permeating the chapter within, knitting the fellows together, man to man, with all the power of congeniality and fraternal friendship. Altogether, Beta Theta's prospects are most gratifying, and we wish the same good fortune to the Fraternity wherever dispersed.

GEORGE V. PEAK.

## BETA IOTA—UNIVERSITY OF VIRGINIA.

On the 15th of September the eighty-sixth session of the University of Virginia commenced. In spite of her age the progress here has been of the accelerated kind. Especially has this been the fact in the last three or four years, during which time the University has regained the vigor of youth and the onward move has been unretarded. Each year, as it comes and goes, is in all respects superior to the preceding one.

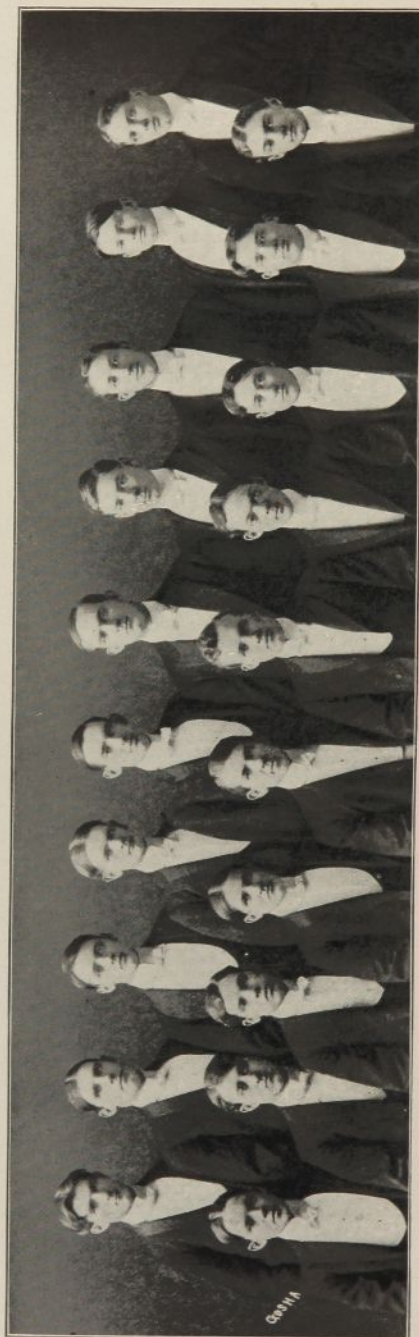
In like manner has been the progress of Beta Iota, even more so in the last two or three years, a fact largely, if not wholly, due to the perseverance and zeal always awakened by true Deltaism. The advancement this year is also a material one, eighteen out of twenty men having returned this fall. The presence of one of our charter members, Brother Graham Painter, who is to be with us again this session, is a very welcome addition.

We are also glad to report the affiliations of three Deltas, Brothers Fayette Clay Ewing and James Merriwether Hull, Jr., of Beta Theta, and John Preston Buchanan, of Phi. These additions brought the roll up to twenty-two men, with which number the "rushing" was entered upon, and in a very short time we succeeded in securing four desirable "goats." It is with great pleasure that we can introduce to Delta Tau Delta Brothers John Edward Gheen, of West Chester, Pa.; Irvin Blaine White, of Cumberland, Md.; James Stone Easley, of Houston, Va., and Walter Jones Laird, of Warrenton, Va. In this connection we would like to thank those who have given us assistance, no matter in what form, in regard to prospective initiates.

The old custom of an initiation banquet was revived, and, needless to say, was greatly enjoyed by all. Brothers Fred-







BETA KAPPA—University of Colorado

Gosnell

erick S. Tyler and James H. Drake, Jr., Beta Iota '03, were present, and the former acted in the capacity of toastmaster. The chapter also enjoyed a visit from Brother Hugh Worthington, Beta Iota '02.

There have been numerous improvements made in the house this year, and now in addition to our pool table we also have a piano, and as several of our brothers are musical, recreation with us is a time of real enjoyment.

In closing we would like to remind the "traveling brothers" that Charlottesville is always the "stopping off place," whether they are going north, south, east or west.

H. LAURENCE BROOKE.

#### BETA KAPPA—UNIVERSITY OF COLORADO.

The University opened for the school term of 1905-'06 on September 11. Most of the twelve men returning to Beta Kappa were here a week early to be ready for active work. The rushing was most strenuous this year, as the good material seemed to be below the average, but with the rivalry of Sigma Alpha Epsilon, Beta Theta Pi, Alpha Tau Omega, Sigma Nu and Phi Delta Theta, Beta Kappa can say that she cannot complain of the results. We have pledged five men: John Rich, of Boulder; Valentine Fisher, of Pueblo; Gale Adams, of Greeley; Mr. Nichols, of Council Bluffs, Iowa, and Mr. Ritter, of Denver. We held two rushing parties in the chapter house at the opening of school, and with the aid of our alumni, upon whom we can always rely, had a splendid time with very satisfactory results.

In athletics Colorado may be looked upon to spring a surprise this fall, as the outlook for the football team is most promising. On October 4 we opened the season with Sacred Heart College and won by a score of 109—0 in two



fifteen minute halves. As the schedule this year includes Wyoming, Utah, Kansas, Nebraska, Washburn and Haskell, we hope to show we are getting into the class of the older and larger institutions. On the football squad Beta Kappa is represented by Brother Ogden, who in spite of a bad knee hopes to make his "C" at left half. Brother Poley would have probably gained the quarter-back position had he not been stricken with typhoid fever, which will keep him out of school for the rest of this semester.

In college honors Beta Kappa has as usual taken her share. Brother Giffin has been selected by the Athletic Association as graduate manager, having control of all athletics in the University. Brother Watkins was chosen to succeed Brother Giffin as manager of the football team. Brother Van Cise has been appointed athletic editor of the college paper, *Silver and Gold*. Two of our pledges have received honors already, John Rich as the president of the Freshmen engineers, and Fisher as the vice-president of the Freshmen medics.

Brother Hawkins, '05, has decided to return to Colorado and finish his law course here. We have with us this fall Brother Parlin, '04, who is now assistant in German in the University.

Beta Kappa has at last realized a hope she has cherished for many years, and that is the granting of a charter for the Denver Alumni Chapter. The other chapters cannot realize the aid this will be to us, separated as we are from the rest of our sister chapters. By this chapter we will be brought in touch with many Deltas who have lived in Colorado for years and have never visited Beta Kappa nor been to a gathering of Deltas since their college days.

We gave one of our regular dances at Pickering Hall October 7, and were delightfully entertained by Pi Beta

Phi at their lodge Tuesday evening September 26. Phi Chapter of Delta Gamma has invited us to an informal dinner at their chapter house October 24. On October 21 we hold our twenty-third annual initiation banquet and hope to have the greatest gathering ever held by Beta Kappa.

Beta Kappa sends the heartiest of greetings to all her sister chapters and extends a hearty welcome to all Deltas who may come to the land of the "Shut Ins," as we have been appropriately called.

FRANK L. MOORHEAD.

#### BETA LAMBDA—LEHIGH UNIVERSITY.

Lehigh University reopened for another year on the 20th of September. The Freshman class was of about the average size, having a membership of two hundred and thirteen men. Beta Lambda started out the season with nine actives divided amongst the classes as follows: One Senior, six Juniors and two Sophomores. Up to the present time we have pledged one Junior. The Faculty rule in regards to fraternities not being allowed to pledge Freshmen until after Christmas vacation is still in effect, so that we have a hard and long rushing season ahead of us.

This year we have moved into new quarters and are now occupying a large, fine house surrounded by extensive grounds.

Founders' Day, which on October 12, was an exceedingly important day for Lehigh University. In the morning Mr. H. S. Drinker was installed as president of the University, and directly afterwards ground was broken for the building of the Drown Memorial Hall, which is to be a sort of club and assembly house for the entire student body. In the afternoon the annual relay race, football and baseball

games between the Sophomores and Freshmen took place. Brother Barker, '08, was captain of the Sophomore baseball team.

Brother Watson, '06, has been elected athletic representative-at-large on the College athletic committee.

A number of our men were at Karnea in August, and all report having a fine time.

Our football team is gradually rounding into shape and we expect to show our old rivals, Lafayette, a few things on November 25.

JONATHAN ROWLAND.

#### BETA MU—TUFTS COLLEGE.

We of Beta Mu who returned to Tufts this fall returned to meet a situation entirely new and to face conditions, to say the least, novel to us.

For years our college has sought to gather its students into closer union by means of a commons or college dining club. This it has at last succeeded in doing. With the accomplishment of this purpose, however, has come a problem of much import to the fraternity interests of our institution. Especially important is its bearing upon the rushing, that most necessary factor of all fraternities' success. With the opening of this year's campaign one of our most efficient helps in securing men had ceased to exist. No longer, as before, could we invite a man down to the house to dine and there with all freedom talk in a heart to heart manner with him of fraternity matters.

Thus thrust into the open, new ways and means became necessary for all, and in the general scramble Beta Mu feels that she has held her own. We started the year with twelve men, having lost four by graduation and four by reason of a change to other institutions. We have so far pledged five men and are considering certain others.



In our house, too, a change has been wrought by reason of the new dining system. Owing to the additional room placed at our disposal by the removal of the necessity for a cook, housekeeper, etc., we found it both convenient and profitable to do some remodeling. The resulting improvements which we were enabled to make, largely through the ready generosity of our alumni, were accomplished before the opening of the fall term, and now we are enabled to accommodate at least two more men than ever before.

The Karnea held at New York is now a matter of history, but strikingly modern and progressive history if we are to judge by the action of our men who were in attendance. Already several ideas, the outgrowth of that assembly, have been taken up, and are being diligently pursued by our chapter.

We have passed through the first stage of the year, and although we have had a new and hard problem to face we believe we have met it as Delts should—with success. We are now looking forward to the usual joint banquet with the Boston Alumni and Beta Mu, and are anticipating with pleasure this occasion, which above all else in New England generates the essence of true Deltaism.

We extend our best wishes to all and earnestly urge that our house is always open and that we are ever happy to receive any brother Delta who may come within our region.

FREDWITH R. MACKENZIE.

#### BETA NU—MASSACHUSETTS INSTITUTE OF TECHNOLOGY.

We of Beta Nu are starting in on our second year in our new house, and the coming year bids fair to be even more successful than last year. We started out rather handicapped. Ten of our most loyal brothers graduated last year,

and four more, Brothers Booth, Ballou, Wing and Hastings are not going to return to the Institute this year, so our numbers are considerably diminished. Brother Niles, who was obliged to leave last year, has returned this year and resumed his studies in the Sophomore class.

Tech did not open until about the 1st of October, and so our rushing season is hardly over, but in the short time we have been at work we have pledged seven new men, and we are congratulating ourselves on our success in this line because we consider that we have material for seven good Delts. Five of our new pledges are Freshmen, one is a Sophomore and one is a Junior. All, however, are new men just entering the Institute. We intend to get about two more men if possible before our first initiation.

We have had several improvements and some new furniture in our house this fall which have made our home more cozy than ever before. There are seventeen living in the house, and several other brothers take their meals with us. Brother Abbot, one of the '05 men, who left us last year, is taking his dinners with us. We have had several pleasant calls from the members of our sister chapter, Beta Mu.

Beta Nu had seven representatives at the Karnea in New York last summer, and these lucky individuals came back with enthusiastic reports and full of the true Delt spirit.

At the present time thirteen national fraternities have chapters here at Technology, and two more fraternities are local here. About twenty per cent. of the students are fraternity men.

The Harvard-Tech merger question, which has created so much talk for about a year, has been definitely settled. There was a decided feeling against the union, both among the Alumni and the undergraduates, but the corporation has been in favor of it. Final action, however, has been taken

by the Corporation, and their decision that Tech is not to unite with Harvard, for some time at least, is hailed with much satisfaction by all Tech men.

In conclusion, we want to thank all Delts who have helped us by recommending new men, and we wish all our brothers to remember that the door at 234 Newbury Street, Boston, is always open to wearers of our badge.

LAWRENCE ALLEN.

#### BETA XI—TULANE UNIVERSITY.

On account of the prevalence of yellow fever in New Orleans, Tulane will not open on time. Instead of opening on October 2, as was scheduled, the University will not open until November 2. Necessarily the delay in opening will set Beta Xi back in her work of rushing and obtaining new men, but by December 1, when our next letter goes to THE RAINBOW, we hope to be in perfectly smooth running order. We hope then to introduce to our sister chapters several new Deltas, two of whom are already pledged.

Beta Xi will be, as it always has been, well represented in athletics. Brother Jamison was elected assistant manager of the football team, and Brother Lamont vice-president of the Tulane Athletic Association. We also have two strong candidates for the Sophomore football team, both of whom were stars on the Freshman team last year. Beta Xi hopes that all her sister chapters will have a most successful year, and extends a cordial invitation to any Delta coming to New Orleans to visit her.

E. E. CURTIS.

#### BETA OMICRON—CORNELL UNIVERSITY.

The opening of College this fall finds Beta Omicron with twenty men. Our long anticipated addition to the chapter house was started last spring, and, as is usual with most



buildings, is late in completion. This has handicapped us in our fall rushing considerably; in spite of this we have succeeded, with much hard work, in pledging nine men. Unfortunately, however, on account of the raised requirements, two of these men were unable to enter, and we have but seven pledges at present. One of these men, Judson Leonard, entered Ohio State and has been pledged by Beta Phi.

Our new chapter house is double the size of the old one, and will give us a house which is equal in comfort and beauty to any one here. In our next RAINBOW letter we will give a complete description of the house with an illustration.

Brother C. B. Wigton, '07, of Philadelphia, and C. L. Tuttle, '07, of Rochester, N. Y., have not returned this year. The former is in business and the latter entered the University of Michigan. We have with us Brothers P. H. Mallory, who is superintendent for the State architect on the new State Agricultural College buildings, and Frank Hawkins, Beta and Beta Omicron '04, who has accepted an instructorship in the chemistry department. Also Brother F. J. Seery, Beta Mu '05, who is an instructor in the College of Civil Engineering. Brother C. K. Carpenter has returned from the University of Michigan after a year's absence; he has entered the Junior class.

Brother Hanson, '08, rowed in the victorious Freshmen crew at Poughkeepsie last June. Brother Hunter, '05, was captain of the lacrosse team, and we have several men which promise to be prominent in college activities.

We welcome all Deltas to come and visit our new home.

HENRY S. OTTO.

## BETA PI—NORTHWESTERN UNIVERSITY.

The new school year opens with affairs "on the boom" for Beta Pi. Never in the history of our chapter has the outlook been as bright as it is this fall. Last year was a prosperous one for us, but at present it looks as if this was to be our banner year.

This prosperity is partly due to the fact that the whole University is prospering. There has been an increase of about six per cent. in the registration, a million dollars has been added to the endowment, the new athletic field has been completed, and enough money has been pledged so that the long-talked-of "new gym" will surely be built within a year. This last was made possible through the beneficence of the widow of the late G. F. Swift, whose nephew entered the University this fall and is now wearing our colors.

The new athletic field is one of the best in the West, comprising bleachers with a capacity of fifteen thousand people, a main gridiron, a practice gridiron, a baseball diamond, a one-fourth mile circular track, a two-hundred-and-ninety-yard straightaway track, dressing rooms, training quarters, and other accessories. This field cost about \$25,000, the money having been raised by subscription through the personal efforts of Mayor John T. Barker, of Evanston.

The complete management of the field, and of all matters connected with athletics, has been in the hands of Brother F. O. Smith, who graduated last year, and of whom Mr. Dyche, business manager of the University, said, "He is a genius."

All games, excepting the one with Minnesota, are to be played on the new field, this being the first time in many years that the Chicago game has been played in Evanston.

As to the chapter, we are now installed in our new home at 1935 Sherman Avenue, and are running our own table. Fifteen of the old men have returned to school, also the four men we pledged last spring. In the fall rushing we got our share of the good men, pledging four more, so that after initiation we will have an active chapter of twenty-three men.

We are all working together, and keeping in close "touch" with our alumni, who have helped us very materially in getting our affairs upon a sound business basis.

We are especially indebted to Brother and Mrs. Elmer L. Scott and to Brother and Mrs. Ralph B. Dennis for their advice and assistance. Many of the most pleasing features of our new home are due to Mrs. Scott and Mrs. Dennis.

In college activities we again occupy our usual prominent place. Brother F. O. Smith still manages athletics, Brother H. G. Smith is general secretary of the Y. M. C. A., Brother Miller is on the Sargent Declamation contest, Brother Snell is business manager of the *Syllabus*, Brother Hubbard is president of the Senior class, and Brother Wallace is a desk editor on the staff of *The Northwestern*, our college paper.

In athletics we are exceptionally well represented. Brother Rueber is captain and half-back on the football team, and Brothers Turner and Shauver are holding down the two end positions.

Among the additions to the Faculty this year are Brother D. R. Curtis, Beta Omega '99, and Brother R. E. Wilson, the latter having just returned to the Mathematics department from a two years leave of absence in Europe. This gives us six Deltas on the Faculty, and we wish to especially acknowledge the interest and assistance of Brothers Basquin and Dennis.



Some of us enjoyed the hospitality of Gamma Alpha at its informal October 7, and hope that they, as well as all other Delts who happen to be in the city this winter, will come out and see us.

We have received visits from Brothers J. S. Brown, Iota '75; H. S. Bonifield, Beta Omega '02; Sherman Arter, Zeta '86; Clyde Dyer, Beta Upsilon; Jos. A. Hunter, Beta Pi '00, and many others this fall, and are always glad to receive any man wearing the square badge.

Greetings and best wishes to all our sister chapters.

A. E. SHIBLEY.

#### BETA RHO—STANFORD UNIVERSITY.

With almost half of the first semester of the year 1905 over Beta Rho pauses to consider what she has achieved and what she still has to accomplish. The rushing season this year, one of the most strenuous, if not the most strenuous, season in the annals of Stanford fraternities, was begun with only seven men in the chapter, but with hard work and perseverance four good men were landed.

The twenty-second initiation and banquet was held on September 23, at which about twenty-five Deltas were present, including this quartet of initiates: Joseph Kellogg Hutchinson, of Palo Alto, Cal.; Thomas Brotherton Griffith, of Wichita, Kan.; Kirke Tonner Moore, of Tucson, Ariz., and Arthur Jewell Gowan, of Los Angeles, Cal. The initiation itself was a success in every respect, and the banquet which followed will long be remembered because of the Delt enthusiasm and spirit that was there manifested. Among the speeches especially worthy of note were those made by Brothers R. K. Goodlatte, of Gamma Epsilon, and May, of Beta Rho. It was Brother Goodlatte's initial appearance within the haunts of Western Delts, and his speech on Delt

life in the effete East was one of the "hits" of the evening. Brother May spoke upon the prospects of Beta Rho's new home, a subject of great interest and importance at the present writing, and outlined the course to be followed in securing it.

This year Stanford is experiencing an epidemic of chapter house building. Already Kappa Alpha has under construction a very substantial home, and several other fraternities are contemplating building in the course of the ensuing year. Beta Rho has also been considering very seriously the house building problem, and with the favorable subscriptions that are coming in daily she hopes that the beginning of the term of 1906-7 will see her comfortably installed in a new home. A building company is to be incorporated with the capitalization of \$10,000, two thousand of which will be issued in the form of preferred stock, bearing interest at five per cent. At present we have about \$1,550 subscribed, and hope that the remainder will be forthcoming in the course of the next two months, all subscriptions being payable by Christmas, 1905.

The athletic outlook for this year, while there are only three of last year's Varsity men back, is by no means discouraging, and with the new men in the hands of a very competent coach we feel assured that the team which takes the field against our friend the enemy from Berkeley on November 11 next, will maintain Stanford's supremacy in the coast football world. However, the interest of the Stanford athletic world is at present centered on the Freshman intercollegiate football game between the Stanford and Berkeley Freshmen next Saturday. The two teams are very evenly matched and a very scrappy game is anticipated. The Varsity game this year will be played at Stanford, and a new football field and bleachers, with a seating capacity of 15,000,

is being erected on the Stanford campus for that purpose. Beta Rho looks forward to the "big game" with a great deal of pleasure, as she expects a visit from Beta Omega in body and will keep "open house" for all visiting Delts.

Beta Rho extends her best wishes to her sister chapters for success in the ensuing year, and closes with the hope that Delts visiting this section of California will at least "remember the number."

F. H. BERNARD.

#### BETA TAU—UNIVERSITY OF NEBRASKA.

Beta Tau opened the college year with twelve old men back in school, and after a short but active rushing season we held an initiation. We are glad to introduce three new brothers: C. Dale Perrin, '08, and Hiland H. Wheeler, '09, of Lincoln, and "Deak" Drake, '09, of Beatrice. The new men are trying to prove the wisdom of our choice, and they are succeeding well. One of the initiates has had an operation for appendicitis, so it can be seen that Beta Tau is taking a back seat for none of them. It is our intention to initiate about four more men this year, which will bring our active membership up to eighteen, a number which we never exceed.

There is a feeling in the chapter that one of the advantages of having an unpretentious home is the fact that it is never necessary to initiate men to fill up when fraternity material is not available.

In University activities we are well represented. Brother C. D. Wilson is captain of the company which will win the cup; Brother Wheeler is first lieutenant, and Brother D. C. Wilson is first sergeant in the same company.



In athletics the chapter is better represented than it usually has been. Brothers Little and Denslow have participated in every game so far this season, and will in all probability be awarded their "N's." Besides these we have three men on the scrubs, and the captain is a Delt.

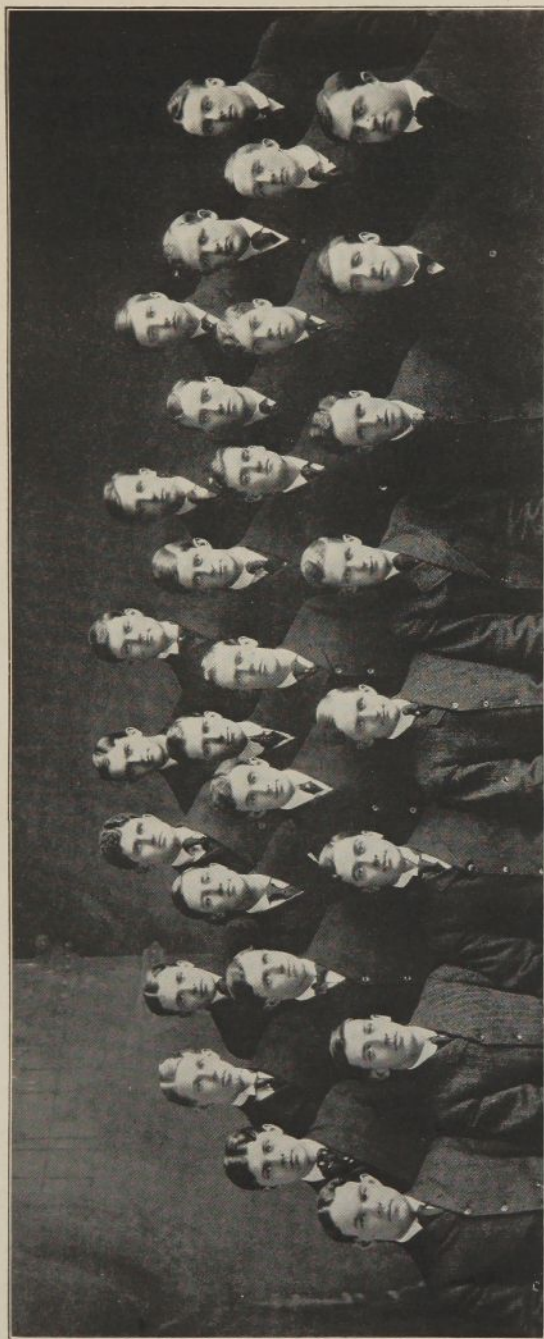
The chapter points with pardonable pride to the fact that all these men developed as athletes after they had been taken into the chapter.

DALE D. DRAIN.

### BETA UPSILON—UNIVERSITY OF ILLINOIS.

Well, we are back once more. The opening of this year found Beta Upsilon with seventeen old men face to face with a tough proposition. The new house, which was to be completed sure by the 1st of September, was not nearly ready. As the old house had been given up, there was nothing to do but to move in and make the best of it. Carpenters were everywhere, there was no water, no gas, and the stairways were not finished. To say that chaos reigned would be putting it mildly. Three study rooms were fitted up temporarily to entertain in. About half the chapter was required to get things into shape, which only left a small number to look after new men.

The rushing season here was much advanced to that of previous years. On the very first day of school it seemed as though every Freshman in school blossomed out with somebody's pledge ribbon on. The present Freshman class numbers about two hundred and fifty more than last year's, and in it was plenty of material. Beta Upsilon has seven pledges who, by the time this is printed, will be full fledged Delts. They are: F. A. Grant, Addison, Pa.; Malcom Fraser, La Salle, Ill.; Otis G. Whitehead, Chicago, Ill.; R.



BETA UPSILON—University of Illinois





O. Beck, Iowa City, Iowa; E. Raht, Chattanooga, Tenn.; W. E. Geist, Chicago, Ill.; Kenneth Hall, Lake Forest, Ill. The chapter has been greatly helped this year in the rushing by Brother Louis M. Tobin, whose nervous energy injected new life into all of us.

Brother Lowenthal, who was this year made head coach of the football team, has had hard luck both on account of material and the new six months' rule, which was a hard blow. He has succeeded in whipping the team into fair shape, however, and our hopes are brightening daily. We expect a host of old men back for the Michigan contest, November 4.

The week of October 15 was Gala Week at Illinois. All University work was suspended for the entire week for the installation of President James. Representatives from all the principal universities were present and many guests were entertained. The feature of the week was a big parade of floats, headed by the University regiment, in which many of the faculty and college life in general were satirized. Beta Upsilon entertained the following "old boys": Elmer Scott, of Chicago; August Ziesing, of Chicago; President Mauck, President of Hillsdale college; Congressman J. R. Mann, of Chicago, and United States Senator A. J. Hopkins, of Aurora.

The new \$15,000 palatial Delt home is practically finished. The building is of straw-colored brick, with brown stone trimmings, and is located at 410 East Green Street. The entire ground floor is finished in weathered oak. The dining room, which is on the first floor, is especially fine, having leaded glass windows, exposed rafters, burlapped walls and plate rack; in fact, it lacks nothing.

A feature of the house is the "sky parlor," where there

are "double decker" beds to accommodate fifty-two. Now that we are installed in our new house we are simply aching to see some Delts headed this way. Remember the latch-string is always out for you.

ROBT. S. ARTHUR. ✓

### BETA PHI—OHIO STATE UNIVERSITY.

At the beginning of the new college year Beta Phi extends her greetings to her sister chapters and wishes them a happy and a prosperous year.

We were back early in September with sixteen old men, together with Brothers "Bill" Nye and Tipton, '05, who are living at the house with us. We have pledged six good men from what we consider the most promising as well as the largest Freshman class ever shown up at Ohio State. With due consideration to the year, the total enrollment at present is 1,905.

The rushing season was short and fierce, most of the fraternities pledging from six to ten men the first few days. Our initiation was held October 21, and was followed by a banquet at the Great Southern Hotel. Chapters Mu and Chi were well represented.

I wish to introduce to the Fraternity Donald Y. Geddes, Zanesville, Ohio; Henry J. Raymond, Warren, Ohio; Donald Morris, Columbus, Ohio; J. Edgar Kinney, Bellaire, Ohio; Warren T. Powell, Columbus, Ohio; Judson R. Leonard, William John Stolp, of Chicago Heights, Ill. In addition to these we have with us Brothers Frank Evans Withgott, Mu, and Ralph Wilson, Beta.

Besides the frequent visits of our resident alumni the following out-of-town brothers have called: Arthur N. Day, Mu '04; Ralph D. Nye, Beta Phi '03; J. R. Hopkins, Gamma

Alpha '08; Victor L. Rice, Gamma Alpha '06; Carl P. Wiedling, Beta Phi '98; W. S. Couch, Zeta '00; Sherman Arter, Zeta '95; C. W. MacGuire, Beta Phi '95; J. R. Harler, Beta '99; James W. McLaren, Beta; S. K. Johnson, Beta Theta '92.

A catalogue list still shows thirteen national fraternities at State, and all stock on boom. Negotiations are and have been under way for some time with reference to a Pan-Hellenic movement, with a view of better organization and a more marked kindred feeling among the Greeks. In consideration of the small percentage of fraternity men, the exact percentage being seventeen, the wisdom of this movement is especially commended. The movement, however, is "in embryo" at the time of writing.

Concerning representation in various college activities, baseball, basketball, dramatic club and tennis association managers all wear the square badge. Associate editor on *The Lantern*, three company captains and five men on the glee and mandolin clubs are other acquisitions. Brother Tipton, '05, as fellow, has this year been added to the library staff.

Coach Sweetland, of Cornell, popular with the students, is fast moulding a winning team for the scarlet and gray.

Two Deltas represent us on the squad, while Brother Tracy has been recently made captain of the '08 team. Cross country running marks the beginning of track work, and here, too, we have two representatives.

We are still at 169 West Eleventh Avenue, and hope that all Deltas coming to Columbus can pay us at least a short visit.

DON P. JOHNSTON.



## BETA CHI—BROWN UNIVERSITY.

The year has opened very auspiciously for Beta Chi, and we feel that the next ten months will be the best in every way that we have ever had. To date we have succeeded in pledging nine men, three Sophomores and six Freshmen, and by the time of our next chapter letter we hope to have several more. As usual during the fall term at Brown, the main interest is centered in the football team. Brothers Luce, '06, Smith, '08, and Rackle, '05, who made his "B" last year, are on the squad, and are making a strong bid for the team. Up to the time of writing Brown has won every game she has played, five in all. But "the big game," and climax of the season, is the Brown-Dartmouth game, played at Springfield, Mass., on the 25th of November. The students have already begun to enthuse over this game, and the cry of "On to Springfield!" will soon be echoing across the campus.

Other activities are beginning to take form and will soon be in full operation. Brothers Clarke, Thomas and Morrill are on the glee club, and Brothers Watson and Sherwood are on the mandolin club.

The much mooted question, "Shall we have a chapter house?" is before Beta Chi more forcibly now than ever before, and it seems a matter of time only when the long-cherished ideal will have to materialize. We should like to hear of the work and progress from some of our sister chapters who occupy houses.

ERNEST M. WATSON.

## BETA PSI—WABASH COLLEGE.

In this letter we take great pleasure in introducing to the Delt world Brother Clyde Early, of Rushville, Ind., who was duly initiated into the mysteries of Delta Tau on September 29.

Beta Psi was greatly handicapped this year by having only eight of her old men back, but we have so far obtained three good men, whom we hope to be able to introduce to you in our next letter to THE RAINBOW. We hope to have Brother Stevens and Brother Hartley with us again next fall.

So far this year we have received visits from Brother Ferguson, of Indianapolis; Brother West, of Sonora, Cal.; Brother Holloway, of Lebanon, Ind.

In baseball last year Wabash won the State championship, and from all appearances she will have it again this year. Beta Psi was well represented on the team last spring by Brother Rubush, who was elected captain for the season of 1906.

This fall in football we are represented by the strongest team ever put out by the college. We have played Chicago University, Northwestern University and Illinois University, and the total score of these three big games was only 22 to 0. But much to the sorrow of every man in Wabash, and to every alumnus of the college, our team lost to Purdue on October 14 by the score of 12—0. It was one of the most stubbornly fought battles ever waged on Stuart field. Brother Frurip is showing up better this year than ever before, and will undoubtedly make the All State team again for the third year.

Brother Booe has been chosen manager of the college minstrels, and Brother Frurip is President of the Athletic Association and assistant manager of the basketball team.

Beta Psi sends her best wishes to all her sister chapters, and will gladly welcome a visit from brother Deltas.

LAWRENCE J. ULRICH.

## BETA OMEGA—UNIVERSITY OF CALIFORNIA.

Beta Omega started the fall term with thirteen of the old men back at work. After four weeks of hard rushing we initiated four new men, and wish to introduce them to the Fraternity: Frederic Pette Morre, Jr., from Rochester, N. Y.; John Wilson McWhae, of Melbourne, Australia; Walter Belleville Philipps, of Seattle, Washington, and Robert Milburn Young, of San Francisco, Cal. These men have come from the four points of the compass, all with new and different ideas. We are proud to show them our field of work, and feel sure they will prove to be broadening and extremely helpful in their influence.

Rushing in the University this term has been a difficult process from the lack of fraternity material, in the entering class. The average has been about four men to each chapter. The sororities, however, have had splendid material, each one taking in from six to eight girls. The lack of men, however, has little affected us, as we count our four men among the catches of the season.

Prospects for the future seem to be very happy. With an unusual show of spirit on the part of the old men, reinforced by the late addition of four new men, Beta Omega looks forward to much prosperity. In the past we have been well represented in every line of college activity; the present state of affairs shows our policy is continuing along the same lines. Two of our men are on the football squad, two represent us in the Skull and Keys, two in Winged Helmet, one in Golden Bear societies. These are the honor societies in the University of California, and although Beta Omega has been here but seven years, we are proud to say that Delta Tau Delta, in relation to the other fraternities here, holds a good average of membership in these institutions. The



lower class men are taking much interest in their politics, and a class meeting on their part is rarely missed. Another branch of our life here, in which some of our men have indulged, is the inter-departmental baseball games. There has been a good deal of class and college spirit worked up over the games played between the miners and the engineers, or the Commerce men against the Social Scientists. Although commenced in more or less of a spirit of jest there has been considerable enthusiasm worked up over these matches—in all of which our fellows have taken a prominent part.

All hopes and fears of our University are now bound up in the coming Stanford-California football game. We are lying very low and keeping very quiet, as the policy of our Eastern coach, Knibbs, of Dartmouth, is most conservative. Most of the practising is secret, and the field is closed to all save the squad except two afternoons of each week. The work this year has been tackled in a serious, dogged style by all those out; this alone has won much respect for our new coach. Everyone feels most confident as to his efficiency.

Even as far west as Beta Omega, the thirty-eighth Karnea threw its marvelous spell of enthusiasm. The reports brought back by the men that went to New York this August from our chapter have made us feel a greater degree of warm feeling for and pride in the Fraternity, than has been noted for some time. We were most fortunate in having three of our enthusiastic San Francisco Alumni at the Karnea, besides the official delegate. All agree it was incomparable with any previous experience. At our nineteenth initiation and banquet last month there were many reminiscences indulged in of those extraordinary four days in August. Brother McNair had not forgotten the fact that he, at the head of the California delegation, preceded by

none else save our "grand old Choctaw Bolard," led the "walk-around" on the night of the banquet; in consequence at our initiation he brought the whole thing before us most vividly.

Although the chapter house came to this present generation pretty completely furnished, we have not stopped the work. Each active member has pledged himself for a pillow for the house. Many new pillows have come in in consequence, and our collection bids fair to be the handsomest in the history of Beta Omega. Nor have we stopped there. Many of the fellows have presented the chapter with very acceptable gifts; for instance, chairs and a card table and a lamp and hangings and pictures. In fact, there seems to be an unknown something that pervades the air and fills every one among us with a wonderful lot of Fraternity, of chapter and of house enthusiasm. This is the spirit that has ushered in the new men. They, too, have caught it—and we are confident it is permanent.

STUART CHISHOLM.

### GAMMA ALPHA—THE UNIVERSITY OF CHICAGO.

Gamma Alpha opened the autumn quarter with fourteen men returned to school. Brothers Blair and Watkins graduated last June. Brothers Hunt, Mabin and Hopkins expect to return after Christmas. Brother Rixson has been forced to go to New Mexico on account of his health, which for a time was in a critical condition, but at last report was improving. With the opening of school on October 1 rushing began in earnest. So far we have five men pledged, and as the season is still at its height we hope to select some more. Our new location at 652 East Sixtieth Street finds

us in a much better home than formerly, as well as nearer the University campus. The house has accommodations for fourteen men. A "house-warming" was held on the evening of October 7, when we entertained with an informal dance.

Brother Walker is on the regular football team, and Brothers Clark and McCarthy among the substitutes. Brother Dunn is chairman of the executive council of the Philosophy College. Brother Steinbeck is chairman of the social committee and Brother Axelson of the financial committee of the Y. M. C. A.

In the Greek letter world at the University there are now sixteen representatives, Phi Kappa Sigma being the last to install. All save Phi Delta Theta are housed near the campus. The demand for fraternity houses is so great that these last named were unable to secure a suitable home. Most of the fraternities here are looking forward to the day when the University shall build houses for their use.

During the summer we have had the pleasant company of many Deltas from all parts of the country. Brothers McCarthy, Lightbody, Calhoun and Steinbeck report a most enjoyable time at the Karnea. In our new home we shall always be glad to have our brothers from other chapters call upon us.

C. F. AXELSON.

### GAMMA BETA—ARMOUR INSTITUTE OF TECHNOLOGY.

Armour Institute of Technology opened the fall term on September 18 with an enrollment of about eight hundred students. The indications for a prosperous year for Armour are better this year than they have ever been before.



Among those who entered the "Tech" this fall there are some men who are very good fraternity material.

Our rushing began on the opening day, and never before has our chapter done such excellent work in this line. Every man is in for hard work, and we do not expect to let any man that we want be taken away from us. A rushing party was given at the house on the evening of September 22, immediately after the Freshman handshake, and to this we invited a number of the best Freshmen. We have so far succeeded in pledging four exceptionally good men and we have several good prospectives. We expect to hold our fall initiation soon.

Out of our last year's members fourteen have returned, and also Brother C. L. Campbell, ex-'04. This makes our present membership fifteen. Besides those who graduated we regret very much the loss of Brothers H. B. Kimmey, '07, who is attending the University of Michigan this year; R. D. Speers, '05, who is with the Underwriters' Laboratory; T. W. Smith '08, who is now at the University of Wisconsin, and T. W. Bannerman, '08, who is now employed in the city but expects to return next term. In Brother L. R. Levings, who lost his life in Colorado last summer, we have lost a brother whose place can never be refilled.

This fall finds us in good condition financially, and we are looking forward to a very prosperous year. Our house has undergone considerable repairing this summer. Every room has been re-papered and all the halls re-calcimined—in fact the whole house has been retouched, and it is certainly a wonderful improvement over last year.

Delta Tau Delta is well represented in school affairs at the "Tech" this year. Brother Ellington is business manager of the monthly paper. Brother Kelkenny is business man-

ager of the year book, besides being treasurer of the Junior Class. Brother Schermerhorn is manager of the baseball team. When good music is wanted for school functions Delta Tau Delta is called upon to furnish it.

The football team is better this year than it has been for some years past. We are represented on the team by Brother E. H. Ellett, Jr., who plays left end. Some very good games have been scheduled this season, and a good showing for Armour is expected.

It was rumored last spring that Phi Gamma Delta intended to enter the "Tech" this fall. Thus far, however, we have seen no indications of any wish on their part to do so.

In closing we wish our sister chapters a very successful year, and we extend our invitation to every Delt to make our house at 3343 Wabash Avenue his headquarters while in Chicago.

M. THOMPSON.

#### GAMMA GAMMA—DARTMOUTH COLLEGE.

Gamma Gamma opened the year with twenty-two actives ready for business. Of course the business on which all of our attention is centered is the rushing of Freshmen, and the work goes on with sort of a blind enthusiasm. I say blind, because the conditions here are peculiar, and we cannot know at present how we are going to come out of the fracas. The peculiarity is that by an agreement made in the spring of each year all the fraternities here pledge themselves to make no mention of fraternity to entering students before October 24. On that day the chinning commences in earnest and continues until midnight of the 25th. Thus we condense into two days excitement that in most other colleges is spread over several weeks. We are now pre-

paring for chinning season by getting acquainted with the Freshmen and entertaining them at the house.

The other great academic interest is football, and some gossip may not go amiss. Dartmouth's teams of the last two years have built up quite a reputation, and the lamentable fact has been impressed upon us that even football stars do graduate in time. And last year we lost men whose going materially weakens the team. So the problem this year is to make a team out of little, and not over good, material that will sustain a high reputation. We have come through the preliminary games with somewhat of a struggle and are trying to get into shape for our last four games, which are: Princeton at Princeton, Amherst at Amherst, Harvard at Cambridge, and Brown at Springfield. This schedule is hard enough even for Dartmouth, and if we come through it successfully we will be happy.

Gamma Gamma is well represented on the gridiron and in nearly all of the college activities. Last spring we won the inter-fraternity baseball series for the second successive year, and thought it a fitting end of a year full of fraternity honors. And we have started out this year to improve on ourselves, and we are going to do it however hard it may be.

In closing, Gamma Gamma wishes to express her regret at having been unable to meet personally President Wieland, who left his card here last summer when there was not an active around. She also wishes her sister chapters success in their activities and begs any Delt with the wanderlust to penetrate the woods where he will be sure of a warm welcome.

T. BARKER.

GAMMA DELTA—WEST VIRGINIA UNIVERSITY.

At the starting of the new year we greet all our sister



chapters doubly cordially because we are well and happy and hope all others are the same. Twelve active members returned. Six of last year's actives are missing; one of our two graduates, two who completed the medical work, and three who dropped out; two of the latter are expected to re-enroll next term. Above all, like orphans, we miss our "Daddy" Burnside, the missing graduate of last year. Besides this number present two pledges returned, and we have, at the end of a spirited rushing season, added four more to this promising band. Brother S. C. Smith, of Beta Mu, is again in the faculty, and our own alumnus, W. M. Baumgartner, '03, is added to the faculty as Professor of German. These and other alumni in town are a substantial support to the chapter.

It has always been our policy to tell sister chapters of the good things we learn through actual experience. Listen! We are running a boarding table in our house. It's the charm of fraternity life. We're the first of our ten fraternities to make this advancement, and we intend to continue it, for it's "the thing." Victuals taste good in the company of seventeen Deltas, actives, pledges and alumnus. We believe that any chapter in a house should start a boarding department.

We would like to have all Deltas shake hands with "Jennie," our mascot, a fine bulldog, and one very enthusiastic in all athletic sports.

Gamma Delta is beginning to live up to her share of this year's college honors. Brothers McCue, '06, and Young, '06, are prominent in football. Brother Ramage, '07, has been elected editor-in-chief of our year book, *The Morticala*.

Fraternity work continues prominent through activity. Since our last letter two national sororities have established chapters here. Iota of Alpha Xi Delta appeared in May;

Chi Omega formed her Theta chapter from a local sorority, Phi Pi Alpha, on June 2. This fall but two chapters returned to owned houses, Phi Kappa Psi and ourselves. However, three, Kappa Alpha, Sigma Nu, and Pi Kappa Alpha, are in rented houses, and Sigma Chi is completing the building of a comfortable house in our vicinity.

The four Deltas on the Ohio State University football team visited us on October 14. Gamma Delta would be glad to entertain any visiting Deltas in our house and at our table. Drop in and trade news over a cup of tea at any date.

D. E. McQUILKIN.

#### GAMMA EPSILON—COLUMBIA UNIVERSITY.

The long vacation is over now and we are settling down to steady routine work. Fifteen men are living in our house this year. Four are in business down town and the rest of us are undergraduates. As soon as we came back this fall we all felt the absence of Brother Kind—he was so much to the chapter in every way, but our loss is Beta Gamma's gain.

As to new men, we take pleasure in introducing to the Fraternity Brothers Harry E. Hall, of Virginia City, Mont., and Roger F. Criado, of New York City. They joined our ranks on the opening day of college and have worked hard and faithfully during the rushing season. As usual we are well represented in campus activities. Four of our men are on the editorial board of *The Spectator*, the college daily, five are members of the glee club, and still others are prominent in rowing, football, etc.

The campus is wrapped in the deepest gloom at present. Captain Thorp, of the Varsity football team, has failed to keep up in his studies and is unable to play at all. Starbuck

and Carter, two heavy backline men, are also out of the game for the same reason. Post, the star end, is laid up with a broken arm, and the hardest games are yet to come. We shall come out of it somehow, though, and perhaps with a very fair share of glory, too.

Gamma Epsilon is looking forward to a very prosperous and active year, and in extending the most cordial greetings to her sister chapters hopes that they all have the same bright outlook.

P. L. McCULLOCH.

#### GAMMA ZETA—WESLEYAN UNIVERSITY.

The year opened at Wesleyan as usual with the cultivation season. Gamma Zeta pledged eight men, who were initiated on October 13. We are pleased to introduce Brothers Percy H. Baker, William M. Grigson, Paul S. Hopkins, W. Ernest Leighton, William C. Maynard, David DeW. Miller, Seth C. M. Packard and Frank A. Shailer. Only four men failed to return this fall, but Brother Coote, who has been out of college for two years, has returned. We have the prospect of the most successful college year yet passed.

College athletics also are on a high standard this year. The football team is the heaviest in several years and has already showed what it can do. Brothers Long and Coote are on the team. Gamma Zeta has also seven men practising on the musical clubs.

Brother Duerr visited us in April, and we are very glad to have Brothers Blythe and Webster of Gamma Gamma present at the initiation. All Deltas will find a cordial welcome at Wesleyan.

Ten of our men attended the Karnea and all are quite enthusiastic about it.

ORLIFF V. H. CHASE.



GAMMA ETA—*No Letter.*

## GAMMA THETA—BAKER UNIVERSITY.

Gamma Theta begins the year with eighteen active men in school. We graduated eight Seniors last Spring, and Brother Newton Clark did not return to school.

Owing to the new ruling of the Faculty and Board of Trustees we have had no rushing season this fall. According to the ruling no new men can be pledged before the 1st of January. We have some men in view whom we expect to pledge at that time.

Since the opening of the school we have initiated five men pledged last spring, Brothers Frank Alonza Boys, '08, Grenola, Kan.; Fred B. Lewis, '08, Baldwin, Kan.; Albert Romulus Dilley, '09, Parkerville, Kan.; Robert Hugh McWilliams, '09, Washington, Kan., and Walter A. Lewis, '09, Baldwin, Kan.

The initiation was followed by a stag supper and the walk around.

On October 11 was held our annual chicken fry. This is an event to which all men look forward with expectation. About twenty-six Delts and their ladies hied themselves to the woods to spend the afternoon and evening. It is needless to say that their expectations of a good time were fully realized.

Gamma Theta is coming in for her share of school honors. Brother Frank Boys made the Sophomore debating team and Brother McWilliams the Freshman team. Brother James Allen has been elected president of the Sophomore class and is also local editor of the college paper. Brother F. A. Brown is on the Junior annual board. We are glad to note that Brother Homer K. Ebright, '00, has been elected to the chair of Greek.

Gamma Theta expresses the best to all sister chapters and extends a hearty invitation to any Delts straying in this part of the country to come in and visit us.

BEN W. DAILY.

#### GAMMA IOTA—UNIVERSITY OF TEXAS.

The University of Texas opened her doors for the year 1905-'06 on September 27 under a new administration caused by the untimely death of our beloved President, Colonel William Lambdin Prather. Notwithstanding the gloom cast over all Texas, and more especially the University, the prospects for a successful year are very encouraging. Indeed, this year marks the greatest enrollment in the history of Texas—about 1,250, not including the medical department, which is located at Galveston.

It is with pride that Gamma Iota takes a view of her past achievements, and at the same time draws aside the curtain of the future to consider her prospects for the present session. The opening of school found us in the same house we occupied last session, and at the first regular meeting the following veterans answered to roll call: Simpson, Pope, Jones, Barnes, Garnett, Chance, Finley, Johnson and Sewell. Brother Buckley will enter upon his duties just as soon as he is able to begin work. He has been battling with typhoid fever for the past month. We are fortunate in having one of Beta Theta's products with us this year, Brother Paul H. Breeden. With a fine aggregation of veterans at their post of duty, reinforced by an affiliate from Sewanee, and with an addition of four husky Freshmen, may we not say that the chapter's future never seemed more encouraging nor the prospects for good results more promising?

The "rushing act" has not been characterized by so much bitterness this year. Just at the close of last session the Faculty, in conference with the representatives from the various fraternities, decided to remove all restrictions which have heretofore governed the pledging of Freshmen. Hence, Greekdom, in Texas, has the open season and new men may be pledged just as soon as they have matriculated as students of the University. The following fraternities constitute the Greek world in Texas: Phi Delta Theta, Beta Theta Pi, Kappa Sigma, Sigma Alpha Epsilon, Sigma Chi, Southern Kappa Alpha, Sigma Nu, Chi Phi, Alpha Tau Omega, Phi Gamma Delta, Sigma Nu Phi (legal), and Phi Kappa Psi.

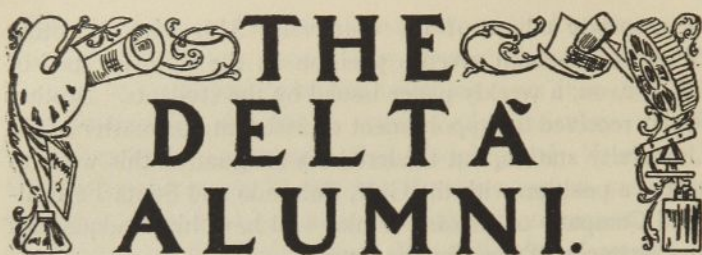
With the close of the session of 1905 came the announcement of University honors and appointments. Dame Fortune has passed this way and Gamma Iota did not fail to be placed on the list of the successful. Brother Buckley, Fellow in School of Spanish, last year was elected to the position of Quizmaster in the Department of Law to succeed Brother McCarthy. He was also awarded a prize of seventy-five dollars for the best thesis of the subject of fire insurance. This prize was won by Brother J. H. Moore, of Van Alstyne, in 1904. The last of his achievements came this week, when he was chosen editor-in-chief of *The Cactus*, the annual published by the student body. This position is considered one of the greatest honors within the gift of the students, and of course we feel proud that a Delta has been so honored. Brother Johnson has been re-elected Fellow in the Department of Education, and will be a candidate for the degree of Master of Arts in June. Brother Jones, a Freshman of last year, was elected to the position of assistant gymnasium instructor, which carries with it a remuneration of two hundred and fifty dollars. Brother Rector was given a place



as associate editor of the *University Magazine*. Brother Simpson has been given a position on the editorial staff of *The Texan*, a weekly paper issued by the students. Brother Finley received the appointment of assistant postmaster of the University station, but tendered his resignation this week to accept a position with the Gulf, Colorado and Santa Fé Railroad Company of Texas. Finley will have his headquarters at Clerburne, Texas, in the future.

Texas will do battle with the Haskell Indians on October 13 for the honors of the gridiron, and some time in November will meet the University of the South. Gamma Iota extends a hearty welcome to the Deltas of the Sewanee eleven. Come, make our chapter house your home while in the city. Remember the number, 2,007 Wichita Street.

JAS. F. JOHNSON.



# THE DELTA ALUMNI.

## CHICAGO ALUMNI CHAPTER.

We cannot report on the rushing parties which have been held, nor of the pledges or prospectives, nor yet of the freshies in sight. We have, however, got well under way. We began the new year a week ago with a rush, and now feel assured of a most prosperous and active winter.

Our summer meeting was held on July 28th at White City, starting it off with a dinner at the College Inn. Those who have enjoyed the dignified pastimes of that quiet retreat, will appreciate that with eighteen or twenty Delts in the crowd, and all feeling frisky as young colts, we did not want for a lively time. Business was relegated to the background, and the chutes and scenic railway, the figure eight, the fire show and the "Bumps" got our undivided attention.

A good bunch of some forty-eight Delts were on hand on Friday evening, September 29th, to help open up for the year. It was a sort of "after meeting" with the Karneites in the stellar roles. They had not got over the effects of the New York meeting. They say they never will, and basing our judgment on the enthusiasm they showed, we agree with them. They assuredly received enough inspiration to last a good many moons. Dr. Wieland told us of the business transacted at the Karnea and of the general condition of the

Fraternity. Our delegate, Harry Van Patten, dwelt on the social events and made all who were not at the Karnea sorry that they had missed it. Brother Buell, President of the Northern Division, regaled us with reminiscences of the outbound trip, made so delightful for the boys by the complete arrangements of our ever active Brother Scott. Brother H. S. Bonifield, of the San Francisco Alumni Association, who happened to be in Chicago on the day of our dinner, dropped in on us and was the Association's guest for the evening. He recalled many things of interest about the business portion of the Karnea program, and supplied us with some missing links in the social end of the chain. All agreed that the New York boys are unsurpassed as hosts, and that the Fraternity may well be proud of the work so well done by them. We heartily congratulate the committee on arrangements for its splendid performance.

We learned among other things that it is up to us for 1907. A record such as the New York Association has made is hard to excel or even equal. We propose, however, to be on hand in 1907—with the goods. We'll expect all who attended New York to be there too and help us "make good."

Don't forget that we meet once every month, on the fourth Friday, and always at *De Jonghe's*. All visiting Delts are cordially invited to join us at our informal dinners.

F. C. HACK. ✓

#### NEW YORK ALUMNI CHAPTER.

It is rather a descent from the joys of the Karnea and its banquet to the more sober delights of our monthly dinners. But we have made the descent and still survive; in fact, we have had two very delightful meetings since the Karnea. If any Delt doubts, let him show up on the second Thursday



of the month and we shall try to convince him of his error. In November we shall have our annual Open Meeting. We always have a fine time on this occasion, and we hope and expect that every Delt who can possibly do so will be with us and help along the good time.

A number of the newer arrivals in and near New York are coming to our monthly meetings and are joining the Chapter. We are looking forward to a year of prosperity and expansion, and hope to report to that effect from time to time during the year. We extend our best wishes to all Chapters of Delta Tau Delta, active and alumni.

ALBERT L. JONES.

#### CINCINNATI ALUMNI CHAPTER.

With the beginning of Autumn the members of the Alumni Chapter of Cincinnati have again assembled after the summer vacation to renew old friendships and the fraternal ties. Our last meeting was on the 16th day of September, 1905, at the Gibson House. Among those present were Hon. Andrew L. Herrlinger, T. O. Youtsey, Wright Youtsey, Clarence Phumphrey, W. A. Draper, A. C. Isham, Rev. R. L. Harris, Joseph T. Montfort, Prof. J. S. Van Cleve, Wm. B. Blake, Howard Fishback, Fred Hall and the undersigned.

At this meeting Brother Clarence Phumphrey and Joseph T. Montfort, delegates to the Karnea, made their report. The anecdotes of the then recent convention and the pictures of the delegates made the event seem very real and stirred the enthusiasm of the members. All hope that they may be present at the next convention in Chicago.

The members of the Fraternity are aware that a jeweled fraternity pin, set with twelve diamonds and four emeralds, and valued at fifty dollars, is about to be given away to the

holder of one of a series of one thousand tickets. These tickets are to be sold at one dollar apiece. The sum that is to be realized will be added to the endowment fund of the Fraternity as a gift of the Alumni Chapter of Cincinnati. Brother Phumphrey was the originator of this plan, and to his good fortune and generosity must be ascribed the credit of the gift we propose to make.

Brother Phumphrey's experience with these \$50 fraternity pins is unique and he will tell it to you in his own words. The following is an extract from a letter written by him to the undersigned from the Hotel Astor, New York City, on the early morning of Thursday, August 24, 1905. After referring in glowing terms to the banquet, the letter proceeds:

"Your humble servant is the proud possessor of a beautiful jeweled badge. Auld of Columbus raffled it off—sold one hundred chances numbered 1 to 100. I bought one chance numbered 81 and paid 81 cents, and Sam McClurg (Philadelphia), was so anxious to capture it for his sweetheart that I proposed that we each buy another ticket, and the low man take the tickets and the high man pay for them. He agreed and I drew the low. He paid. He wanted another chance and I told him I was dead game and would accommodate him. He paid for them also. Then Auld's man and Brück and Bolard butted in and changed the system on me to break my luck, making the low man pay and the high man take the five tickets. I won two rounds and lost none. When the tickets had all been sold they agreed that the thirteenth ticket drawn should get the pin. The winning ticket, No. 47, was mine (I had thirteen tickets), and I have been the envy of everybody. And as every fellow who bought a ticket claims to have paid for it (the pin) I have been buying them off at the bar."



To the casual observer the foregoing would seem like a sufficient streak of luck. But that was not enough. The raffle above referred to was on Tuesday. On Thursday another pin was raffled off. The account of this second raffle will be given you in Brother Phumphrey's words as nearly as they can be recalled, and is as follows:

"I was asked to buy tickets for a second pin of the same character as the one which I won. I first declined, saying that I wanted to give the other fellows a chance. They, however, forced me to join in the drawing. I drew several times, there being five or six men in each drawing. In each case the low man paid and the highest man took the tickets. I was never stuck, and once drew five tickets. After the drawing I gave the matter no more attention, until when I was about to leave I stopped in Auld's room and saw a second beautiful badge pinned to a card with my name on it and stuck in the corner of a picture. You can imagine my surprise on finding it was mine. It was then that I made up my mind to give the Fraternity the benefit of my good fortune by raffling it off by a large number of tickets, the proceeds of the sale of which should be given to the general Fraternity. I immediately went to the session rooms of the Karnea and with the permission of the president made the offer to the Fraternity. It was received with great enthusiasm. I trust my plan will realize all that I hope for it."

All the Fraternity will join in the hope of Brother Phumphrey that the pin may bring a large sum. This method of raising funds should certainly appeal to every loyal Delta, who will all gladly contribute the small sum of one dollar. They should respond, especially as a token of their appreciation of the generosity of Brother Phumphrey.

"Behold how great a matter a little fire kindleth." It will be observed from the foregoing that Brother Phumphrey



secured two fifty-dollar pins at an outlay of 81 cents. Let us hope that the value of the single pin given to the Fraternity will be multiplied as many times as was the 81 cents invested.

CONSTANT SOUTHWORTH.

### SAN FRANCISCO ALUMNI CHAPTER.

In addition to the delegates from Beta Omega and Beta Rho, seven members of the San Francisco Alumni Association, W. W. McNair, K. C. Babcock, Charles T. Walkley, C. P. Holt, H. A. West, M. G. Jeffress and H. S. Bonifield, journeyed across the continent to the thirty-eighth Karnea, and to the everlasting credit of the New York Committee let it be said that it was doubly worth while. Many are the stories of hospitality and entertainment that we are telling the brothers who remained at home, and on the whole it is doubtful if the memories of the great New York Karnea will leave us until we go there again.

A great deal of credit for successful completion of our trip and for the size of the San Francisco delegation is due to the ceaseless work of our president, W. W. McNair, who, although very busy in his profession, gave up a great deal of time and effort for the welfare of his association and the Fraternity at large.

At the present writing we have held no meetings as yet this fall, but a most interesting schedule of "informals" is on the tapis, and with the increased enthusiasm caught at the Karnea we look forward to well attended meetings and a most prosperous year.

HERBERT SAMUEL BONIFIELD.

## PITTSBURGH ALUMNI CHAPTER.

Vacation season having passed, and with it our Association's period of quiescence, we have begun a new year of activity and concourse of Delts' spirits. It began with the first of our monthly meetings at the Press Club, at which a goodly number of the "old guard," and a few new countenances exchanged fraternal greetings, listened to "Dave" Holbrook's report of the Karnea, accepted perforce Brother James F. Henderson's resignation as secretary, and devoured the Dutch lunch. Needless to say the Karnea report was of great interest to all, and caused pangs of regret to those of us who had not the good fortune to be present.

We begin this year with representatives of ten chapters and the following officers:

Dr. John R. McCurdy, Gamma, *President*.

Henry Meyer, Esq., Beta Eta prime, *Vice-President*.

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George P. Kountz, Gamma, *Treasurer*.

As mentioned above, we have been forced to accept the resignation of Brother Henderson, of Gamma, as Secretary, for good reasons, and have not as yet elected his successor, but shall report the new encumbent with his address in the next RAINBOW.

Our October meeting occurred last week and was characterized by the usual good cheer. Covers were spread for twenty, and the founder of our Alumni Chapter, Orlando Fouse, of Gamma, sat at the head of the board.

We expect to have our pocket directory of Delts, in and about Pittsburgh, revised soon, and shall be pleased to insert your name if Dame Fortune should bring you to reside in

this town of hustle, money and smoke. We have quite a number of Delts residing in this vicinity and have no doubt there are some we do not know of. Not many of the latter, however, we dare say, because we ferret them out, if possible, and our membership committee is now on the hunt of any who may have come among us since last spring.

You see Pittsburgh's population is so cosmopolitan and so changeable, and the occupations of its male population so diversified, and their several residences so widely scattered that it is difficult for us to gather all Delts into our fold, and keep them active in the work. But they are all welcome as the "flowers in May," and we expect to increase our membership materially this year.

Our monthly meetings are held the second Saturday of the month at 8 P. M., at the Press Club. Look us up when in the city.

We beg to ask as a special favor of the undergraduate Chapters throughout the country, that they notify us of any of their members who have located in Pittsburgh, within the past few months, mentioning their addresses or occupation here, or of any who anticipate such an admirable step in the near future.

JOHN R. McCURDY.

#### ATLANTA ALUMNI CHAPTER.

Our monthly suppers at the Kimball were this year kept up throughout the summer, and have been looked forward to and enjoyed as much as those of the cooler months. We have small numbers, but congeniality and fraternal spirit are not lacking.

The September meeting was made of unusual interest by the informal report on the Karnea from Brother Frank Cun-



dell, our delegate. We were very much gratified that it was the "best ever," but hope the next will surpass it, because each of us determined to attend the Chicago Karnea in 1907.

This summer, Brother Thos. J. Farrar, the first and only Vice-President of the Fraternity, left Agnes Scott to accept a position at Washington and Lee, his Alma Mater. We are all grieved at this loss, but know that he is glad to get back to his old home. Agnes Scott and Atlanta Alumni are very fortunate in having for Brother Farrar's successor Brother J. D. M. Armistead. "Jake" is known to almost all Delts, and his genial smiling face is welcomed anywhere.

Our champion spieler now is Brother L. H. Mattair, Beta Theta, who is with the U. S. Engineering Corps. He has been "all over" and can tell you all about it.

Here's to a prosperous rushing season to all Delta Chapters!

W. L. HUNNICUTT.

### JACKSON ALUMNI CHAPTER.

Jackson Alumni Chapter has passed through a rather uneventful summer, but comes to the fall and winter seasons with great anticipations of many jolly evenings around the "banquet board." One of the most pleasant suppers that we have enjoyed was our July "frog and chicken" supper at Michigan Centre. This occasion marked the withdrawal from our midst of one of our most loyal and enthusiastic organizers, our former secretary, Brother H. G. Grier, who has left Jackson for Steubenville, Ohio, where he is engaged in the manufacture of lamp chimneys. We are exceptionally fortunate in being located almost equi distant from the active chapters, Kappa, Epsilon and Delta, and with them all

we enjoy very pleasant social relations, at all times welcoming them at our regular monthly dinners.

Though not yet a year old, the Jackson Alumni Chapter feels exceptionally fortunate in being represented at the Karnea by Brother John I. Breck, and great things are looked for from him in the way of injecting Karneal enthusiasm into local Deltadom.

During the summer we have enjoyed visits from Brother Rev. W. A. Grier, late of Toledo, and Brother E. D. Brooks, of Ann Arbor. We would gladly welcome other brothers who may find it convenient to visit us.

EDGAR L. MORRISON.

#### THE DELTA TAU DELTA ALUMNI ASSOCIATION OF THE FAR EAST.

We of the Far East have been spread out so during the last few months that it is difficult to say anything of a very definite character about our association. The whirligig of Fate has sent our brothers here and there over the vast territories of the Orient until at times it looked as if there wouldn't be enough left in any one place to have an association meeting. The orders of the Navy took our president away from Manila and up under the fire of the Russian guns in China; our brothers in the army have had to move with their regiments, some going back to the United States and some going out into the provinces; matters of business, the hot season and leaves of absence have all contributed toward the general scattering. But affairs are becoming more settled now, and we hope to be able to report in our next letter something more definite that has been done.

Although members may have left Manila, the recognized center of Delt activity in the Orient, and have gone to Shanghai, for example, they have not been by this fact de-

prived of good Delta friends or fellowship. Brothers Shengle, Hammond, Englebracht and Ancell make the Chinese welkin ring at times with good old Delta cheers, and any brother passing through there is sure to find a welcome that will make him think of his own chapter home.

One of the aims of our association is to make all Delts living in the Far East feel that they are members of an organization out here—that they have a headquarters on this side of the water. The man whose thoughts have to travel eight thousand miles to find a fraternal resting place, feels much farther off from his fraternity than the man who has a hearthstone near at hand around which at times gather kindred souls who know and venerate the same ideals, and are working ever so little for the fulfilment of the prophecy. In addition to the interest every good fraternity man takes in the national organization, and in addition to the regard the alumnus has for his home chapter, our association wishes to furnish something of a more local character in the fraternal experience of every alumnus in the Orient. By keeping one another informed of the doings of the brothers in the East, and in fraternal intercourse and correspondence we can at least increase our active interest in the Fraternity. The Association of the Far East does something, indeed, when it insures to its members the regular reception of THE RAINBOW. No Delt enjoys or appreciates THE RAINBOW as does the Far Eastener. It reaches him months, perhaps, behind time, but every page is full of interest. When once he is in its pages, he is transported as if by some magic back over thousands of miles of watery waste to the moving, active, vital Fraternity that he used to work for and admire. Among the duties of an active life amid scenes and companions so different from the homeland, we need THE RAINBOW, "lest we forget."



During the last few months some of us have had the pleasure of living within the walls of our own chapter home. It was only a visit and we were one of the "old men," but we were soon one of the fellows, too. Although the house was new and only one of the old boys was there, it wasn't five minutes after the front door had closed before it was "Pod," and "Jeff," and "Stu," and "Max," as in the olden days. As time goes on, we hope to start in Manila something like what is being organized in San Francisco—a Delta Tau Delta Club; for we see no reason why alumni should not enjoy to a certain extent the unique joys of a chapter home.

Three of our members, Brothers Corrigan, Lewis and McCollough, have incorporated and are known as the D. T. D. Company. Two of them are already in Davao district, Mindanao, and, it is said, that Brother Lewis will join them in the near future. Brother Hammond, who has spent several years in business in Shanghai, is expecting soon to return to the States, *via* Europe. Our president, Brother Bull, has recently returned from his cruise among the ports of China and is again located in Cavite, just across the bay from Manila. Brother Oliver is at present spending his vacation in the cool and pleasant places of Japan.

Since the presidential election there has been a perceptible increase in the number of Americans coming to the Philippines to engage in business or to enter upon some scheme, agricultural or otherwise. We hope that with an increasing colony of young Americans there will also come college men who will swell the ranks of the Association of the Far East and will bring new energy and enthusiasm for the working out of its destiny. The Association looks forward optimistically to the year that is to come. We not only give all new-coming or visiting Delts an invitation to look us up, but we urge them to do so. Drop us a line before or after ar-

iving in Manila and you may count on receiving a "warm" welcome in the good, old Delta way! Address the secretary, in care of Mr. James A. Bull, Cavite Navy Yard, Cavite, P. I.

MAX L. MCCOLLOUGH. ✓

### GAMMA.

'91—R. M. Sherrard, who has been principal of the Eleventh Ward School of Allegheny for the past six years, is now principal of the Highland District School, Nineteenth Ward, Pittsburgh.

'05—Wm. Hunter Ferguson is Professor of Latin and Mathematics at East Liberty Academy.

'05—Brother E. W. Hopper has entered University of Pennsylvania Medical College.

'05—Brother J. A. Lindsay is now studying medicine at the Western University of Pennsylvania.

Ex-'05—Stephen Blochly will move to California about the first of November.

### EPSILON.

'05—Floyd E. Bartell, Professor of Chemistry and coach in Simpson College, Indianola, Iowa.

'05—E. Lloyd Knickerbocker, Professor of Chemistry and coach in Michigan Military Academy, Orchard Lake, Mich.

'05—Harry H. Pearce, stenographer in Burlington System Railroad offices, Chicago. Address 141 Park Avenue, Chicago, Ill.

### ZETA.

'99—W. P. Stanborg is editor-in-chief of the *Seattle News*.

'02—C. A. Morris and Owen Wilcox have formed a law partnership, with offices in the new Rockefeller building, Cleveland.

'02—E. C. Caldwell has completed his law course and joined the Delta colony at Warren, O.

'02—Frank Shankland was married during September.

'03—Geo. F. Thomas is attending W. R. U. medical.

'03—S. B. Tryon is attending New York State College of Medicine.

'04—Frank Petton is completing his law work at Resene.

'04—Raymond C. Warren has decided to give up the study of law and at present is taking a course in medicine under his father at Geneva, O.

'05—C. A. Strong holds a responsible position with the Bell Telephone Co. of Cleveland.

#### KAPPA.

Among the many former Deltas attending the quinquennial reunions last June were noted the following:—O. A. Janes and E. W. Adkinson, '68; Congressman Gardner, '69; Senator Hopkins, A. W. Cooper, J. T. Ward, D. Boudeman and C. S. Bentley, '70; J. L. Sibley, '71; L. V. Dodge and J. D. Williams, '72; H. E. Winsor, D. L. Zook and C. H. Gurney, '73; J. W. Mauck, Otto Fowle, F. A. Williams, H. B. Larrabee and C. E. Mitchell, '75; G. D. M. Lay and L. M. Gates, '76; V. K. Van De Venter, '79; J. L. Wagner, '80; F. S. Gaige, '81; M. J. Davis, '83; B. J. Arnold, '84; Jos. Cummins and S. W. Norton, '85; S. B. Harvey, L. E. Dow and A. E. Russell, '87; F. W. Corbett, '90; E. D. Reynolds and W. J. Leverett, '91; J. S. Parker and G. B. Smith, '92; O. S. Rapp, F. R. Miller, C. P. Hulce, W. W.



Wood and P. W. Chase, '96; E. A. Martindale and C. L. Newcomer, '98; A. L. Higbee, ex-'02; J. H. Lash, ex-'02; C. J. Timms and J. D. Whelan, '03; and C. L. Rowe, '04.

The issue of May 10 of the *Collegian*, the college paper, was given over to the class of 1892. Brothers J. C. Smith, of Port Townsend, Wash.; J. S. Parker, of Flint, Mich.; J. A. Cole, of Jackson, Mich.; G. B. Smith, of Addison, Mich., and H. R. Dewey, of Bellevue, Ohio, sent in letters.

'68—O. A. Janes, U. S. Pension Agent at Detroit, made a remarkable record recently in making the quarterly payment of pensions. He distributed over a million and a half dollars to old veterans in five days' time, besides returning the vouchers.

'69—Washington Gardner was made Doctor of Laws by Albion College at its last commencement—a deserved recognition.

'70—Prof. J. T. Ward, one of our charter members, has been granted a year's leave of absence and has sailed for the Far East, where he will put in his time in the mission fields of India and China.

'72—J. D. Williams, who is connected with the American Book Co., spent some time in Hillsdale recently.

'73—Prof. C. H. Gurney, who has been granted a year's leave of absence, has taken up the work of life insurance, with his headquarters here, and is meeting with flattering success.

'73—H. E. Winsor, a prominent attorney at Marshall, Mich., has sent a framed picture of himself to be hung in the chapter hall. We wish others would contribute also.

'74—Wallace Heckman, who is business manager of the University of Chicago, was highly honored this year when the University Annual "Cap and Gown" was dedicated to

him. The frontispiece was a superb portrait of this brother, whom we are proud to claim as one of our loyal Deltas.

'75—Pres. J. W. Mauck and wife spent the summer vacation in the eastern States.

'75—Otto Fowle was chairman of the entertainment committee at the Semi-Centennial Celebration held at Sault Ste. Marie this summer.

'75—Professor A. E. Haynes was chairman of the finance committee which made possible the erection of the \$5,500 soldiers' monument on the campus of the University of Minnesota. He originated the idea and deserves much credit for the successful accomplishment of the task.

'76—Cyrus Cline, President of the First National Bank of Angola, Ind., says he is "just as young as twenty years ago," and still has a warm feeling for the "old" boys and girls.

'78—A. S. Van De Mark, a prominent electrician, is located at Merchantville, N. J. He is at present engaged in superintending the construction of an electric railway in Georgia.

'80—D. W. Cook, of Beatrice, Neb., has the sincere sympathy of a large number of college friends and brother Deltas in the loss by drowning last summer of his son William. He was of unusual physical strength, an expert in athletics and a graduate of his home high school.

'81—D. M. Martin, for a number of years professor of mathematics here, and who for several years has been promoting an irrigation scheme near Needles, Cal., spent some time visiting here the past summer.

'83—F. D. Davis is superintendent of schools at Escanaba, Mich., and is enjoying a substantial increase of salary.

'86—Hoyt Parmelee, formerly of Chicago, has engaged in business at Buffalo, N. Y.

'86—A. E. Russell, of Grand Ledge, Mich., is the successful manager of a real estate and loan company.

'87—Prof. S. B. Harvey, recently elected dean of the faculty here, spent his summer working in the interests of the college.

'89—L. A. Emerson is pastor of the Presbyterian Church at Cando, So. Dakota, but resides at Mapleton.

'90—Paul Rideout is in business at Wakefield, R. I.

'90—W. E. Heckenlively is prosecuting attorney of Steuben County, Ind., and lives at Angola.

'91—H. A. Bates is publisher of the *Chillicothe Enquirer*, at Chillicothe, Ill.

'91—E. D. Reynolds is one of the prominent young attorneys of Illinois and lives at Rockford.

'91—W. J. Leverett is in the real estate business at Council Bluffs, Iowa, and is always glad to welcome Deltas there.

'92—Seneca G. Lewis has given up his business in Detroit and has taken more lucrative work with the Winchester Repeating Arms Co., of New Haven, Conn.

'94—E. P. S. Miller has taken up the practice of medicine at Keithsburg, Ill.

'95—Fred W. Corbett is actively engaged as manager of the Adrian and Leamington Oil Co., at Adrian, Mich., but finds time to drop in on the boys here frequently.

'95—L. E. Ashbaugh and wife have been entertaining a future Delta since September 20, and they have named him Carl Lewis.

'96—P. W. Chase resigned his position as cashier of the State Savings Bank of Hillsdale and has returned to the practice of law.

Ex-'98—Dr. Ara B. Hewes is a dentist at Adrian, Mich., with his office at 16 S. Main Street.



'98—C. L. Newcomer, a rising attorney of Bryan, Ohio, and Miss Claire Sands, also a graduate of the college, were united in marriage at the home of the bride's mother, in Hillsdale, on October 10.

'99—Clarence M. Chase went to Europe last summer on his second trip across the ocean in pursuit of his musical studies. His home address is 268 Savin Hill Avenue, Dorchester, Mass.

'00—J. H. Lash has been camping recently in the mountains of southern California and is much improved in health. He has been at Rialto—the center of the orange district—as a pastor.

'01—Paul Agnew is teacher of science in the High School at Pontiac, Mich., for the coming year.

'01—A. F. Doyle may be found at 660 Monadnock Building, Chicago, where his latchstring is out for all Deltas.

'03—Arthur A. Berry, for three years connected with the Reading Robe and Tanning Company, of Reading, Mich., has removed to Ft. Wayne to engage in business there.

'03—J. B. Whelan is teacher of science in the High School at Renselaer, Ind., the coming year.

Ex-'04—A. L. Higbee is connected with the Indiana Commercial and Advertising Agency, of Marion, Ind.

Ex-'05—M. E. Tripp has entered the law department of the University of Michigan.

'05—W. B. Griffin has accepted the position of private secretary to the President of the University of Wyoming. On July 19 he was married to Miss Elva C. Bailey, a graduate in 1902. The local chapters of Kappa Kappa Gamma and Delta Tau Delta, of which they were active members, were present in a body.

'05—J. R. Inman is in the High School at Lena, Ill., again this year.

## OMICRON.

'93—Murray A. Campbell is representative of Ginn Co., at Des Moines, Iowa.

'94—D. O. Holbrook is vice-president of Dayton Casting Co., 717 Park Building, Pittsburgh, Pa.

'97—C. S. Smith is connected with the Associated Press at New York City.

'98—P. E. Faust is with the Page-Davis Adv. Co., of Chicago.

'99—C. C. Bradley is practising law at Le Mares, Iowa.

'99—T. M. Wheelock is practising law in South McAllister, Ind. Ter.

'01—B. D. Ilgenfritz is assistant cashier of Shreveport National Bank, Shreveport, La.

'03—E. J. Whitaker is practising medicine at Burlington, Iowa.

'03—S. Clyde Williams is coaching the football team at Cornell College, Mt. Vernon, Iowa.

'04—P. H. Shroeder is in the practice of medicine at Traer, Iowa.

'05—I. I. Struble is an instructor in the Illinois School for the Blind at Jacksonville, Ill.

'05—H. E. Boies is with the C. and N. W. Ry. at Missouri Valley, Iowa.

## RHO.

'76—Dean William Kent, of Syracuse University, has just been given the degree of Doctor of Science.

'91—J. Arnold Norcross has just been appointed secretary and treasurer of the New Haven (Conn.) Gas Light Company.

## PHI.

'97—H. M. Blain returned home last spring from China, where he has been as a missionary. He expects to return to China and resume his work next spring.

'97—J. D. Armistead, Ph.D., is teaching at Agnes Scott Institute, Decatur, Ga.

'99—T. J. Farrar, Ph.D., is now filling the chair of Modern Languages at Washington and Lee.

'01—C. R. Blain, M.A., is teaching at the Norfolk Academy, Norfolk, Va.

'01—W. D. Cooke is a chemist for the Virginia-Carolina Chemical Co., in Richmond, Va.

'02—M. P. Andrews is teaching in Baltimore.

'03—W. G. Pendleton is attending the Virginia Theological Seminary, Alexandria, Va.

'04—G. G. Worthen is in the banking business in Little Rock, Ark.

'04—G. C. Moseley, M.A., is teaching at the Danville Military Institute, Danville, Va.

'05—E. S. Shields is teaching at the Virginia Military Institute, Lexington, Va.

'05—T. W. Snead is with the Lincoln Trust Co., 208 Fifth Avenue, New York.

## CHI.

'89—H. J. Ebertt is superintendent of schools in Toledo, Ohio.

'00—Rufus Southworth is practising medicine in Cincinnati, Ohio.

'02—Walter Morris is with a mining company in Victor, Colo.



'03—Brother Hammond is still in the Bank of Pittsburgh, N. A.

'03—K. D. Williams is with a steel company in Philadelphia, Pa.

'04—F. R. Jackson is traveling for Proctor & Gamble, of Cincinnati. His territory is western New York State.

'04—Brother Irvine has returned to Cornell University to complete his course in engineering.

'04—Brother Moore is living in Chicago, Ill.

'05—H. B. Williams is employed in Vancouver, British Columbia.

Ex-'07—Brother Newby is working for the Hillsboro Traction Company in the city of that name.

Ex-'07—Brother Soudick is living in Riverton, Ill., where he has accepted a good position.

#### BETA ALPHA.

'05—Brother James P. Boyle is practising law in Indianapolis.

'05—Brother Oliver Starr has entered the Law School at the University of Michigan.

'05—Brother Thomas Branman is studying law in his father's office preparatory to entering Harvard Law School next year.

'05—Brother Brown McClintick has entered the Medical School of Western Reserve.

'05—Brother Earl R. Taber has accepted a position as cashier in a bank at Los Angeles, Cal.

Ex-'07—Brothers Edgar Traylor, "Pony" Austin, ex-'07, Zimmerman, ex-'06, and Sam Ewing, ex-'08, expect to re-enter school in the winter term.

## BETA IOTA.

'89—Clifton Rodges Dudley, one of the charter members of B. I., is a prominent physician in St. Louis, and is the medical director of the St. Louis Life Insurance Co., of St. Louis.

'91—James Home Harris is Supervisor of the Belvidere Division of the Pennsylvania Railroad and has his headquarters at Lambertville, N. J.

'92—Thomas Jefferson Turley is in the real estate business in Memphis, Tenn. His business address is 80 Madison Street.

'92—Ashley Cockrill is making a success in the legal profession in Arkansas.

'93—Chas. Beane Thorn is now the senior partner of Thorn & Maginnis, one of the leading firms of cotton brokers in New Orleans. His address is 220 Variety Place, New Orleans.

'93—Geo. Henry Torney is first assistant physician at the Utica State Hospital, Utica, N. Y.

'94—William J. Echols is a banker in Fort Smith, Ark., and his address is care of Merchants' National Bank of Arkansas.

'94—William H. Calhoun is practising law in Christianberg, Va.

'94—Henry Branch Stone is now a leading physician in Galveston, Tex., and his address is 2121 Market Street.

'94—James Anderson Burchenal is a supervisor on the Pennsylvania Railroad and is now in Clayton, Del.

'95—Chas. Custer Ricker is a railway contractor in Galveston, Tex.

'95—William Rankin Marrs is practising law in Henderson, Ky.

'95—Moulton K. Johnson is a surgeon in the United States Navy and has the rank of lieutenant-commander, equivalent to major in the army, and is stationed on the battle-ship "Maine." His address is care of Postmaster, New York City.

'97—Edwin Kell O'Brien is in the engineering department of the E. I. Dupont Co., Wilmington, Del.

'02—Hugh Worthington is the head of the modern language department at the Virginia Polytechnic Institute, Blacksberg, Va.

'03—H. Carrington Lancaster is taking Ph.D. work at Johns Hopkins University in Baltimore, Md.

'03—James N. Dunlop is practising law in White Plains, N. Y.

'03—James H. Drake, Jr., is practising law in Richmond, Va.

'03—Frederick S. Tyler, having gotten his degree of M. L. at Georgetown College, is going to practise in Washington, D. C.

'05—John N. Pugh is practising law in Donaldsonville, La.

'05—R. Marshall Price is secretary to the president at the University of Virginia.

✓ '05—Charles Slaughter is working with a well known firm of cotton brokers in Wall Street, New York.

#### BETA KAPPA.

'00—Dr. Orville Clay was married in June to Miss Elizabeth Wise, Delta Gamma, of Boulder. They are now at home at Montrose, Colo.

'03—Harold Martin is now in the law office of Hon. Hugh Butler, of Denver.



'04—Hanson T. Parlin has been appointed assistant in German in the University of Colorado.

'05—Norman Read is with the Denver Gas & Electric Co.

'05—Eugene H. Dawson has, on account of his father's death, taken charge of The E. H. Dawson Supply Co., of Denver.

'05—Dr. Philip A. Davis is located in New York, being in the Lying-in Hospital.

'05—Dr. D. D. Stetson is now an interne in the St. Joseph Hospital of Denver.

#### BETA LAMBDA.

'98—Geo. A. MacLean was married October 12th to Miss Mary E. Leinbach, of Bethlehem, Pa.

'05—A. S. Clay is in the State Highway Department, Harrisburg, Pa.

'05—Dean Corsa is with the Juragua Iron Co., at Santiago de Cuba.

'05—J. M. Fouse is employed at the Duquesne furnaces of Carnegie Steel Co., Pittsburgh, Pa.

Ex-'06—E. S. Adams will be married on October 17th to Miss Nellie Dietrich, of Williamsport, Pa.

#### BETA NU.

'99—Brother Loring is settled in Berkeley, Cal.

'04—Brother Turgeon is doing railroad work in Alaska.

'05—Brother Yoder has recently returned from Alaska, where he has been engaged in Government work.

'05—Brothers Folsom, Abbot, Gerry and Glidden are all employed in or around Boston.

'05—Brother Lum is with the Weston Electric Co., in New York.

'05—Brother Carhart is engaged in railroad work in Utah.

'05—Brother Eliot has been employed in Boston, but he is soon to go into mining in Colorado.

#### BETA OMICRON.

'91—M. H. W. French is in the laundry business in Jackson, Mich.

'94—J. B. Turner is first assistant engineer on the U. S. S. "Gresham."

'95—F. B. Dilts, F. J. Emeny, and M. W. Thompson were back to their class reunion last June. Ralph McCoy, Lieut. U. S. A., graduated from the Infantry School at Ft. Leavenworth last June.

✓ '96—J. H. Hall is president and manager of the Condit Co., Toronto, Canada.

'98—R. L. Rathbone is now at 812 Union Trust Building, Detroit, Mich.

'99—E. Johnson has located in New York, being manager of a shipyard.

'00—A. D. D. Warner was back to class reunion last June.

'01—G. A. Ferguson has gone West.

'02—A. F. Brinckerhoff was back to class reunion last June.

'02—J. P. Kittredge was back to class reunion last June.

'03—P. Fisher was married to Miss Corey, of Chicago, last September. Both he and Miss Corey were in Ithaca last June for senior week.

'04—I. Warner was in Ithaca last June.

BETA PI.

'90—Brother R. E. Wilson has returned from a two years' leave of absence in Germany, and has resumed his position on the faculty.

'00—Brother Joe Hunter is coaching the Rockford (Ill.) High School team, and looking after some legal cases in Chicago. He will return to Denver, Col., in a few weeks.

'03—Brother Roger L. Dennis has taken unto himself a wife, and is in the banking business at Sioux Falls, South Dakota.

'04—Brother Frank H. Churchill was also married this summer and is in the grain business at Chenoa, Ill.

BETA UPSILON.

'95—Alfred Felheimer and S. F. Holtzman are in New York City.

'96—J. N. Dighton is cashier of the First National Bank at Monticello, Ill.

'96—G. J. Jobst is a contractor in Peoria, Ill.

'97—L. F. Hamilton and C. D. Terry are with the Western Tube Company at Kewanee, Ill.

'97—E. B. Forbes is a professor at Missouri State University.

'97—H. B. Erett is located at Clearfield, Pa.

'98—R. W. Weirick is located in New York City.

'98—Willard Hamm is on the road for Parke-Davis Co., with his headquarters at Decatur, Ill.

'99—R. Q. Bullard, M.D., is practising his profession in Springfield, Ill.

'99—W. G. Fraser is now at Bisbee, Ariz.



'99—H. M. Ely, '99, T. C. Phillips, '00, and C. J. Peeples, '01, are all employed in Chicago and living at 287 E. 41st Street.

'00—E. P. Boyd is an architect in the office of the city engineer, in Manila P. O.

'00—Z. F. Baker is practising law at Sullivan, Ill.

'01—R. N. Bramhall, M.D., is practising his profession at Fair Oaks, Cal.

'01—W. C. Cliffs is located at Mahwah, N. J.

'01—L. M. Tobin is now with the *Champaign Daily Times*, the leading newspaper of the city.

'02—W. D. Hintze is with the Rockford Nail Co., at Rockford, Ill.

'04—A. W. Allen is associated with his father in the contracting business in Peoria, Ill.

'04—H. W. Fraser is located at Mojave, Cal.

'04—F. M. Lindsay is in the law business at Shawnee, Okla.

Ex-'04—B. C. Nelson is in business with his father and brother, in Champaign, Ill.

'04—Perry Barker is an expert chemist at La Salle, Ill.

'04—H. H. Barter is with the Racine Salt Co., at Springfield, Ill.

'04—G. A. Clark is with the Clark Coal Co., at Peoria, Ill.

Ex-'04—A. W. Erett, Jr., and N. J. Higinbotham are with the Western Tube Co., at Kewanee, Ill.

Ex-'05—G. A. Anicker is running his father's farm at Alma, Ill.

Ex-'05—F. E. Beasley is located at Trail, B. C.

Ex-'05—H. S. Mitchell is with the Western Tube Co., at Kewanee, Ill.

'05—H. P. Greenwood is with the New York Central R.R. Co., in New York City.

'05—E. E. Meier is assistant city engineer at Champaign, Ill.

Ex-'05—B. B. Hull is employed by the Chicago and Rock Island R.R. Co., in Chicago.

Ex-'07—F. A. Doyle is on a ranch at Roswell, New Mex.

Ex-'07—R. M. Hess is with Butler Bros., Chicago, Ill.

Ex-'08—R. E. Doyle is on a ranch at Roswell, New Mex.

#### BETA PHI.

'02—C. H. Van Tine, mechanical engineer, Indiana Bridge Co., Muncie, Ind.

'02—Ralph D. Nye is now located in the electrical engineering department of the Westinghouse Electrical and Manufacturing Co., Pittsburgh, Pa.

'04—James H. Birnie was married to Miss Marion Nichols, of Chillicothe, Ohio, May 20, 1905.

'04—William Scarlett, of Columbus, Ohio, and '05 Harvard, is now on Daniel Lunday's ranch, Adaton, Neb.

'05—A. H. Mellinger has signed up with the New York Telephone Company. ✓

'05—William A. Nye is on the staff of the *Ohio State Journal*, Columbus, Ohio.

'05—Niels M. Petersen is chief chemist of the Carnegie Steel Company, Columbus, Ohio.

'05—Frank R. Guilford is with the Louisville Telephone Company, Louisville, Ky.

'06—J. Russel Cole is in Harvard this year.

'06—Will S. Cobb is with the Winfield Manufacturing Co., Warren, Ohio.

#### BETA CHI.

'97—Frank E. Watson has been appointed an instructor at De Pauw University.

'99—Arthur H. Blanchard is in charge of the engineering department at Brown for the coming year.

'00—Frank T. Hallett has recently been awarded a prize scholarship at the American School of Archæology, Greece.

'02—Arthur S. Gaylord is practising law at Holyoke, Mass.

Ex-'04—Oscar L. Heltzen has been appointed clerk of one of the Providence District Courts.

'05—Earl B. Cross is boys' secretary at Y. M. C. A., Providence, R. I.

'05—Theodore C. Hascall has entered Cornell Medical School, New York City.

'05—William C. Hascall is with the Mitchell Fertilizer Co., of Providence, R. I.

'05—Alfred W. Ingalls is in the shoe business at Lynn, Mass.

'05—Arthur J. Latham is with J. A. Latham & Co., civil engineers, Providence, R. I.

'05—Ernest F. Lewis has entered the Massachusetts Institute of Technology, Boston, Mass.

'05—Howland S. Stedman is with the Rhode Island Locomotive Works, Providence, R. I.

#### BETA OMEGA.

'01—Ralph H. Curtiss, after having taken out his degree of Ph.D. at the University of California last year, proceeded to Allegheny Observatory, Pennsylvania, where he is at present interested in the equipment of the institution with new apparatus.

'02—William Hunter is at present in Tonopah, Nevada, interested in a mining deal. He has the honor of being captain of the Tonopah baseball nine, the first of its kind at the mine.



'02—Herbert S. Bonifield, assistant secretary to the Fraternity and secretary to the San Francisco Alumni Association, after having attended the Karnea in New York, made an extended tour of the Atlantic States on a business mission for Baldwin & Stetson, real estate firm of San Francisco. He is now on his way to this coast.

'05—Melvin G. Jeffress has just returned from New York and is at present engaged in real estate brokerage in San Francisco.

Ex-'05—Raymond Tyler is engaged in the Forestry Reserves in Placer County, California.

'06—Harold McPherson is in New York City contemplating entrance into the Pulitzer Journalism Department of Columbia College.

Ex-'07—Roberts J. Bent is engaged in surveying in Fresno County, California.

#### GAMMA ALPHA.

'03—Robert Spring Butler was married on September 28 to Edith Irene Sheldon, of Sterling, Ill.

Ex-'05—Victor S. Rice is with the National Cash Register Co., at Dayton, Ohio.

'05—Homer Watkins is with Sears, Roebuck & Co., of Chicago.

'05—Clyde A. Blair is superintendent of salesmen at the Listman Mills, LaCrosse, Wis.

#### GAMMA GAMMA.

'04—H. McKennis is attending Columbia Law School.

'05—C. E. Estes is teaching music in Robert College, Constantinople.

'05—A. T. Melvin is athletic instructor in the same place.

'05—J. A. Laing is attending Columbia Law School.

'05—F. E. Harwood is engaged in business with his uncle in Chicago.

'05—H. N. Eliot has gone into business with his father in Lowell, Mass.

'05—W. F. Dorothy is attending Harvard Law School.

'05—J. B. Whittier is engaged in business in New York City.

'05 (Non-grad.)—W. A. Luey is attending Worcester Institute of Technology.

'05—F. H. Brown is teaching at Sterling Junction, Mass.

'06 (Non-grad.)—C. A. Luck is working on the Panama Canal, Panama.

'06 (Non-grad.)—P. T. Hagberg is engaged in electrical work on the addition to the Illinois Steel Works in South Chicago, Ill.

#### GAMMA DELTA.

'00—I. B. Bush is Superintendent of the Hinton, West Virginia, public schools.

'01—H. F. Rogers is first assistant in the State Normal at Glenville, W. Va.

'01—R. C. Shriver, the father of a prospective Delta, is living in Morgantown, W. Va., and is a member of a lumber supply company.

Ex-'02—C. W. Stump is cashier of the Elk Banking Company, Charleston, W. Va.

'03—W. M. Baumgardner, who has been teaching two years in the Keyser Preparatory School, spent the summer in Germany, at Berlin, and is now instructor in German in the West Virginia University.

'04—C. T. Coffman is increasing his law practice at Clarksburg, W. Va.

'04—W. M. Duke is again principal of the High School at Hedgesville, W. Va.

'05—S. E. W. Burnside is in a law office at Suffolk, Va.

#### GAMMA THETA.

'95—Brother Luther Taylor, of Pittsburg, Kans., spent a few days with the boys.

'00—Brother Homer K. Ebricht and Miss Marie Morehead were married last June. Brother Ebricht takes the chair of Greek in the University.

'02—Brother Scott E. Bedford was married in June to Miss Gussie Taggart, a Delta Delta Delta. Brother Bedford is taking post-graduate work in Chicago University.

'02—Brother Homer Hock was married in June to Miss Edna Wharton, grand marshal of the Delta Delta Delta Sorority. Brother Hock will return from Washington, D. C., to take charge of the *Marion Record*, the position left vacant by his father who has become Governor of the State.

'03—Brother Harry Study, principal of a school in Ottawa, Kans., spent a few days at the University.

'03—Brother Clair Harpster is principal of the High School at Ottumwa, Iowa.

'05—Brothers O. C. Hestwood, Lee Trotter and R. L. Torrey spent a few days with us this fall. Rev. Torrey is preaching in Chanute. He expects to sail for China as a missionary in December.

'05—Rev. G. B. Thompson, pastor of a church in Leavenworth, came up to attend the chicken fry, October 11th.

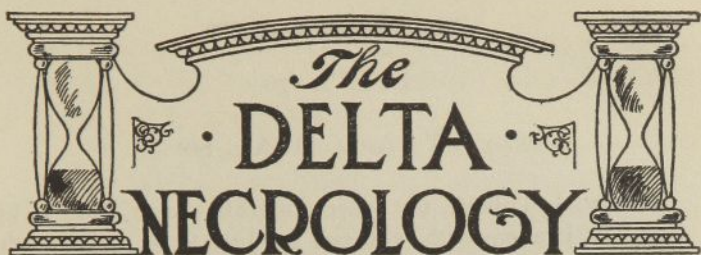
'05—Brother E. A. Riley is taking post-graduate work in Chicago University.



'05—Brother Fred Bailey is preaching in Iola, Kans.

'05—Brother Will Bailey is principal of the High School in Eureka, Kans.

'05—Brother Henry Bailey is principal of a ward school at Gas City, Kans.



# *The* DELTA NECROLOGY

GAMMA 'o8.

JOHN SHERRARD BLACHLY.

WHEREAS, It has pleased Almighty God, in His infinite wisdom and goodness, to remove from our midst our beloved brother, John Sherrard Blachly; and whereas, Brother Blachly was a true and loyal member of this Fraternity, and we feel that in him we have lost a dear brother and a sincere friend; be it

*Resolved*, that we extend to his immediate family our heartfelt sympathy and condolence in their bereavement; and be it further,

*Resolved*, that one copy of these resolutions be inscribed upon the minutes of this chapter; that another be sent for publication to THE RAINBOW, the official organ of the Fraternity; and that a third copy be sent to the family of the deceased.

R. A. SHERRARD,  
J. R. MARSHALL,

*Committee.*

Delta Tau Delta House, Washington and Jefferson College, Washington, Pa., Oct. 2, 1905.

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DELTA '76.

ALONZO J. TULLOCK, M. AM. SOC. C. E.

Alonzo J. Tullock, the subject of this sketch, died at his home in Leavenworth, Kansas, on July 21st, 1904, at the age of 50 years. He was born on a farm near Rockford, Illinois, in 1854, of Scotch parentage, his father, George Tullock, having come to this country from Edinburgh, Scotland, in the early forties. His school education was commenced in the country schools near his birthplace, continued in the high school at Rockford, Illinois, in the University of Illinois at Champaign, and finally completed at the University of Michigan, where he received the degree of Civil Engineer in 1876.

In 1878 he was married to Miss Kitty B. Southwick, of Rockford, Illinois. The union was most happy, and was blessed by the birth of three children, a daughter, Florence L., a son, Hubert S., and a daughter Lucy M. Tullock. Miss Florence L. Tullock has recently been graduated from the Smith College, at Northampton, Massachusetts, and the younger daughter, Lucy M. Tullock, is now attending the public schools in Leavenworth. The son, Hubert S. Tullock, at the time of this writing, is a junior in the engineering department of the University of Michigan, his father's Alma Mater.

Soon after his graduation, Mr. Tullock entered the employment of Fox and Howard, a firm of contractors in Chicago, but in 1879 he entered the bridge building firm of Insley, Shire and Tullock, at Leavenworth, Kansas, and from that time until his death he devoted his time principally to bridge, viaduct and wharf construction. At the



time of his death he was, and had been for twenty years, the proprietor of the Missouri Valley Bridge and Iron Works, successor to the original firm.

Mr. Tullock built many important bridges in the territory west of the meridian of Chicago, besides building during the early days, between 1880 and 1890, many Howe trusses and combination wood and iron bridges, styles so much in vogue during that period. In the territory mentioned Mr. Tullock probably built more bridges than any other company or firm. Among the most important structures built by him were: The substructure of a railway bridge across the Missouri River at Leavenworth, Kansas, completed in 1894; a highway bridge across the Missouri River at Jefferson City, Missouri, completed in 1896; a railway bridge across the Red River on the line of the Kansas City Southern (Port Arthur Route); railway bridge across the Arkansas, Canadian and other large rivers, for the St. Louis Southern Railway (Cotton Belt Route), Texas & Pacific Railway, and other roads at various points. He built the very difficult pneumatic foundations for the Texas & Pacific Railway's bridge across the Atchafalaya, one of the outlets of the Mississippi River into the Gulf of Mexico. Various other pneumatic and deep foundations for bridges across western rivers, which are the most difficult to deal with, owing to their very deep water-sheds and their extreme freshets, were built by him. His last important work was the construction of the bridges on the St. Louis, Kansas City and Colorado River (Rock Island System), among which was one very high structure over the Osage River. This bridge contained one span 375 ft. in length and one concrete pier with a total height of 109 ft. resting upon a pneumatic foundation. This is probably the highest concrete pier yet constructed.

In 1900, Mr. Tullock, in conference with Alfred Noble, Past-President Am. Soc. C. E., designed the important wharf built by the Mexican Central Railway, for the Mexican Government, at Tampico. Mr. Tullock was made engineer of this important work, and took complete charge of the same during construction. This wharf was built on 454 piers, a large number of which were on pneumatic foundations, reaching the depth of about 50 ft. below mean tide. A full description of this important work has recently appeared in the technical press.

During a busy and studious life, Mr. Tullock accumulated a large and valuable library, in which are many rare books, and especially many volumes relating to the Louisiana Purchase, within which territory was located the city chosen for his home.

Mr. Tullock, by his simplicity and force of character and his excellent judgment, attracted to himself men of character and learning. By his uniform courtesy and fair dealings, he commanded the confidence and esteem of those with whom he was associated, and as a friend he could be depended upon in any emergency.

Mr. Tullock was elected a member of the American Society of Civil Engineers on June 6th, 1883.—*Proceedings of Am. Society Civil Engineers, April, '05.*

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### EPSILON '76.

REV. EDWARD B. BANCROFT, D. D.

The members of Epsilon chapter and of Albion College were surprised and grieved on Monday, October 9th, when the death of Rev. Edward Bennett Bancroft was announced.

Although Brother Bancroft had been poorly, the end came suddenly, and was a shock to his host of friends.

Brother Bancroft was born in May, 1856. He attended Albion College, where he was graduated in the class of 1876. During his Senior year Epsilon chapter was established there and he became a charter member. He also attended the Boston University School of Theology, and traveled in Europe. He entered the Methodist ministry in Michigan in 1877, and did excellent work in the Detroit conference, both as a minister and as a presiding elder.

Mrs. Bancroft had been in very poor health for several years, and passed away only six weeks before her husband's death. On the afternoon of the last day of his life Brother Bancroft answered the letter of sympathy which had been sent him by his chapter, and in that last hour expressed his appreciation of his Fraternity.

Three children, Ralph, Harriet, and Arthur, are left to mourn the loss of loving and noble parents.

The funeral services were held at the home in Ann Arbor, on Tuesday afternoon, conducted by Rev. Wm. Dawe, of Detroit. Brother Samuel Dickie, of Epsilon, was one of those to eulogize the deceased friends of all, and the services were also attended by Brother Chas. M. Ranger, another charter member of Epsilon.

In the *Michigan Christian Advocate* were the following words about our departed brother:

"Brother Bancroft was a transparent character. Born in a parsonage, he had as a birthright the pure and unselfish traits fostered in the hearts of our ministry and transmitted to their children. Everybody had faith in his uprightness and manliness, and felt the warmth of his genial and benevolent disposition. He was also a man of intellectual ability, a good thinker, a fine scholar, and an able preacher.



"He passed away at 9:30 Saturday evening, October 7th, after a life of labor and service, which is rewarded by loving remembrance in the minds of all."

RESOLUTIONS OF SYMPATHY.

CHAPTER HALL OF EPSILON  
OF DELTA TAU DELTA,  
OCTOBER FOURTEENTH.

WHEREAS, Our Heavenly Father has seen fit to remove from the activities of this life our brother, Edward B. Bancroft, and


WHEREAS, By his death Epsilon chapter of Delta Tau Delta loses a charter member whom she has honored and esteemed, be it

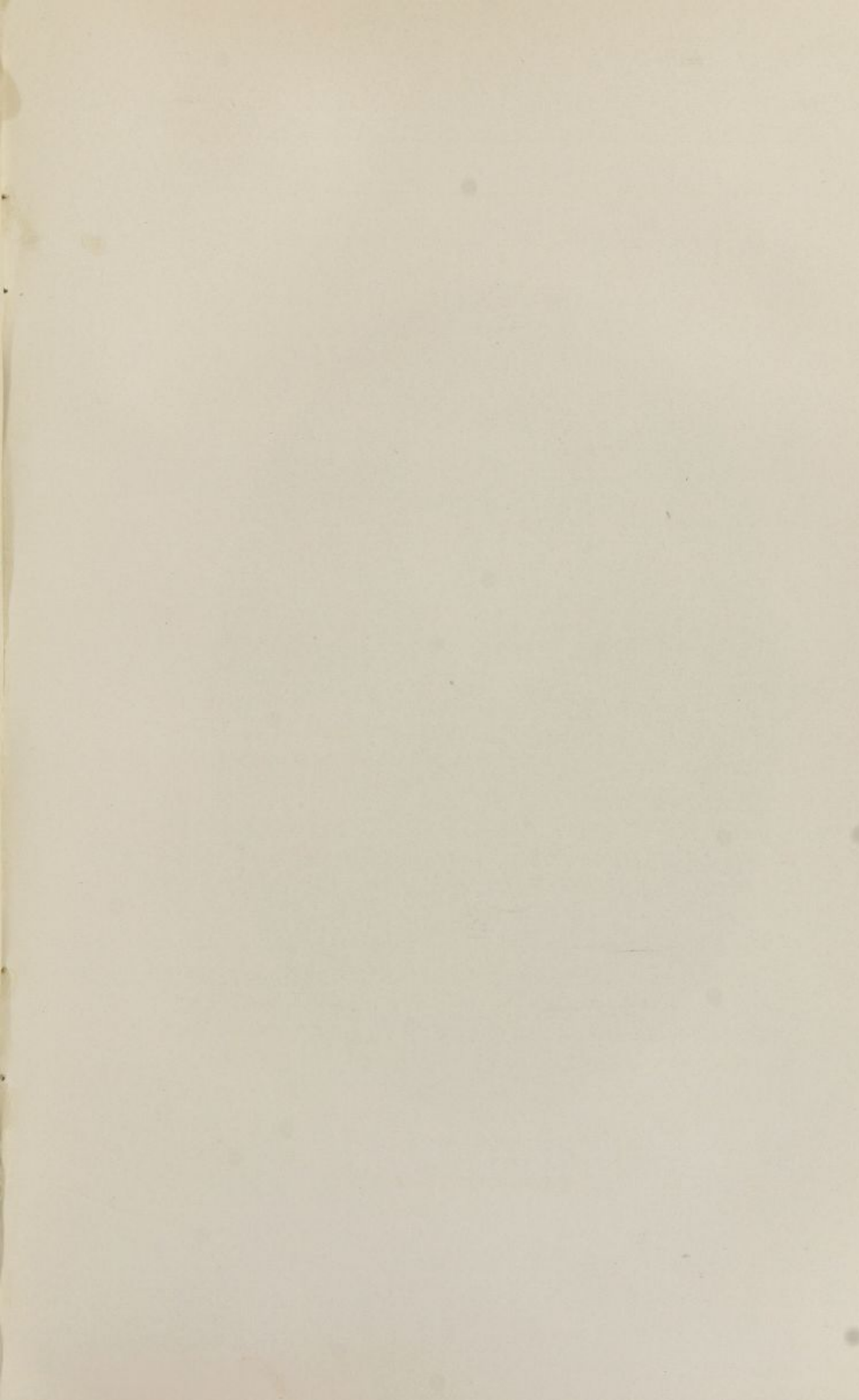
*Resolved*, That we, the members of Epsilon chapter of Delta Tau Delta, extend to the bereaved children our most sincere sympathy in our mutual sorrow and loss. And be it further

*Resolved*, That we, the members of Epsilon chapter of Delta Tau Delta, go into mourning for a period of thirty days out of respect for the memory of our departed brother. And be it further

*Resolved*, That a copy of these resolutions be spread on the minutes of the meeting of this chapter, a copy to be published in THE RAINBOW, and in the Albion College *Pleiad*, and a copy be sent to the children of our beloved brother who has gone on before us.

FRED L. FARLEY,  
JAS. H. POPE,  
*Committee.*







HOWARD LETTS FORTINER,  
Omega '05



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OMEGA '05.

HOWARD LETTS FORTINER.

The first break that death has made in the circle of Omega came on May 10th last, when Howard Letts Fortiner, of the Class of 1905, died in Philadelphia. At the beginning of his Junior year he had been compelled to leave college owing to ill-health, and from then until the day of his death he fought bravely against an incurable disease.

Howard Fortiner was born in Camden, New Jersey, November 12, 1882, and was the son of Walter Scott Fortiner and Linda Letts. He was graduated from the Friends' Central School, where he had been captain of the football team and class president, in 1901, and entered Pennsylvania in the fall of that year. He was initiated into Delta Tau Delta a few weeks after the term opened. During his Freshman year he was captain of the 'Varsity Freshman football team, a member of the gymnasium team, bowl man of his class, and champion heavy-weight wrestler at the May Day games. In his Sophomore year he was elected president of his class, and played half-back on the 'Varsity football team. His withdrawal from college the next fall cut short a brilliant career.

After a long stay at the University Hospital, his physicians decided that he had a chance for life in going west. He was with Brother Rogers at Deming, New Mexico, for some time, and later on the Pacific Coast. He returned to Philadelphia in the winter of 1904, and went to Florida. When his health had not improved he joined his mother in Brooklyn. Shortly after Easter he was brought to Philadelphia, and seemed to be slowly improving, but the end came without warning three weeks later.

There have been few men at Pennsylvania so popular as was Howard Fortiner. He never strove for office or athletic honors. Everything came to him. He won his way into the hearts of his fellows by the charm of his personality. It is hard, often impossible, to make an analysis of personality, but we might say that there were two characteristics which Howard Fortiner possessed to an unusual degree, and which, no doubt, counted largely in winning for him the universal esteem of everyone with whom he was thrown. They were his absolute honesty of thought, and his utter lack of affectation or conceit.

His brothers in Omega, the men he lived with and who knew his life intimately, had for Howard Fortiner that deep affection which the Fraternity tie, coupled with a realization of his personal worth, alone could give. To them his death meant more than the loss of a Delta and a chapter brother; it was the going out of a life that was beautiful in its simplicity and its honesty, a life that had cast its spell upon them and left its influence with them.

#### BETA GAMMA '00.

ALBERT L. HENNING.

Brother Albert L. Henning, Beta Gamma 1900, died suddenly of quinsy at Eugene, Oregon, on July 30th, 1905. Brother Henning is a brother of Edward J. Henning of Milwaukee. Brother Henning is a native of Wisconsin, the old home being at Iron Ridge. He graduated from University of Wisconsin with the Class of 1900 and took high honors in chemistry. Soon after he went to Oregon and became professor of science at the Pendleton Col-

lege, at Pendleton, Oregon, serving there from 1903 to 1904. The following year he became a fellow at the University of Oregon and taught chemistry there, and also took his master's degree. His thesis for master's degree, entitled "On the Saccharomyces and Their Enzymes," is now a part of the educational exhibit of the State of Oregon at the Lewis and Clark Exposition at Portland. Brother Henning was a frequent contributor to scientific magazines and had done work along the lines of his specialty which attracted attention among scientific men throughout the country. During the coming year he intended to go to Europe for further study and for the purpose of taking his doctor's degree.

WHEREAS, It has pleased God in His infinite wisdom and goodness to take, from the activities of his life, our dearly beloved brother, Albert Louis Henning; therefore be it

*Resolved*, That we extend to E. J. Henning and to his relatives our heartfelt sympathy in their bereavement; and be it further


*Resolved*, That resolutions of sympathy be passed, one copy to be inscribed upon the minutes of this chapter; another to be sent to THE RAINBOW, the official organ of the Delta Tau Delta Fraternity, and a third copy be sent to the brother of the deceased.

JOHN L. KIND,

HARRY G. MONTGOMERY,

*Committee.*

Beta Gamma Chapter, Delta Tau Delta, University of Wisconsin, Madison, Wis., October 23, 1905.





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GAMMA ZETA.

NORMAN KEATOR SILLIMAN.

WHEREAS, It has pleased God in His infinite wisdom and love to take from the activities of this life, during the summer vacation, our beloved brother, Norman Keator Silliman; and

WHEREAS, Brother Silliman has, by his loyalty and devotion to the Fraternity and to this chapter, won our love and affection; be it

*Resolved*, That we, the members of Gamma Zeta Chapter of Delta Tau Delta, extend to the members of the bereaved family of our deceased brother our most sincere sympathy in this, our mutual affliction and loss. Be it further

*Resolved*, That we, the members of Gamma Zeta Chapter, drape our badges for the period of thirty days in memory of our beloved brother. And be it also

*Resolved*, That a copy of these resolutions be sent to THE RAINBOW of Delta Tau Delta and to the *Wesleyan Argus*, and that a copy be sent to the bereaved family.

JOSHUA L. ROBINS,

ARTHUR J. MONROE,

ORLIFF V. H. CHASE,

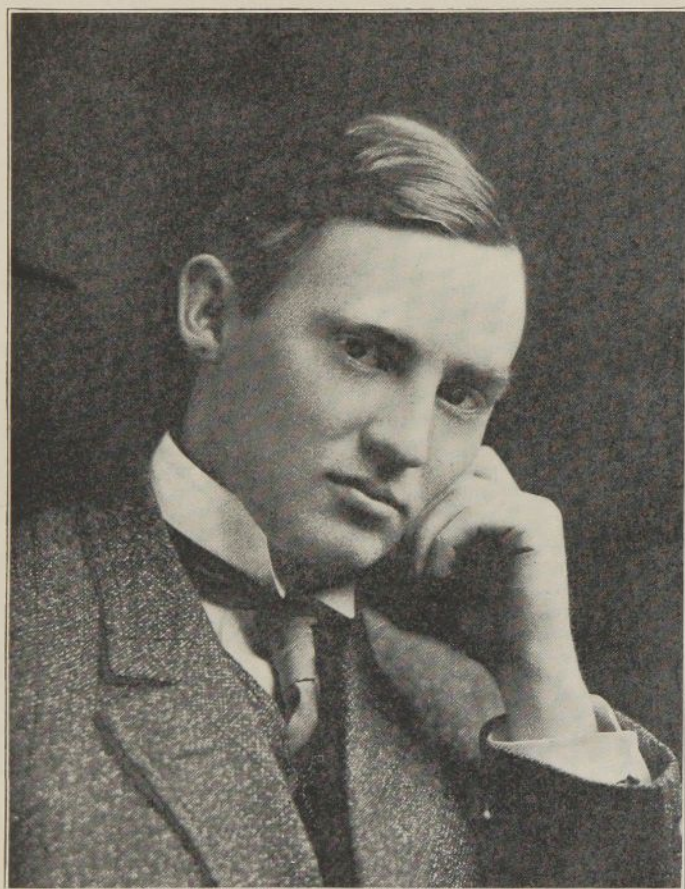
*For the Chapter.*

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GAMMA BETA '06.

LOUIS RAYMOND LEVINGS.

"The report of the fatal accident to Louis R. Levings came as a very great shock to his host of friends in Armour



*L. R. Leving*

Gamma Beta '06





Institute. No man in the school was more generally liked, and looked up to for his many admirable qualities, for which he will ever be held in loving remembrance.

"Levings had been tramping through the mountains of Colorado with two of his cousins, Dean Babcock, A-'05, and John Black, and was at the time, Wednesday, August 2d, attempting the ascent of Mount Upsilon with Black in order to photograph the almost perfect Upsilon formed by a glacier which gives the mountain its name. He turned aside to do a little investigating and started down a steep declivity, followed by his cousin. Coming to a place where it was necessary to hang full length and drop a few feet from one ledge to another, he swung over, when, without warning, the rock from which he hung gave way and he was carried down with it to his death.

"The whole host of his friends mourns his loss. He had attended the Institute for seven years, having graduated from the Academy in 1902, when seventeen years of age. He had been president of his class and had won the Lolita Armour Scholarship for that year. He entered the Technical College the following September, and at the end of his junior year, last spring, he had been elected to nearly every office in the gift of the students, and honored by many faculty appointments. He was the most versatile man ever in the school, for, in addition to the foregoing, he held an almost unsurpassed scholarship record and was a leader in athletics, music and college activities in general.

"Levings was a member of Gamma Beta Chapter of Delta Tau Delta, and was held in the greatest esteem by his friends in the fraternity. He had thoroughly proven his worth and was in fact to be the chapter's delegate to the national convention of the fraternity in New York during the last of August.

"By his ever cheerful disposition, friendliness and acknowledged abilities he had made his friends. There was so much to admire and so little to criticise in his character that all who knew him grieve his loss."—*Armour Int. Fulcrum*.

WHEREAS, Almighty God, in His infinite wisdom, has seen fit to remove from our midst our dearly beloved brother, Louis R. Levings, '06; and

WHEREAS, We, the members of Gamma Beta Chapter of Delta Tau Delta Fraternity, realize that in his departure we lose a true and noble brother, one who by his willingness to assume and discharge his duties has merited and received the highest commendation; be it therefore


*Resolved*, That we extend our most heartfelt sympathies to his bereaved family; and be it further

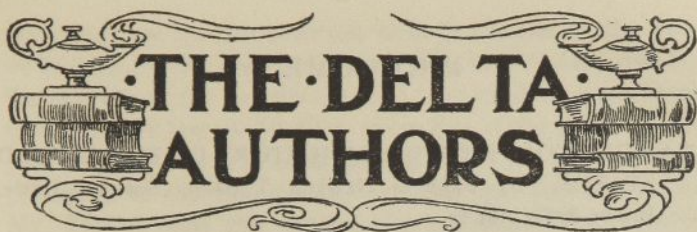
*Resolved*, That as a token of our sorrow we drape our pins in mourning for a period of thirty days; and be it further

*Resolved*, That a copy of these resolutions be sent to the family of our esteemed brother, and that the resolutions be incorporated in our chapter records and printed in THE RAINBOW, *The Fulcrum*, and *The Integral*.

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## GAMMA

HISTORY OF OLD PINE STREET (A). By HUGHES OLIPHANT GIBBONS (Gamma, '69). *Illustrated*. The John C. Winston Co., Philadelphia, 5½ x 8½ in. 366 pages.

"Pine Street Church in Philadelphia, the third Presbyterian church founded in that city, is the only one dating from colonial times still on its original site. In the churchyard some three thousand lie interred, including many Revolutionary officers and soldiers. It has been served by a succession of remarkably able ministers. As represented by them, it has been on the right side in times of crises, whether in the Civil War, or in the vindication of such men as Albert Barnes and Lyman Beecher when assailed by ultra Calvinists. It is a striking instance of the advance of moral standards in recent times that the money needed to erect the building was raised by lottery. Originally in a fashionable center, now in a slum neighborhood whence twenty other churches have removed, it remains there, consecrated by its history and pledged by its endowment to a perpetuity of service in its changed environment. This handsome and finely illustrated volume is a worthy memorial of seven generations to many more to come."—*The Outlook*, Sept. 16th, 1905.



## RHO PRIME, '75

A SHORT CONSTITUTIONAL HISTORY OF THE UNITED STATES. By FRANCIS NEWTON THORPE, Boston; Little, Brown & Co. \$1.75.

Mr. Thorpe has tried in this condensation of his larger works, "A Constitutional History of the United States" and a like history of "The American People," to tell us (1) the origin of our civil system; (2) the principles on which it is founded; (3) the adaptation of the plan of government to public needs, by amendment and construction, and (4) the interpretation of the principles of the Government by the supreme tribunal, the courts. All this he has done as a lawyer, not as a historian. To him the whole constitutional development is due to a series of legal controversies. The economic and political influences are little noticed. His chief sources have been documentary statutes, decisions of courts and debates in conventions and in Congress. Much of the result of this wide research is merely chronicled, not criticised. The author describes and sets forth but abstains from judgments. There is a lack of digestion and a want of perspective. This is especially seen in his account of the work of the constitutional convention. He first fails to set forth the great problem that confronted the convention: What scheme would make it certain that the States would perform their functions and that the central Government would do its work and no more? Then he fails to point out clearly what the convention really accomplished—the establishment over each individual of a double citizenship, a system which each citizen was the subject of two States. This accomplishment and the securing of its permanency by

resorting, not to the coercion of a State nor to the veto of its acts by the central Government, but to the Courts—the making of the constitution and laws made in accordance therewith the law of the land, enforceable in the State courts, just as State law was enforced—this was the great accomplishment of the convention. All else was subsidiary, but Mr. Thorpe loses this central idea amid details of controversy of little permanent significance. This failure to give proper emphasis makes the book sure to fail as a text-book—a use for which the author designed it—except in the hands of a very experienced teacher. In the absence of any other adequate treatment, however, the book will temporarily at least supply a real need. It contains a very useful index both of the Constitution and the book.

#### LAMBDA PRIME, '84.

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#### THE FLOATING LABORATORY OF MARINE BIOLOGY OF TRINITY COLLEGE. By CHAS. LINCOLN EDWARDS, PH. D.

Articles of incorporation have been filed with the secretary of the state of Connecticut "to establish and maintain a floating laboratory of marine biology for exploration in oceanography and the collection and investigation of the organisms of the sea; to supply colleges, museums and other institutions with material for investigation, study and exhibition."

A vessel of about ninety tons burden will be secured and equipped with the necessary dredges, trawles, tangles, tow-nets, etc., as well as chemical reagents and glassware for work in marine zoology and botany. When the boat is anchored in a protected harbor immediately it becomes a laboratory. The vessel, in sailing from place to place in the ocean, will furnish most favorable facilities for the investigation of the distribution and variation of organisms. On each expedition it is planned to stay in some particularly desirable locality for about one month so that problems of cytology, embryology and physiology may be undertaken. Competent preparators, artists and photographers will be on the staff so that not only museums and laboratories may be supplied with material, but an effort will be made to meet the specifications of investigators as to fixation and preservation, together with sketches, or photographs, of the organisms desired for their work. In going to a new region each summer large collections for research will be made year after year, and it is hoped to greatly extend our knowledge of the local faunæ and floræ of the western Atlantic.

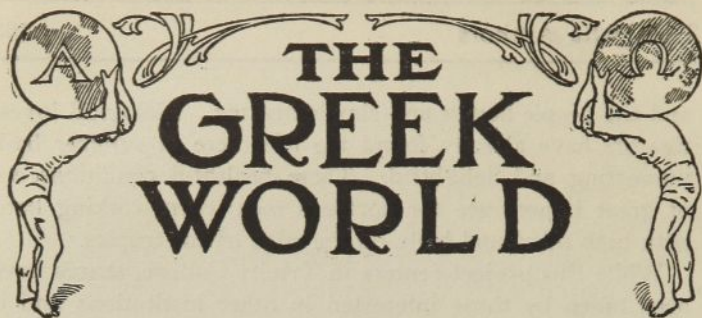
In the early summer of 1906 the vessel will sail to the Bahamas. After a month in the sub-tropics the boat will weigh anchor for the cruise northward, making a harbor every hundred miles or so for the purpose of getting material for comparative studies. In the Bahama Islands the conditions are very favorable for the most abundant and varied organisms, since these islands are situated in the mouth of the Gulf Stream where it debouches between Florida and Cuba, bringing with it myriads of creatures caught up in the wide circuit of the current from the equator and through the Gulf of Mexico. The climate, though warm, is agreeable in summer and usually keeps between 84° and 86°. The trade winds blow steadily, the waters are clear



and the people honest and simple hearted. Biological investigators have already found the life there in summer both interesting and delightful. These healthful conditions are of great importance for northern men when working hard with both mind and body on the edge of the tropics.

While this project centers in Trinity College, shares have been taken by those interested in other institutions and it is in the largest way for the benefit of all investigators who care to take advantage of the opportunities offered.

CHARLES L. EDWARDS.



Delta Upsilon has entered the University of Illinois.

A new local, Theta Delta Psi, with ten members, has been established at Allegheny College.

Pi Kappa Alpha has granted a charter to the Sphinx Club at Millsaps College.

T. N. E. has received the stamp of disapproval of the fraternities at the University of North Carolina by their refusing to permit their members to join.

Kappa Sigma chartered at the University of Idaho September 20. This makes the fraternity's seventy-fourth chapter.

Sigma Chi has installed chapters at Colorado College, May 6, and at the University of Arkansas September 16.

"It is sheer nonsense for any self-respecting national fraternity, now or in the near future, to negotiate with petitioners at the University of the State of Washington. The field is already crowded."—*Delta of Sigma Nu.*

From an exchange item we note that President Tillman of the University of Arkansas has issued an appeal to the people of the State for more students, begging them to be loyal to their State University. Perhaps there would be more loyalty and a larger number of students at this university had it not been for the hayseed opposition to fraternities and legislation against them.

During the summer Kappa Alpha Theta chartered a local at the University of Toronto known as Delta Theta. Kappa Alpha Theta previously had a chapter at this institution,

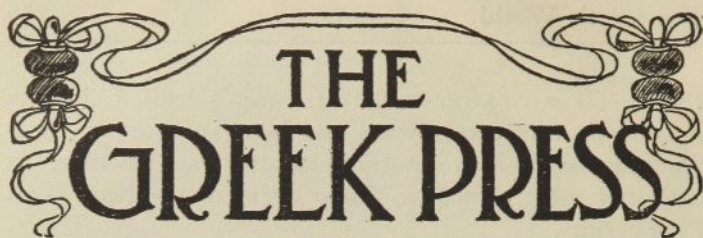
1887-8. It is also rumored that a men's local, Chi Delta Psi, which for several years has been unsuccessfully petitioning Psi Upsilon, is turning its attention elsewhere. It is shortly to be visited by Editor Baird of the Beta Theta Pi fraternity.

Song and Stein, controlled by the fraternities, is the only senior society at Minnesota. The Triangle Club is a freshman society drawn from all the fraternities. However, the Phi Gamma Delta freshmen were not admitted last year. There is a strong society in the medical school whose badge is a small arrow, worn in the tie. Its name is never disclosed.

"Nothing positive can be stated, but it is rumored here that Alpha Tau Omega will be petitioned for a charter within a year or two by a local which is said to be in the embryonic state at present. Several members of that order are here now, but even the probability of this rumored action is extremely doubtful, as the field is already well filled, there being six fraternities represented here."—*S. A. E., Correspondent Wofford College.*

Since the following was written Beta Theta Pi has entered Iowa College: "Twenty-four men will return in the fall. The field here is unusually good. With fourteen hundred students there is only one other national fraternity represented here, Sigma Nu. Four locals are maintained in addition to the two nationals, and the character and ability of the men in all these organizations is such that the fraternities they are petitioning can make no mistake in giving them charters. At the same time, our respect for these societies is not so great that we will falter any in our cry of 'Iowa for Sigma Alpha Epsilon.'"—*Sigma Alpha Epsilon Correspondent, Iowa College.*





# THE GREEK PRESS

Too often an active chapter is prone to limit its rushing activity to the first few weeks of the college semester and to rest satisfied with the men it secures at that time. This is one of the greatest mistakes that can be made. Some of the best of fraternity material does not attract attention until later in the college year, and often the very best men are overlooked by the fraternities until their upper class years.

The alert chapter will place no limit on its rushing season and will always be on the lookout for good men. One of the best expressions along this line we have ever heard is a part of a speech by Benjamin Ide Wheeler, President of the University of California. As this is a very timely subject at present we reproduce herewith the extract in question:

"It is not a very safe thing to choose your freshmen according to their neckties. They will come in with some beautiful specimens. Father and mother wanted them when they went to college to get the best there was, and they went to the country store and bought the brightest offered. But after they have been in college a little while, they will come out with the normal ritual of necktie. Don't choose your freshmen according to their neckties.

"It is one of the weaknesses of the fraternity system, as I have seen it in operation in different colleges, that it doesn't recognize and take in enough men after junior year. Some of the strongest men develop in the last two years in college, and living in your ruts as you do in your fraternity houses and getting inured to each other and getting to think you are so fine prevents you from being able to get that unanimous vote you need for that man in the junior year who has shown himself a strong man. Somebody has noticed idiosyncrasies of his that he can't quite stomach and he votes against him. You want to take in some men as the college course goes on.

If you haven't been doing it, do it. You will get your strongest men that way. I don't know but that you will almost every time. An opportunity is afforded by the experience of two years in college. You will all too often choose your freshmen according to consideration of previous knowledge, social standing, and outward appearance, and you are bound to make some mistakes. But you will not make mistakes with the men you take in at the end of the sophomore year."

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Kappa Sigma established a chapter at Harvard University June 24, 1905. A writer in *The Caduceus of Kappa Sigma* has the following to say of the societies at Harvard:

"Of the social organizations, the large local societies, some of which were established more than a hundred years ago, are the most prominent and influential. These societies have varied and interesting histories and have counted among their members many of the greatest men of the country. In recent years membership depended largely on family connection and social position, though at the present time this is becoming less marked. Within a year or two their influence with the student body has suffered through the suspicion that they sacrificed the athletic interests of the university for the advancement of their own members.

"Several of the societies present an annual play or other literary exercises, and practically all of them entertain more or less elaborately on Class Day. The Institute of 1770 was started as a literary society in the year 1770. The name has been changed several times, and the society has had inactive periods. At one time it was merged with the D. K. E. but now exists as a separate organization, with well furnished rooms. It is the largest and oldest of the social societies. The Porcellian Club, which occupies a handsome club house, is said to have been organized about 1789, and has records as far back as 1791, in which year it derived its name from a very successful banquet at which a young pig was served roasted whole. The society is secret and does not publish its membership. The Hasty Pudding Club was founded in 1795, as a patriotic society. It is now a purely social club, and occupies a beautiful house.

"Of the more recent societies the A. D. Club, Pi Eta, Signet, and Kappa Gamma Chi are representative. The A. D. Club is the suc-



cessor of that chapter of Alpha Delta Phi which was withdrawn on account of faculty opposition in 1857. The Alpha Delta Phi chapter itself has since been revived, and is prosperous, having a large club house.

"Beta Theta Pi established a chapter in 1843, but withdrew its charter in 1901. The chapters of Zeta Psi and Delta Phi separated from their general fraternities in 1892 and 1901 respectively, and continue as separate organizations, though they retained their names. In 1891 the Delta Kappa Epsilon chapter withdrew from the fraternity and formed the Dickey Club. In 1865 members of the Phi Kappa Sigma fraternity from other colleges formed a chapter of that fraternity, which lasted less than a year.

"To offset this list of inactive chapters, beside the new chapter of Kappa Sigma and the chapter of Alpha Delta Phi which has already been mentioned, Theta Delta Chi, Delta Upsilon, and Sigma Alpha Epsilon all have successful and well organized chapters. The chapter of Delta Upsilon has a larger membership than is usual with fraternities, being somewhere near seventy; but it is in cordial relations with the rest of its fraternity."

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## THE FRATERNITIES OF STANFORD UNIVERSITY

"Because of its spacious campus, its isolation from a big city, its outdoor freedom, and its favorable opportunities for chapter-house life, Stanford University has long been considered the ideal home for college fraternities. Stanford's fraternity houses collectively are perhaps the finest and most pleasantly situated of any to be found in America. There are sixteen houses for the men's societies and five for the women's, each holding its selected group, averaging anywhere from twelve to twenty members, representing in the aggregate about one-fourth of the whole student body. Some 800 students dwell on the campus, 500 on the edges of the campus, and 150 come by train daily from a distance ranging from five to thirty-five miles.

"Membership in the secret Greek-letter societies is generally the result of a strong and agreeable personality coupled with the supposed ability to do some one thing better than the average col-



legian. Every chapter has its ideals, and they fluctuate with the ebb and flow of the graduating and entering classes, but mainly the drawing-power and popularity of a fraternity depends upon its active members.

"The keen annual competition for desirable recruits, the rivalry in desire for campus honors, the development of a sort of altruistic friendship, and the domestic problems of economically maintaining a large house and holding the younger men to their college work are all experiences that give a practical reality to fraternity life and make it helpful for the future of the individual.

"To-day there are out in the world somewhere about fifteen hundred men and women who have been active members of their societies at Stanford. According to their enthusiasm and pride they are quietly working to turn toward Stanford new collegiate material that may perpetuate the societies. In that particular alone they are unconsciously organized for a good general purpose—recruiting for their university what they consider the best available type of prospective collegian.

"In the past fourteen years Stanford has graduated an average of about 38 per cent. of all matriculates, including women. Possibly 36 per cent. of all the men remain and graduate. The average of all the fraternity men shows that just 38 per cent. of them graduate.

"Every community's success is traceable to the character of its representative citizens, and it is much the same way with a college fraternity. Ability to study diligently and ability in athletics are only elements. Of themselves they do not make the most desirable fraternity men or the most desirable collegians or the most desirable future citizens. But combined with character and personality such things count in the world as they do in college life.

"The tendencies of the different fraternities, as evidenced in the aggregate of their members, have been relatively toward the following specialties independently of any measure of social worth and individual popularity:

"Percentages successfully carried to graduation—Delta Upsilon 55, Delta Tau Delta 51, Sigma Chi 48, Beta Theta Pi 46, Phi Delta Theta 44, Fiji-Sigma Rho Eta and Sigma Nu each 40.

"Debate—Delta Upsilon first; Kappa Sigma, Phi Kappa Psi, Sigma Alpha Epsilon, and Delta Tau Delta second; and the others well scattered.

"College editors—Phi Kappa Psi and Kappa Sigma in a first group; Sigma Nu, Delta Tau Delta, and Sigma Alpha Epsilon in a second; and Delta Upsilon in a third.

"College dramatics—Possibly Zeta Psi and Delta Tau Delta in a first group, with the others scattered."—*The Stanford Alumnus*.

## FRATERNITY STATISTICS

FRATERNITIES.	CHAPTERS.				MEMBERSHIP. CHAPTER HOUSES.					
	1905		1883		1905		1883		1905 1898 1883	
	Living.	Dead.	Living.	Dead.						
Alpha Delta Phi.....	25	7	17	6	9,406	5,781	24	14	5	
Alpha Tau Omega...	51	31	26	8	6,486	1,060	24	16	—	
Beta Theta Pi.....	67	21	44	19	14,046	4,874	54	30	—	
Chi Phi .....	20	26	21	16	4,422	2,146	15	14	—	
Chi Psi .....	18	11	16	8	4,459	2,288	17	13	3	
Delta Kappa Epsilon.	41	13	29	15	15,000	8,316	31	22	5	
Delta Phi .....	11	5	7	5	3,341	1,854	11	10	—	
Delta Psi .....	8	11	9	8	2,989	2,057	8	7	3	
Delta Tau Delta....	47	28	32	11	7,486	2,437	36	13	—	
Delta Upsilon .....	36	5	17	8	9,169	3,432	30	20	1	
Kappa Alpha (N.)...	7	2	4	2	1,666	986	7	4	1	
Kappa Alpha (S.)....	49	11	18	2	6,146	1,087	23	12	—	
Kappa Sigma .....	70	18	14	10	6,357	1,267	36	11	—	
Phi Delta Theta....	69	26	44	19	13,161	3,367	49	24	—	
Phi Gamma Delta....	57	24	27	17	9,979	3,009	43	16	—	
Phi Kappa Psi.....	42	21	34	13	9,806	3,819	35	20	1	
Phi Kappa Sigma....	24	17	9	14	3,122	1,536	14	3	—	
Phi Sigma Kappa....	19	6	—	—	1,551	—	14	1	—	
Pi Kappa Alpha....	29	4	2	6	2,427	307	—	—	—	
Psi Upsilon .....	22	1	17	1	10,428	5,767	21	17	5	
Sigma Alpha Epsilon.	66	28	16	21	9,383	1,218	40	20	—	
Sigma Chi .....	53	23	34	15	8,358	2,951	42	19	—	
Sigma Nu .....	54	15	6	4	5,357	238	36	13	—	
Sigma Phi .....	8	2	6	2	2,685	1,609	8	7	3	
Theta Delta Chi....	24	17	13	15	5,141	1,830	20	12	—	
Zeta Psi .....	22	10	19	9	5,924	2,876	17	10	3	
Totals.....	938	377	481	254	179,295	66,112	655	348	30	

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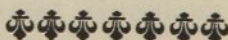


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