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The Great Karnea

A BRIEF RECORD OF HOW INDIANAPOLIS
MADE GOOD

By Harold B. Tharp

The Forty-second Karnea started off with a rush. The visiting brothers began to arrive on Monday. Tuesday morning the Registration Committee under the direction of Paul Jeffries was on the job; a section of the committee at the registration desk, on the mezzanine floor of the Severin Hotel, Karnea Headquarters, and a section at the Union Station at a specially provided booth which was flying the familiar colors, Purple, White and Gold. The arriving Delts simply could not get past this division of the Hoosier Hosts. They had to stop, receive a warm greeting, relinquish their baggage, climb into one of Henry Campbell's waiting Stutz motor cars, and be driven to the hotel—at least a block away.

For the benefit of those who in some unknown manner missed this committee at the station, a larger banner, bearing the sign "Headquarters, Delta Tau Delta, 42nd Karnea," was stretched across the street in front of the hotel. To those who were guided by this banner it probably looked innocent enough; but in reality it was put up and remained there throughout the week in violation of a city ordinance. It is a long story, but we will only say

that after spending a full day and a half trying to find the man in the city administration who had the authority to give out a permit for raising the banner, Bro. Henry Campbell finally called the chief of police by phone and told him that the banner was going up—city ordinance or no city ordinance. Up it went and up it stayed. This is just a little example of the extremes to which the Hoosier Hosts were willing to go in making provision for their guests.

With the first arrivals there was begun in the lobby of the hotel the familiar scene of old friends greeting each other and of new friends meeting, immediately to become the same as old friends from all appearances; and this scene was a continual performance throughout the week.

All day Tuesday the brothers arrived and Wednesday morning the number was augmented by the arrival of the Atlanta special, bearing a car load of loyal Southern Delts. By evening, after the arrival of the Chicago delegation, the registration number had soared to such a figure that outsiders thought the convention was in full blast. During these days the Arch Chapter was very busy with important sessions day and night. They hardly dared to leave their room, because every time they did each member was besieged by a host of friends eager to greet him, and it was with difficulty that their schedule of hard work was carried through. They, however, were not the only busy ones during these days. The delegates, anticipating that they would be confined to the business sessions beginning Thursday morning, spent their time seeing Indianapolis in the numerous automobiles furnished by the Hoosier Hosts for that purpose.

One of the most unique and most heartily appreciated features of the whole Karnea was the extension by every club in the city of all the privileges of its membership to each visiting Delta. The Country Club and Canoe Club



42nd Karnea- of DELTA TAU DELTA-

INDIANAPOLIS



BULLY
TIME!

BAH JOVE - THIS
IS A JOLLY GOOD
CROSSING



DELEGATE ROCKY-BILT
FROM "DOWN EAST"
COMMENTS ON THE TOWN.

SOME CAME BY GASOLINE -
SOME BY STEAM & SOME
BY "HOT AIR" BUT THEY ALL
CAME -



ORATORY FLOWED AT
THE BANQUET -

THE
KARNEA SMILE

GREATER
ACHIEVEMENTS



STRENGTHENED IN
FRATERNAL BONDS - STILL
WE CLIMB - -

John Stephenson - BZ - 14

Karnea Impressions

By John G. Stephenson, Beta Zeta

proved to be popular Meccas for the automobile parties, while the downtown clubs throughout the week at meal time presented the appearance of gathering places for Delta Tau Delta reunions.

The first thing scheduled on the program was the reception to the Arch Chapter on Wednesday evening. It was planned to have this on the roof garden of the Severin, but the enthusiasm was so great that it could not be confined, and the function spread until the brothers were scattered from the Inside Inn in the basement to the heights of the Jacksonian Garden on the roof.

The first business session was assembled Thursday morning at ten o'clock. Brandt Downey, chairman of the General Karnea Committee, delivered the address of welcome, which was responded to by President Curtis. From the opening of this first session until Saturday afternoon when the Karnea was adjourned the days were completely occupied with real work. Every minute of the sessions was so interesting and so much good work was accomplished that it is difficult to refrain from giving a full report of what transpired, but as this is to be found in the official minutes we will not go into detail. The Karnea went on record by the unanimous passage of a resolution as being in favor of any inter-fraternity legislation which will lead to the death of the high school fraternity system. Another important resolution passed was that favoring the discontinuance of "mock" initiations of any kind.

A new Karnea feature which was very pleasant as well as beneficial was the model initiation which was held Thursday evening under the direction of W. L. McKay. Verle Wise of Indianapolis, a pledge of Beta Zeta, was initiated at what was designated a called meeting of Beta Zeta Chapter. This initiation served the double purpose of providing the alumni an opportunity of seeing the

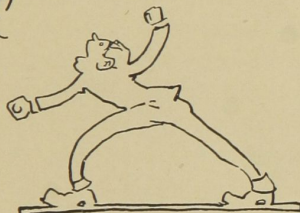
ritualistic work again, and many of them had not seen it for years, and of showing the active chapter delegates exactly how an initiation should be conducted.

This ceremony was followed by the Smoker. For this "Heine" Hoss arranged a program of Chapter Stunts which for real fun had the best vaudeville ever presented backed clear off the boards. The performance was opened by a sleight of hand act by Wood Nichols, Beta Beta, of Indianapolis, who by his baffling tricks proved himself a worthy successor to the master magician Keller. He was ably assisted by Mitchell Tillotson, Beta Beta, of Greencastle, Indiana. Next came the burnt cork artist, Reid Sprague, Beta Zeta of Indianapolis, with a singing and monologue stunt. "Bob" Heuck, Gamma Xi, of Cincinnati, brought down the house with his German dialect speech on "Patriotism." For an encore "Bob" brought out a chorus consisting of practically the entire Gamma Xi Chapter, and acting as professor led them in German comedy song. H. V. Higley, Beta Gamma, of Glenn Ellyn, Illinois, was next on the program with some very clever parodies. The performance was completed by a burlesque on "The Miserere from Il Trovatore," sung by George W. Kadell, of Indianapolis and Clarence R. Ball, of Lebanon, Indiana, both of Beta Beta Chapter. Their singing was really wonderful and they were greeted by bursts of applause which called for encore after encore.

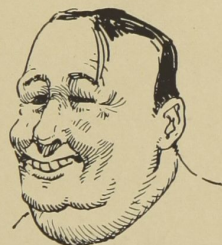
Friday afternoon a ball game between Toledo and Indianapolis, who were fighting for last place in the American Association, served to entertain those whose presence was not required in the business sessions. This feature took the place of the Fifty Mile Automobile Race which was scheduled for this time. At the last minute it was found that the repairs which were being made at the Speedway would not be completed in time, and the race was an impossibility.

JAS. B. CURTISS
IN "THE SEAT OF THE
MIGHTY"

THE DELEGATES
HAD A HOT JOB.



RAH-RAH-DELTA-



SHERMAN ARTER
OF CLEVELAND AND
HIS ETERNAL SMILE

J PL WEEMS-EARLY
EDITOR OF THE RAIN-
BOW, WAS ON DECK.



GOODBYE

JOHN L KIND SAID
IT WAS A GOOD
KARNEA -

BRO
W L M'KAY
OF
CHICAGO

BRO.
PUMPHREYS
OF
CINCY.



BRO BRANDT DOWNEY WAS
IN GENERAL CHARGE -



IT WOULD BE A SHAME TO GET
THIS PAIR WITH HATS ON -

Many chapters got together in reunion dinners Friday evening. Men whose chapters were not represented in large enough numbers to justify a separate dinner found a hearty welcome at some other chapter's festive board. At nine o'clock every one assembled again; this time at B. F. Keith's. The theatre was rented for the evening and a special bill was presented. The professional performers were materially assisted by several in the audience, who were really at times the whole show.

Saturday noon all assembled at the Soldiers and Sailors Monument for the Karnea photograph. After Bro. Coulter of Lansing, Michigan, had taken what proved to be a very excellent picture, the whole bunch, about five hundred strong, lined up for the Choctaw "Walk Around," and marched through the business section of the city back to the hotel. The traffic officers were helpless, but they took it good naturedly and smiled, as they saw that the "parade" was making a big hit with the crowds of Saturday noon pedestrians.

Of course the big event of the whole Karnea was the Banquet Saturday night, but the pleasant duty of recording the events of this wonderful night fall to a readier pen than mine, and the report of this long to be remembered occasion will be found elsewhere. After the big Banquet the lingering farewells held the brothers until the wee small hours of Sunday morning, but we are glad to say they were not "good-bys"; merely "au revours" until San Francisco in 1915.

Forty Second Karnea

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Beta Zeta.....	76	Upsilon.....	5
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Beta Psi.....	43	Beta Omicron.....	5
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Chi.....	13	Beta Eta.....	4
Beta Tau.....	11	Beta Kappa.....	4
Beta.....	10	Beta Mu.....	4
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Kappa.....	9	Nu.....	4
Zeta.....	8	Beta Iota.....	3
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Psi.....	8	Gamma Pi.....	3
Mu.....	7	Beta Xi.....	2
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Beta Pi.....	6	Iota.....	2
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The Karnea Banquet*

Ernest R. Keith

Beta Beta

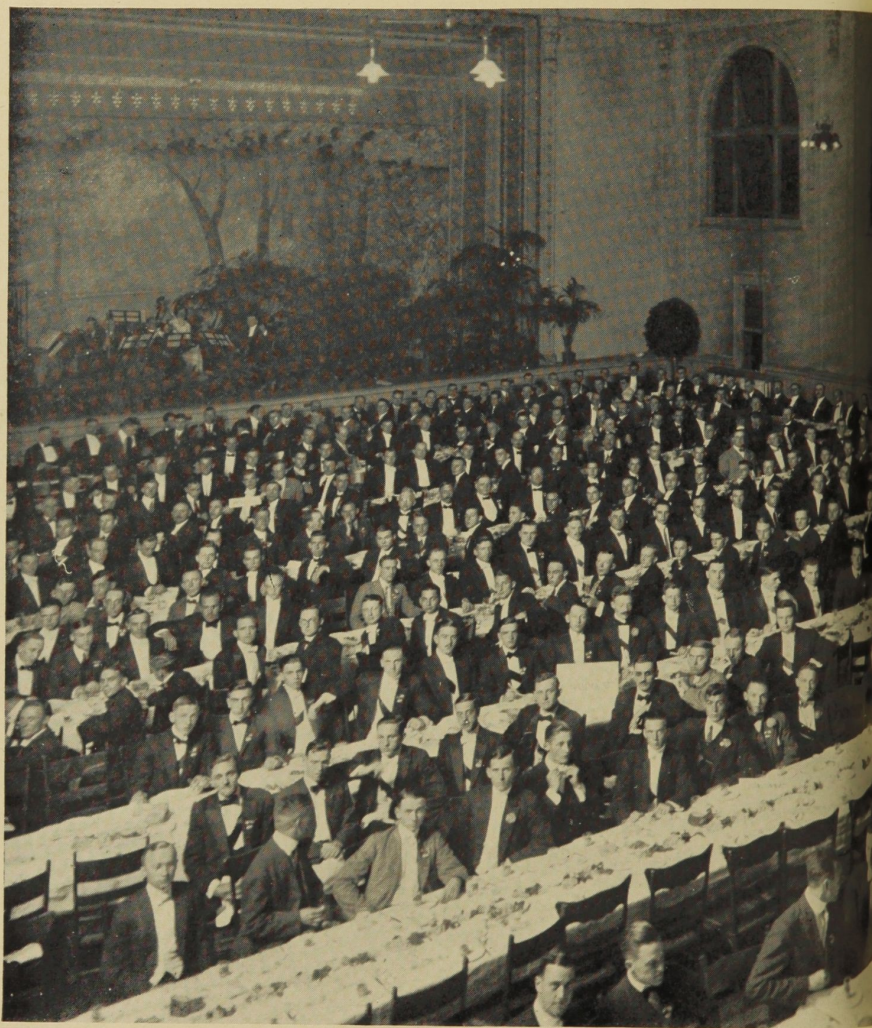
TOASTMASTER

Strictly speaking, a word of welcome on this occasion is as superfluous as it would be to welcome a man to his own home. For my brethren, one and all, this is truly your own home. Nevertheless, I want to give utterance to that which is in the hearts of us all, and on behalf of every Delta in Indiana, I bid you welcome—yes, thrice welcome.

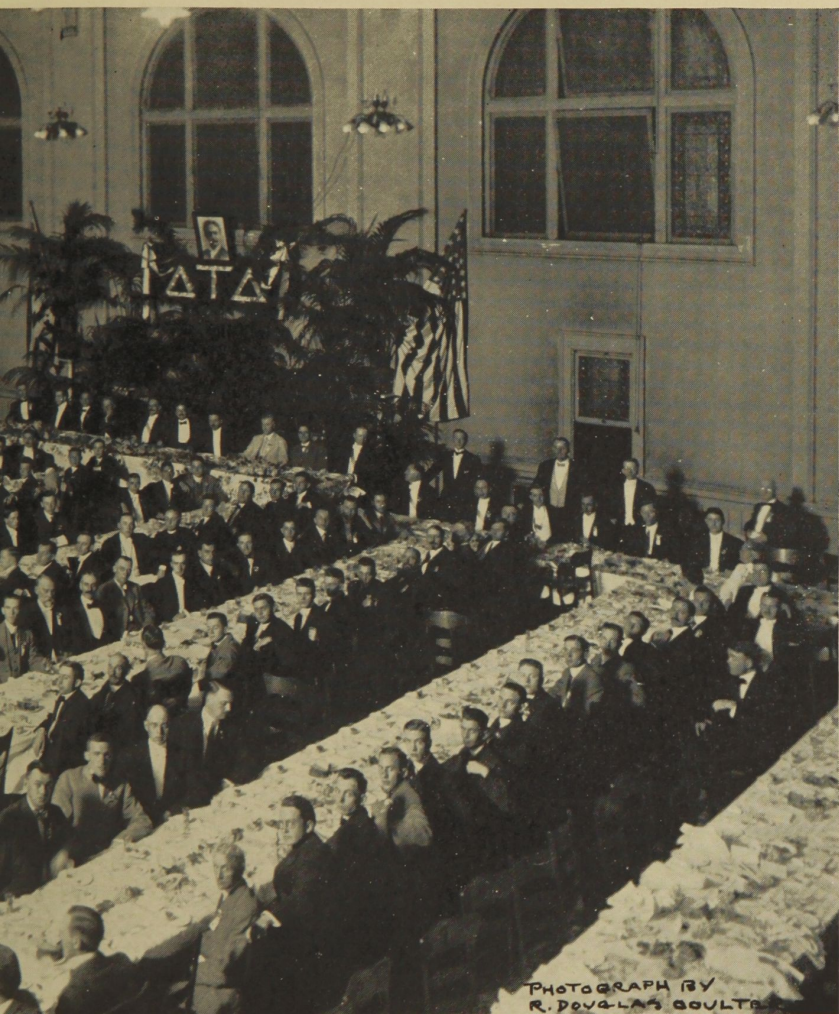
An old colored mammy down South has described love as “an itchin’ ’round the heart that you can’t scratch.” How aptly does this define our condition, when we attempt to describe our emotions as sentiments. And brothers, that is just what the American college fraternity is—it is a sentiment; a sentiment born in a human heart that longed for affection and companionship, and that is why it is not going to fail.

The founders of the American college fraternity were not actuated by greed or gain, but they were moved by that strongest human call, the love of man for man. And I affirm that instead of being one of the most aristocratic institutions of college life, the college fraternity is the most democratic. For it is true, in theory and in fact, that this is one human institution into which passage cannot be purchased. At

*EDITOR'S NOTE: We are able to offer the three thousands of our readers who could not be in Indianapolis last August a goodly part of the inspiration of the banquet by reproducing the excellent speeches, with the toastmaster's introductions. Each reader can supply for himself the lights, the flowers, the music and the contagious enthusiasm of five hundred loyal Deltas. Limitations of space will compel us to hold over some of the speeches for the January number; but we can assure our readers that none of them will grow stale.



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our door the descendants of Croesus and Lazarus stand on common ground, and each initiate must answer to our satisfaction the eternal question, "Are you a man?" Manhood, then, was the test of our fathers, and how well they have builded is attested by this splendid gathering here to-night.

It has been said that the American college fraternity is now on trial as never before in its history. If this is so, then I want to say to you that the final verdict will be a complete vindication. If it is true that there has been an indictment lodged against the American college fraternity, then on behalf of every fraternity man in this country I demand an immediate trial of the issue. And if we are going into this trial we will admit that as a human institution the college fraternity is a subject for fair criticism, but not a subject for extermination.

This is an era of criticism and review. We have it in the business and professional world, and the fraternity world is not going to escape—nor does it want to. And they are all criticized because they are human institutions. But the man or institution that cannot stand criticism—that cannot take the gaff, if you please—is not worthy to survive.

However, to my notion, the charge that the American college fraternity is going to have to meet is not in the form of an indictment, but in the nature of a slander. For slander is that invisible enemy of all human institutions, whose commanding officer, if he had the courage to fight in the open, might well be named General Suspicion. This jungle fighter, this invisible General Suspicion, has already camped his lilliputian army in the halls of our legislatures, and by sowing falsehood in the fallow soil of narrow minds has caused legislation to be enacted in a

few states that fraternities shall not exist in colleges supported by the state.

Speaking for all fraternity men, I want to say to the legislatures of this country that they cannot legislate love into the human heart, and by the same token they cannot legislate love out of it. Old General Suspicion has not yet camped his pigmy army in the Indiana Legislature, but speaking for every Indiana man who wears our colors, if this becomes an issue in Indiana, we pledge our services to a fight in which there will be no quarter asked and no quarter given. All we ask is that the opponents of the fraternity system come out in the open and fight fair, and the result will be a glorious vindication of all that we stand for.

But let us forget for tonight the slanderer and his vituperation, let us forget the white heat of business and its strife, let us forget that great competitive world out there, —and again get into the sweet spirit of our fraternal bond. For what man among us, no matter how hard the bumps or how rough the road, is not mellowed by the mingled memories that crowd upon him? "Men," said Dryden, "are but children of a larger growth." As the child seeks its mother, so we come back to the shrine of her who gave us our view of life, who gave us our manhood, who gave us that regal gift that kings cannot purchase, legislatures cannot abolish nor time corrode—that gift of human affection.

Human affection! Why, it is the very wine of life, and without it how futile is all human endeavor and worldly success! For at some time, whether it be noon or at sunset, in the life of every man who leaves affection for his fellows out of his life equipment, there will come a time when all the multitudinous waters of the sea will not wash out the "damned spot" of selfishness. Nor can such a man ever



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Beta Beta

build a monument so high that it will overshadow the heart hunger of him who has lived only unto himself.

Last year there stood on the deck of that ill-fated but now historic steamer, The Titanic, one of the bravest and sweetest spirits of all time—our own brother, Major Archie Butt. And when it came time for him to hand back his life to his Maker, he did it with a bravery and a princely grace that has no parallel in history. And why? Archie Butt had learned at our altar life's supreme lesson, that of devotion to his fellows.

Oh, my brethren, our brother, Archie Butt, in that unselfish moment, builded for himself a monument beyond the touch of hands, whose shaft pierces the clouds of the Infinite.

Lend A Hand

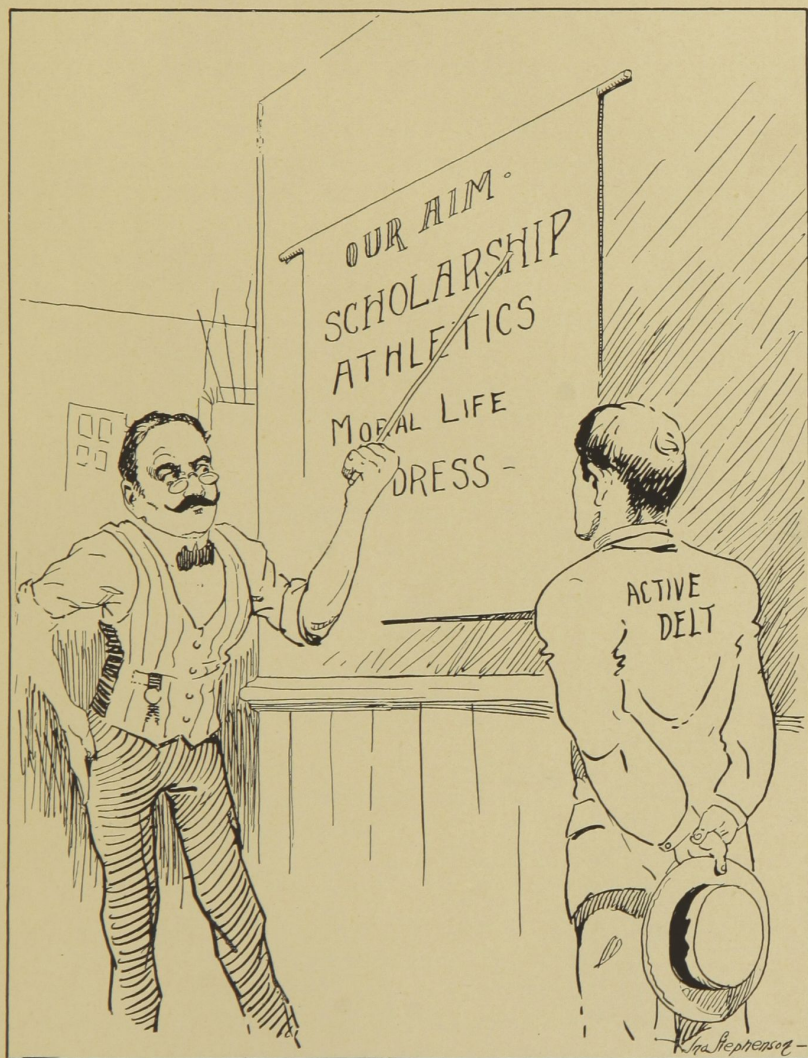
By James B. Curtis

Beta Zeta

TOASTMASTER—New York City is indebted to every state in the Union for its gifted men. This may be true because New York is so busy they don't have time to make them themselves. However, Indiana places the Hoosier brand upon all of her products before she lets them go, and Brother Curtis is no exception to our rule. He is on his native soil once more, and he comes back to us unspoiled by his honors. And we know that his affection for Indiana is so strong that he could not change if he would, and he would not if he could.

Now in contrast with old General Suspicion, that phantom fighter I mentioned a while ago, I want to present to you a real fighter who as our leader and President is doing more today, by action, by pen and by speech to place all college fraternities in their proper light than any other man in this country. And in this triumphant march of the fraternity world it is no figure of speech but a fact that Col. James B. Curtis, our President, has put Delta Tau Delta at the head of the column for all time to come.—Brother Curtis.

At the close of the last college year our Fraternity reached a high position. In scholarship it accomplished much of what it has been laboring for during past years. It attained a position of which its members may be proud and to which all fraternity men may point in refutation of charges against the fraternity system. The good which one fraternity accomplishes is beneficial to all with the same motives; likewise, the ills which befall one tend to degrade all. In fact the position of the National Greek-letter Societies has be-



Professor Curtis: "But the greatest of these is Scholarship"

come, very largely, a common one. They are laboring for the uplift of the student body. In accomplishing this, each one betters its own position and is beneficial to the other. In this common work it is the duty of each to lend a hand.

It should be an incentive to each one of our members to know that whenever he does anything which is creditable to his Fraternity he is, at the same time, advancing the good of all. This is a year in which our members must labor as they never have before to make the position of each chapter better than it has been and, in this way, to maintain the high place which we have attained. We can no longer be satisfied with mediocre work. We must insist upon the best of which each individual is capable. When we get this we can modestly accept the encomiums of all who are interested in better scholarship. To deserve these, it is the duty of each one of our members constantly to keep in mind our high ideals and, in order to reach even a higher position than that now occupied, each one can well afford, throughout the year, to lend a hand.

The very existence of fraternities was attacked by those opposed to them in many quarters during the past year. Bills were introduced in many states looking to the abolition of fraternities. Our opponents were satisfied to rest upon assertion, based mostly upon the old, thread-bare charges that fraternities were snobbish, undemocratic, immoral and do not give proper attention to scholarship. In meeting these charges our Fraternity was able to make a fight which was effective. This was due largely to the position we had taken for years and because we could point to a record already made. We were able to show that our arguments were not mere assertions created to meet emergencies, but that we had a record which showed that we believed in an uplift of the members of our Fraternity, as

well as those of all others. We demonstrated that, for years, we had been laboring to improve scholarship. We showed that immorality was not allowed to exist among our members. We proved that we believed in democracy in the Student Body and that we were loyal to the administration of the properly constituted authorities wherever it was possible. In fact, we demonstrated beyond all doubt that we were a great national institution, beneficial alike to our members, to the Student Body and to the institution where we existed. This record was such that it is conceded that we were able to do much towards the defeat of the various bills which were pending throughout the country.

These onslaughts upon the fraternity system brought out more clearly than ever the fact that Greek-letter Fraternities are not snobbish, local clubs, but that when they are properly organized and successfully managed they are practically groups of young men formed for the elevation of the members, for the teaching of democracy, for the development of manhood, for the promotion of the brotherhood of man, for co-operation with college authorities, for the betterment of the Student Body, for the creation of a better college spirit and for co-operation among their numbers, not only in college, but throughout life.

It was demonstrated that college students always have been and always will be organized into groups and that it is better to have groups under a national central authority than any other form which has been offered as a substitute therefor. It was demonstrated that college fraternities fill a field of usefulness in educational institutions; that their usefulness is recognized by the authorities of most of the great universities and that those conversant with the management of students are not opposed to them, but actually in favor of them. As intimated, Victory perched upon the banners of the fraternity advocates in every state

legislature where there was a contest; yet all of us must take the rumblings we heard as a warning, and it is necessary for every member of our Fraternity, as well as others, to keep on guard strong men who are conversant with the work and who are in love with it to the extent that they are willing to make personal and even business sacrifices, from time to time, when the danger signal appears. These men, however, must not be left to bear the burden alone. They must have the support of every under-graduate, and it is the duty of the leaders of every chapter to see that there are no laggards. These duties must be appreciated by the officials of all great National Greek-letter Societies and by their members. There must be co-operation. There must be a united front. There must be an effort for the betterment of conditions, so extensive that not a single fraternity will allow its members and chapters to remain in a condition which will work harm to the common cause. We, as members of one fraternity, can show our firm belief in this doctrine by demonstrating our willingness at all times to co-operate with other fraternities whenever it will result in benefit to all. In return, are we not justified in asking all of the others to "LEND A HAND"?

The Man and the Hour

By James M. Swift

Delta

TOASTMASTER—I want to admonish you to save some of your applause for the future Governors of Massachusetts, New York, West Virginia, Missouri and Ohio, who are yet to address you.

Once upon a time, a certain man in a certain state was elected Attorney General. He went back to his native home and the hack-driver at the station did not recognize him. This was somewhat galling, but the Attorney General overlooked this and proceeded to engage the hack-driver in conversation by remarking, "Let's see, this is the old home of Attorney General So-and-So (mentioning his own name), isn't it?"

Whereupon the hack-driver admitted that he guessed it was. The Attorney General then asked, "What did the people say when he was elected Attorney General?"

And the hack-driver shifted his quid and replied, "Oh, they just laughed."

Now the real point to that story is that it does not apply to Brother Swift at all. On the contrary, he has put Della Tau Della on the map in the great State of Massachusetts by giving to that historic commonwealth one of the ablest administrations of the office of Attorney General that state ever had. He is the man and this is his hour.—Brother Swift.

By what unknown hand my name was thrust before the Committee on Speakers, who in other respects have displayed remarkable evidence of discernment and wisdom, I do not know. Nor is it apparent to me now why I permitted the enthusiasm and diplomacy of Brother Keith to overcome my first declination of the honor proffered to me;



Hon. James M. Swift
Delta

to cause me to change my plans for the summer; and to persuade me to appear on the toast list for this most splendid assemblage. Contentious dissertation in the political arena and litigious castigation and exhortation in the battles of the courts do not necessarily furnish the desired foundation for the felicitous expression of brotherly love on such an occasion as this. Now I find myself about to be forced into an adjudication in mental bankruptcy, able to pay not more than ten cents on the dollar for all the good things I have received and enjoyed from the bounty and hospitality of our Karnea hosts. What overcame my diffidence, however, was the appeal made in the name of the Delta spirit and Delta's need, for the brother who is unwilling at least to attempt his best when that clarion call is sounded is not worthy to be enrolled among the honorable membership of the greatest college fraternity in the world.

Until this moment indeed, my brothers, the magnificent dispensations of our Hoosier entertainers, the joy that has been scattered with lavish hand on every side, has engendered in my heart the feeling that the young Irishman experienced after a few months in this country, where he had been working for a firm of contractors in New York. He wrote home to his brother Dennis, "Come on over, Dennis; this is sure God's country. I am tearing down a Protestant Church and getting paid for it." You Indiana Delts have shown beyond the possibility of dispute that among the vineyards of the fraternity world this is indeed God's country.

But in contemplating the lofty heights to which I ought to rise to do justice to this gathering, I haven't even the optimism of the man who fell off a twenty-seven story building and was heard to say to himself as he dropped by the ninth story, "Well, I'm all right so far anyway." Rather

I feel like the colored man on trial for assault, where the defense was that he was physically unable to have beaten the man whom he was accused of assaulting. When asked by his counsel if he had ever been hurt, he said: "Yes sah! I was a wukkin down in Louisiana and I done fell off'n a derrick, sixty feet high. Ah broke dis yah laig an' fractured dis hyah ahm in two pieces, an' Ah knocked out des two teef and mah collah-bone was broke and Ah had three ribs a-busted, and de fac' is, ef it hadn't a-been for a pile of bricks that sort of broke mah fall, Ah'd a-been liable to be hurt serious."

I see not even so soft a cushion as that on which to land. I must, therefore, proceed.

In good old Boston town there is published a paper of wit and satire which has a column headed, "Heroes and Humbugs. We supply the tribute. You apply the title." The opposite course has been followed here by the Committee on Toasts. They have supplied the title, to which I must address the tribute. "The Man and the Hour," certainly opens up a wide field for disquisition. Different people apply diverse meanings to even the simplest expressions, as the jury did in a personal injury suit. After staying out twenty-four hours, one of the jurors was asked what the trouble was. He said: "Well, six of us wanted to give the plaintiff \$5,000 and the other six only wanted to give \$4,000. So we finally agreed to *split the difference* and give him \$500."

Gentlemen, I hope you do not feel like the judge in a case Chauncey Depew used to tell about. One of his first cases involved a complicated question of law. He looked up all the authorities back to the days of Justinian and prepared an argument of several hundred pages that he considered unanswerable. The judge listened with attention for about an hour, when Depew saw what appeared to be a lack of

interest on the part of the court. Pausing, he said: "I beg pardon, Your Honor; but do you follow me?" "I have so far," answered the judge, "but I will say frankly that if I thought I could find my way back I would quit right here."

"The Man and the Hour"—to my mind comes the thought as to what this hour must mean to those good men, our founders, yet living and with us in spirit if not in the flesh, and to their early associates who have been able to be here and whose patriarchal presence here tonight must be to us an inestimable inspiration to spur us on to accomplish for our Fraternity as we have found it at least a tithe of what they achieved when they established it. As to the aged man appears some great knarled oak planted in his youth, so must the growth of our Fraternity appear to these, our fraternity forefathers. They have lived to see that their little seed of fraternity establishment possessed a virility and strength that has enabled it to become a veritable monarch of the forest, standing erect in the sunshine of a wonder-gazing world, its form illuminated against the background of the heavens, its tenacious roots embedded in the soil of ten thousand hearts, its broad limbs spread in bold outline over every section of our country, so that now and in generations to come, if we but discharge our full obligation, the sunlight of renown and honor will play upon its tender foliage and linger among its branches.

And to that other man, our president, what an hour of satisfaction and happiness is this to him! It has been said that it is not obvious what most of us are here for, nor why almost any of us might as well never have been born at all, but occasionally it is manifest that a man is sent into the world for whom an appointed task is set. And of such is James B. Curtis, of whom, his task attempted and achieved, this loyal band well may say, as was declared of Augustus of old, "He found Rome of brick and builded it of marble."

But it is not enough that our founders shall have impressed upon their vision an interesting retrospect and an inspiring vision of the future. It is not sufficient that the heart of our president shall be quickened and his hands uplifted by the success of this great gathering. To us, the representatives of our many brothers, what means "The Hour"? By what charmed word or token, like Scotland's cross of fire, have we been called from seashore, mountain, plain and valley?

Although accredited to old Delta, I come as a delegate from the Boston Alumni Chapter, and I speak for New England. From the humble, sand-embedded, wave-lapped Plymouth Rock, whereon the Pilgrims landed, to the lofty roof-garden of the Severin is a far cry. Yet the history of the greatest nation on the face of the earth is encompassed within the period marked by that stepping-stone on the one hand and this monument on the other.

In the colonial charter granted to Connecticut by the king, the eastern boundary named was the western shore of Narragansett Bay, overlooking which my own home stands, and the grant extended to the Pacific Ocean, then an unimagined distance in the mind of anyone. The author of an interesting volume, entitled "Book of the United States," published in Boston in 1834, within some 700 pages was able to condense a statement of the history, geography, physical and political, descriptions of the principal cities and towns of the country, and the biography of three hundred leading men. The western border states were then Tennessee, Kentucky, Ohio, Illinois, Missouri and the greatest in population of them all, Indiana, having the immense total of 340,000 people. Arkansas was a territory and the remainder of our vast western expanse then consisted of Michigan Territory, and the other territorial divisions of the great Northwest. On the south Florida,

consisting largely of swamp and morass, was still an infant territory. The volume closes with what seems at the present time a quaint and naive encomium. "We cannot close this volume," it says, "without avowing that our researches have led us to the conviction that the United States have reached a measure of prosperity never before witnessed on so extensive a scale. It cannot be denied that there exist in them a real and substantial equality of civil and political rights; a general diffusion not only of necessities but of the comforts of life; a high degree of mental activity animating the mass of society; not only a faculty of acquiring but the actual attainment of practical knowledge; and finally a rapidity in advance of population and of improvement in all the arts of life and society, alike unprecedented in the past and baffling conjecture for the future."

Yet, within some eighty years, within the span of the years of a single life, the territories have vanished, states have doubled in number; more than three and three-quarter million square miles have come under the civilization of the white man, an expanse of territory sufficient to include what was the Turkish Empire, Holland, Belgium, Denmark, Sweden, Norway and European Russia, and still leave nearly 1300 square miles remaining, and to provide for the entire population of the world, allowing to each person more than an acre of land for sustenance.

This country was established by a God-fearing people who founded it upon the rock of freedom of speech and liberty of conscience to be secured and extended, as they and their successors appreciated, through the instrumentality of education. And so in the westward march of civilization the school has always taken its place beside the church, and citizens have consented to be taxed that the great state universities and other higher institutions of learning might be created and sustained. Thousands today pursue the

curricula of our colleges where hundreds were thus privileged ten years ago and tens of thousands compared to a quarter of a century ago.

At the same time, for a considerable period, waves of unrest, political and social, have been sweeping through the nation. Great hordes of the uneducated poorer classes of all the nations of the globe have furnished fertile fields for the agitation of the malcontent. Under the very shadows of our church-spires has been echoed from a thousand throats the war cry of the I. W. W. "No God—no master." Before the doors of our temples of law has been waved the red flag of anarchy and the dynamiter has been abroad in the land. The ignorant and unsuccessful are arrayed against the educated more successful. It needs no words of mine to forecast the outcome of such a contest, but the necessity of the right outcome requires of us increased attention to our responsibilities and duty. The educated man will settle it. Brain will win over brawn—the pen will paralyze the sword. Henry Giles, in his lecture on patriotism says: "The measure of your duties is the greatness of your advantages, and the greatness of your advantages is the standard to which you will be subjected in the judgment of heaven and the judgment of history. It should be the labor of a genuine and noble patriotism to raise the life of of the nation to the level of its privileges; to harmonize its general practice with its abstract principles; to reduce to actual facts the ideals of its institutions; to elevate instruction into knowledge; to deepen knowledge into wisdom; to tender knowledge and wisdom complete in righteousness; and to make the love of country perfect in the love of man."

"The Man"—need I speak of our advantages? The college-trained man acquires or, at least can acquire, that creative training, that mental discipline, that intellectual masterfulness and power that will enable him to outstrip and surpass

his uneducated fellows. They should so broaden his mind, so inspire his heart, that he will be drawn to lend of his success and of his effort for the benefit of those who have not been thus advantaged. So, under the guidance of the men who know, may our great nation lift up its eyes toward the morning light of a new day when all men shall be brothers. "The Hour," for us, my brothers, trained in the spirit and in the discipline of real fraternity, red corpuscles of the life-blood of the true civic life of the nation, is for service to our fellowmen. And the reward shall be greater than the mind can portray!

The Melting Pot

By Ephriam Inman

Beta Alpha

TOASTMASTER—It is with great regret that I announce at the last moment the unavoidable absence of Brother William P. Borland of Missouri. However, Delta Tau Delta is always prepared for every emergency, and has within her ranks many gifted sons who are always subject to the draft and who always respond to the call.

And how natural it is, in this emergency, for us to draft Bro. Eph Inman of Indianapolis who as a leader in the very front ranks of the Bar of Indiana is honoring our Fraternity, which in turn honors him to-night. And speaking modestly again, if the State of Indiana will listen to our further advice we will present another candidate who will adorn the Governor's chair in the person of Senator Eph Inman, who will now address you on whatever subject your inspiration may suggest to him.—Brother Inman.

It was kind in Brother Keith to say those generous words of me. It is unfortunate for me, however, that his generosity tends to rouse expectation that I might say something worth the while. I have felt inclined to shrink from that responsibility which any man assumes in an attempt to fill the place of Brother Borland, whose name and fame assure his audience everywhere a feast of eloquence and thought. Being caught up at this late hour to flounder in the void made by Brother Borland's absence, I take it that the greatest chance for my salvation from failure in the task is to swing but for a moment as far as possible from the subject of the toast assigned to him. I regret "The Melting Pot" could not have been

brought to us under the illumination of the absent brother's mind. And yet, to all of us, there is some compensation in his inevitable absence, when we remember, as he realizes, that the most important melting pot into which his words of wisdom can be poured tonight is the Congressional Melting Pot in which the will of the American people is being melted and coined into the forms of law. And there is never a time that the Delta Tau Delta Fraternity, the greatest college fraternity—you said in America; I say, and then some—there is never a time when she is not glad to release her claims upon the service of her members, that they may do the nation's patriotic work.

And let me say, in glory to the heart and brain of Delta Tau Delta, that no fraternity connected with American learning can point to a greater number of real, magnificent men in the highest functions of American public life today than can this great fraternity of ours.

The Melting Pot has done the wonders of the world. In the broader sense, as the author of the little drama shows, the Melting Pot—America—has drawn within it the types and representatives of the nations of the earth, and in its process, leveling up conditions, fusing the myriad traits and hopes and aspirations of a heterogeneous mass into one great harmonious, homogeneous whole, has made the grandest nation of common hopes and purposes and hearts the world has seen.

The idea of the Melting Pot applied to this fraternal life, though narrower in the general scope, is equally impressive in the marvels of its working out. Collect the young men and women of the race, in the crudeness of early growth—in spirit vague and unrefined—and you may round them up upon the threshold of college life—and you may call them, for want of apter terms, intellectual diamonds in the rough. The sparkle often then cannot be seen, but

we know the sparkle's there. Round them up again when commencement starts them through the world, and the polishing process has brought the luster of the many hidden gems to view. This is the Melting Pot of college life.

But with all the refining work of a college course, there may be left the rough edges and the dross of character unrefined.

It remains for the Greek fraternity, intimately woven into college life, to put the finishing touches upon this candidate for the honors of the world. It is the warm hand of fellowship—in the language of the toast of Brother Curtis, it is the lending of a helping hand; it is the friendly criticism; it is the loving counsel of a brother, bound in heart to us by all the golden qualities of a true fraternity, that give at last the poise and polish with which the finished character treads the path of life.

It is the full appreciation of the light of truth, the qualities of justice, the constance of fidelity, the trust of friendship, the power of love, and all the lofty principles of the great Fraternity, steadying the heart and mind, that finally bring from out the magic Melting Pot the finished man.

It is first the impressive suggestion, then the steady pressure of those fundamental principles of the order upon the individual member, as we witnessed the other night in the model initiation of our local chapter, that brings their power to bear with vital, burning life upon the young, receptive soul.

In my view, no American boy or girl can afford to pass through college life without affiliation, if honorably possible, with some good Greek-letter fraternity, and, if possible, to enter the portals of Delta Tau Delta. No young man can find a brighter and a better band of men to take him

by the hand than that wonderful organization whose magnificent representatives are assembled here.

The moment of allotted time is up. More encomium on the order of which we all are justly proud will come from him who follows me. The Toast Committee wisely framed it so that the final word must pay the climax of homage to the brotherhood we love. They have fixed it so that Brother Kritchbaum can not even state the subject of his toast without declaring Delta Tau to be the greatest thing in all the world.

Suffice it now for me to say that we of Indianapolis have been delighted beyond the power of speech to have you in our midst. We welcome you, one and all, with open hand and heart, and when you go from us, remember you have honored our city and you have honored us. We want you to come again. And may God bless you each and all as you travel down the paths of life.

Rough House Initiation

By John L. Kind

Beta Tau

"When I was a child, I spake as a child, I understood as a child, I thought as a child; but when I became a man, I put away childish things." Who is not familiar with this epistle of the great Apostle? It seems to me that it is applicable nowhere with greater propriety than in regard to the so-called "rough-house" initiation.

Unfortunately, the foundation of college secret societies, being akin to and imitating the secret society movement in the outside world, was reared upon the bad as well as the good practices of those orders. Mock initiations and "horse play," carried on for the amusement of the spectators and perchance to test the nerve of the neophyte, were an old, well established tradition. As the elders whistle, thus the youngsters pipe. College boys have always indulged in pranks. Hazing of the "frosh" has been a favorite amusement. Hazing of "frosh" pledges was in keeping with college traditions and the secret societies of our fathers. The tendency in the development of the large university and the up-to-date small college has been to eliminate hazing of all sorts, and, where not entirely eliminated, to restrict it to the more gentlemanly, least harmful pranks. This tendency can be seen among college fraternities also, but there is still much room for improvement.

Today the conservative and advanced consign to the high-school "frat" the privilege of indulging in childish "horse play" in initiation ceremonies and rather expect members of college fraternities to be men and to put away childish things.

Let us ask this question: Is it manly to subject a candi-

date to bodily injury and torture, to humiliate him before his companions, to expose his person in a shameful, disgusting, disgraceful manner? If we care to answer in one word we must say, "NO." Then why not drop the custom entirely? You answer, "Tradition." Pah, I say, traditions only too easily become superstitions, and superstitions are frowned upon and rejected by the wise. Let us not be misled by mistaken outgrown traditions!

You say it is necessary to show the "frosh" their place; it is necessary to discipline them, to take the freshness out of them, to make good fraternity men out of them. But is there not some other way in which they can be seriously taught that they are freshmen, that they have their place as freshmen, their duties, yes, and their privileges? Not every freshman is a FRESHman. Some at least are good boys, anxious, eager to remain in their places as freshmen, to work, to serve, and to develop. I have seen only too many instances where a fresh freshman has been put through his "course of sprouts," has been humiliated before initiation, has been beaten and scourged, without making a better fraternity man for all that and without learning to know his place any better for all that and all that. Very often also the initial beating and humiliation is the last real attempt at discipline, and what was intended as a serious lesson becomes a joke in the memory of the beaten and humiliated. Often the disciplinarians are in greater need of chastisement for freshness than their victims. They discipline, not because they have any moral right to do so, but simply because they have been victims and now have their turn.

Further, this "manly" test requires a false show of manhood. Poor, tortured wretches grit their teeth and endure indignities for fear of showing the "yellow"; whereas real manhood would prompt them to resent the shameful treat-

ment to which they are being subjected and to teach their torturers that real manhood will not endure unmanly indignities. If a man's physical condition will not endure the severe test and he winces, he "shows the yellow," he is placed in a false light, he is looked upon as a weakling—and months, even years of sterling manhood in service may be necessary to eradicate the impression of the torture hour and to reveal to the older brothers, the inquisition appliers, that the young fellow is really a man of high order.

For the sake of manhood, for the sake of the serious lessons to be taught by the college fraternity, let us put away these childish things, let us be men always, even in our treatment of the poor, helpless neophyte seeking the shrine of manhood in the college fraternity. Let us impress our own manhood and dignity upon him, so that he may learn by following the example set by the older brothers, and not by forcing himself to forget the misdemeanors of those who ought to know better.



Harry R. Hewitt

OUR NEW RITUALIST

In calling to the Arch-Chapter as Ritualist Bro. Harry R. Hewitt, the Fraternity is placing the yoke of service on a man who has been continuously active in fraternity work since his initiation.

Bro. Hewitt entered Delta Tau Delta through the portals of Beta Gamma Chapter in 1897, and with two years of academic work in addition to his law course graduated in 1902. Through these years of active membership in Beta Gamma Bro. Hewitt was one of the hardest and most loyal workers in the Chapter. It was probably then that he contracted the habit of working for Delta Tau Delta that he has never been able to break himself of since. After graduation he remained in Madison until 1905, and was the adviser of Beta Gamma Chapter from 1898 to 1905.

In April of 1905 Bro. Hewitt moved to Minneapolis and in June of 1907 secured from the law school there his degree of Master of Laws. Of course he could not keep away from Fraternity work, and as soon as he hit Minneapolis he interested himself in the affairs of Beta Eta Chapter and the Minneapolis Alumni Chapter. Of the latter organization he has been president for several years. To both he has given his support and services in generous measure.

Arch Chapter work is nothing new to Bro. Hewitt, as he served for two terms as president of the Western Division, from 1902 to 1906. The record he made in this office and the fraternity experience he gained there peculiarly fit him for his new position. The duties of a member of the Arch Chapter are double—and his qualifications must be varied. In the first place he has to perform the specific

tasks assigned to his particular office. But of even greater importance are the chapter visitations that may be assigned to him, and his vote on the many vital matters that come before the Arch Chapter for decision. For the performance of these duties a man needs a broad fraternity experience, a level head, calm judgment, tact, ability to get the undergraduate's viewpoint and command his confidence, ingrained unselfishness and a deep-rooted loyalty. Harry Hewitt has demonstrated by his sixteen years of service for Delta Tau Delta that he brings to the work of his new position all these qualifications, and the Fraternity can congratulate itself on having in the official harness of its chapter such a man.

The Regulation of Fraternities

AN OPINION OF THE ATTORNEY-GENERAL OF KANSAS

August 28th, 1913.

Hon. Edward Hackey,

Chairman Board of Administration, State House.

Touching the power of the Board of Administration of Educational Institutions over college fraternities, I beg to say that the law makes a clear distinction between the power of administrative school boards over private educational institutions and those supported on public expense. All the authorities concede that the governing boards of private colleges, like Washburn College, in Topeka, or the Wesleyan University in Salina, may not only regulate but might suppress college fraternities in connection with the schools governed by such Boards. No such powers, however, are conferred by law upon the governing boards of public colleges, such as those under your supervision. While it might be difficult in advance for an interpreter of statutes to mark all the boundaries and extent of your Board's power to establish reasonable rules and regulations for the private conduct of students in State educational institutions, insofar as such rules and regulations may be necessary to see that the public funds thus expended are not wasted upon pupils whose conduct in or out of school hours is such that the best individual results in the case of each student are not attendant.

If your Board should find that a student was wasting his time in the work of a college fraternity, I think the Board and faculty, or his individual teachers, would have lawful right to order him to rearrange his conduct. But this would be no more true in relation to his connection with a college fraternity than it would be if he wasted his time in athletics, or hunting, or fishing, or any other way

not harmful in itself except insofar as it might detract from the accomplishment of the main purpose for which he is enrolled in school, *i. e.*, the acquiring of a well-balanced college education. This question comes up most frequently in the case of a delinquent student who is inclined to adopt bad habits or to take up with low associates, or to frequent places of ill repute. The court will always uphold school authorities in the making of all reasonable rules and regulations for the proper management of the schools and to secure good conduct and regularity of habits on the part of the students enrolled therein. All that the courts ask is that such rules and regulations be reasonable.

I would advise, however, that your Board's authority does not go to the extent of suppressing the college fraternities. There are even some limitations of the power of the legislature itself to do that, but with that question we are not at present concerned. The Supreme Court of Indiana has had this same question under consideration in *State vs. White*, 82 Ind. 288. It is said:

"A public university, endowed by Congress, supported mainly by State appropriations, and to which all inhabitants of the State of suitable age and character are entitled to admission, cannot require one to disconnect himself from the legitimate secret order as a pre-requisite to his eligibility as a student."

Doubtless your Board has the power to ascertain and satisfy itself that the students whose education is entrusted to your charge are neither wasting their time nor endangering their health or morals in their association with these college fraternities, and you may enforce your reasonable rules and regulations concerning their attendance upon these college fraternities just as all other disciplinary measures are enforced at State educational institutions.

Yours respectfully,

JOHN S. DAWSON,
Attorney-General of the State of Kansas.



G. E. Marlatte, Epsilon; R. S. McKee, Gamma Pi; C. W. Riley, Beta Pi; M. E. Shattuck, Epsilon; M. R. Reed, Epsilon; M. V. Shepard, Beta Pi; M. J. Walrath, Kappa;
A. J. ("Dad") Elliott, Beta Pi; B. R. Barber, Beta Pi; H. G. Smith, Beta Pi.

Delts at Y. M. C. A. Summer Conferenc

Lake Geneva, Wisc., June 13-22, 1913



Editorials



THE KARNEA

This great gathering of the clans last August has been fully described on other pages, but we wish to emphasize a few points that probably Brother Tharp's modesty as one of the hosts caused him to slight.

While the attendance at The Forty Second Karnea was not quite as large as at some of the more recent ones, the brothers more than made up in enthusiasm and interest for what they lacked in numbers. We doubt if there has ever been a Karnea where the brothers were so faithful in attendance at business sessions and so attentive to the various questions that came up for discussion. The comfort, privacy and quietness of the convention hall all contributed to the success of the business sessions.

We have always felt that a Karnea banquet is the very highest pinnacle of Delt enthusiasm and inspiration to which our feet can climb. This great love feast at Indianapolis was no exception. During the week of hard work we had been largely scattered in small groups and most of us had been too busy to get much enjoyment from the social side. But when Saturday night came our labors were behind us and the approaching parting on the morrow made us grasp but more eagerly the royal Delt fellowship of those few short hours. Brother Keith proved to be without a peer as a Toastmaster and the speeches as a whole were not only a feature that alone would have made the trip worth while, but each one was of the highest excellence—and all Delta Tau Delta. But our readers will have a chance of enjoying these speeches in this and the January number.

The Indianapolis brothers well earned their title of "The Hoosier Hosts." For hospitality was as never before the keynote of the Karnea—and it was a hospitality of the finest vintage. It began as soon as one stepped from his train. Any Delt who was able to get from the Union Station to the Severin without falling into the arms of a Hoosier Host must have had to drop off at the freight yards and sneak in under cover of darkness.

The entertainment was as well looked after on retail as on wholesale lines. It was not enough for our hosts to provide smoker, theatre party, chapter reunions and the regular forms of entertainment, they needs must open their homes and individually entertain in the most delightful manner small groups of the visiting brothers. An unique feature and an indication of the local prominence of our Indianapolis brothers were the guest privileges extended to all Delts by the local clubs for that week. Another detail of this perfect hospitality was the line of automobiles that was kept waiting night and day outside the hotel for the convenience and pleasure of the visiting brothers.

We have touched but briefly on the business side of the Karnea, and we will leave the brothers to read of this in detail in the regular minutes. But we want to say one word to the active delegates. The Karnea gave them a conception of the greatness of Delta Tau Delta that they never had before, it opened their eyes to the sacrifices their officers are making for the Fraternity, the full and free discussions on the floor showed them the why and wherefore of our well-established policy and the wisdom of such new legislation as was enacted and they received an inspiration for a still stronger loyalty and a more unselfish love for Delta Tau Delta. Now they should take all this back to their respective chapters, inculcate all the other brothers with it and hold themselves peculiarly and

personally responsible for their chapter working in full harmony and co-operation with the Arch Chapter and measuring up in every respect to the highest standard of Delta Tau Delta as they saw it exemplified at the Karnea.

So far as a chapter's standing in the general Delt world and its reputation with the members of the Arch Chapter is concerned, the secretary is the most important officer in an active chapter. A prompt, efficient secretary not only will call down on his own head blessings from the members of the Arch Chapter who have to depend on him for reports and other data, but his work will reflect honor and credit on the chapter.

When a secretary is inefficient or dilatory the chapter is really to blame for electing such a man to so important an office. Only a man who has demonstrated by his record that he will be prompt in the discharging of his duties should be entrusted with such responsibilities. Just one or two dilatory secretaries can seriously hamper the work of the members of the Arch Chapter, who at the best are giving their services to the Fraternity at a heavy personal sacrifice. A secretary who neglects to send in his RAINBOW letter on time delays the appearance of a number and works an injustice to 3000 of his brothers—to say nothing of the cuss words he causes the Editor. If a number has to appear without a letter then his chapter suffers in the estimation of the Fraternity at large.

In the last number of *The Dixie Delta* Brother Arthur N. Chamberlin has well described the ideal secretary in a fable. We wish there were more truth than fable; and although we fear that the secretaries who could benefit

most by this fable will be just the ones who will not read it, we reproduce it to emphasize the few remarks we have made before.

Once upon a time, so runs the ancient legend, there was initiated into the Fraternity a goodly youth, who after numerous trials and much chastening was elected to ye ancient and honorable office of chapter secretary. So excellently and diligently did he fulfill his duties that Bro. Kind in Madison and Bro. Rogers in New York lifted up their hands to Heaven and gave thanks, and Bro. Bruck did also bless him, and the fame of his chapter spread abroad in the land, and the members thereof grew fat and waxed mighty because of it. And the methods of this excellent brother were as follows:

First of all he used the stationery purchased by the chapter, for official use only, and likewise the postage stamps, and when a brother begged them of him he hardened his heart and said "Nay," but did lend the brother of his private store. When letters were received, he read them before the assembled chapter and answered them, not only speedily, but fully, and not filling them full of vain words, but bearing to the point. Whereat his correspondents rejoiced mightily. When reports came to him to be filled out, he did likewise, so that the hair ceased to fall from the heads of the Arch Chapter when they thought of his chapter. His chapter letters also were well written, not in haste, but with full details, so that the ancient brethren who read them in China and Patagonia knew exactly what was going on in the chapter. Likewise he wrote not in vain imaginings of the work done by his chapter, but told the truth, so it came to pass that his letters and the reports of the dean tallied, and thus did he establish a new custom, which will long flourish. When a pretty maiden tempted him from his labors, he yielded not and

when a brother desired to buy him milk and custard pie, he applied himself more diligently to his typewriter.

But eventually he graduated and was presented by the brethren with a nice new fountain pen which leaked all over his new waistcoat and provoked him exceedingly, but aside from this, he left a shining light to the new secretary and much mourning in the Fraternity.

And who amongst us can hope for more than this?

After having used Brother Chamberlin's material it would hardly be fair to state that during his tenure of this office in Gamma Eta he demonstrated that his model secretary could be made a reality—but our readers can take a hint. During our fifteen years' experience with chapter secretaries we have known many who have made our heart glad and greatly lightened our labors by measuring well up to this ideal. We only wish that the model secretary were the rule rather than the exception.

OUR FORM OF GOVERNMENT This editorial from the *Sigma Chi Quarterly* would indicate that the Editor is not quite up to date in his general fraternity information. The fact is that Delta Tau Delta is operating today under substantially the same form of government as that established in 1883 and there have been no essential changes in the Constitution adopted in 1888.

A propos of the many comments made by members of other fraternities with reference to the centralization form of government of our Fraternity, it is interesting to know that Delta Tau Delta at its Karnea held at Indianapolis, Indiana, in August took steps to centralize its form of government in a way substantially similar to the

Sigma Chi plans. Although this change was radical and tended to take from the active chapters many of the powers previously enjoyed by them and concentrated this power in a central body, yet the reorganization was not difficult, as more and more the active men as well as alumni appreciate the advantages of central control.

The Editor is correct in ascribing to us a strongly centralized form of government; and the great strides in advance that the Fraternity has taken during the thirty years that this form of government has been in effect fully demonstrate to us its value. A close student of the history of Delta Tau Delta can see clearly that much of this progress would have been impossible under any other form of government.

In this connection we have often had the suspicion that our undergraduates are not as familiar with the Constitution of Delta Tau Delta as they should be and do not appreciate in how ideal a way *executive* efficiency in the hands of older and more experienced alumni is combined with *legislative* power in the hands of the actives. This is neither the time nor place for a more detailed discussion; but perhaps at a later date we may have more to say along this line through another medium.

Space limits in this number have compelled us to save over a good deal of material for the January number that we would have liked to present at this time. But it seemed more important to give the Karnea matter right of way over all else.

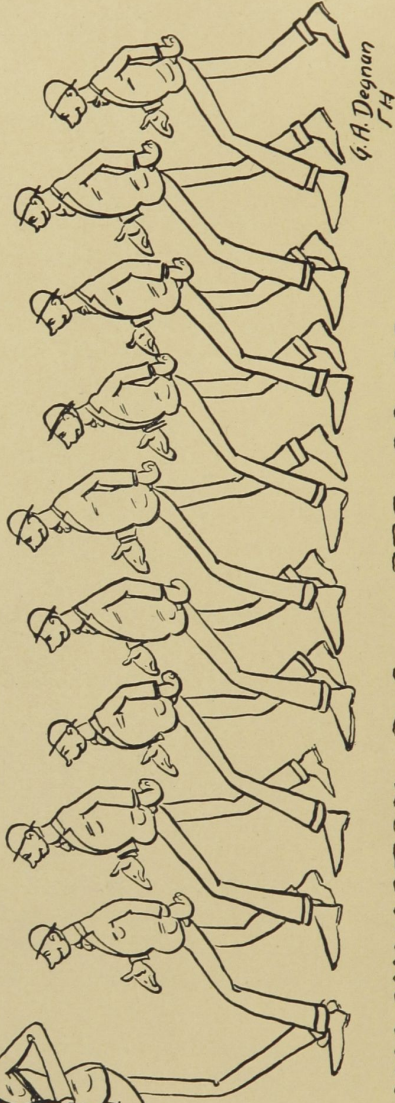
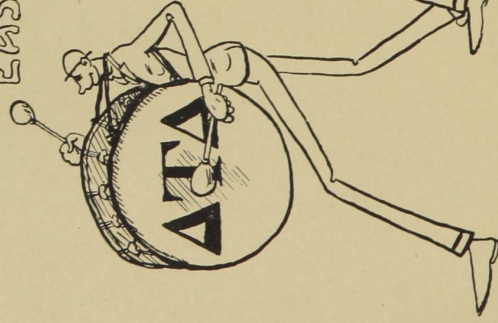
We debated for some time before we decided to reproduce the register of those in attendance at the Forty Second Karnea. This used to be a regular feature; but when the attendance jumped to nearly six hundred at the New York Karnea of 1905 it was omitted for considerations of space

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and has been omitted ever since for the same reason. Its restoration has been strongly urged by the older brothers. We trust that its value as a permanent record and its news interest to our readers who were not in attendance will justify the pages we have devoted to it in this number.

We again wish to call the attention of our readers to a publication for which every active chapter and every fraternity man who wants to keep well posted should subscribe. It is *Banta's Greek Exchange*, published in December, March, July and September. The copious extracts that we reproduce in THE RAINBOW are one indication of its value to all Greeks. The subscription price is \$1.00 a year and it is published by the Collegiate Press, Menasha, Wis.

Before these lines are read Chapter Tau will have had to surrender the Fraternity cradle to Gamma Rho at the University of Oregon. At this time we will merely extend to the new chapter a most hearty welcome to the ranks of Delta Tau Delta. A proper introduction will appear in the January number.



The Delta Chapters



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The Following Letters Were Written October 1, 1913.

ALPHA

ALLEGHENY COLLEGE

Alpha chapter began the college year with twenty-two men and the brightest prospects of any time in her fifty years' history. With our active and large chapter roll and the inspiration of the Choctaw Semi-Centennial and the Karnea still fresh in mind we expect a banner year.

Last year's agreement among the fraternities at Allegheny in regard to the rushing and pledging of freshmen remains in force, with the result that no new men can be secured until the end of the first semester. Our strong representation in college activities we hope will help us get the pick of the new class which gives promise of some excellent fraternity material.

Allegheny College is rapidly gaining in resources and is securing a wide reputation. She has purchased an additional athletic field which will be used for the first time this fall with the introduction of soccer football as a minor sport. The limit to the enrollment set by the trustees was passed at the recent registration. Among several new faculty members is Bro. Arthur Ruettgers, '12, who is

instructor in mathematics. The college is now looking forward to next year, the One Hundredth Anniversary of the founding of the institution, which will be fittingly celebrated. Under the direction of Dr. C. E. Hammet, recently of Northwestern University, football apparently is going to be very successful. Three games have already been won, two hard ones. The Varsity squad of eighteen men includes five Deltas: Bros. Arnold, Munhall, F. Ramsey, Cox and Bash, of whom Bros. Arnold and Munhall are star backfield men. To look ahead, basketball looks good. Bros. R. Ramsey and Cox will undoubtedly be regulars again, while Bros. Bash, Arnold and Colt will make strong fights for positions.

The local chapter of Phi Gamma Delta has under construction an expensive house, but from present indications it does not seem that the Fiji's will have anything better or more attractive than our own "old stone house." Recent improvements in the house and on the grounds make our position more secure.

We expect very soon to give our annual smoker to the Greeks at Allegheny and the faculty. This is the only affair of the kind during the year and is eagerly looked forward to by the other fraternity men.

This letter would not be complete without mention of our own celebration of last June on the occasion of Alpha's Fiftieth Anniversary. It was a gathering such as one finds only among Deltas, and especially Choctaws. The principal among a number of events were the conferring of the Choctaw degree and the great banquet. The former was performed in all its weirdness in a wooded ravine in the rear of the chapter house, while the latter was set on the broad lawn. The toast list was worthy of any Karnea. Bro. Chas. Bayard Mitchell, Alpha, presided over the speak-

ing while President Curtis, Ex-President Babcock, Bro. "Sunny Jim" Wakefield, Alpha, and Bro. David Jameson, Alpha, responded to the toasts.

We wish all our sister chapters and each individual brother the best in Delta Tau Delta.

HARRISON L. ASKEY.

BETA

OHIO UNIV.

The opening of the first semester of the school year at Ohio finds the registration of students above the high-water mark, and along with it an abundance of excellent fraternity material. Although Beta retained her conservative policy of old of pulling in only the biggest and best, yet she can report the most liberal "catch" in recent years. So heavily laden was the old barge that it took the utmost care and ingenuity on the part of Capt. Coopenider to make a safe landing. Probably it would not have been accomplished had it not taken the excellent "harboring" opportunities afforded at our new quarters, located at No. 1 Park Place.

Just a word about our new location—having occupied our other quarters for eleven years and being somewhat cramped for room, we deemed that a change and opportunity for expansion were not only necessary, but wise. This action resulted in the removal of ourselves and belongings during last commencement week to our present abode, a good looking, modern, fourteen room dwelling situated in the most advantageous position attainable for college purposes—being directly across the street from the Carnegie Library and the gymnasium, a square and a half from the athletic field and at a central point from all the other University buildings.

Now to resume our (true) fish story—after Capt. Coopenider and his crew, consisting of nine other (very) active

men, had given their "catch" a through looking-over, behold their joy and amazement—an even dozen of the biggest and best of that superior specie known as "Beti Delti"! Individually the English classification is as follows: Mark Henrickson, Norwalk, Ohio; Crescent Tewkesbury, Athens, Ohio; Roger Williams, Guysville, Ohio; Darrell Moore, Athens, Ohio; Ralph Hahm, Berlin Heights, Ohio; Dale Jones, Athens, Ohio; Arleigh Geib, Hartville, Ohio; Harry Walters, Portsmouth, Ohio; Walter Englehardt, Mt. Vernon, Ohio; Edward Logan, Athens, Ohio; Edward Hartford, Toronto, Ohio; John Goddard, Amesville, Ohio. Many of this number have already proven themselves worthy of the excellent qualities attributed to them, as on Saturday September 27 they defeated the sophs. in the annual sack rush.

Football is the chief stir in the atmosphere around here now. Ohio opens the season Saturday October fourth with Wilmington College, a non-conference team, followed on the succeeding Saturday by the first Conference game with the University of Cincinnati, at Cincinnati. Three of Beta's men will hold regular jobs. Bro. "Hoke" Palmer, star football, basketball and baseball athlete of Athens, "He" and last year's freshman team, will be on the right half. Bro. Hen. Eccles, last year's capable full-back will again play that position and Bro. Chas. Eccles will take care of one of the tackle jobs.

In other college activities Beta is also actively engaged. Bro. Henry Eccles and Bro. Coopenider were elected to the Torch, a recently established honorary fraternity. Bro. Henry Eccles is a member of the Students' Athletic Council; Bro. Blosser of the Board of Control of the *Green and White*, the college publication, and Bro. Siggett, athletic editor. In other activities, the Glee Club, band, Y. M. C. A. Cab-

inet, class offices, literary and other honorary societies, Beta's members are found doing efficient service.

We have been more than pleased to receive calls so far this year from Bros. John Finnicum, "Mike" Riley, Art Lynn and Bill Hartford, who were former loyal workers in the active chapter and who are still enthusiastic Delts.

Among the progressive policies of the University authorities is the constant addition of new buildings. This fall has marked the completion of a fine new \$75,000 Training School building and already excavations are being made for a \$125,000 Agricultural building.

Bro. Hughes '12 is now here with us rooming in the house and is one of Beta's most active workers. He is city squire and along with his official duties reads law under Attorney Foster. He is contemplating going to Harvard Law School and we should be sorry indeed to see him leave.

Beta extends to her sister chapters the heartiest greetings and the very best of wishes.

FRANK R. BLOSSER.

GAMMA

WASHINGTON AND JEFFERSON

The twenty-fourth of September, opening day of college, found ten actives at the Delta Tau Delta house, consisting of two seniors, one junior and seven sophomores. Several of us arrived a week or so early and got the house in shape for rushing season. Although we are severely handicapped by the loss of seven seniors last year, and considering that the freshman class is very small, we have succeeded in pledging three good men, a sophomore, Todd G. Truxall of Greensburg, Pa., and two freshmen, Robert Keck of Greenville, Ohio, and Paul Warnshuis of Indiana, Pa. We also have a line on several other good men who are entering the freshman class.

Last spring a rule prohibiting freshmen from living in fraternity houses was passed and this has been a sore blow to some of the local chapters. A move to abolish class scraps is now on foot here. So far it has met with much disapproval. We are sorry to say that last term we dropped from first to third rank in scholarship among the fraternities. However, all hands are at work now trying to regain our lost honor. The football team opened the season on September the twenty-seventh by defeating Mount Union 35-0. That is a good start. Coach Folwell says that we will have a better team this year than we had last, and that is saying a good deal. Gamma is represented on the squad by Bro. Moser and Pledge Keck. Bro. Moser was a first string man last year and ought to make his letter this fall.

The following have been around to give us a lift during the rushing season: Bros. Jackson, '07; Birmingham, '09; McFall, '12; Sherrard, '13; Gettemy, '13; Kennet, '13; Fulton, '13; Reed, '10; Moody, '12; Paull, '03; Patton, Ex-'12; Redding, '13; Thompson, '13; Gates, '13; and Gaston, '02. When you are in Washington, Pa., drop around at 156 S. Wade Ave. The door is always unlocked.

WILLIAM DUNCAN PATTON.

DELTA

MICHIGAN

Delta has opened her doors once more to welcome back twenty old men who will guide her through one more successful year. Every man returned full of life and eager to make this year one that will ever be remembered. We are pleased to have with us "Bart" Bertolero, one of our 1912 freshmen who was taken seriously ill and left school only a few days after initiation. "Bart" is a baseball gun of a high calibre, so we expect a lot from him next spring.

Delta up to the present time has been most successful in rushing, as ten men are wearing the little square button. We are proud of them for we know they are made of the right stuff and will make excellent Delts.

The prospects for a successful season in football are certainly great. In the first game of the season with Case Michigan showed a wonderful speed and aggressiveness, easily winning by a score of 48 to 0. Yost has an exceptionally heavy line this year but a light, speedy backfield. Craig, Michigan's star halfback during the last two seasons, has decided that his career as a football man has ended and is not playing this year. His work on the gridiron has been excellent, so we hate to lose him.

The date of the initiation banquet has not been decided as yet, but it will be held sometime during the month of November. The Chapter is making great plans that this banquet shall be the largest and best ever given by Delta Chapter. A great many of our alumni have signified their intentions of attending and we hope more will do likewise at the last moment. A number of old members will respond to toasts and a most enjoyable evening is in prospect.

The chapter wishes to extend to her alumni her hearty thanks for their co-operation in rushing this year. The rushing blanks sent out by the chapter were promptly returned with the necessary information given. This was a great help to us and Delta sincerely appreciates the part her alumni played in aiding the actives to select the freshmen.

November 15th, the date of the Pennsylvania football game, will be devoted to the entertainment of any Delts who find it convenient to be present and a royal good time is assured all those attending.

In closing Delta Chapter extends her heartiest good wishes to her sister chapters for a successful and prosperous year.

FRANK M. POWELL.

EPSILON

ALBION COLLEGE

The year has opened with great promise for Epsilon's success. Twelve actives are on the spot watching for likely wearers of our badge. And some very promising material has been gathered into our ranks. Pledgemen Harry Ort, Buffalo, N. Y.; Howard Keefer, Battle Creek, Mich.; George Marlatt, Detroit, Mich.; Harold Gronseth, Suttons Bay, Mich.; A. M. Darling, Jackson, Mich.; Harold Evans, Jackson, Mich. and Victor Dibble, Albion, Mich., are demonstrating to the college that they believe the Purple, White and Gold to be the best ensign on the hill. With these pledgemen we feel that we are getting some of the best of the rushing season's spoils.

Activities on the gridiron are prospective of a good season for Albion. Epsilon contributes very materially to this outlook. Bros. Fay Benjamin and Marshall Reed, last year's veterans, and pledge Geo. Martlett are doing fine work on the squad.

We are expecting honor on the rostrum. Bro. M. Reed is the most likely college orator, and will probably represent the college in the annual contest. Several men are planning on entering the debating preliminaries.

We are receiving honors from other sources also. Bro. Elmer Evans has been elected president of the senior class. Bro. Hale Brake is president of the Oratorical Committee. He is also president of the sophomore class, and Saturday the 26th he led his class to victory in a tug-of-war with the

freshmen. The pull lasted a fraction over five minutes. This is the second class in the history of the institution to have gained victory in this event twice in succession. The present senior class holds first honors in this line.

Thanks to Chapter Adviser, Bro. Chas. Loud, and to Bro. E. Adams, Epsilon's quarters have been made considerably more comfortable. A general renovation of the house is the result of their labors.

Plans for a fall auto party are under way. With Bro. E. Evans in the president's chair and a good supply of "pep" and optimism bottled up in every active, we are looking forward to a successful year for Epsilon.

WM. N. WHEAR.

ZETA

WESTERN RESERVE

Well, the unexpected has happened. We have at last deserted the old Dormitory and are now living in a regular house. After sitting around and talking about it for five or six years we just up and moved. Five of the huskiest brothers returned to school early to do the moving. They were certainly well trained for the job, one having spent the summer in a lumber camp, while the other four did work all the way from tutoring to farming.

Only thirteen of the active brothers returned to school this year. We lost four by graduation while two, Bros. Barstow and Needs, went to Dartmouth to finish their courses. The brothers who are with us again have already caught the spirit and as a result we have five men whom we can put the button on and we have strong lines on three or four more. We have not pledged anyone yet because there is a Pan-Hellenic rule that no freshman can be pledged until the second Saturday after school begins.

Football has started this year with a rush. A large squad reported and the competition for several places is keen. Zeta has Bros. Harsh, Nussdorfer and Portman out this year and between them they ought to help put several games on the right side of the ledger for Reserve.

We want to say here that we are mighty glad to see the way in which the alumni are turning out during the rushing season, and we hope to see more of them in the future.

Let each and every Delt who comes within fifty miles of Cleveland drop in and see us and make our house his headquarters.

HAROLD C. KNOPF.

KAPPA

HILLSDALE

Within a month of Commencement was held our twelfth biennial banquet, and the board was especially graced by the presence of Bro. W. L. McKay, as toastmaster. On the toastlist were the names of President J. W. Mauck, Kappa '75, and Professor John Tefft Ward, Kappa '67, a charter member. Many other of the faithful alumni and visiting friends were here, in addition to active men, numbering, together with the "sisters," about fourscore and ten.

The annual M. I. A. A. field-days (at Albion) in June brought the baseball championship to Hillsdale and a near-second in track; and Bro. Donal Jenkins was honored in his election to the baseball captaincy for 1914. The Simpson (all-around athletic) medal was won by Bro. Lyle Dickerson.

As a *resume* of the year, Bro. Arthur Jones, '13, editor of the *Collegian* for 1912-13, published a little pamphlet entitled "Kappa Klippings," including a cut of the group and an alumni directory. This publication was well received

by the older brothers and we hope has established a precedent.

Kappa views her "unattained but attainable self" for the school year (1913-14) with twelve returned brothers, a pledgeman and much enthusiasm. The new home at 126 Hillsdale Street is at once a joy and pride and becomes the *rendezvous* of seven new pledgemen: Chas. W. Pullen, Edward Crisp, and Arthur Coldren, of Hillsdale; George L. Mark, Alliance, Ohio; Winter Snow, Mars Hill, Maine; Glen Reem, Benzonia, Michigan and Howard C. Edds, of Sag Harbor, N. Y.

Bro. Cassius Coldren is the new Editor of the *Collegian*; and Bro. Earl Wilson is a member of the Student Council.

Our new coach, Chas. Firth, comes to Hillsdale from Central College, Pella, Iowa, and with a splendid reputation as athlete and director. Most of his student days were spent at Bucknell where he participated in all of the popular college sports; and he finished at the University of Chicago, where he played on Stagg's '00 eleven. Coach Stagg speaks very highly of him and in fact desired to secure Mr. Firth as an associate this year. The gridiron then is already the Mecca of the school's interest, and the squad, rapidly rounding into shape, gives promise of a fine contest for championship honors. Four of Kappa's "H" men have re-donned the togs, and Pledgemen Pullen and Reem bid highly for positions at half and end respectively. Bro. D. Harwood, Kappa's all state star and Bro. "Sherm" Wilson, her veteran center, have especially delighted by their return the hearts of all loyal Hillsdaleites.

There are a number of changes in the faculty this year, and several demonstrable improvements have been made by addition and reorganization of courses. The new "Christian Workers' group" which takes the place of the so-called

theological department—is a new departure, providing a four-year (equivalent—bachelor) course in Christian education for prospective religious workers, and others who may elect such studies. This will command a good following and Prof. Severn (Phi Beta Kappa)—the new professor to supersede Dr. Ward, Kappa '67, who recently sailed for Japan, has already made a place in the life of the school. The new plan provides that the professors of this department shall act as the “spiritual supervisors” and thus have influence in the moral and religious activities.

The registration shows another advance in attendance (which advance has been in evidence since President Mauck's advent in 1903) and a fruitful outlook for all lines of work is the universal judgment.

We have all been unspeakably saddened by the tragic death by drowning, on Sept. 1, of Bro. Milo Jay Walrath, '10, and it indeed requires a steadfast faith to reconcile ourselves to this terrible event. But we are confident that in the Chapter Eternal Bro. Milo has assumed his characteristic place among the elect and is realizing his rich personality in a higher sphere.

ALLEN F. ROOD.

LAMBDA

VANDERBILT

Vanderbilt opened September 17th with the largest attendance in several years. All departments are full and everything points to one of the best years in the history of the University.

Lambda Chapter had a very good beginning. Ten of the old men returned, and as a result of the spiking season we have five mighty fine pledges to introduce to the Fraternity, namely: Anderson, Preston, Campbell, Gold and Kirkendol.

Lambda has no chapter house this year but we have rented rooms in the Y. M. C. A. building on the campus and we are very comfortably located. The chapter is working hard to re-enter a chapter house next fall.

The Commodore football team is rapidly rounding into shape and the prospects are good for a championship team. Lambda has two men on the regular team, Bro. Enoch Brown, captain and right end, and Bro. Ammie Sikes at left half. Bro. Bo Preston is on the squad.

The Commodores have perhaps this year the hardest schedule of their history. This fall Vanderbilt takes on Michigan, Virginia, Tennessee, Auburn and Sewanee. It will mean hard work if the representatives of the gold and black come through these games victorious.

Last spring Bro. Enoch Brown was elected a member of the Commodore Club.

Lambda sends greetings and very best wishes to all the chapters and invites all Delts when in Nashville to make our club rooms headquarters.

HENRY H. JONES.

MU

OHIO WESLEYAN UNIV.

With fourteen actives and nine pledges constituting her working force Mu is beginning the school year under conditions which augur only the best. In our pledges we believe we have men who will make Delts of the highest type in every regard. They are interested in many lines of college activities, including scholarship, athletics, literary, debate, music and dramatics. Several have Delt blood running through their veins.

We introduce them as follows: Cyrus B. Austin, '17, and Lawrence F. MacDorman, '17, Delaware; Errol

Maugar, '17, Pataskala, O; George W. Secrest, '17, Coshoc-ton, O; Ralph O. Heatherington, '16, Bellaire, O; Graham Lynch, '17, Clarksburg, W. Va; Marion Cardwell, '17, Louisville, Ky.; Paul W. Anderson, '16, Topeka, Kans.; Merrill Shea, '17, Wilkinsburg, Pa. A large number of alumni were back for rushing, including Bros. Batelle, Secrest, McCabe, Compton, Hutchinson, Ruttencutter, Nourse, Dupree, Haig, Tarbill and Grove.

Mu has one representative on the football squad, Bro. Paul B. White, whose beef has been a large factor in Wesleyan's victories this fall. This is Bro. White's first year on the Varsity and in this as well as his two following years he should prove one of the school's most valuable pigskin chasers. Pledge Maugar starred in the freshman-sophomore track meet in October with his fast sprinting.

In scholarship Mu proposes again to capture first honors in point of the highest averages among the ten fraternities for the year, as was done last year. The new Pan-Hellenic system of ascertaining the kind of work done by each fraternity man will be given its first real trial this year, when it is expected to work out satisfactorily.

Bro. Tracey Jones, who was graduated last June, is with us again in the capacity of general secretary of the College Y. M. C. A. He is also taking post graduate work and assisting the football coach.

Bro. W. W. Sweet '02, who has been associate professor of history in the University for the last two years, has gone to De Pauw to take charge of the history department there. The actives greatly regret his departure, as he made himself at home at the chapter house and, together with wife, proved a delightful chaperon for the social affairs which come now and then. We have, however, a new member of

the faculty who is a Delta, in the person of Prof. Elmer A. Riley, Gamma Theta, '05, who is head of the Economics department.

Bro. Robert M. Grove is a member of the College Glee Club this year, while Bro. Guss is a member of the *Bijou* board. Bro. Ramsey is leading the college yells, while Bro. Heminger is a member of the *Transcript* staff.

The school enrollment is larger this year than for several years past, the freshman class totaling considerably higher than last year. President Herbert Welch is back this year after fifteen months spent in European study and travel.

A new fraternity has appeared in Ohio Wesleyan, Alpha Sigma Phi, establishing a chapter here after an absence of a number of years. There are now ten fraternities in Ohio Wesleyan.

We want to see you when you get within striking distance of Delaware. The key to the house is yours if you can find it.

R. L. HEMINGER.

NU

NO LETTER

OMICRON

UNIVERSITY OF IOWA

On September 15 Omicron opened its doors to the incoming freshmen. The rushing committee had information on twenty men. By the 17th there were nine of the old men on the job and work began. We took our time in selecting men and in doing so we secured a representative bunch. Allow me to introduce to Delta Tau Delta our embryo Delta Tau's: Wilber Cannon, Iowa City, Iowa; Jack Adams, Rigby, Iowa; Arthur Brown, Sioux City, Iowa; Carl Strieb, Iowa City, Iowa.; Roland Kords,

Mediapolis, Iowa; Romaine Henches, Le Mars, Iowa; Fred Clark, Waverly, Iowa; Bruce Snell, Ida Grove, Iowa; Lewis Schrupp, Dubuque, Iowa. Each of these men now have that good old Delta Tau "pepper," and are worthy to become members of that Fraternity.

During rushing week Bros. "Jim" and "Paddy" Clark visited us. Another welcome visitor was Bro. Roy Snell of Beta Pi. A very pleasant surprise to the chapter was when Bro. Heilman of Beta Pi called on us and told us that he was the new professor in Political Economy. He forms a new asset which the chapter surely appreciates.

The State opened "Curriar Hall" this year. This is a new five story dormitory for the girls. We also have a new domestic science department which is very popular.

As yet no definite figures are obtainable in regard to the increase of students. This much can be said, "It is the best year Iowa has seen."

On Friday the chapter held its annual rushing dance. The brothers selected the ladies from our abundant supply of *real* girls about school. The only thing to mar the pleasure was the grim fact that there must be an end to the evening.

I have been saving a bunch of flowers for our chapter, but I can not keep it any longer. We were able to attain the highest average in our Fraternity exam's for two years, and as a result we display the "Ritualist's Trophy." What is more, we are going to keep it.

In conclusion, we do not intend to extend an invitation to actives and alumni to visit us. That is unnecessary. We simply renew that invitation. The door is always open to a Delt and his friends.

A. J. FEENEY, JR.

RHO

STEVENS INST. OF TECH.

There is, has been and probably always will be one topic of conversation which is strictly taboo here at Stevens, and that is the opening of college. It is simply taken as a necessary, sadly lamented calamity, to be spoken of only with heartfelt "Sunday School" words. It occurred here on the twenty ninth of September and we haven't recovered yet. Although it was good to see everybody once again yet no one seemed to be able to get used to restraint after three months of delightful freedom to which the Karnea was a fitting close. If stories around the House are to be even half believed the carnage in hearts of the gentler sex must have been simply appalling. Everybody seems to have lived through it however, although the mail box is still working overtime.

Rho started the year with an active chapter of thirteen men, having lost only the five who graduated in June. From the present look of things we face one of the most prosperous years of our career. We have eight, with possibly nine, pledges in the entering class, which will make our chapter the largest it has been in ten years. Besides this, the House is full to overflowing and this means financial prosperity as well. Last year with the House full only a part of the time we laid by over one thousand dollars, so this year with two more men living here than the House was supposed to hold, we have a pretty firm foundation for our hopes.

Football season is fairly under way and we have two sure "S" men and one more who is the star of the scrubs, while Bro. "Hap" Trewin, the 1913-14 Lacrosse manager, has been buzzing around busily arranging the fall Lacrosse practice and games. As a result of the class elections we have the senior and sophomore presidents in the persons of

Bros. Trowbridge and Ashley with a fine chance for the freshman presidency in Pledge Hersloff. Bro. Collins is the new president of the Stevens Athletic Association, which is one of the biggest jobs in college.

In closing we wish to extend a cordial invitation to all brothers to attend our Initiation, which will be held about November the first, and to visit us any time they get a chance. Remember we are only across the river from the "Big City" and so just drop in early and often.

ALEXANDER R. DILTS.

TAU

PENN STATE

When college opened on September 17 all but a few of last year's men were on hand to help with the rushing. Bro. Fred Moffit is pursuing his course in medicine at the University of Pennsylvania, but the others returned within the first week. We are now started on what we intend shall be a banner year for Delta Tau Delta at Penn State. The rushing season is about over, and we have four good men pledged. They are W. K. Morris, Pittsburgh, Pa.; G. J. Sauerhoff, Haddon Heights, N. J.; W. Palmer Jones, Montrose, Pa.; G. A. Doyle, Philadelphia, Pa.

"Sonnie" Morris is a good looking, quiet young fellow who decided that he would rather be a Delt than anything in the world. Everybody likes his curls and his pleasing smile. At present he is trying to devise a way to escape from the army.

Jack Sauerhoff has taken the place by storm since he decided that he wanted to be a Delt. He is a regular dynamo and swears he is going to try everything in college. He has designs on a position in the Glee Club, and he certainly has a great voice. "Birdie" spends his afternoons on

Beaver Field trying to tear up the Varsity, but he says it will not tear. He has a few faults which he hopes to overcome soon; namely, his reticence and his dislike of all things Western.

Palmer Jones is a quiet, dignified young man who bids fair to become one of our shining intellectual lights. He hails from Montrose, Pa. but is well acquainted with the Southland. It has been whispered that he has athletic ability, but he has not yet had a chance to demonstrate.

"Buzzie" Doyle is a mighty pleasant chap who has only one fault—and that is his tendency to rough house (?). From his inquiries concerning dances, etc. we believe him to be a "social whale" of the first water. The sophs seem to be his great worry, and he is anxiously awaiting the coming of the class scraps.

We had our annual house football game September 28, and when the smoke cleared away the score was 53 to 0. The discussion as to which team scored the 53 is still on. Everybody is on the jump for college honors this year, and we are after first place in scholarship. We have already drilled it into the freshmen. Bro. Gauthier was elected Varsity baseball manager for the coming year and is now at work on the 1914 schedule. Bro. Ed Freeman, manager of the Glee Club, is kept busy with the affairs of that organization, and Bro. Bill Binder, captain of the Varsity basketball team, is beginning to round up his candidates in anticipation of one of the hardest seasons our Varsity has ever had scheduled. Binder has been elected to the Lion's Paw, senior society, a very high honor. Bro. Keelan is business manager of the *Penn State Collegian*, the college paper, and is a member of Skull and Bones, an honorary upperclass society. Bro. Cliff Lord is working hard as assistant football manager, and if hard work will get him anything he

ought to succeed as manager. Bro. Bill Gregg has been elected manager of the Varsity soccer team, Bro. Larry Berner is working hard on the football field as scrub center. He is taking on weight and will be heard from soon. Bros. Fleming and Kistler were elected to the Friars, a sophomore society, and Bros. Warner and Scull are officers in the Forum, the college literary society.

Bro. Jack McKeage of Gamma Beta was with us for a week or so after college opened but left for Cornell.

Bro. Chas. J. Davenport of Nu came to take up a course in Agriculture but decided to wait until next semester.

Bro. Hall of Alpha, now an instructor at Penn State, has visited us quite often and made a hit as referee of our football game.

Bro. Pattee of Gamma Gamma is back with us and makes numerous visits.

We extend a hearty invitation to all Delts who are in our section of the country to stop off and visit us if only for a short time.

L. B. KEELAN.

UPSILON

RENSSELAER POLY. INST.

Another year has rolled around into place and again "Castle Upsilon" picks up the reins. We are glad to find with us Bros. Semans and Cather of the class of 1913, both of whom had dropped out of school for a year.

The entering class of freshmen is extraordinarily good and we have been fortunate in pledging some of the most desirable, though competition has been keen.

Rensselaer's first football game of the season was played with Williams, at Williamstown, Saturday, September 27,

but we were deeply snowed under by a score of 14—0. After our Eleven have gotten into trim we expect to show that this score was merely a slip.

We are glad to see that the Institute is taking greater interest each year in the physical development of its men. A course in Personal Hygiene will be included with the regular gymnasium work.

Mrs. Russell Sage has presented the Institute with \$30,000.00 as a foundation for two fellowships and another scholarship has been added.

A massive gate of Harvard brick and iron is to be built at the Avenue B entrance to the campus, giving a finishing touch of beauty to that spot.

Brothers! the world looks bright to Upsilon. If you ever come within sight of Troy don't fail to climb up the hill and get a view of the Hudson River for thirty miles around. You'll find that our doors swing freely, for we never had a key.

J. HAROLD SENIOR.

PHI

WASHINGTON AND LEE

This session marks the beginning of Washington and Lee's one hundred and thirty-second year. Although the enrollment has recently been cut down there will be about five hundred men here this year. The Pan-Hellenic Agreement which was successfully inaugurated a year ago is in force this year and postpones the initiation of all new men after Christmas.

We lost Bros. Foster, Causey, Fiery and Watts by graduation the past year, and besides, Bros. Barbee, Boatwright and Newton failed to return so there were consequently only seven old men with which to start the year. To this number has been added Bro. Edmunds of Beta Iota.

Our rushing season is still on, and up to this time Phi has succeeded in pledging three as splendid fellows as there are in college: George Washington Faison, Shaw, Miss; James M. Faulkner, Helena, Arkansas, and H. F. Martin, Jacksonville, Florida.

Bros. Caskie, '09, Winborne, '11, and Boatwright, '15 came back for the opening of school and aided us materially in our rushing.

The football prospects look unusually good, since most of last year's great team is back, and in addition there are several very promising new men. Coach Dowd, a Princeton man, predicts an unbeaten season. In our first game, about whose results we were somewhat uncertain, we won from Virginia Medicos by the score of 27—0. Bro. Smith represents Phi on the squad and has a good chance for sub-quarterback, as his punting is especially good.

Bro. Kirkpatrick is the manager of this season's Varsity baseball team and Bro. McDougale is president of the sophomore class and is also sophomore assistant in football. Bro. Ramsey holds one of the highest honors in the University in being President of the Final Ball.

Phi was represented at the Karnea this year by six men. We are all looking forward to the joint Southern and Eastern Division Conference which is to take place in Washington, D. C., early in the ensuing year. Phi expects to send over a strong delegation.

In conclusion we wish all our sister chapters a most successful year and extend a most cordial invitation to all visiting Delts to drop in and see us.

H. L. LYNN.

CHI

KENYON

The eighty-fifth commencement of Kenyon College was one of great success, both to the college and to Chi Chapter.

Many of our old alumni were back, and at the thirty-second annual commencement banquet Delt spirit reigned supreme. We had "Pop" Pumphrey, Eta '74 with us as toastmaster and until way past the wee small hours of the morning we sat and listened to the reminiscences of the past and hopes for the future expressed by all present.

Our only regret at the close of college was that we lost by graduation Bro. "Curly" Wheaton under whose leadership Chi was guided through a very prosperous year, and to whom all the credit for all the successful undertakings of of last year is due.

Bro. McMaster also graduated, but fortunately we shall have him with us for two years more, as he is continuing his studies at Bexley Hall. By the way, Bros. McMaster and Wheaton were both admitted to Phi Beta Kappa and were first and second honor men respectively.

During Commencement week we pledged E. C. Welch of Athens, Ohio, who entered as a freshman this fall.

College opened with seven of the actives on hand bright and early. Bros. Langmade, Tiffany, King, Laney, McIntosh and Bramble were obliged to abandon Chi either for business or to pursue their studies at other institutions, but as many as could returned for the rushing season. As a result of their assistance and that of Bros. J. A. Higbee '01, L. R. Brigman '09, and J. D. O'Ferral, ex-14, we have pledged five more of the best men out of the entering class of sixty. They are A. R. McKechnie, St. Paul, Minn.; R. G. Rockwood, Elyria, Ohio; T. W. Christian, Norwalk, Ohio; S. J. Davies, Piqua, Ohio; and H. H. Bemis, Cleveland, Ohio, thus making six pledges in all.

Football is, of course, claiming much of the attention of the college and with the wealth of material we hope for a successful year. Bros. Tasman, who is captain of the foot-

ball as well as of the basketball and track teams, Gayer, our All-State center, and Wonders represent Chi on the team.

At the class elections Bro. Tasman was elected vice-president of the senior class; Bro. Wonders, chairman of the Senior Reception Committee; Bro. Gayer, president of the junior class; and Bro. Estes, president of the sophomore class.

For the first time in many years Kenyon has a Delt on the faculty, and Chi was certainly glad to welcome to the Hill Bro. E. A. Underwood, Gamma Kappa '05, who has been teaching at his Alma Mater for the past year and comes from the University of Missouri to fill the place of the Samuel Mather Professor of Romance Languages at Kenyon.

In conclusion we extend a cordial invitation to all our alumni as well as the members of other chapters to drop in and see us whenever they have the opportunity.

W. CLINTON SEITZ.

PSI

WOOSTER

In spite of the dismal outlook for fraternities since the action of the trustees of the University last February Psi Chapter of Delta Tau Delta intends to make her last year a memorable one. We have seven actives back this year—Bros. Cunningham, Taeusch and Pierce of the senior class; Deetz, Black and Kennedy of the junior class and Porter of the sophomore class. The mystic seven likewise appears in the number of last years pledges who are with us: Burns, Cuthbertson, Digel, Elder, Miller, Troutman, and Herbst. Every one of the bunch is getting into things and showing that fraternity men are the ones who lead in school activities. Already we have football captain and football

manager, basketball manager, baseball captain, Glee Club manager, and editor-in-chief and manager of the *Lit*, besides various class and school offices. Eight of the fellows are out for football and the same number for Glee Club. Besides these activities we expect to make a good showing in scholarship, so that in all branches of college life Delta Tau Delta shall hold first place for one more year in the University of Wooster.

We are living this year in a house much better and larger than the one we have had before, so that we expect to do more than ever in the way of entertaining. The only other fraternity to keep a house this year is Sigma Phi Epsilon. None of the other fraternities—Sigma Chi, Beta Theta Pi, Phi Gamma Delta and Alpha Tau Omega—have enough men in school to support a house. As a consequence, the men from these fraternities are very glad to drop in at our house occasionally to breathe again the atmosphere of brotherhood. We have found that there is indeed a strong bond between Greek and Greek. Finally, to all the Delts who expect to be in this region this year, we extend a hearty invitation to visit us, for unless something unexpected occurs, this will be our last year together. “*Nos morituri te salutamus.*”

D. E. PIERCE.

OMEGA

PENNSYLVANIA

School has started with one of the largest freshman classes that has ever entered the University. We have twenty men with us this fall and are all working hard to strengthen our numbers with some star freshmen; but according to the Inter-Fraternity Agreement this cannot be accomplished until the second of December.

We regret the loss of Bros. "Sikes" Tucker, "Bob" Trethaway, "Will" Price, "Jim" Maguire, and Rarl Billger. "Sikes," who would have been good Varsity football material this year, hurt his foot seriously during the summer and is unable to return. "Bob" has entered Cornell University. "Will" is assistant secretary of the northern branch of the Y. M. C. A. of Philadelphia.

Several changes have taken place on the campus. New walks have been laid back of College and Logan Halls to take the place of the old cinder paths. The construction of the new Dental Hall is well in hand, and when finished will add another attractive building to the University. The Dormitories have also been remodeled.

Since our last letter Bro. Rodman has been elected manager of the cricket team. He has represented us on the team for the past two years and enjoyed another trip to Bermuda this summer.

Pennsylvania's football season opened with the Gettysburg game, and from first appearances it looks as though Coach Brooke is going to turn out a winning team this year. Bro. Mayburry has donned football togs and is working hard for a place.

Although school has only been in session a few days, we have entered activities in earnest. Bro. Harris can be seen parading Fairmount Park daily with the cross-country squad. Bros. Cockran and Killgore are working for crew manager, Bro. Wagner for assistant football manager and Bro. Schofield is striving for a place on the editorial staff of the *Pennsylvanian*.

In closing Omega wishes her sister chapters the best of success for the coming year. Stop in and see us when you're in "Philly." Our door is not "always open" like

most of the chapters. It gets pretty cold here in the winter. But we will be mighty glad to open it if you — ring the bell.

W. D. GRUND.

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College has been in session barely a week at present and news of the chapter and school is still in the making.

Twelve active members returned to school this fall, besides six of the men who were pledged as freshmen last May, and who will soon be initiated. We have two affiliates this year, Bros. Merle Amos and William Ruettencutter of Gamma Delta and Mu respectively.

The rushing rules regarding freshmen proved extremely unsatisfactory this last spring, as they gave rise to much ill feeling among the fraternities and imbued the freshmen with an exalted idea of their worth. This year rushing and pledging of freshmen is to start simultaneously in May. Throughout the year no freshman may be rushed in any manner whatsoever by any fraternity or sorority. Sophomores and upperclassmen may be pledged and initiated at any time.

Wisconsin's enrollment bids fair to break all records this fall, over 5,000 being already on the registrar's books, and the stragglers still coming in. The fact that the out of the state registration fee is soon to be raised again does not seem to deter any one from entering.

Football prospects are of the rosiest. Our all western championship eleven of last fall is not all back, but the

coaches are developing material to help fill up the holes left by such men as Eddie Gillette and Johnny VanRiper. The first game is scheduled for next Saturday with Lawrence, but the big contest is the annual tussle with Minnesota, which comes this year on November first. This will also be the date of the big alumni homecoming, and Beta Gamma hopes to have a house filled to overflowing on that day.

Bro. Higley was Beta Gamma's delegate to the Karnea and gave a complete and detailed report of the work of Beta Gamma and the University of Wisconsin, besides telling us all about the wonderful spirit displayed by the thousands of loyal Delts who attended.

There is just as much going on at Wisconsin as there always is, and if any of the alumni or brothers who are in this part of the civilized world can possibly do it, they must surely drop in at 16 Mendota Court, where there is always a warm greeting and plenty of hospitality awaiting them.

G. M. MURPHY.

BETA DELTA

UNIVERSITY OF GEORGIA

The University opened this year with a decreased registration owing to the small amount of money doled out by the Mossback legislature this year. The only department showing increases being those of agriculture and education.

Naturally this did not do very much toward increasing our prospects as there is a great deal of competition here; there being, besides ourselves, ten other fraternities at the University. However we have pledged and initiated Bros. W. R. Wash, W. H. Quarterman, Nathaniel, Spence and Towns. We are also rushing three men who can not pledge till the first of October.

The boys who are back from the Karnea all say that they had a fine time and that the Atlanta special car was indeed a success, and all combine in praising Bro. "Pinkie" Zahner for his unremitting industry toward having Beta Delta send up a large representation.

Naturally we have not many events to chronicle, it being only the start of the scholastic year. However, we have several candidates out for a football team, one of them, McLaws (who was a sub. last year) standing a fair chance to make his letter.

The football team will take on Virginia, in Atlanta, this year and we hope to see a few Delts from there at the game.

Our alumni chapter in Atlanta has been started, with every indication of success. We are sure that it will do us an inestimable amount of good, as a large number of boys from Atlanta come here every year, and hitherto we have had no organized means of carefully working over the field there.

STEPHENS MITCHELL.

BETA EPSILON

EMORY COLLEGE

Loyalty to Delta Tau Delta brought back eight men several days in advance of the opening, ready to begin the new season with a rush. By opening day, September 17, there were ten true Delts in harness; and to this number were added later Bros. J. G. MacDonald and E. P. Bass, both of whom had been out of school for the past year. All were anxious to prove their devotion and love for the fraternity by laboring for another successful year and entered into the spirit of the occasion with an earnestness and zest that spoke well of our enthusiasm and was certainly encouraging.

The competition was keen during the "Spiking" season but we succeeded in rounding up four fine men. They are Bros. Harold Thomas, Baxley; Roy Baker, Alapaha; Henry Read, McRae; and Jno. Logan, Covington. We take great pleasure in introducing to the Delta world these brothers of whom we are justly proud. Bros. Baker and Thomas have already ridden the "William Goat" and the others will be taken in later. Bro. Thomas, a last year's freshman, is a cracking good fellow who made his "E" in baseball last season and will do the trick again this year. Bro. Baker, a fine freshman prospect, is expected to do the same, though we cannot say definitely as yet, while Bros. Read and Logan will uphold Beta Epsilon's usual high standard in the class room and literary societies. Although we don't believe in "counting the eggs before the chickens hatch" yet from the present outlook we may depend on landing one or two more good men before the "Rushing" season is over.

As to our sociability or "get-togetherness" with Bros. Burnside, Dismuke or Read officiating at the piano, most any time of day or night the chapter house may be heard to resound with the glories of old "Delta Tau." Should we grow weary of our five lusty songsters—two of whom, Timmons and Bass, are on the quartet—then one of the above mentioned brothers manipulates the piano, Bass takes care of the cornet and Logan the violin, while Hickson or Hudson exercises the drum traps.

On the athletic field Beta Epsilon will have her full share of representatives. In the Relay race which is to be pulled off next Saturday, the 4th, Bro. Lovell will run for the seniors, Bro. Timmons for the sophomores, and Bro. Baker for the freshmen. On the football teams Bro. Burnside, in the backfield, and Bro. Lovell, on the line, will play for the

seniors; Bro. Worley will play in the backfield for the juniors and we also expect to have a man on the freshman team. The season begins October 13 and it is generally conceded that the juniors will cop the pennant. This team never lost a game last season. The nearest approach to a defeat was saved by Bro. Worley's winning a touchdown in the last game by a 60 yd. run.

While Emory is not allowed to indulge in Inter-Collegiate athletics, she has all forms of class athletics and field day sports. And in this way more men are enabled to get the benefits from athletic sports than in the usual college athletics. Class enthusiasm and rivalry is running high and the field and track are full of squads of men training for the coming season.

In the recent class elections Bro. Hudson ran a successful race for Prophet of the junior and senior classes.

Since the opening of school Beta Epsilon has had the honor of entertaining three of her loyal alumni: Bro. Henry Jones, who is now at Vanderbilt and is to get his Divinity degree this year; Bro. Read, who is on the faculty of the Ga. Tech. High School in Atlanta; and Bro. Kelly, pastor of the First Methodist Church in Conyers. Bro. Crawley, another loyal alumnus, has been pastor for the last two years of the local Methodist church. "Happy," as the boys call him, has always been an earnest worker for our moral welfare. His brotherly spirit and advice in his frequent calls have been a great help to us.

Our prospects for the coming year are indeed bright and we are looking forward to a banner chapter. Of course we expect to maintain our present good reputation and high standards and also round up a few more victories not "for the honor of the frat" but for the glory of "The Fraternity," Delta Tau Delta.

With fond recollections of our great Karnea and our "Hoosier Hosts," we anxiously await the next issue of THE RAINBOW.

HENRY H. HUDSON.

BETA ZETA

BUTLER

The opening of the college year at Butler brought the return of eleven active men to Beta Zeta, and at the close of the rush for new men we had pledged Andrew Hopping, Gilbert Adams, Hollan Johnson all of Indianapolis and Bruce Baker of Fort Wayne, Indiana.

As is always the case the opening of school brought with it the usual football enthusiasm and prospects are for a successful team. We have already played our first game and the team showed up well. Beta Zeta was well represented on the Varsity with pledge Good, guard; Bros. Mullane, center; Silvers, end; Wise, quarter; Paul, half; and Pavey, capt. and full-back.

The chapter as a whole was greatly helped by having the recent Karnea here at Indianapolis and it has left a lasting impression with them. We have been benefited by hearing experiences of others and ideals were here placed before us that we hope to soon achieve.

J. I. PAVEY.

BETA ETA

MINNESOTA

Beta Eta looks forward to a happy and profitable year with all but two of her old men back in the harness again. The active chapter today is composed of the following men: John Jenswold, Thomas Beare, Benjamin Curtis, Clarence Price, John McGee, Norman Mitchell, Cedric Smith, Edward Buehler, Kenneth Urguhart, George Kennedy, Lee

Harker, Frank McFadden, James Rush, Carleton Boyce, Carlton McCarthy and John Martin. We hope and believe that Bros. Hine and Harris will be back with us the second semester.

Our list of pledges, which follows, would be hard to beat in any college—if you doubt it come up and take a look at: Rollin Kaiser, Otis Brewster, Roger Kennedy, Wilbur Price, Robert and Louis Benlpe, Harvey McFarlan, Eugene Hanson, Kenneth Harris, Gerald Lyons, and Ernest Bros. All are Twin City men except Rollin Kaiser and Kenneth Harris of Duluth, and Gerald Lyons of Cresco, Iowa.

Just to get things started we staged a very informal dance for our freshmen on the night of September the 22nd. The results of this rigorous test would lead us to believe that the entire crop of them will last the year out.

There are not a great many interesting things to tell just now; rushing and the confusion incidental to registering and getting things going again have kept us all pretty busy. It is interesting to note, however, that nearly three hundred persons were refused entrance to college because their grades were not satisfactory. Recent developments point to a big fight about this matter.

Football is of more than passing interest this year, for with last year's team practically intact we look for great things to happen along about Nov. 14th and possibly also on our two foreign invasions. We hope there are no Delts on the Wisconsin, Chicago or Nebraska teams; we do not speak in an envious spirit either.

In closing we wish to express our appreciation and satisfaction at the recent election of Bro. Harry Hewitt to the Arch Chapter. As a chapter of the Western Division we appreciate the honor. The St. Paul Alumni Chapter gave an informal dinner in Bro. Hewitt's honor on September 23rd.

FRANK MCFADDEN.

BETA THETA**UNIV. OF THE SOUTH**

Another year has opened and Beta Theta is on the alert to make this one just as successful as last year. With twelve men returned we are not anxious to make a large numerical showing so much as to inspire our present brothers more thoroughly with the ideals of Deltaism. Progressive efficiency is our slogan, and results will prove its wisdom.

Following the new rushing plan adopted by the Inter-Fraternity Conference, only four days were allowed before "spiking day." With a large freshman class, all fraternities were quite swamped by the influx, and it was a difficult matter to decide what men to bid. Beta Theta pledged two of the group whom they judged to be the best, and in the aftermath following such rapid-fire bidding have found their judgment more than verified. The two new brothers in the Delta world are Basil M. Walton of North Carolina and Joseph W. Murphy of Tennessee. Bro. Walton attended the University of North Carolina for two years, and enters the University of the South as a junior. He is a thorough-going student, an excellent football player, congenial and bids fair to fill all requirements of a Delt. Bro. Murphy enters the freshman class, with an enviable preparatory school record behind him. With four years of college work before him, he has excellent prospects to make a creditable showing for himself and his chapter.

On the athletic field Beta Theta is still strongly represented. Last year we had six S's of the thirteen that were granted, but as Bros. Smith and Stoney graduated, and as Bros. Ham and Sheldon did not return, we only have two regular men at the opening of practise. However, Bros. Horner, Nelson, Russey and Walton who are on the squad, should succeed in achieving new honors for us. Bro.

Faucett has been made Gymnasium Director for the coming year. Tennis, basketball, track and baseball are still before us, and rest assured Beta Theta will have candidates at least for every squad.

Once again Bro. Middleton has been chosen as Choir and Glee Club Director. Bro. Sutcliffe, who has returned this year to take post graduate studies, will miss the first month of school, as he is in charge of St. Paul's Parish, Chattanooga, Tenn. during the absence of the rector. Among Beta Theta alumni, we are proud to write that three of our most prominent and best loved will be on the Mountain with us. Bro. Juhan, '10, has returned as chaplain of the Seawanee Military Academy and line coach of the football team. Bro. Cannon, '06, gave up a most successful charge in Memphis, Tenn. to become the chaplain of the University. Bro. Wright, 1885, has received a call to Otey Memorial Church, the parish for the residents of the Mountain, and to the gratification of all, has accepted. Bro. Wright was one of the founders of the chapter and will be a wonderful asset to our work.

Bro. Sutcliffe and Bro. Nelson, returning from Indianapolis at the time when Beta Theta is brimming over with Delta enthusiasm, have so aroused us that nothing seems impossible to Beta Theta. Such bees as remodelling of the house, new pool table, alumni letters, highest scholastic record, etc., are buzzing around in our bonnets; and we confidently hope to look back with satisfaction at commencement to plans that we are now contemplating with eager anticipation. Fellow Deltas—let us determine on a year of advancement in every phase of Deltaism; and when the school-year 1913-14 closes let a critical world be unable to score Delta Tau Delta: rather compel fraternity critics to grant that such chapters as we possess forever justify our existence. Beta Theta announces to all broth-

ers a true Southern welcome if they ever find the opportunity to visit our Mountain.

CLEMENT W. HAMMOND.

BETA IOTA

VIRGINIA

With fresh energy and new speed Beta Iota begins this year with the hope and expectation of having it the best and most successful in its history.

The messages sent from the Karnea form an ever present stimulus for hard work and renewed vigor towards attaining the fulfillment of the wishes of those who are loyal to the Fraternity and who desire to make the Fraternity all that fraternities should be in the Greek letter world and among institutions of learning in the United States.

Beta Iota opened with eleven old men and to her numbers is added one transfer, Bro. LeRoy Taylor Kincannon of the famous Chapter Pi of the University of Mississippi, which is now extinct because of the laws of Mississippi. Also we take great pleasure in introducing into the Fraternity six new goats of the freshman class. They are: Peyton Evans, Charley Shield, Jack Shepherd, William Simmes, Jim Sharp, Tom Shackleford. These freshmen are men from whom we expect the highest honors that freshmen can attain.

The University of Virginia opened in September with increased numbers and is starting the year with the largest enrollment in the history of the institution. The football team has good prospects and with Bro. Warner assistant coach and Bro. Cooch the general of the team, there is no reason why we should not have a most successful season.

All students are interested in the record of Bro. Eppa Rixey, the renowned "southpaw" of the Philadelphia

Nationals, who stands at the head of all college men when it comes to "doing things."

Bro. Lewis Crenshaw has been made alumni secretary of the University, and is living in the house with us. To his loyalty we owe our present sound financial basis.

In closing Beta Iota extends a hearty welcome to all brothers and especially to those who are numbered among the alumni of the historic University of Virginia.

H. H. BALCH.

BETA KAPPA

COLORADO

Thirty years ago, in the days when the registration numbered about five score and five, Beta Kappa Chapter of Delta Tau Delta was established and set adrift upon the sea of college and fraternity life. Today, with the enrollment of the University of Colorado close to thirteen hundred, Beta Kappa Chapter finds herself safely anchored and docked in a very secure position both in college and fraternity life. We hope that the Deltas of thirty years ago will feel a sense of pride when they read that the only chapter between Missouri and California has prospered and and is keeping alive the spirit and traditions initiated years ago.

September 8 marked the opening of the fall semester and with it the return of seventeen Delts who came scampering across the continent in a wild scramble to keep within the "fine limit." And happily to say every one of the men arrived just in time to don working clothes and get busy cleaning the house. By the time the vanguard of the freshman class stepped off at the University station we were ready for them and before long had secured seven or eight future Delts. As Beta Kappa has always held rather a

large chapter we began looking about for one or two new men and found them shortly. At present we number twenty-seven men, compare favorably with the other fraternities here and look for another of the "good years" that every crowd boasts of to the other brothers.

We were especially fortunate in returning men who have been prominent in school activities and hope to shunt the pledges into the places we will leave open when we graduate. And to aid in the "shunting" process the new material has acquired a world of ambition and have organized the "freshman gang" which meets every Monday night after meeting and conspires against the dignity of the upper classmen. It certainly looks good to glance down the long table at dinner and see the men who in a few years will be greeting us as alumni and telling us about the great improvements they have made in the chapter.

But first to enumerate the old men and give a brief thumb-nail sketch of who they are and what. Bros. Ullery, Webber, Divisek, L. Shattuck and Lewis comprise our senior class and all expect to make our bow to "Prexy" next June. Bro. Ullery is digging around among the bones and germs of the medic department and represents us in Phi Rho Sigma. Also he manages to keep his name on the roll call of several school organizations and has given evidences of being a ward heeler in politics. Bro. Webber, our genial house manager, has combined with the God Pan to hand out rational rations three times a day and has already established a reputation as a bountiful giver. At the same time he is our candidate in the Vulcan Society and Tau Beta Phi. Bro. Divisek, who made his letter in basketball the last two years, is out for football this fall and has been placed on the training table by Coach Folsom. "Divi" looks good to the rooters and will no doubt stand among the lucky dogs who get their "C" this year. He also

expects to add a third basketball trophy to his list of laurels as he is one of the best forwards in the state conference. Bro. Shattuck finds time to lead the String Quartette, plucks down a few "A's" in the engineering school and expects to try out for a place in the Dramatic Club play this season. Bro. Lewis is rapidly achieving success in higher "math," writes a few editorials for the college paper and will vie with Bro. Shattuck for that place in the play.

The junior squad also numbers five men who are up and doing. Bro. Taylor who claims Congressman Taylor of Colorado for his "pater" is chairman of the Junior Prom. this year and is busy designing the decorations which he says will top them all. Torch and Shield, the sophomore class society, looks to him to run the "steam-rolling" tactics of that organization. This fall he was elected to Sumalia, the Junior society.

Bros. Park and Gilland are engineers. They can't help it and to help rub out the stigma are live wires around school. Parks "shoots" trouble in the summer time for the Arizona Power Company and to liven the winter shadows drops around to the Vulcan Society, the Arch sophomore organization and one or two class committees. Bro. Herbert Spring ran a saw mill in Steamboat Springs during the vacation and so knows how to saw wood in college. This year he took up law and had been in this vocation only a few minutes when the Phi Delta Phis came around and asked him to be one of them. Because of his seniority he can give advice to his brother Arches and wields a heavy hand at initiations. Bro. Burtis Shattuck continues to be the "shark" of his class in studies, has appropriated a corner of the library for his private use, and joins the alumni of the Torch and Shield this fall. As he goes out of the sophomore society he enters Sumalia, the junior organization.

The sophomores are just past the stage of "freshman-dom" and have made it their special duty to see that the "frosh" get theirs. And considering how they were initiated into the mysteries of fire, water and brimstone last year we look for a strenuous application of that "special duty" stunt. Bro. Weimer plays the piano to every tune that ever was invented, will carry the snare drum in the band and carries the psuedo-tenor in the chapter Glee Club. Bro. Hudgins, who hails from Texas, has successfully gotten to the finals in the fall tennis tournament but looks for stormy weather ahead when he meets the "champ" of the school. Bro. Walter Spring, after digging post-holes for the summer, comes back with 185 pounds of beef to make the Varsity team. He has one foot now on the guard position and should wade the Miners and the Aggies to his heart's content. Also he is booked to heave the discus and the hammer in track this spring. Bro. Orr who made the Varsity baseball team last year at first base and won the prize for base-stealing will again scoop them up when practice begins. At the present time he runs the physical department of the Y. M. C. A. and coaches the "Prep" basketball five. Bro. Way took a ten thousand mile automobile trip this summer and landed in Karnea Town for the celebration. Bro. Hart, who once aspired for the fame and uniform of West Point, returned after a semester's absence and is taking up engineering. To complete this "crack" bunch we must add that Bros. Weimer, Spring and Hudgins belong to the active society of the Arch and that Bro. Sheldahl holds the same position in Torch and Shield.

Let me say just a word about the new men. There are ten of them and promising. Four will make the freshman team, Dineen, Maupin, Nelson and Wendell. In last week's game they all starred and have the makings of future

Varsity material. To name them over: Howard Parker comes to us from Denver and will develop into one of the "long-heads" of school before he leaves. John Bond from the same town is fat and dresses like a millionaire. Robert Merritt, who broke the state record in high school last spring for the half mile dash expects to patter the track when the sun gets warm. His time was 2:06, which isn't so bad. Arnold Maupin and Kenneth Smith dropped in from Glenwood Springs and are athletes. Maupin plays end on the first year team and Smith has the promise of a basketball career before him. Kline Grieb is a Philadelphia boy and went to Pennsylvania last year. He takes Weimer's place at the piano and has been pledged to Torch and Shield. David Nelson, who is filling the fullback position on the freshman team, spent a year or so in the Panama Canal Zone and so is a much traveled boy. They say he was champion wrestler of his weight and from the way he plays ball we do not doubt it. Maurice Dineen is a Cheyenne product and holds down a guard position with his other brothers. Phillip Brown of Silverton and William Wendell of Milwaukee make the ninth and tenth pledges and are finds.

As usual we are interested in football and look for a winning team and a clean slate. We play Utah, Wyoming, Oklahoma, Colorado Aggies, State School of Mines, and Denver University. With the exception of the Denver game and the Wyoming tussle the schedule is a stiff one and will prove the mettle of the team.

Before the next chapter letter comes out we will have begun the winter sports and will have several men on the basketball team. Colorado has established a reputation in this sport and will come close to winning the championship from the Miners who have held it for several years.

In closing, Beta Kappa wishes her sister chapters a successful and prosperous year and the best of luck in pledging. We feel rather beyond the beaten trail of touring Delts but hold the latch-string out to you and will greet you with the keenest glee.

GLENN F. LEWIS.

BETA LAMBDA

LEHIGH

Lehigh opened the college year on Sept. 17th and has settled down to the usual regime of college work and activity.

With the opening of college came a hearty renewal of friendships and the eager curiosity of knowing the new men enrolled in the University. The number of Freshmen entering this fall is given as 210, which is large compared to previous enrollments. Such a large number of new men offers a promising field for rushing and in this department Beta Lambda has been "on the jump" since the opening days. Three new men have been pledged up to this time, but by no means have our efforts ceased and in the near future we hope to add more to this number. The three pledges are: Lawrence D. Edson, Germantown, Pa.; John A. Carlson, Montclair, N. J.; John H. Randolph, Lynchburg, Va.

The recent revival of athletics at Lehigh is a matter of no mean importance to student and alumnus. The hope for years of the student-body is materializing in the construction of a well-equipped gymnasium and remodeling of the athletic field. The construction work has caused some confusion and inconvenience about the field but it is expected that by the time of the Lafayette game the new reinforced concrete stands will be completed. The football team has played one game up to this time and its showing

forecasts another brilliant season. With the entering class came athletes of ability, all enthused with the spirit of surpassing if not equaling last season's success. The chapter is represented in Varsity athletics both by managerships and by squad men.

Owing to the coincidence of the date of the Indian game with the date of Founder's Day, the Founder's Day sports were postponed four days and at that time is expected an interesting struggle for final prestige between the sophomore and freshman classes.

Our doors are always open to every brother and we earnestly solicit a visit from any Delt who is in South Bethlehem or vicinity. Drop in and see us.

H. H. BROWN.

BETA MU

TUFTS COLLEGE

With good hearty "Delt grips" we of Beta Mu opened our house at the "Hill" for business, and found nineteen actives on the scene ready to strive mightily in the early fall rushing. We spread over the house like a Kansas cyclone and the dirt and dust of the summer months flew before our cleaning squad in terror. But in rushing this year things were more difficult than ever. The percentage of "on Hill" men, which has been steadily dwindling in the past few years, dropped lower than ever. Nevertheless we started in with a will; and even in the very short time that has elapsed since Tufts opened we have four good men from the class of 1917 wearing the crossed Deltas. At present we have these pledges: Albert V. Bratt, of Everett, Mass; H. C. Johnson, of Waltham, Mass; Roland Davies of Tufts College and D. C. Cameron, of Arlington, Mass. Each is a star man and the glory of Delta Tau Delta at Tufts is safe in their hands.

Tomorrow we begin our football schedule with a game with Bates, and our hopes for an opening victory are high. Last season we made a fine showing by scoring about double the number of points scored against us. This year we hope to do even better, and make such a showing that it may be truly said, "Tufts never had a better team." Although the final line-up is not yet determined, we feel sure that Beta Mu will be represented by Bros. Richardson, '15, Newton, '15, Mac Ives, '16, and Pledge Bratt.

Yet in the midst of rushing and football one thing stands paramount above all others — Scholarship. We are not going to be satisfied this year with the showing we made last year, when we stood at a tie for first place with another fraternity on the "Hill." This year we are going to keep up the good work and endeavor to do our share in placing Delta Tau Delta among the leaders of the national fraternities in America.

The whole crowd has listened with great eagerness to the stories of the Karnea as portrayed in most vivid terms by the delegate. And on the quiet, everyone of us has taken oath to be out there with the Delts in 1915 and see the great exhibition on the side.

A few words on our social side—as yet the year has hardly begun, and yet we have had two fine rushing parties; at both were gathered many of our alumni, who added their voices to the tune of "Delta Shelter." And together the actives and alumni must have made an impression in the eyes of the entering class. A final word to the alumni and other Delts—don't forget that the latch-string is always out to wearers of the square badge. And furthermore there is always someone here to welcome a brother as only true Delts can do it.

W. M. FISKE.

BETA NU

MASS. INST. OF TECHNOLOGY

Although the Institute opened the 29th we started with a jump by having twenty-one of our men back over a week before that date. With meals being served at the house before all of the men had returned our rushing was made comparatively simple and with very little competition. As a result we have to date, Sept. 29, five men pledged and prospects for as many more. They are William A. Orth of Yoakum, Tex., Edward S. Couch of Cromwell, Conn., Linwood I. Noyes of Marinette, Wis., Harold O. Whitney of Watertown, Mass., and Henry Stagg, Jr. of Bridgeport, Conn. The rushing manual and the card index system which were introduced last year have proved of great value this season in rushing and we account most of our success to them.

The chapter suffered no loss due to the graduation of seniors but its great loss was in Bro. Babcock who obtained his M.S. degree. In him we had the one man who stood for scientific management and who succeeded in introducing system which resulted in greater efficiency in the chapter work. Bro. King has not returned as yet for as he was about to leave home he was taken down with diphtheria. An inoculation saved him from a severe attack and we expect him in a few days. Two other brothers did not come back, which leaves us with a smaller number than was expected.

At the Karnea Beta Nu had a representation of nine men, four of whom are back to give the chapter the new ideas. It is certainly a place to learn and those who have not yet attended one will find it the same.

The house this year has seen many improvements, among them being the replacement of the old piano by a new

grand. With its installation the discovery was made that ten of the men were quite efficient at pounding the ivories.

Bros. Wilkins and Dwinell of Gamma Gamma; Moore of Omicron; MacDonald of Gamma Zeta; Armstrong of Gamma Mu; Brown of Gamma Iota; Bailey of Beta Chi; Floid of Delta and Brigham of Beta Mu have been our recent visitors. We were only too glad to greet them and we hope that many more will come around in the future.

DWIGHT J. STUMP.

BETA XI

TULANE

October the first chronicles the advent of an anxious lot of freshmen on a college career at Tulane. "Largest class ever," the registrar says, but personally speaking they are very small individuals. The decided improvement in the personnel of the fresh. medical class is a pleasing feature, due perhaps to the raising of the entrance standard.

Bros. Kahao, Miller, Naef, Spearing, Van Wart, and Wharton are back in the chapter, and a Delt professor and two Mississippi Delts in the junior medical class are recent Beta Xi fixtures. Pledge Gibbens is registered in the department of technology, and will become a full fledged Delt on Saturday night.

Rushing season is the big show now, with football in the side tents. We were very fortunate in securing first dates with four of the finest freshmen on the campus.

Our prospects for a chapter home are now taking definite form. A forty-five foot lot situated a half block from the campus is about to become ours, and Bro. Churchill, our distinguished architect, is making plans for the building.

The 1913 Karnea reached the high-water mark in Karneadom, and was such as to fill every Delt who attended with

a full two years of "pep," and a world of recollections. Surely a great credit to those at the wheel.

In closing Beta Xi extends congratulations and a welcome to every newly made Delt, and wishes all Delts a successful year in college.

EMILE NAEF.

BETA OMICRON

CORNELL

Beta Omicron started this year with an unusually small number as compared with previous years. When our senior class graduated last June we all felt that the record they left behind them was one that will be remembered. Eighteen of last year's actives have returned and so, necessarily, we are all kept very busy during rushing. This number has been increased by the affiliation of Bro. Johnson, Gamma Mu, Bro. Trethaway, Omega, and Bro. Crocker, Beta Omega. Our prospects in the rushing campaign look very bright and we hope to secure a fine 1917 delegation.

The football team started practice earlier than usual this fall, the first practice being held on Sept. 10th. The team was put through very strenuous practice during the first three weeks, as there was practice twice a day and scrimmage almost every afternoon. The showing made in the games played up to date go to show the result of Dr. Sharpe's coaching and the hard work the men have been put through. We have played three games so far, defeating Ursinus 41-0 in the first, playing a tie game 0-0 with Colgate, and defeating Oberlin 37-12. Other games are Carlisle, Bucknell, Pittsburgh, Michigan, and Lafayette at Ithaca, Harvard at Cambridge, and Pennsylvania at Philadelphia.

In University activities we are well represented by Bro. Munns, captain of football and unanimously elected president of the senior class; Bro. Duffie is now on the football squad; Bro. Kritzer, who was also on the squad, was very unfortunate in having his leg broken in practice; Bro. Griesedieck has made the Glee Club; Bro. Keeler has reported for fall baseball practice. We have also men out in the sophomore competitions for the managership of track and for the *Widow* and *Cornellian* boards.

Our senior week house party in June was a great success and every one who stayed certainly enjoyed a good time. We had fourteen girls at the house and the week comprised a series of entertainments, including the Masque, Glee Club, baseball game, fraternity dances, Senior Ball and our boat ride. This party was so successful that we are now planning to have a house party on Nov. 15th, the day of Lafayette game.

We were very fortunate in having Bro. L. K. Malvern, Bro. N. G. Brayer and Bro. F. S. Baker visit us this fall. Bro. Harding, Gamma Epsilon has entered here but at present is unable to stay with us.

In closing we wish all Delts a most hearty invitation to visit us when in the neighborhood of Ithaca.

C. L. CORBET.

BETA PI

NORTHWESTERN

Fall activities are in full swing at Beta Pi, and prospects certainly look good for the coming year. We were unusually lucky in having twenty actives report for work, and as a result of a week's rushing we wish to announce Pledges Duncan, Davis, Noble, Babcock, Root, Blessing, Huntington, Meers, Rice, Rowley, Whiting and Thomas. We hope to be able to add a few more in the next letter.

Of course football occupies the center of the stage of school activities. We have started off with six men on the squad. Bros. Patterson and Shepard have already cinched berths on the Varsity. "Pat" starred on the freshman team last year, and will make a name for himself as Varsity left half back this year. "Deac" established his reputation two years ago on the Varsity and will play his old position of left guard. Besides these Varsity men we will have at least five men scattered among the various class football teams.

The swimming season has not yet opened, but Bros. Wood, Whelan, Milroy and Pledge Whiting will all be sure of places on the team. "Irv" Wood is in line for captaincy of either this or next year.

Politics are just at their climax, and the latest returns from the various caucuses show that our men have lines on several good jobs.

In literary lines we are represented by Bro. Kittle, associate editor of the *Northwestern Magazine*; Bro. Riley, Chairman of the Syllabus Cuts and Grinds Committee; Bro. Churchill, who is on the *Daily Northwestern* staff; and Bro. Fathchild a prospective Varsity debater. Bro. Shepard reports the College Y. M. C. A., of which he is president, has started a very fine year.

Recently we have received several visits from Delts from other chapters. We are always glad to welcome you, so come often.

We were disappointed on our return to find that our new house would not be ready until the first of December. But it certainly looks fine even without the finishing touches, and we are all waiting anxiously to move into it.

Our delegates and visitors at the Karnea this summer report a very fine time. The chapter wishes to congratulate

and thank the Karnea committee and all of the Hoosier Hosts for the hospitable entertainment which was offered at Indianapolis. Many wishes to our sister chapters for a successful year.

EDW. F. CHURCHILL.

BETA RHO

STANFORD

Beta Rho opened her house this year with fifteen actives enrolled in the chapter. After a strenuous and successful rushing season eight of the best members of the entering class were wearing the square button.

On September twentieth the annual initiation and banquet of Beta Rho was held in the chapter house, and the eight new men exchanged their square buttons for badges of Delta Tau Delta. To the general Fraternity we take pleasure in introducing our new members: Carol King of Napa, Cal.; William Field of San Jose, Cal.; Feeley Mudd of Los Angeles; Herbert Wuesthoff of Milwaukee; Walter Becherer of Milwaukee; Graeme Howard of Stanford, Cal.; Robert Wilkins of Des Moines, Ia., and Arthur Meinard of Palo Alto, Cal. Many members of Beta Omega and alumni of Beta Rho and other chapters were present at the initiation.

Bro. R. B. Leland, Omicron '10, was toastmaster. He surely filled the position admirably. The new men are already following the example set by their older brothers and showing their "pep" by going out for student activities. Bros. King and Mudd are out for rugby, while Bro. Howard has an excellent chance of making good on the *Daily Palo Alto*, the University paper. Of the older men Bros. Mart Retels '14, and Earl Adams, '16, are out for the fall sport, rugby. Bro. Retels recently made his numerals in the interclass games.

On Nov. 8, comes the biggest event of the semester, the Intercollegiate football game with California, which is to be played this year on the Stanford Turf. Owing to the intense rivalry of the Stanford and California and to the evenness of the two teams this contest promises to be one of the most exciting games of rugby ever played. Beta Rho hopes and expects to have many of the alumni of the Fraternity as her guests at this time.

In closing Beta Rho re-issues her standing invitation for all Delts to visit her all times, and wishes the sister chapters the best of successes for the year.

WARDE HATCH.

BETA TAU

UNIVERSITY OF NEBRASKA

Beta Tau is once more started on a profitable year. We came back twenty-two strong, ready for a good week of rushing and we have to show for this rushing eight of the best freshmen in school. Rushing week this year was certainly a strenuous one owing to the large number being rushed by every fraternity, and we count ourselves very fortunate in getting such good men and we are proud to introduce them to Delta Tau Delta at large. They are: Max Baehr of St. Paul, Nebr.; Virgil Haggart of St. Paul, Glenn P. Ross of David City, John Carroll of Fremont, Earnest Yound of Scotts Bluffs, Donald and Norman Stevens of Beatrice and Charles Helzer of Valentine. In the bunch we have musicians, athletes, fussers and sporting authorities, and a good bunch of fellows in general.

In school activities this year Beta Tau is as well represented as ever. Bro. Hugg and Pledge Rutherford are on the football squad. Rutherford is playing left half and Hugg is substitute end. Bro. Gelletly is listed for a job as cheer leader and we are all pulling for him to make good. Bro.

Prince will be on the debating team again this year, and we are represented in the military department by Bros. Ballah and Shepherd. All in all, this seems to point to a banner year for Beta Tau in school activities.

As a final word we might say that our annual homecoming is Oct. 18, the day of the Minnesota-Nebraska game and we certainly welcome any Delts to come and visit us on that day. Many of our alumni were back for rushing week and we are looking for many more at this time.

HAROLD J. SCHWAB.

BETA UPSILON

ILLINOIS

Beta Upsilon is already well started on what looks certain to prove her most successful year in all ways. Every one of the fifteen actives back are determined to make it this, and considerable help may be expected from the likely looking bunch of pledges which has been rounded together. Bros. Healy, McWethy, Burns, Webb, Chipps, Root, Currier, Simms, Frazier, Pool, Cochran, F. Ramey, McFall, Smith and Pagin were all back long before the opening of college September 24. To date we have pledged the following men: Lauren Taylor and Philip Smith of Danville; Edgar Wallace of Chicago; William Mather, Walter Frazier and Frank Judson of Aurora; Otis Manley of Harvard; Ralph Gifford and Leon Lindsey of Onarga; Brandison Grieser of Quincy; Herman Jobst of Omaha, Nebraska; George Merrill of Emporia, Kansas; Donald Moffat of Paxton and George Stoddard of Milwaukee, Wisconsin. They are all members of the entering class with the exception of Wallace, a sophomore, and Merrill, who has spent a year at Kansas Normal College.

"Smiling Bob" Zuppeke, Illinois' new football coach is already giving us hope for a successful season on the grid-

iron. The Varsity is rapidly rounding into form to face an excellent schedule. The big games of the season will be with Chicago at Chicago, November 1, and with Minnesota, November 22. The latter date will be the time of the the annual Illinois homecoming which Beta Upsilon intends to celebrate with the annual reunion and banquet. Bro. Healy is out for the Varsity squad and pledges Taylor and Merrill are working with the freshmen.

Beta Upsilon intends to put in some hard work on scholarship this year. Each semester of last year was an improvement over the one before, and when the next averages come in we intend to be at the top, or so close that there will be little difference. Our freshmen all look as if they were all capable of giving plenty of help in this line, and a system of supervision will be adopted by which a close record may be kept of the studies of everyone in the chapter.

Bro. Reese of Beta Psi and Bro. Foster of Epsilon have been affiliated and took an active part in rushing. Many alumni dropped in since the opening of school. Among them was Bro. Ken Fraser ex-'12, who came introduced by Bro. Nelson as "a likely freshman." None of the actives knew Ken, and we proceeded to rush him hard. Just as we were putting a vote through on him he started to tell us things about the chapter of which we had never before heard.

Bro. H. Steeley, Gamma Alpha, Bro. Barnes of Gamma Gamma, Bros. Berger, R. Ramey, "Doc" Steeley, Churchill, and Kelso of this chapter have paid us flying visits since school opened.

Delta Tau Delta is better represented than ever in Illinois' faculty, four new Delts taking positions this fall. Bro. Babcock, Beta Eta, for six years resident of the Fraternity has assumed the duties of Dean of the College of Liberal Arts and Sciences. This is a new position, created by the

joining of the two colleges, and one which he is well fitted to fill. Bros. Thompson and Woolbert of Beta Pi, and Bro. Prucha of Gamma Zeta are other new faculty Delts whom Beta Upsilon is glad to welcome.

All Delts who find themselves near Champaign are urged to make an effort to drop in and shake hands; we will be more than glad to see you. Alumni, remember to save the date of the homecoming, November 22. Plan to come down a couple of days ahead and stay over for the banquet, which will come the evening of the game. You will all hear more of this—we want an even greater number than last year to be on hand for the “doings”

J. B. PAGIN.

BETA PHI

OHIO STATE

With seventeen actives back, including Bro. “Doc.” Billhardt, who is with us after a year’s absence. The year 1913-14 promises to be the best in Beta Phi’s history.

Owing to a Pan-Hellenic ruling that sophomore initiation is to take effect next year there has been a scramble for freshmen and rushing has been very keen. As a proof of good results we announce the following pledges: Harry Doerr, of Portsmouth, O.; Don Howard and Herbert Terry of Mt. Gilead; Ralph Bryant and Harold J. Barricklon of Cadiz, O.; and Harry Haynes of Mt. Vernon, O. On October 4th we gave our first dance in honor of these pledges.

This is our first year of football in the Western Conference and naturally our schedule seems heavier than usual. It is too early to pass judgment on the team, but under the direction of Coach Wilce we expect a winner. Ohio Wesleyan opens the season here October 4th.

The attendance at the University shows a large increase. The number of students will exceed four thousand. Great improvements are being made all over the campus. New walks and cluster lights are being put in and three new buildings are under construction. The new Archeological Museum is about completed, the Botany and Zoology Building is well under way, but work on the Horticulture Building has just started.

Quite a few Delts have dropped in to see us lately, but we would like to see more. When you are in the city drop in at 1857 Indianola Ave. You are always welcome.

W. W. WHEATON.

BETA CHI

BROWN

Two weeks before college opened things began to stir around 94 Angell Street. Every day saw one or more men of the "old guard" come back to get things in running shape and to prepare for a season of strenuous rushing. By the time college opened all actives (eighteen) were back, with the exception of Bro. O'Gorman '16, who has left college and Bro. Rowan '16, who has transferred to Columbia.

Rushing commenced in earnest, and is now on in full swing. Up to the present time we have pledged eleven men whom we believe will make worthy Delts: one a senior, one a sophomore and nine freshmen. Initiation commences soon and by the next issue of *THE RAINBOW* we hope to introduce these men to the Delt world.

Football is in the limelight at present, and, although we lost our first game of the season, we see the makings of a team, which, before the season closes, we believe will reach the high standard which Brown teams have always attained in the past. For although most of the men are "green," they all have the "Brown" spirit. Beta Chi has men in

this line of college activity as well as in every other. Bro. Mitchell is back playing his old position of center on the Varsity, and the quarterback position is being taken care of by one of our new pledges, A. A. Gardiner. Bros. Cross and Tucker are also out working hard to make the team. In other activities Bro. Couse is working for the managership of the Musical Clubs, and Bro. Saunders for the managership of the *Herald*, the daily publication of the College. As college has been opened only two weeks, things have hardly got started around the campus. We hope however to have Beta Chi represented in all activities this year, as she always has been in the past.

This year a cup is to be given to that fraternity which attains the highest scholastic standing. Being won for three consecutive years by the same fraternity, it passes into permanent possession of that fraternity, and another cup is offered. We are out after that cup.

Our first social event of the year takes place October 14th, when we are planning to hold our first "Alumni Night" of the year. At this time our freshmen will put on an "Act," after which a genuine Delt good time will be enjoyed, during which refreshments will be served. These "Alumni Nights" form an important part of our chapter life, as they give an opportunity for the alumni to meet the new as well as the old men and they also serve to keep alive the interest of the alumnus in his chapter. These nights are held by us once a month during the year.

Beta Chi is looking forward to one of the most prosperous and most pleasant years of its life, and sincerely hopes that its sister chapters have the same prospect in view.

C. D. EVERINGHAM.

BETA PSI

WABASH COLLEGE

Well, here we are, starting on what we think one of the best years Beta Psi has ever had. In the rush, which is always more or less of a "knock down and carry out" affair at Wabash, we emerged with flying colors and have five of the best men in the freshman class to introduce to the Delt world. Here they are, all true blue and as likely a looking bunch as you ever saw: Forest Crane hails from Wingate, Ind., as does also Lawrence Schaffer. Crane is quite widely known over the state for his basketball ability and no doubt will make his mark in college athletics. "Doc" Meek of Rochester, Ind., wears the square button and also dabbles a bit in basketball as well as standing a good chance of making the college Glee Club. Then there are "Red" Harrell and Paul Walton who hold forth in Noblesville, Ind., when not in school. They both are A No. 1 men and Walton has the distinction of having made some fifteen out of the sixteen and a half points that won the Indiana State Track Meet for Noblesville last spring. So you see we have an aggregation of youngsters of whom any chapter might well be proud and who will doubtless keep things moving in college circles.

Although the outlooks for an exceptionally good football team seem a trifle slim at Wabash this fall nothing certain can be doped out at this time as none of the games scheduled have been played. Bro. Howard is captain of this year's eleven and holds down an end position, while Bro. Eglin is sure of a place in the back-field. Just at present the slogan around the campus is "six straight over Purdue" and in preparation for this game which comes off October fourth the coach has been working the squad overtime for the past three weeks. It will be remembered that for the last two years Bro. "Skeet" Lambert trounced the windy Boiler-

makers by his wonderful drop kicking ability. However, "Skeet" has now passed into history and it remains to be shown what can be done with the new material. Yet, whether we are able to beat Purdue or not we are confident that Wabash will take the rest of her old-time secondary rivals into camp and will give Nortre Dame a big scare here on November seventeenth, which, by the way, is the date set for the annual Wabash homecoming and we want to impress on the Beta Psi alumni that they must make their headquarters at the Delta Tau House then, for on that night we have made plans for a pig-roast and general "prayer service." Remember the date—November seventeenth—and don't forget that you are as welcome as straight A's whether you are an alumnus of this chapter or not.

Nothing ever pleases us more than to have a Delt from some other chapter drop in on us, so if you are ever in this part of the country don't by any means pass us by. There is always plenty to eat and a warm bed waiting for you.

H. H. RISTINE.

BETA OMEGA

CALIFORNIA

On August 11th the silence which had hung over the old shrine during vacation was rudely broken as the fellows wandered back. A count showed Bros. Parmelee, Bougher, Mooer and Durkin absent, however the last two arrived several days later. The affiliation of Steve Corgiat, Gamma Mu, and the return of "String" Beans, after a term's sojourn at his farm, brought up the number of actives to nineteen.

A few busy days were spent in putting the house into a habitable condition once more and then came the rushing season. There was a large class to pick from, but there were also many organizations on the job, so there was

quite an exciting period. After the music was over we had a square button on nine men: "Stan" Dimm, from Richmond; "Dave" Shattuck, from Los Angeles; Ed. Brett, from Los Angeles; Pros Reiter, from San Francisco; Bill Duddleson, from Ely, Nev.; Ludy Langer, from Redonda; "Rudy" Gianelli, from Stockton; Ed. Strong, from San Rafael and Vincent Keeling, from Lakeport. "Tiny" Keeling has since been forced to leave college because of sickness, and Ed. Strong will not be initiated till next semester. The others were "put through the mill" on September 13th, at a particularly successful initiation.

About the next important happening was an informal "drag" with the Chi Omega underclassmen, engineered by "Doc" Bailey, our Chi Omega representative. The occasion ended with everyone reporting a fine time. At present rumors are afloat concerning another dance in the near future.

But to turn to something of a more serious nature. The chapter has this year started a new scholarship system. This has been done with the advice and assistance of Bro. Leuschner, Dean of the Graduate School. It is hoped that by keeping close track of the work of the underclassmen the scholarship of the chapter will be raised.

In the college activities our fellows are taking an animated interest. Earl Parrish and "Rudy" Gianelli are out for the Varsity football team, and Ed. Strong is for the freshman team. They are playing good ball and we expect them to make good. California is going to have a Varsity this year that certainly promises to be a winner. The preliminary games have shown that they have the necessary fight and speed, and under the coaching of Jimmie Shaeffer they will "be up to scratch" at the time of the Big Game.

"Ted" Haley has plucked the job of assistant yell leader this year, as well as the chairmanship of the Rally Committee, of which Earl Parrish is also a member.

A majority of our freshman class are good "swimmers," but the laurels in this line go to Ludy Langer, holder of the P. A. A. record in the 880 yd. swim. Ludy wandered down to Lake Meritt the other day and returned home bearing a big cup, which is now gracing the mantel-piece.

On the Glee Club, in addition to the veterans Bailey, Haley and Parrish, Jack Miller is now "hitting the high ones." Bill Duddleson is a comer in this line, but at other end of the scale from Jack.

In the inter-fraternity baseball series we were not highly successful, as we were badly handicapped by the lack of a mound artist.

Taylor and Lane came to grief in the inter-fraternity tennis tournament, but rest assured that they made them work for it.

We are glad to receive so many visits from our alumni this term, and their continued interest is certainly appreciated by the chapter. Beta Omega is looking forward with a great deal of pleasure to the San Francisco Karnea, in 1915, at which we will help play the part of host.

In closing, the chapter wishes to re-extend an assurance of welcome to any wandering Delts.

JOSEPH H. MURRAY, Jr.

GAMMA ALPHA

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GAMMA BETA

ARMOUR INST. OF TECH.

The members of the chapter who attended the Karnea returned with an enthusiastic description of the pro-

ceedings, and many ideas regarding customs and methods in other chapters. These ideas undoubtedly will be valuable in aiding the chapter to operate on a more perfect system.

It is generally known that Armour Tech. opens the collegiate year several weeks in advance of any other institution. This gives the chapter a chance to initiate men about the first of Oct. The important work is therefore accomplished, and the chapter's machine is in perfect running condition by the time other chapters are collecting their men.

On Sept. 8th sixteen active Delts returned and immediately organized a plan of systematized rushing which has been carried out to the present date. The program each month includes two smokers and one informal party given in the chapter house. These affairs are well attended by alumni as well as rushees. About the middle of each semester we entertain the alumni and rushees at an informal dancing party, held in the Dakota Hotel just two blocks distant from the chapter house.

We would like to introduce to the "Delt World" Bros. H. P. Sherwood, J. E. Sullivan, H. Bland, P. Blouke of Chicago, H. L. Walbrecht of Central Lake, Mich., and E. W. Mann of Marianna, Ark., who were initiated on Oct. 6th. The boys accepted the usual dreaded Gamma Beta initiation with perfect contentment and vowed that all initiations thereafter would contain the shapely barrel stove, claiming that "pointing illustrations" are vital in teaching freshmen.

Athletics at Armour are surpassing our wildest expectations, and with such material as our large freshman class contains the last year's altitude record should be equaled again this year. Last spring our baseball team not only won the championship of the "Little Five," but

defeated the Conference Champions twice on their home grounds, successfully establishing its supremacy in the west.

Many alumni have visited us during the autumn months. One, namely Bro. Hammond, a charter member of Gamma Beta made us a present of a beautiful mahogany chair. We certainly appreciate visits and presents of that nature. Bros. "Steve" Mitchell, "Ben" Wilson of Beta Upsilon and French of Beta Nu have found the chapter house to be an ideal home as well as a convenient residence. Bro. Hockenberger the chapter's only original comedian has decided to attend Lealand Stanford Jr. University, where perhaps he will find a broader field in which to display his rare accomplishments.

In closing we would like to extend to all Deltas visiting Chicago a cordial invitation to make their headquarters at Gamma Beta's Chapter House.

A. F. HOLDEN, Jr.

GAMMA GAMMA

DARTMOUTH

College opened this year with Gamma Gamma in a new home, the result of hard work on the part of both alumni and actives, and with this to help us we look forward to the best year we have ever had.

Twenty-nine actives returned to college, including Bro. Barstow who is back again after having spent two years at Western Reserve. It also gave us a great deal of pleasure to affiliate Bros. Portmann and Needs of Zeta Chapter. All the fellows came back early and started in at once to fix up the house. There was a whole lot to be done but under the able leadership of Bro. "Tubby" Merrill, who worked the hardest of all, we have put things into pretty good shape.

So far this year we have pledged one man, Frank Bobst of Rochester, N. H. Freshmen can not be pledged until February 21, according to an agreement among the fraternities here. The only rule concerning rushing is that freshmen cannot be taken into fraternity houses except upon specified occasions. These so-called "rushing parties" were very unsuccessful last year, probably due to the fact that there were so few of them. This year with a longer season a good deal more will be made of them. The entering class contains excellent fraternity material out of which we hope to get a splendid delegation.

Since the last letter Gamma Gamma has obtained several new honors. Bro. Dyke was elected assistant manager of hockey. Bro. Blythe was elected to Palaeopitus, the student government council and Bro. Papson was elected managing editor of "*The Dartmouth*."

"Dartmouth Night" on which every undergraduate and alumnus renews his pledge of loyalty to the College comes Friday, October 3. At this time the freshman learns what the "Dartmouth Spirit" really is. We are expecting several of our alumni to come back for "the big night" and we will have the first reunion in our new home.

Now that we are in a house we will be more than glad to see any "Delts" who are in this vicinity.

GEORGE YOUNG, Jr.

GAMMA DELTA

WEST VIRGINIA

The college year began on September 15th and Gamma Delta had sixteen men back to take care of the desirable freshmen. Although somewhat handicapped by losing six strong men last June we are elated over the results of our

efforts. We take pleasure in introducing to you the pick of the freshman class: Dalton Simon, Kenna Clark, Fairmont, W. Va.; Ira Hardman, Weston, W. Va.; Fred. McCoy, Sistersville, W. Va.; Frank Ashby, Crawfordsville, Ind.; and "Binks" Bray, Elkins, W. Va.

West Virginia's football prospects are bright this year. Coach E. R. Sweetland, of Cornell, has the team working hard for the game with Pitt, Oct. 11th, the first hard game on our schedule. Bros. Race, Harrison and Davis are on the Varsity. Bro. Donnally is leading the second team.

Since our last letter Bros. Adams and Strickler were elected to the Sphinx Fraternity, a senior organization. Bro. Race has been elected president of the junior class.

Several of our alumni were back for rushing season and gave valuable assistance.

Should any Delts happen to be in this vicinity we would be glad to have them pay us a visit.

J. L. SMITH.

GAMMA EPSILON

COLUMBIA

When college opened we only had sixteen men on the active list. That wasn't as many as we expected and so we got busy at once and results followed immediately. Four men were wearing the pledge button the first week of college. There were: "Bell" Bellinger, of Governor's Island, who prepared at Poly. Prep., Brooklyn; Claude Wellington Carlstron (not nick-named yet) of Flushing, L. I., who came from Stuyvesant High School, New York; Daniel Earl (Shrimp) Dunn of New York, but prepared at Peddie Institute, Hightstown, N. J.; and John K. Thulman, who hails from the Bronx and prepared at Morris High School. Before this letter is read we shall have "spiked" another quartette.

More light! What was a dream a year ago is now an actuality. Electricity was installed in the house during the summer and it was turned on the first week of college. "Ed" Williams pushed the deal through with the aid of "Pat" Patterson and Floyd Keeler. Bro. Reckendorfer gave us \$100 and the actives and other alumni contributed the balance.

The house was kept open during the summer and owing to the "big-stick" policy of Bro. Roy Bonsib no one was allowed to run up an unpayable bill. Hence the house made a real profit for the summer.

At the Karnea Gamma Epsilon was represented by Bros. Lee and Roy Gross from the active chapter and Bro. Griffith from our alumni. "Jimmie" Allen and the two Bonsibs were also there. We heard as how they all had a right smart good time out there and reckon they'll be at San Francisco in 1915 with more of the brethren.

Of the actives we expected back and who didn't come are: Bros. Foote and Roy Gross. They went to Golden, Colorado, to the Colorado School of Mines. "Cy" Bonsib is working for the N. Y. Telephone Co. "Brandy" McCandlish is now in Marion, Ind. working for the Central Ind. Gas Co. Banton was too temperamental for a college man and he has decided to take some courses at the Art Students League. McIntyre has decided to be a banker. He is at present with the Corn Exchange Bank in New York.

"Dutch" Palen surprised us by starting in again as a freshman in engineering. "Dutch" began as an architect, then took up engineering and stopped that to go to the Biltmore School of Forestry. He completed the course and is now back in Columbia, socially a senior, technically a post-graduate and actually a freshman. "Babe" Shibley is also back and we are more than glad to

have him. Harry MacKechnie has determined that he will get at technical training of which he was so desirous. He decided, however, to go to the University of Illinois, much to our regret.

As usual many alumni and undergraduates are here from other colleges. We have already affiliated "Dick" Rowan, Beta Chi '16, who entered college as a soph. and Roy McIntosh, Chi '16, who is taking mechanical engineering. There are at least six more who are contemplating taking the step. The more the merrier.

Two of the brothers had an interesting trip this summer driving a Ford from Denver to New York. Pand and Ed. arrived tired but happy. They visited the houses at Boulder, Ames and Chicago (Armour), and give good accounts of their treatment. They were twelve days on the road.

The social instinct of the chapter has already manifested itself. On Saturday night, Sept. 27th, we had our first informal dance. It was a decided success and we hope to have one each month as we did last year.

In our next letter we shall devote some space to the recent graduates and also the other alumni.

We wish the other chapters a successful season and cordially invite all Delts coming to New York to come to see us.

R. H. ORMSBEE.

GAMMA ZETA

WESLEYAN

At the opening of college on the eighteenth of September Gamma Zeta found twenty-three actives back on the job. Not a man did we lose and needless to say we were a happy bunch of Delts.

After righting our house, our first big job of the year devolved upon us in the semblance of rushing freshmen and

the smoke has not entirely blown away yet. Thus far we have pledged six men, all of whom we take great pleasure in introducing as follows: Kenneth E. Breese, Troy, N. Y.; Charles B. Case, Jr., Trenton, N. J.; F. Willard Johnson, Long Island City, N.Y.; George Potter, Fitchburg, Mass.; Walter R. Rearick, Danville, Ill.; J. Russell Studwell, Greenwich, Conn. They are quite an accomplished bunch and have started after things with a vim. Pledge Breese is in a fair way of winning the freshman tennis tournament, having already defeated two formidable opponents and his abilities as an athlete extend to baseball and track as well. Rearick and Studwell are on the freshman football team while others are bidding for places in the mandolin club.

The football prospects this year are very bright. True it is that Yale trimmed us in the opening game at New Haven on September twenty-fourth, but it was far from a walkover and Yale had to fight hard every minute. Our team showed the fight that will win and we are proud to be represented by Bros. Allison, '14, Steeb, 14, and Nourse, '15 on the Varsity.

Bro. Clark Stuntz as leader of the Glee Club looks forward to the usual successful season of a Wesleyan Glee Club. Bro. Timmerman, '16, has survived the trials and will undoubtedly sing with the Club this year. Other honors have come Gamma Zeta's way also and Bro. Cass, 16, has just been made a member of *The Argus* board as an associate editor.

We have very much enjoyed the visits of several of our alumni this fall but wish more would grace us with their presence. Bro. Louis Connor especially made his presence felt during rushing season and was as full of pep as ever. Come often alumni and Delts for the pleasure is all ours. We keep open house for Delts always.

EUGENE W. SCARBOROUGH.

GAMMA ETA

GEORGE WASHINGTON

Well, here we are again. Hope that everybody had a pleasant summer, but won't add that we know you are all ready for hard work, but nevertheless it is true of Gamma Eta Chapter. George Washington University resumed business at the old stand on Sept. 22nd, and the freshman class looks to be among the best ever. We have already pledged ten very fine appearing goats on whom we had had strings for some time, and before this letter is read I think I may safely say we will have several more of like calibre. We are also pleased to tell of the affiliation of Bro. Roy Schoonecker of Beta Omicron and of Bro. Hugh Webster of Gamma Pi. Both of these brothers are taking the law course at George Washington and have been very energetic and helpful in our rushing work.

Just a bit of retrospection. Gamma Eta performed two feats last June of which we are justly proud. One was the fine record we made in the examinations and the other was the winning of the fraternity league championship in baseball without the loss of a game. We wish that our superiority in scholarship was as marked as in the baseball line, and for a while we were positive that it was, but subsequent developments—anyway it was among the highest and this year we are going to make it so high that no fraternity can make even a claim to the title. During the summer a house tennis tournament was held for the benefit of the brothers who were spending the hot summer months in Washington, which was very successful. Bro. A. R. Calder and A. N. Chamberlin won the doubles championship and Bro. Chamberlin was successful in winning the singles. We plan to hold two tournaments yearly since the first was so successful and to make

them open to all brothers in the city. We have some clever racquet wielders among the followers of the game, Bro. J. B. Moore, getting as far as the third round in the national tournament at Newport this summer. *Note:* Bro. Moore did *not* compete in the fraternity tournament.

Now just a word about the Southern-Eastern Conference which is to be held in Washington this February, the 20th-23rd. Gamma Eta Chapter and the Washington Alumni chapter are both working hard to make this affair one of the biggest and best ever held and we desire the co-operation of every brother in this work. You will soon receive letters from us explaining our plans in detail and when you do—why please answer them. Talk it up among your immediate chapter circle and if you have any ideas about any thing connected with it don't hesitate for an instant to let us know them. Furthermore, appoint yourself a committee of one to attend the Conferences and see that the committee does its work.

Glowing accounts of the Forty-second Karnea have been received from our chapter delegate, Bro. P. R. Borland. We sincerely and heartily congratulate Bro. Curtis on the tribute paid to the great work he has done as our president and express our wish to co-operate with him in the good work during his coming term. To the re-elected officers and to Bro. Hewitt, Gamma Eta Chapter extends her heartiest felicitations.

It is with deepest sorrow that we announce the tragic death of Bro. Loren Heinlin Call, a lieutenant in the army aviation corps, who was killed in an aero accident at Texas City, Texas, on July 9, 1913. Bro. Call was a most loyal brother of the Fraternity and alumnus of Gamma Eta Chapter and to those of us who knew him his place can never be refilled. He was a splendid young man, cut off in the prime of life by an untimely death.

ARTHUR NEWELL CHAMBERLIN.

GAMMA THETA

BAKER UNIV.

We are once more together, fifteen strong. Every man is back but our last spring's graduate, "Govy" Hoch, who is wrangling with editorials for the *Marion Record*, a publication of much repute in Marion County, Kansas. We have a very welcome addition to our house brigade this year in the person of Bro. R. H. McWilliams, Gamma Theta '06. He teaches history in the History Department.

On account of the exceedingly dry weather in our section this summer we expected few men back. However not all remained in these haunts during vacation. Those especially who spent the summer around Detroit and in Denver came back well fattened and looked all the wiser for their experiences.

Bro. "Zip" Zabel, who was owned by the Kansas City Blues this summer, has been drafted to fill out the season with the Chicago Cubs. Zabel is an exceedingly promising youth.

We announce pledge Lee Geyer of Wetmore, Kansas. He is a cousin of Zip, and possesses qualities indicative of his relative's cognomen.

Our big "chicken-fry" will be held Oct. 15th, at which time many old Delts will be here to give us the glad hand. This function is always especially appealing to our ministerial alumni of the M. E. denomination.

The most magnificent feat for this year will be our season of festivities the last of November. At that time will occur the celebration of the tenth anniversary of Gamma Theta, and the twenty-fifth anniversary of the former local chapter, Alpha Omega. On Friday night, the 21st, we give our formal party, followed Saturday night by a huge smoker. Then Sunday, the 23rd, the house will be turned over completely to the alumni for a great get-together-again. This is going to be the greatest affair

Gamma Theta has ever had. We expect to have at least one hundred men with us.

Our football prospects for this year are very promising, each man in the line weighing between one hundred-eighty and two-fifteen. Our first game is with Missouri Wesleyan, October 3rd. Bros. Preshaw, Stevens and Mott represent us on the first team.

Among our other honors are: Bro. Siegrist is editor-in-chief of the University annual and Bro. Filley serves as associate editor on the *Baker Orange*, the student publication.

Rev. Bro. Chandler of Ottawa, Kansas, has paid us two visits this fall. Bro. Harry Betzer, a former Gamma Theta pledge, who went right at Penn. University, visited us several days before returning to school.

We extend a hearty welcome to all Delts, who come our way. Walk in and make yourself at home. We have a couple of good fire places with big hearth-stones.

W. V. SNIDER.

GAMMA IOTA

TEXAS

The University of Texas opened for matriculation on Sept. 24 with bright prospects for the largest enrollment in her history.

Gamma Iota opens her doors with the very brightest prospects, sixteen men of last year having returned. Together with this number, Bros. Weeks, Austin Anderson, Chandler, Wight, all of whom have been out of school the past year, have returned to college this year. Also Bro. David Gracey of Beta Theta will be with us. Thus giving us a total of twenty-one men to start the year with.

This year will test the strength of every fraternity chapter in the University, because this is the first year under the new rules passed by the Faculty last spring. Under these rules no man can be pledged by a fraternity until after May 25, and only then when he has passed in at least four-fifths of his work, this rule being applied to freshmen. Further, the initiation is not to take place until the following year. In addition to this rule, no member of a fraternity who has not passed in at least four-fifths of his work in any one term shall be permitted to either room or board in a fraternity house the succeeding term. Also, in each fraternity house a graduate member or some other approved by the Faculty shall be required to live. The first named rule enacts the one year's closed season. On account of this rule, we have no new pledges announce at this time, but we expect to pledge two or three upperclassmen within a few days.

The chapter is located in a different house this year, which is a marked improvement over the old one. The house is a large brick house of eleven rooms. Thirteen of the Chapter room and fifteen board in the house. With our strong number, our house, a new piano and some new furniture we expect to have a most successful year.

This year marks in the history of the University of Texas the birth of *The Daily Texan*, thus giving us the distinction of being the first college or university in the South to have a daily newspaper.

The football prospects for this season are the brightest in the history of the University. With the best material for a football team that has been out for a number of years, with five of the best coaches in the South, and one of the best schedules that we have had for a number of years, we expect to put out the championship team of the Southwest. On Thanksgiving Day we play the Uni-

versity of Notre Dame, the game to be played here in Austin.

Bro. Clark Brown is this year's captain. Also, Bros. Nielson, Parks and Nolan are out for the team. Bro. Nielson has already been promoted to the first squad.

Since the opening of college, Bro. Stalker of Beta Upsilon, Bros. Long, Rugeley, Buckley and Greenwood have passed through and stopped by to see us. Bros. Buckley and Greenwood are located in Mexico and have been in the States for their vacation.

Bro. Caldwell Nagle, one of our actives of last year, has gone into automobile racing. Recently he was a winner of a five hundred mile endurance race in an invitation meet at Denver, Colorado. After crossing the line in the last lap of the race Bro. Nagle had an accident but was only slightly injured. He drives a big National car.

Bro. Bob Lowry is acting as our "matron," since we are compelled under the new faculty rules to have a graduate member stay in the house to look after us.

In closing Gamma Iota wishes to extend her very best wishes to each chapter for a most successful and pleasant year, and to extend to every Delt a hearty invitation to visit us.

G. T. ROBINSON.

GAMMA KAPPA

MISSOURI

September 23 was a great day for Gamma Kappa. After breakfast those of the brothers who were not afflicted with 8 o'clock classes seated themselves around the fireplace for a little informal discussion of pledges, prospects, the latest collars, co-eds and other pertinent affairs of fraternity and college life. While they were thus industri-

ously jawing away, someone opened the door and a familiar voice shouted: "Hello fellows!" It belonged to "Crook" McCoy, the "Swede," our "Papa" and "Wattsie." To say that we were thunderstruck would really be hyperbole, but we certainly were surprised to see the "Swede" back in our midst. For seven years off and on he has been an active member of the Chapter. Last year when he departed bearing with him sundry high degrees and honors obtained through his grafting powers we never expected to see his handsome phiz again. But it seems that this university simply cannot get along without him—always excepting one year when his absence seemed the best thing for all hands, especially the faculty. But times have changed and now they want him for a prof. So here he is back again, ready to read us the riot act weekly and to coach our baseball team once more.

Another cause for rejoicing is the presence of Mother Lewis as chaperon after an absence of two years. She says that she is glad to be back with her boys again and they congratulate themselves every day on having the best chaperon in the world. We are usually very modest and never brag but there is one thing we will admit when pressed: that we have the edge on all our rivals when it comes to the subject of chaperons.

We have six pledges and can not say here what we think of them because their modesty might be endangered. They are: Kenneth Sanford, Mexico, Mo; Roy Hall, Columbia, Mo; William Wells, Platt City, Mo; L. R. Long, Lee's Summit, Mo; Tom Thornton, Webster Grove, Mo; W. Willhite, Grant City, Mo.

Bros. B. B. Stonebraker, W. M. McKee, and W. T. Cowperthwaite have paid us visits. We appreciated the interest of these alumni and wish that others would follow their example.

Bro. Magruder is adviser to the chapter. Under his guidance and with seventeen actives and six good pledges we feel that a successful year is ahead of us. Gamma Kappa as the only Delt chapter in the state has a hard fight on her hands, but we wish every brother who happens to be in this section to come and see if we are not good scrappers.

NELSON HILL.

GAMMA LAMBDA

PURDUE UNIV.

With the opening of the University this fall we found that only one of our actives was missing, and as the 1913 class was small, and we welcomed Bro. J. Edward Kenney of Beta Zeta to our midst last spring, we had eighteen men to start the year with. And we feel that Gamma Lambda's most successful year has just begun, for when the rush was over twelve of the best men in the freshman class were wearing the crossed Deltas: Richard A. Muesel, South Bend, Ind.; Donald O. Ruh, Harold S. Sterner and Harold B. Davisson of Rochester, Ind.; Allen B. Matthews, West LaFayette, Ind.; Axel G. Vogt, of Philadelphia, Pa.; Edward J. Hupe, LaFayette, Ind.; Frank Collmer, South Bend, Ind.; O. Wendell Shepard, Roachdale, Ind.; Herbert W. Cummings, Indianapolis, Ind.; Erick M. Lehman, Philadelphia, Pa.; and Francis Fleming Lovejoy, of Pittsburgh, Pa., who entered school here last fall, but was called home, and thus enters as a sophomore this year.

Many are the honors which should fall to our lot this year. Bro. "Pin" Dally is Colonel of Cadets in the "Purdue Army" and fraternity editor of the 1914 *Debris*; Bros. "Turk" Turner, "Louie" Bishop, and "Fat" Bishop are out for Varsity football, and there is no doubt that

all will make the team; Bro. Ayers Stewart is out for the junior class football team; Bro. "Tillie" Tallmadge is managing editor of the *Purdue Exponent*; Bro. "Stock" Lehman is issue editor of the *Exponent* and treasurer of the 1915 class; and pledge Muessel is out for freshman class football. It is too early yet to say much about basketball, but we expect to have a couple of men on the squad as usual.

Unfortunately, we were a little unlucky last semester, and so were unable to repeat our performance of the previous semester, in winning the fraternity scholarship trophy. As it was, we were but a very slight percent behind the winner, and there is no reason why we should not better our grades enough this coming semester to take the plaque again.

Purdue's new football coach, "Andy" Smith, has infused such a fighting spirit into the Varsity and taught them so many new and ingenious plays that no one would be at all surprised to find Purdue at the top when the conference season is over. As this is "Andy's" first year here, we may be expecting too much of him, but the way the Varsities are walking through the hard-working scrubs bodes ill for their opponents. Our home games are Wabash, Oct. 4; Northwestern, Oct. 11; Wisconsin, Oct. 18, and Rose Poly, Nov. 8.

The new Library was ready for its scholarly patrons when we returned, and its marbled halls and spacious reading room add once more to the attractions of our campus. And we must not forget to mention that 2500 seats have been added to the bleachers, so that there will be room for every one of the crowds that will come to see Purdue win.

Bro. H. F. Fore, of Gamma Kappa, Professor of English in the University, was united in marriage this summer to

Miss Valpey Trimble of Memphis, Tenn. The happy couple have returned from a honeymoon spent in the northern woods and are located near us, so that we have the pleasure of their company for dinner quite often.

And we must not forget our social functions. Bros. "Enic" Mummert, '12; "King" Ankenbrock, '13; and "Snipe" Fowler, Ex-'14, visited us at the time of the freshman-sophomore scrap, and many were the interesting reminiscences of the olden days that came to light. Then our first dance, held in honor of our pledges, was given October first, and proved a great success. And at the the present writing all are making plans for Gamma Lambda's biggest and best house-party, at the time of the Wisconsin game, which will help to spread the name and fame of Delta Tau to the corners of the earth.

BRUCE J. DAVIDSON.

GAMMA MU

UNIV. OF WASHINGTON

The opening of college found Bros. Gladden, Hansen, Eberle, Steuding, Fritz, O'Conner, Adams, Pockman, Miller, Jones, A. Cook, Clancy and Seagrave back ready for work, of which there was plenty to be done. On account of a faculty ruling prohibiting fraternities living next door to sororities, we were obliged to move from our old neighbors the Alpha Chi Omega's and the Pi Beta Phi's.

When we had finished the moving we started our rushing stunts and as a result have twelve of the "Keenest" that entered the University this year. Here they come: Athol Gorrill, Earl Poe, Spokane, Wash.; Lowell Crownover, Benedict, Neb; Frank Hobi, Aberdeen, Wash.; Edwin Stuchell, Everett, Wash.; Max Ridell, Northfield, Minn; Clyde Collins, Vancouver, Wash.; Eugene Dyer, Homer

Harold, Geo. E. Bradley, Jr., John Klaeboe, and Fred H. Madigan, all of Seattle, Washington.

Bro. Pockman, who spent last year in sunny California, has returned and according to "Pock" we will soon have a hydraulic engineer in our midst.

Bros. Byler, Zilka and Horr are in Japan with the Varsity baseball team, but will be with us again in October. "Horrie" will resume his duties as graduate manager, and ex-captain "Butch" Byler will be out for all North-West forward on the basketball team.

The fact that Delta Tau Delta will be well represented in all lines of student activities during the coming year may be substantiated by the following notes: Bro. "Orvie" Gladden is the "Prexy" of the Associated Students of the U.; Bro. Eberle and pledge Hobi will turn out for wrestling; while Bros. Seagrave and "Hap" Miller, last year's half-back, together with Madigan another "goat" are winning their "W's" on the Gridiron. Bro. "Jig" Jones is prominent in the Sophomore class, being chairman of the social committee. Our mainstay in the Dramatic Club will be Bro. Fritz, who promises to introduce pledges Poe and Crownover to the life behind the footlights. Pledges Gorrill and Bradley are on the Glee Club; "Brad" is also adding volume to his voice by leading the yells for the freshman class. Among the cinder path artists next spring will be pledges Stuchell, Klaboe, Collins and Ridell. Both Bros. Zilka and Byler will be back next semester for baseball, so we are sure of adding two more letters to our already excellent collection. Bro. "Brick" Will, who was in the four-oared shell in the Poughkeepsie races will return and turn out for the crew.

Among the September visitors were Bro. Summers, Delta '80, and Bro. Dave Smith, Gamma Alpha, who was a former U. of Chicago football star.

As we are several hundred miles away from our nearest chapter, let us put special emphasis on the invitation to all brothers who find themselves in the Northwest to pay us a visit.

PAUL H. STEUDING.

GAMMA NU

MAINE

The opening of the new year at the University of Maine promises much for the University and for Gamma Nu. The entering class is by far the largest in the history of of the institution, and there is a great abundance of good material. There are twenty-eight old actives to start the new year.

With the football team now on its schedule and the cross-country team training for the State and the New England championships, college activities are now well under way. The class baseball and track teams are also furnishing a lot of excitement in the two lower classes.

The "rushing season" has been unusually successful thus far, and it is with the greatest of pleasure that we introduce to Delta Tau Delta pledges Foster Newell and William Rodden of Reading, Mass.; Frank Snell and Richard Wade of Portland, Maine; J. Howard Perry of Lincoln, Maine, Sumner Hall of Gloucester, Mass.; George Robinson of Westbrook, Maine and Fuller Sherman of Gardiner, Maine (all of the class of 1917), and William Gray of Machias, Maine, of the class of 1916. Pledge Gray is on the Varsity football squad, pledges Nowell, Perry, Snell and Robinson are out for the freshman track team, pledge Wade having been elected manager of this team, while pledges Robinson, Hall and Sherman are out for freshman baseball. This completes the activities of our pledges to date.

One cloud is cast over all of us at this time. It was with great sorrow that we learned of the death of our beloved matron, Mrs. Winifred Haggett, during the past summer. Mrs. Haggett was loved by all who were fortunate enough to know her and we extend our sincerest sympathy to Bro. "Dave" Haggett.

A. A. ST. ONGE.

GAMMA XI

CINCINNATI

After the Karnea—Work. And back to work we are. Fourteen men are back in harness again and have so far landed eight pledges with a prospect of several more. Gamma Xi had 24 out of her total 52 initiates present at the Karnea. See us in the Karnea banquet picture. Bro. Armstrong has again come back to the fold after a sojourn of six months out West. "Army" visited several of the western chapters and reported that Delta Tau Delta was represented by the best that the West could turn out.

Since the close of school last year we have annexed two more honors, namely Bro. Williams, as business manager of the College paper and Bro. Mould as a member and clerk of the Engineering Tribunal. This Tribunal consists of 4 Seniors and 3 Juniors and is the governing body of the Engineering College. Bro. Fischbach is out for the football team and is sure of a place, so watch Sunday's papers for accounts of Delta Tau Delta's sole representative on the Cincinnati team. Bro. Allen is working for the office of assistant football manager and although the duties are heavy, Tubby is large enough to take charge of them.

And now we come to the busiest part of the fraternity life, namely that of rushing. Men from other chapters

have proved invaluable in suggesting various prospects to us. Several of the pledges are good football material and should easily make the freshman team. The new Pan-Hellenic ruling forbids us to initiate a man until he has passed in the first quarter of his year's work. This ruling makes all the fraternities initiate about the same time. Since the first day of registration we have had rushing parties almost every night and rushing is becoming a habit as much as eating and sleeping.

The Chapter undertook to run the football team's training table for a week pending arrangements at the University Lunch Room. The house was entirely renovated during the summer so we were rather proud to show it off to them. Last Wednesday night the first Pan-Hellenic meeting was held at the house and although the meeting was fiery, everybody enjoyed himself.

After the Karnea several of the brothers from the Georgia chapters stopped over and we had the pleasure of showing them our town, which they saw. We surely will never forget the Karnea and our motto is 1915 or bust, but we fear that several have already busted. The boys estimate that we can walk there in time for the Karnea if we leave here at noon April 9, 1915. Well drop in if you are in town and if you are in the city and can't come up, at least call us up, Avon 1833, and let us know that you are here.

F. STANLEY KRUG, JR.

GAMMA OMICRON

SYRACUSE

At the opening of college this year twenty-two of our active men returned, which was more than we had expected. The rushing season opened a little ahead of college and we have been busy ever since. Thanks to our

alumni, recommendations from other Delts and the good work of our undergraduates, we have landed one junior and six freshmen. By way of introduction they are: Kenneth A. Macomber, Denver, Colo.; James M. Lightbody, Albany, N. Y.; Robert L. Briggs, Salem, N. Y.; Delbert Schneider, Wilkes Barre, Pa.; Robert G. Thew, Lagrangeville, N. Y.; Ethan H. Howe, Bloomington, Ill.; and William E. Johnson, Syracuse N. Y. We hope to add a couple more names to this list before rushing season closes.

Bros. Brown and Shufelt are both on the Varsity football squad and played in the Hobart game which we won with a score of 41 to 0. They also took part in the Hamilton game which resulted in an 18 to 0 victory for Syracuse.

Bro. Lewis has composed a new football song and we hope before long to hear it sung at the games.

Bro. Clyde Burch was elected Advertising Manager of *The Syracuse Daily Orange* as a result of the hard spring competition. Bro. Wilson and pledge Thew are both out for the reportorial staff and will undoubtedly be retained.

Bro. Ogsbury greased up his clarinet and went up to the trials for the University Band; needless to say he copped the job.

Ground has been broken for the new College of Forestry for which \$250,000 was appropriated by the State last spring. A building for the School of Photography is also under construction.

Bros. Burch, Shufelt and Redfield, our delegates to the Karnea, have told us so many interesting tales about their trip to the Hoosier City that we are all sorry that we were not there and are planning to attend the next one if we have to go "Blind."

Among the visitors from other chapters we have had: Bro. Wilson, Beta Lambda; Bros. O'Neil and Prah, l,

Rho; Bro. Cummings, Gamma Nu and Bro. Southworth, Chi.

Bro. Frank Rogers of the Arch Chapter spent an entire week with us. We were somewhat scared at first but soon found out that he was just "one of the boys." He gave us some very helpful advice and amused us with his Swede stories. This was the shortest week of the entire rushing season and we sure did get in some heavy work with his assistance. Bro. Rogers says, "You can lead a mare to water but it takes 'Bull Durham' tobacco."

Remember our front door key is missing and all wearers of the square badge will find a hearty welcome.

N. HOWELL TOPPING.

GAMMA PI

IOWA STATE

Far be it from us to boast, but nevertheless we just can't help feeling that things are coming our way this year. Nineteen old men were on the job two days before the beginning of the term getting the house "dolloed" up and ready to meet the first good looking "Prep" that stepped off the train.

Did we get them? Sure! Here they are—the pick of the incoming class, we claim. "Chick" Evans was the first man to take the right step. He is a live member from Omaha and has already demonstrated his ability to make good in anything he tackles. At present he aspires to hold an office in the "Prep Army." "Scrooge" Scroggie and Ralph Mullen are two lads hailing from Des Moines. They are both football and track men and Mullen in addition has considerable voice. He made the Glee Club. The next man is Frank Loomis. He comes from that justly celebrated hamlet of Marcus—wherever that is—but that doesn't seem to interfere with his ability on the

cornet. He is in the band. Another Iowa product is Mr. J. Wilkin. He also plays in the band and expects to lift numerous honors in the pole vault. Teddy Ptak from Cedar Rapids was the last man to put on the little square button and we are still congratulating ourselves because of it. As a mixer he is there and over, and you should hear the boy coax the harmony out of that cello.

There was considerable rejoicing when the two Dowell brothers and Bro. Earl Houghton again joined our ranks. These men have been away for over a year, but have decided that after all Gamma Pi is the place for them. Bro. Ashby, '13, is also back, though not as a student. This year he is a regular honest-to-goodness member of the faculty and from all reports he seems to be acting the part like an old timer. Bro. McKinley is starring on the Varsity, and we all expect great things of him this season. The football prospects are rosy. Wish we had the space to say a few words about each active, but we must hasten on. Suffice it to say, however, that our men are all well represented in every line of college activity.

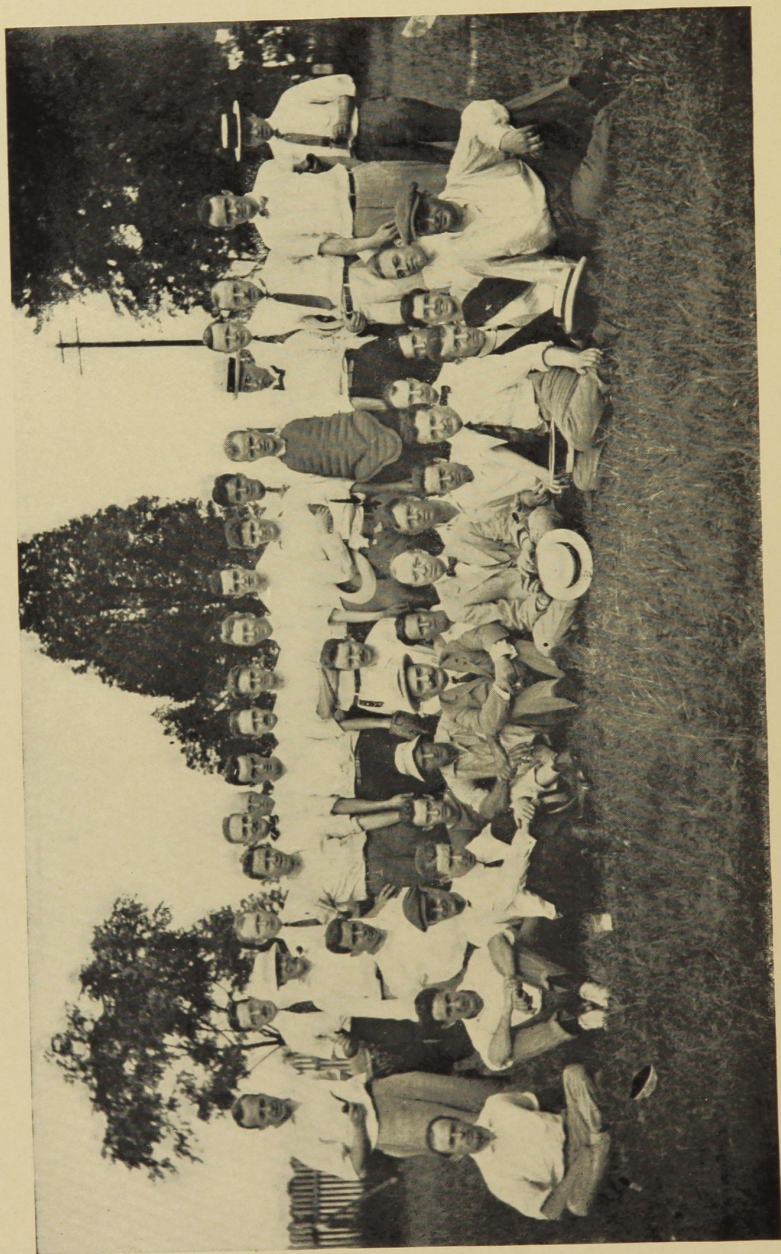
Now, let's talk about the school. The freshman class this year is the largest in history, numbering about 1,300. A notable feature has been the absolute lack of hazing, or "Prepping," as we call it. The sophomores are trying out the brotherly love idea with the above-mentioned remarkable result. The annual pushball contest between the "Preps" and the sophs was held last week, on the old state field, and the result was a 5-5 score. This was a big surprise to all present, for in previous years the game had always been "pie" for the sophs. We might also mention that the enrollment of girls at school this term is almost double that of last year, which of course makes the possibility of date-getting increase in a corresponding ratio.

Two more national fraternities have been installed here, meaning more competition, but, as the poet says, "We should worry."

Our first dance comes October 4th. All are looking forward to a large time.

Don't forget that we hold more space on the map than ever this year. Wandering Delts, make this your headquarters.

PAUL BRADLEY.



N. Y. CLUB'S FIFTH ANNUAL SUMMER OUTING
Pleasure Bay, N. J., July 19, 1913



The Delta Alumni



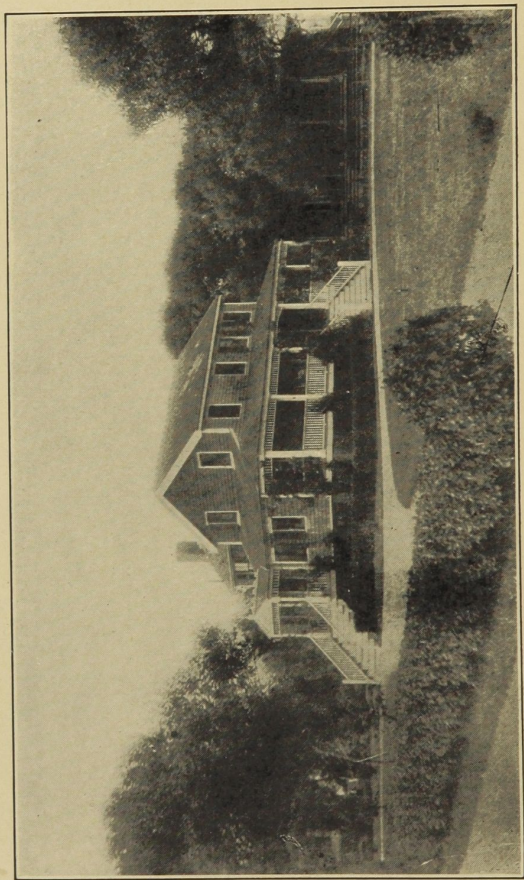
NEW YORK ALUMNI CHAPTER

So much of enjoyment and activity has been crowded into the life of the Chapter since our last record of events for THE RAINBOW that the modest limits of this letter will permit but a brief reference to most of them. In general The Club has been making telling progress. Its increase in membership has been healthy, our bank surplus is good and life in the Club House has been most enjoyable. Much to our surprise the Club House rooms were kept filled throughout the entire summer by many visiting brothers who stopped with us for periods of various length. They hailed from all parts of the country and several from foreign lands. It was a most enjoyable feature of our life and brought us valuable Fraternity information from all sections.

The summer cottage on the Jersey coast provided a very enjoyable addition to our Club life. With its extensive grounds, tennis courts and private bathing beach it enticed many of the brothers from the city and week ends saw the capacity of the cottage tested to the limit. The most important stunt of the summer was the Fifth Annual Clam Bake and baseball game with the Philadelphia Alumni on the 16th of July. This was held at Pleasure Bay, a short distance from the cottage, and no former event has ever been so well attended. Twenty of the Philadelphia men came over in machines and there were thirty-eight of our own rooters on hand. On both teams were many ex-stars of college baseball and the game was really good baseball as well as interesting sport.

We will have to mention that the Philadelphia brothers won the game by one run. After the game everyone was ready to enjoy a dip in the ocean in preparation for the clam bake to follow. It would be impossible to describe the enjoyment of the rest of the evening, but we can say that the grub was not the only enjoyable feature. Whenever the Philadelphia and New York brothers get together there is always a good time on tap. In fact, each alumni chapter feels that any doings of its own are not complete without the participation of the other.

The Club is facing a serious proposition. In the three and a half years of its existence as a Club it has grown by leaps and bounds and its success has surpassed the most sanguine expectations of the organizers. The start was made in a modest way and at no time has the success of the Club been in doubt. The trouble has been that we have so rapidly outgrown our clothes. It took less than two years to outgrow the original house and when we made the move to our present location we thought that we would be settled satisfactorily for several years, but in less than ten months we have outgrown these quarters and find ourselves cramped. The fact is that we are facing the immediate proposition of buying our own property or building. The Club has been of too much pleasure to brothers all over the country as a stopping place when they are visiting New York for us to be compelled to turn them away when they come to town. Even more important is it that we should be able to accommodate with permanent living quarters the younger brothers who come to New York and make their first start in the world. Were it not for the accommodation we offer them they would be condemned to the lone-



N. Y. Club's Summer Cottage
Monmouth Beach, N. J.

someness of the ordinary boarding house. As it is we give them comfortable quarters for a modest charge and in addition they have the fellowship of a chapter home. These and other factors have made an increase in our facilities and further expansion is imperatively necessary.

We had already started a building fund from the sale of stock. With the constantly increasing value of New York real estate the purchase of such stock is a good investment and over \$5,000 worth of it has already been subscribed; but the Club has become so much of a national asset to the whole Fraternity and so valuable a feature for active chapters that we feel that we should offer every member of the Fraternity the opportunity to contribute toward securing a permanent home for the Club which will provide adequate social and business national headquarters. This proposition will be presented to our brothers in detail by the time these lines are read.

Under the painstaking and efficient management of Bro. Brandenburg and with the co-operation of our members the Employment Bureau has placed a good many of our brothers in position since the close of college. Many of these positions have been secured outside of New York and one man has been sent to Germany, one to Japan and three will leave shortly for China. Bro. Brandenburg has struck a new lead in this work which should make the Bureau still more efficient and we feel that this work is one of the most essential enterprises of the Club and a service of great importance to the Brotherhood.

The season of fall activities has begun with us. So far we have been busy helping our neighboring chapters

rush men and we expect to send a large delegation to the initiations of Rho and Gamma Epsilon. Several teas and three dances are scheduled for the winter. The regular annual Get-together dinner will be held the 13th of November and as we have no Conference banquet in New York this year we are planning to make this dinner an especially important occasion. At our October dinner new officers were elected, and as neither persuasion nor threats would induce Bro. Snider to serve another term as President we put in harness another one of our active workers in the person of James Leslie Pinks. The other officers were seduced into sticking to their jobs and Bro. Hillegas was promoted to Bro. Pinks' former office of Vice President, while Bro. McAlister Coleman succeeded Bro. Hillegas as Editor of *The Manhattan Delta*. Committees have been appointed and everybody is on the job in fine shape. The result is that the Club is humming.

We would gladly welcome more non-resident members, but we want to impress on every brother that whether or not he is a member the Club is his home when he is in New York and the warmest kind of a Delt welcome awaits him here.

FRANK ROGERS.

CINCINNATI ALUMNI CHAPTER

Since the last RAINBOW letter the Chapter has suffered a great loss in the death of William M. Tugman who had always been a most loyal member. A brief notice of Bro. Tugman will appear elsewhere in this issue.

The famous Karnea held at Indianapolis last August has been the principal matter of fraternal interest among Delts in this vicinity. A large delegation of the

local alumni and a splendid representation from the Gamma Xi Chapter attended. All had a most enjoyable time and greatly appreciated the efforts made by the Indianapolis brethren to entertain them.

We again extend our fraternal greetings to all the members of the Fraternity and trust that any who may be in this vicinity will make it a point to call on the officers of this Alumni Chapter.

CONSTANT SOUTHWORTH.

SAN FRANCISCO ALUMNI CHAPTER

While we of the "Far West" have always freely admitted that San Francisco was distinctly "on the map," to our Eastern brothers it probably looms up very small in comparison with their own New York, or Chicago, or Boston, or whatever city it may happen to be. Nevertheless, the law of compensation seems to be still in existence—for to San Francisco has been awarded the honor of holding the next Karnea of Delta Tau Delta in the month of August of the year Nineteen Hundred and Fifteen—and it is needless to say that San Francisco will then loom large in the eyes of the world and will be, we trust, the Mecca of at least that portion of the world which wears as its emblem, and swears fealty to, the Square Badge of Delta Tau Delta.

The good news that the Arch Chapter and our Fraternity at large, in convention assembled, had decided that we were fit to assume the responsibility of a Karnea, was telegraphed by our Karnea delegate as soon as the decision was made. Since then the writer has received due official notice of the fact from President Curtis in a letter brimming over with good will and good advice. Our dream is to become a reality!

To those of you who heard our plea with favor and backed us with votes we give heartfelt thanks; to those of you who were "doubting Thomases" or "from Missouri" we can only say that we will do our utmost to prove the wisdom of the selection of San Francisco; and to those of you who had other plans and other ambitions we hereby pledge our aid for the Karneas to come.

Work is before us—much work—but we are ready and eager for it; for the stake is large, the reward great. And our ambition, ever before us, is to hear when the month of September in the year Nineteen Hundred and Fifteen comes around these words from the lips of a mighty throng of Deltas—"That was SOME Karnea!"

And now to earth. Though our RAINBOW letters for the past year or so have been noticable chiefly by their absence, we have not been idle, nor have we retrogressed. Our organization is being constantly and consistently augmented, our meetings and dinners have been well attended and very shortly we expect to resume our bi-weekly luncheons—a feature which we hope will never be discontinued.

From the secretaries of Alumni and Active Chapters, we wish to ask a favor, and that is that the writer be notified, whenever possible, of the removal of any Delt to California or to the Pacific Coast. We do our best to get on the track of new arrivals here, but such aid as has just been asked for would greatly facilitate our efforts.

Covering the entire length of the Ferry Building and facing San Francisco Bay is a huge sign, ablaze with electric lights at night, which bears the words: CALIFORNIA INVITES THE WORLD * * * PANAMA PACIFIC EXPOSITION. Had we our way, this sign would be changed so as to read: SAN FRANCISCO

INVITES THE DELT WORLD * * * KARNEA,
AUGUST NINETEEN FIFTEEN.

E. E. ERTZ.

INDIANAPOLIS ALUMNI CHAPTER

The Karnea is still uppermost in our thoughts, but a detailed account of all that happened there has, fortunately, been given to more capable hands, but the resulting good to this chapter belongs here. We received much more than we gave for, to be truthful, there were a few Delta Taus, even in the Hoosier City, who did not appreciate the full worth of our Fraternity. However, they are no more. No man could be in Indianapolis the week of the Karnea without absorbing a wholesome amount of Delta spirit, and for that we are indebted to you.

Little of importance has happened to this chapter since the last letter. During the summer we had our regular weekly luncheons, which were always well attended. Whether the interest in the coming Karnea was the cause of the good attendance or not remains to be seen.

With all the new enthusiastic blood discovered at the Karnea, mixed with that of the old reliables, we are starting on the best year in the history of the chapter. The "San Francisco Club for 1915" is formed and we will all be there singing "On the banks of the Wabash."

We wish you the very best year in Delta Tau Delta that you have ever known.

RUSSEL T. GARD.

WARREN ALUMNI CHAPTER

The hearts of the members of this chapter have been saddened by the death of Bro. Ralph C. Lathrop which

occurred at his home in Warren, Ohio, on Sunday afternoon, September 7, 1913.

In the death of Bro. Lathrop, the entire community of Warren mourned and as a token of the esteem in which he was held every mercantile house in the city closed its doors during the hour of the funeral. Bro. Lathrop occupied a position in the city of Warren that will be a difficult one to fill.

Bro. Lathrop's death was due to an attack of typhoid fever. His condition was very encouraging up to 4 o'clock on the afternoon of his death. At 4:30 o'clock typhoid meningitis developed, which resulted in his death a half hour later.

Bro. Clare Caldwell, Zeta '02, one of the rising young attorneys of Niles, is the Republican nominee for the office of City Solicitor in his home city. His election at the general election is being predicted as an absolute fact.

Arner B. Clark, Kappa '10, has returned to his duties as Court Reporter after a pleasant summer's vacation, a portion of which time was spent at Toronto, Canada.

Charles B. Kistler, Alpha '86, is the Republican nominee for the office of City Treasurer in Warren, and that he will be elected in November is not being questioned.

Members of this chapter having items of interest concerning members will receive a vote of thanks from the secretary of the chapter if they will send in their items to him for publication in this department. It is being aimed to make this section of THE RAINBOW just a little more interesting to Mahoning and Shenango Valley Delts than any other section. Your co-operation is solicited.

WM. A. RITEZEL.

PORTLAND ALUMNI CHAPTER

The chief thing of interest to the Portland Delts has been the petition of Zeta Phi at the University of Oregon, and the granting of that petition has been the source of a great deal of gratification to us all. Plans are now under way for a systematic backing and boosting of the new chapter, and we expect to see it take front rank in the University in a short time. The new chapter will have our united support and will start its career with an active, interested and experienced "foster" alumni.

During October the annual dinner and election of officers for next year will take place. This will be a general get-together after the summer and the plans for the year will be formulated.

The Saturday luncheons have been somewhat disorganized this summer and at this writing a permanent place for holding the same has not been settled upon. Announcement will be made in the next issue of *THE RAINBOW*.

We have had the pleasure of meeting a number of Delts who have traveled through our city this summer and trust that no Delt will come to Portland without looking us up.

HARRY H. PEARCE.

BOSTON ALUMNI CHAPTER

After the June business meeting the regular meetings were discontinued for the summer months. During July, however, at the invitation of Rufus Folsom, we went on an outing down the Harbor on Rufe's boat. It was an ideal day and fourteen fellows were on deck. After cruising around among the islands in the Harbor, we landed at Nantasket Beach, where some of the fellows

went in for a swim and the rest saw the sights. On going aboard the "Scud" again, we sat down to a very delightful supper which Mrs. Folsom had prepared. The return trip was given over to "close harmony," and recalled to all of us those good old college days. Everybody voted the outing a wonderful success.

We are now looking forward to the All-New England Banquet, and a winter of enjoyable monthly meetings and smoke-talks.

Wandering Delts are particularly invited to make themselves known when in this section, and we will be glad to receive the names of any settling in our vicinity.

Herbert S. Cleverdon was married on June 25th in Rupert, Vermont, to Miss Frances Sheldon. They are now living in Turners Falls, Mass.

On July 7th, Russell D. Wells was married in Sioux Falls, South Dakota, to Miss Clarice Augusta Anderson. Mr. and Mrs. Wells are living next to Art Shaw at 40 Orkney Road, Brookline, Mass.

CARL W. GRAM.

WASHINGTON ALUMNI CHAPTER

We have told you in the past about our organization here. It's a live one all right but as a rule we generally suspend operations during the hot summer months. This year we fooled the bunch and the attendance at our regular monthly luncheons, held the third Saturday of every month at the Ebbit House, has shown that the brothers, old and young, like to get together even in the hottest kind of weather.

Late in July Bro. Hobson, realizing that he could not give sufficient time to the office of President, resigned. Bro. R. D. Danniels was selected to fill that place and

Bro. J. S. Carpenter takes Bro. Danniels place as Vice President. The officers as they now stand are: President, R. D. Danniels; Vice President, J. S. Carpenter; Secretary, Raymond P. Norton; Treasurer, Carl Hawes Butman.

You don't want to think for a minute that you can get through the winter on the pleasant memories of the Karnea—we are not going to let you do it. You all know that the Southern and Eastern Divisions are to hold a joint conference here in Washington. The date set is Feb. 20, 21, 22 and since the 22nd, a holiday, falls on Sunday you can probably include the 23rd. Gamma Eta Chapter and the Washington Alumni Chapter will be your hosts. The general committee is made up of the following men: Chairman, Hon. Irvin S. Pepper; Richard D. Danniels, President Washington Alumni Chapter; Leonard Snider, President New York Alumni Chapter; Arthur N. Chamberlin, Rhese M. Norris, for Gamma Eta, and Raymond P. Norton, Sec. Washington Alumni Chapter. You may rest assured that this committee will do all they can to give you a good time. As Bro. Butman has aptly put it: This will be a Capital Party at the Capitol City.

Arrangements for your entertainment are not yet complete; of course there will be the regular business to attend to, then there will be a smoker, daily luncheons, a sight seeing trip, a dance and last but not least the banquet. There will be more "dope" in the January RAINBOW and we can give you more details then, but let me tell you right now the Delt who misses this Conference will always regret it.

RAYMOND P. NORTON.

KANSAS CITY ALUMNI CHAPTER

With the coming of fall and the passing of the superheated term the Delts of Kansas City are beginning to prepare for another season of activity. The first move was a dinner at the Hotel Baltimore, the evening of September 4th, at which we had the pleasure of entertaining Bro. Harold B. Tharp of the Indianapolis Karnea Committee. These dinners are to be held in the future during the first week of each month, and the weekly luncheons on Thursdays in the Grill Room of the Hotel Savoy. We trust that any wandering brothers who find themselves in the vicinity of Kansas City will endeavor to be with us on such occasions.

The most noteworthy occurrence of late was the departure of our Secretary, Bro. Paul Matchette, who left us in August for Chicago. His loss has left a large gap in the chapter which will be hard to fill, for it was largely due to his unceasing activity that we were able to handle the Western Division Conference last February. However, we live in hopes that it will not take him long to attain such importance in the eyes of Sears, Roebuck & Co. that they will send him back to us as manager of the Kansas City branch.

The date of the Annual Dinner has not yet been decided upon, on account of the hope that the Kansas-Missouri football game will be brought back to this city this year. If the present schedule is adhered to and the game played in Columbia, the Dinner will probably take place the Saturday following Thanksgiving, but we are still hoping for the return of the game to Kansas City, bringing with it the various re-unions which once made the night before the game one long to be remembered.

JAMES R. STALKER.

SEATTLE ALUMNI CHAPTER

We have continued to have good attendance at our weekly luncheons during summer months and the fall season opens with great prospects.

The success of the local chapter in its rushing season will no doubt be noted in the Gamma Mu letter.

At the luncheon just after the opening of school year forty-three attended, mostly Deltas and the balance Delta material.

The association mourns for Bro. H. B. Williams, Chi '05, whose death occurred at Charleston, Wash., on September 3rd and feels keenly its loss and sympathizes deeply with Bro. D. A. Williams and the family. The funeral was held at Monroeville, Ohio, the home of the brothers and sisters.

E. B. CRANE.

GRAND RAPIDS ALUMNI CHAPTER

The opening of the summer furniture season plus the hot weather last June caused the temporary abandonment of our weekly lunches. However, we are getting back into harness and are looking for any and all Delts who happen our way. Saturday noons at the Pantlind will find a group of Delts swapping stories and radiating good fellowship.

F. W. BEDFORD.

DENVER ALUMNI CHAPTER

We kept up our weekly luncheons every Wednesday noon during the summer and now that fall is here our regular monthly dinners, held the last Friday evening of each month, will be resumed in October. Many visit-

ing brothers were with us at our luncheons this summer.

Several of the alumni spent the week-end at Boulder when the University opened in September to assist the the Beta Kappa boys in rushing. A fine lot of freshmen were pledged and all indications point to a most successful year for the chapter.

Bro. A. E. Stirrett was united in marriage to Miss Edith McPherson of Deadwood, S. D. May 24th. They will reside in Deadwood, where "Bull" is County Prosecuting Attorney.

Bro. Chas. A. Lory was re-elected president of the State Agricultural College for a term of two years. Bro. Lory's first year showed a total enrollment of 539, next year 625, 1912 859 and the year just closing 983. We congratulate Bro. Lory on the good work he is doing.

Bro. Jesse Penny Martin was one of the principal speakers at the Flag Day Exercises held in Denver June 14th.

Bro. W. J. Radford of Beta Omega has located here permanently. He is engaged in the practice of mining engineering.

The home of Bro. C. B. Fisher was saddened by the the death of his wife on May 17th.

Bro. George T. Harley was united in marriage to Miss Helen Drake of Pueblo on June 30th. They will reside in Bent, N. M., where George is engaged in mining.

Bro. Norman Read was recently appointed Asst. General Manager of the Colorado Light & Power Co. with headquarters in Denver. Norman was formerly Superintendent of power for the Denver City Tramway Co.

Bro. Leslie O. Hawkins has formed a law partnership with H. Warren at Winnemucca, Nev.

Bro. Ralph Dorn was appointed Captain of Company G of C. N. G.

Bro. "Kink" Irwin severed his connection with the

Adams Express Co. and has gone to Topeka, Kansas, to enter the insurance business.

Bro. Fred Browning has been appointed instructor in the Clayton College, Denver.

Bro. Laurence Messinger was united in marriage to Miss Grace Bradley of Denver on Sept. 23. They will reside in Boulder where Laurence holds a responsible position with the Northern Colorado Power Co.

Bro. Milt. Whittaker, head of the Chemistry Department at Columbia, dropped in to luncheon one Wednesday last summer.

The place of our weekly luncheons, held at 12:30 each Wednesday noon, has been changed from the Standish to the Rex on 15th Street. All visiting brothers and those who are locating in Denver or Colorado permanently should make their presence known to the Secretary, in order that they may join us at our luncheons and monthly dinners.

Every effort will be made by the committee to make our Thanksgiving Banquet the largest ever held. This is held annually the night before Thanksgiving.

W. J. MORRIS.

ST. PAUL ALUMNI CHAPTER

A large gathering of Fraternity members, both alumni and actives, was held at the Commercial Club, St. Paul, on the evening of September 19th, in honor of the election of Bro. Harry Hewitt to the Arch Chapter. After the dinner had been disposed of President Locke of the St. Paul Alumni Chapter took charge of the meeting and after hearing from the guest of the evening, others of those present were called upon to contribute to the pleasure of the occasion. Bros. Morrissey, Grimsley,

and King carried off the story telling honors, though Pres. Locke is something of a romancer himself.

The monthly meetings have been resumed and are well attended.

Bro. Stuart Fuller, whose home is in St. Paul, has been appointed as United States consul at Durban, Natal. This position is regarded as one of the most important in South Africa. Bro. Fuller has been connected with the consulate at Hongkong for a number of years.

Bro. J. H. Bennett, who was one of the framers of the St. Paul City charter, which gives the city a commission form of government, is mentioned for the position of mayor in the election early in the spring.

H. C. BAKER.

BIRMINGHAM ALUMNI CHAPTER

The last business meeting and smoker of the Birmingham Alumni Chapter was held at the University Club, July 19th. Bro. A. B. Harris, Beta Iota, acted as toastmaster, and due to his wit the evening was one of unusual enjoyment. Matters of business occupied the early part of the evening. Bro. F. P. Cheape, Beta Theta, was elected president; Bro. F. B. Cornwell, Beta Omicron, secretary and treasurer. Bros. J. S. Winters, Beta Xi, and F. P. Cheape, Beta Theta, were elected delegates to the 42nd Karnea.

After matters of business had been disposed of Bro. Harris made a very enjoyable talk, recalling many escapades of college days at Beta Iota. The toastmaster called on many of the brothers for speeches and all responded warmly. Among the more prominent speakers of the evening were: Bro. P. H. Woodall, Beta Theta, and Bro. Wilbur G. Brown, also of Beta Theta, and a

contemporary of Archie Butt. Both of these brothers gave delightful talks. Bro. J. S. Winters, Beta Xi, proved to be the "livest" Delt of the bunch, and it was unanimously decided that he was the Youngest old Delt in Dixie. Those who met him at the Karnea will, I am sure, agree with us on this point.

The meeting was such a marked success that we intend to hold another smoker about November 1st. All Delts in this vicinity are cordially invited, and the further away you come from, the warmer will be your reception.

Bro. C. W. Cornell, Beta Omicron, has recently moved to California.

Bros. T. R. Stewart and A. T. Stewart, both of Beta Epsilon, and E. C. Armes, Beta Theta, have recently located in Birmingham. Our present roll call consists of:

Bros. A. B. Harris, Beta Iota; J. L. Lutz, and F. B. Cornell, Beta Omicron; Smith Cullom, Jr., Phi; E. M. Durham, A. C. Ramsey and L. W. Janeway, Lehigh; Tom Epperson, Jr., and I. L. Gordon, Lambda; P. M. Graves, Beta Alpha; W. L. Cozzens, Beta Phi; R. W. Williamson, Boston Tech; C. I. Baker, Tau Prime; R. D. Tobien, Zeta; A. T. Stewart and T. R. Stewart, Beta Epsilon; Paul Becker, Gamma Xi; G. J. Robertson, Pi; J. S. Winters, Beta Xi; W. G. Brown, R. E. Cloud, E. C. Armes, F. P. Cheape, James MacKenzie, P. H. Woodall and F. A. Sharpe, Beta Theta. All Delts coming to Birmingham should communicate with F. B. Cornell and F. P. Cheape, 1004 Brown Marx Bldg., Phone Main 2817.

F. P. CHEAPE.

ROCHESTER ALUMNI CHAPTER

After our summer vacation The Rochester Alumni Chapter which by the way will be only one year old on

January 12, 1914, is planning a very strenuous winter campaign to get new members. About thirty Deltas are known to be in Rochester and towns immediately surrounding. There are undoubtedly some who because they have not been discovered have felt timid about making themselves known. This is not right, what we want is the name and if possible, the active co-operation of every Delta living within a day's journey of Rochester.

Meetings are held the last Thursday of each month except during the vacation season. Headquarters for our monthly dinners are at the Rochester Club. Out of town visitors will quickly get in touch by seeing or phoning President L. D. Woodworth of the C. F. Garfield Real Estate Co. or Secretary W. Slayton Wilson, the Wilsonia Apartments, 54-62 Chestnut St. Our Karnea Delegates report a most successful gathering of the square badge men and that our 1913 convention will go down in Delta Tau Delta history as one of the most successful in the history of the Fraternity.

During the coming winter visits *en masse* to our neighboring chapters at Cornell and Syracuse University are projected.

The Secretary spent two days of the rushing season with Bro. Frank Rogers at the Syracuse Chapter and by observation it looks to him that the men that have been pledged are mighty promising material for the Fraternity.

W. SLAYTON WILSON.

BUFFALO ALUMNI CHAPTER

We are glad to have this opportunity of sending in this, our first Alumni Chapter letter from the City of Buffalo. Last year before the permanent organization of the Buffalo Alumni Chapter was effected, we had an

opportunity to write something for an issue of THE RAINBOW.

A little of the history of this organization may be of interest. Until November, 1912, the Alumni of the fraternity residing in and about Buffalo had never gotten together. At that time less than twenty met for the first Delta Tau Delta dinner, which was held at the University Club. Since that time we have been able to locate about forty members of our Fraternity who live in this vicinity.

After the dinner held in November a dinner was held regularly each month of the year, the last one occurring in June. After a two months' rest the dinners have been resumed, the first dinner this fall coming on October 1st. At the permanent organization of this Alumni Chapter it was decided to hold a regular monthly dinner on the first Wednesday of every month (except July, August and September) at the University Club.

During the year which is past, some Delts have taken up their residence in Buffalo for the first time and others have moved away from the city and in this way our membership has been, and I presume will continue to be, a changeable quantity.

Every Thursday the Delts who lunch down-town get together at the Genesee Hotel in much the same fashion as the weekly luncheons are held in New York. We hope to make these weekly luncheons even more popular than they were last year. We shall be glad to have with us on Thursdays any Delts who may be in Buffalo for the day. We wish that any alumnus of our Fraternity living in this vicinity who reads this letter and has not received notices of our dinners, would make his presence known in order that his name may be added to our list.

We shall be glad to have the Secretaries in active chapters notify us of any of their alumni who are in this section of the country.

EARL P. NORTH.

ATLANTA ALUMNI CHAPTER

Being only a very youthful Chapter, in fact only a little over a month old, our deeds are not many, though our intentions are good. Only seven showed up at our first little "get-together." At our next, when we had our first banquet, fifteen were on hand, together with a few out of town alumni. Now that we are organized little trouble is anticipated in rounding up the whole herd of Delts who are now living in and about Atlanta.

There is nothing more difficult than to write when here is nothing to write about. Therefore this letter is going to be brevity personified. Nothing has happened since the Karnea, although plans are now being made for another banquet at the University Club during the next week or ten days. Here our active organization will begin.

Remember we take delight in catering to out of town Delts or any wayfarer who finds himself in this territory. That is what we are here for, and so should you find it possible, come and be welcomed.

KENYON B. ZAHNER.

ALPHA

'09—Bro. Wm. Cappeau was married this summer to Miss Louise Lord of Meadville, Pa.

'09—Bro. C. F. Lewis is engaged in newspaper work in Meadville during a temporary lapse in his law course at Univ. of Pittsburgh.

'11—Bro. Bruce W. David completed a course in electrical engineering at Harvard this spring and now has a position in Cleveland.

'12—Bro. A. Reuttgers is instructor in mathematics in Allegheny College.

'12—Bro. H. T. Lavelly has entered Boston Theological Seminary.

Ex-'12—Bro. Ellery Stetson is studying law in Meadville.

'13—Bro. C. E. Hinckley is teaching at Connellsville, Pa.

'13—Bro. V. W. Fugate is engaged in engineering for the Baltimore and Ohio R. R.

'13—Bro. H. H. Denison is principal of the high school at Edinboro, Pa.

'13—Bro. E. J. Hall has a fellowship and is instructor in English in Pennsylvania State College.

'13—Bro. J. W. Mates is teaching and coaching athletics at East Liberty Academy, Pittsburgh, Pa.

BETA

'69—Bro. Eversole is living a retired life in his home, Aurora, O.

Ex-'72—Bro. Long, former principal of the Chicago Public Schools has recently been located; living a retired life at the Royal Hotel, Indianapolis, Ind.

'05—Bro. T. N. Hoover and wife were recently the proud parents of a future Delt.

Ex-'06—Bro. Wells is now a member of the law firm of Foster and Wells, Athens, O.

Ex-'06—Bro. Cooley is the superintendent of a mine near Nelsonville, O.

'07—Bro. Gullum is professor of chemistry and athletic coach at East High, Columbus, O.

'07—Bro. Hawk is professor of physics at Lancaster High, Lancaster, O.

'09—Bro. Wisda is located at Rawlins, Wyoming, and is county engineer.

'09—Bro. Rhys Evans is professor of physics at Harvard.

Ex-'09—Bro. Fred Finsterwald is a sophomore at S. O. M. C., Columbus, O.

Ex-'10—Bro. Clemmer has located permanently in the contracting business in his home town, Hicksville, O.

'10—Bro. Kerr is running his farm near Hicksville, O.

Ex-'12—Bro. "Twink" Starr has charge of the Dental Dep't. of the Ohio Epileptic Institution, Gallipolis, O.

'12—Bro. Langenberg assumes his duties as professor of metallurgy in Harvard this year.

'12—Bro. Roy Blythe graduates in law at O. S. U. this year.

'13—Bro. "Si" Micklethwaite enters the Medical Dept. of Johns Hopkins this fall.

'13—Bro. Blizzard was recently made professor of psychology in Jamestown College, Jamestown, N. D.

Ex-'13—Bro. "Mike" Riley is in the employ of the B. & O. R. R. at Wheeling, W. Va.

Ex-'14—Bro. "Ned" Bean is located at Chattanooga, Tenn.

Ex-'15—Bro. Art Lynn has a permanent civil engineering job in Portsmouth, O.

Ex-'15—Bro. Fishel and wife were the parents of a fine large son, Sept. 6.

Ex-'15—Bro. "Bill" Hartford is to be married to Miss Inez Logan, Alpha Xi Delta, of this city, October sixth.

EPSILON

'10—Bro. Earle C. Hayer spent the summer at Epsilon's

Chapter House, and has now returned to his position as assistant coach at the Mississippi Ag. College.

'10—Bro. Harry Saxton gave us an extended visit during the summer months, and has now returned to his position as instructor in the Todd School for Boys, Woodstock, Ill.

'11—Bro. Melvin Hollinshead is traveling for the Brochon Engraving Co.

'12—Bro. Mark Shattuck is attending the Chicago University Post-Graduate School.

'12—Bro. Ralph Henderson who has been spending the summer in Albion returned Sept. 30th to resume his post-graduate work in the Chicago University.

'12—Bro. Warren J. Williams has accepted a position as coach at the Mississippi State Normal School.

ETA

73—Since receiving the letter of the Cincinnati Alumni Chapter, we are advised that our earnest brother, Clarence Pumphrey, has been honored with election by the Supreme Council of Scottish Rite Masons to receive the Thirty-Third Degree. This is a rare honor in that organization and is given to comparatively few. It not only marks the high esteem of his Masonic brethren but is the cap stone of an active Masonic career. His long and loyal devotion and service to Masonry has been but a counterpart of that which he has bestowed on Delta Tau Delta, both as a worker in the ranks and as a member of the Arch Chapter.

KAPPA

There were present, at the twelfth biennial banquet of Kappa, besides the members of the active chapter, Bros.

W. L. McKay, of the Arch Chapter, Pres. J. W. Mauck, '75, Dr. J. T. Ward, '67, Prof. H. B. Larrabee, '75, Prof. C. H. Gurney, '72, Judge F. H. Stone, O. C. Kimball, '01, F. M. Cook, C. F. Cook, Jr. (Delta Chapter), Dr. E. A. Martindale, '95, C. L. Rowe, Ralph Rowe, Clifford Ranney, W. E. Stewart, '11, Chas. F. Stewart, '08, C. W. Sheppard, '09, Glenn Porter, '09, F. D. Tinkham, '12, Asher Hadley, Ferman Scott, Geo. W. Beal, '12, Conway Peters and Irving Miller.

'87—The new address of Prof. S. B. Harvey, is Tientsin, China (Care Pei Yang University). This is Prof. Harvey's fourth year in the Orient and he is having fine success in his teaching.

'08—Bro. Benj. R. Larrabee, is the new pastor of the First Presbyterian Church at Fredonia, N. Y., where he is enjoying his new field of endeavor very much.

'09—Bro. Carey Sheldon, has been recently admitted to the Ohio bar and is practicing with characteristic merit in Ashtabula, his home city.

'10—Our hearty congratulations to Bro. Earl Watkins, who was married in August to Miss Mildred Petchell.

'11—Bro. Waldron E. Stewart, was married on Sept. 1st to Miss Neta Sawyer, at the home of the bride's parents in Richmond, Virginia. Kappa certainly wishes them "the best that life can hold." Bro. Stewart is in business in Hillsdale.

'12—Bro. Geo. W. Beal, has accepted a position as coach and instructor in math. in the Iowa Wesleyan, and is doing well in his new work.

'13—Bro. Arthur H. Jones, is at the U. of M. this year, where he is making good use of a fellowship. His major is Sociology.

'13—Bros. Edw. and Frank Arthur are teaching in

prep. schools, at Detour, Michigan, and White Plains, New York, respectively.

'13—Bro. Roy Harding, is taking advanced work in Columbia this year.

'15—Bro. Wm. H. Ball, of Muncie, Indiana, is at home, not yet recovered from his serious illness of last June. Kappa will miss Bro. "Bill" exceedingly this year.

'15—Bros. Herschel Ackerman of Fort Wayne, Ind., Lyle Dickerson, Bellaire, Mich., and Karl Katzenmeyer, Hillsdale, Mich., are not in school, but we hear good things of them in a business way.

'16—Bro. Manson Carpenter, has entered the U. of M. law school. "Carp" has our hearty wishes.

MU

'70—Washington Gardner, former United States Congressman, was elected commander-in-chief of the Grand Army of the Republic, at the annual encampment at Chattanooga, Tenn., in September.

'02—Prof. W. W. Sweet, for the last two years, connected with the history department of Ohio Wesleyan University, is now head of that work in De Pauw University, Greencastle, Ind.

'02—I. E. Martin is connected with the state auditor's office in Columbus, O.

'09—George Whitehead, city editor of the Delaware *Journal Herald*, was married to Miss Grace McCarty, of Delaware, in July.

'12—H. "Slim" Hoover was married to Miss Miriam McCabe, of Delaware, in June. Hoover is employed on the Canton (O.) Repository.

'12—Leo I. Gibbons, who last year was assistant in in the men's gym, was joined in wedlock to Miss Pauline

Searles, of Akron, in September. "Gibby" holds a position in the offices of an Akron rubber factory.

'12—David Mitchell was married to Miss Fay Conrad, of Clyde, in September. Bro. Mitchell is working in a bank at his home in St. Clairsville, O.

'13—Paul E. Hutchinson is enrolled in the Western Reserve law school, Cleveland.

'13—Paul B. Sears is taking post graduate work at Nebraska University, Lincoln, Neb.

'13—Stephen C. Ladd is employed on the Elgin (Ill.) *Daily News*.

TAU

'73—L. A. Crandell is located in Minneapolis, Minn. His address is 1915 Colfax Ave.

'73—R. S. Hampton of Titusville, Pa., retired from active business last spring. He writes that he intends to motor to Lexington, Ky., this fall.

'73—C. H. McKee is in the law firm of McKee, Alter, & Mitchell of Pittsburgh, Pa.

'74—C. G. Campbell is located at Ebensburgh, Pa.

'74—O. P. Downing is living in San Francisco, Cal. at 2931 Scott St.

'74—A. E. Osborne is living at Santa Clara and Las Gatos Roads, Santa Clara, Cal.

'09—J. W. Loose is now in business at Steelton, Pa. He stopped off at college this summer while on a motor trip through the state. He had his wife and a fine baby girl with him.

'09—C. M. Martsoff has a position at Case Tech., Cleveland, Ohio. His address is 1840 Ansell Road, N. E.

'09—W. C. Richey has his own business at Blairsville, Pa.

'09—H. F. Burkholder is located at 433 Library Ave., Carnegie, Pa.

'10—"Dutch" Mattern and his wife spent a large part of the past summer at State College, Pa. They are now living in Altoona, Pa., where "Dutch" works for the Pennsylvania Railroad.

'10—Jack Taylor is with the Allegheny Steel Company at Brackenridge, Pa.

'10—W. B. Nissley now holds an important position in the Horticultural Department at Penn State. He was married August last to Miss Louise Cox of State College, Pa. The happy couple are now living on Beaver Avenue, State College, Pa.

'11—P. K. Devers is with the General Electric Company at Lynn, Mass.

'11—"Shorty" Hollister reports a very enjoyable time at the Karnea. He is with the Santa Fe, at Albuquerque, N. M.

'11—L. E. Schwartz is located at Gallitzen, Pa.

'12—C. H. Nissley is in Canada.

'12—H. S. Cocklin was married in August to Miss Emma Campbell of Mechanicsburgh, Pa. "Cocky" is now on the Penn State faculty and is making his home at W. College Ave., State College, Pa.

Ex-'12—J. F. Morrison is with the New York Central lines at Jersey Shore, Pa.

'13—G. A. Barker is with the Northway Motor Company, Detroit, Mich. He writes that he is prospering and expects to own the concern in a few years. His address is 981 17th Street, Detroit, Mich.

'13—M. M. Grubbs is with the Lee, Higginson Company, Stocks and Bonds, Chicago, Ill. Mert reports the brokerage business as very fine. His address is Box 19, Y. M. C. A., Oak Park, Ill.

'13—C. H. Knauer is with a gas engine company at

Oshkosh, Wis. "Skeet" says the business is fine and he has an excellent position. He lives at 84 Washington Avenue, Oshkosh, Wis.

'13—Earl Moffitt is located at Lancaster, Pa., where he is doing Soil Survey work for the state. His address up until December 1st will be 401 W. Orange St., Lancaster, Pa.

'13—H. N. Reist is at home in Mount Joy, Pa.

'13—Ralph Townsend returned to college to take some special work and incidentally to teach a little surveying.

'13—"Bob" Whitney is working for the government in Maryland near Washington, D. C. He reports hard work and is preparing for civil service. His address is 1128 B St., N. E., Washington, D. C.

Ex-'13—B S. Russell is located at Tarrytown, N. Y.

Ex-'13—"Petey" Townley is living at 159 Chelsea St., Long Branch, N. J.

Ex-'14—D. S. Hastings is at his home in Ben Avon, Pa.

Ex-'14—Bill Lacock is studying dentistry at the University of Pittsburgh.

Ex-'15—Fred Moffitt is studying medicine at the University of Pennsylvania.

PHI

'03—B. D. Causey re-entered college in 1911 and received his L.H.B. this year.

'04—G. G. Worthen, now located in Little Rock, Ark., attended the Karnea.

'05—Dr. E. S. Boice, who was married last summer to Miss Caughy of Baltimore, recently paid the Chapter a short visit.

'05—E. S. Shields is teaching "Corporations" and "Contracts" in the Washington and Lee Law School.

'07—W. K. Ramsey, Jr., was recently married in El Paso, Texas, to Miss Eleen Walz.

'11—R. M. Winborne, attorney-at-law, Roanoke, Virginia, was our alumni delegate to the Karnea.

'12—Arthur Fant was at the Karnea.

Ex-'13—W. L. Hogue visited the Chapter during finals.

'13—B. F. Fiery, who was expected to return to school this year, has entered Harvard Law Department.

'13—C. B. Foster has "hung out his shingle" in Pine Bluff, Arkansas.

Ex-'15—J. G. Boatwright is in business with Delvell Tobacco Co., Danville, Va.

Ex-'15—E. M. Barbee has a position with the Walton Construction Co., at Brick Church, Tennessee.

PSI

'10—Brother Harry Post is now Manager of the Cleveland branch of the Goodyear Rubber Co.

'11—We are informed that both Brother Hirschman and Brother Barton have decided that it is time to leave the ranks of the unattached eligibles. Brother Barton is engaged to Miss Alice Showalter of Van Wert, O., and Brother Hirschman to Miss Edna Cuthbertson of Wooster.

'12—Brother "Mark" Hanna is with the U. S. Rubber Co. in Philadelphia.

'12—Brother "Rube" Evans is in Chicago again, attending McCormick Theological Seminary.

'13—We hear that Brother Brown is having great success as a demonstrator for the Hoosier Kitchen Cabinet Co. His work so far has been chiefly in Ohio.

'13—Brother "Ikey" Digel is in the Cleveland branch of the Goodyear Rubber Co.—another of Psi's rubber magnates.

BETA GAMMA

'09—Bro. Sperry Orr was up from St. Louis on his annual "loaf," and looks as prosperous as ever.

'12—Bro. Frank Hecht runs up to Madison ever and anon to see about selling the University a few of the famous Koestner and Hecht elevators.

'12—Bro. Kirk Sullivan is about due for a visit in time for the Minnesota game. Bro. Sullivan is laboring in Chicago.

'12—Bro. D. H. B. Riley spent a few days with us recently before returning to Berlin, Germany, to continue his studies in chemistry.

'13—Bro. Norman English is here bidding farewell to the boys before he leaves for Seattle to hang out his shingle and try cases for everyone from the mayor to the chief of police.

'13—Bro. Ray Baldwin writes that he will make strenuous efforts to get here for the homecoming on November first, and we shall make strenuous efforts to have him do so.

'13—Bro. John Davies is selling life insurance in Madison this year, and gives us the pleasure of his company frequently.

'13—Bro. Paul Baker is in the hardware business in Peabody, Kansas, and writes that he is as hard as nails.

'13—Bro. George Murphy is spending a year at home. His address is Oconto, Wisconsin.

'14—Bro. William Wegge is back in school this fall to the joy of everyone.

'14—Bro. G. J. M. Cooper writes from the wilds of Saskatchewan that farm life agrees with him immensely.

BETA MU

'91—Warner H. Fiske has gone to Spain with the Ebro Light and Irrigation Co.

'91—Fred Teele visited the States last spring and came out to the "Hill" to see us.

'93—H. G. Chase is still around Boston. "Come out and see us Harry."

'94—C. St. Clair Wade, professor of Greek at Tufts has been granted a year's leave of absence by the Faculty.

'03—The Chapter wishes to thank Bro. Merrit for his short word of advice.

'07—"Tite" Mergendahl joined the ranks of the benedicts this summer.

'08—"Bank" Bennett blew into the Karnea this summer and enjoyed himself.

'09—"Ed" Chase called up Bro. Hulen on the 'phone here at the house recently.

'09—"Frankie" Gordon put us in the track of some good Arlington High men.

'10—George Hulen is still over in the land of the "Dons."

'10—Mac Curdy has gone and done it. Best wishes "Mac."

'10—Prentice Williams Towsley has returned to us as an assistant instructor in the Structural Engineering Department.

'11—B. D. Hulen has left Harvard Law School.

'11—C. H. Mergendahl has gone to Lynn as a teacher.

'12—"Bill" Hight blew around here this fall.

'13—Bro. B. A. Hazeltine is at Amherst College as instructor in surveying and math.

'13—Bro. J. L. Keegan is with us again as assistant instructor in history working for an A.M.

'13—Bro. Robnett spent a few days with us last spring.

'13—"Lew" Sterling is working for the Barrett Manufacturing Co., and comes out in a Ford to visit us.

'13—Bro. Stryker is with the Western Electric, N. Y.

BETA NU

'96—Bill Wall was the chief entertainer of the Beta Nu men at the Karnea. His kindness was much appreciated by the delegates and alumni who were there.

'97—Ed. Homes is the architect and general manager of the Ferrolite Construction Co. which he organized to assist in the rebuilding of San Francisco.

'05—John T. Glidden is carrying on general mining work in Peru, South America.

'08—"Bert" Hollingsworth is the Vice Pres. and Treas. of the Ralph Manley Agency Ltd. which is doing a land office business in Moose Jaw, Canada.

'10—Swift Nash is in the dry goods business in St. Joseph, Mo.

'11—"Mike" Greenleaf spent about a week with us just before school opened while in Boston on a business trip. He is with the Gray and Davis people.

'12—"Ab" Gallagher and Tod Greenleaf were among those who were at the Karnea. They arrived just in time for the banquet and nearly missed being registered.

'12—"Heinie" Babcock very nearly motored to the Karnea from Chicago. Nevertheless we were glad to see him even though he did come on the train.

Ex-'13—"Phil" Capen has entered the Pratt Institute in Brooklyn to study the tannery business.

Ex-'13—"Stan" Merrill has gone into the grocery business and is supplying most of the tables at the Houses here at the Institute.

Ex-'14—Tom Chase is working for the City of Boston as a concrete inspector. He drops in to see us occasionally.

Ex-'15—"Bert" Adams appeared at the Karnea and those who were there are certain he had a good time.

Ex-'16—Don Choate has deserted the Institute to enter Yale Sheff.

BETA RHO

'98—George Busch is practicing law in San Francisco.

'01—Roy Phelps sells real estate with the T. C. Barnett Co. in San Jose, Cal.

'02—"Bones" Potter is in the insurance business in San Francisco.

'03—Dr. Charles M. Richards is one of the leading physicians of San Jose, Cal.

'03—Jud Crary is Vice-President of the Bank of Richmond, Cal.

'03—"Dude" Crary is cashier of the First National Bank at Richmond, Cal.

'03—Harold Hall is superintendent of construction for the Sierra and San Francisco Power Co. Isn't married yet.

'06—Paul Williams is a stone contractor of San Jose, Cal.

'07—George Spurrier is with the E. A. Howard Lumber Co. in San Francisco.

'08—Ross Harbaugh is a San Francisco doctor.

'09—"Jocko" Josselyn dropped in at the house recently. His home is in Berkeley.

'10—"Dutch" Ehrhorn sells insurance in San Francisco, and other places, for the Atlas Insurance Co. He visits Stanford quite often.

'10—Cleve Wright practices law in San Francisco.

'10—Winn Holmes is now a benedict of Wichita, Kansas.

'12—Jimmie Thomas is farming at Las Vegas, Nevada.

'12—Neill Wilson is dramatic editor of the San Francisco Examiner.

'12—F. Q. Wilson is practicing law in San Jose, Cal.

'13—Crawford Bryan is at Napa, Cal.

'13—"Mick" McConnell is traveling for Gilfilan Bros., gold refiners of Los Angeles, California.

'13—Al. Phillips is studying medicine at Western Reserve University.

'13—"Jim Mac" McInerny is in the grocery business in Los Angeles.

'13—"Tury" Turysin is in the insurance business in San Francisco.

BETA UPSILON

'99—Harvey E. Wood is now mayor of Joliet. He ran against a democratic majority but easily overcame it.

'01—W. C. Chipps has been appointed manager of the Chicago branch of the American Brake Shoe and Foundry Company.

'01—Bryant Dedman is with The Maryland Steel Company at Baltimore.

'03—Fred Lowenthal has spent the past summer in Europe devoting most of his time to Germany.

'04—Kit Holtzman's present address is Hastings-on-Hudson, N. Y.

'05—Ralph Beck was married to Miss Bessie Rasmussen at Sioux City.

'05—Bert Hull is traveling auditor out of Chicago for the Bell Company.

'06—Miss Lottie Nebeker became Mrs. Harry Beers at Ogden, Utah recently. They will live at Logan, Utah.

'07—Zero Welch was married June 18 to Miss Lucile Nyman Knott at Tiffin, Ohio, where they will live.

'07—H. T. Wheelock is now manager of the Velie Motor Vehicle Company of Moline, Illinois.

'07—Rush Hess has returned to Ecuador after a short visit in the states.

'07—W. R. Ross is located with the National Land Sales Company at Detroit.

'11—Bradley C. Gardner was married October 1 to Miss Bessie Barker of Chicago. Their present address is 815 West Seventy-eighth Street.

'11—Miss Fannie Brigham of Glencoe, Illinois, became Mrs. Paul Brown on August 11. They will live at 632 Hinman Avenue, Evanston.

'12—"Bud" Ramey was married October 8 to Miss Nell Holland of Freeport, Illinois.

'12—R. M. Haig is attending Columbia University this year.

Ex-'13—"Dobby" Froyd has entered Northwestern Medical College.

'13—"Rusty" Bainum is an instructor in the Aurora High School.

'13—Clarence Churchill is practicing "Ag" near Hobart, Indiana.

Ex-'15—Julian Smith was recently married to Miss Maud Dammasch, at Portland, Oregon. Their address will be 409 Sixteenth Avenue, north, Seattle, Wash.

Ex-'16—Paul Gibson is farming with "Seedie" near Stuttgart, Arkansas.

BETA PHI

'01—Bro. Harry Scarlett is running for City Solicitor on the Republican ticket.

'05—Bro. "Sox" Raymond is connected with the Sociology Department at Ohio State.

'07—Bro. Ollie Gibsen has put his shingle up, and is now practicing law. His office is in the Union National Bank Building.

'12—Bro. "Mickey" McFadden was with us part of the rushing season. He is in the hardware business at Cadiz, O.

'12—Bro. "Skinney" Scarlett is a frequent visitor at the Chapter House and takes a live interest in the bunch. He is connected with the Forrest Realty Co.

Bro. Jake Shanan is with the Central Ohio Paper Co.

BETA OMEGA

'99—(ex Theta) John J. White is living at 138 Alpine St., San Francisco. Bro. White has recently given up his business affairs and has reentered the ministry, being the pastor of the First Christian Church of San Francisco.

'00—Dr. Percival Dolman, after several years study abroad, has returned to San Francisco and resumed his practice, limited to the eye, with offices in the Butler Building, 135 Stockton Street.

'03—Jack Carrigan was around to pull out the third floor at the "umpth" hour.

'04—Melvin Jeffries is to be congratulated on the arrival of a little "Jeff" last month.

'10—"Fui" Brayton comes around once in a while for a tennis game with his old rivals, "Jeff," and Bro. Brad-dock and Kinaird, from Omega Chapter.

'13—Leigh Rogers, Dick Jones and Bob Hunt happen around often to "mount the board" with the boys.

'13—Ken White is in Alaska with the Treadwell Mining Company.

Ex-'14—"Oz" Lawton has been seen at the house quite frequently this term.

Ex-'15—"Artie" Latham was around to help initiate the "Fresh."

Ex-'16—"Gup" Bougher and "Supe" Graham stopped

off here on their way to Ames, Iowa, to enter the Agricultural College there.

Ex-'16—Roy Crocker is attending Cornell this year.

GAMMA GAMMA

'06—VanDusen Fishback is assistant cashier of the First National Bank of Brooking's, South Dakota.

'10—"Bill" Noyes was married on September 25 to Miss Marguerite Niver of Oak Park, Ill.

'11—"Jerry" Barnes is with the Travelers' Life Insurance Company, at St. Louis, Mo.

'11—"Dwink" Dwinell is at the Harvard Medical School.

'12—"Unc" Bellows is in the real estate business with Charles W. Whittier & Co., at Boston, Mass. He is engaged to Miss Rachael Chase of Springfield, Mass.

'12—"Hi" Bugbee is an instructor in Chemistry in Technical High School, Springfield, Mass.

'12—"Bill" Kent was married on September 1, to Miss Olive Burrows of Passaic, N. J.

'13—"Ole" Blanchard is at Tuck School.

'13—"Bill" Butler is in the statistical bureau of the Beaver Co., Buffalo, N. Y.

'13—"Tubby" Merrill is at the Tuck School.

'13—"John Joseph" Scarry is with a paper manufacturing co. at East Walpole, Mass.

'13—"Cush" Stanley is with a paper concern in Chicago, Ill.

'13—"Dutch" Schulte is at the Medical School.

'13—"Warde" Wilkins is traveling for the New England Underwriters' Commission.

'13—"Squire" Wilson is at present at the Mt. Washington, Bretton Woods, New Hampshire.

'13—"Marc" Wright is learning the shoe business at Doldgeville, New York.

'14—"Davie" Davidson is making a great success of his Chatauqua Bureau in Cleveland.

GAMMA THETA

'05—Will Bailey is principal of a big high school at Atchison, Kansas.

Ex-'07—"Moss" Wood has been with us again. He is a member of a prominent engineering firm at Kansas City.

Ex-'08—Leonard Oeshsli is the minister at the English speaking church at Singapore, China. He came to see us before leaving this country.

'08—K. K. Simmons is practicing law at Hutchinson, Kansas.

'09—"Dyke" O'Neil is in the law business at Osage City, Kans. He drove up in his car and stayed several days at the house.

Ex-'09—"Tink" Conger is in the lumber business at Yates Center. He became a benedict a few days ago. Mrs. Conger was Miss Nina Baurfeldt, a former Baker girl.

'11—George Counts married Miss Lois Bailey, recently. They will live in Chicago, while George attends Chicago University.

Ex-'12—Howard Rapp is a married man, now. He is in the mercantile business at Kokomo, Indiana.

'12—Virgil Wood is a banker at Burlington, Kansas. He made an extended visit with friends and us at the opening of school.

'13—"Govy" Hoch is editor of the Marion Record at Marion, Marion County, Kansas. He is with us now on his way to Kansas City to purchase a car.

GAMMA IOTA

'07—Bro. Buckley is practicing law in Vera Cruz, Mexico.

'12—Frank Feuille has gone to El Paso, Texas, to practice law independently.

'13—Jamie Andrews is located in Clifton, Arizona, practicing his profession of a mining engineer.

'13—Luther Hoffman is practicing law in Denton Texas.

Ex-'13—F. C. Linn is located at Clifton, Arizona, being engaged in surveying work.

Ex-'13—R. E. Carroll is working in a bank at Texarkana, Texas.

Ex-'13—B. F. Wilson has gone into the real estate business at Corpus Christi, Texas.

Ex-'13—Caldwell Nagle has gone into automobile racing. He has been racing in Colorado during the past summer.

GAMMA LAMBDA

'05—Bro. Lynn Knowlton is still with the H. L. Bass firm of architects, in Indianapolis. He has taken care of the steel and reinforced concrete details for most of their work in recent years.

'05—Bro. Frank Banta is still farming near Franklin, Indiana, and adding more land to his already broad acres. His is a happy family, which includes two mighty lively little girls.

'05—Bro. Joel Barlow is in the service of the Central Union Telephone Company, and has recently been transferred from Galesburg, Ill., to Rock Island, Ill.

'06—Bro. Mike Sheedy is now Safety Inspector of the Pennsylvania Lines, East. He visited us near the end

of school last year, and gave a demonstration before the assembled engineering students of the efficacy of the various devices he is testing and installing for the protection of life and limb.

'07—Bro. Parkin Sowden is now located in Toronto, Canada. He is superintendent of the Standard Silver Company, of that city.

'07—Bro. Frank Woodworth is the proud parent of three fine youngsters, two girls and a boy. He is Assistant Superintendent at the Gram Motor Works, Lima, Ohio.

Ex-'08—Bro. Prentice L. Hans is in Moline, Ill., when not on the road. He has a very interesting position in the experimental department of the Deere Mfg. Co., and is following the field work on a new and improved harvesting machine, which takes him all over this country and into Canada.

Ex-'08—Bro. M. Bruce Bogarte has left Valparaiso University, and is now located at 512 West 123rd Street, New York City.

Ex-'08—Bro. Harry Coppock is now to be found in Chicago, where he has recently been promoted to the position of District Line Engineer for the Chicago Telephone Company.

'10—Bro. Fred. K. Swigert has had to give up his position in Indianapolis because of ill health. He is looking for a cure in Florida.

'10—Bro. Walter Brant has the Indiana Agency for the Lozier Automobile Company, in Indianapolis. He is just recovering from the effects of a very destructive fire.

Ex-'10—Bro. Ralph J. Bauereisen dropped in on us during the fall rushing season. The "Count" gave us some very able assistance.

'11—Bro. George L. Hoffman is taking an extended trip by way of Naples and Marseilles to Switzerland,

where he is about to begin a specialized course of study in bacteriology.

'11—Bro. Chester T. Taylor is the representative of one of the largest lumber companies down at the "Big Ditch." He may be reached at Box 3, Ancon, Canal Zone, Republic of Panama. "Chet" has been doing some fine work in this line lately, and we can foresee a great success for him.

'12—Bro. Roy W. Tavey is with the General Electric Branch of the National Lamp Association at Cleveland, Ohio.

'12—Bro. "Enic" Mummert was a most welcome visitor at the time of the freshman-sophomore scrap this fall. He is with the Cole Motor Car Company, at Indianapolis, in the capacity of assistant engineer.

Ex-'12—Bro. Ralph McNally is with the Wellman-Seaver-Morgan Company, of Cleveland, Ohio.

'13—Bro. Raimond Peter Ankenbrock visited us for a week, following the annual scrap picking up a few ends left loose when school closed last June. The fellows certainly miss "Ank's" lively music when these long, lonely evenings come around, and we are glad that he is located no farther away than Indianapolis.

Ex-'14—Bro. Neil Arnold Fowler, of Indianapolis, who left school last spring because of trouble with his eyes, has almost recovered, but has decided not to re-enter school. Apparently he likes his work too well.

Ex-'15—Bro. Henry L. Ogle is located with the Falls City Construction Company, at Hamlin, W. Virginia.

GAMMA NU

Ex-'14—Bro. Frank A. Morris is Principal of the Harrington High School, Harrington, Maine.

'13—Bro. J. Elwood Church is at present engaged in water analysis for the water department in New York. He is at the Delta Tau Delta Club House, 116 W. 58th Street.

'12—Bro. F. C. Hettinger is located at 100 Rowe St. Roslindale, Mass.

'11—Bro. S. C. Lanpher is again Principal of the Buxton High School, Buxton, Maine.

GAMMA OMICRON

'10—Paul Batzell has recently been elected Executive Secretary of the Buffalo Association for the relief and control of Tuberculosis.

'11—"Cupe" Fisher is superintendent of the Garage of the Chase Motor Truck Co. of Syracuse.

'12—"Len" Calvert is still holding down the position of principal of the Cato high school.

'12—"Buddy" Brown is with the Westinghouse Electric Co. in the capacity of division superintendent.

'13—"Clarice" Meyers has accepted a position with the Standard Oil Co., of New York and will soon sail for China as their representative.

Ex-'16—"Bull" Allen has transferred to the University of Pennsylvania where he is taking up work in the Wharton School of Banking.

GAMMA PI

'06—H. W. Gray is still with the drainage work in California. Headquarters at LaCrescenta.

'07—W. S. Dudgeon is teaching school in India. Write to him, you fellows. He is a long ways from home. Address Allahabad, India.

'09—F. A. Kirkpatrick continues his work at the Ag-

ricultural Experiment Station at the University of Minnesota.

'09—H. E. Hazon is on a farm at Denmark, Iowa.

'10—W. D. Johnson from latest reports is still doing engineering work at Waterloo, Iowa.

'10—H. M. Herbert is with the "Breeder's Gazette" in Chicago.

'10—M. E. Van Meter made a western trip this summer and saw many of the fellows. He is now back on the job with the General Electric Co. at Schenectady, N. Y.

'10—H. B. Walker is assistant state drainage engineer with headquarters at Manhattan, Kans.

'10—"Whitey" Lungren blew in to see us the other evening. He is busier than ever selling insurance.

'11—"Colonel" Wylie came back for one day to help with the rushing. He is located at Guthrie as county engineer.

'12—Hugh Webster is now a government expert at Washington, D. C. in the department of agriculture.

'12—Bill Wendt is working out of Algona, Iowa, as a county expert.

Ex-'12—Bill Sheehan is now in the banking business in South Dakota.

'13—Sherman Dickinson is making good on a farm in Gleichen, Alberta, Canada. He says the work is hard but he likes it. We are hoping that he will make us a visit in the near future.

'13—"Curley" Clutter has become a "school mam." He is teaching at the State Agricultural College of Texas.

'13—Harry Ward is running his dad's farm for him along scientific lines at Algona, Iowa.

'13—R. C. Pollock is now at Awatonna, Minn., where he is teaching and doing extension work.

'13—"Adam" Ashby is still here with the bunch. He

is endeavoring to explain the principles of land drainage over at the college.

Ex-'14—Stanley Worster is managing a farm near Algona, Iowa.



The Delta Authors



EPSILON

C. H. GORDON

Bro. C. H. Gordon, head of the Department of Geology in the University of Tennessee, Director of the National Conservation Exposition and Treasurer General of the Phi Kappa Phi honor fraternity, has contributed many papers along the lines of his particular work. Some of the more recently published are:

Geology and Ore Deposits of Sierra and Middle Socorro Counties, New Mexico.—Professional Paper No. 68, U. S. Geological Survey, 1910, pp. 213-290.

The Wichita Formation of Northern Texas (with discussions by George H. Girty and David White), *Journal of Geology*, Feb.—Mar., 1911 Vol., XIX, pp. 110-134.

The Marbles of Tennessee. Bulletin No. 2, pt. D. Geological Survey of Tennessee, 1911.

Cement Resources of East Tennessee. The Resources of Tennessee, August 1911, Vol. I. No. 2, pp. 58-69, Geological Survey of Tennessee.

Geology and Underground Waters of Northeastern Texas. Water Supply Paper No. 276, U. S. Geological Survey, 1911.

Cave Marble (Cave Onyx) in Tennessee. The Resources of Tennessee, August, 1912, pp. 307-317, Tennessee Geological Survey.

The Iron Ore Deposits of the Tuckahoe District of East Tennessee. (With R. P. Jarvis.) The Resources of Tennessee, December, 1912, pp. 458-478, Tennessee Geological Survey.

Types of Iron Ore Deposits in Tennessee. Resources of Tennessee, April, 1913, pp. 84-95, Tennessee Geological Survey.

Rock Striations and Their Causes. Science Record, January, 1913.

Geology and Underground Waters of the Wichita Region of North Central Texas. Water Supply Paper No. 317, U. S. Geological Survey, 1913.



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DELTA

WILLIAM P. BORLAND

Washington, June 21.—When Mrs. William P. Borland, wife of Representative Borland of Missouri, met her husband at the Union Station to-day she nearly swooned. For Borland, smiling happily, emerged from the train shed with two chubby, giggling little girls—one hanging on each arm.

The Representative calmly informed his wife that he had adopted the youngsters at Kansas City when he found they were about to be sent to an orphan asylum. Mrs. Borland's final shock came when she discovered that 6-year-old Jessie is developing the measles. The Borlands have an unmeasled 6-year-old son of their own.

—N. Y. Sun.

THETA

W. R. CUNNINGHAM

In Ritzville, Wash., Miss Ann Lowry, 56 years old, of Guthrie, Ok., who for twenty years was a member of the Benedictine Order of Nuns, and W. R. Cunningham, aged 79, who founded the Delta Tau Delta fraternity at Bethany College, Kentucky, fifty years ago, were married. Two years ago the bride, who was known as Sister Justina, withdrew from the Benedictine Order. Cunningham wrote an editorial on Sister Justina which led to correspondence and the wedding is the consummation.—*Woman's National Weekly*.

KAPPA

WASHINGTON GARDNER

Washington Gardner of this city is Michigan's candidate for the post of commander-in-chief of the G. A. R. at its national encampment at Chattanooga this month. The Michigan delegation will be solidly behind him. (Bro. Gardner was elected to this position.—Ed.)

Gardner enlisted at sixteen years of age and served three years and two months in the ranks, Company D, Sixty-fifth Ohio Volunteer Infantry. He was the youngest of five brothers who served in the army for the Union an aggregate of nearly sixteen years. He was on duty continuously from 1861, under Buell, in the army of the Ohio; under Rosecrans in the army of the Cumberland, and under Thomas and Sherman in the campaign against Atlanta, until struck out and disabled for life by a gunshot wound in the battle of Resaca, Ga., May, 1864.

Returning from war on crutches, he began at once the pursuit of an education, and six years later graduated from college.

In civil life he has held various positions of trust and responsibility. For several years he was a professor in Albion College, Michigan. He served for five years as secretary of state for Michigan. For twelve years he represented the third district of Michigan in congress. Since his retirement from congress he has been chiefly engaged in editorial work for a Chicago publishing firm.

—*Topeka State Journal*, Sept. 6th.

MU

EDWIN H. HUGHES

Look at this series of educational addresses: Beginning May 11, Bishop Hughes delivered the baccalaureate sermon at the University of California at the Greek Theater to fully 5,000 people—one of the most effective addresses ever delivered on that platform; May 13, the baccalaureate at Mills College; May 14, addressed the San Francisco Teachers' Association at the Alcazar Theater; May 22, the commencement address at Mount Tamalpais Military Academy; June 1, the baccalaureate at the San Francisco National Training School; June 8, the baccalaureate at the University of Southern California; June 13, the commencement address at the Kimball School of Theology, Salem, Ore.; June 15, the baccalaureate at the University of Washington at Seattle, and June 18, the commencement address at the University of Oregon. To this must be added as many other sermons, lectures and addresses during the period. It is worth while to note that the various conditions under which these educational addresses were delivered call, in each case, for a different sort of an address. To this remarkable educational program Bishop Hughes has responded with a series of brilliant and effective sermons and addresses.—*Central Christian Advocate*.

BETA GAMMA

STUART J. FULLER

Stuart J. Fuller of Wisconsin, who has been appointed consul at Durban, Natal, is well known in Chicago. It was here that he stopped for a time after reporting to the government on the atrocities perpetrated upon the Peruvian Indians by rubber hunters. Mr. Fuller was born in Keokuk, Iowa, in 1880 and graduated from the University of Wisconsin. He began his government service at Hongkong, and in 1908 was made a consul in Sweden. He left there to make the investigation of the conditions in the Peruvian rubber district.

—*Chicago Record Herald*.

BETA ZETA

JAMES B. CURTIS

Back in the eighties and nineties Battery A, which was then known as the Indianapolis Light Artillery, won seventeen out of eighteen prize drill contests from all the crack battery organizations in the United States. They were cheated the time they lost, as the ammunition of the wrong caliber was issued to the Indianapolis boys. It was the greatest drill record ever achieved by a military organization.

Men who participated, now business and professional men, will get together at the armory, at Sixteenth Street and Senate Avenue, to-night and hold a reunion which will include all who have ever belonged to the organization since 1883 up to the present time. There were 178 in the Battery when it went to Porto Rico during the Spanish-American war, and since then hundreds have belonged to the battery under the name of Battery A.

It is to be a reunion of the old style, with an army lunch of baked beans added to the regulation Dutch lunch, which will be spread at 6 o'clock. In the evening a vaudeville entertainment will be given in addition to a reception for the former commander, Captain James B.

Curtis, of New York, who led during the prize drill periods and in the war. A number of former members from different parts of the country have sent acknowledgments to invitations stating that they would be on hand for the roll call.—*Indianapolis News*, Sept. 3d.

"OUR JIM."

Captain James B. Curtis, our Jim, of New York City, is here in the West attending a re-union of his old company, Battery A, Indianapolis Light Artillery, that under his able management, about 15 years ago won so many prizes. About 200 guests attended the banquet Thursday night at Indianapolis. Captain Curtis was toastmaster. Letters and telegrams were read from members of the old organization now scattered all over this country and Canada and Mexico. Captain Curtis is an old Shelby county boy, reared in the Waldron community and educated at Butler College. Shelby County is proud of James B. Curtis.—*Shelbyville Republican*, Sept. 6th.

BETA THETA

ARCHIE BUTT

Plans will be completed in the near future for the dedication of a fountain erected south of the White House in honor of the memories of Major Archibald W. Butt, former White House military attache, and Francis D. Millet, painter and author, who lost their lives in the Titanic disaster early in 1912. Announcement of the completion of the fountain was made to-day. Former President Taft is chairman of the committee which raised the fund for the erection.

The fountain is small but artistic. It includes a large bowl of Tennessee marble, from the centre of which rises a shaft to the height of 12 feet. The water is thrown aloft from four globes brimming over the sides of the bowl in a cascade.—*N. Y. Times*.

BETA THETA

HUDSON STUCK

Although little known personally to New York, the Rev. Hudson Stuck, the Episcopal Archdeacon who led the expedition to the top of Mount McKinley early this month, won his spurs by a debate in the General Church Convention with the late Rev. Dr. William R. Huntington, rector of Grace Church in this city. His achievements in Alaska as aide to Bishop Rowe have made him famous in church circles.

Before he went to Alaska, Stuck was Dean of St. Matthew's Cathedral in Dallas. He obtained his education at King's College, London, and at the University of the South, where he made a mark in scholarship.

In 1901 the Diocese of Dallas sent him as a deputy to the Episcopal General Convention at San Francisco. Dr. Huntington of this city was then at the zenith of his debating powers, but young Stuck, tall and smooth shaven, and looking hardly more than a boy, was not afraid to join issue with him on matters of church policy. More than that, he came nearer winning against him than any other man who ever tried. Through a five days' debate he held his own, with the result that he not only carried the convention with him, but he carried with him as well the Episcopal Church leaders.

Three years after this event Stuck resigned his post at Dallas, after ten years' service, to go to Alaska under rather uncommon circumstances. Bishop Rowe of Alaska entered the Episcopal House of Bishops in an unusual fashion. A missionary was needed for that territory, and J. Pierpont Morgan provided the money to send Rowe there.

When Stuck also went there there were rumors of dangerous ambitions and some indications of jealousy—not in Alaska, but back home. Young Stuck was equal to the job, held up the hands of his Bishop, and through his work added laurels to Rowe.

More than that, he made a national reputation by writing about his Bishop and about the land in which he was working. As Archdeacon of Alaska it has been part of his task to travel thousands of miles by dogs and on foot, and he has helped Bishop Rowe to create a useful work in Alaska that is famous in missionary annals.

Archdeacon Stuck is expected in New York next Fall as an attendant at the Episcopal General Convention, where he is likely to be one of the most sought-after speakers.—*N. Y. Times*, June 22d.

GAMMA ALPHA

JAS. D. LIGHTBODY

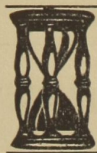
James D. Lightbody, winner of the 1,500 meter run at the London Olympic games and former western intercollegiate champion half-miler and miler, is a central figure in the latest University of Chicago romance.

Former State Senator and Mrs. William Payne of Rock Island yesterday announced the engagement of their daughter, Miss Mabel Payne, to the athlete who was the center of all eyes—including those of the co-eds—when they were both students on the Maroon campus. The wedding will be celebrated in November. Mr. Lightbody is now employed in Chicago by a large mail order house.

—*Chicago Tribune*, Sept. 19th.



The Chapter Eternal



BETA

AUGUSTIN BOICE

WHEREAS, It has pleased Almighty God in His infinite wisdom and love to call from our midst to the Chapter Eternal Augustin Boice, an esteemed and beloved brother, and

WHEREAS, Through the death of Bro. Boice, Delta Tau Delta has lost a valuable member and Beta Chapter a most loyal alumnus, be it

Resolved, That we, the members of Beta Chapter of Delta Tau Delta, extend our heartfelt sympathy and condolence to the bereaved wife in this, our mutual loss, and be it

Resolved, That we drape our Chapter House for a period of thirty days as a token of our love and respect for our departed brother, and be it further

Resolved, That a copy of these resolutions be sent to the wife of our late brother, that a copy be placed on the minutes of the Chapter, and that a copy be furnished THE RAINBOW for publication.


M. D. HUGHES

W. A. HARTFORD

H. D. PALMER

Committee.

May 20, 1913. Athens, Ohio.



BETA '77


WILLIAM M. TUGMAN

Attorney William M. Tugman, '62, well-known member of the Cincinnati bar, died after a long illness at his residence, 6416 Glade Avenue, Mt. Washington, yesterday afternoon. He received an injury on his leg about a year ago while standing on the running board of a car and later complications ensued.

Attorney Tugman was born in the mountain regions of North Carolina, and in his early youth coming to Ohio worked his way through school, and, securing a teacher's certificate, early enough to take a course in the Ohio University at Athens, Ohio. He was graduated from the college in 1877, acting as a teacher in the preparatory school in his senior year.

Following his graduation he accepted a position of Superintendent of the schools at Aberdeen, Ohio, and, taking up the study of law under Judge A. M. J. Cochran, was admitted to the bar in September, 1879. Coming to Cincinnati he taught night school for two years and attended law school and was assistant in the office of the late John W. Herron.

In 1881 he opened an office and had since engaged in active practice. He was at one time associated with Charles Bird and also Edward H. Baker. In 1907 he organized the Liberty Bank, of which he was attorney. He was a member and president of the School Board of Mt. Washington, and at one time Solicitor of the town. He was a life member of Excelsior Lodge, F. and A. M. —*Cincinnati Enquirer*, July 30, 1913.



BETA

OSCAR WALDO CURRAN

WHEREAS, It has pleased Almighty God in His infinite wisdom and love to call from our midst to the Chapter Eternal, Oscar Waldo Curran, an esteemed and beloved brother, and

WHEREAS, Through the death of Bro. Curran, Delta Tau Delta has lost a valuable member and Beta Chapter a most loyal alumnus, be it

Resolved, That we, the members of Beta Chapter of Delta Tau Delta, extend our heartfelt sympathy and condolence to the bereaved wife and parents in this, our mutual loss, and be it

Resolved, That we drape our chapter hall for a period of thirty days as a token of our love and respect for our departed brother, and be it further

Resolved, That a copy of these resolutions be sent to the wife and parents of our late brother, that a copy be furnished THE RAINBOW for publication.

ALPHEUS W. BLIZZARD

J. ALONZO PALMER

MILTON D. HUGHES

Committee.

August 4th, 1913. Beta Chapter Hall.

THETA '93

JOHN E. W. WAYMAN

The Chicago Alumni Chapter of Delta Tau Delta at its meeting on May 8th unanimously passed the following resolution, and ordered it spread upon the records of the Chapter.

We, the members of the Chicago Alumni Chapter of Delta

Tau Delta wish to express our deep sorrow at the death of Bro. John E. W. Wayman, Theta '93, at Chicago on the 18th day of April 1913.

To his bereaved family we extend a sincere and heartfelt sympathy in the affliction of our common loss.

ALVA SOWERS

L. A. HILLMAN

C. F. AXELSON

Committee.

May 8th, 1913. Chicago, Ill.

KAPPA, '10

MILO JAY WALRATH

A business man said to Bro. Milo Walrath, a few years ago in a store in his home town, that he had ability to do large things for himself. Milo replied with his well-known smiling simplicity, "I have a purpose to do what I can for others." When he was leaving Japan in July, 1912, to prepare for higher service in that empire, Michitaro Matsuda, a young Japanese whom he had taught and inspired, wrote him a farewell letter which said, in part: "I do not know how to thank you enough for your kindness to me from the beginning of our association. As a teacher you have taught me a great deal in every way. You, like a brother, advised me several times and encouraged me in various ways. You consoled me as a charitable friend when I was pessimistic and disheartened, and I was led to God by no one but my dear Milo Jay Walrath. You will never slip out of my memory. I have in my box the letters you have sent me, and the 'Daily Strength,' your Christmas gift, which I am reading every morning; and I have your portrait in my album. But I want to keep as a most yearning,

memorable memento the fact that you have led me to our Father in the heaven."

The purpose expressed in the Hillsdale (Mich.) store was bearing rich and early fruits, and it requires a stout faith to be resigned to the tragic death of one esteemed highly from childhood, with few peers in the public schools and college as a student, orator, and athlete, fair and strong in body, gentle, sympathetic, and helpful in spirit, and just emerging upon the noblest of careers.

Acting-President Ernest D. Burton sent a letter of rare tribute descriptive of the place Milo had won in the few short months in the University of Chicago and its divinity school.

This letter was brought by Mr. Steiner who was commissioned to represent the university at the funeral, and in the services bore high testimony to the life of Milo and what he accomplished both in Japan, where they were associated in Y. M. C. A. labors, and of late in Chicago. Mr. Brunson, president of the Hyde Park Y. M. C. A., spoke upon his enthusiastic and effective labors from the association among the boys. Three other associates in the divinity school came from Evanston and points in Michigan, with many Hillsdale College friends from places out of town.

On August 31, having finished the summer quarter, Milo went to Hillsdale for his vacation and at President Mauck's home was having a happy reunion with the families of his brother and sister. The next day, declining an invitation of his brother and professional men of the city to play tennis, a favorite sport in which he had championships in Hillsdale College and the University of Chicago, he went with some boys on a "hike" to a near-by lake. Just before the intended return to town he started to swim to the boat in which were three of the boys. At a steep bank in the lake he called for help; the boys leaped into the water, vainly

struggled for his rescue, and then telephoned to the city an alarm which brought a large number of friends and business men to the lake.

At the services on September 3 the individual and associational floral tributes, extraordinary in number and beauty, included those from the Delta Tau Delta chapters of Hillsdale College and the University of Chicago, the Delta Theta Chi of Chicago, the Amphictyon Literary Society of Hillsdale, and others. The bearers were five active and alumni members of the Kappa Chapter of the Delta Tau Delta and one other friend. These services were held at the home of President Mauck of Hillsdale College, a long-time friend of the family, himself a brother Delta and the president of Milo and his brother (Albert Walrath, Kappa '08) during their college course, his daughter being a sister-in-law of our deceased brother.

Milo was born March 5, 1888, at Central City, Iowa, where his father was a pastor. From early childhood he lived in Hillsdale, graduating from the high school in 1906, and the college in 1910. Entering upon educational and Y. M. C. A. work in Japan in the summer of 1910, he remained a little over two years, and after completing his circuit of the earth, with leisurely travel in Europe, he began in Chicago, last January, his intended course of three or four years of further preparation for his chosen career in the Orient.

TAU PRIME '74

O. P. DOWNING

Orrien Pinkerton Downing passed away at San Rafael, California, May 16, 1913.

Brother Downing was for many years the president of the well known San Francisco firm of O. P. Downing & Co., wholesale dealers in drugs and chemicals, and his death will

be as keenly felt in commercial circles as in our Fraternity.

Several years ago Bro. Downing was stricken with paralysis and had been in poor health from that time till the second stroke which caused his death. He was one of the founders of the San Francisco Alumni Chapter of Delta Tau Delta, became its first president and his death will be sincerely felt by all Delts in and near San Francisco.

PHI PRIME '86

ARTHUR L. ADAMS

Arthur Lincoln Adams, one of the foremost hydraulic engineers in the United States died September 17, 1913, of pneumonia at his home in Oakland, Cal.

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HAROLD BRAMWELL WILLIAMS

Bro. Hal Williams met his death on the evening of September 3rd due to drowning at Charleston, Washington, a few miles from Seattle.

Bro. Williams came to the Northwest soon after his graduation from Kenyon and has been employed by the Independent Asphalt Paving Co., with the exception of a short time, ever since being located at different times in Tacoma, Seattle, Olympia and Bellingham.

At the time of his death he was Superintendent of Rock Quarries for the Independent Asphalt Paving Co. and was located at Charleston. For the short time noted above he was employed by the M. P. Colton Co., Paving Contractors in Vancouver, B. C.

Bro. Williams was born in Monroeville, Ohio, December 27th, 1882, he was graduated at Kenyon in 1905, the fourth of one family to be members of Chi Chapter. His brothers

are B. H. '93, H. F. '96, now residing in Monroeville, Ohio, and D. A. '99 residing at Tacoma, Wash., and with whom Hal made his home.

He was a member of the Seattle Alumni Chapter from its organization.

OMEGA PRIME**MARTIN I. AITKEN**

WHEREAS, It has pleased our Almighty Father in His infinite wisdom and power, to take from the activities of life, our beloved brother, Martin I. Aitken, and

WHEREAS, By the death of Bro. Aitken, Delta Tau Delta has lost a devoted and loyal alumnus and Beta Tau a sterling friend, be it

Resolved, That we the members of Beta Tau Chapter extend to the members of the bereaved family our sympathy and condolence in this our mutual loss; and be it further

Resolved, That a copy of these resolutions be sent to the family of our departed brother, a copy be placed upon the minutes of this chapter and a copy be sent to THE RAINBOW, the official organ of the Fraternity.

HAROLD A. PRINCE

C. PORTER SLOAN

RALPH P. ROSS

Committee.

BETA LAMBDA**GEORGE WILT CLINTON**

WHEREAS, Almighty God, in His infinite wisdom and judgment, has seen fit to remove from the activities of this life our brother, George Wilt Clinton; and

WHEREAS, By his death Beta Lambda Chapter of Delta

Tau Delta loses a member she has loved and highly esteemed, be it

Resolved, That we, the members of Beta Lambda Chapter of Delta Tau Delta, extend our heartfelt sympathy to the bereaved family in our mutual loss; and be it further

Resolved, That a copy of these resolutions be sent to the family of our late brother, a copy be inserted in the minutes of the chapter, a copy be sent to THE RAINBOW for publication.

W. E. HOWARD, 2nd

J. E. GOUGH

L. G. GLESMANN

Committee.

October 15, 1913. So. Bethlehem.

GAMMA ALPHA

FRANK RUSSELL WHITE

WHEREAS, It has pleased Almighty God, in His infinite wisdom, to take unto Himself our dearly beloved brother, Frank Russell White;

WHEREAS, By his character, loyalty, and devotion, he has endeared himself to every brother, be it

Resolved, That we, the alumni and active members of Gamma Alpha Chapter of Delta Tau Delta, extend to the bereaved wife and family our sincere sympathy in their great affliction, and be it

Resolved, That a copy of these resolutions be sent to the wife and family of our deceased brother, and that a copy be placed upon the minutes of the active Chapter, and that a copy be forwarded to THE RAINBOW for publication.


FREDERICK C. HACK

C. F. AXELSON

ROBERT W. MILLER

Committee.

A severe shock came over the many friends of Brother Frank Russell White, University of Chicago '00 and Charter Member of Gamma Alpha Chapter, when it was cabled from Manila, P. I., that he had died on Sunday, August 17th, following a second operation for internal abscesses. At the time of his death he was Director of Education of the Philippine Islands and had made a remarkable record in his administration of the insular school system. He leaves a wife and two baby girls. A brother, George L. White, is also a Charter Member of Gamma Alpha, class of '98.



GAMMA ZETA

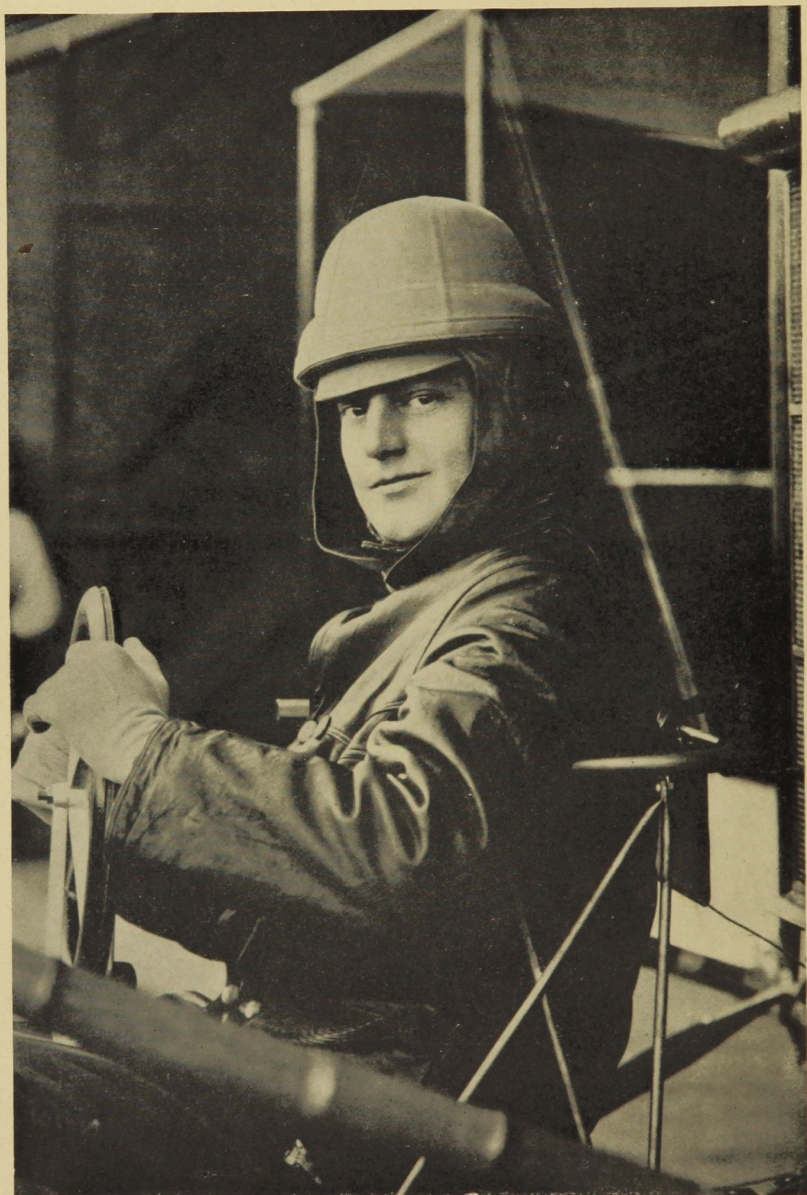
RALPH C. LATHROP

Ralph C. Lathrop, Republican nominee for Council-at-Large, and one of Warren's best known and most progressive young business men, died at five o'clock, at his home on Washington Avenue, due to an attack of typhoid fever.

Three weeks ago, Mr. Lathrop contracted an attack of the grip, which later developed into typhoid fever. His condition was most encouraging, and the attending physicians were confident that he would recover. Even at four o'clock Sunday afternoon, Mr. Lathrop's chances for recovery were assured. At 4:30 o'clock typhoid meningitis developed, which resulted in his death a half hour later.

Mr. Lathrop's death, coming as it did so suddenly, at the very prime of his life, when success was assured him, and he was walking in the sunshine of happiness and the enjoyment of the very best things of this life, makes his demise an exceedingly sad one. His wide acquaintance among the citizens and business men of Warren, his activities in various civic matters, makes him a man who will greatly be missed in the community.

Ralph C. Lathrop was a man among men. His genial



Lieutenant Loren Heinlein Call

U. S. A.
Gamma Eta

Chapter Eternal, July 8, 1913

nature, his ready smile and a hearty handshake, won for him friends at each turn of the road. His was a life of a Christian gentleman, and though he has passed away his influence will live through the years to come. The entire community mourns the death of Mr. Lathrop, and the family have the sympathy of all in this their hour of bereavement.

Ralph C. Lathrop was born Dec. 6, 1879, in Bridgeport, Conn. After attending the public schools of that city, he entered Wesleyan University, in Middletown, Conn., from which institution he was graduated 1903. The following year he attended the Harvard Law School, but on account of the condition of his health, he was forced to leave his books. It was then he came to Warren, where he resided for the past ten years. When first coming to this city he entered the employ of the Sterling Electric Co., as office clerk, and after six years of service there, resigned, when holding the position of chief clerk. For a year he resided in Cleveland, being connected with a real estate firm of that city. Returning to Warren, Mr. Lathrop engaged in the insurance business, and for the past three years had followed that trade. He was first the local agent of the Aetna Life Insurance Co., later assuming the agency of the New England Mutual Life Insurance Co. Mr. Lathrop was extremely successful in this profession, and his coinage of the phrase, "Get the Figures from Lathrop," was a well known trade line.

—*Warren (Ohio) Chronicle*, September 8, 1913.

GAMMA ETA

LOREN HEINLEIN CALL

Bro. Loren Heinlein Call of Gamma Eta Chapter, First Lieutenant Coast Artillery, U. S. A., assigned to the Avia-

tion Corps, was killed at Texas City, Texas, on July 8, 1913, when his bi-plane fell from a height of about 500 feet.

He was born in the city of Clinton, Mo., June 30, 1888; the son of Mr. and Mrs. Lewis W. Call. The family moved to Washington, D. C., soon thereafter, and his father became Chief Clerk and Solicitor of the Judge Advocate General's Office of the War Department. When Bro. Call graduated from the Central High School in 1905, he was the recipient of many honors which vouched well both for his scholarship and popularity, among them the rank of Major in the Cadet Corps, held during his senior year.

In the fall of 1905 he entered the George Washington University, having won a scholarship, and registered in the five-year engineering course, intending to graduate with the class of 1911. But he attended only until 1909 when he became an Army Officer. While at college many honors came to him beginning with the University Scholarship which he held; in 1906 he won the Munroe Prize in Chemistry, a much coveted honor of the School; and at the same time he began work on the staff of the college publications, which led him from class editor his first year, up the literary ladder, to Editor in Chief his third year, and Manager his fourth. In addition, he was class president during sophomore year, treasurer of the Athletic Association junior year and President of the College Union senior year. Not alone in scholarship and social organizations did he labor; he played on the sophomore football team during that season. His interests were manifold, as is evident by the various offices he held. He belonged to his class and college heart and soul, and devoted much of his time and energy to their service. That he was an organizer, a supporter and an enviable friend, professors, classmates and brothers avouch.

On December 5, 1907, he was initiated into the Gamma Eta Chapter of Delta Tau Delta, an honor which he con-

sidered surmounted all others obtained or procurable, and his subsequent endeavors and devotion stand, a testimonial to this belief. Bro. Call held several offices in the chapter and was a constant visitor and supporter after he became an alumnus.

Like many of the members of Gamma Eta Chapter Bro. Call was supporting himself while in attendance at George Washington, to this end serving as assistant to Corporal Tanner, Recorder of Deeds, and in 1908 and 1909 as instructor in Mathematics and Electricity at The Army and Navy Academy, a coaching school of Washington.

His love for a military life and duties became manifest during his high school course, when after three years service he became ranking officer of his batallion and school. In September 1909 he took the examination for the Army from Civil Life, in which he passed first out of a large class of candidates, and was commissioned a second lieutenant in the Coast Artillery Corps on September 25, 1909. Less than two years later, on July 1, 1911, he won promotion and became a first lieutenant. In the fall of 1912 he was detailed to the Aviation Corps in response to an application for such an assignation. This move met with disapproval from both relatives and friends, but was only to be expected in consideration of his active, progressive nature. Following his transfer he studied practical aviation in the schools at College Park, Washington; Marblehead, Mass. and Palm Beach, Florida, which latter post he commanded.

When the mobilization of the Army on the Mexican border took such a number of officers and men to Texas a field was laid out at Texas City for the Aviation Corps as part of the 2nd Army Division mobilization camp, and there Bro. Call was assigned to duty in March, 1913. By this time he had become very efficient, was regarded as one of the Army's best aviators and had suffered but one

slight mishap, a fall of about one hundred feet into the bay from which he escaped unhurt. On the day before the fatal accident he had operated his machine a distance of twenty-five miles in as many minutes.

A pleasing memory of Bro. Call's character is awakened by *The Washington Post* which reported a spectator as stating that Lieutenant Call fought every inch of his long drop, first to right the machine, and then, after that was hopeless, to save his life. The press and officials were all of one accord in asserting his courage, nerve and honor.

Major Gen. W. H. Carter, in command of the 2nd division encampment near Galveston, Texas, remarks in his report to the War Department: "Death came in the line of duty, and was not the result of his misconduct." Surely a candid statement, and one which those of us who knew our brother feel that he would have been well pleased to have heard.

Bro. Call was accorded the regulation officer's funeral with an escort of a platoon of engineers which conveyed his remains to the National Cemetery at Arlington, Virginia, where he was buried beside another officer of the army, like himself a victim of an aviation accident. Services were first held by the Rev. John T. Ensor, at the Calvary M. E. Church where Bro. Call attended when in Washington, and in which church he had served for some time as an official of the Sunday School. The pall bearers were: Major Edgar Russell, Capt. James L. Walsh, Lieuts. H. H. Arnold, C. A. Edwards, S. H. McLeary and Willis Shipman, U. S. A., and Bros. A. Bruce Atkinson and Maurice M. Moore, of Gamma Eta Chapter. Many brothers from his chapter and the Washington Alumni Chapter were in attendance and offered as their final tribute in remembrance of the love and services of the departed brother a floral piece decorated with the emblem of his Fraternity.

Bro. Call has passed from his very active life in which he performed gallantly not only the many duties which fell to him, but many deeds of loyalty and devotion which he elected to carry out; his work has been well done; on every hand comes praise; his name has been set upon the records of his country, his school, college and Fraternity; his career came to a sudden but worthy end.

There come days in the lives of us all, the events of which surpass our mortal comprehension, the apparent losses so greatly exceed the gains: and we are constrained to realize the futility of our reasoning and comprehension against the infinite questions and decisions of the Almighty. It nevertheless seems well that we continue to labor for what best within us lies, taking all events optimistically, be they ever so discouraging or distressing. So came the unfortunate accident which bereft us of our beloved brother—So be it; he served in all his functions with a cheerful manliness, and set an eloquent example for brothers and friends alike to emulate.

“Death came in the line of duty, and was not the result of his misconduct.”—A noble epitaph.

CARL HAWES BUTMAN.

WHEREAS, It has pleased God in His infinite wisdom and mercy to take from this earth our beloved brother, Loren Heinlin Call and,

WHEREAS, Through the death of Bro. Call, the Delta Tau Delta Fraternity has sustained the loss of a most valued member, and Gamma Eta Chapter the loss of a most loyal brother and alumnus; be it

Resolved, That the Gamma Eta Chapter of the Delta Tau Delta Fraternity extend to the bereaved family of our late brother their heartfelt sympathy at this great loss, and be it further

Resolved, That a copy of these resolutions be sent to the family of our late brother, that a copy be spread upon the minutes of the Gamma Eta Chapter, and that a copy be sent to THE RAINBOW for publication.

A. S. CALDER

PAUL R. BORLAND

ARTHUR N. CHAMBERLIN

July 9, 1913.

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GAMMA KAPPA

HARRY D. MINTON

The following was adopted at a special meeting of Gamma Kappa Chapter held on the opening day of the university:

We the members of Gamma Kappa Chapter of Delta Tau Delta wish to express our sorrow at the loss of our alumnus, Bro. Harry D. Minton. He was a member of this chapter in 1907-8. Most of the present chapter were not acquainted with Bro. Minton, yet as brother Delts and as members of his chapter we feel a real sorrow over his sudden and untimely death. To his parents we offer our earnest and hearty sympathy.

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The Greek World



Phi Kappa Psi has granted a charter to the Ozark local at Iowa State College.

Psi Upsilon and Phi Gamma Delta have installed chapters at Williams.

The number of fraternities at Iowa State College has been brought up to thirteen by the entry of Phi Kappa Psi.

At the University of Pittsburgh, Sigma Chi now has Sigma Alpha Epsilon to keep her company.

At its Sixty-fifth Annual Convention Theta Delta Chi denied the petition of T. N. E. for the removal of Theta Delta Chi's ban against membership in that organization.

Before the close of the college year 1912-1913 Phi Delta Theta established new chapters at Colorado College, Iowa State College and the University of North Dakota. This gives the fraternity a chapter roll of seventy-six.

Bro. C. H. Gordon, Head of the Department of Geology at the University of Tennessee, has offered a silver trophy to be awarded to the fraternity chapter in that institution having the highest average standing in scholarship at the mid-year examinations in February, 1914. The fraternities at Tennessee are: Phi Gamma Delta, Kappa Sigma, Sigma Alpha Epsilon, Pi Kappa Alpha, Alpha Tau Omega and Kappa Alpha (So.).

A fraternity that was not included in the last edition of Baird's Manual of American College Fraternities is Sigma Iota. It was founded ten years ago at the Uni-

versity of Louisiana. It is said to be represented at universities in Spain, Germany, Switzerland and England. In this country there are chapters at Louisiana, Georgia, Rensselaer, Cornell and Syracuse.

The purpose of the fraternity in America is to promote the study of Spanish and to establish a bond between the Americans and the students from Latin-American countries. In Europe the fraternity aims to let the Europeans know something of the Universities in the United States and other American countries.

The registrar of Dartmouth College has recently compiled statistics showing the scholastic standing of the various fraternities in that college. The relative rating for the last semester is as follows: Phi Kappa Psi 74.77, Delta Tau Delta 73.62, Kappa Kappa Kappa (local) 72.40, Sigma Phi Epsilon 72.80, Kappa Sigma 72.05, Psi Upsilon 71.91, Chi Phi 71.65, Sigma Nu 71.53, Delta Kappa Epsilon 71.15, Beta Theta Pi 70.94, Alpha Delta Phi 70.69, Phi Delta Theta 70.63, Sigma Chi 70.31, Theta Delta Chi 69.84, Phi Gamma Delta 68.25, Sigma Alpha Epsilon 67.36, Phi Sigma Kappa 66.66. The fraternity members comprise about 60 per cent of the student body, and their general average was 71.16. The average on the nonfraternity men was 74.55.

—*The Shield of Phi Kappa Psi.*

Like many of our brother Editors we depend on the table compiled by Mr. Walter B. Palmer and published in the September number of *The Scroll* of Phi Delta Theta each year for the following information, giving the gains and losses in chapters by the various fraternities since the last edition of Baird's Manual of American College Fraternities:

Alpha Delta Phi—(Died at College of the City of New York.)

Alpha Sigma Phi—California, Nebraska, Ohio Wesleyan (revived), Massachusetts Agricultural.

Alpha Tau Omega—Wyoming. (Died at Wooster.)

Beta Theta Pi—South Dakota, M. I. T., Utah. (Died at Wooster.)

Delta Kappa Epsilon—Texas.

Delta Sigma Phi—Rensselaer, Cumberland.

Delta Tau Delta—Pennsylvania State (revived), Oregon. (Died at Wooster.)

Kappa Alpha (Northern)—U. of Pennsylvania.

Kappa Alpha (Southern)—(Died at Centenary.)

Phi Delta Theta—North Dakota, Iowa State College, Colorado College. (Died at Mississippi.)

Phi Gamma Delta—Williams (revived). (Died at Wooster.)

Phi Kappa Psi—Pennsylvania State, Iowa State College. (Died at Brooklyn Polytechnic.)

Phi Sigma Kappa—(Died at Queens.)

Psi Upsilon—Williams.

Pi Kappa Alpha—Iowa State College, Syracuse, Rutgers.

Pi Kappa Phi—Emory.

Sigma Alpha Epsilon—Kansas Agricultural, Pittsburgh. (Died at Mississippi.)

Sigma Chi—North Carolina (revived). (Died at Mississippi and Wooster.)

Sigma Nu—Stetson, Maine, Kansas Agricultural.

Sigma Phi Epsilon—Brown, Cornell, Denver, Iowa Wesleyan, Tennessee. (Died at Wooster.)

Sigma Pi—California, Pennsylvania State. (Died at U. of Pennsylvania.)

Tau Kappa Epsilon—Knox.

Theta Chi—California, Cornell, Hampden-Sydney, Virginia.

Theta Xi—Univ. of Pennsylvania, Carnegie Inst. of Technology.

Theta Delta Chi—Toronto, Univ. of Washington.

CHICAGO FRATERNITY CONFERENCE

A combination and co-ed conference was held in Chicago, May 30-31st, with delegates from Men's General Fraternities, Professional Fraternities and Sororities. The declaration of principles and resolutions adopted are presented herewith.

We, the Greek-letter Societies of America, in Convention Assembled, do Make the following Declaration:

Whereas, we believe that the people of our country are not familiar with the true purposes and ideals of our societies and with the actual conditions among the same;

Now, therefore, we represented in convention at the City of Chicago by officers and delegates of our said societies do declare:

That it is our earnest wish and desire to inculcate in our various

chapters or local societies, the principles of true womanhood and manhood; to promote the moral welfare of all our members, to stimulate and encourage scholarship; to prescribe obedience to all authority; to encourage loyalty to and active interest in the institution where they may be located; to foster a democratic and friendly spirit between our members and all others with whom they may be associated and to inspire among our members a true, loyal and lasting friendship;

And we do further declare that to those ends we have, through our officers and councils, dedicated ourselves in the past and do pledge ourselves for the future; that where we fail we will remedy and where we succeed, such shall be to us only an incentive to better endeavor.

And we do further declare that our association together in such societies is in fulfillment of the natural desire of all people to seek friendship among one another, and that we consider our members not as elected to any privileges, but rather as pledges and dedicated to a life of striving for the perfection of our ideals.

And we do further declare that we welcome all sincere criticism of our conduct and lives, and do pledge ourselves to take counsel upon the same and to remedy all things wherein we may fall short of these our ideals and principles.

And remembering our long and prosperous existence, our opportunities and hopes for the future, our thousands of great and true members now in the service of the world, the thousands of our young men and women now in our brotherly care, and the service of many good and noble men and women given to the perfecting of these ideals

WE DO PLEDGE ourselves to promote these things in all ways and to continue our efforts to that end.

Be it further resolved that the representatives of the fifty odd fraternities and sororities here assembled declare their opposition to High School Fraternities and Sororities and express the hope that their organizations will soon legislate against the initiation of members of High School Organizations.

Whereas, there has recently been threatened legislation, hostile to fraternities in some states, and anti-fraternity action by faculties in some American colleges and universities;

And, whereas, there is need for combined action on the part of the fraternities to combat the enactment of such hostile laws and regulations; and,

Whereas, action looking to this end ought to be initiated in the shortest, quickest and most effective way;

Therefore, be it resolved, by the representatives of the fifty-five fraternities represented at this conference, that there be established as soon as practicable a Bureau of Information at Chicago, Illinois, to be maintained by intercollegiate fraternities of the United States, to be known as The College Fraternity Bureau.

It shall be the duty of this Bureau:

(a) To collect and maintain a reference library containing all accessible data concerning fraternities, with reference to pending or threatened anti-fraternity action by legislatures or faculties.

(b) To furnish such data to the local organizations of various

universities and colleges as these organizations may find such data necessary.

(c) To conduct in such manner as may seem best, a campaign of publicity calculated to disseminate knowledge concerning fraternities among the American people, and, particularly in those states where the fraternities have been, or are likely to be, attacked, that will tend to explain fairly the aims and purposes of fraternities and to eradicate and overcome false statements and impressions.

Such Bureau shall be managed and controlled by an Executive Committee of ten members of whom not less than three shall be members of sororities and at least one of whom shall be a member of a professional fraternity. Such Executive Committee shall be selected in such manner as this conference shall determine.

The adoption of this report shall not obligate or bind any fraternity in any manner whatsoever to support said Bureau, but if this report is adopted by a majority vote, the roll of fraternities represented shall be called and those whose delegates are authorized to do so, may pledge themselves to support such Bureau and to pay their proportionate cost thereof. Those delegates who are not authorized to act for their respective fraternities are urged to place the matter before their fraternities to the end that such fraternities shall take definite action upon the matter as soon as practicable.

In case this resolution shall be adopted, all intercollegiate fraternities not here represented, including all professional intercollegiate fraternities, shall be advised of the action taken and cordially invited to cooperate in the maintenance of said Bureau.



The Greek Press



Mr. Frederick Carter of Theta Delta Chi has compiled an interesting table of fraternity service. We reproduce it from the *Garnet and White* of Alpha Chi Rho with that journal's comments. The date of this compilation was 1912.

In these days when college fraternities are so keenly in the public eye, it is probable that legislation curbing their activities would be minimized if the legislators realized how permanent is the helpful service given them by officers whose willing labor and constant effort are indicative of recognition of the moral worth of the fraternities.

Herewith is a list of men whose work is done in full conviction that no more fruitful service could be given by them, than is their privilege to give to the Greek world. The table carries its own preachment:

TABLE OF CONTINUOUS SERVICE IN A SINGLE OFFICE

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Chi Psi—Elbridge T. Gerry, President 30 years.

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Kappa Sigma—Herbert M. Martin, Grand Scribe, 23 years.

Kappa Sigma—Stanley W. Martin, Grand Treasurer, 21 years.

Sigma Nu—Clarence E. Woods, Recorder, 19 years on June 30th, 1913.

Delta Tau Delta—Henry T. Bruck, Secretary, 18 years.

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Beta Theta Pi—William Raimond Baird, Editor of *Beta Theta Pi*, 20 years.

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Chi Psi—Ira W. Henderson, Editor *Purple and Gold*, 15 years.

Delta Tau Delta—Frank F. Rogers, Editor Delta Tau Delta Rainbow, 13 years.

Phi Kappa Sigma—Boyd Lee Sphar, Editor News Letter, 11 years.

The Cerebrum is published by the medical fraternity of Pi Mu. Therefore we naturally expect it to be correct in an editorial diagnosis. We reproduce from that journal a list of the symptoms indicating the presence of "The fraternity parasite" in an active chapter. All our chapters can well stop and see if any of their members are showing any of these symptoms. Of course prevention is the best policy of all.

A parasite is an organism living on or within another organism and drawing its sustenance at the latter's expense. The parasite's effect on its host is very disastrous. The hookworm is a good example. Its effect upon the human body is marked by a failure of nutrition, excessive pallor, severe anaemia, extreme apathy and lack of energy, a remarkable retardation of growth, and not infrequently, death.

We see that the hookworm parasite causes a gradual but general deterioration of the human organism. In the same way does the fraternity parasite affect the fraternity. In fact, the fraternity parasite is even a more serious menace to the health and growth of a fraternity than is the hookworm parasite to the health and growth of the individual. For while they both cause the same train of symptoms under development, stunted growth and "wide spread degeneration," still, we have a specific for the hookworm parasite, while we have none for the fraternity parasite.

Here are a few of the prominent characteristics of the "fraternity hookworm"—the organism which strikes at the very roots of the fraternity and saps its life out of it:

Poor scholarship.

Snobbishness.

Failure to attend Chapter meetings.

Absence of fraternity spirit in the daily association with his brothers.

Gives nothing in time nor service for the good of his fraternity.

Does not pay his dues, but has money to spend in beer, cards, pool and other forms of dissipation.

Will make no personal sacrifice to meet obligations which he, under oath and of his own volition, assumed.

General indifference to fraternity interests.

Forgets that he owes it to himself and to his fraternity to hold fast to his personal honor and his self respect.

It is evident then, that no fraternity suffering from the effects of parasites can grow and measure up to its greatest opportunities.

The widespread infection with this fraternity parasite is causing

general and serious alarm among all fraternities—and so it should, for every fraternity is infected—some more and some less, and all are asking for relief. They want to purge themselves of this organism of decay and degeneration.

The sooner we apply some universal form of radical treatment the better.

The Chapters, owing to close competition, have been too indiscriminate in the selection of men, and the officials have been too lenient in their dealings with these human parasites. Let us get rid of them—or we perish.

All Greek-letter societies are building houses one after another and if a chapter does not possess a house great difficulty is encountered in securing the men it would like to have. If we have a house we have extensive social obligations to uphold, and while the upkeep of the modern chapter house may be rather expensive, still we are enabled to live together under one roof, to become better acquainted with one another, and to understand better the spirit of our fraternity.

The chapter house also affords a training for young men which it is impossible to obtain in any other department of college life. Here for the first time in life the student learns to think for and to govern himself. When a freshman enters college and joins a fraternity he is struck with a feeling of unimportance and his lack of capacity to do anything in that great machine called fraternity. If his fraternity is the possessor of a house he gradually begins to see the inner mechanism of the organization and of his chapter. He realizes very soon that the house is to be his home for the next four years and that he should take just as much interest and pride in it as in the home he left when he entered college. He realizes that if he is low in his classes that the upperclassmen will be glad to help him. As he himself becomes an upperclassman, he learns that it is his duty to instil in the younger men system in financial affairs, unselfishness, good morals and thoughtfulness. In short, to do all in his power to make the whole chapter one of culture, refinement and gentleness.

This may all be possible without a house, but the advantage which a chapter house brings multiplies and simplifies many fold, and how much greater the fraternity seems to a man who has it with his meals, in his study and in his play.

Allow me to emphasize here that in my opinion one of the most important things in the use of a chapter house to the best advantage, is system and scientific management. There is nothing that makes the running of a house smoother. I have known chapters composed of the finest kind of men, who had not the ability to run their house on a scientific basis. Consequently the chapter, while appearing good to outsiders, was quite upset on the inside.

Everything in life, whether it be for work or for play, has its element of good and advantageous use, and as well has its bad or at least questionable use, which is simply abuse.

When we consider the abuses of our chapter houses, we find several things that are more or less common to all. In a great many cases

there is an absolute lack of system. The detail affairs of the house are run by precedent, and not on lines of originality. We often find houses where the men all wait for the other fellows to do the work, where the standards laid down by previous classes are the only ones known to the house. When a chapter house is in this shape it needs a leader, one who can think clearly and act with decision.

Another too common danger is that the chapter house degenerates into a social club, with fraternity meetings once a week which are more of a bore than a pleasure. Many chapters owning houses fall into this rut unconsciously. They think they are doing everything in their power for the fraternity, but they hold only one meeting a week and when that is over the fraternity is often forgotten till the next week. Meanwhile, the fellows are busy with social duties, instead of working to improve their house, their chapter and their fraternity. Instead of striving for scholarship, the chapter strives for social pre-eminence, with the frequent result that the boys develop into snobs and find it difficult to remain in college. They spend so much money in social demands that it is simply impossible to meet the bills that are piled up against them.

This leads to another alleged abuse of the chapter house. It has often been charged that living in a house increases the college expenses of the members of the chapter. I dare say in many cases that this may be true, but it seems to me that the benefits received from living in this manner are so far out of proportion to the difference in expense, that this objection should not be seriously considered.

It is a fact that a chapter owning a house must maintain a large membership in order to meet expenses. This does not, however, necessitate pledging any kind of a man, and I am confident that if chapters that feel they must have a membership of 35 or 40 would cut down their social expenditures, they would find they could meet their house expenses with a smaller membership. I do not wish to be understood as opposing a chapter keeping up a high social position. Nothing gives the fraternity more prestige nor gives a chapter a better standing in the college community, but warm fraternal feeling and scholarship must come first. It has ever seemed to me that it is practically impossible to have the best degree of congenial fraternity life in a chapter with 35 or 40 members. I think the limit for a good congenial crowd is about 25. When we get above this number we never see all the men at any one time except at meetings; hence it is most difficult to cultivate a genuine fraternal feeling.

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EMPLOYER

An important part of this work will be for all the older brothers who are likely to require the services of recent college graduates, or who are in a position to know of openings, to communicate with the committee, advising them of the nature of the employment in regard to which they are most likely to have information of value in placing younger brothers. Send in this information at once, whether the positions are in New York City or elsewhere.

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Any members who desire to secure positions in New York City should fill out the blank below and send it to the committee at once. Until this work is made more national in scope, applications for positions in other localities and in foreign countries may also be sent in.

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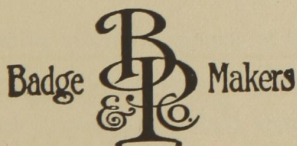
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